New Advertisement.

SALMON
FLIES.
Trout and Salmon Rods, Rod Tips, Trout and Salmon Reels, Oiled Silk Lines, Casting Lines, Salmon and Trout Gut, Landing Nets, Bows and Handles, Fly Books, Hooks, Rings and Keepers, Creels, etc., etc.
AT THE MIRAMICHI BOOKSTORE, CHATHAM, N. B.

"SILVER DOCTOR,"
"JOCK SCOTT,"
"BUTCHER,"
"PARSON,"
"TOPPY,"
"INDIANTOWN."
"HALIFAX,"
"FAIRY,"
"GREY WING,"
"DONKEY" &c.,
"WATER CRICKET,"

TROUT
FLIES.

Miramichi and the North Shore, etc.

THE "HORROWS" of war is the way the *Advocate* puts it.

ICE formed in different parts of the country last Saturday night.

MR. WYSE advertises a sale of household effects for Saturday of next week.

ILL.—We regret to learn that Mr. Jas. Gray, who is one of our most respected citizens, is dangerously ill.

A CODFISHING EXCURSION was made by the *Sultan* yesterday. The party was a private one and the trip very enjoyable.

DERBY.—Mr. John Bryanton of Derby, is finishing a very comfortable and neat dwelling, which he commenced this summer.

PERSONAL:—Rev. Wm. Wilkinson is spending a short vacation at Bushville. He held service very acceptably at St. Mary's Chapel last Sunday evening.

BUSINESS TRIP—Mr. John J. Mullin, of Messrs. Mullin Bros, St. John, who was in town this week is to visit his friends on the Miramichi again in a few days.

AT HOME.—Francis J. Letson, Esq who spent last winter and the spring in the South and West is at home again and much improved in health, a fact which cannot fail to give pleasure to all who know him.

THAT BLOOD SHOWER:—The *Advocate* intimates that a cow with a bleeding tail was the cause of the phenomenon. A more reasonable suggestion would be that the cow bursted after eating an over-dose of clover.

BAZAAR:—Thursday next is fixed upon as the date for holding St. John's Church bazaar. The preparations made by the ladies of the Church are on a scale which warrants the expectation that the affair will be a decided success.

COD FISHERY IN THE GULF.—The cod fishery along the shore from Shippagan to Caraquet has been unexceptionally good this year, the boats averaging 2000 or 2500 and some even taking as high as 4000 fish per trip. Such luck has not been known for some years past.

FAREWELL SERMON. On Sunday morning next the Rev. G. M. Campbell will preach his farewell sermon in the Methodist Church, Chatham, prior to his leaving for his new charge at Charlottetown, P. E. I. In the evening the Rev. Mr. McKeown, Superintendent of the Circuit, will preach his farewell sermon, he having been appointed to St. John.

FRESCO WORK.—The ceiling of the Masonic Hall, Chatham, has been frescoed during the past week by Mr. E. D. Parker, of the late firm of Parker a Brocks St. John, who is assisted by Mr. Lyon. The walls have also been colored and it is the intention of the managing committee to have the trimmings painted. The work done is very creditable to Mr. Parker. as a workman.

A PLEASANT AFFAIR.—A Strawberry Festival is to be held in Derby to morrow evening and arrangements have been made to convey excursionists from Chatham, Douglastown and Newcastle in the *Derby* and *Lorne*. The trip to Derby is worth much more than is to be charged for both trip and admission, and a good many ladies and gentlemen ought to avail themselves of it. As will be seen by advt. the *Derby* leaves Chatham at 7 p. m. Don t forget—to-morrow evening.

A MISERABLE BUSINESS:—The *Advocate* ought to have learned some time ago, that it connot promote its own interests or those of its friends by publishing vile abuse of the Editor of this paper, whether such abuse is original matter or copied from the *Star*, As for Mr. Adams he cannot congratulate himself on the character of his champions as evinced by the language they employ in his defence, nor can he claim our respect or that of the public at large so long as he is found in such company.

R. E. CHURCH.—Rev. T. L. Smith who has been Rector of Immanuel Reformed Episcopal Church, Chatham, for some two years, has been appointed "Missionary Evangelist for the Southwest" and has severed his connection with his late charge. He will remove, with his family to Denver, which will be the head quarters of his mission field. Mr. Smith and his family will be held in kindly remembrance by many friends made during their stay in Chatham.

PERSONAL.—Thos. D. Adams, Esq., of New York, is making his annual visit to Miramichi, having arrived on Sunday morning. He is accompanied by Arthur D. Williams, Esq., a New York Barrister and Messrs. B. W. Wilkinson and G. H. Wilkinson are, we learn, expected in a day or two. Messrs. Adams and Williams and the other gentlemen named have a great many warm friends on the Miramichi who delight in making their visits thoroughly enjoyable. Fishing and other excursions are got up in their honor, one down the river in the *Sultan* occupying yesterday. To day they go to Tracadie in the same steamer to enjoy the fine trout fishing of that river. Judge Morgan is not with the party this year, which is a matter of general regret. He made so many friends here during his visit two years ago that they would feel especial pleasure in seeing him again.

