Business Notice.

The ADVANCE office is open for business from 8 a. m. until 6 p. m. every week-day.

It is not open for delivery of papers in the evening. Town and local country subscribers will, therefore, please call for their papers at the delivery window before 6 p. m.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

The insertion of advertisements can only be insured each week by their reaching the office before 6 p. m. on Tuesdays.

Miramichi and the North Shore.

LIGHT SNOW fell here on Sunday.

ANNUAL SCHOOL MEETINGS are to be held this day week.

HARDWICKE FIRE particulars are held till next week.

OUR CONGRATULATIONS are extended to Rev. Mr. Hicks and bride.

A CANDIDATE.—Mr. Michael Bransfield is out for Municipal honors. He wishes to represent Hardwicke.

IMMANUEL REF. EP. CH.—There will be service in this Church in future every Sabbath even'g, at 6½ o'clock until further notice.—Sunday School at 3 o'clock. tf.

BIG BURN.—Mr. H. S Flett finished burning on Monday a kiln of bricks, containing about 200,000. This is probably by far the largest single burn of bricks as yet turned out by brickmakers on the Miramichi. Mr. F. has no objection to receive orders for the same.—*Advocate.*

MAN LOST.—A man named Thomas Murray, a seaman, fell to the deck from the top-gallant yard of the barque *Clandeboye*, on the voyage out to Chatham, and was killed.

A similar accident happened on board the *Flora* to a seaman named Gunder Lansen while coming to this port on 27th ult.

THE MERCHANTS' BANK of Halifax is to open an agency at Newcastle, on Saturday next, under the management of Charles J. Butcher, Esq., recently in charge of the agency of the same bank at Pictou, N. S. The offices of the Newcastle agency will be located in the lower portion of the building occupied by Messrs. R A. & J. Stewart. They have been fitted up by Mr. Jas. M. Troy, and present a very attractive appearance. The Inspector of the Bank, Mr. Knight, has been in Newcastle and Chatham for several days making necessary arrangements for establishing the new Agency which will start under encouraging auspices. The Bank's announcement in another column, shows that the Merchants' is among the sound monetary institutions of the Dominion.

The Nelson Fire.

Everyone will be glad to learn that the R. C. congregation of Nelson have taken prompt steps to restore the presbytery and church they lost by the fire of Tuesday, 25th ult.

In our report of the disaster last week we stated that when discovered the fire was burning inside as well as outside of the church. We are informed on the best authority that when Rev. Mr. Power and others entered the vestry to save the moveable property there, there was no sign of fire inside. The flames burst through inside, from the outside, after the salvors were working for some time.

Report of Meeting of Father Egan's Congregation

AT NELSON TO DELIBERATE AND ADOPT MEASURES TO REBUILD, AFTER THE FIRE WHICH DESTROYED ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH AND PRESBYTERY ON THE AFTERNOON OF TUESDAY, SEPT. 25TH, 1883.

On Sunday afternoon, September 30th, at 5 o'clock, a meeting of the Roman Catholics of Nelson was held in the school house adjacent to the burned edifices. This meeting was called at the instance of the Bishop of the Diocese by the local pastors, the Very Rev. Michael Egan, V. G., and his assistant, the Rev. Nicholas Power, and was numerously attended by the men, old and young, of the congregation of the burned church.

His Lordship, the Rt. Rev. Bishop Rogers, suggested that the meeting be organized in due form by the appointment of a Chairman; whereupon the Very Rev. M. Egan proposed that John O'Brien, Esq., take the Chair, which motion being seconded, was unanimously carried. It was then moved, seconded and carried unanimously, that David Sheasgreen be appointed Secretary.

The meeting being thus organized was addressed by His Lordship the Bishop expressing regret but encouraging both pastors and flock to bow to God's will in carrying their cross, and manfully to undertake the work of repairing the loss, by rebuilding.

According to what he had learned to be the general opinion during the past day or two, in conversing with Fathers Egan and Power and with some of the parishioners, he approved of the course suggested, namely, to build immediately, a house for the pastoral residence, to be so arranged as to permit the upper flat to be used as a temporary chapel until the church could be built. He had asked Mr. Patrick Connors, of Chatham, to sketch a plan which he had brought to lay before them. This plan he would recommend as that affording the necessary temporary accommodation for the least possible expense, and which could be erected in a few weeks, before winter sets in.

