Miramichi and the North Shore, etc.

CHATHAM SKATING RINK is again becoming quite an attraction to our young people.

THEY ALL WANT A CLUB:—The *World* man wants a club for the party and we think the party ought to want a club for him.

ASSIGNED.—A. W. Clark general trader, of Weisford, N. B., has assigned to A J. Babang, of Moncton. His liabilities are estimated at $5,000; assets about $3,000. There are some preferences.

INSURED AT ONCE:—Mr. Warren C. Winslow has been authorised by the British America Assurance Company to accept all classes of fire risks, issue policies and make endorsements, without delay or reference to the head office.

SERENADE:—St. Michael's Band turned out on Monday evening and serenaded Mr. Thos. Fitzpatrick and his bride, who had just been married at the Pro-Cathedral. The music was favourably commented on, this being almost the first public appearance of the band.

HEAVY STORM:—A snow storm raged all up on Monday and also on Tuesday night on the I. C. R. north of Campbellton, being worst between Rivière du Loup and Quebec. The drifts in some places were ten feet high and the storm was the worst of the season. The Quebec express was detained about 16 hours by it.

KIT!—While our drowsy neighbor is awake over the Escuminac Light appointment, will he please inform us how he thinks his $40 club is going to improve matters. The other organ's club will be sure to have nominees different from those of the $40 affair and, then, the fat will be in the fire again.

FAILED TO PASS.—The pharmaceutical examinations were continued last evening and the last paper was submitted to the candidates. The examiners were rather reticent as to their report but the gist of the matter is that three candidates failed to pass the examination Mr. McKenzie, one of the examiners, returns to Chatham this morning.—*Tel. of 24th.*

IF Mr. Carter was a sufficiently important and influential man to go around the county not long since securing signatures to the nomination of a Tory candidate for parliament and if his report of his success were a source of jubilation to the Van Winkle organ, why should he now be denounced as an alien because he has been absent from the country a twelvemonth?

PLAIN AND FANCY WORK:—The ladies of St. Mary's Guild, Chatham, are prepared to receive orders for all kinds of plain and fancy sewing, knitting, etc. and to promptly execute the same. They will supply both materials and work, or make up materials furnished by patrons. Orders will be received by Mrs Blair, President, or any other of the ladies of the Guild.

PERSONAL.—Post-Office Inspector King was in town last week making arrangements for placing a daily mail on the N. & W. Railway between Chatham and Fredericton

Mr. Snowball who left Chatham for England *via* Halifax, on Friday 18th, arrived there on Sunday last.

SENATOR CARVELL'S NARROW ESCAPE.—The Ottawa Citizen of Saturday says The Hon. Senator Carvell has met with several accidents in his time but he had an almost miraculous escape yesterday when, driving to the Rideau Club in a great hurry, he stepped from the sleigh, his foot passing into the outside ceiling, instead of beyond it. Just then the engine roared its usual announcement, and the horses hitched and plunged. He was dragged a few feet until he kicked a crack the stepping-stone before the club. Happily, the plucky driver hanging to the reins, stopped the horses before their career was such as to have smashed his leg between the framework of the sleigh and the stepping stone. The senator was shocked but not materially injured.

SHIPPING BARK EXTRACT:—The *Globe's* Fredericton correspondent writing on 25th, says:—"Mr. Miller of the Pokiok extract works is in town to-day. He came down to see if he could not make arrangements to ship his extract at a cheaper rates than he is paying at present. His extract is now shipped at Milville and goes to St. John via Woodstock by the New Brunswick railway, thence to its destination by the Intercolonial. Mr. Miller says he has been paying a very high rate to the New Brunswick road and is satisfied from negotiations he has had to-day that he can bring his extract from Pokiok to Fredericton by teams, and ship to Chatham junction by the Northern and Western cheaper than he can send it around by the present route. He will require between twenty and thirty teams to be constantly on the road to bring the extract to Fredericton, and this in itself would make quite a hum along the road from Pokiok to Fredericton."

