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THE PROVINCIAL RIFLE ASSOCIATION MATCHES were begun at Sussex on Tuesday. In the Nursery and Maiden, and the All-Comers matches—the first and second shot—Capt. C. J. Mersereau of the 73rd. was a prize winner.

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FORGERY:—Fred S. Whittaker, of St. John was before Judge Forbes on Tuesday, 14th, charged with forgery, Hon. L. J. Tweedie, acting attorney general, appearing for the Crown. The prisoner pleaded guilty to fifteen charges, and was sentenced to five years in Dorchester penitentiary on one charge, sentence in the others being deferred. The clemency of the court towards the guilty man was petitioned for by a large number of prominent citizens, his life having been an exemplary one before he gave way to the temptations which led to his forgeries.

ST. LUKE'S CHURCH SUNDAY SCHOOL picnic at Beaubear's Island on Thurday last was very largely attended and very enjoyable. The adult members of the congregation took advantage of the occasion for an outing, and the games and other exercises, in which Mr. Abbott was an efficient director, were very interesting. The leading ladies of the church were active in providing for the entertainment of the little ones as well as supplying refreshments for other picnickers, and it was satisfactory that the rain which threatened in the afternoon, held off until the happy gathering had got safely home.

MR. J. L. MURRAY'S DEATH:—A Doaktown despatch of 17th says: — The death occurred here last evening of Mr. John L. Murray, of the Murray Hotel and one of the best known men in New Brunswick. He had been a sufferer for some time from cancer and his death was not unexpected by his family and immediate friends. He was 71 years of age and leaves a widow, one son and two daughters.

Mr. Murray was for many years prominently engaged in lumbering upon the Southwest Miramichi and was a well known and highly esteemed business man. His removal by the hand of death will be greatly mourned in this community.

DEATH OF A KENT CO. LADY:—News has been received of the death at Kingston, N. Y. of Mrs. Bowser, wife of Dr. Jas. C. Bowser of that place. Mrs. Bowser was formerly Miss Bessie Walker, of Bass River Kent county, and a former student of the Ladies College, Sackville. Dr. Bowser is a native of Kingston, Kent county, and practiced his profession in Sackville for a number of years, but about four years ago was compelled by the illness of himself and Mrs. Bowser to move to the United States. Since then he has been a very successful eye and ear specialists for a while in New York city and subsequently at Kingston, the old capital of the state.

THE TRANSFER OF MISS. HUTCHISON'S PROPERTY, better known as the sailors' home, situate on St. James street, has been completed and it is now owned by the Salvation Army. The army will use the building as a Rescue Home and Maternity Hospital. The building is well fited for the work, and requires very little alteration, the changing of a door or so, to make it fit for both institutions. It will also be a saving to the army from a financial point of view. Now two buildings have to be maintained, with separate staffs of officers, and when placed under one roof only one set of officers and attendants will be required for the management. The place, too, will give the army greater scope for the good work they have undertaken in rescuing those who have strayed from the path of virtue.—Globe 21st.

PERSONAL:—Hon. L. J. Tweedie who spent most of last week in St. John on Crown business, as acting attorney-general, came home on Saturday night and returned on Tuesday to resume the hearing of the Vincent case.

The St. John Globe says:—"Misses Emma and Helen Burns, of Bathurst, are visiting Mrs. J. D. Maher, Douglas avenue. Miss Helen Burns will start this evening for Liverpool, England, to visit Mrs. Verne. She will take a trip to Killarney before returning."

Rev. J. J. Nugent of St. Basil was amongst the clergymen at Bathurst last week. He was warmly greeted by many old friends.

Miss Lillian Snowball left Chatham for St. John on Tuesday morning, accompanying Miss Deforest, who has been spending a few weeks at Wellington Villa here, and whose guest Miss Lillian will be in St. John for a short time.

Messrs. W. S. Loggie and D. G. Smith, who attended the meeting of the Maritime Board of Trade in Kentville last week as delegates from the Chatham Board, returned home on Saturday night.

Mr. John Woods, who had lately been visiting his daughter, Mrs. Henry Creighton, Dartmouth, returned to Chatham on Saturday night.

Mr. R. C. John Dunn, architect of the new Chatham school building in course of erection, was in town yesterday.

Miss Janet Russell, formerly of the ADVANCE office, and now on the office staff of the Brooklyn Eagle, is paying a welcome visit to her Chatham relatives and friends.