Entertainment of the Dutcher Reformers.

On Tuesday evening the Dutcher Reformers gave their weekly entertainment in the Masonic Hall. The chair was occupied by William Anderson, Esq., Prest. and the meeting was opened with prayer by the Rev. Mr. Mc. Bain. Addresses were delivered by the Revds. Messrs. Mc. Keown and McBain; Recitations by Misses Maggie Mowatt, Bessie Creighton, Bessie McKeown and Mr. Paul Klopfer There were Choruses by the Choir and Miss C. Johnston presided at the Piano.

At the close of the meeting John Shirreff, Esq., said that as the Rev Mr. McKeown was about to take his departure from Chatham, he had hoped a proper address would have been prepared for the occasion. This, however, had not been done, and it only remained to pass a vote of thanks to the reverened gentleman for his services, not only to their organization since its commencement, but to the cause of temperance generally. Many a night they would have had no programme worthy the occasion, had it not been for his valuable assistance, He would, therefore, move a vote of thanks to the Rev. Mr. McKeown for his services to the society since its first organization.

Mr. William Anderson said that the suggestion made by Mr. Shirreff had been present in his own mind during the meeting, but that he had been given to understand by Mr. Tweedie, that an address to the Rev. Mr. McKeown was being prepared.

The vote of thanks to the Rev. Mr. McKeown was then seconded by Mr. Wm. Johnson and carried unanimously.

The Rev. Mr. McKeown said he had been amply repaid for any services he might have rendered, by the success of the cause, and he hoped that the same spirit which had animated them in the past, would continue amongst them until the success of the cause was assured. He could only say that in whatever part of the province he might be if they would send for him, he would be happy to come and help them to hold a Jubilee. On motion of Adam Shirreff, Esq. the meeting was now converted into a business meeting, and non-members were requested to leave.

The matters brought up were the question of holding the meetings weekly or fortnightly and a motion was made by Capt. Brown relative to holding the meetings of the Society in the Temperance Hall, instead of in the Masonic Hall, in consideration of the smaller attendance during the summer months. It was finally decided that the meetings should continue to be held weekly, and that the Masonic Hall Company should be tendered the same terms for the use of their hall, as had been offered the Society for the use of the Temperance Hall, and that if they accepted them, the Masonic Hall should still be used by the Society.

Shocking Accident.

On Saturday morning about 7 o'clock a woodboat belonging to Messrs. R. & J. Stewart, in charge of Capt. McDougall, which had taken in her cargo at the Tracadie saw mill, was being towed into deep water by the tug *Zulu*, when she ran aground on the flats, before reaching the beaches. During the efforts of the tug to get her off a coil of rope was being run out, when a young man named Wilson Clarke, employed on board the woodboat, jumped into the coil to clear a foul and his legs being caught in the bight he was dragged quickly to the chock. In consequence of the great strain both legs were terribly broken and mangled between the ankle and the knee. The right one was almost completely torn off, hanging only by a portion of muscle at the back of the calf. The left leg was almost severed at about one inch above the ankle joint, only the skin keeping the foot attached to the leg. The unfortunate man was conveyed to the cook house near the mill, and Dr. J. S. Benson of Chatham was sent for immediately. He was accompanied by his brother, Dr. Joseph Benson, and they arrived at Tracadie about 8 p. m. on Saturday. On examining the limbs they found it impossible to save either. Chloroform was then administered and Dr. J. S. Benson assisted by his brother, amputated both limbs about midway between the knees and ankles. Although the man suffered severely from the shock at the time, yet by Monday last he had rallied wonderfully, and when Dr. J. S. Benson left on Monday morning, at 8.30, the patient was doing well, and apparently quite comfortable. Much sympathy was evinced for the unfortunate man, both by his fellow-employes, and through the neighborhood, generally.

Clark belongs to Charlotte County. His father is Light-keeper at Bliss' Island and we believe his uncle occupies a similar position at St. Andrews.

Dr. Benson proceeded to Tracadie yesterday with the intention of having Clark removed to Chatham. It can, no doubt, be safely done in a woodboat, and if he is placed in the Hospital of the Hotel Dieu, he will receive attention which it would be impossible to secure for him at Tracadie, although those among whom he is there do all that kindness and the facilities available permit.

Newcastle Jottings.

Col. Ingraham is at the "Mitchell House" with a large supply of the "Walter A. Wood, Improved Mowing Machine" from Messrs. McFarlane, Thompson, Anderson's factory, Fredericton. He offers to wager $100 that this machine is less complicated and less liable to get out of order than any of the machines made in Ontario.

