POOR COPY

Miramichi and the North Shore, etc.

TINWARE, STOVES, PLOUGHS etc., are advertised by Mr. Archy McLean. He has a well-fitted establishment and is a good workman.

FIRE :—The store and dwelling house of Mr. John Schofield, Blackville, were burned at about eight o'clock a. m. on Tuesday. The property was partially covered by insurance.

THE FERRY approaches on the Chatham side of the river at the lower public landing have been repaired by Mr. Patrick Coleman who appears to have done a substantial and creditable job.

CHATHAM GARRISON ARTILLERY :—On Tuesday evening next, the Chatham Battery of Garrison Artillery under Major Gillespie, will commence their annual drill, in the Masonic Hall.

SOIREE AND FESTIVAL :—The Ladies of the Chatham Methodist Church intend holding a Tea Soiree and Raspberry Festival in the Temperance Hall on Tuesday evening the 3rd of August.

THE WEATHER AT BURNT CHURCH AND TRACADIE :—The people of Burnt Church complain that for want of rain the past week, their crops were in danger of being burnt up, while the Tracadie people on the other hand, complain of too much rain, during the same period.

BASE BALL :—The Newcastle and Chatham Base Ball players had their second match on Friday last—this time at Chatham. The Newcastle players were victorious, by a score of 34 against 15. Each club having secured a victory, there will probably, be a return match next week.

PERSONAL.—His Lordship Bishop Rogers passed through this city on Saturday on his way to the Upper St. John. St. John *Globe.*

Hon. Mr. Baby, Minister of Inland Revenue, and Hon. Mr. Bowell, Minister of Customs, were in town yesterday, and left for Newcastle in the afternoon in Mr. Snowball's little steamer *St. Louis.*

PIC-NIC:—The people of St. Margaret's, Upper Bay du Vin, intend having a pic-nic on the Church grounds August 3rd to raise funds to carry on the work of rebuilding the Priest's house and barn, in place of those destroyed by fire in April last. We hope this Pic-nic will be well patronised as the object for which it is to be held is one that is especially worthy.

THE FAIRBAIRN FAMILY, so well known as first class Scottish vocalists and performers of comedy, will visit Chatham for the second time on Monday next, as per announcement in another column. The excellence of the performance given by them on the occasion of their previous visit ought to ensure them a liberal patronage and welcome on Monday evening next.

FOR ENGLAND :—Rev. Mr. Steel left Newcastle on Saturday morning last for England, via steamer at Rimouski. Mr. Steel will be absent some three or four months, and we hope will be benefitted by his visit to his friends in the old country. Many good wishes go with him. Rev. Mr. Thomas takes Mr. Steel's appointments for some time, and will preach in Newcastle on Sunday next, morning and evening at the usual hours, and at Nelson in the afternoon.—*Advocate.*

ROWDYISM:—On Tuesday last about half a dozen specimen roughs belonging to Chatham and Newcastle, joined in a spree in Chatham. They attracted quite a large crowd on adjacent wharves by taking to the water in the public slip where they indulged in disgusting antics and bad language for half an hour, and then left in a boat for the other side of the river. One of the party jumped overboard when the boat was about 200 yards from the wharves, but was hauled on board again by his companions. The *Advocate* says it was reported in Newcastle that one of the young men was drowned. This however was incorrect. It is probable that a more appropriate fate awaits the whole of them.

SOLDIERS :—For the credit of our Active Militia it is to be hoped that we shall see as little as possible on the streets, or in any other public place, of men half uniformed. Nothing is more offensive to good taste than a man dressed in a military red or blue coat and colored pants, or regulation coat and trousers and a slouched hat or civilian's cap. If the men are not provided with proper military clothing, let them drill in their ordinary attire. Half a uniform is much worse than none at all. In saying this we do not wish to discourage our Active Militia men, but simply to correct an abuse that is too often indulged in, both here and elsewhere, in rural districts, where men are permitted by their officers to wear all kinds of clothing mixed up with an article or two prescribed in the Queen's Regulations or by General Orders. No commanding officer who knows his duty and properly regards discipline will permit his men to appear half uniformed, as by so doing he brings ridicule upon a service that is of great importance to the country and deserves the encouragement of all good citizens.

Accident to the "Andover."