There is no Better remedy for worms of any kind in children or adults than Dr Low's Worm Syrup.

The Highland Society.

At the general annual meeting of the Highland Society of New Brunswick at Miramichi which was held at Bower's Hotel, Chatham, on Monday the 14th inst. the following gentlemen were elected office bearers for the ensuing year:

President—Hon. R. Hutchison.
Vice-Presidents—Hon. P. Mitchell, R. R. Call and John Niven.
Directors — Alexander Morrison, J. C Miller, Wm. Murray, John Shirreff, Robert Ritchie, J. Ferguson, Wm. Wilson, James Brown, Ernest Hutchison, John Templeton, H. Marquis, Alex Loggie, (B. C.) D. M. Loggie, W. A. Park, Rev. W. Aitken, Hon. Robert Marshall, W. W. McLellan, John Sadler, J. Youmans, James Mitchell, John McDonald, Robert Loggie, Allan Ritchie.
Treasurer—D. Ferguson.
Chaplain—Rev. W. Aitken.
Piper—John Templeton.
Secretary—G. B. Fraser.
School Committee — D. Ferguson, W. Wilson, Wm. Murray, John Niven, Rev. W. Aitken.

Wm. Murray, R. R. Call, J. Niven, Wm. Wilson and John McDonald—Committee to get up an entertainment under the auspices of the society.

John Templeton, Donald Sutherland, D. M. Loggie and Alex McKay were elected to membership.

The financial statement showed the cost of the school building to be over $5000. A visit was paid to it, and all were pleased with the structure. The heating apparatus is working satisfactorily now.

Orange Blossoms.

A happy event took place at St. John's Church, West Belleville, at 10.30 this morning, being the marriage of Miss Emilie Ponton, niece of Mr. Wm. N. Ponton and daughter of the late Archibald Ponton Esq., to Mr. Alex. Montizambert. The bride was handsomely attired in a *sang-de-beuf* colored dress and looked charming, while the bridesmaids—Miss Morton and little Mildred Sankey of Toronto—were dressed in embroidered cream satin and pearl grey silk. The grooms-men were Mr. A. W. Ponton, brother of the bride and Master H. Ponton. Rev. D. F. Bigart officiated. The church was handsomely fashioned and decorated with evergreens and natural flowers, which contrasted most appropriately with the happy scene being enacted at the altar. Mr. and Mrs. E. Douglas Armour and Mrs. V. Sankey of Toronto, Mr. Montizambert of Port Hope, besides a few other near relatives were the only guests present. The happy couple took the noon train for their bridal trip to New York, Montreal and Quebec, amid the good wishes of a host of friends. The bride, by her amiable and pleasant nature was a favorite in the Bay City—*Daily Ontario*, Belleville, Jan. 21st.

Mr and Mrs Montizambert will make their home at Chatham, where Mr. Montizambert has been, in the Bank of Montreal service, for more than a year and where we hope the young couple may long reside.

The Alms House Supplies.

To the Editor of the Advance:

SIR:—In the *World* of last Saturday Mr McLachlan, Secretary of the County Almshouse Commissioners, shows that he is somewhat annoyed at one of the Councillors from Chatham for bringing to public notice matters in reference to the management of that institution. I do not wonder at this, as if I was in the same position I too would be annoyed, but I think I would have good judgment enough not to assist in bringing the matter before the public. Mr McLachlan has been a commissioner of the Almshouse for the last fourteen years. The supplying of that institution was let by tenders for one or two years after he had control, but that way of transacting business was not at all satisfactory or profitable to that gentleman, or to the parties who tendered for supplying it, as Mr. McLachlan was the inspector and, no doubt, would be hard to please as it would be much easier and also more profitable to supply it himself.