The Trustees of St. James' Church have secured the services of Mr. McKean, Architect, of St. John, to prepare plans and specifications for the alteration and remodelling of their place of worship.

There was enough ice on the Railway platform at Bartibogue to enable Capt. Barker to enjoy a good slide on Saturday morning last.

The hay crop, which promised so much, is not going to turn out as well as was anticipated. Potatoes and wheat are looking well for the season.

Coun. Schofield claims, it is reported that one third of the Councillors are in favor of Annexation, and that two thirds of the electors of his own parish, including its heaviest taxpayers are also in favor of it.

The contractors for the Bridge at Rolph's expect to finish their work about the middle of next month.

Messrs. D. & J. Ritchie & Co's mill shut down on Saturday last. This makes three steam saw mills in the town now idle.

On Sunday last, shortly after eleven o'clock, in the forenoon, an out-building belonging to the old Grammar School was discovered to be on fire. An alarm was at once given and in three minutes thereafter the Fire Company had their Engine at the tank and all the hose stretched therefrom towards the fire. It was then found that the hose was short, 200 ft., and the Firewards promptly ordered out the Steam Engine (for which no company has yet been organized) but owing to the faulty manner in which the fire was made in the boiler it was some fifteen minutes before steam could be got up, and in the meantime, the building burned down.

Blackville Notes.

Messrs. Fairley & Wilson's mill is running on full time in spite of the dull times.

Messrs. Gearish & O'Brien who have the contract for building the bridge across Bartholomew's River, have commenced operations.

The Bark Extract Factory at Derby being shut down, there is no bark being pealed this season and the farmers who have been depending on employment at this and on the roads are sadly disappointed. It is said that there are over 3,000 barrels of Hemlock extract stowed at the factory and 3,000 cords of bark on hand.

A bridge across the Renous at the end of McLaggan's road near the farm of Mr. James Close is advocated by the people in that vicinity.

Municipal Council.

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In justice as well as in courtesy the $40 ought to be refunded.

Coun. McLaughlin said he disagreed with Coun. Whitney in reference to the circumstances attending Mr. Campbell's appointment. It was made because Mr. Campbell was believed to be well qualified for the position and he obtained it fairly and as a gentleman. As a Councillor Mr. Campbell had proved himself efficient and intelligent, though he did not talk quite so much, perhaps, as Councillors Whitney and Brown. If he were present, however, he (Coun. McLaughlin) had no doubt he would give both of those gentlemen "as good as they sent." Coun. Whitney seemed to fly off the handle at times and perhaps it was because there was something wrong with him after dinner. Even his (Coun. McLaughlin's) colleague (Mr. Schofield) was disposed to behave a little strangely over this affair for he missed him just at this particular time. He liked to see a man act like a man and do what he believed to be his duty. He held that Ex-Councillor Campbell was entitled to receive back the $40 and it ought to be voted to him.

Coun. Sullivan said the Council had taken Mr. Campbell's money and could not conscientiously keep it. Let any Councillor apply the Golden Rule in the matter and he would vote for the motion under discussion. Coun, Campbell had placed himself right under the law at the earliest possible moment, and in doing so had been obliged to pay $40, out of his pocket. Justice required that it should be handed back to him. He would vote for the motion and was not afraid of the people he represented disapproving of his act.

A division being had on Coun. Fotheringham's motion it was carried by the following vote:—

Yeas—Cameron, McLaughlin, Burchill, O'Brien, Fitzpatrick, McNaughton, Lawler Fotheringham, Sullivan,—9.

Nays—Brown, Whitney, Crocker, Betts, Freeze, Fowlie, Loggie, Savoy—8.

After the vote had been taken and decided and the names had been called for, Coun. Hays—who like Coun. Schofield, had been standing outside of the bar of the Council—took his place and Couns. Whitney, Crocker, Brown and others, wanted his name added. The Warden, however very properly, decided that it could not be added just then.

REVISORS' PAY.

Coun. Burchill from the Committee on Revisors', pay submitted a report recommending that the Councillor-Revisors for Chatham and Newcastle receive $10, each and the third Revisors $4 each; that the Councillor-Revisors for Nelson receive $8 each, and the third Revisor $2, and that the Councillor-Revisors for all other parishes receive $6, each and the third Revisors $2, each.

Coun. Crocker characterised the recommendation as a scheme to get more pay for Councillors and said it was mean and contemptible, especially as the County in these hard times could not afford to have extra burdens laid upon it.

Coun. Freeze expressed similar views.

Coun. Cameron thought the old rate sufficient.

Coun. Sullivan thought the old rate rather small, although the scale recommended might be too large.

Coun. Whitney said the rate proposed was not too large, though he would not vote against it being lessened.

Coun. Betts said he remembered that Coun. Whitney characterised a similar proposition two years ago as a "Salary Grab." He thought the Council ought to lessen, instead of increasing expenses.

