POOR COPY

Miramichi and the North Shore, etc.

TEACHER WANTED in Lower Newcastle —See advt.

HAY, APPLES, ETC. at auction—See advertisements of auctioneers.

MR. GEO. J. DICKSON advertises a good article of pressed hay for sale.

"YES AND NO" is the title of the sixth lecture in the I. O. G. T. course, which will be delivered on next Tuesday evening in Temperance Hall, Chatham, by Rev. A. Ogilvie Brown.

TENDERS for supplying six fishing service schooners are advertised for, to be at Ottawa by 29th inst. Specifications and forms of tender are at the Chatham Custom House.

PRESBYTERY.—The ordinary meeting of the Presbytery of Miramichi will be held in the hall of St. John's Church, Chatham, on Tuesday next, the 16th inst, at 11 a. m.

THE CURLERS' DANCE of last Wednesday night was the most successful affair of the kind that has come off in Chatham for years. Over 200 enjoyed it and praise of the Club for their excellent management is unanimous. The Chatham Curlers' dance will be one of the popular annual gatherings hereafter.

A SERIOUS ACCIDENT, by which Mr. and Mrs. Alex Loggie of Lower Chatham were much injured—caused by the upsetting of their sleigh in collision with another sleigh—occurred last Sunday evening nearly opposite the Muirhead mill as they were returning home from church. Mrs. Loggie's forehead was badly cut and both were badly bruised. Mrs. Loggie is still at her son's house in Chatham in consequence of her injuries.

FOR FARMERS.—At a meeting of the Board of Northumberland Agricultural Society held on Saturday last an arrangement was made with Mr. Fenton to place his mud-digger on the ice a short distance above Black Brook, or elsewhere as may be found convenient, for the purpose of raising mussel-mud for fertilising purposes. The object of the Society is to place this fertiliser within reach of farmers generally and any of them who may so desire can obtain a supply at the rate of ten cents per load by applying to Mr. Fenton. He is to begin digging on Monday next.

A LECTURE of great interest to farmers—and, indeed,, to all interested in farming and gardening—is to be delivered in Temperance Hall Chatham an Thursday evening next, 18th inst, by Rev. Neil McKay. It will be under the auspices of Northumberland Agricultural Society and on the subject of cropping, with particular reference to fertilizers. Mr. McKay, during his residence in Prince Edward Island, made this subject one of observation and study and no farmer should miss the opportunity of hearing the lecture. There will be no charge for admission.

The Legislature.

Our special report of legislative proceedings failed to reach us yesterday and we are therefore, not in a position to give as full a resume of the business done as if it had.

The estimates were submitted on 1st inst. The sums, (otherwise than those provided for by law) asked for are as follows,—

Equity Chambers, St John,	$ 150
Judges Chambers and Law Library, St. John,	300
Agriculture—Stock Farm,	4,000
Blind Asylum, Halifax,	720
Contingencies—Legislature and public offices,	13,000
Deaf and Dumb Institution,	2,000
Education—School houses in poor districts, $1,500, (twelve hundred and thirty-six),	2,030
Fisheries—(Protective) Bounties Exhibition and immigration, including balance up to date of 1885,	4,500
Free Grants Act,	5,000
Legislature—Librarian, Insurance and books,	1,050
Officers and Messengers of Legislative Council,	1,260
Officers and Messengers House of Assembly $1,760; total	4,070
Lunatic Asylum maintenance	35,000
Natural History Society,	250
Public Hospital, St. John	2,000
Public Printing, ordinary	11,000
Reprint Consolidated Statutes including balance of the year 1885, $2,500, total	13,500
Public Works, Great Roads and Bridges	95,000
Steam Navigation:	5,300
Public Buildings,	10,700
Miscellaneous expenses	2,850
Balance due board 31st Dec. 1885	3,410
Total	$187,260
Provincial Rifle Association,	300
Refunds—Crown lands	600
Surveys and railway inspections, $2,000; unforeseen expenses	4,000

A bill providing that contractors for public works shall obtain special licenses from the Surveyor-General to enable them to obtain material from Crown Lands under license was passed.

Mr. Park introduced a bill to amend Chapter 4 consolidated statutes.