I may say here, for the information of that gentleman, that I was not at all anxious to bring the matter before the public, although I knew well it would not bear criticism, but I was drawn into it under the following circumstances:—While the Committee on Alms House accounts was in session making out a strong report against one of the Commissioners—Mr Attridge—for buying potatoes in Blissfield in May last, for one dollar and fifty cents per barrel, and asking the Government to remove him for doing so, I said, as I am a great lover of justice, it was very unfair to make such a strong report without hearing Mr. Attridge before the Council, as I do not like to condemn a man without a fair trial; and I also stated that I paid one dollar and twenty five cents per barrel for potatoes in May last, myself, and in June I bought them at eighty cents per barrel. Councillor Jones asked, How was ninety cents and a dollar a barrel for potatoes this fall? My answer was it was too much, when Councillor Jones said he saw, by the accounts of the Commissioner from Chatham that that was the price charged in their accounts; and large quantities at that. I said Why not, instead of condemning one man, condemn the whole system, as it is fifty years behind the age to supply any public institution without public competition."

I believe our Alms House is the only institution of that kind in the province that is supplied by the Commissioners at their own prices and without inspection. I have no doubt the commissioners will say it is run as cheaply as any Almshouse in the province and perhaps that is true but it is at the expense of the poor paupers' appetites, as will be understood from the meagreness of the bill of fare for the Almshouse as brought before the Council on two separate occasions. Under the direction of the Commissioners now in charge only one meal of meat a week—I presume with soup—was allowed, and when brought to task about it the Secretary said the inmates were as well fed as himself. The taxpayers of the county care little as to how he lives or what he may eat, but, by the way, he did not forget, although they only were getting one meal of meat in the week to supply them with the boiler he used when he was manufacturing tobacco. He said it would answer the purpose, as he often boiled cabbage in it before. He also says he will challenge any member of the Council to put a finger on any article and prove it overcharged. No doubt he is quite right in his offer, as he leaves no bills on delivery of any supplies and his accounts are only seen once a year, and that at the sitting of the Municipal Council, and, then, it is only seen generally by the committee on the Almshouse Accounts. What check is there on him?

I have been one of the standing committee for the last two years, with two others, and I can safely say some of the provisions now in the Almshouse storeroom are not such as any ordinary citizen would buy for his own use. The keeper does not report on these things, as I suppose he is in a position to say only that it is all good. Were he to say otherwise another man would, doubtless, soon take his place.

I was in hopes that when Mr. McLachlan tendered for the supplying of the soldiers while in camp here in June last, his experience would have waked him up, and I have no doubt it did, as he got the supplying of the cheese and a few other articles. He procured four or five hundred lbs. of cheese from a commission merchant here, at five or six cents per lb. and sent Danny and the boy out with it, but was soon told by the inspector that it was sound cheese that they wanted. If it had been the Almshouse he sent it to it would have been all right, as there was no inspector. In fact, it is a ready market for any goods he wants to get rid of and draw an order on the Secretary-Treasurer for the amount; and if anyone of the Councillors comments on his action he will be told they have no control over him as he is appointed by the local Government, which is true and he is beyond our reach. I do not suppose the Government anticipated that ever a commissioner would undertake to supply the Almshouse, unless he got it by tender and delivered his goods subject to inspection, but now as Mr. McLachlan's system is brought to their notice I hope they will take the matter into consideration and although the paupers now in the Almshouse have no votes see that they have protection against the existing abuses that have grown up under Mr. McLachlan's management.

ROGER FLANAGAN.

Burdock Pills cure sick headache by regulating the stomach, liver and bowels.

A Brilliant Social Event.