On Friday last the steamer *Andover*, while lying at Jardine's landing, two or three miles below Indiantown, was forced up on the shore, high and dry, by pressure of logs which had dritted up with the tide out of the Southwest Boom, and were crowded over against the North side of the river by the heavy wind. The steamer appeared to be in great danger, as many of the iron stays which support the frame and upper work were broken, and several rocks had broken through the planking. Her position was the more threatening because the bank of the river was very steep and the hull was careened over, and the water being very deep close in, there seemed to be danger of her falling over and sinking. Considerable plant was taken to the spot by John C. Miller, Esq., and the owner, Mr. Call put on quite a force of men by whom necessary repairs were made, and the steamer relieved from her dangerous position on Sunday night. She was not leaking and being brought down to a point opposite Newcastle, was laid on the shore and had repairs fully completed. She made her usual trip down river yesterday.

Roads, etc.

Our esteemed contemporary, the *Advocate*, appears to have been engaged to publish a kind of "Court Circular" each week in reference to the movements of Hon. Mr. Adams. All of that gentleman's steps and actions are supposed to be faithfully chronicled in the record referred to, which is very prosy reading at times. We are, however, glad to find the following among this week's announcements:

On Friday visited—(by authority of the Chief Commissioner) Escuminac in connection with the road from Escuminac to the lighthouse, and authorized the expenditure of $300 on same, also the sale of the Ubair Creek Bridge. Then inspected Black River Bridge and Bridge at Ullocks as to repairs.

To-day Mr. Adams leaves for Neguac to inspect roadwork at Settlement of St. Joseph, and, by request will proceed to Tabusintac to meet some friends.

It is to be hoped that after he has met those friends at Tabusintac "by request," he will, by request, proceed out on the Richibucto Road, and have a sense of its condition and requirements jolted into him.

The 12th of July

There was a demonstration by Orangemen at Fredericton on 12th inst. Of the St. John representation the *Globe* said :—

One hundred and fifteen Orangemen formed in procession order on Germain street at 7.15 o'clock on Monday, and led by the 62nd Band, marched through Germain, Princess, Charlotte, King and Prince Wm. Streets to the Ferry. Judging by the banners six lodges were represented—Vernon, Eldon, New Brunswick Johnston, Havelock, and Dominion. Sprinkled through the ranks were members of country lodges. There was nothing particularly striking about the demonstration, except the absence of persons prominent in past years. Some of the processionists wore red sashes, but the majority had the supposed-to-be-emblematical orange. A few wore three cornered hats instead of the "tile" and perhaps a dozen carried swords. They appeared to be peaceful men, however. The usual good-natured crowd gathered on the streets, and indulged in considerable chaff at the expense of the "order." Capt. Hall was Grand Marshall, and Mr. John Rusk (I. C. R. Freight department) and M. B. Mitchell were aids. A special train with the party left Carleton at 7.45 o'clock for Fredericton, where the provincial demonstration took place.

We have received some comments from a Newcastle correspondent on the fact that flags were displayed on the Government Railway buildings at Newcastle on the 12th. While we do not publish them, it is not because such displays do not seem in very bad taste, but for the reason that we do not care to encourage the recrimination which might follow.

GOVERNOR WILMOT'S HEALTH.—Lieut. Governor Wilmot, of New Brunswick, who has been seriously ill, left Fredericton *incognito* a few days ago to visit Upper Canada for the benefit of his health, accompanied by his secretary. He arrived in Ottawa this evening, and will to-morrow proceed to Caledonia Springs. He will remain in this vicinity about a week.—*Ottawa Correspondence Toronto Globe.*

We made some effort to-day to find out who was administering the Government of the Province in His Honor's absence, but without success. St. John *Globe.*

A WARNING CONCERNING U. S. MONEY.—The Comptroller of the currency at Washington warns the public not to receive $100 notes purporting to be issued by the National Revenue Bank at Washington; Mechanics' National Bank of New Bedford; Pittsfield National Bank of Pittsfield, Mass., and National Exchange Bank of Baltimore, counterfeits on these banks having been discovered.

The above has been received at Ottawa, having been telegraphed from Washington.

