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ST. JOHN'S CHURCH Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor held the second open monthly missionary meeting of their course for this season. Rev. A. W. Lewis of Loggieville delivered the address of the evening on "Corea." There was also a missionary recitation by seven girls in costume representing that many missionary countries, an address by Rev. J. M. MacLean, a recitation by Dora Johnson and choruses by the choir. The evening was a pleasant and profitable one to all who were privileged to be present.

MIRAMICHI MARBLE WORKS:—Now is the time to place your orders for cemetery work and avoid the spring rush. We have now on hand and coming one of the largest stocks of marble and granite monuments, headstones and tablets ever shown on the north shore, all from the latest designs and worked from the best material the market can produce. Call and get our prices. They are right.

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ST. ANDREWS' AT HOME is to take place in Masonic Hall this evening, and the preparations being made for the event indicate that it will be a very enjoyable one. Those who will be privileged to attend will be the members over 16 years of age, of every family connected with the congregation, together with all the young men and women, not connected with families, who attend services in St. Andrew's church from time to time. There are, no doubt, many young people to-day in town who would like to belong to St. Andrew's congregation, for the evening, anyhow.

UNRIVALLED TOURIST SLEEPING cars for the accommodation of pas-sengers holding second class tickets, are run by the Canadian Pacific Railway on Trans-continental Express train, leaving Windsor Station, Montreal, at 11 a.m. every Thursday and running through to Seattle. Passengers for Canadian Northwest and Pacific Coast points will be accommodated in these cars, on payment of a small additional berth charge. Each berth will accommodate two passengers.

Chatham Town Council.

The council met on Monday evening in regular monthly session, but we are obliged to hold over report of same until next week.

To Our Readers.

The ADVANCE will be obliged to its numerous readers if they will enable us to make reference in our local columns to matters and events in which they are interested, or may think their friends may be. This they can do by giving the information in person at the office, or writing to us about it. Many things proper to be noticed in the ADVANCE's columns do not appear therein, simply because our attention is not called to them by those who would like to see reference to them in the paper, but have omitted to do their part in making them known. Come, therefore, or write and tell us your local news.

Celebration at Doaktown.

One of our Doaktown correspondents sends us an account of the celebration there of the relief of Ladysmith, mentioning the part taken by the school children, and a loyalty meeting in the White building, where a supper and speech-making were enjoyed. Our Doaktown friends were evidently amongst the foremost in rejoicing over the great victory.

A Good Appointment.

Mr. John Robinson of Newcastle has been appointed a game, fishery and fire warden, under the Surveyor-General of the Province, and is to give his whole time to the work entrusted to him. He was one of the most efficient fishery officers the county ever had, but his removal was effected for political reasons, although even these did not really exist. However, he is now looking after the violators of the game law and has already complaints to submit before the police magistrate against several of them in this county. It is to be hoped that all good citizens will realise the advantage to them and the interests of the province in giving their sympathy and aid to Mr. Robinson in detecting those who kill game out of season—especially moose, caribou and deer—and bringing them to punishment.

Curling and Curlers.

Newcastle and Chatham curlers had a friendly match last Thursday. Play was in the Chatham rink, both afternoon and evening. It was natural to expect, as the Newcastle curlers have been almost entirely out of practice since they lost their rink by fire several years ago, that they would be no match for the Chatham men, but their play was excellent all round, and the home men were put to their very best to avoid a defeat. The ice was in excellent condition both afternoon and evening.

The rinks engaged and results were as follows:—

AFTERNOON.

Chatham.	*Newcastle.*
Fred. Tweedie	R. H. Armstrong
W. B. Snowball	Geo. Stables
Arthur Johnston	R. H. Gremley
D. G. Smith, skip, 8.	W. A. Park, skip, 7.
Geo. Watt	Chas. Sargeant
Geo. Hutchenand	E Lee Street
Jas. Johnston	Robt. Beckwith
R. A. Lawlor, skip, 8.	John Ferguson, skip, 11

EVENING.