A more thoroughly enjoyable party than that given at the Waverly Hotel, Newcastle, last Thursday evening, by Mr. and Mrs. E. Lee Street, never took place on the Miramichi. The idea of holding a purely social affair of the kind at a hotel is new to this part of the country, and the success attending that of last week will, no doubt, encourage the practice, a suggestion which we know will be enthusiastically seconded by all whose privilege it was to be Mr. and Mrs. Street's guests. The large rooms of the Waverley were decorated for the evening and, although there were nearly a hundred guests, all seemed to participate in the dancing. Indeed the excellent taste, tact and constant attention of the host and hostess in the discharge of the duties of the occasion could not fail to result otherwise than in making their party a pronounced success. Much credit is due to Mr. and Mrs. Stewart of the Waverley for the completeness of their part of the arrangements, making the affair, as a whole, an event which will long be remembered as one of the best in the experience of Miramichi social life, which is saying a good deal. Of the toilettes of the occasion it may be said that they were models of good taste and, for the most part, rich in material and harmonious in color and design. The question as to who was "belle of the ball" was a difficult one to decide, although there were positive opinions expressed on the subject, and not always in reference to the same lady. With some, the honors were awarded to—but it won't do to be too positive, although our special artiste who noted the dresses favored a little vision in cream color, while a fair and vivacious one in a perfect harmony of light blue, another in cream and crimson, another in white silk and another in silver grey poplin had their champions. We give a partial list of the toilettes, and if some of the items are imperfectly put down, we hope the interested and interesting ones will overlook it:—

Mrs. E Lee Street—A very handsome Princess dress of silk (moon-on-the-lake), with black velvet bodice and trimmings—Head dress, feathers: Ornaments, gold.

Mrs. Surgent—Dress of pale green silk, plush bodice, Medici collar and pink trimmings: Gold, jewelry.

Mrs. Yeomans—White satin.

Mrs. J. W. Davidson—Pink silk and tulle.

Mrs. Sweet—Black grenadine and white tulle.

Mrs. Crocker—A very elegant dress of black silk, with velvet train and plush trimmings.

Mrs. Ferguson—Black watered silk with cream satin front and corsage—Ornaments, gold.

Mrs G. Burchill, jr.—Black lace.

Mrs. Edward Sinclair—Black satin—Ornaments, diamonds.

Mrs. D G. Smith, (Chatham)—Black silk, corsage bouquet, Pink Carnations.

Mrs. W. C. Johnson—Pale blue watered silk, *en train*, with black lace drapery: Head-dress, pearls.

Mrs. Geo. Stables—Steel watered silk, white lace drapery, corsage bouquet of Blush Roses and Smilax.

Mrs. Osborne Nicholson—Old gold satin, plush bodice, natural flowers.

Mrs John F. Burchill — Handsome black watered silk, velvet train, bodice trimmings of pink ostrich feathers.

Mrs. John Maltby, jr., (Brandon)—Garnet plush and satin, Court-train.

Mrs. Frank Morrison—Princess dress of cream satin and crimson watered silk, with crimson flowers.

Miss Whitlock, (St. Andrew's)—A very pretty dress of pale blue silk and japanese gauze, bodice cut square, trimmed with down—Head-dress, pearls and feathers: Ornaments, pearls.

Miss McCurdy, Truro, N. S.—Black lace dress, primrose trimmings.

Miss Haddow, (Dalhousie)—Cream lace.

Miss Sadie Winslow, (Chatham)—Dress of White satin.

Miss Minnie Morrison, (Chatham)—Cream silk, hand painted—Ornaments, gold.

Miss Maude Davidson—Black lace—Gold ornaments.

Miss Ada Maltby—Cream nun's veiling fastened on one shoulder with crimson feathers.

Miss Addie Thomson—White lace and satin.

Miss Belle McCurdy—Pink nun's veiling trimmed with pink plush.

Miss B. Sinclair—White satin and lace.

Miss Jessie Fish—Very handsome dress of silver gray poplin and pink plush, Medici collar.

Miss A. Harley—A very pretty dress of pink spangled gauze.

Miss Sargent—Pink surah silk.

Miss Lu Harley—White silk with tulle drapery.

Miss McLellan—Nile green silk, white lace and down trimmings.

The little daughter of Mrs. Street looked very sweet in a white lace dress over pink nun's veiling, with pink ribbons.

Carnival and Races at Newcastle.