Miss Mary Leonard, another graduate of the ADVANCE office, also spent her summer vacation with her parents here. She returned to Boston yesterday.

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.

Presentation.

Mr. F. O. Petterson, who has been engaged for some time in erecting a fine building in Sydney, where he has established himself in the tailoring business—although still retaining an interest in that which he has so long conducted in Chatham—returned last week for the purpose of removing his family to the "Pittsburg of Nova Scotia." He has for six or seven years been actively associated with the work of St. Luke's Methodist Church here, and last evening, after the regular prayer meeting, he was made the recipient of a valuable cane, bearing the inscription "Presented to F. O. Petterson, Esq, by St. Luke's." The presentation was made in behalf of the congregation by W. B. Snowball, Esq.

Mr. Petterson and family leave for Sydney this morning. He has proved himself an excellent citizen, and he and his family bear with them to their new home the best wishes of a wide circle of friends.

A License Act Investigation.

There has been quite a little stir in St. John over the incidents of an investigation which Hon. L. J. Tweedie, acting attorney general, has been holding in connection with charges preferred against Geo. R. Vincent, county license inspector, by several people in St. Martins and H. P. Allingham of Fairville. Mr. Vincent is accused of non-enforcement of the License Act. They accuse Mr. Vincent of being derelict in his duty and with knowingly permitting violations of the act in both Lancaster and St. Martins. Those who had to do with formulating the charges complained that there have been open violations of the act which the inspector should have known and could have stopped. The law provides that prosecutions shall be made before a magistrate. It was charged that this was not always done—that persons reported for violation of the law were not required to appear before a magistrate, but were able, by paying the fine to the chief inspector, to save themselves that trouble.

Counsel appeared on both sides, and there was quite an array of witnesses and the court's sittings were of something more than the usual length, as Mr. Tweedie seemed to be determined to have the matter thoroughly enquired into.

Bathurst.

AUGUST 15.

Mr. W. A. Cragg, teller of the Merchants' Bank of Halifax here, has been transferred to the Newcastle branch of the same bank and left for there this morning. Mr. Cragg has been here six years and goes away with the best wishes of a host of friends, who wish him every success.

Mrs. Wm. A. Hickson, of Newcastle, and family, who have been spending the summer here, left for home to-day.

The annual retreat of the Catholic clergy of the diocese of Chatham was held at the Church of the Sacred Heart, Bathurst, commencing on Tuesday of last week and terminated yesterday. Forty-three clergymen were in attendance. The retreat was given by Father Turgeon, S. J., superior of St. Mary's College, Montreal. His Lordship Bishop Rogers was present a portion of the time. The clergy yesterday, after concluding their labors, availed themselves of the hospitality of Mr. F. Curran, of Messrs. Sumner & Co., to a trip across the bay in their fine steam tug Nyanza to Pavpebiac. They returned last night greatly pleased, having enjoyed themselves very much. The weather was perfect.

18th.

The Rev. W. F. Purcell, assistant to Rt. Rev. Bishop Barry, at Bathurst, returned home on Thursday evening. Father Purcell went to St. John on Wednesday to attend the marriage of his friend, Capt. Mulcahey, of the Thompson Line Str., Louctra. At the wedding breakfast the rev. gentleman made a happy speech, extolling the many excellent qualities of the gallant captain.

Recent Weddings.

The residence of Mrs. Flora E. Nelson, Campbellton, was the scene of an interesting event on Wednesday of last week, when her niece, Miss Christina Jean McBeath, was united in marriage with Mr. Gordon C. Adams, of Metapedia. The bride was attired in cream silk crepon and carried a pretty bouquet and wore orange blossoms. She was unattended. Rev. J. E. Ives officiated. The bride, who was the eldest daughter of Mr. W. G. McBeath, of Tide Head, was the recipient of many beautiful and costly presents, among them being a hall rack of solid oak presented by Mrs. Nelson's boarders.

A very pretty wedding took place at Richibucto on Wednesday morning at the residence of Robert H. Davis, Esq., when his daughter, Miss Maud, was united in marriage to Rev. York A. King, of Providence, R I. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Mr. Parabley, of Moncton. After the ceremony, breakfast was served to about thirty guests. Quite a large party of friends accompanied the bride and groom as far as Kent Junction with the usual attention of showers of rice. The bride's going away gown was of deep lilac broadcloth and hat of yellow straw trimmed with violets. Mr. and Mrs. King will spend the honeymoon in P. E. I., after which they will reside in Providence, R. I. The bride was the recipient of many handsome presents.