Mr. Ellis gave notice of the following motion for Friday: "Resolved that it is advisable to discontinue the present mode of distributing money for the by-road service; that henceforth the by-road service and the great road service be treated as one and that all money granted to the said by-road service be expended through the office of the chief commissioner of public works."

Hon. Mr. Blair introduced a bill to amend chapter three of the consolidated statutes of the legislative council, and Mr Ellis introduced a bill to abolish the legislative council.

Mr. LaBillois gave notice of motion of enquiry for Friday, as to whether it is the intention of the government to discontinue the opening of the great road from the Upsalquitch river toward the Tomkedgewick in Restigouche.

On 4th the Provincial Secretary made the Budget speech.

Mr. Wetmore followed in a long speech which he finished on 5th by moving as follows:—

That Mr. Speaker do not leave the chair, but resolved that in the opinion of this house large measures of reform are urgently called for in the public interests, which reforms should embrace, among other reforms looking toward a reduction in the public expenditure, a reduction in the number of members in the executive council, a reduction in the number of departments in the executive, a reduction in the number of clerks and employes in the public offices, change in the mode of doing the public printing, whereby the cost may be largely reduced, and also the making of such changes in the governmental, legislative and departmental machinery of the Province as will ensure a substantial reduction in the cost thereof.

This was discussed by several members, Mr. McManus taking Mr. Wetmore to task for referring to the Provincial Secretary as being "Jesuitical." Mr. Wetmore apologised. The vote showed the full strength of both parties, there being *thirty* for the Government and *ten* for the opposition.

On the 6th Mr. Adams made an attack on the Government in which he charged them with about all the sins in the political calendar.

We make room for Hon. Attorney-General Blair's reply,—

[*See 2nd page.*]

St. Andrew's Church Annual Report.

The Annual report of St. Andrew's congregation, Chatham, (which was submitted to the session last Friday) shows a most encouraging state of affairs. In the past year 38 have been added to the communion-roll upon their own confession of Christ; and 13 by certificate from other congregations. There have been removed by death and other causes 31. The rite of baptism has been administered to 55 infants. The number of families claiming connection with the congregation is 250 besides 65 single persons not connected with these families. There are three Sabbath Schools connected with the Church; 300 S. S. scholars; and 35 teachers and officers. There are 1,300 vols. in the various S. S. Libraries. The financial statement shows that the following amounts have been raised by the congregation in the year 1885: Total contributions for strictly congregational purposes $2,197. Total payments to the Mission Schemes of the Church $341.50 payments to Synod and Presbytery Fund (including Commissioners' expenses to General Assembly) $36. All other payments for benevolent and religious purposes $187.44. Total payments for all purposes $2,761.94. There is a Missionary Association, Ladies' Sewing Society, and Benevolent Society in connection with the congregation. This is the fourth year of the Rev. E. Wallace Waits' pastorate in the Church.

That Committee.

To the Editor of the Advance:

SIR,—When a handful of private citizens who are by no means remarkable, above the rank and file of their neighbors, for ability, public spirit or any of those qualities which exalt one man above his fellows, come prominently forward and assume to themselves the sole right of selecting Representatives for a county, they justly earn not only the criticism but the deserved censure of the electors against whom they had conspired to deprive them of the right of franchise. This is precisely the case with the self-appointed committee who seem to have failed to detect and neglected to rectify the fulsome flattery and glaring errors of the requisition they were induced to father and then circulate among the electors of Northumberland for signatures. The vanity of this self-constituted committee must be stretched to its utmost tension when they have the presumption to act upon the belief that in their ranks are to be found the concentrated political wisdom of this county. The following gentlemen compose the Committee:—Allan Ritchie, Chairman, John O'Brien, J. S. Benson, M. D., John McDonald, M. D., John C. Miller, Reuben S. Cormier, Daniel Crimmen and C. E. Fish, Secretary.

Whatever may be the qualifications and intellectual gifts that these gentlemen possess, they have yet to pass the *pons asinorum* problem of political knowledge before they enter upon the task of instructing others. If politics were spruce deals, and the Electors of the County wished to make a purchase, then the President would be a competent person to give an opinion, but there would be as much sense and reason in expecting to find young eaglets in a crow's nest as looking to him for information upon political subjects.