There was an attendance of about five hundred persons at the Newcastle Skating Rink on Friday evening last, to participate in the Carnival and Races under the management of Messrs. Smallwood and Beckwith. Owing to the soft weather the ice was not in good condition for the races. The championship race, which was to have been one of three miles was reduced to two because of the heavy ice, and it was won by Copeland in eight minutes. Jones skated only a few laps when one of his skates came off and he was obliged to retire.

In the two-mile race for all-comers John Hart, Geo. Cowie, Tom Connors, and J. McGraw from Millerton entered, but none of them finished. Geo Cowie was the last to leave the ice, which he did when about four laps short of the two miles.

The barrel-race was won by C Jardine, W Jardine second, Sandy Johnson third and J Corbett a good fourth.

About 150 skaters in costume were present and after the races were over the ice was crowded.

The Indiantown train brought about 150 excursionists down from Blackville, Indiantown, Millerton, etc., and, altogether, the affair was a great success, notwithstanding the poor ice.

This (Thursday) night is band night at the Newcastle rink and the ice is in splendid condition.

Eczema, Itchy, Scaly, Skin Tortures The simple application of "SWAYNE'S OINTMENT," without any internal medicine, will cure any case of Tetter, Salt Rheum, Ringworm, Piles, Itch, Sores, Pimples, Eczema, all Scaly, Itchy Skin Eruptions, no matter how obstinate or long standing. It is potent, effective, and costs but a trifle.

Campbellton's Aspirations.

The enterprising railway centre of Restigouche has, for some time, been desirous of adding a newspaper to its other progressive institutions, but up to the present time nothing definite, so far as we are informed, has been done. Last Monday's *Sun*, however, said:—

Mr. Bruce McDougall, who has been in journalism in East Boston, called at the *Sun* office on Saturday on his way to Campbellton, where he is about to start a weekly newspaper called the Bugle.

"The Bugle will be independent in its politics. Mr. McDougall says that all men are good who advocate good measures. His associate will be Mr. Hazen McCarthy, son of Timothy McCarthy, whose death by violence or accident led to the Osborne trial some years ago. Mr. McCarthy is a graduate of St. Joseph's college. He speaks fluently French and English, and will edit the French column. Bruce McDougall informs the *Sun* that his residence in Boston has thoroughly cured him of any annexation ideas he may have had. Everything is rotten in the great republic he says."

And the *Telegraph* says:—

"C. Bruce McDougall was a passenger from Boston by the American steamer, on Saturday. Bruce says he and Mr Hazen McCarthy (who is a talented young man and a former resident of Moncton) are to publish a weekly paper in Campbellton. Mr. McCarthy has been connected with labor journals in Boston for some time, while Bruce has had considerable experience on the East Boston *Sun*. They have purchased the plant and equipments of the Chatham *World* office—so Bruce says."

In reference to the last sentence quoted, Mr. Stewart of the *World* assures us that there is no truth, whatever, in it, although he says he has been in correspondence with Mr. McDougall. While wishing that Campbellton may secure a newspaper we should be sorry to see the *World* leave this locality, as, in that case, some journalist might be induced by our Tory friends to venture into a field where we have seen so many promising ventures in that line suffer shipwreck.

The Electric Light.

We are glad to know that the difficulties and causes of complaint that have existed in connection with the electric lighting of the Chatham streets are at an end, and that we have now a regular, effective and satisfactory service. A good deal of fault has been found with the manager of the business—Mr. Macdougall Snowball—and also with others who would not join in doing so, but as it was, all along, evident that he was sparing neither expense nor trouble in making an honest endeavor to carry out his undertaking, it seemed best to give him what might even seem an unreasonably long time to get his plant in working order. We are quite sure that everybody will be pleased to know that he has fully succeeded in doing so, and that the police and light committee have adjusted his claims for the faulty and deficient service at last year and commenced with a clean sheet.

