Business Notice.

The ADVANCE office is open for business from 8 a. m. until 6 p. m. every week-day.

It is not open for delivery of papers in the evening. Town and local country subscribers will, therefore, please call for their papers at the delivery window before 6 p. m.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

The insertion of advertisements can only be insured each week by their reaching the office before 6 p. m. on Tuesdays.

Miramichi and the North Shore, etc.

MY STOCK of Overshoes has now arrived. Only six pairs last year's goods on hand. JAS. NICOL.

TABUSINTAC BRIDGE.—A correspondent complains that the draw of the Tabusintac bridge has not been repaired since it was injured by one of Messrs. Millers' scows. The bridge itself is also reported in bad order, so much so that an ox fell through it on 24th ult.

DIVORCE.—In the Abell vs. Abell divorce case a divorce *vinculo matrimonii* was granted by Judge Wetmore, at Fredericton, on Tuesday of last week. The plaintiff retains her dower, and Mr. Abell is debarred from tenancy by courtesy, costs to be paid by Mr. Abell.

NEW BRUNSWICKERS IN BOSTON.—A meeting of importance to Provincialists will be held under the auspices of the Maritime Provincial Association, at their rooms, No. 241, Tremont street, Boston, on Wednesday evening, 21st inst. All Provincialists in Boston and vicinity are cordially invited to attend. By order of the Committee, Frank Seamen, Clerk.

SCOTT ACT SUSTAINED.—After a lapse of over a year the Supreme Court of New Brunswick has arrived at a decision on the appeal cases of P. Farrell and E. A. Hickey against the legality of their conviction to pay a fine of fifty dollars for violation of the Canada Temperance Act, and has sustained the decisions of Wm. Masson, Esq., who tried the cases.—*Advocate.*

THE SQUARE.—According to the Montreal *Gazette*, of which the editor of the *World* is correspondent, it is to the *World* that we are indebted to for originating our Public Square improvements. Of course Mr. Wyse is mentioned, but then, he was only the instrument in the master's hand—the clay moulded by the potter—the block chiseled by the sculptor; the genius, the intellect that originated the great idea was the *World*. Blow ye the trumpet, blow!

FIRE.—Fire was discovered on Saturday night last about ten o'clock in the ell attached to the rear of the house on Henderson, near Water Street, occupied by pilot Allan McEachern. It burned quite briskly for a time, until the Steam Fire Engine got to work, which was long enough in all conscience. As there was no wind the flames were soon subdued. The building belonged to the Dunn estate and is said to have been insured for $500 in the Liverpool, London and Globe Company. Damage about $175.

TIME-LOCKS.—A clock work apparatus has been attached to the lock of the Bank of Montreal safe, so that it cannot be opened until the required time. This will prevent burglars who capture the manager, and make him disclose the combination, from unlocking the safe during the night.—*World.*

The above, is no doubt, an interesting item, but as no time lock or any other kind of new lock has been placed as stated our neighbor is, simply, ahead of time, by a month or so. It is probable that a lock such as that referred to will be placed as stated in about a month.

SAD.—Mr. Andrew G. Gorman, whose mind has been wandering for several weeks past, and who has been confined at the residence of his father, corner Britain and Wentworth streets, leaped out of the window of his house between 11 and 12 o'clock last night, having nothing on but his underclothing. He ran up to Dr. D. E. Berryman's office, and pulled the doctor out of bed, shouting that the basement was on fire. The doctor, seeing that he was insane, called in the police and he was taken to the lock-up. He appears to be suffering from religious monomania and declares he is burning up. He was sent to the Asylum this forenoon.—St. John *Globe*, 9th inst.

NEWCASTLE CURLING CLUB.—The adjourned meeting of the above club was held on Monday evening last. After some routine business was put through, the election of eleven new members being part of the business, the appointment of ten skips was proceeded with, the ballot resulting in the following gentlemen being elected by a majority of votes cast, viz:—R. A. Lawlor 25, James Brown 24, W. H. Buck 23, W. A. Park 22, R. Lee Street 20, J. R. Lawlor 19, T. W. Crocker 16, R. H. Gremley 16. John Ferguson 14. The offer of the Miramichi Skating Rink Co., to rent the curling rink to the club for the sum of $150 for the season was accepted unanimously.—*Advocate.*

WRECK OF THE BARQUE MINNIE GORDON.—A despatch received on Friday by Mr. George McLeod, the owner of the barque Minnie Gordon, advised him that that vessel had gone ashore on Cape North, during a gale from the north, on Wednesday, and would prove a total loss. She was bound from Miramichi for Queenstown for orders, laden with lumber, and was under the command of Capt. McIlgorm. She was built at Buctouche in 1875, and registered 640 tons. The Minnie Gordon was a fine vessel, in excellent condition, having a short time ago undergone extensive repairs, and was thoroughly well known among shippers as a remarkably fast sailer. Five passages across the Atlantic have been made in one year. There was $25,000 insurance on the vessel, $6,000 on the cargo and $2,000 on the freight.—*Telegraph.*

Death of Mrs. Roger Flanagan.