W. McLachlan	G. A. Lounsbury
Jas. McIntosh	Jas. Stewart
Alex. Brown	Joseph Jardine
D. Cheesman, skip, 16	John Morrissy, skip, 6
S. Heckbert	C. D. Freeman
H McKendy	John Russell
E. Johnson	John Sargeant
A. S. Ullock, skip, 14	J. S. Lawlor, skip, 18

Chatham Curling Club entertained the Newcastle curlers at a supper at the Canada House, which is under the management of Skip Jas. Johnston. The menu was an excellent one, including turkey, goose, beef, tongue, ham, vegetables of different kinds, pastry, fruit, tea, coffee, etc., and the service good.

R. A. Lawlor, Esq., President of the Club occupied the chair and Rev. G. M. Young and Mr. D. G. Smith the vice chairs. The company numbered about forty-five. The regular toasts were:

The Queen, by the president.
Our Guests, " " "
The Clergy, by Mr. Smith.
The Mayor and Town Council, Rev. G. M Young.
The Bench and Bar, Mr. W. B. Snowball.
The Press, Mr. John Morrissy.

Some excellent speeches were made by the proposers and those who responded. Messrs. Morrissy and J. R. Lawlor spoke for the guests; Rev. G. M. Young, chaplain of the club, for the clergy, and he made the speech of the evening; Mayor Winslow and aldermen Snowball and Watt for the Town Council; Messrs. R. Murray, W. C. Winslow, and R. A. Lawlor for the Bar; Messrs. D. G. Smith J. L. Stewart and W. C. Winslow for The Press. The volunteer toasts also brought out good speakers, Mayor Winslow proposed Lord "Bobs," which was heartily responded to by Major Maltby, who also referred to Gen. Buller as the man for him. The Ladies, proposed by President Lawlor, was responded to by Mr. Jas. Johnston of the Canada House, who also sang "The Grip of the Hand."

The day being that on which the news of the relief of Ladysmith had come, nearly every speaker made reference to the subject of the war; and pride in British traditions, in our Canadian soldiers who have done credit to themselves and the Dominion, and in maintaining the prestige of the old flag, found earnest and at times eloquent expression.

The singing was a very enjoyable feature of the evening. Mr. Stanley W. Miller, Capt. John Russell, and Mr. James Stewart of Newcastle and Messrs. Anderson, Smith and others of Chatham were amongst those who responded to the demands of the company in this regard, Mr. Anderson's "Major Casey" and the songs by Mr. Miller being especially excellent.

Altogether the reunion of the Chatham and Newcastle curlers was a very well timed and happy one and we hope there will be many like it in the future.

Play is continued at Chatham Rink for the Nicol medal, the following is the second series having come off since last week:

RINKS.

D. Cheesman's	21	vs Robert Murray's	7
Geo. Watt's	15	" Jas. Johnston's	5
H. McKendy's	14	" A. S Ullocks'	9.

In the third series, D. Cheesman's won from Geo. Watt's by a score of 17 to 13.

Play for the valuable sterling silver cup presented by Jas. Robinson Esq., M. P began last night.

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Kipling's New Stories.

THE FIRST SUSTAINED WORK THAT HE HAS DONE SINCE HIS LONG ILLNESS.

Rudyard Kipling's first piece of sustained work since his illness last year turns out to be a series of humorous animal stories which are said to show all the freshness and zest of a man who has had a long rest. Kipling loves to write an animal story better than anything else, and when his physicians allowed him to return to work he instinctively turned to this *series* which he had had in mind for years. There are nine stories, and each one is supposed to tell the origin of the most conspicuous part of the animal portrayed. Thus, in "The Elephant's Child" he tells a most droll story of how the elephant happened to get a trunk, and in "The Sing Song of the Old Man Kangaroo" he gives the history of how the kangaroo got his long legs, for, Mr. Kipling says, there was a time when elephants had no trunks, and kangaroos' legs were not as long as they are now. The stories, it is said, show Mr. Kipling at his very best. They are expressively funny and have that rare quality of appealing to old as well as young. The author has sent the entire series to The Ladies' Home Journal, and that magazine will begin their publication in its next issue.