The plan was examined, other plans were spoken of, and finally, after discussion, the following resolution was proposed by Michael Hayes, seconded by Thomas Doolan and, being put from the chair, passed unanimously:—

Resolved—That humbly bowing to the heavy dispensation of Divine Providence in the loss of our church and pastoral residence by fire on Tuesday last, 25 September 25th, and lamenting this loss the more because it deprives our patriarchal Priest, Father Egan, of the church and residence in which he has so faithfully ministered to us for the last fifty years, and also because the said church and residence were erected by the late venerated Bishop Dollard, of saintly memory, while he was stationed at Bartibogue as the first resident Priest on the Miramichi; therefore we now feel it our duty to do our best to promptly repair the said loss by building a new residence and church on the old sites, the residence to be undertaken immediately, and so arranged that the upper story serve temporarily as a hall for chapel, until the church be ready for use, and at a later period, when funds come in to justify the undertaking, that the church be built according to plans to be approved of by our Bishop and our Pastors.

The following Resolution was moved by David Sheasgreen, seconded by Michael Hayes and being put from the chair, passed unanimously:

Resolved—That a committee of ——— members of this congregation be appointed to collect funds and erect a residence as aforementioned, immediately; then as funds come in, at a later period to erect the proposed new church, the acting pastor to be ex-officio member, and when present at meetings, to be ex-officio chairman of said committee.

The following persons were then, each separately, moved, seconded, and unanimously passed, to be members of said committee,—

David Sheasgreen, Michael Hays, John O'Brien, Joseph Wall, James Ivory, William Dooley, Thomas P. Doolan, Thomas Fernands, John McDonald (Douglasfield), Stephen Duffy.

It was then moved and seconded, and passed unanimously that the above committee have power to add to their number as they may from time to time, judge useful.

It being understood that the aforesaid committee meet this evening and arrange for commencing work on the church grounds to-morrow, the general meeting adjourned until it would be again called by the committee or by the pastor.

(Signed) JOHN O'BRIEN, Chairman.
(Signed) DAVID SHEASGREEN, Secretary.

Visit of the Most Rev. the Metropolitan.

Owing to the absence of our regular reporter, we are indebted to the *World* for the following:—

The Most Rev. the Metropolitan of Canada, arrived at Chatham on Friday last, on his way back to Fredericton from the meeting of the Provincial Synod at Montreal, and proceeded to Bushville, the residence of the Hon. Judge Wilkinson. On Sunday last, His Lordship administered the rite of confirmation to a large number of candidates at St. Mary's Chapel, and afterwards preached an able and logical sermon from the 20th verse of the second chapter of the Epistle to the Ephesians: "And are built upon the foundation of the Apostles and Prophets—Jesus Christ Himself being the chief corner stone." His Lordship from the text dwelt upon the "Church of God," of which men are alas, too unmindful—showing its importance and its continuity from the time of "righteous Abel" to the present day, explaining the rites of the Jewish Church and the Christian Church, showing them to be "type and anti-type," and from the first, shadowing forth the sublime truths of Christianity. He then urged his hearers to live godly lives, so that they might know the love of Christ and be filled with all the fullness of God, and finally have their part in the inheritance of the Saints in light, concluding with words of affectionate counsel and wisdom to those who had that day ratified and confirmed in their own persons the solemn vows and covenant entered into at their baptism.

The foregoing is a very meagre outline of the Bishop's sermon, which was listened to in breathless attention by a large congregation.

The church people of Chatham have a deep and abiding love for their Venerable Bishop and his presence is always a pleasure and delight to them. After the sermon the Holy Communion was celebrated and the newly confirmed were admitted to this great Sacrament.

On Tuesday morning His Lordship, accompanied by the Rev. Mr. Forsyth, Rector of Chatham, proceeded South. We understand it is his intention to leave for Philadelphia in a short time to attend the general convention of the Episcopal Church of the United States as a delegate from the Canadian Church. We are sure that among the many able men that will meet there, none will be held in more esteem than the Venerable Prelate in question.

Bathurst Notes.

Oct. 2, 1883.

CONSECRATION OF NEW ST. GEORGE'S.