Much regret and sympathy are felt in the community over the death of the wife of Councillor Roger Flanagan, which took place at her residence, Chatham, on Monday evening last. She was well known and universally esteemed in both town and country. Her many friends will miss her cheerful greetings. The sick and poor have lost a sympathising and charitable friend, while her esteemed husband has the sympathy of all, not only in losing so estimable a wife, but in the practical breaking up of a happy home, he being left with only a little girl, just at the time when she most needs a mother's watchful care.

The funeral took place yesterday afternoon and the very large attendance was evidence of the general esteem in which the deceased lady was held.

The pall-bearers were Messrs. Henry A. Muirhead, Coun. Peter Loggie, R. F. Waddleton, Wm. Kerr, Wm. Connors and Daniel Crimmin. Rev. T. J. Bannon officiated at the Pro-Cathedral, to which the remains were first conveyed, and made appropriate references to the sad event and the worthiness of the deceased lady. He then proceeded with the burial service, the *Libra* being chanted by the choir, after which the remains were interred in the burial ground near the Cathedral.

The Public Square.

The tree-planting in the Chatham Public Square has been completed for this season, the following having been added since our *last* report,—

Mark McLaughlin, by sons.
Thos. McLaughlin, by Capt. Jackson.
Capt. Jackson, by Bessie McLaughlin.
Daniel Elkin and Jas. Elkin, by Mrs. Jas. Elkin.
Rev. Mr. McGuire, R. E. C., by T. H. Fleiger.
Maggie Fleiger, by T. H. Fleiger.
F. J. Letson, do.
Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Fleiger, do.
John Fleiger, do.
Margaret Kay Fenton, by her mother.
Alex. McDonald, by Benj. McDonald.
Isabella Moar, by James Moar.
Peter Moar, shipwright, do.
John Wilson, Derby, do.
Margaret J. Moar, do.
Father and Mother, by P. M. Jack.
Ira J. Jack, do.
Miss Kettle, by a friend.
Dr. J. Chalmers, by Miss Chalmers.
Annie Chalmers, by Minnie Morrison.
P. Dulhanty, by Mrs. Michael Keoghan.
Mrs. Daniel Crimmen and children, by Annie Harrington.
James and Susan Wyse, Douglastown, by Wm. Wyse.
Squire John Williston, by R. Carman.
Hon. Joseph Cunard, by J. Copping.
John Copping, Eng., by Mrs. Copping.
Esther Cripps, by Annie Cripps.
Geo. Cripps, by grandson, Wm. Cripps.
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Phillips, by Mrs. Geo. Tait.
Willie and Nettie, by Jane Marshall.
Mourdaunt Terry, by A. Leishman.
Mrs. Sophia Lloyd, by Miss Lloyd.
Rev. Mr. Fraser and wife, Ont., by R. H. Anderson.
Rev. Jas. Fowler, Toronto, and Robinson Crocker, by Committee.
H. B. Corkerell, Londonderry, Ireland, by Aggie Keenan.
W. J. Johnston, foundry, Mrs. Johnston.
R. C. Johnston, by Eliza Rae Johnston.
Elisha Turtelott, by A. C. Turtelott.
James Wilson, (shipwright,) by his son Thomas.
John Ferguson, sen., by Jas. Ferguson.
Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Armstrong, by Thomas Armstrong.
Peter Loggie, by his daughter Ellie M. Loggie.
Late Donald Robertson, Bay du Vin, by T. B. Williston.
Francis Hamlin, St. John, do.
R. M. Jack, Fredericton, do.
J. A. Fish, St. John, by J. L. Stewart.

A few lots are reserved for spring planting by those who have contributed them. They are nursery trees and will, it is thought, do better if planted in April or May.

The work now about completed reflects great credit on the Square committee—especially Messrs. Wm. Wyse and John Haviland, who have given a great deal of time to it. It is not to be expected that all the trees will take root and thrive, but those who have planted or ordered them to be planted will, no doubt, see that renewals are made for such as die. To this end the committee should have their plan and list prepared as soon as possible, so that those who have interested themselves in improving the Square and honoring their friends, may be enabled to fully carry out their undertaking as individuals. As we have had our arbor days this autumn we must expect to have our renewal days in the Spring.