The Chatham Patriotic Entertainment.

Satisfactory progress in the preparations for the proposed patriotic entertainment is made, and its full success assured. The committee appointed for the purpose met on Saturday and arranged a programme to be submitted to the general committee at its meeting which was held on Tuesday afternoon. The Mayor who was present on Saturday acquiesced in a suggestion that the free use of the Town Council Chamber be granted for rehearsals up to the time of the entertainment and said he would bring the matter before the Aldermen.

Mr. F. W. Harrison was chosen as conductor of the rehearsals and to have the direction of the musical part of the programme, Miss Bonnette, assisted by the secretary to manage the stage at and in the preparations for the entertainment.

About forty-five ladies and gentlemen met at the Town Hall on Monday evening for rehearsal, the members of the Town Council giving loyal evidence of their desire to assist the undertaking by holding their regular monthly meeting in the court room, so that the large council chamber was at the disposal of the singers.

Under Mr. Harrison's effective direction, and with Miss Lilian Snowball as accompanist, the chorus was well drilled in one of the numbers of the programme, from Faust. Another rehearsal took place last evening, and these meetings for practice are to take place regularly on Monday evenings at 7.30 and Wednesday evenings at 8.30 until the time of the entertainment.

Mr. Harrison, on behalf of the committee said, on Monday evening at the close of the rehearsal, that it was desirable to have all the good voices that could be procured for the choruses and he asked those present—who were, principally, from the different town choirs—to bring with them any friends who could sing, had good musical ears and could read music fairly well.

There was a general committee meeting at the Town Hall on Tuesday afternoon at four o'clock. The Mayor was unavoidably absent and Ald. W S Loggie was chosen chairman and Mr. D. G. Smith secretary.

The secretary gave a resume of the provisional work that had been already done with a view of getting up an entertainment and he submitted the programme prepared, for the meeting's criticism or approval.

On motion of Rev. G M. Young it was voted that the entertainment be given and on motion of Mr. Nicol the programme submitted was approved.

The question as to the particular fund to which the proceeds of the entertainment should go was discussed at some length.

Rev. D. Henderson moved a resolution favoring the Canadian Patriotic fund, seconded by Rev. Father Joyner.

Mr W. B. Snowball, seconded by R. A. Lawlor, Esq., moved that they go to the Provincial fund, to aid in placing the New Brunswick men of the second contingent in the same position as those of the first.

The question was debated in excellent and courteous spirit, Rev. Messrs. Henderson, Joyner and McLean favoring Mr. Henderson's resolution, while Messrs. W. B. Snowball, R. A. Lawlor, Dr J. B. Benson, Rev. Canon Forsyth, Rev. G. M. Young, J. F. Connors, Esq., Mr. Nicol, Dr. Cox and others favored the amendment. The leading idea with all seemed to be to have whatever might be raised go to those who would be most in need of it by reason of their breadwinners going to the aid of the Empire in the war.

The amendment was finally carried by quite a large majority.

The price of admission to the entertainment was discussed and it was urged that as it was a patriotic affair and our patriotism ought not to be a cheap one, an all-round fee of 50 cents should be fixed upon, with all the seats reserved and numbered. A motion to this effect was moved by Dr. Cox and carried.

There was a desire on the part of some present that the entertainment take place after Easter, but a motion by Rev. Father Joyner to have it on 19th April was finally withdrawn, it being ascertained that some of the intended participants having important duties to discharge in connection with the musical portion of the programme were to leave town for several months about 30th inst.—and the date was fixed for Thursday, 29th inst.

A decoration committee, whose duty it would be to arrange for the Masonic Hall and have it decorated for the occasion, was appointed as follows:—

H. J. Thornton, Howard McKendy, P. H. C. Benson, J. J. Noonan, Alex. McEwan and Joseph Arsenault.

Mr. Snowball said he would provide the necessary fuel for the Masonic Hall for the occasion.

Messrs. R. A. Lawlor, W. B. Snowball and John McDonald were appointed a printing committee.