The new St. George's Episcopal church which has been so long in course of erection, was brought to a completion last week, and the consecration took place on Thursday last, His Lordship the Metropolitan officiating. The visiting clergy were Rev. Canon Neales of Woodstock, Rev. Canon Medley of Sussex, Rev. Mr. McKiel of Douglas and Bright, a former rector and during whose ministry the church was begun, Rev. Mr. Forsyth of Chatham, Rev. Mr. Sweet of Newcastle, Rev. Mr. Hiltz of Derby, Rev. Mr. Flewelling of Dalhousie, Rev. Mr. Wilkinson of Bay du Vin. The services began at 11 a. m., His Lordship and the clergy in procession being met at the main door by T. DesBrisay and H. Bishop, Esqs., churchwardens, the former presenting the usual petition, and the consecration service in the prescribed form, then began by His Lordship offering up a short prayer. The procession re-formed and proceeded up the aisle chanting the 24th Psalm. After the consecration prayers the sentence of consecration was read by Canon Medley, and being signed by the Metropolitan, was by him ordered to be enrolled in the Registry of the Diocese. Morning prayer followed, Canon Neales officiating. The proper psalms were the 84th, 122nd, and 132nd. The Lessons were 1st,—1st, Kings, VIII ch., read by Rev. Mr. Wilkinson. 2nd.—Heb. X. 19th to 26th verse, read by Rev. Dean Forsyth. The Communion service was read by Rev. Mr. McKiel, the epistle being taken from Eph. II. and 13th, and the gospel from St. John II. and 13th. The Hymns sung were A. and M. 395. 160, and 396. His Lordship then preached a very able and appropriate discourse from the text "Lo! I am with you alway, even unto the end of the world," which was attentively listened to throughout. The Holy Communion was afterwards administered by the Revs. Messrs. McKiel and Street, to a large number of communicants. Evening service was held at seven, Rev. Mr. Hiltz officiating, at which His Lordship administered the rite of Confirmation to a number of candidates. Rev. Mr. Sweet preached an appropriate sermon. The offertories for the day amounted to $68.65 which was very generously made up to $100 by His Lordship. The floral decorations were very fine, the font, lectern, chancel steps, communion table, and screen of the organ chamber being tastefully decorated with cut and growing flowers. The gifts to the church were, chancel carpet by Mrs. Desbrisay, font by Mrs. Gordon, widow of the late Hon. Dr. Gordon formerly of St. Peters Village, lectern by Mr. R. Penniston Starr, of St. John, from a design of his own, pulpit, which is being made, by the family of the late Dr. S. L. Bishop in his memory. The thanks of the congregation are due to Mr. George Burchill, organist of St. Andrew's Newcastle, for his services as organist on the occasion, which were highly appreciated. His Lordship expressed himself as highly pleased with the building in every particular, stating he considered it one of the prettiest if not *the* prettiest country church in the Diocese. He also complimented the builder, Mr. Felix St. Coeur, very highly upon his work.

A HIGH-HANDED ACT.

The Sheriff of this County has very large ideas as to the extent of his authority, as will be shown by the following instance which occurred within the last fortnight,—Having in his possession a writ of execution against a party doing business in Shippegan he learned by some means that a valuable registered letter for this person, containing more than sufficient to cover the amount of the execution, was *en route* to Shippegan, either direct from or *via* Chatham. He immediately went to Shippegan and applied about the mail time to the Postmistress, Mrs. Hammond, for this letter, stating that as Sheriff, holding a writ of execution, he had a right to receive and take the letter and appropriate the money to paying the amount. The Postmistress repudiated his right and declined to tell him if such a letter was there, but the Sheriff insisted upon searching the office, and Mrs. H. proposed to telegraph the P. O. Inspector at St. John to enquire as to the Sheriff's alleged right. This he agreed to and she telegraphed and received a reply adverse to the Sheriff's claims. Ignoring this the Sheriff pushed his way into the office and made a complete search for the money letter which, however, Mrs. H. had, by some means, managed to enclose in a cover to Mr. Ahier, Postmaster at Alexandre's Point, with a note apprising him of the Sheriff's visit. Having searched the office he opened the bag for Misson and searched its contents and, then, enquired for the keys of any drawers, &c., which Mrs. H. very stoutly refused to produce. In reply to Mrs. H's question what right he had overhauling the Queen's property he replied that he could, as Sheriff, stop any mails and search them. Being then informed by Mrs. H. that the letter in question had been forwarded to Mr. Ahier's office (which she had succeeded in doing) Sheriff Doucet proceeded thither, taking with him three ordinary letters, which he found during his search of the office, for the party against whom he had the execution. Arriving at Mr. Ahier's he was informed the money letter had been forwarded to its destination by him, viz., Wilson's P.O., Little Shippegan, whither the Sheriff proceeded, arriving simultaneously with the mail. Walking into the office he watched the P. M. open the bag and as the letter dropped out he hastily picked it up and, notwithstanding the protests of the P. M. opened it and extracted about $150, and took the balance and other letters to the owner. The whole affair was at once communicated to the P. O. Dept. at Ottawa by Mrs. H. and she is now in St. John, it is said, in consultation with Inspector McMillan. Such are substantially the facts, as nearly as could be gathered by your correspondent at such a distance, of this high-handed outrage upon the secrecy of the Post Office. It is needless to add that the matter is causing a great deal of discussion throughout the County and a very strong feeling exists over it. The public very naturally ask what advantage is the Post Office system if its privacy and secrecy are not to be preserved even against an ill advised and self-opinionated official who was most unfit for the office and whose appointment was most unpopular.