With respect to Mr. O'Brien, the next gentleman upon the list, the Electors have yet to learn in what way he has distinguished himself in the political arena so as to make him an undoubted authority in the choice of men to represent Northumberland in the Legislature of the Province. Surely he does not consider that he is displaying the necessary qualifications when he is exhibiting to his friends and acquaintances the meagre crumbs of political wisdom he has gathered and stored up as they dropped from the lips of his wise and erudite Newcastle monitor, whose *fac totum* he aspires to be. Even if he drained to the very dregs all the knowledge and wisdom that he had under his learned friend's hat, he will still remain a mere tyro in politics with its first principles yet to learn.

Next in succession come the two medical experts from Chatham who have lately taken to the issuing of political prescriptions in addition to those of their own legitimate profession. Not being a professional man, I will not presume to pass an opinion upon the treatment they prescribe for their sickly and ailing patients, but it is different when they presume to declare that the body politic is sick, and recommend, as a cure, that the people swallow such a nauseous quack nostrum as they have prescribed. No, the people are not fools and—unlike our two learned friends—are too well posted in the political history of the Province, to become the dupes of the electioneering charlatans of the country.

With respect to the member of the committee from Derby, I am of the opinion that the abolition or reduction of the tax upon hemlock bark has more to do with his present act than the love he has for the political welfare of the dear people. How is it that it is only at the twelfth hour he has aroused himself from his long political sleep. What was he about during the long years the late Government were squandering the public funds of the Province and heaping up the debt which now lies heavy upon the shoulders of the people? Perhaps at that time it was to his interest to keep quiet as his two friends Kelly and Adams, in turn, occupied important positions in it. Now, however, that the shoes they placed upon his feet are beginning to cramp and pinch his toes, he is restive and ill at ease. It is my opinion is that it is to his interest to support the present Government and quietly "rather bear the ills he has than fly to others that he knows not of," which would be sure to come if his old friends, the party of corruption, were once more returned to power.

As I am not acquainted with the French member of the Committee who is, I believe, a Pullman car conductor, I can say but little. There is one thing certain, even if he is thoroughly posted in French political history he has yet to acquire the first principles of that of this Province.

With respect to the qualifications of the gentlman from Chatham who comes last upon the Committee's list, a very few words will be sufficient. He may be in all ways capable of stowing the "Great Eastern" with a cargo of deals, but as to his navigating her to her place of destination that is another question. There is one thing, however, we will say, that he is as well qualified to take her safely across the Atlantic as to guide us all in choosing representatives. With respect to the Secretary of this learned and able political committee all that I can say is that he is worthy of the company in which we find him To him, the politics of the Province is narrowed down to the dimensions of the Parish in which he lives, as, outside of that he can see nothing. Talk to him upon the public affairs of the Province; ask him to compare the deeds and acts of the past and present Government, and he will be like a fish out of its native element. Politics is not his forte and he is no more at home in it than was Jonah when he occupied apartments in the whale's belly,

In conclusion I would direct the attention of the Committee to the old latin adage *Ne sutor ultra crepidam.*" There is not only truth and reason in it, but it tersely expresses the verdict that public opinion has passed upon their act. I would also recommend that the next manifesto they issue to the public be upon a subject they are all conversant with. In that case the people will not look upon them as meddlers in matters which they should decide for themselves only, remembering that in taking up the task of attempting to run the whole political machine, they are looked upon as pretty soft clay in the hands of the Newcastle potters who simply make use of them as stepping stones to place and power.

Yours, PUBLIC OPINION.

Concert at Derby.