Capt. Mulcahey, of the Battle line steamer Leuctra, and Miss Maud Driscoll, eldest daughter of Mr. John M. Driscoll, of Lancaster, St. John, were married last Thursday morning at the Church of the Assumption, Carleton. The bride's sister, Miss Gertie Driscoll, was bridesmaid, and the groom was supported by Mr. D. Mullin. After the ceremony, Capt. Mulcahey and his bride came to Chatham, but have returned and are now on the Leuctra crossing the Atlantic.

The Biggest Trout.

There has been a good deal of talk amongst the angling fraternity of late over a big trout—a simon-pure speckled trout—taken in Newfoundland, which it is alleged weighed 24lbs. A paragraph on the subject which is going the rounds of the papers says "it was brought to North Sydney by steamer Bruce from Newfoundland a few days ago. The trout was captured by an American gentleman in one of the luxuriant pools of the celebrated Codroy river. It weighed 24 pounds, girted 21 inches and measured 3 feet 8 inches from head to tail The trout is being stuffed by Ivan A. Bayley, North Sydney's taxidermist. It took three and one half hours to kill it with salmon gear. No better evidence of Newfoundland's famous trout fishery could possibly be procured. The trout will undoubtedly find its way into some museum where it will serve to advertise the ancient colony as a famous tourist resort.

[Revelstoke Herald Aug 14th]

A Pioneer Vancouver Journalist.

The Vancouver Independent speaking of Mr. John M. O'Brien, who is a brother of Mr. O'Brien, of the C. P. R. staff here says:

The leaving of Mr. John M. O'Brien, B. A., (U. N. B.) one of the pioneer journalists of this city, for the home of his youth at Bathurst, N. B., last Thursday, was a most regrettable and touching incident, under the sad circumstances. "J. M.'s" health is broken, through continual over-work at his desk, and he may never completely regain it. The writer, who worked with him for eleven years, never knew an abler or more painstaking and systematic editor. Like hundreds of other brilliant newspaper and magazine writers of to-day, who earn their livelihood by their pens, and whose worth and ability are unknown to the outside world, his works are only known as anonymous or someone else not entitled to it gets the credit for them. Mr. O'Brien was a Canadian born, a staunch free-trader and Liberal in politics. In 1879 he passed as barrister at the Supreme Court of New Brunswick, the same year as did his college chum, Charles G. D. Roberts, Canada's famous poet, to whom he always was warmly attached. Mr. O'Brien practiced law with Mr. N. A. Landry at Bathurst, under the firm name of Landry and O'Brien. He took to journalism in 1878, when he wrote for the CHATHAM ADVANCE, very able political articles in the interest of the election of Hon. Mr. Anglin, speaker of the House of Commons. Becoming a writer of no mean ability he joined the Associated Press of New York, after which he came to the Pacific coast and attached himself to the Call and also the Examiner at San Francisco. Before arriving in Vaucouver in 1888, when he joined the staff of The World, he was associate editor of the Victoria Colonist, with the Hon. Mr. Higgins as his chief. J. M. was a friend of the weak and a generous, whole-souled, but yet sensitive man. A large number of his old-time personal friends bade him good-bye at the station, wishing him a safe return journey.

Fatality on the Canada Eastern Railway.

BRAKEMAN OLIVER FOREMAN OF GIBSON KILLED AND CONDUCTOR ANDREW CROOKSHANK, OF FREDERICTON SERIOUSLY INJURED.

Canada Eastern freight train, No. 3, left Fredericton on Tuesday morning for Chatham at the usual hour, in charge of conductor Andrew Crookshank, with engineer Nicholas Ivory and brakemen Oliver Foreman and Peter Keenan. At McNames siding there was a parcel to be put off for Miss Jacobs and, according to custom, when there was no passenger or heavy freight to be put off there, a flying delivery was made, the parcel being dropped at the siding as the train went by. The rate of speed was, perhaps, about twenty miles an hour and when the parcel was dropped out of the side door of the van the conductor naturally looked behind to see that it was safely landed and taken up. As conductor Crookshank was doing this, breakman Foreman also put his head out of the door for the same purpose, and as he was forward of Crookshank he was obliged to lean out further from the side of the car to see. Brakeman Keenan was just within the car at the time, and he suddenly saw Foreman thrown back against Crookshank and disappear outside the car. He seized Crookshank, who had also received a blow and saved him from following the other brakeman.

