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LOOSELY VANDER—The Royal Gazette contains notice of the following appointment: "In Northumberland County.—John Dalton of Newcastle to be a vendor of liquor under the Canada Temperance Act for the town of Newcastle."

DO YOU KEEP CHICKENS? Then you ought to be clabbing with AVONDA, both for the price of our paper only. Pay up all arrearages and a year ahead and the Farm Journal will come five years, and get to you if you are on this planet.

S. KEAR & SON'S Commercial College is attracting a very large proportion of the students offering in this and other provinces because, being one of the oldest in the Dominion, it is in the way of having the best methods of modern development in its line.

A PLUMBER FOR CHATHAM.—Mr. L. E. Dryden, plumber and tin-smith, of Sussex, will attend to plumbing work in any part of the county. He comes highly recommended. Mr. Marquis is the only man in the county who has a plumber in his employ. 330.99.

THE C. E. SOCIETY of St. Andrew's Church, Chatham, will give an entertainment in aid of the College Library Fund, Halifax, in the Hall of the Church on Monday evening next at 8 o'clock. The programme will consist of orchestral music, readings, quartets, duets, etc. Tickets will be 15 cents each and may be had from any member of the society.

CATCHERS FOR MIRAMICHI FISHERY were appointed by the Home Mission Board at its meeting in Halifax last week as follows:—Hardwick: R. P. Murray, Koshongogano: R. Glover, Miramichi: F. Fisher, New Brandon: W. A. Cunningham. These will enter upon their duties on Sunday next.

MIRAMICHI MARBLE WORKS—Now in the time to place your orders for cemetery work and avoid the spring rush. We have now on hand and coming out of the largest stocks of marble and granite monuments, headstones and tablets ever shown on the north shore, all from the latest designs and worked from the best material the market can produce. Call and get our prices. They are right.

UNRETIRED TOURIST SLEEPING cars for the accommodation of passengers holding second class tickets, are run by the Canadian Pacific Railway on Trans-Canada Express train, leaving Windsor Station, Montreal, at 11 a.m. every Thursday and running through to Seattle. Passengers for Canadian Northwest and Pacific Coast points will be accommodated in these cars, on payment of a small additional berth charge. Each berth will accommodate two passengers.

FIRE IN WOLFE SETTLEMENT.—On Monday night Mr. Gray's barn, together with all his hay, seed grain, wagons, sleighs and farm implements, was burned to the ground. He saved the best part of his stock. One of his horses was killed and another was badly injured. The fire originated from burning rubbish in the yard. The loss is severe one as there was no insurance.

SERENADE.—The Ottawa Band, under the leadership of Mr. Walter White, set out for Chatham on Monday evening. The Council's address on Monday evening. His Worship addressed the band from the Town Hall balcony, thanking them for the compliment involved in their appearance and music at the time and place, referred to in the advertisement.

PERSONAL.—A Montreal despatch of Tuesday to the St. John Globe says:—"F. H. Blair, organist of St. John's Presbyterian Church, returned last evening from Fredericton, where he presided at the organ in the Cathedral on Sunday. Mr. Blair, it is understood, was very much pleased with his visit and his friends here will regret to learn that there is a strong probability of his accepting the position of organist in the Cathedral. Mr. Blair's engagement with the Presbyterian church, however, does not terminate until November next." A Fredericton despatch of the same day to the same paper says:—"Fred H. Blair, of Montreal, has been appointed organist of the Cathedral."

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Chatham Town Council. The new Town Council of Chatham met in regular monthly session on Monday evening last at 7.30 o'clock. After routine business, the Mayor presented petition of Jas. Neilson praying that a lease for from 5 to 10 years of the Engine House and vacant lots, corner of Wellington and St. John Streets, at \$30 might be granted to him. The Mayor said that in the event of the property being leased it should be offered at public auction.

The petition was referred to the Public Works Committee with instructions to report back to council. Aid. Snowball from the Public Works Committee read the following report:—To His Worship the Mayor and Town Council: In presenting our first report we were very sorry for the season, we have to complain of the state of the roads. The roads are very bad, and we are sorry to say that the expense of repairing them will be very large. We are sorry to say that the expense of repairing them will be very large. We are sorry to say that the expense of repairing them will be very large.