The concert held in the Temperance Hall, Derby, on Monday evening last, by the Choir and members of St. Mary's congregation, Chatham, was a great success. A special train on the Northern & Western Railway left Chatham Station at 5.15 P. M. solar time, running to Cushman's in about 30 minutes. From Cushman's the performers numbering about 20, accompanied by a good number of persons from Chatham were conveyed to the hospitable residences of Messrs. Cushman and W. C. Crocker, and to the hall. Shortly after half past seven the hall was well filled, and the Derby Brass Band played some appropriate airs, before the programme of the Chatham Company began. The opening chorus "Let the Hills and Vales resound" by the Chatham singers was well received as were also the other choruses "Sweet Chiming Bells", "Gentle Hallie" and "Good Night." The duetts, "Whispering Hope" by Mrs. Goggin and Miss E. Winslow, and 'Life's Dream is over' by Mrs. Goggin and Mrs. Howard called forth deserved applause. 'Cousin Jedediah' by Mrs Goggin and Mrs. Howard and Messrs. Smith and Anderson, and 'A Dress for a Wife and a Dressing for a Husband' by Mrs. Goggin and Mr. Smith were much enjoyed, the latter being encored. Mr. Moss' Solo 'A horrible Tale' brought down the house and an encore was responded to by Mr. M. giving a recitation. The charade 'Dandelion,' was very creditably acted by the Misses F. and M. Blair, and L. and E. Winslow and G. Goggin with E. E. Blair and R. Hazen. The operetta 'King Alfred' delighted the audience. Mr. D. T. Johnstone as King, did his part with ease and naturalness. 'Arabella' was capitally personeted by Miss F. Blair, while Mr. E. E. Blair distinguished himself as 'Dumpkins' Mrs. Howard as the 'Farmer's Dame' was faultless while Mr. Howard as the 'Farmer' convulsed the audience with laughter.

The Derby Brass Band played the interludes, and Miss G. Goggin the accompaniments with her usual grace.

The concert was closed with the singing of the National Anthem, and the audience dispersed all highly pleased with the evenings entertainment. Before leaving by the train, the Chatham Company was sumptuously feasted at the house of Mr. W. C. Crocker, the Derby Band furnishing music during that interesting part of the programme. After an enjoyable trip from Cushman's the Chatham party reached home at midnight. We have not yet learned the financial result of the concert, but probably $30 will be realized after paying expenses.

Death of Thomas Vondy, Esq., Postmaster of Chatham.

On Friday evening last between seven and eight o'clock, and just as the mails which had arrived some two hours behind time on that afternoon, were being delivered at the post office Chatham, the delivery window was, all at once, closed and the large number of people waiting their turn thereat requested by Mr. John Sadler to retire outside the building, as the remainder of the mail would not be delivered for at least half an hour. The crowd seemed to understand this this somewhat unusual request ought to be complied with, as they went quietly out upon the street, when Mr. Daniel Crimmin, by Mr. Sadler's request, took charge of the door to prevent the indiscriminate admission of people to a sad scene within the office, for the postmaster, Thos. Vondy, Esq., lay there suddenly stricken down, and as the event soon proved, very near death.

As those well acquainted with him know, Mr. Vondy has had but indifferent health for several years. Physical exertion always brought on more or less prostration which seemed to develop in the form of difficult respiration, as if the functions of the heart and lungs were partially suspended. The late snow blockade caused extra work in the office during the latter part of the week and this, no doubt, aggravated these infirmities.

Mr. Vondy went home to tea on Friday evening as usual, and while his family observed nothing in his condition to cause alarm, it is evident that in his hurry to get back to the office to attend to the large and delayed mail which he expected, he over-exerted himself, especially as the sidewalks were made slippery by the prevailing thaw. At all events, when he reached the office he was in a somewhat exhausted condition. He removed his overcoat and cap and passed out the rear door from the office, but, returning after a few minutes, he leaned, as if in weakness and distress, on the counter just inside the registry entrance. Master Stapledon, one of his assistants, seeing Dr. Baxter at the window asked Mr. Vondy whether he should call him in. Mr. Vondy said he didn't want a doctor, although it is probable he did not understand that Dr. Baxter was so near at hand. At his request young Stapledon had placed a chair for him to sit in, and after occupying it a very short time, he rose and made his way towards his desk in the opposite corner of the office. Here he leaned against the sorting-shelf and the lad, at his request, again brought over and placed the chair for him, but he did not sit in it. He next placed the chair-cushion and an empty mail bag on the floor and lay down upon them. The lad who was with him had seen him in a somewhat similar condition before, and, being busy with the mail, which had been in for nearly an hour, he did not seem to realise the severity of the attack. At all events, at about half past seven, after Mr. Vondy had lain for, perhaps, a quarter of an hour on the floor, Mr. John F. Jardine, who was outside at the delivery window, observed him as he lay and saw, by his movements, that he was in much distress. Asking the lad what the matter was, and being told that Mr. Vondy had one of his bad turns, Mr. Jardine went quickly in through the registry door and over to the prostrate man, when, observing his condition he hastened outside to summon medical aid.