There are now fifty incandescent lights of 20 candle-power each—including those on the Station road and at the station. These are supplied by a Thomson-Houston dynamo.

There is also a three-wire, low tension service supplying dwellings, stores and offices. This is run by two Edison dynamos, each of 150 lights capacity. The demand for these lights is such that the Company is contemplating further additions to their plant.

The Electric Light station is now a very attractive institution and well worth a visit of inspection, although the active engine, whirring dynamos, running belts, electric flashes and brilliant lights are calculated to suggest careful personal movements, and great circumspection in handling the objects that present themselves.

Since the above was in type we have received the following for publication:—

CARD.

I desire to thank the Citizens of Chatham for their patience and forbearance in reference to the delay in lighting the town. I have had many difficulties and disappointments to contend with in getting the proper machinery, but have at last succeeded, and now have Edison's very best and most approved plant, and am determined to do all in my power to please, and give an efficient service.

MACD. SNOWBALL, Manager.

Doaktown Notes.

DOAKTOWN, JAN. 25, 1889.

What's the matter with the Doaktown correspondent of the ADVANCE. No notes from here since the 18th Dec. last! A whole month elapsed since anything has been heard of him through the press, and lots of interesting events have transpired that should have been in print before this, such as the return of our popular school teachers Miss S. E. Reeves and Mr. Wm. Munroe, but, as the writer of 18th Dec. prophesied, Miss E E. Estey counted among the absent ones. Miss Maud Fisher, who formerly taught in the District just vacated by Miss Estey, remained a day in Doaktown visiting her friends on her return to Derby, where she is now teaching.

Mr. Crocker is now teaching in the District known as the Archibald District. It is said he has upwards of forty scholars. Fortunately for the District, they have secured the services of a teacher who is capable of controlling such a large number in an ungraded school. He's the right man in the right place, for while his disposition is to lead, yet he has backbone and determination enough to drive where leading will not do.

The health of this section of country is good. No sickness to report—good for the people, but bad for the doctors.

Trade seems to be dull around the stores, as it is a daily occurrence to see the storekeepers outside cutting wood. But there is one article which about every customer seems to want or should have, and that is a pair of skates.

The streets have been so icy that most of the travelling public moved about on skates the principal trouble being to get the skates to move about on, as the stores seemed to be unable to make the supply equal to the demand.

The greatest sensation of the year was caused recently by the appearance of a large moose in the suburbs of the village. Great excitement prevailed when he was first seen on the south side of the River, it being supposed he had just come out of the woods. Everyone in sight of him forgot for the moment that there was anything else to do but catch him, and all started in pursuit, their noise attracting the near and some of the far neighbors, many on the opposite side of the river rushing over to assist in the pursuit, hoping to dine the following day on moose-meat. Noticeable among the pursuers were those with their guns and rifles all exerting every nerve to get nearest the moose and have first shot, but still more noticeable was the fact that some of them, although very anxious for moose-meat and the honor of shooting the moose were afraid of doing an unlawful act, which feeling induced them, at the last moment, to hand over their guns to less expert marksmen and be satisfied with seeing someone else doing the shooting, it having suddenly dawned upon them that it was contrary to law to shoot a moose at this season of the year. Fortunately for the people of the village (for the people were about all there) there is nothing in the law preventing drowning of moose as the result will show. The moose finding it unsafe on the south side of the river concluded to cross over and after trotting over a mile up the south side at a two minute gait pursued by all the men, boys, girls and dogs, he ran to the river and happened to strike it where it was not frozen over. He, undauntedly rushed into the swift current and proceeded to swim across, a feat he could have easily accomplished had it not been for the residents on the opposite side taking the fever for "moose" and all rushing to the shore to meet and capture him. There seemed to be no doubt in the minds of the people about capturing him, each vieing with the other for the honor of first "blood." The moose kept in the current swimming up and down the stream as long as he was able but, finally, becoming exhausted, he made a determined effort to go ashore on the north side but was met at the edge of the ice by the crowd with knives, ropes, guns, axes and other death-dealing instruments. Some proposed taking him alive and with that object in view grabbed him by the—well some say the nose and some say the ear while others contend it was the horns while others claim he had no horns and others are quite sanguine it was the *tail* he was caught by, but let that be as it may it is quite immaterial what hold they had for it was a case of "so near and yet so far" as the moose made a final effort to evade his anxious pursuers and escaped or rather went under the ice leaving everyone with an expression of utter disappointment on his countenance. When all hopes of capturing him ceased curiosity centered in where the moose come from, each concluding according to the location of him when first seen, but all curiosity on that point vanished upon the return of Mr. James T. Doak and Mr. Attridge from the meadows who reported they had seen him on the north side of the river some four miles from Doaktown that forenoon, and followed him some miles until they found he could go faster than they, when they gave up the chase.