The alarm was given, the train was brought to a stop and backed to where Foreman lay. He had been struck on the back of the head and, instantly killed, When he was knocked from the car door he went the remainder of the car's length before he touched the ground. His head was badly broken. Conductor Crookshank evidently came in contact with the same obstruction that killed Foreman, for he too was badly injured in the back of the head and he also, no doubt, would have been thrown from the car had not Keenan prevented it by seizing him. As it was he was completely stunned.

It appears that on the trip towards Fredericton on Monday this same train crew left a flat car loaded with telephone poles on the McNamee Siding. It was properly put on, but it is said the stakes were flaring so that the load projected well outside of the line of the sides of the car, especially at the top. It was one of these poles with which the heads of the trainmen came in contact and which they did not see as they were looking rearwards towards the parcel thrown out.

The body of Foreman was taken up and placed on the train and the run to Doaktown made as soon as possible, for conductor Crookshank was unconscious and dangerously hurt. Arriving there he was taken to Mrs Murray's hotel and attended by Dr. Weir, but he did not regain consciousness until yesterday morning. He said that all after the time he went to the car door the day before was a blank to him. We understand that Dr Weir is quite hopeful of his recovery unless some complication intervenes. Foreman was an unmarried man who lived at Gibson with his widowed mother. Crookshank is a son of Mr. Otty Crookshank of the Auditor General's office, Fredericton.

The Acadians' Fete.

Press despatches from Arichat, C. B. as well as accounts from those who were present in that interesting old town, and were returning on the Maritime express train last Saturday to points in the upper provinces, indicate that the occasion of the assemblage of Acadians in their last week's convention, was an important and enjoyable event. Quite a number of noted Canadian Frenchmen, with their wives, daughters or other lady friends participated in the gathering. The opening day of the convention was, of course, the most interesting to the public. A despatch of 15th says:—The downpour of rain yesterday had given place to glorious sunshine, and the heat was tempered by refreshing sea breezes. A flotilla of steamers arrived in the morning that were detained at Canso and Mulgrave by the storm. Sir Wilfrid and Lady Laurier, accompanied by Mr. Lavergne, M. P. for Arthabaskaville, H. J. Logan, D. C. Fraser and other members of parliament came from Mulgrave on the government cruiser Constance. The cruiser Acadia brought a large number, including the Shediac band, unable to obtain passage by the regular boats from Mulgrave. The steamer Amelia brought 200 Acadians from the Magdalen Islands. The Quebec province delegation numbered about one hundred. Altogether there were about 600 Acadians from outside points at Arichat, while the total attendance ran into the thousands. The town was resplendent in bunting and flags, the tri-color with the Acadian star being of course predominant.

It was 10 o'clock when Sir Wilfrid Laurier landed, and he and Lady Laurier, with Miss Livergne, were driven immediately to the parish church, where a solemn high mass was celebrated. The premier was given a seat of honor in the centre aisle, Senator Poirior of New Brunswick on his right, and Judge Landry of Dorchester, N. B, on his left. Rev. Father Cormier of Memramcook officiated at the mass, assisted by Rev. Mr. Hebert and Rev. Mr. Mombrouquette. Among others who took part were Rev. Mgr. Dugas of New York, Rev. Mgr. Richard of Three Rivers and Rev. Father Quinan of Arichat. The sermon was preached by Rev. Father Dagnaud, superior of St. Anne's College, Digby. It was an eloquent discourse in French, and held the closest attention of the congregation which crowded the large and prettily decorated church.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier was cheered as he stepped from the boat to the shore, and as he drove through the succession of arches on the way to the church he was given a hearty greeting. At the foot of the hill on which is built the Church L'Assomption, a church which bears the name of the national festival of the Acadians, was an arch bearing the only non French motto. It was in Latin: "Fratres in unum," on either side of which were those other mottoes in French: "The Faith of Our Ancestors," and "The Language of Our Forefathers"

The French Acadians, as represented in this maritime convention, know the value of time, for in two hours after the religious service had concluded Senator Poirier called to order the large open air meeting that had assembled in front of the Academy building.

The senator read an address to Sir Wilfrid Laurier, in which he was welcomed as the national representative of the French race in Canada, and was thanked for his presence. The senator, before calling the premier to reply, expressed his gratitude to those who had come from Quebec and the United States.