Mr. Robert Anderson of the Bank of Nova Scotia and Mr. Stanley Murray had also observed the postmaster's condition through the window and these two at once went to his assistance as Mr. Jardine went out. Mr. Vondy gave Mr. Anderson his keys and directed him to get a bottle of a mixture from his desk and give him a small quantity of it. At this time he was in full possession of his mental faculties, for he cautioned Mr. Anderson not to make the dose more than a tablespoonful, as there was poison in it. Meeting Mr. D. Crimmin, also, just outside of the office, Mr. Jardine told him of Mr. Vondy's condition and went on for a doctor, while Mr. Crimmin ran across the street and summoned Mr. Sadler, who was in his office. Mr. Sadler quickly reached the scene, and caused the office to be closed as above stated, and the editor of the ADVANCE arrived just as this had been done. The sufferer had taken a little of the mixture, but it did not appear to relieve him. At this time no pulse could be detected and the hands, arms and breast were cold. When asked if anything could be done for him, and if he wished to see anyone he replied that there were "too many around" and said "this is the end of it all." When asked by John Shirreff, Esq., who had, meantime, arrived, what he could do for him he said quite audibly, "I want breath" and, almost immediately there was the muscular relaxation of form and feature which informed the anxious watchers that death had come—not painfully, but quickly, as if the functions of life had suddenly became exhausted and broken down. Dr. J. B. Benson arrived while there were still slight signs of life, and Drs. J. S. Benson and Baxter and Mr. Mackenzie, druggist, quickly followed, but even had they been the first to arrive their skill could have availed nothing.

Relatives and near friends, led by Rev. E. Wallace Waits (pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, of which deceased was a member) performed the sad duty of breaking the news to Mrs, and Miss Vondy, while others at the death-scene, under the direction of Mr. John McDonald, had the body placed on a sleigh and conveyed to the home, which the beloved husband and father had left so short a time before.

Mr. Vondy has been Postmaster of Chatham for the last twenty-one years, having succeeded to the position on the death of Mr. James Cain. He was a correct, conscientious and efficient officer, and it is doubtful if, in these respects, he leaves behind him a superior in the postal service of New Brunswick. He was in business here until about ten years ago, his stand being in the old post-office building, which he owned, next the Muirhead store property. His integrity as a business man was unimpeachable and it may be said of him that he was "true and just in all his dealings." His late home and its comfortable surroundings bear testimony of his care and solicitude for his family, who will miss him most of all and ever cherish his memory as that of a most loving husband and father. The sympathy of the community with them in this visitation is rendered the more tender from the fact that it is only a few years since a promising son died in Fredericton while a student at the University, and was brought to the sorrowing home under circumstances somewhat like those attending the home-coming of the father's remains, while a beloved daughter, just entering upon womanhood, also died some three years since. The widow and one daughter, and three sisters are the near relatives left by deceased in Chatham and there is also a brother, Dr. Vondy, residing in New York.

The funeral took place on Tuesday afternoon at three o'clock and was a very large one. The service at the house was conducted by Rev. E. Wallace Waits, assisted by Revs. Messrs Treen, McKay and Harrison. A large Masonic representation of Northumberland and Miramichi Lodges and Mount Lebanon R. A. Chapter was present in regalia and draped jewels, and headed the procession to St. Andrew's burying ground. Here the customary passages of Scripture were recited and prayer offered by Rev. E. Wallace Waits, followed by the Masonic burial service, which was read by Mr. Aaron Harris, Master of Northumberland Lodge, the closing prayer being offered by Rev. E. Wallace Waits. The pall bearers were Hon. R. Huchison, Dr. Street, and Messrs. F. E. Winslow, D. Ferguson, John Brown and Geo. Burchill.

A Winner of Thousands Mended a Coat.