Messrs. C. P. Hickey and Wilber McLean were appointed ushers, and the selection was left to them of others to act with them in that capacity.

It was unanimously decided that there would be no free admissions whatever to any seat in the hall. The ladies who give their services on the stage will be privileged in this regard, although many of them thought they would like to pay.

Chairman Loggie said he thought that, as this would be an exceptional occasion, the seats of the Town Hall chairs would be permitted to help out with the reserved seats at the entertainment.

Adjourned.

Hon. Provincial Secretary's Budget Speech.

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THE DEBT.

Referring to the debt of the Province Mr. Tweedie said he wished to make a complete statement regarding the finances of the Province, and had no desire to hide anything. The net debt of the Province on October 31, 1899, was $2,736,298.19. On Oct. 31, 1898, the net debt was $2,621,867.26 or an increase during the year of $114,430.93. That increase is made up as follows.—3 per cent. debentures issued for redemption £22,000 Stg., $447 733.33, less 4 per cent. debentures redeemed, $12,500, which leaves $26,233.33. That is to say, we had to issue $447,733.33 to 3 per cent. bonds to redeem $421,500 of 4 per cent. bonds, which increases the debt by $26,233.33. Then we issued 3 per cent. bonds as follows: wharves and grain elevator St. John $2500; Eaton wharf, Charlotte Co., $2000; Restigouche and Western Railway $25,000; Black Brook and Nelson Branches $4000; Gulf Shore Railway $7000; over expenditure Lunatic Asylum $4516 70; over expenditure Board of Works increased $77,453 72; Equity Court deposits $571 42; old Savings Bank claim paid by Dominion Government $774 51, which makes a total of $150,049.63. Deduct from this surplus on current revenue, ordinary transactions during the year $14,595.12, cash from sale of 3 per cent debentures held to meet 4 per cent debentures called in and not presented, $8362.93, invested in sinking funds during the year, $1089.45, balance of outstanding coupons reduced $2471.25, making a total of $35,618 75, which shows a net increase of $114,430 93 for the year. The bonded indebtedness has only been increased by reason of previous year's transactions and no part of the increase is due to anything arising during the past year.

In conclusion, Mr. Tweedie said he had given a full and complete statement of the Province. Last year the leader of the opposition seemed to think that he [Tweedie] in making his financial statement should go back to previous years and make comparisons between the expenditures under other Governments and the present Government. That was not his [Tweedie's] intention. This Government does not claim the confidence of the people by reason of the mistakes of former Governments. It desires to be judged on its own individual merits and by its own policy, and by that policy will stand or fall [Applause.] Our policy is to march abreast of the times and to be always ready to meet the public requirements under the changing conditions that are ever taking place. We have endeavored during the past year to administer the affairs of the Province well. We have endeavored to promote the interests and welfare of its people, and aid as far as possible every industry established for the benefit of the province. This Government is not a timid Government. If industries require assistance, we are going to take hold and do the best we can for them. We have not in the past—we do not in the future—intend to bury the people's talent in the earth. We understand the country is progressing, and we must progress with it, and therefore our aim is to pursue such a policy as will develop and stimulate to the fullest extent all the industries of the country, and promote and further the welfare of its people. [Loud applause.]

After recess the debate was continued by Messrs. Hazen, Barnhill, Laforest, Pugsley Labillois.

[We shall endeavor to find room for further reference to this debate next week.]

Shortly after midnight Mr. Lawson moved the adjournment of the debate.

A despatch of Tuesday to the ADVANCE says:

Hon. Mr. Emmerson introduced bill authorizing a revision and consolidation of the Statutes of the Province.

Under the bill the lieutenant governor in council is authorized and empowered to appoint and employ one or more competent persons, not exceeding three, as commissioners to consolidate and revise the acts of Assembly in this Province, and to report the result of their doings to the lieutenant governor in council, embracing therein the revision and consolidation of the public acts of assembly to be by the Lieutenant Governor in council laid before the legislative assembly within 2 years from the date hereof for the consideration and action of the said assembly. The said commissioners are hereby authorized to employ a clerk or stenographer to assist in the performance of the work. Any member of the legislative assembly shall be eligible to be appointed, employed and act on such commission without thereby vacating his seat in the legislature or being or becoming subject to any disability, disqualification or forfeiture attaching to a contractor with the government or any department thereof, under the provisions of chapter 3 of the acts of assembly 52nd Victoria or any law in force within the province for the purpose of having performed and carried out the objects sought to be attained by that act.