Sir Wilfred Laurier, in responding, spoke for a little more than a half hour in French. He thanked the convention for their invitation. He dwelt on the value of Canada to the whole world, of the French-Canadians of Quebec and of the French-Acadians of the east of Canada, the former with John the Baptist as their patron saint, the latter with the Holy Virgin. He was not present, he said, as a politician, but as a born French man, not to take part in the private discussions of the convention, but to pay his tribute to this Acadian celebration to-day. We should forget parts and think of but one thing, our country and the part the French race shall take in developing it. A principle with the Acadians today might well be to number themselves, to measure their forces, to cultivate those ideas which our blood and race so vitally recall. He knew of no more beautiful sentiment than the French Acadians' love of country. They have a history, sad in many ways, but this was not the time to retrace its painful features, to open old wounds. It was rather a time to look to the future. French Acadians have never forgotten, they never should forget, the benign influence that the church has exercised in the history of the race, nor allow to fade from recollection the heroes who had done so much for this country. He would quote one heroic name, that of Abbe Sigogne, and with that name he would couple Haliburton, champion of the rights of the Acadians. The French missionary and the English writer had been hand in hand in good work. Instead of race hatred and division, union, religion and education, vital interests should be cared for, and it was essential that Acadians should add to a knowledge of French a thorough understanding of English. He intimated that there are in the maritime provinces 100,000 Acadians, and our mission as Acadians and as Canadians should be the upbuilding of a united nation, though of divers races and creeds, a temple erected to the God of justice and liberty. Sir Wilfred said he had been asked to speak briefly in English for the benefit of some who knew not French, and he remarked that having been brought up under the British constitution, respecting the supremacy of the law, the law today was that on this occasion French speeches must predominate. Whether he spoke in French or English, he would speak first, last and always for Canada. We should bend our energies to make Canada one of the foremost nations of the earth. We can do it, for we have the brain, the muscle and the natural resources. Nova Scotia was the banner province of the Dominion, not in territories nor in population, but in the absolute absence within its borders of racial prejudice. Every man was proud of his origin, but all were ready to give their fellows these rights that they claimed for themselves. When he visited France he would find it his duty to tell the people that above all the rest of the dominion Nova Scotia possessed true liberality of spirit.

Adolphe Poisseau, registrar of Arthabaskaville, read in French an original poem of 400 line, written for this occasion. It was "Stanzas to Lawrence." The idea was that Lawrence, under whom the Acadians were deported a century and a half ago, was asked to rise from his tomb and see how futile had been that expatriation, how Acadians were to-day great in numbers and strong in industry. On behalf of the French of Quebec he appealed to the Acadians of the maritime provinces to unite in work for the betterment of the French race all over this continent.

Other speakers were Rev. Mr. Dugas, vicar-general of St. Boniface; Abbe Gaudet of L'Epiphany, Rev. Father Joly of Winnipeg, J. A. Gilies, M. P. for Richmond, the county in which the convention is being held, Premier Murray of Halifax, Hon. Isidore Leblanc, Arichat; D. C. Fraser, M.P. for Guysboro; L. C. Belanger, Q. C., mayor of Sherbrooke, P. Q., and H. J. Logan of Cumberland. Judge Landry of Dorchester, N. B., spoke briefly, stating that he would reserve his address till to-morrow, when the Acadian convention will hold the first of its regular business meetings.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier and party left by the cruiser Constance on Thursday for Sydney to enjoy a trip through the Bras D'or lakes.

Arichat, C. B., Aug. 17.—On Thursday morning, a committee of the Acadian convention met in general session to hear the resolutions prepared the preceding night, Amongst these resolutions some touched on educational matters, others the press, and some were of religious interest. Speeches were made by Senator Poirier, Judge Landry and others. The greatest enthusiasm reigned when Prof. Jules M. Lucas of Halifax, moved, seconded by his honor Judge Landry, that the following telegram be sent to Her Majesty Queen Victoria.

"That we, the French Acadians assembled in general convention at Arichat, Cape Breton, profess unfaltering loyalty to the British crown, and as a token of our love for Her Majesty offer Her our condolence on the recent death of His Royal Highness the Prince of Saxe Cobourg."

Carroquet was selected as the meeting place for the next Convention. A President and several Vice-Presidents were appointed. Hon. Senator Poirier was again asked to fill the President's chair. Hon. A H. Comeau is first Vice-President for Nova Scotia; Hon. Isidore Leblanc, for Cape Breton; M. Marsonault, for P. E. Island; Dr. Delaney, for the Magdalen Islands; and T. Melanson, for New Brunswick. Dr. Bliveau of New Brunswick is Secretary and Judge Landry Treasurer.