THE DEPUTY ADJUTANT GENERAL AND BRIGADE-MAJOR :—It will be a matter of deep regret to every member of the various military corps in the Province that Lieut.-Col. Maunsell, D.A.G., and Lieut.-Col. Macshane, B. M., have received notices from headquarters to hold themselves in readiness to be removed from the Province after January 1st 1881. It is the intention of the Government to change from place to place, the several Adjutants General and Brigade Majors. The New Brunswick officers have not received any intimation as to where they will be stationed. Lt.-Col. Maunsell has been in this Province since the 15th Regt. came here.—*Globe.*

"READJUSTING" THE "INCREASE."—The St. John *Globe* of Monday says :—The Ministers of Internal Revenue and Customs were interviewed to-day by a delegation of St. John merchants having some complaints to make. There were present Messrs. R. Cruikshank (Jardine & Co.), D. Patton, M. Lindsay, Geo. Morrison, jr., J. W. Nicholson, G. W. Merritt (Turnbull & Co.) and Mr. H. B. White. The injustice of the new regulation regarding the division of the Excise and Customs warehouses, and the payment annually of $40 license fee for each, was pointed out, and after some discussion the Ministers agreed that the merchants will be allowed to use their present warehouses by running a partition across the room and making a separate door. Only one fee—$40—will be collected for both departments. In regard to the collection of duty on vinegar barrels, of which complaint was made, Hon. Mr. Bowell said he would take the matter into consideration."

BEWARE OF THE MOWING MACHINE :—A Sussex despatch to the *Globe* says :—A most serious accident occurred early this morning at Dutch Valley — about four miles distant from the Railway Station. Two sons of J. H. Barnes, the younger about fourteen years of age, were in the garden. The elder began to mow with the mowing machine which was drawn towards a hen's nest in the grass, towards which the younger thoughtlessly ran, and in a moment the cutter bar of the machine struck the lad's foot, mangling it frightfully and nearly severing it just below the ankle joint. Dr. Burnett was summoned, and he called in Dr. Vail for consultation. A piece of bone nearly as large as half a hen's egg came out of the wound. The cords or tendons of the foot were drawn and left hanging like fringe. After consultation it was found impossible to save the foot, when Dr. Burnett, assisted by Dr. Vail, amputated the leg immediately above the ankle. The poor fellow is doing as well as could be expected under the painful circumstances."

Interesting to Farmers.

INFORMATION WANTED.

To the Editor of the Miramichi Advance.

DEAR SIR :—I have received a pamphlet from A. S. Packard jr. Esq., Secretary to the United States Entomological Commission, asking for information about an insect known as the Hessian Fly, which has caused immense damage to the wheat crops in a large portion of the States, and so great have its ravages been in some districts, that the growing of wheat has had to be abandoned.

As I have not heard that this injurious insect has hitherto put in an appearance in New Brunswick, I should be glad to hear from any of the farmers, or others interested, who may see this letter, if they have been troubled with it, and which they may be able to recognize from the following description :—

It belongs to the Diptera, or two winged insects, of which the common house-fly and mosquito are well known types. The body is rather slender, dark brown in color, the head round but somewhat flattened, the eyes black, the wings a dull smoky brown, while the legs are a lighter brown than the rest of the body. The length of the Fly is only about one-tenth of an inch. The Larva or Maggot is very small, and when about to turn into a fly much resembles flaxseed, and at this season of the year may be found between the stalk and the sheathing case of the leaf, a few inches above the ground at the roots of the young grain. Its presence will soon be detected as scattered shoots will be found withered and changed to a light yellow color strongly contrasting with the rich green of the uninjured plants. The presence of the worm causes a gall-like swelling or enlargement of the stalk.

If, however, anyone who is troubled with an insect resembling this, and will take the trouble to forward me some of them, in both the fly and maggot state if possible, and also a few stalks of wheat injured by them, they will confer a favor, in return for which I will publish the best known preventative against, and destroyer of them. They can be sent in a small box or bottle securely fastened, but if from a long distance had better be put in Alcohol if procurable

Any communications addressed to the care of the Editor of the ADVANCE will receive attention. ENTOMOLOGIST.

Late Telegraphic News.

HONESDALE, Pa., July 17.

Henry W. Strouse, cashier of the Merchants' Bank of Easton, last evening was shot dead by Benj. K. Bartree, his brother-in-law. He says the Strouses had robbed him.

NEW YORK, July 17.

The temporary injunction obtained by the Direct United States cable to retain certain arbitrators appointed in New York from proceeding to adjudicate upon certain claims made by the Dominion Telegraph Co. of Canada—notably the right possessed by them under their agreement with the Direct Cable Co. to compel the said cable company to charge as low a tariff rate by their cable as may be charged by the Anglo or any other competing company—has been dissolved by Judge Donohue on the preliminary objection, that the articles of agreement under which the suit is brought by the Direct company, are not under the jurisdiction of the American courts, but under that of the courts of England.