Mr. Izidore Schwartz is a German tailor, residing at 734 Cherry st., Kansas City, Mo. The fifth of a Louisiana State Lottery ticket had been purchased by Schwartz' wife as a birthday present to her husband. On the 12th inst, the ticket drew a prize, but as her husband's birthday did not occur until the 18th inst, she decided to keep it a secret until then. Thursday night, however, unable longer to hold her secret, she told her husband of the luck that had befallen him. He went to his shop after sending his ticket away through the Bank of Commerce, and finished a coat on which he was working. Besides the $30,000 drawn by Schwartz and Benson, Mr. John W. Barnes proprietor of the Diamond saloon, held a whole ticket which drew $6,000. Altogether it was a pretty good month for Kansas City.—*Kansas City (Mo.) Times, Jan. 16.*

DIED.

At Black River on saturday, 6th inst, Simon McDonald, aged 39 years

At Weldford, on the 8th March, Hannah E wife of Jas Graham, aged 48 years. Funeral today, Thursday at 9 a m

At Chatham on the 5th inst, at the residence of Shepherd J Frost, Mr Angus Ramsay aged 75 years a native of P E Island (Prince Edward Island and Fredericton papers please copy)

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Chatham, 4th March, 1886

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Chatham, 9th March, '86

"YES AND NO."

The above is the title of the SIXTH LECTURE of the I. O. G. T. COURSE which will be delivered in the TEMPERANCE HALL on

TUESDAY EVENING, 16th. inst.

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The lecture is a humorous and instructive one. Come and hear the merry thoughts and wholesome philosophy of this pleasing speaker.

ADMISSION, ... 10 cents

Lecture begins at 8 o'clock.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF CO-PARTNERSHIP

The Partnership heretofore existing at Chatham in the County of Northumberland and Province of New Brunswick between the subscribers in the furniture business under the style and firm of Purdy & Currie is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

I can to the said business will be carried on by Arthur W. Purdy, to whom all debts due the said firm must be paid, and the liabilities of the said firm will be settled by him.

Dated at Chatham this sixth day of March, 1886,

A. W. PURDY,
JOHN CURRIE.

NOTICE OF SALE.

To John D. McMinn, Mary A. McMinn and all others whom it may or doth concern:—

Take notice that under and by a Power of Sale contained in a certain Indenture of Mortgage bearing date the tenth day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty four and made between the said John D. McMinn of Richibucto in The County of Kent, Farmer and the said Mary A. McMinn of Richibucto aforesaid Widow and duly registered in the Kent County Records on the Tenth day of April aforesaid in Libro C. no. 2 page 436 which Mortgage was assigned by the said mortgagee to David McAlmon of Richibucto aforesaid Stevedore by deed of assignment bearing date the thirty-first day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five there will for the purpose of satisfying the moneys secured by the said Indenture of Mortgage (default having been made in the payment thereof) be sold at Public Auction in front of the Court House in Richibucto aforesaid on Monday the 14th day of June next at eleven o'clock in the forenoon the following lands and premises mentioned and described in said Indenture as follows namely:—"All the following real estate devised to one John D. McMinn by his father the late David McMinn by will duly registered in the Records of Kent Libro 5 page 496 et seqnetur the 9th of October 1879 and described therein as follows that is to say "First the Tanhouse and lot on Court Street in the "Town of Richibucto, County of Kent to include "the land or yard on the west side of said Tan-"nery running from the large gate post back to "the Powell line. Second the lot of land on the "South side of Court Street conveyed to the said "David McMinn by Allen McGillivery and wife "with the land in the rear running back to the "Powell line. Third the lot of land conveyed to "the said Daniel McMinn by Henry Livingstone "on Court Street running back to the said Powell "line and Fourth the farm and lot situate on the "back Road so called in rear of the Town of "Richibucto and lying on both sides of the said "bank road containing seven acres more or less "conveyed to the said David McMinn by Lestock "P W DesBrisay and wife and John W Weldon "and wife and Thomas W Bliss assignee of the "estate of the said Lestock P W DesBrisay are "insolvent all of which lots are situate in an "Parish of Richibucto in the County of Kent and "mentioned under the clauses numbered second "third fourth and sixth of the said will as by "reference thereto duly registered as aforesaid "will among other things fully and at large appear together with all and singular the buildings and improvements thereon and the rights "members privileges and appurtenances to the "said premises belonging and appertaining with "the reversion and reversions remainder and remainders rents issues and profits thereof."