From New Brunswick.

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Shipping News.

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Aug 15—Bk City of Agra, 988, Gondrup, London, F. E. Neale deals.

17—S S Vizcaina, 1370, McLean, Liverpool, F. Dyke deals.

20—Bk Armonia, 955, Tassara, Cartagena, J. B. Snowball Co. deals.

20—S S Glen Head, 994, Kennedy, Belfast, F. E. Neale deals.

DIED.

At Chatham, on Friday, August 17, 1900, Mrs. Andrew Casey, aged 38 years

PICNIC AND EXCURSION

Under the auspices of the C. M. B. A.

AT BLACKVILLE,

—ON—

Tuesday August 28th,

On Mr. Jacob Layton's Grounds near the Railway Station.

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Executors' Notice.

All persons having legal claims against the estate of Bartholomew Stapleton late of the Town of Chatham in the County of Northumberland, Blacksmith, deceased, are requested to present the same duly attested, within three months after this date, and all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned executors of said estate

Dated at Chatham this 21st day of August A. D. 1900.

D. CHESMAN,
E. D. STAPLETON. } Executors.

INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY.

TENDER FOR ENGINE HOUSE.

Sealed Tenders addressed to the undersigned and marked on the outside "Tender for Engine House at Stellarton," will be received until Seventeen o'clock, Eastern Standard Time,

FRIDAY, THE 31ST DAY OF AUGUST, 1900,

for the construction of an 18 stall Brick Engine House and a Brick Boiler House at Stellarton, N. S.

Plans and specifications may be seen on and after Saturday, the 18th day of August, 1900, at the Chief Engineer's Office, Moncton, N. B., and at the office of the Station Master at Stellarton, N. S., where forms of tender may be obtained.

All the conditions of the specifications must be complied with.

D. POTTINGER,
General Manager.

Railway Office,
Moncton, N. B, 9th August, 1900.

NOTICE.

A GENERAL MEETING of the Stockholders of the Miramichi Skating and Curling Rink Company will be held at the Waverley Hotel, Newcastle on Thursday the Sixteenth day of August next at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of taking into consideration the propriety of dissolving the said Company, disposing of the property and dividing the capital and property remaining among the stockholders, in proportion to their respective interests.

Dated Newcastle, 7th May, A.D. 1900.

JNO. FERGUSON,
Sec'y. Treasurer.

NOTICE.

All persons having legal claims against the estate of Sarah A. Cushman late of the Parish of Nelson in the County of Northumberland deceased, are requested to present the same duly attested within three months from date; and all persons indebted to the said estate are required to make immediate payment to the undersigned sole administratrix of said estate.

REBECCA J. ESSON,
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Nelson, 5th June, 1900.

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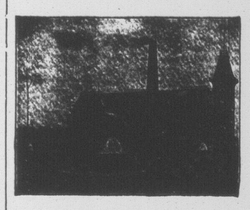

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6 10	3 03	Gibson	12 27	4 17
6 40	3 15	Marysville	12 15 p m	4 05
8 15	4 25	Cross Creek	10 50	2 00
9 47 ar / 10 05 lv	5 25	Boiestown	9 55 lv / 9 50 ar	12 35 pm
11 10	6 10 ar	Doaktown	9 00	lv 11 25 / ar 11 20
11 20	6 25 lv			
12 55 p m	7 25	Blackville	7 40	9 50
2 10	8 20 ar	Chatham Jct	6 40 lv	8 30
2 40	8 25 lv		6 25 ar	8 05
3 00	8 45	Nelson	6 00	7 45
3 10	9 05	Chatham	5 45	7 25
4 00 ar	9 20	Loggieville	5 30 a m	6 45 a m

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	Express.	Mixed
lv. Chatham,	11.50 p. m	1.00 p m.
Nelson	12.10 a m	1.20 "
Ar. Chatham Junc.,	12.30 "	1.40 "
Lv. " "	12.38 "	2.20 "
Nelson	1.18 "	2.40 "
Ar. Chatham,	1 40 "	3.00 "

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	Express.	Mixed
Chatham,	5.30 a. m.	9.10 a. m.
Nelson	5.50 "	9.30 "
Ar. Chatham Junction,	6.10 "	9.50 "
Lv. " "	6.40 "	10.25 "
Nelson	7.00 "	10.45 "
Ar. Chatham	7.20 "	11.05 "

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