LONDON, July 17.

The tour of the Canadian cricketers is finished and all further arrangements are abandoned owing to the complete failure of the visit. Three members of the team were to have sailed for Canada and the remainder will follow next week.

The weather throughout the week has been unusually adverse to business and agriculture, and in some parts of the country even disastrous. It is still hot and sultry, with frequent thunder storms. Parts of Leicestershire, Nottinghamshire, Yorkshire, Gloucestershire, and Berkshire are submerged by the overflow of rivers. Railway traffic is impeded, and the crops, especially hay, are ruined. Some lives have been lost by the floods. In Ireland the bad weather seems to have broken up, it being fine and favorable to the crops since Thursday.

Mr. Gladstone has remitted fifteen per cent. of the semi-annual rents of his Hawarden tenants, on account of their losses from their exceptional season and reduced prices. He previously reduced their rents in the same amount for 1879.

LEMBERG, July 17.

Fifteen Cossacks crossed the Austrian frontier near Podwolvezdska and attacked the guard house of Austrian *gen 'd arms* to release some Russians in their custody. The *gen d' arms* repulsed the Cossacks with firearms.

TORONTO, July 17.

The *Globe* this morning contains the following cablegram dated London, July 16th : The weather at Wimbledon yesterday and to-day was unfavorable for good shooting. There were occasional heavy showers and thunder storms and the atmosphere was so close and very heavy, that it was almost impossible to see the target at the first range. The competition for the Queen's prize has been decided. Bailie and Graham of the Canadian team made 89 points each and they won £4. Ogg made 88 points and won £3 ; Stanhouse, 87 points, and Sargison 85, winning £2 each. In the Glen Albyn competition Miles made 33 points, winning £4. In the Windmill prize Sargison and Wilson made 32 points each, winning £4 and £3 respectively. In the unfinished competitions the Canadians have made a good score, Grady making the highest possible score for the first series of extra prizes. Sir Garnet Wolsely will visit the camp at to-morrow's inspection. The Kolopore cup will be shot for on Wednesday next.

OTTAWA, July 16.

Mr. Langevin, Minister of Public Works, visits a number of Western towns and lake ports next week, He is to be dined and wined at each village. Nothing like an afternoon dinner speech to elicit awkward promises from callous Cabinet Ministers.

The probabilities are that Mr. Perrault, Conservative member for Charlevoix will be unseated by the election court now sitting.

Zuila, the French female gymnast, is to walk on wire across Niagara Falls.

A conservative convention is to be held at Selkirk on July 22nd to select a candidate in opposition to Donald A. Smith, the Liberal.

NEW YORK, July 16.

Balbo, the Italian murderer, who will be hung on August 6th, was prostrated by the hanging of Cox, to-day. He shut himself in his cell and could not eat, and refused to see any one.

Gen. Hancock has not yet written a line of his letter of acceptance. It will probably not be ready for a fortnight.

This evening Dr. Tanner returned from a long ride. He felt cheery and seemed in good spirits.

BOSTON, Mass., July 16.

A heavy thunder storm in various parts of the country is reported this evening. At Hanover, N. H., a disastrous cyclone unroofed houses, blew down barns and did other damage. At Chester, Penn., 35 houses were unroofed.

CARIBOU, ME., July 18.

This morning, at about 4.30, fire was discovered in the New Brunswick Railway round house here, and in a short time it was burned to the ground. The building, at the time, contained one Fairly and one Baldwin locomotive, and a snow-plough, besides considerable of the company's oils and other railway supplies. The loss, which is heavy, is partly covered by insurance. The cause of the fire is unknown.

MONTREAL, July 17.

Great interest is being taken in the trial of the Oka Indians at Alymer. A private despatch this afternoon says that the jury has disagreed and been discharged; another trial has been begun, the jury being composed of twelve English Protestants.

This morning imposing ceremonies attended interring the remains of Sister Ste. Gaetan, who has been for forty-five years a member of the Congregation Order of Nuns.

MONTREAL, July 18.

This morning the communion plate was all stolen from St. Martin's Church.

At a meeting of the Irish National Land League here, to-day, arrangements were made for the visit of Michael Davitt, the agitator. There will be a monster picnic on St. Helen's Island.

OTTAWA, July 18.

The Medical Council of Canada have requested Sir Charles Tupper to represent them at the Congress of Hygiene, which meets in Turin, in Europe, in September next.