SNOW.

Snow fell here during Sunday forenoon last, but melted as soon as it fell.

A Genuine Sensation.

St. John enjoyed a genuine sensation on Sunday last. A city beauty, Miss Lena Robinson, daughter of Mr. Jas. Robinson of the St. John Savings Bank, visited some Amherst friends in 1880 and, under the influence of a romantic impulse, consented to be married to Mr. L. Caritte, son of Dr. T. Caritte. Immediately after the ceremony, Mr. Caritte left his bride at the church, pursuant to a previous understanding to that effect. Whether this conduct of the bridegroom and lover, or the fickleness of heart sometimes attributed to the sex, caused a change, is not known, but it was soon said that the lady had experienced "a change of heart" and she professed to hate Caritte as intensely as she had formerly loved him. Matters stood thus for three years. Meanwhile, Caritte had gone to New York, and the lady "wed led but no wife" lived with her father in St. John. She never went out without him, and it was thought that all was over between the strangely wedded pair. Caritte returned to St. John about a year ago as the manager of a branch of a Boston oil house, and it is now suspected that he had since that time been carrying on a clandestine correspondence with "Miss Robinson". Saturday night's sensation was made up of the circumstances set forth in the following police court report,—

Mr. L. Caritte and Mr. E. J. Leonard appeared at the Police Court Monday morning to answer Mr. Jas. Robinson on a charge of assault. J. A. Belyea, Esq. and W. H. Tuck, Q. C., appeared for the prosecutor, and C. A. Stockton, Esq. represented the prisoners.

MR. JAMES ROBINSON.

I am the informant in this matter. I know the prisoners. Was walking down Princess street Saturday evening. Had called at the Centenary Church about a quarter to ten to take my daughter home. Miss White came along with us. We went down Princess street, and near Thompson's building I was assaulted by Mr. Caritte and Mr. Leonard. As they seized me, my daughter screamed, and I called out "murder." They both struck me. They put a cloth on my mouth. I held on to my daughter as long as I could, until I was struck violently by Mr. Leonard and knocked into the gutter. They then sprang into a coach with her and drove away. My teeth were knocked out by the blow. (teeth produced). I am sore from the head to the feet by the beating. The assault happened about twenty minutes past ten. A small crowd had assembled. When I regained my feet, I followed the coach, calling "murder." Went to different parts of the city and to the I. C. R. Station. I found out from the police that she was at the Clifton House. I went there and rapped on the door of the room where she was and called her. Mr. Caritte was in the room. The door was locked—I called to her and said "Lena you ought to go home," she said "I cannot go home, he has got a pistol and will shoot you." I heard her tell him often to put down the pistol. She said "Pa go home and comfort mother; he has promised to send me home in the morning." As I was scratching the paint on the door she said, "Don't do that he'll shoot you." As I couldn't get access to the room and couldn't get her to go home, I went home. When I was assaulted, my daughter was seized also; she called out and resisted. Have suffered from the assault, my daughter has been and was then under my protection. She has been living at my house. When assaulted, I was pinioned from behind.

To Mr. Stockton.—The first I knew of anyone being around was my being made prisoner by Mr. Leonard. I saw Leonard at that moment. Have no knowledge of raising my cane to strike Mr. Caritte before I was seized. Didn't hear Mr. Caritte say before the assault "Lena come along with me." They both seized me at the same time. The third party, whom I did not then know, seized my daughter. Did not see Mr. Caritte nor Mr. Leonard catch hold of her. I saw that she was pushed into the coach. Mr. Caritte and Mr. Leonard ran from me after I was knocked down, and I think they helped to put her into the coach. They got into the coach. Don't remember using my cane to strike Mr. Caritte before being seized. Didn't hear Mr. Caritte speak to his wife before being seized. Mr. Leonard struck me first. He struck me afterwards in the face and knocked me in the gutter. He drew no blood. Don't think Mr. Caritte hit me. He merely seized me from behind. When we went to the Clifton House, Mr. Peters showed me the room where they were. Policeman Weatherhead and Detective Ring were with me. The policeman said to Lena, if she wanted to go home he would break in the door. She said for me to go home, and asked me if I were hurt. She said Mr. Caritte was treating her kindly. She has received letters from him, but they have been returned. I would not allow Mr. Caritte to see her.