Coun. Bamford thought the present rate inadequate, although he would vote for a lower rate than that proposed.

The Council divided on adopting the Report as follows:—

Yeas—Brown, Whitney, Bamford, Schofield, McLaughlin, Burchill, O'Brien, Fitzpatrick, McNaughton, Fotheringham, Lawler, Fowlie, Sullivan, Loggie, Savoy, Hays—15.

Nays—Freeze, Cameron.

Coun. Crocker, who was outside the bar when the vote was taken, wanted his name added to the nays, but the Council voted against permitting this to be done.

FERRY-RENOUS RIVER.

On motion of Coun. O'Brien it was ordered that a Ferry be established on the Renous River, at or near D. McLaughlin's, and the following rates of ferriage were fixed.

Horses and neat Cattle,	12c each.
Horse and Vehicle,	20c.
Passengers,	8c each.
Sheep or Goats,	5c each.

OVER-ASSESSMENT.

Coun. Burchill presented a communication from Mr. James Murray of Newcastle asking for relief from over assessment on his property and after brief discussion it was decided to send for Mr. Mason, Assessor, with whom Mr. Murray had communicated, as by law provided, stating, under oath, the value of his property prior to the assessment being made.

ACCOUNTS.

The following accounts having been examined by the Auditor were submitted by Coun. Burchill, Chairman of Accounts Committee, and passed.—

Saml. Thomson, filling up School Lists	$29 00
Robt. G. Anderson—repairs to Co. buildings	3 75
C. F. Bourne, Telegrams and expressage	2 27
E. P. Williston, half year's salary as Auditor	37 50
Angus Buckley, assisting to arrest Jas. Regan and taking him to Lunatic Asylum.	22 50
D. G. Smith printing and advertising	$25 20
J. R. Goggin, handcuffs	5 00
Angus Campbell, expenses in case of Joseph Mahar	11 40
Thos. Reynolds, Lime, Meals caretaking etc. in connection with Chatham Lockup	62 00
John Thompson M. D., visiting and examining for lunacy,	9 36
John Shirreff, High Sheriff, for various official services	275 55
W. P. Bishop, M. D., attendance on prisoners, medicines, examining lunatic, etc.	29 00
Angus Campbell, board and attendance, washing, etc. in connection with Jail	270 60
J. S. Benson, M. D. Coroner Inquests and other services	26 57
COUNCILLORS' MILEAGE FEES,	
Kenneth Cameron	13 00
D. McLaughlin	5 00
John L. Schofield	5 00
Samuel Freeze	9 40
Enoch Bamford	9 00
R. P. Whitney	1 80
W. S. Brown	2 80
John Betts	1 60
Wm. McNaughton	3 20
James Fitzpatrick	2 60
Wm. Lawler	1 20
John Fotheringham	1 20
Patk. Hays	80
Geo. Fowlie	4 20
Jeremiah Sullivan	9 00
Robert Loggie	9 00
Romain Savoy	6 40
Constables	
Jeremiah O'Sullivan	3 00
Angus Campbell	3 00

THE MURRAY OVER-ASSESSMENT MATTER.

Assessor Mason being present and also Mr. James Murray the communication of Mr. Murray was taken up. On behalf of Mr. Murray the Secretary-Treas. read the law bearing on the subject from the Act of 1878 Cap. 39 which provides for the relief of persons over-assessed on their taking certain action, which action Mr. Thompson showed, had been taken by Mr. Murray. He said that according to Mr. Murray's showing he had, before the assesment was made, given a written statement to Mr. Mason showing the value of his property to be, real estate $2,750. personal property $3,250 less $700 for debts and $200 for working tools, which made his property, for the purpose of assesments, worth $5,100. Instead, however, of being assessed on this amount, his property was valued at $8,350 and over-assessed to the amount of $33.65. Mr. Murray's statement also embraced an affidavit that he was prepared to sell his real estate at the figure he had named. Mr. Thomson, for Mr. Murray, asked the Council to consider the matter and do justice.

Coun. Betts enquired whether the change in the valuation sought by Mr. Murray if adopted, as a general basis, would not involve the raising of the rate of taxation and, in the end, amount to the same thing.

Mr. Mason, having received permission to state his understanding of the matter to the Council said Mr. Murray came to him early in April and gave him a written statement putting his real estate at $6,000, but he evidently meant that his whole property was worth that figure. He (Murray) took this statement away and on 19th April came back with another which was the one just referred to by the Secretary-Treasurer. He told Mr. Murray that he must value his real estate on the same basis as he had other property for the purposes of assessment and, besides, he believed the property to be of a higher value than that set upon it by Mr. Murray.

To illustrate the merits of Mr. Murray's valuation he would say that he asked four gentlemen well acquainted with the value of Mr. Murray's property to figure up what it was worth. They each made an estimate and there was not $200 difference between them, while each valued it some $3,000 above his (Mr. Mason's) valuation.