Dated the 8th day of March A D 1886.

DAVID McALMON,
Assigne of the said Mortgage

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Will sell in Car Load Lots or small lots to suit Purchasers. AT LOWEST PRICES FOR CASH ONLY

ROGER FLANAGAN.

Card of Thanks.

The subscribers beg to tender their sincere thanks to their many friends and customers in this and the Northern Counties for the very liberal manner in which they have patronized us for the past sixteen years, and to inform them tha they have purchased an old established Tobacconist business in Montreal, which will be conduc ed by Isaac Harris who will always be pleased to meet our friends from New Brunswick visiting Montreal. The business here will still be carried on by Aaron Harris.

We are now in a better position than ever to fill all orders in our line at rock bottom prices. All orders sent to either of our branches will be promptly attended to.

I. HARRIS & SON.
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Apples! Apples!

—(x)—

On Hand in my frost proof cellar,

IN GOOD ORDER

90 Bbls. No. 1. EATING OR COOKING APPLES,

—IN—

BALDWINS, GREENINGS AND BISHOP PIPPINS.

Price $2.75 per Bbl. retail; orders for five or more Bbls. $2.50 per Bbl.

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Wm. WYSE

28th Jan. 1886 Chatham

Fish, Beans, Etc.

150 Qntls. dry Codfish.
300 Small boxes New Digby Herring.
245 Bags White Beans.
40 Barrels whole and Split Peas

NOW LANDING.

Geo. S. DeForest.
13 South Whar

NOTICE.

A BILL will be introduced at the next session of the Legislature of New Brunswick to amalgamate the Street and Fire services of the town of Chatham, by placing the management thereof in the hands of one board who shall discharge the duties now performed by the Firewards and Street Commissioner of said town, respectively, said Board to consist of three resident ratepayers each from the upper, lower and middle divisions of the Fire district of said town, together with the Councillors, for the time being, of the Parish of Chatham—the Board to be appointed by and render its accounts to the Municipal Council, and also to receive its authority for all assessments therefrom as is now done for Police and fire purposes, the general object of said bill being to secure improved and more economical management of the services to be amalgamated.

Hay! Hay! AND STRAW!

The Subscriber has on hand and STORED IN CHATHAM a lot of very GOOD PRESSED HAY.

Also at his farm in Napan in bulk GOOD TIMOTHY AND CLOVER HAY, early cut hay and good oat straw mixed all of which he now offers for sale. Apply to JAMES CORMACK, St. John St, Chatham.

Orders received for CAR LOAD LOTS deliverable at any Station or Siding on the I. C. R. or NORTHERN & WESTERN RAILWAYS.

JOHN JOHNSTONE

10th Febv. Napan

Newcastle. Gen'l Agent for Northumberland.

Flour, Pork, Fish, Etc.

200 Bbls. Brown FLOUR;
100 hlf-bbls do. do.
125 bbls. CORN MEAL.
50 do. MESS PORK.
150 Quintals new CODFISH.
40 Cases CANNED OYSTERS.
10 do do LOBSTERS
10 do do PEACHES.
7 do COLEMAN'S MUSTARD.

Geo. S. DeForest.
13 South Wharf

13th May, 1885.

TAILORING.

THE SUBSCRIBER begs to tender his thanks to the public of Miramichi who have so liberally patronised his business at his late stand and to inform them that he has removed to his new premises on Water Street, next door to the store of J. B. Snowball, Esq., where he will be glad to welcome all old customers and to make the acquaintance of new ones. He has on hand a most complete new stock of

All Kinds of Cloths,

from which selections may be made for a

Suits of Single Garments

inspection of which is respectfully invited.

F. O. PETTERSON.

NORTHERN & WESTERN RAILWAY.

CHANGE OF TIME.

On and after Monday, 25th inst., and until further notice, Trains will run daily, Sundays excepted, on the Eastern Section of the above road.