To Mr. Tuck.—Was not present at her marriage to Caritte. It is said that it took place the 6th March, 1880. She has never lived with him, nor expressed any desire to do so, down to last Saturday night. She has never expressed a desire to interview Caritte, which I have prevented. I never prevented her opening his letters to her. She has told me that her mind was made up not to live with him. I never tried to force her to that opinion. She has acted her own will in the matter.

To Mr Stockton.—My daughter told me she was married to Mr. Caritte at Amherst, by Rev. Mr. Talleck. She said they did not live together. He left Amherst immediately after the marriage. She left in about four weeks for home.

At the conclusion of Mr. Robinson's evidence Dr. Tuck stated that the prosecution had no further evidence. A summons had been issued to Mrs Caritte to bring her as a witness, but she could not be found.

Mr. Stockton for the prisoners consented that they be sent up for trial, and would not put Dr. Tuck to the trouble of calling more witnesses. He knew that the lady did not wish to come into court at all. He said that he greatly desired that there should be an amicable settlement of the matter. For that purpose an adjournment was made till Thursday, at 2.30 in the afternoon. The prisoners were released on $500 bail.

Fish Culture

(Turf, Field and Farm.)

"How did you ever come to devise this scheme?"

"I have been working at it ever since I was large enough to bend a pin."

The above remark was addressed to Mr. Seth Green, the veteran fish culturist, who is known to the entire world, and his reply indicates the extent of his labors.

"When I was quite young," he continued, "I would lie on the limbs of trees that reached out over the water entire afternoons watching the movements of the fish and studying their habits. In this way I discovered many characteristics which were before unknown. I saw, as every observer must see, the destructive elements that are warring against fish, and I realised that unless something were done, the life of the streams of this country would become extinct. To counteract this disastrous end became my life work, and I am happy to say I have seen its accomplishment."

"Were you successful on the start?"

"No indeed. Up to that time all artificial attempts to hatch and raise fish from the spawn had failed, and I was compelled to experiment in an entirely new manner. The work was a careful and tedious one, but I finally succeeded, and to day I am able to hatch and raise fully seventy-five per cent. of the spawn."

"Enormous! Why that is a larger percentage than either the vegetable or animal kingdoms produce in a natural condition."

"I know it, but we exercise the greatest care in the start, and I guard the little fellows until they become able to take care of themselves."

The foregoing conversation occurred at Caledonia where the representative of this paper was paying a visit to the state fish hatcheries. It has been his privilege to report very many interesting sights within the past twenty-five years, but the view presented here exceeds in interest anything ever before attempted.

"How many fish are there in those ponds, Mr. Green?"

"As we have never attempted to count them it will be impossible to say. They extend away up in the millions though. We shipped over three millions out of the ponds this year and there seemed to be as many afterwards as before. We have nearly every variety of the trout family and many hybrids."

"You speak of hybrids, Mr. Green. What do you mean by that?"

"I have experimented for years in crossing the breed of the various fish and am still working upon it. We cross the female salmon trout with the male brook trout, and thus produce a hybrid. Then we cross the hybrid with the brook trout and one quarter salmon trout. This makes one of the finest fishes in the world. He has all the habits of the brook trout, lives in both streams and lakes, develops vermillion spots on his sides, rises rapidly to a fly, is far more vigorous and fully one-third larger than ordinary brook trout of the same age. The possibilities of development in the fish world are great, and we are rapidly ascertaining what they are."

As the man of news watched the countenance of Mr. Green while he was giving the above account, he could not but feel that he was in the presence of one of the few investigators who, from a rich and life-long experience, bring great benefit to the world. Let the reader imagine a strong and stalwart frame, surmounted by a head strongly resembling that of Socrates, and covered with a white silky beard and luxuriant gray hair. Seth Green, the father of fish culture, is a picture of health, and the reporter could not help remarking so.

"If you had seen me the last winter and spring, young man, you might have thought differently," said the veteran.

"How is that? One would think, to look at you, that sickness was something of which you knew nothing."

"And so it was until last winter. I went down into Florida in the fall to see what kind of fish they had in that state and study their habits, and was attacked with malaria in its severest form, and when I came home I realized for the first time in my life that I was sick. My symptoms were terrible, I had dull, aching pains in my head, limbs, and around my back. My appetite was wholly gone, and I felt a lack of energy such as I had often heard described but had never experienced. Any one who has ever had a severe attack of malaria can appreciate my condition. I went to bed and remained there all the spring, and if there ever was a sick man I was the one."

"It seems hardly possible. How did you come to recover so completely."

"My brother, who had been afflicted by a severe kidney trouble and threatened with bright's disease was completely cured by a remedy in which I had great confidence. I therefore tried the same remedy for my malaria and am happy to say I am a well man to-day.