Mr. Murray was given permission to speak and said he had presented the statement submitted by him to the Council to Mr. Mason who said Mr. Call told him to make the value as he had made it. He told Mr. Mason that he was willing to take even less for his property than the sum named and sworn to by him (Mr. Murray) as its value, but Mr. Mason replied that he would assess the property as he pleased.

Mr. Mason said this statement was incorrect.

Mr. Murray said he asked Mr. Mason how it was that he was so "salted" in the assessment and the latter said Call made the valuation.

Mr. Mason denied this, also,

Mr. Murray continued, refering to the purchase of his property at $2,400 when times were good and said he had sold one half of it since. He thought it most singular that he should be assessed for more than double the first cost on only one half of the property.

Mr. Mason pointed out that the property was much improved—a foundry having been built upon it, a house doubled in value and the value otherwise enhanced.

Mr. Murray contended that his business was not a paying one. Coun. Brown, in a somewhat lengthy speech argued that the assessment was correct because other properties were valued in the same proportion.

Coun. Lawler said he regretted that the Councillors for Newcastle parish would not take this matter up and give the Council their views of it.

The Warden—Would you have no assessment for Income made on Mr. Murray? None is made while many young men are obliged to pay tax on income!

Coun. Lawler said it was right that young men should be assessed on income when they had one, but he ventured the assertion that few manufacturers had any income from their business at the present time. Councillor Burchill agreed with Coun. Lawler and said those who were in receipt of fixed salaries were best off and in good position to pay assessments on income.

After further discussion the Council adjourned for tea.

SCHOOL DEBT.

In the evening the Secretary-Treasurer read a notice from the Provincial Secretary relating to the arrearage on the County School Loan and requesting the attention of the Muncipality thereto. In reply to interrogatories, the Secretary-Treasurer said that by paying over the surplus created by the 10% added to the County assessment, he had gradually reduced the debt to $1,600. He proposed that after paying the School drafts he should continue, as before, to appropriate any balance left to the liquidation of the amount still due.

Coun. Lawler made a motion embodying the Secretary-Treasurer's proposition. He referred to the fact that several parishes had not accepted the School Law at first, although they paid a large amount of taxation, which went to assist the schools of the other parishes and relieve the local ratepayers. Not only did the parishes which accepted the law receive this benefit at the expense of such parishes as Chatham, but ever since Chatham had accepted the law her proportion of the per capita tax for the support of schools amounted to $1,000 per year more than she received back from the County Fund—showing that there was every justice in the surplus referred to by the Secretary-Treasurer being appropriated as that officer suggested.

Coun. Brown argued that every parish ought to pay its own arrearage.

Coun. Burchill favored Coun. Lawler's motion as an equitable one, which would obviate a special assessment.

Coun. Freeze said the motion would result in all the parishes having to contribute to the default of the few.

Coun. Brown made a second speech contending against the motion and was replied to by Coun. Lawler.

The Secretary-Treasurer said he made the proposition because, under it, no one parish would be called upon to pay a cent additional to what it would otherwise pay—the 10% on which he depended for the gradual liquidation of the debt being imposed by law, and its payment being required in any case. If, however, the Council wished that the other course should be taken, he would put on the special assessment.

Coun. Lawler's motion being put to vote and a division had, it was lost, the names being as follows:—

Yeas—Savoy, Loggie, Lawler, McNaughton, Fitzpatrick, Burchill, Hays, Brown.

Nays—Cameron, Freeze, Betts, McLaughlin, O'Brien, Fowlie, Sullivan.

A Tavern License was granted for 6 mos. to B. N. Gray, Newcastle,

Coun. Burchill from the committee appointed in the forenoon to fix a valuation on the lot occupied by A. A. Davidson, Esq., reported progress, saying that Coun. Crocker, one of his associate committeemen had gone away, while the other, Coun. Whitney, had declined to assist him to deal with the matter.

Coun. Brown moved that interest due from Mr. McGruar on purchase money of a piece of public land bought by him in Newcastle several years ago, be not exacted.

Coun. Lawler enquired why McGruar should claim this favor at public expense.

Coun. Brown here got out near the Warden's chair to speak and Coun. Lawler called him to order saying he should address the Council from his place, as the Rules of order required.

Coun. Brown claimed that he wished to get near the light in order that he might "see how to speak."

Coun. Sullivan thought it might be well to have some lamps so that the Councillors might "see how to hear."

The Secretary-Treasurer referring to the claim of Mr. McGruar, said that the Roman Catholic corporation and himself had purchased lands at the same sale at which Mr. McGraw did, and had paid the principal and interest. It would be quite agreeable to him if Mr. McGruar's interest were remitted as, in that case, he presumed the interest he had paid would be refunded.

Coun. Brown's motion was voted down.