A proclamation appoints September 2nd as polling day, under the Scott Act, in Northumberland, New Brunswick.

The Queen has conferred the title of "Royal" upon the Canadian Academy of Arts.

An Order in Council of March, 1879, prescribing close time for lobster fishing, is amended by extending the fishing season in the current year for ten days.

The revenue returns for June are not contained in yesterday's *Canada Gazette.* This is the third issue missed; last year they appeared on July 2nd.

Donald A. Smith declined formally the Liberal nomination for Selkirk; business pressure is assigned as the reason; the probabilities are that Smith is one of the parties tendering for the construction of the Pacific Railroad.

Hugh Sutherland, of Winnipeg, is now mentioned as Liberal candidate.

A. P. Bradley has been appointed Acting Secretary in the department of railways and canals.

Sir S. L. Tilley laid the foundation stone of the church at Morrisburg. He managed to improve the occasion by incidentally alluding to the blessings the N. P. is conferring on the country. It is a pity that the audience to which that startling statement was addressed was so very small, as the greater the number of intelligent men to whom such a statement is addressed, the greater the revulsion of feeling.

NORTH SYDNEY, C. B., July 18.

McDonald Bros.' furniture factory and Horn's carding mill, on Bras d'Or road, were burned down shortly before one this morning. The loss is $12,000 to $15,000. There is little or no insurance.

LONDON, July 15.

An explosion took place this morning in the London & South Wales Colliery Company's new black vein pit at Risca, six miles from Newport. It is supposed that 119 men were in the pit at the time, and probably none will be saved. One body was found at the bottom of the shaft. Ventilation is being restored in the mine to explore for bodies.

NEW YORK, July 18.

A Deadwood despatch states that a passenger from Fort Mead says a courier has just arrived from Little Missouri, with news of a fight between two companies of the Seventh Cavalry, Captain Ilsby commanding, and a body of Sioux, in which the former sustained heavy loss.

NEW YORK, July 18.

At 11 o'clock, to-night, Dr. Tanner was sleeping soundly, having been without food for over 20 days. In the afternoon he took a long walk, and at 6 o'clock p. m. he took a carriage ride. He had drank considerable water during the day.

VIENNA, July 19.

Fifteen hundred riflemen are here from every part of the monarchy to celebrate the first shooting contest of the United Riflemen of Austria; also the crack shots from all parts of Germany and Great Britain and a few from America. The Prizes are valued at $200,000.

LONDON, July 16.

The *Times* in a leading editorial to-day says :—"The scope of the Compensation Bill respecting a 15, 30 or 50 pounds limit, which has also suggested a one pound limit, is not to be settled until a report is made on the bill, when a new amendment fixing a limit at present unknown, will be made on the part of the Government. It must be admitted the vacillation of Government has inflicted more damage and discredit on the bill than the opposition of either the Conservatives or the Home Rulers. The principle of the bill is regarded with no less repugnance by many Liberals than by the Conservatives themselves. There are many who, though they will vote in a last resort for the bill, look upon it with dread and dislike, and will throw the whole responsibility upon the Ministers. Two out of every three English Liberals regret the bill, and even some influential Irish members consider it unnecessary and mischievous. The bill has been cut and carved to meet the exigencies of the hour, as if it were promoted by the Ministry for the minority, and compelled for that reason to defer to suggestions from every side. It is possible we have not seen the last of the changes. Even now the bill has passed through so many and such unexpected vicissitudes that only a bold man would venture to predict its ultimate fate. We trust at any rate that whatever Parnell may think of the final proposals of the Government, we have at least reached the limit of the change. Nothing can be more disastrous than the state of unsettlement and anxiety in which public feeling in Ireland is kept by the incessant transformation scenes in this Parliamentary drama. An eminent one of Gladstone's law officers in 1870, in his charge to the Grand Jury of the County Kerry the other day, speaks gravely of the excitement and social danger produced in Ireland by agrarian agitation and warns the country that communists doctrines are contagious, and attacks upon rights of property will not confine themselves to land. The effect of discussions upon the bill have been to arouse the people of this country to the peril with which they are threatened, not in their relations with the Irish landed proprietors, but as capitalists having investments in any business connexion with Ireland. If this awakening could lead to watchfulness and caution, and regard for hazardous legislative experiments, the injurious consequences of the bill may be counterbalanced by some permanent advantages."

A Woven Wire Belt.