"One question more. How many ponds of fish have you here and how are they divided?"

"Well, we have 43 ponds which are divided up as follows:—22 ponds of brook trout, 2 ponds of salmon trout, 4 of McCloud river or rainbow trout, 2 ponds of German trout, 3 of California mountain trout, 2 ponds of hybrids, 4 of one-quarter salmon and three-quarters brook trout, 2 ponds of gold fish and 1 pond of carp. Then we have what we call the centennial pond or 'happy family,' consisting of crosses of different fish, including Kennebec salmon, Land Locked salmon, California salmon, brook trout, salmon trout and hybrids. These fish range in size from minnows to 18 pounders, and in age from one-and-one-half month to eleven years. I forgot to say, also, that we have a 'hospital' pond, which is entirely empty, which speaks pretty well for a community of many millions. Indeed the whole secret of fish culture can be summed up in four things. Impregnation—using no water. Plenty of food. Plenty of pure water and cleanliness.

The numerous fish exhibitions which are taking place in all parts of Europe and the unusual interest which is being manifested in this subject throughout the world all owe their origin to the process above described as originated and conducted by Seth Green.

One Experience from Many.

I have been sick and miserable so long and had caused my husband so much trouble and expense, no one seemed to know what ailed me, that I was completely disheartened and discouraged. In this frame of mind I got a bottle of Hop Bitters and used them unknown to my family. I soon began to improve and gained so fast that my husband and family thought it strange and unnatural, but when I told them what had helped me, they said, "Hurrah for Hop Bitters! long may they prosper, for they have made mother well and us happy."—The Mother.

General Notes and News.

Commander Ashdown, of the steamship *Siam*, writes to the London *Times* that on August 1, when in latitude 6° south, longitude 89° east, on her way from King George's Sound to Colombo, his ship passed for more than four hours through lava, which extended as far as the eye could see. The lava was floating in a succession of "lanes" of from five to ten yards wide, and its direction was north-west to south-east. Commander Ashdown adds: "The nearest land was the coast of Sumatra (distant 700 miles), but, as there was a current of fifteen to thirty miles a day setting to the eastward, the lava could not have come from there, and I can only imagine it must have been an upheaval from somewhere near the spot. I may mention the soundings on the chart show over 2,000 fathoms. There was a submarine volcano near the spot in 1789."

It is a fact that Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Staawberry has more well earned testimonials of praise for its virtues in curing Cholera, Colic, Cholera Infantum, Dysentry etc., than all other remedies of that class combined. It will stand investigation. For sale by J. D. B. F. Mackenzie, Chatham, N. B.

J. E. Kennedy, dispensing chemist, Cobourg, says that no blood purifier, that he has ever handled has had such a large sale as Burdock Blood Bitters, and adds, "in no case have I heard a customer say aught but words of highest praise for its remedial qualities. For sale by J. D. B. F. Mackenzie, Chatham, N. B.

Recently a train on the Northern Pacific railroad found its way barred apparently by the furious heat of burning wood ricks along the track. The train stopped, the rails were examined to see if they had warped, and then it was decided to run the gauntlet. A passenger thus describes the passage, which was made at the rate of 70 miles an hour, to a reporter of the Portland Oregonian: "We shut down the windows and closed the door tight just before we started, but the air inside the car was like the breath from a furnace, and the whole train seemed to be on fire. The flames licked the window glass savagely, and although it lasted only a few moments, it was an experience I shall never forget and never again wish to undergo. I can't help thinkin of the terrible dangers we passed through. If one rail of the track beneath us, having been warped by the heat, had given away, we would every one of us have been roasted alive. It makes me shudder even now."

There is no remedy known to medical science that is more positive in its effect, to cure Cholera Morbus, Colic, Diarrhœa, Dysentry, Cholera Infantum, and all Bowel Complaints than Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry. For sale by J. D. B. F. Mackenzie, Chatham, N. B.

Henry Clement, Almonte, writes: "For a long time I was troubled with chronic rheumatism, at times wholly disabled; I tried anything and everything recommended, but failed to get any benefit until a gentleman who was cured of rheumatism by Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, told me about it. I began using it both internally and externally, and before two bottles were used I was radically cured. We find it a household medicine and for croup, burns, cuts and bruises, it has no equal."