It was ordered, on motion of Coun. Burchill, that the Jail Keeper be directed to take charge of the County lot adjoining the Jail, and occupied by Mr. Davidson, until the committee appointed for the purpose had valued it, an amendment by Coun. Freeze that the matter lie over until next session being negatived.

An account submitted by Messrs. W. & J. Anslow amounting to $36.35 was reported upon by the Auditor as containing overcharge to the amount of $4.15 and it was ordered that it be paid less that sum.

Coun. Brown moved that possession be taken of the Shaw lot in the town of Newcastle, which was given to the Dominion Government with the understanding that a drill shed should be erected upon it, the conditions of the gift having not been carried out.

The Secretary-Treasurer showed that the title was in the Dominion Government and that certain further encouragement for the erection of the drill shed promised for the town of Newcastle had not been offered.

Coun. Lawler thought it better not to meddle with the matter until the Council was better informed of its merits.

The motion was withdrawn.

Coun. Burchill being moved to the chair, a vote of thanks, moved by Coun. Fowlie, was unanimously tendered to Coun. Bourne for the satisfactory discharge of his duties as Warden, to which the Warden made an appropriate reply and moved a vote of thanks to the members of the press for their attendance at Council Meetings and reports thereof published without charge. A vote of thanks to the Secretary Treasurer was also moved by Coun. Burchill. Both motions passed unanimously.

Couns. Brown and Lawler and the Warden were appointed a committee to provide desks for the two Councillors from the divided parish of North Esk and the Council adjourned *sine die*.

The University.

A good deal of dissatisfaction is expressed because the Senate of the New Brunswick University, has appointed a Mr. Fletcher to the Classical chair, which has been temporarily filled for several months by W. P. Dole, Esq., of St. John. It is pretty generally conceded that Mr. Dole is well qualified for the position, being a classical scholar of fine attainments and a teacher of much experience. Under the circumstances it seems unfair that Mr. Dole's claims should have been overlooked, especially as he is a New Brunswicker and a graduate of the University.

General Notes and News.

SIR JOHN MACDONALD's health is stated to be improved of late, though he is unable to sit up for any length of time.

DEATH OF THE PRINCE IMPERIAL.—The official enquiry into the death of the Prince Imperial has closed. Lieut. Carey will be court martialled.

AGRICULTURAL DEPRESSION IN ENGLAND.—A recent despatch dated, London, says that the Commons have adopted resolutions appointing a commission to investigate the causes of agricultural depression. It was asserted by a number of the members that American competition was the cause.

A BRANCH HOUSE.—Mr. Luke Stewart has decided to open a branch office at Baltimore, and for this purpose has associated with himself Mr. T. E. Morrison, who starts for that city this morning. The Baltimore firm will be known as Luke Stewart & Co., ship brokers. We wish the house every success.—*Sun.*

SUDDEN DEATH.—Halifax, July 8.—Mr. Martin P. Black, teller of the Halifax Banking Company, died very suddenly last night. He left the Bank at a quarter to six in the best of health, and during the night his wife was awakened by a slight struggle and found her husband dying. He never spoke a word. Mr. Black was one of the oldest and most respected residents of Halifax, and his sudden death has cast a gloom over the city.

THE PRINCESS:—H. R. H. the Princess Louise arrived at Quebec on Saturday night by the Intercolonial Railway and crossed over to the city at 8.15 p. m. in the police steam yacht "Dolphin" in company with Lady Sophia Macnamara and Hon. R. Moreton, who crossed to Levis to meet her. Her Royal Highness caught two of the finest salmon killed weighing about 25lbs. each, one of which was shipped to the Queen in ice by the mail steamer on Saturday. The Governor General and Major DeWinton left Restigouche yesterday.

A CIRCUS OF OUR OWN.—The nucleus of a first-class Canadian circus and menagerie is already formed says the Lindsay *Post*. Sir Leonard Tilley can bring out his N. P. elephant and Mr. Wallace his rag baby. Sir Charles Tupper, as the giraffe will excel in stretching. Boultbee and Rykert can do the clown business, and Sir John himself the ground and lofty tumbling, with his great specialty of squeezing through a Letellier knot-hole of the smallest dimensions. Bowell and Langevin will shine as clog-dancers and contortionists. The latter will also lift $32,000 with his little finger—an unparalleled performance. Lady Jane Morris, the charming equestrienne from the North West, will do bareback riding, and go through globular hemispheres. A couple of stuffed dead ducks from Lindsay will attract crowds. A band of trained monkeys and official assignees will play the hand organ and take up collections.

How to be Beautiful.