Mr. Howard Holmes returned home from New Hampshire last week, looking well and proposes remaining the rest of the winter.

Miss Eliza Russell, who has been visiting her friends on the Nashwaak and in Fredericton has also returned looking well after her visit.

The weather keeps fine and roads good. The mails are still carried by the old method. [The new one is to be adopted to-morrow.—EDITOR.]

No demand for Marriage Licenses this year yet, but vacant houses and other appearances indicate a rush in that line of business soon. Dealers had better keep a supply on hand as customers will no doubt come forward before the cold weather is ended

In conclusion Mr. Editor let me ask you not to treat this correspondence as report says you did the one of 18th Dec. last, that is omit a portion of it as being too personal for publication, and correct the grammatical errors in the balance of it before any of it was fit to print.

[Our correspondent is quite in error, as the Doaktown correspondence of the date named required no correction or other alteration at our hands.—EDITOR.]

And her Doaktown correspondent writing under date of 22nd sends the following:

Roads and fields have been very icy. Everybody has been skating and sleigh-driving that could get out.

Operations in the woods are progressing finely, as it is a good time for picking up scattering trees.

The season is more favorable for lumber operations than it looked in the fall.

About six inches snow fell, accompanied by heavy east wind, yesterday, which will cover up the icy roads and make the hauling better.

Trade is quiet just now. Our two stores are doing a moderate business.

Mr R. Crocker—Messrs. R. Swim & Son's late clerk—is now teaching school in the Archibald school house. He thinks he can do better teaching school and attending to his farm.

The Temperance Council is doing good work and every body is quite sober and attending to their work.

Our Sabbath School is well attended and seems to be doing good work.

Miss Annie Robinson, daughter of Mr. R. D. Robinson, is quite unwell and confined to the house with lung trouble.

Rev. Mr. Montgomery preached here Sunday evening to a crowded house, Miss Jacobs presiding at the organ.

Mrs. Harvey Doak has presented to her husband a fine, bouncing baby girl, weighing about 10 lbs. Mother and child are looking well.

Kent County Notes.

RICHIBUCTO, January 29, 1889.

Mr. Geo. H. Miner of Albert County, has entered upon his duties as one of the teachers in the Grammar School building and comes highly recommended. He is also Warden of Albert County Municipality.

Mr. Stephen O'Donnell, proprietor of the "New Kent Hotel" lost a valuable horse on Saturday—cause over-heating.

Mr. William Brittain, of Kingston, lost a valuable cow and calf one day last week from some unexplained cause.

Mr. Joseph Weeks, of Amherst, N. S. has been in town the past five days selling Organs for which he has the agency. He has been quite successful, having sold several valuable instruments.

Mrs. James A. Jardine died on Wednesday last after a lingering and painful illness, leaving a disconsolate husband and eight children to mourn their sad and irreparable loss. Mrs. Jardine was a general favorite in this community and her early death in the forty-fifth year of her age has caused universal sympathy for her bereaved relatives. The funeral on Friday was very largely attended. Mrs. Jardine was the eldest daughter of Mr. Thomas G. Richardson, one of the oldest and most respected residents of this town.