Successful Entertainment.

An entertainment in aid of the St. Mary's S. S. Library fund was given by the Sunday School children, under the leadership of Mrs. Howard, in the S. S. Room, Chatham, on Tuesday evening, commencing at half-past seven o'clock. Our reporter reached the building about that hour and found the Rector, Mr. Forsyth, just finishing his opening remarks, in which, among other things, he indicated that it was proposed to hold a series of entertainments—fortnightly if possible—for the same purpose, though, he said, he was not sure they could be arranged for with certainty. With a few appropriate remarks concerning the evening's programme he introduced the little ones, who, to the number of about forty, were arranged at the east end of the school-room, their bright, happy faces and tasteful dresses presenting quite an attractive spectacle. The following programme was then taken up,—

Song.—"We Come Again with Songs to Greet You."—Class.
Star of the Twilight,—Minnie Blair and Fanny Gillespie.
Recitation,—"The Dandelion's Lesson,"—Florrie Blair.
Recitation,—"Totty's Arithmetic,"—by ten little girls.
Recitation,—"Artie's Amen,"—Alexis Danville.
Song.—"Scatter Seeds of Kindness,"—Class.
"The Trades,"—by seven boys.
"Keep a Watch on Your Words,"—by five little boys and girls.
Recitation,—"Queer Dollies,"—Helen Blair.
Recitation,—"The Bird Story,"—Willie Howard and Helen DesBrisay.
Recitation,—"The Penny you Meant to gie,"—Albert Smith.
"Song of the Cobbler,"—by five boys and girls.
Recitation,—"Beautiful Things,"
Song.—"Somebody, Somebody,"—Class.
Recitation,—"Speak the Best we Can,"—Maud Dick.
Song.—"Empty is the Cradle, Baby's Gone,"—Lena Goggin.
Dialogue,—by six boys.
Song.—"Let the Dead and Beautiful Rest,"—Edith Winslow and Katie Wilkinson.
Recitation,—"The Song of the Cricket,"—Emily Fleiger.
Recitation,—"A Bird Story,"—Fred Blair.
Recitation,—Fanny Gillespie and Ethel Pallen.
Dialogue.—"Faith, Hope and Charity,"—Lena Goggin, Lulu Howard and Polly Winslow.
Song.—"Ring the Bell, Watchman,"—Class.
Recitation,—"The Fire Bell's Story,"—Louise Howard.
Recitation,—"Knitting the Stocking,"—Eva Johnson.
Recitation,—"Ballad of the Tempest,"—Laura Smith.
Recitation,—"Little Cheerfulness," Lena Goggin.
Song of the Sowers,—by six little girls.
Recitation,—"If I had the Money,"—by three little girls.
Recitation,—"The Singer and the Boy,"—Polly Winslow.
Recitation,—"In the garret are our Boys,"—Ida Moss.
Song,—"No Sir,"—Polly Winslow and George Howard.
Dialogue.—"Grandma and her two Grandsons."
Song.—"The Old Log Cabin in the Dell."
Recitation,
Recitation,—"Poor Little Joe,"—Geo. Howard.
Song.—"Some Folks Do,"—Class.
Song,—"Speed Away,"
"Friendship's the Mystical Word in our Ring,"—Class
Song,—"[illegible] is every inch a Sailor,"
Song,—"[illegible] Bless our Sunday School,"
GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

Before the last number on the programme was reached, Rev. Mr. Forsyth took occasion to thank the audience—which was quite a large one—for their attendance, and said a few words of deserved praise in reference to the manner in which the children and young ladies had acquitted themselves. He said they were much indebted to Mrs. Howard and Miss Gillespie for the pains they had taken in training the little ones. He could not promise anything definitely for future entertainments, but hoped there would be something a fortnight from that evening worthy of their patronage.

Mrs. Howard announced that Messrs. Blair and DesBrisay had provided a treat for the children, and called for three cheers for them, which were heartily given by the youngsters.

After the singing the apples and confectionery provided were distributed among the children as the audience dispersed.

The entertainment was, in every respect, a most enjoyable one, all the children doing remarkably well.

Rogersville.