(Boston Journal of Commerce.)

Geo. S. Long of Hartford, Conn., has invented a new material, or combination of materials, for machine belting, that appears to possess some elements of merit, which, however, will be proved by a more extended use than a test, or trial, for strength and hold can alone give. Wear is an element that cannot be clearly determined by any single test. The belting may be made of any width desired, and also of any thickness or strength desired. The warp is steel wire—in the specimen examined, five-and-a-half inches wide—of No. 25 gauge, and the filling is twisted cotton. This filling is woven in six picks, so that the wire beds itself into the cotton and makes a homogeneous fabric. A belt five-and-a-half inches wide was tested on a twelve inches and fourteen inches pulley, and weighted enough to stop a sixty horse-power engine. There is no perceptible stretch to the belt in use, and by being passed through boiled linseed oil the belt is prepared to resist changes of temperature and moisture, and to run exposed to the the weather or in water. A simple device of sheet metal clamps at the end afford ready means of "butting" the belts either by lacing or hooks. Its cost is not more than one-fourth that of the best leather belting of similar width. Coverings for furniture in upholstering, using silk or worsted instead of cotton for filling, is proposed for this new use of steel wire, and mail bags, proof against the knife and impermeable to moisture and water, are among the claimed possibilities of the new fabric.

Farewell.

The conflict is over, the struggle is past,
I have looked, I have loved, I have worshipped my last;
Now, back to the world, and let fate do her worst,
On the heart that for thee such devotion hath nursed.
To thee, its best feelings were trusted away,
And life hath hereafter, not one to betray.

Yet not in resentment, thy love I resign,
I blame not, upbraid not, one motive of thine;
I ask not what change has come over thy heart,
I reck not what changes have doomed us to part;
I but know thou hast told me to love thee no more,
And I still must obey, where I once did adore.

Farewell, then, thou loved one—O, loved but too well,
Too deeply, too blindly for language to tell—
Farewell! thou hast trampled love's faith in the dust,
Thou hast torn from my bosom, its hope and its trust.
Yet if thy life's current with bliss it would swell,
I would pour out my own in its last fond farewell!

The Russian Imperial Yacht.

A correspondent of the Toronto *Globe* writing from London, July 8th says:—Yesterday Glasgow was quite *en fete* in honour of the launch of the *Livadia*, the new Russian Imperial yacht. Some months since I gave a short description of this remarkable vessel, which is certainly worth of notice, both on account of the magnificence of its appointments and of the peculiar lines on which it has been constructed. The idea, as I think I explained before, which the designers had before them, was to build a yacht that should afford the accommodation of a floating palace for the Emperor and his suite, and at the same time possess a very considerable rate of speed. To do this they finally decided upon a modification of the system of circular ironclads designed by Admiral Popoff, and they planned a vessel of which the hull is shaped like a turbot—in reality a broad, shallow oval—above which are erected the large and sumptuous saloons for the Emperor. This, of course, is a solution of the problem quite in opposition to the method usually followed in order to obtain speed. Naval architects have hitherto always aimed at great length and fineness of lines when high speed is an important consideration. But so far as it is possible to judge at present, there seems to be no reason to doubt the success of the experiment tried in the construction of the *Livadia.* No other vessel could carry on its back a palace as great as that which it bears; its breadth of beam will give it exceptional steadiness, and with its three powerful engines a speed of at least fourteen knots an hour is reckoned upon. The dimensions, I may state, are as follows :—Length, 260 feet; breadth, 150 feet; depth, 50 feet; and tonnage, 11,600.

The Irish Assassination.

THE PERILS OF AN IRISH LAND AGENT—TEN BULLETS IN A MAN'S BODY.