The Act is to expire in June, 1902.

Mr. Porter, seconded by Mr. Barnes, moved a resolution favoring the taking over by the government the telephone service of the province, with a view of extending and lowering the rates of same.

Mr. Speaker suggested verbal amendments of the resolution in order to bring it more within the rules and these being made the matter was discussed.

Hon. Messrs. Emmerson and Pugsley thought there was not sufficient information before the House on the subject, and that the resolution should not be pressed to a vote.

Mr. Porter said his object was to bring the matter before the government, the House and the country, and, having done so he would withdraw the resolution.

The coroner bill was further considered and, at six o'clock, progress was reported with leave to sit again.

The house then adjourned till to-morrow.

Salmon Angling Leases.

The Crown Lands Department of the government of the Province of New Brunswick, announces the leasing by public sale of a number of Salmon-fishing privileges. The sale is to take place at the Crown Land Office, Fredericton, on Friday, 23rd March, instant. The term for which the leases will run will be two years from 1st March, and they will vest in the purchasers the exclusive right of fishing in the waters leased. The sale will embrace seven rivers, or parts of rivers, some of them amongst the best in the province. An upset price is placed by the government on each lease. The Fishery Commissioner for the Province gives the following particulars for the information of enquirers.

The Upsalquitch from the Forks to the head, which is placed at an upset of $50, embraces all the waters of all branches above the Forks, exclusive of the Lakes at heads of branches; there are about twenty miles of salmon-fishing and fully thirty of trout-fishing, besides, not reckoning the smaller tributaries.

The main Restigouche, from Quatawamkedgwick to Victoria County line, is placed at an upset of $50. This will give the lessee about twelve miles of the main river, and a part of the Gounimits, with the famous trout-fishing of the latter and lakes.

The Quatawamkedgwick and its branches, which are placed at an upset of $150, is a very fine salmon river. It has seventy miles good fishing water, its good salmon pools extending about thirty-five miles.

The Nepisguit is—as every angler who has fished in New Brunswick knows—one of the best salmon rivers of Canada. The part of it embraced in this sale, at an upset of $250 comprises about one half of its salmon waters—the stretch from Eleven Mile Tree, upwards to the Great Falls—in which some of its most famous pools, such as Black Rapid, Gordon Brook, Long Meadow, Horse-back, Bear Island, Lower Gordon, Red Pine, Camp, Basin, etc. besides a dozen others are situated. The Lower Gordon Pool, for instance is about a quarter of a mile long.

The permanent camp included in this Nepisguit lease consists of three shingle-roof buildings, ice house, store, etc. That for the anglers is 45x15 ft. divided into three sections, which are dining room and ladies' and gentlemen's sleeping rooms respectively. The guides' quarters are in a similar building 35x15. The kitchen is 15x15 ft. The camp group is very conveniently arranged as to relative positions.

The Sevogle waters, which are put at an upset of $150 have about 65 miles of fishing—the salmon-fishing of the main Sevogle alone being twenty miles. The famous Clearwater is one of the branches included in the Sevogle lease. There is a permanent government camp at the Square Forks near the big pool, in which salmon can be counted by the score from the rocks above.

The Renous, the upset of which is $50, has always been reckoned amongst the good salmon rivers of New Brunswick. Its fishing stretches are over fifty miles in length, while its branches and lake system—all of which are embraced in the lease—offer unsurpassed trout-fishing.

Green River, offered at an upset of $50, is one of the great trout streams of the upper St. John. It has over 40 miles of good trout-fishing besides a system of lakes of great beauty, which afford fine angling.