We have received a rather warlike communication from Rev. M. F. Richard, "pastor and founder in a certain sense," of Rogersville, in which he makes certain demands and undeserved reflections on the ADVANCE, conceived in a spirit of unexpected hostility. We have only to say that up the time of our receiving the Rev. gentleman's letter—yesterday morning—we are sensible of having treated all affairs in which we thought he had an interest with a special desire to assist him in any way we could, and he has been neither backward nor unfrequent in making use of our columns. To such use, for what we have deemed proper purposes, he has been welcome and still will be so.

In the letter received yesterday Mr. Richard refers quite disrespectfully to the ADVANCE, and with *sang froid* that is refreshing, even in this cool weather, says we are *respectfully* requested to publish his communication, which he has also sent to the *World*. The cause of the rev. gentleman's perturbation of mind seems to be our references of last week to the Municipal election in Rogersville. We may say our remarks were based on information which we believed to be reliable. Had Mr. Richard written to us, as the friend he has always professed to be, and assured us, either privately or under his name for publication, that our facts were errors, we would have been glad to make any correction, or even an apology to the settlement. As, however, he has chosen to threaten us and has selected another paper as the fortress from which he will direct his attacks, we can only leave him in the enjoyment of the ground he has taken and let him pepper away.

We propose to make further enquiries in reference to the Rogersville election matter and if we find our information was incorrect we shall say so. Until our enquiries are made and answered, however, we have nothing more to say, although it may not be out of place to suggest to Father Richard the propriety of showing less of a disposition to quarrel and more of Christian charity in his writings for the press.

The "Petitcodiac Mystery."

A tramp named Daniel Mitchell is now under arrest and is to be tried for attempting to outrage and murder Mrs. George McCann of Havelock, Kings County. The affair occurred, it will be remembered, on 24th ult., under circumstances reported in the ADVANCE of 1st inst. Mr. McCann, the husband of the injured woman, seems to have manifested a determination to hunt the alleged perpetrator of the deed down, and the efforts he has made to that end, involving no small personal expense, show that he, at least discredits the theory set up that his wife had attempted suicide. The man, Mitchell, is an itinerant clock repairer not unknown in the Counties of Westmorland, Albert, and Queens, where he is believed by those who profess to be well acquainted with him, to be slightly deranged. When informed that he was arrested for cutting a woman's throat, McCann, the husband of the injured woman, states that he said "I did not do it, she did it herself" etc., and many have put this down as a betrayal of knowledge of the crime and, therefore, of guilt. When taken to the house where the alleged crime was committed, and brought face to face with Mrs. McCann, Mitchell did not display any nervousness or change of manner. He looked at and addressed questions very rationally and without excitement, to Mrs. McCann, who said she thought he was the person who assaulted her, though, if he was, he he had changed some of his clothes and cut his beard off, somewhat.

In her evidence before the Stipendiary Magistrate she added the charge of attempted outrage, the resistance of which led to the throat cutting. She testified that she had never been very healthy, had never seen the man before, had dreamed the night before the event that a man had cut her throat. Awaking from her dream she rose and lighted the lamps, keeping them burning until morning. She was not, however, sure of the face of the man in her dream.

Dr. McDonald testified that the wounds were not very serious; he had known Mrs. McCann to be affected by nervous and hysterical troubles, though not for the past nine months. It is now said Mitchell was 60 miles away from McCann's on the day the woman's throat was cut.

Correspondence.

Reply to "Critic."

To the Editor of the Miramichi Advance.

DEAR SIR,—I notice in your last issue that some petty politician writing over the name of Critic, has taken exception to the election of our Councillors. It is very evident he belongs to the illiterate class who are, and always should be in the minority. His spleen is particularly directed against Mr. Walsh, who has represented the parish for some years with benefit to the parish and credit to himself,—a fact which was not forgotten by the intelligent voters when polling day came.

The ability of the dissatisfied few may be gathered from Critic's letter—assuming (as we should) that he is the leader of the party.

Now Mr. Critic, when you write again you should confine yourself to plain and simple words and place them so that they may be understood by an ordinary scholar, don't use canscientious for conscious, make a proper choice of your prepositions and clear your brain of those lofty and misty ideas of ever representing anything.

I am, Sir, yours etc., JOHN DUKE.
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General Notes and News.

Portugal insists on its rights in the Lower Congo.

If you want fast colors and brilliant shades use the popular package Star Dyes.

At the New York Horse Show the fire department hitched up in the phenomenal time of 1½ seconds.

A cable despatch states that the British Government has issued a circular to the Powers claiming control over the Congo country.

Ah Slab, a Chinaman of rare Mongolian attractions, living in Lafayette, Ind., has been expelled from Chinese society in that city on account of his betrothal to a white girl.