The latest agrarian shooting in Ireland is of a peculiarly vicious kind. It occurred in the County Mayo, the victim being David Ferrick, who has been for the last twelve months agent over the property in the County Mayo of Mr. George Brown, late member of Parliament for that county. Previous to becoming Brown's agent Ferrick, it is said, was rather a prominent local land agitator Since he became land agent, however, he seems to have acted in his new character with great harshness towards "the persecuted peasantry," in whose behalf it was his habit to attend "demonstrations" in the West of Ireland, at which landlords and their agents were denounced and proscribed. His performances in the evicting line were so pronounced, that some weeks ago he was fired at, but escaped unhurt. Since then, like not a few Irish agents and landlords just now, a permanent guard of four policemen has been stationed at his residence on a large farm near the town of Ballinrobe. It is almost indispensable for a land agent in Ireland in these days to have a daring, devil-may-care quality in his character. Ferrick appeared to be made of this stuff. He was what they describe in the rural districts as a "strapping" young fellow, about 26 years of age, six feet high and of great physical strength. Although he knew that he went about with his life in his hands, he refused to be attended when he walked abroad by his special police guard. It is stated that he used to say he wouldn't "satisfy" those who were watching for an opportunity of popping him by showing that he was afraid of them. One day lately he was walking home leisurely along the high road, about 3 o'clock in the afternoon. At a spot on the road made dark and gloomy, even in broad day, by high walls and overhanging trees, he overtook and passed three men wearing grey freize greatcoats and slouched hats. He gave them the usual salutation among the peasantry. "God save you, men," and one of them replied in the customary form, "God save you kindly." He had scarcely proceeded two yards after this, when a volley of pistol-shots were fired at him with appalling effect. He fell on his face, riddled with bullets; as he lay the men advanced and discharged more bullets into him, one of them placing the barrel of his revolver close to the face of the prostrate victim and discharging it, blowing the left eye completely out of the head. Then they did what, it is believed, was never before done in a similar shooting case, they rifled his pockets, robbing him of a purse containing some money. They then crossed a high wall and disappeared. As the unfortunate land agent lay on the road, still conscious, strange to say, two men came along. To them he moaned a request that they would fetch a doctor and a priest. They stood over him, looked at him, recognized him, and refusing to go for either priest or doctor, walked away. Soon after the County Surveyor passed that way. He had the man placed in the cart and conveyed to an hospital, where the doctors found no fewer than ten bullet wounds in his head and body. Some of the bullets which struck him passed right through, others are lodged, one near the left ear, another in the right hip, and a third in the back. The wretched man retained sufficient strength and consciousness to tell the terrible story. Among the people of the locality there was exhibited not only an absence of sympathy for the victim, but an implied approval of the deed. This was shown by the conduct of the two men who left him to die on the roadside like a dog, and by the further circumstance that it was with the greatest difficulty the loan of a cart was procured to carry him in the hospital. Then, again, this outrage was perpetrated while an interment was taking place in a churchyard hard by, and within a few perches of an inhabited cabin, yet the police have been unable to discover any one who will admit having seen any portion of the transaction. The man's death is hourly expected. The wonder is that he has survived so long.

AMERICAN CLIPPER SCYTHES:—Beware of a worthless imitation offered for sale The genuine Clipper at Carmichael Bros.

RAKES, Forks and Haying Tools at Carmichael Bros.

NEW FRUIT, and vegetables, apples, cabbage, cucumbers, peas, lettuce, and all the niceties of the season at Carmichael Bros.

DELICATE WOMEN, *Pale-Faced Sickly* Children, the aged and infirm, alike are benefited by the strengthening and blood-making power of "Hanington's Quinine Wine and Iron." It stimulates the circulation, improves the appetite, and removes all impurities from the blood. It is the BEST medicine you can take to give you LASTING strength

HANINGTON'S WORM LOZENGES—The safest and most reliable Worm Medicine known. No unpleasant doses of Senna required. They are especially suitable for children. Price 25 Cts. 2. y. 1. 8. 1.

MARRIED.

On 11th inst, by Rev. Thos. Bannen, Isabella, youngest daughter of Mr. Henry Kelly, Chatham, to Jas. DeGrace of Shippagan.

DIED.

At Chatham, on Tuesday, 6th July, of Cancer, Ann, beloved wife of Thomas Stephenson, aged 57. [Bath, Me. papers please copy.]

At the residence of his brother, Alex. Saunders, Esq., Upper Nelson, on the 11th inst, Joseph Saunders aged 76 years.

At Chatham, 3rd July of Diptheria, Arthur Alexander, aged 7 years 10 months 7 days, 3rd son of Alexander and Sarah Ann Gullivar.

Weep not for him, he dwelleth now,
Where tears and farewells are unknown,
He walks in shining courts of light,
His eyes behold the eternal throne.

And yet afar we seem to hear,
The triumph of his voice,
Bidding us weep no more for him,
But evermore rejoice.

Shipping Intelligence.

Port of Chatham.

ENTERED.

July 17—Bgtn. Jeune Eugeine, 81, Besnard, St-Pierre, bal. Guy, Bevan & Co.