The sale of 23rd March at Fredericton, therefore, will be very attractive to anglers affording, as it does, a rare opportunity to secure some of the best salmon waters in Canada. Enquiries addressed the Hon. Surveyor-General, Fredericton, or the Fishery Commissioner, Chatham, New Brunswick, will be promptly replied to.

Terrible Suffering from Asthma

Mrs. J. Wethom of Mount Forest, Ont., says: "For a number of years I have been a sufferer from Asthma, and during that time I have consulted many doctors on my case, and have used many of the so-called cures for Asthma, but never got relief. At times I have been so bad that I found it necessary to have all the doors and windows open to get my breath. I had given up in despair of ever being cured till I heard of your preparation—Catarrhozone. I have used it and am now perfectly cured—thanks to your wonderful medicine. I recommend it as a positively sure cure for Asthma." Catarrhozone is a guaranteed cure for Catarrh, Asthma and Bronchitis. Sold by all druggists. Trial outfit sent for 10c in stamps by N. C. POLSON & CO., Kingston, Ont., Proprietors.

DIED.

At Montreal on the 27th Feb., Annetti C. Benedict, widow of Newton Benedict, of Washington, D. C., and mother of J. S. Benedict, U. S. Consul of Campbellton, New Brunswick. Interment at Auburn, N. Y.

Public Notice.

Public Notice is hereby given that a Bill will be presented for enactment at the present session of the Provincial Legislature to authorize the Town of Chatham to acquire the properties, works and franchises of any companies incorporated to supply gas, electricity and electric current for light, and any other purposes for which the same may be used which necessitates the use of the streets and thoroughfares of the Town, and to authorize an issue of bonds of the Town of Chatham to purchase same, subject to approval of a majority vote of the ratepayers at a meeting to be called for that purpose as provided by section 15 of 59th Victoria Chapter 46.

Dated at Chatham, N. B., the twentieth day of February A. D. 1900.

WARREN C. WINSLOW,
Mayor of the Town of Chatham, N. B.

NOTICE.

A public meeting of the rate-payers of the Town of Chatham will be held in the Masonic Hall in the said Town on

MONDAY, THE 12th INSTANT, AT 7.30 P. M.

to obtain their approval of a proposed issue of bonds to acquire the property, works, rights and franchises of the Chatham Electric Light Company, or the properties, works and franchises of any other company incorporated for the purpose of generating and supplying gas or electricity within the said town.

Dated this 3rd day of March, A D 1900.

WARREN C. WINSLOW, Mayor.

Assessors' Notice.

The Assessors of rates for the Parish of Chatham having received warrants for the assessment on the said parish for the following amounts

On the Parish for	County	Contingencies	$2595.20
" "	"	" School Fund	2800.50
" "	"	" Alms House	1195.20
" "	"	" support of pauper Lunatics	159.75
" "	"	" Scott Act purposes	15.14
		Total	$6714.99

hereby request all persons liable to be taxed in said parish to bring to the Assessors within thirty days from date a true statement of their property and income liable to be assessed.

The Assessors also give notice that their valuation list when completed will be on view at the store of G. Stothart.

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S. WADDLETON,
W. DAMERY,
} Assessors.

Chatham, March 3rd, 1900.

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Tenders will not be considered unless made on the form supplied, and signed with the actual signatures of tenderers.

An accepted bank cheque payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works, for *thirteen hundred dollars* ($1300.00) must accompany each tender. The cheque will be forfeited if the party declines the contract or fail to complete the work contracted for, and will be returned in case of non-acceptance of tender.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order,
JOS. R. ROY,
Acting Secretary.

Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, 24th February 1900.

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CROWN LAND OFFICE, 24 JULY, 1899.

The attention of all holders of Timber Licenses is called to Section 19 of the Timber Regulations which reads as follows:—

"19 No Spruce or Pine trees shall be cut by any Licensee under any License, not even for piling, which will not make a log at least 18 feet in length and ten inches at the small end; and if any such shall be cut, the Lumber shall be liable to double stumpage and the License be forfeited"

and all Licensees are hereby notified, that for the future, the provisions of this section will be rigidly enforced

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