New Westminster *British Columbian*:—Not long ago Chief Justice Sir M. B. Begbie stated in Court that he wished he was a Chinaman, as he had become ashamed of his own countrymen. The other day a jury refused to find a verdict of guilty against Lavin, charged with having killed Robertson with a sand-bag, and the learned judge said:—"Gentlemen of the jury, mind, that is your verdict, not mine. On your conscience will rest the stigma of returning such a disgraceful verdict, and one at variance with the evidence on which you have sworn to find the guilt or innocence of the prisoner. Many repetitions of such conduct as yours will make trial by jury a horrible farce and the city of Victoria, which you inhabit, a nest of immorality and crime, encouraged by the immunity from the law which criminals will receive from the announcement of such verdicts as yours. Go, I have nothing more to say to you." Mr. T. Davie here asked that the prisoner be discharged. His Lordship, addressing the prisoner, said:—"You are discharged; go and sand-bag some of those jurymen, they deserve it!"

Every Spring.

HOW AN AFFLICTING ANNUAL VISITOR WAS DRIVEN FROM A WEARY WOMAN.

Plain and simple mechanics are not liable to get out of order. Complicated watches, intended not only to keep the time of day, but to mark the movements of the moon and stars, are certain to need frequent repairs. Husbands and fathers often fail to see that their wives and daughters are more delicately organized than themselves, requiring corresponding care when they are well and assistance when they are ill. Yet much better for woman's fine system is a trustworthy medicine, ready at all times for use, than a deal of tinkering by semi-educated local practitioners.

"Every spring," said the wife a well known employee of the Grand Trunk Railway, Montreal, "I have been for some years past troubled with nervous debility and weakness. It was the burden which so many women are called upon to bear, although none the lighter for that.

"Advice and dosing, to be sure, I had in plenty; still, on each returning spring my sickness came as regularly as the buds and blossoms.

"You seem better now."

"Oh yes; I consider myself almost or quite well, and it came about in this way: A lady living on St. Catherine street this city, commended to my attention *Sulphur and Iron Bitters.* It gave me strength and life. My sister, living in Brockville, whose disease was nearly the same as mine, was equally benefitted by the same thing."

Sulphur and Iron Bitters, prepared by the Climax Chemical Co., Montreal, is for sale by all druggists. Price, 50 cents.

MARRIED.

In the Methodist church, Shediac, on the 27th inst., by the Rev. Benj Chappel, the Rev. Thos. Hicks, of Newcastle, Miramichi, to Rosetta A., youngest daughter of the late Dr. Charles S. Theal.

DIED.

Suddenly, at Chatham, on the 3rd inst., Elizabeth, widow of the late John Preston, in her 70th year.

SHIPPING LIST.

Port of Chatham.

[Held over.]

Port of Newcastle.

ARRIVED.

Sept 19—Bks. Montrose, 468, Prytz, Sharpness, R. A. & J. Stewart & Co.
29—Emile, 699, Blomquist, Dover, do.
21—Winmera, 944, Robbins, London, do.
21—Industrie, 352, Larsen, Barrow, Geo. McLeod
22—Rose C., 419, Gardanne, Trinidad, R. A. & J. Stewart.
22—President Herbetz, 561, Hansen, Plymouth, G. Burchill & Sons.
24—Lydia, 366, Larsen, Oporto, Geo. McLeod.
Howard, 580, Hay, Belfast, do.
Gleamin, 696, McDonald, Havre, R. A. & J. Stewart.
Louis Degeer, 665, Anderson, London, do.
29—S. S. Delhi, 1293, Wight, Penarth, do.
Oslo—Bk. Kong Sverre, 474, Larsen, Maryport, D. & J Ritchie & Co
Somand, 647, Borgersen, Whitehaven, Geo. McLeod.
Abram Young, 756, Whitney, Hamburg, R. A & J. Stewart.
Cedar Croft, 1099, Kenny, Bloys, do.
Mistletoe, 820, Ferguson, Bordeaux, Bal., R. A. & J. Stewart.
2nd, Ocean, 477 Aolsen, Barrow, G. Burchill & Sons.

CLEARED.

Sept. 19 Bks. Oscar, Hansen, Corunna, Deals, R. A & Stewart.
20. Vance, Anderson, Grennock, Deals, R. A. & J. Stewart.
22, Rogate Pettersen, Marseilles, " R. A. & J. Stewart.
Ponemah, Williams, Penarth Roads, " R. A. & J. Stewart.
25, Wm. Gordon, Crosby, Queenstown, Deals, G. McLeod.
26 Mindet, Glad, Cardiff, Deals, G. McLeod,
Jacob, Lurder, Newport, " "
Crown Jewel, Grafton, Penarth Roads, Deals, R. A. & J. Stewart.
28, Alma, Smitstead, Cardiff, Deals, R. A. & J. Stewart.
29—Olaf Nickelsen, Jorgesen, London, deals, do.
Carla, Tomesen, Cardiff, deals, Geo. McLeod.
Industrie, Larsen, do., do., do.