Many hundred thousand dollars are annually expended by ladies, for "art ificial" appliances to hide the shrunken and wasted form, or the sallow skin, blotches, or liver spots, which are due to female weakness, dyspepsia, torpid liver, and constipation. If a small per cent. of this sum were invested in Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, ladies would soon *really* be what they now *seem* to be. It readily corrects those weaknesses and diseases upon which debility and emaciation depend. It cures dyspepsia by toning up the system, and when used in connection with Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Purgative Pellets, speedily overcomes all irregularities of the liver and bowels. No "bloom of youth," no "beautifier of the complexion," can impart such permanent beauty of face and form as Dr. Pierce's health-giving Favorite Prescription.

An Undeniable Truth.

You deserve to suffer, and if you lead a miserable, unsatisfactory life in this beautiful world, it is entirely your own fault and there is only one excuse for you,—your unreasonable prejudice and skepticism, which has killed thousands. Personal knowledge and common sense reasoning will soon show you that GREEN'S August Flower will cure you of Liver complaint, or Dyspepsia, with all its miserable effects such as sick headache, palpitation of the heart, sour stomach, habitual costiveness, dizziness of the head, nervous prostration, low spirits, &c. Its sale now reaches every town on the Western Continent and not a Druggist but will tell you of its wonderful cures. You can buy a Sample Bottle for 10 cents. Three doses will relieve you.

Cramps and pains in the stomach or bowels, or in any part of the body, no matter how severe or what the cause, can be relieved by *Johnson's Anodyne Liniment* used internally and externally.

More than twenty years ago we had chills and fever, and the recollection of it makes us shake even now. But this disease no longer terrifies us. *Parson's Purgative Pills* are a sure preventive.

The Death-rate of

Our country is getting to be fearfully alarming, the average of life being lessened every year, without any reasonable cause, death resulting generally from the most insignificant origin. At this season of the year especially, a cold is such a common thing that in the hurry of every day life we are apt to overlook the dangers attending it and often find too late, that a Fever or Lung trouble has already set in Thousands lose their lives in this way every winter, while had *Boschee's German Syrup* been taken, a cure would have resulted, and a large bill from a Doctor been avoided. For all diseases of the Lungs, *Boschee's German Syrup* has proven itself to be the greatest discovery of its kind in medicine. Every Druggist in this country will tell you of its wonderful effect. Over 950,000 bottles sold last year without a single failure known.

Shipping Intelligence.

Port of Chatham.

ENTERED.

July 2—Bk. Maria, 444, Grubbstrom, Bristol, bal., R. A. & J. Stewart.

3—Brgtne, Catherine, 177, James, Teneriffe, bal., B. Morrison.

4—Brgtn. Kate, 188, Richards, Teneriffe, bal., Guy, Bevan & Co.

7—Bk. Bertha, 401, Schutt, Holland, bal., Wm. Muirhead.

Bk. Bertha, Bahlruhs, 526, Wilschke, London, bal., J. B. Snowball.

Schr. Wild Briar, 84. McLeod, St. Johns, Nfld., bal., A. Morrison.

CLEARED.

July 2—Ship St. Petersburg, 764, Hansen, Bordeaux, deals, Wm. Muirhead.

Bk. Tagal, 662, Jacobsen, Sharpness, deals, A. Morrison.

3—Bk. Ross, 334, Hansen, Caen, deals, J. B. Snowball.

4—Bk. Anna, 548. Wetlesen, Garsden, deals, J. B. Snowball.

5—Bk. Rival, 361, Ganz, Cardiff, deals, R. A. & J. Stewart.

Bk. Wilhelm I, 430, Petersen, Penarth Roads, deals, Guy, Bevan & Co.

7 Bk. Prinds Oscar, 711, Munthe, Penarth Roads, deals Guy, Bevan & Co.

8—Bk. Christane, 332, Haagensen, Liverpool, deals, J. B. Snowball.

July 8th—Bk. Sorridderen, 460, Reinerksen, Dublin, deals, Guy, Bevan & Co.

Bk. Eglantine, 515, Guizot, Marseilles. deals, R. A. & J. Stewart.

9th—Bk. Respit, 458, Jensen, Valencicl, deals, J. B. Snowball.

MARRIED.

At the Manse, Blackville, on the 5th inst., by the Rev. T. G. Johstone, Mr. James Bean, to Miss Jane Craig McRae, both of Blackville.

New Advertisements.

JNO. J. HARRINGTON,

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,
NOTARY PUBLIC, &c.
OFFICE, UP-STAIRS, McLACHLAN'S BUILDING,
Water St. Chatham.

BOARD.

A LADY and Gentleman may hear of excellent boarding accommodation. Apply at the ADVANCE Office. 3y24

Household Effects.