Have you tried Holloway's Corn Cure? It has no equal for removing these troublesome excrescences.

It is reported that the Archbishop of Toronto has addressed to His Holiness the Pope, to the Cardinals, and to the Bishops of Ireland, a long letter on the loss of souls in America consequent on wholesale and impoverished emigration.

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A Pennsylvania farmer, suspicious of banks and fearful of burglars, placed all his wealth of notes, mortgages, etc., in the parlour stove, with the result of finding on his return home after a day's absence that his wife had lit a fire, and he was minus his life's savings.

The Tilley organs in 1878 argued that severe commercial depression under the protective tariff of the United States was no apology for the depression in Canada, and they now argue that an alleged depression in England is ample apology for a real and very serious depression in Canada. This is good, sound Tory consistency.

The idols worshipped by the heathen of Africa and India are nearly all manufactured in England, and pay a very handsome profit. It is stated that the commercial value of the brass and cast iron gods shipped to heathen lands far exceeds that of the Bibles, books, and tracts which reach the same destination.

The American National Woman's Christian Temperance Union, while in convention at Detroit, Mich., adopted a resolution to memorialize Congress in the interest of woman suffrage, and also one to secure the calling of a non-partisan prohibition Convention before the party Presidential conventions of next year. A Presbyterian parson has, however, told the women that home is the best place for them—so it is.

A good Baptist clergyman of Bergen, N. Y., a strong temperance man, suffered with kidney trouble, neuralgia and dizziness almost to blindness, over two years after he was told that Hop Bitters would cure him, because he was afraid of and prejudiced against "Bitters." Since his cure he says none need fear but trust in *Hop Bitters.*

A Dublin despatch of 6th, says that during the progress of a fair at Ruthkeale a town seventeen miles from Limerick, a faction fight occurred, in which forty persons were wounded. The police, attempted to interfere, but were stoned by the mob and driven off the ground. Receiving reinforcements the police returned and succeeded in arresting 35 of the ringleaders, but while conveying their prisoners to the station a rush was made by the mob, who rescued twelve of their comrades. The others were imprisoned.

"I'll cure any cough you ever heard of and with one of the simplest remedies you ever saw," said a lady vocalist of considerable reputation on both sides of the Atlantic. "It's oysters. Just plain, simple, every day raw oysters. I've sung fourteen years here and in in the old country, and you may imagine that the climate has often got the better of my lungs, but I rely upon oysters, and they can be depended upon. My husband told me of this kind of medicine, and I don't know how many years he has used them. They act just as beneficially on my children—and the next time you have a cough go to the oyster bar instead of the drug store."

A. D. Noyes, Newark, Michigan, writes: 'I have enquired at the drug stores for Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, but have failed to find it. We brought a bottle with us from Quebec, but it is nearly gone and we do not want to be without it, as my wife is troubled with a pain in the shoulder, and nothing else gives relief. Can you send us some?'

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In adjourning the Superior Court in Montreal, on Wednesday, the 7th inst., Justice Johnston, one of the most facetious members of the local bench, remarked, with unusual gravity: "This being the last case on to-day's list, and there being no further business before the court, and to-morrow being Thanksgiving Day and a public holiday, and the crier being fast asleep, I will take it upon myself to adjourn the court until Friday morning at 10.30 o'clock. It would be uncharitable to awake the official, and I do not think my right to exercise his function will be disputed." The Judge thereupon vacated the bench, and the lawyers, clerks, and witnesses left the recumbent and unconscious crier sole occupant of the court amid much merriment in the corridors.

In his sermon at the Presbyterian Church, Detroit, on Sunday morning Rev. Dr. Milligan, of Toronto, took occasion to criticize the labours of the W. C. T. U.—its organization, &c. If instead of parading the country and making such public avowments of the evil of intemperance, the wife would stay at home, assuming the garb of the gentler sex and exerting her influence in her proper sphere in the household, a bigger piece would be cut off from the evils of intemperance than by all her public utterances mingled with woman's rights or rather wrongs and temperance combined. Home, he said, is the fountain-head of all that is pure and good, and the only sphere in which temperance workers can accomplish thier aims. The evils of intemperance are not to be swept aside by conventions and organizations which take upon themselves the Salvation Army method of conversion. One woman should devote herself to one man and his defects instead of striving to embrace them all. Convention work or public activity tends to unsex women. Woman is as essential in her station as is man in his, and she should not step out of it. Her duty is ever at home. For this reason the speaker would discourage female organizations.

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