New Advertisements.

Card of Thanks.

The Committee appointed at the general meeting of the members of the Congregation of St. Patrick's Church Nelson, to undertake the work of restoring the Church and Pastoral Residence burnt on Tuesday, 25th September, take this first occasion of expressing on behalf of their Pastors and Fellow Parishioners their grateful thanks to the Firewards of Newcastle and Chatham, for coming with engine hose &c; to J. B. Snowball Esq. for sending his steamer with Fire-wards and others from Chatham; to Messrs. Flett, Burchill and Sargeant of Nelson for stopping their mills; and to the Citizens and Neighbors generally of Nelson, Newcastle and Chatham for their prompt presence and aid at the fire and their kind sympathy shown so practically on the occasion.

By order David Sheasgreen, Sec'y of Committee.

FAIREY'S STORE.

Received this week and now ready for inspection:

Ladies' Underclothing,

Corsets, Costume Cloths, all colors, Shawls, Grey and Black Fur Trimmings, Black and Colored Fast Pile Velveteens for Dresses, All Wool Plaids, Plaid Winceys, Black and Colored

MANTLE CLOTHS.

Ulster Cloths, Jackets, Dolmans, Ulsters, all wove, Grey and White Flannels, Tickings, Cotton Flannels, Pant Tweeds, Shirts, Drawers. Navy Blue Shirting Flannels, Rock Maple shirtings for Lumbermen, Felt Hats, Socks, Mitts, etc.,

Also a full line of

SMALL WARES.

Jet Buttons, Fancy do., Victoria and Scotch Yarns, Tubular Braids for Dress Trimmings.

IN FURNITURE

we have received Chairs, Tables, Single and Double Bedsteads, etc.

A Lot of Remnants

AT HALF PRICE.

B. FAIREY,
(Successor to J. C. Fairey.)
Newcastle, Oct. 2, 1883.

Notice.

I have purchased all the Book Debts of J. C. Fairey, and will give 5 per cent discount on all accounts paid within thirty days from this date.

B. FAIREY.

Newcastle, Sept. 25, 1883.

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An Agency of this Bank will be opened in Newcastle (Public Square) on Saturday next, 6th Oct.
General Banking Business transacted
American Drafts bought and sold.
Drafts sold on all the above Agencies and Correspondents of the Bank.
Telegraphic Transfers attended to.
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C. J. BUTCHER, Agent.
Oct. 1st, 1883 1st. 7 r 29

NOTICE.

SEALED TENDERS, marked "Tenders for Tetagouche Bridge" will be received at the Department of Public Works, Fredericton, until Tuesday, 16th day of October next, for the erection of the above bridge, according to the foregoing specification and plans to be seen at Public Works Office, Fredericton, and at the residence of F. J. McManus, M. P. P.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

P. G. RYAN, Chief Commissioner.
Department Public Works,
Fredericton, sept. 19, 1883.

Bridge Notice.

TENDERS for the covering of the roadway of the Northwest Miramichi River Bridge according to specification to be seen at supervisor T. H. Somers's, Newcastle, will be received by that officer up to and including Monday, 15th October, inst.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. P. G. RYAN,
Chief Commissioner of Public Works.
Fredericton, Oct. 1st, 1883.

GENERAL BUSINESS.

FALL ANNOUNCEMENT.

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We have just received from Great Britain, 73 CASES containing the following goods for our Fall Trade.

Dresses,	Haberdashery,	Window Curtains,	Boots and Shoes,
Silks,	Ties and Scarfs,	Cotton Batten,	Hosiery,
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Crapes,	Bedding,	Jewelry,	Cuffs and Collars,
Velvets,	Carpets,	Muslins,	Mufflers,
Cashmere,	Towelling,	Men's Clothing,	Tailor's Trimmings,
Prints,	Household Linen,	Boys' Clothing,	Suspenders,
Flowers,	Blankets,	Skirts,	Silk Handkerchiefs,
Feathers,	Quilts,	Pants,	Umbrellas,
Skirts,	Napkins,	Hats and Caps,	Sunshades.
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Buyers will find these goods of the Highest quality, marked low in price to common a LARGE TRADE. STORE KEEPERS and dealers find Our prices and terms lower than in St. John or Montreal.

P. S. Get Samples and price list for comparison.

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NEWCASTLE, 17th Sept, '83.

Received this Week:

Cases Ribbons, Corsets, Gloves, etc.
Cases Linders and Drawers.

CASES READY MADE CLOTHING
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1 Car Flour, 1 Car Sugar & Molasses,
(Choice.)

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