

The Weekly Observer.

HILLSBORO, N. B., Mar. 28, 1889.

Observations.

Albert County's M. P.

Our popular M. P. strongly advocated the building of the C. P. R. of the link between Harvey and Salisbury. He said the people of Albert were deeply interested in the construction of this link. He would feel it his duty to oppose the bill at every stage unless a guarantee was given to build this link.

Albert county takes great pride in its Dominion representative—Dr. Weldon—and certainly, it has cause to be proud of him. His bill respecting extradition is fast gaining ground with both parties. The petition presented the other day by the Montreal board of trade in support of the bill, affords a substantial proof of the extent to which the measure commends itself to the popular judgment, and fugitives from the avenging arm of American justice have every reason to feel restless.

Our Public Schools. From the "Annual Report of the Schools of New Brunswick" we glean the following information:— SECOND TERM, 1887. Number of Schools..... 1,542 Increase..... 38 Number of Teachers..... 1,613 Increase..... 100 Number of Pupils..... 55,492 Increase..... 1,560

Mr. Editor: A union meeting of the four W. M. A. Societies in the Hopewell Baptist Church, was announced on Sunday to be held at Hopewell Hill on Wednesday afternoon. The day was dark and dreary, the rain fell heavily and the mud was deep. It is doubtful if the wheels of the four Societies would have come home so well as they did that day.

Thinking the many West-Island County friends of R. v. Alex. would be desirous of hearing from him, we take the liberty of publishing a few extracts from a letter lately received by the editor.

Particulars of the Loss of the Vandalia. An English paper furnishes the following report of the loss of the Vandalia as given by the steward.—The Vandalia was proceeding up Channel on Wednesday night, close hauled, and everything promised fair for a speedy finish of a prosperous voyage. Although there was a fair breeze blowing, the night was fine and clear. He changed all his clothes, a thing he has never before done when going up channel, and turned into his bunk. Shortly after one o'clock he was aroused by a shock, and rushing up on deck saw a large steamer backing away from the bark. The crew were at once called on deck, and the captain found that the ship was making a deal of water. It was also ascertained that the oil barrels were floating out at the port bow, where the greatest damage was.

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The undermentioned non-residents of the Parish of Alma, in the County of Albert, are hereby notified to pay their respective Parish Rates as set opposite their names, for the year 1888, (together with the cost of advertising, 21 cents each) within two months from the date hereof, or the subscriber as his office in the Parish of Alma, otherwise legal proceedings will be taken to recover the same.

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Sheriff's Sale.

Will be sold at Public Auction on FRIDAY, the twenty sixth day of APRIL next, between the hours of TWELVE o'clock noon and FIVE o'clock in the afternoon, at the Court House in Hopewell, in the County of Albert and Province of New Brunswick:

ALL the right, title, and interest, property, claim and demand, of Warren Oliver, his personal right, and right of entry, both at law and in equity, of, in, and to all those certain lots of land and premises, situate in the parishes of Hopewell and Harvey in the said County of Albert, described as follows, viz: All those lots of land and premises, taken by the said Warren Oliver, for the construction of the Albert Southern Railway, lying on the North side of the Shepody River and which the road bed of said Railway was built and afterwards abandoned, and comprising a strip of portion of land about four rods wide across each of the following parcels, and bounded by each of the said parcels lands respectively, viz: The lands of John Kinzie, H. D. Cleveland, Edward Cleveland, William H. Newcomb, John C. Calhoun 2d, Thomas Calhoun, Benjamin Smith, James A. Smith, James McGowan senior, Samuel J. Calhoun, John C. Calhoun 1st, Hiram Smith and William M. Calhoun.

ASALE WELLS, SHERIFF. Dated Sheriff's Office, Hopewell, January 19th A. D. 1889.

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