To be sold at Auction, on SATURDAY 19th. inst., at 10, a. m., at the

Reformed Episcopal Parsonage,

opposite Immanuel R. E. Church, the following Household effects:—

1 Cabinet Organ,

1 Sofa, 2 Carpets and 1 Rug, 6 Chairs, 1 Rocking chair, 1 Sewing Machine, 1 Hard Coal Stove and Pipe, (base burner,) 1 small Stove and Pipe, 1 Cooking Stove, 1 Wooden Bedstead, 1 Iron Bedstead, 1 Franklin Stove, 3 Tables, 3 Feather Beds, 6 Common Chairs, 1 Wash Stand, 1 Wood Saw, 1 Meat Saw, 12 School Seats, 2 Toilet Sets, a lot of Firewood, 2½ bbls. Hard Coal, 1 Axe, 1 Hammer, 2 Wash Tubs, 1 Wash Board, 2 Buckets, 4 Jars, 1 Jug.

Glass Jars, 6 Dinner Plates, 1 Coffee Mill, Tea Cady, etc., etc.

All sums of $10.00 and under Cash, over that amount 3 months credit with approved security.

WM. WYSE,
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MOWING MACHINE OIL.

15 Doz. Hay Rakes,
13 " Scythes,
5 " Patent Snaths,
5 " Hay Forks,
20 " Scythe stone, (best red ends,)
Mowing machine Oil, (especially put up)
Castor. "
Seal "
Refined Machine "
Boiled & Raw Paint "

MACHINE BOLTS & NUTS,

HEAVY BARN DOOR HINGES AND ROLLERS.

Best Refined Iron,
(ALL SIZES.)

NAILS AND SPIKES,
CUT and WROUGHT.)

Together with the best assortment of

HARDWARE,

ever offered in Chatham, which will be sold

VERY LOW,

to suit the times.

CALL AND INSPECT,

as I am selling at a very small profit.

General Hardware Store, - - - - - - Chatham.

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STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL.

THE LADIES of DERBY, intend holding a Strawberry Festival, at the

TEMPERANCE HALL,

there, in aid of the organ fund of the

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, DERBY,

ON FRIDAY EVENING, JULY 11TH., 1879.

The steamer "Derby" will leave Chatham at 7 p. m., Douglastown at 7.15.

The steamer "Lorne" will leave Newcastle at 7.30, p. m., returning to same places after the entertainment.

Tickets for tea and return trip by steamers, only 25 cents. For sale at the stores of Messrs. W. & G. Watt, Newcastle and Chatham, Wm. Murray, Esq., Chatham, and Messrs. Gilmour, Rankin & Co., Douglastown, James Davidson, James Brown, John Ferguson, R. R. Call, Newcastle, on the boats and at the door.

Choice refreshments will be sold during the evening.

A good time may be expected.

COMMITTEE:

GEORGE HARPER, WM. CARUTHERS,
JAS. ROBINSON, GEO. HENDERSON,
WM. MILLER, Jr. J. C. MILLER,
J. J. MILLER, Sec'y.

New Advertisements

BAZAAR.

St. John's Church Bazaar,

will be held on

THURSDAY, 19TH INST.,

—IN THE—

MASONIC HALL,

OPENED AT TWELVE O'CLOCK,

ADMISSION.....10 cents.

Dinner at one, Tea at six.

The refreshment table will be furnished with Strawberries, Ice Creams, &c., &c.

NOTICE.

LOST, a considerable sum of money between Newcastle and Mr. James Russel's, Upper Nelson. The finder will be liberally rewarded on leaving it at this Office. 3y17

Insolvent Act of 1875 and Amending Acts.

In the matter of Richard Davidson, an Insolvent.

A Writ of Attachment has been issued in this cause, and the creditors are notified to meet at my office, in Chatham, on Friday, the 18th day of July, next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, to receive statements of his affairs and to appoint an Assignee, if they see fit.

Dated at Chatham, in the County of Northumberland, this 30th day of June, A. D., 1878.

JOHN ELLIS, Official Assignee.

MAIL CONTRACT

TENDERS addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until noon, on FRIDAY, 25TH JULY, for the conveyance of Her Majesty's Mails, on a proposed contract for four years, three times per week each way, between Lytleton P. O., and Newcastle P. O., from the 1st of October next.

Conveyance to be made in a suitable vehicle drawn by one or more horses, subject to the approval of the Postmaster General.

The mails to leave Newcastle and proceed *via* Post Offices at North Esk Boom, Whitney and Redbank, to Lyttleton and back again by the same route.

Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed Contract may be seen, and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the Post Offices at Lyttleton and Newcastle.

JOHN M'MILLAN, P. O. Inspector.

Post Office Inspector's Office, }
St. John, 20th May, 1879. }

Insolvent Act of 1875 and Amending Acts.

Mathew Henry Cochran, Charles Cassils, and Abram, Spauldings, Plantiff, and
Richard Davidson, Defendant.

A Writ of Attachment has issued in this cause, Dated at Chatham, in the County of Northumberland this, 30th day of June, A. D. 1879.

JOHN ELLIS, Official Assignee.

GRAND

PIC-NIC,

OF THE SEASON

NORTH ESK.

To be held on the Union Hall Grounds, near Baker's Mill,

JULY 16TH.

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