Leaving Chatham 9.00 a. m. Standard Time.
Arriving Blackville 11.00 " " "
Return, Leaving " 1.15 p. m. " "
Arriving Chatham 3.15 p. m. " "

Calling at intermediate Stations for freight and passengers.

The Train from Blackville will cross the intercolonial accommodation and Chatham Branch trains at Chatham Junction, and passengers for Newcastle and the North will be transferred.

J. B. SNOWBALL, Manager

CHATHAM, 22nd Jan'y, 1885.

G. A. BLAIR,

has on hand, a superior assortment

READY - MADE CLOTHING,

- COMPRISING—

Men's, Youths' & Children's Suits,

IN CLOTH, TWEED & VELVET

Which he is offering at prices suitable to the times.

LION COFFEE.

40 Tin "Lion brand" JAVA COFFEE, ground or unground quality guaranteed.

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General Business.

SALT AND WHITE LEAD.

LANDING EX. ETHELDUNE C, LIVERPOOL.

1750 Bags COURSE SALT.
550 do FF. FINE do
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EX. BRITISH QUEEN S. S. C LONDON.

3 Tons BRANDRAM & GENUINE WHITE LEAD.

GEO. S. DeFOREST.
13 South Warf St. John, N B.

Feb 18th 1886

For Sale or to Let.

The commodious Dwelling House in Nelson, KNOWN AS THE RIVER SIDE HOUSE occupied by the Subscriber. It is well adapted for a BOARDING HOUSE. Will be sold reasonable and possession given 1st May If not sold by that date will be offered by

PUBLIC AUCTION,

of which due notice will be given

For terms or further particulars apply to the subscriber.

JOHN B. ROBERTSON

Newcastle, Feby 16, 1886. 5-13

Tenders for Mussel-Mud.

Tenders (which will be received up to Saturday 27th inst., at noon) are hereby invited from parties willing to raise quantities of mussel-mud at a point between Middle Island and Black Brook. For particulars apply to

JOHN JOHNSTONE,
Chairman of Committee North'd Agricultural Society.

Chatham, Feby. 17th, 1886.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

The Subscriber offers for sale the following properties:

The farm on the Richibucto Road, containing 100 acres, with house, barn etc., known as the Robt. Loban farm.

The property on the Richibucto Road, fronting on Black River, south side, near the bridge, 50 acres.

The property on Richibucto Road, opposite Lawlor's, known as the Toole farm, 100 acres.

The property on Richibucto Road at the Bay du Vin River, containing 300 acres, with a good site for a mill.

Several other parcels of land situate on the Bay du Vin River.

Also the town lot with house thereon, situate near the residence of Mr. John Coleman.

All persons are hereby cautioned against trespassing on any of these properties, and a liberal reward will be paid for information leading to the detection of any person cutting wood or committing any other depredation thereon

For further particulars apply to

S. U. McCLLEY

Chatham, 10th Nov. 1885.

E. C. COLE, Merchant Tailor

—AND—

Gentlemen's Outfitter,

PALMER BLOCK, - MAIN ST.

MONCTON, N. B.

Our representative will make his regular trip North during March with a full line of samples—Spring and Summer Suitings, etc.—Wait for him.

HEMLOCK & CEDAR.

The undersigned are buyers of Hemlock and Cedar Logs delivered at Chatham, N. B. and Fredericton, N. B.

R. A. & J. STEWART.

Chatham, Jan. 14th 1886

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PATENT MEDICINES

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Flower Pots, Sponges, Toilet Articles and Fancy Soaps

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☞ To be sold Low FOR CASH.

E. A. STRANG, - - Chatham

Notice To Magistrates

Justices of the Peace will be supplied with DOMINION STATUTES for 1886, on application at this office.

SAM. THOMPSON,
Clerk of the Peace, Co. North'ld

Office, Clerk of the Peace,
Newcastle, Feb. 9, 1886.

ANTI-DUST Carpet-Sweeper.

A Boon to Housekeepers. The Bissell Carpet-Sweeper supplies a want long felt. No dust escapes to destroy the curtains and other furniture in a room. See them work and be convinced. Samples can be seen at Miss Staples' confectionary store, Water St., Chatham.

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