Rev. D. V. Gwilym, Rector of St. Mary's Church, was waited upon last evening and presented by Mr. Oswald Smith, on behalf of the members of the church and some of the citizens of the town and Kingston, with a purse containing $35. Rev. Mr. Gwilym was completely taken by surprise as the handsome donation was quite unexpected. Recently Mr. Gwilym received from Mrs. Palmer, on behalf of the good people of St. Nicholas River, twenty bushels of oats. These, with many other appropriate and seasonable presents of which this reverend gentlemen has been the recipient, speaks more highly than words of the esteem in which he is held by the members of his congregation as well as by the citizens generally.

Municipal Council.

The continuation of the Municipal Council report—a portion of which appeared last week—is unavoidably held over this week to make room for other matter.

New Mail Arrangements.

The daily mail service on the Northern & Western Railway, between Chatham and Fredericton and intermediate points is to begin to-morrow. The offices to be served from Chatham will be the following:—

Nelson Station, Reynolds', Chelmsford, (from which a courier will be despatched to Doyle's Brook), Blackville (from which a courier will be despatched to Cain's River), Dunphy, Moran, Blissfield, Doaktown, McNamee, Ludlow, Boiestown, Avery's, Portage, Fredericton.

The following offices will be served from Fredericton—

Nashwaak Station, Maryaville, Penniac, Nashwaak Village, Nashwaak and Nashwaak Bridge.

We hope that Inspector King's recent visit to Chatham has convinced him of the inadequacy of our present Post Office accommodations. The service has outgrown the old trap now dignified with the name of a Post Office and we earnestly hope the Government will, at the session which begins to-day at Ottawa, provide for the erection of a new post office building here.

Mothers!

Castoria is recommended by physicians or children teething. It is a purely vegetable preparation, its ingredients are published around each bottle. It is pleasant to the taste and absolutely harmless. It relieves constipation, regulates the bowels quiets pain, cures diarrhœa and wind colic allays feverishness, destroys worms, and prevents convulsions, soothes the child and gives it refreshing and natural sleep. Castoria is the children's panacea—the mothers' friend, 35 doses, 35 cents.

Mrs. Jones hasn't a grey hair in her head and is over 50. She looks as young as her daughter. The secret of it is, that she used only Hall's Hair Renewer.

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At the Pro-Cathedral, Chatham, on Monday evening, 28th inst., by Rev Father Joyner, Mr. Thomas Fitzpatrick of Chatham, to Miss Janie Nowlan, late of New York.

At Blissfield, on the 28th inst., at the residence of David Y. Bamford, Esq., brother-in-law of the bride, by the Rev F. G Johnstone, Mr Otto Hildebrand of Blackville, to Miss Amelia A. youngest daughter of Mr. Thomas Wilson of Ludlow.

At the Methodist Parsonage, Chatham, on the 23rd inst., by the Rev. Robert S. Crisp, Thomas Murray to Alice, youngest daughter of Mr. James Dower, all of Chatham.

DIED.

At Richibucto, on the 22rd Jan., after a long illness, Emma, wife of James S. Jardine, in the 45th year of her age.

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"All that piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the Town of Chatham in the County of Northumberland aforesaid and abutted and bounded as follows, to-wit: Beginning on the easterly side of St John Street and on the southerly side of Church Street, at the intersection of said Streets, thence easterly along the southerly side of Church Street one hundred and fifty feet, or to the westerly side of lands owned by Francis Martin, thence southerly on a line parallel to St John Street, one hundred feet, or to the northerly side of lands owned by Thomas F Keary, thence westerly along the said Thomas F Keary's northerly side line and parallel to Church Street one hundred and fifty feet, or to the easterly side of St John street, thence northerly along the easterly side of St. John Street one hundred feet or to the place of beginning," which piece of land was conveyed to the said parties of the first part by Daniel Ferguson by deed bearing date the First day of June, 1883.

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