Another bold robbery was committed in Chatham, some time between Saturday evening and closing time and Monday morning at opening time in the establishment known as the ten cent store, corner of Duke and Water Streets. Entrance to the premises was effected by way of the window in the foundation wall of the building under the Telegraph office and up through the skylight opening into the store. The owner of the store, Dr. G. J. Spruce says that the thieves took away about \$100.00 worth of goods of different kinds and, perhaps, more. Quite a number of robberies of this kind have been committed during the last few months, and no adequate effort has been made by the authorities to discover and punish the perpetrators. There is evidently a gang of local thieves engaged in the crime and they have become so emboldened by their successes and the absence of effort to have them detected and punished that they make their periodic raids with most expediting regularity. It is probable that if they were to rob some member of the Town Council that body might be induced to have itself for the protection of the community.

Miss Jean Bruce in Tacoma. Referring to a concert given on Tuesday 18th ult. by the Tacoma, Washington, Musical Club, the Daily Ledger of that city says:—"Aside from the work of the club members, which was of a particularly high order, yesterday's concert was a notable one in that it introduced to Tacoma music lovers the young Canadian violinist, Miss Jean Bruce, who came to Tacoma a few weeks ago, and will probably remain in the city for some time. Miss Bruce appeared most appropriately on her first stage, and played her way every note by her strong, artistic handling of her instrument, and the charm of her winning personality. Through a young artist, and exceedingly modest in her claims, she is a valuable and exceptional talent, and her playing evinced a thoroughly magnificent grasp of the instrument, and a magnificent sense of rhythm. Through a young artist, and exceedingly modest in her claims, she is a valuable and exceptional talent, and her playing evinced a thoroughly magnificent grasp of the instrument, and a magnificent sense of rhythm."

The Lobster Commission. OTTAWA, April 26.—The lobster commission which started work last September and took evidence at 85 sittings at different points of the maritime provinces, has completed its labor; after a conference of three weeks in Ottawa. The recommendations which the commission made embrace the food and average yield, requiring the payment of a sum not exceeding \$150 to Dr. Baxter, representing the promoters of the Chatham water company bill, to recoup them for expenses incurred by them and which were made a loan to them by the Town council in acquiring the franchise. Dr. Baxter's claim of \$110 would therefore have to be paid before the Town could issue bonds.

The report was adopted. Aid. Loggie, from the Finance Committee, read the following report:—Referring to the bill of Robert Murray, Esq., in search of a lost dog, we were not satisfied with the amount recommended paying it, as to William Wye's bill, inasmuch as this con-

cluded to engage Mr. Wye for the performance of such work, set out in his bill, we cannot recommend that we should pay it. We find the amount recommended for the same work, set out in his bill, to be \$100.00. We have carefully considered the estimates of the various contractors, and find that the amount recommended for the same work, set out in his bill, to be \$100.00. We have carefully considered the estimates of the various contractors, and find that the amount recommended for the same work, set out in his bill, to be \$100.00.

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The preservation of spaw lobsters is recorded by the commission in their report as requiring most rigid enforcement. The commissioners recommended the establishing of a legal distance of 200 yards to salmon nets within which lobster fishing may not be carried on.

GOVERNOR MURRAY and the L. O. A. TWO INTERESTING LETTERS JUST MADE PUBLIC. The Orange Grand Lodge of Newfoundland has made public the following correspondence between a lodge of the order and the Governor of the colony: To His Excellency Sir H. H. Murray, K. C. B. I have been requested by Royal Oak Lodge, L. O. A. to ask if you would be pleased to receive them on December 25, at 12.30 o'clock. After attending divine service at Chatham street Methodist church, I am desirous of calling at the Government House to give expression to our loyalty to Her Majesty the Queen and to His Excellency your Excellency. I have the honor to be, sir, your Excellency's humble servant. Secretary Committee Royal Oak Lodge, St. John's, Dec. 21st, 1898.

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