Bk. Mary Jane, 628, Poppy, Liverpool, bal., J B. Snowball.

19—Bk. Fimafanger, 548, Neilsen, London, bal., J. B. Snowball.

20—Bk. Octurus, 532, Brandhoff, Dublin, bal., J. B. Snowball.

CLEARED.

July 14, Xenophon, Grammes, Sharpness, deals, J. B. Snowball.

15—Kong Oscar, Clyde, deals, Geo. McLeod.

17—Bk. Nordpool, Dahle, London, deals, J. B. Snowball.

Bk. Richard Hutchison, Smith, Liverpool, deals, J. B. Snowball.

Bk. Atlantic, Andersen, Bristol, deals, J. B. Snowball.

20—Bk. Foscolo, Service, Mumbles, deals, J. B. Snowball.

Bk. Rubens, Knudsen, Garston Dock, palings, Guy, Bevan & Co.

Vessels in Port.

CHATHAM.

Bk, Mary Jane, Roppy, J. B. Snowball.
Bk. Fimajanger, Neilsen, "
Bk. Acturus, Bradhoff, "
Bgtn. Jeune Eugenie, Besnard, Guy, Bevan & Co.
Bk. Bruennow, Pagel, "
Bk. Astrea, Christensen, "
Bk. Abraham Lincoln, Ostlund, "
Bk. Carl Frederick, Koch, A. Morrison.
Bk. Albion, Pedersen, Geo. McLeod.

NEWCASTLE.

Bk. Tros, Brager, R. A. & J. Stewart.
Bk. Hoffnung, Garlach, "
Bk. Fjellesteu, Florenzo, "
Bk. Dertdler, Nieman, Geo. Burchill.
Bk. Alfred, Schroeder, "

New Advertisements.

MASONIC HALL,

MONDAY EVG., JULY 26,

THE MUSICAL EVENT,

The Celebrated

FAIRBAIRN FAMILY,

Scottish Troubadours, Vocalists, Comedians and Instrumentalists,

in their new entertainment, entitled

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Presenting the Gems of Scottish Melody; and the Comic Operatic Extravaganza,

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Replete with Songs, Scenes, Duets, Trios, &c.

Popular Prices.

Reserved seats 35 cents. Admission 25 cents.
Doors open at 7.30, Concert at 8.
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Notice of Sale.

To Timothy Sullivan of the Parish of Chatham, in the County of Northumberland, laborer, and Catharine Jones, his wife and all others whom it may in anywise concern—

Notice is hereby given that, by virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain indenture of mortgage dated the 16th day of October, A. D., 1877, made between the said Timothy Sullivan and his said wife of the first part, and David George Smith, of the said Parish of Chatham, Publisher, of the other part, which mortgage was duly recorded in the Northumberland County Records, on October 26th A. D., 1877, in Volume 58, pages, 333, 334 and 335, and is numbered 241 in said Volume—There will for the purpose of satisfying the moneys secured by the said Mortgage, default having been made of payment thereof, and in pursuance of the said power of sale, be sold at public auction, at Letson's weigh scales, so called, in the town of Chatham, on Monday, the 18th day of October next, at 12 o'clock noon, the lands and premises described in said Mortgage as follows :

All that lot or parcel of land situated in the Parish of Chatham, being part of Lot No. 33, or the "Peter Brown Lot," which piece is bounded as follows :—

Commencing on the West side of the road leading from the steam mill of Hon Wm. Muirhead, to Pleasant Street, at the distance of eighteen inches Southerly from the South end of the house formerly owned by Patrick Lloyd; thence Westerly thirty-six feet, to a stake planted by Deputy Layton; thence Southerly 30 feet to another stake planted by said Deputy Layton, on a line parallel with the street in front of the said dwelling house, leading from Water Street to Pleasant Street; thence Easterly parallel with the first line thirty-six feet, to the West side of the street aforesaid; thence Northerly along the West side of the said street to the place of beginning.

Also, all that other lot or parcel of land situated in Chatham aforesaid, being part of the Peter Brown lot and bounded as follows :—

Commencing on the Westerly side of the road leading from Water Street to Pleasant Street at the Northeast corner of the lot conveyed to the said Patrick Lloyd by Robert MacCalmont and others; thence Westerly along the Northerly side of the land so conveyed, thirty-six feet; thence Northerly on a line parallel with the Westerly side of the said road, until it strikes the rear of land formerly owned by the late James Elkin; thence Easterly on a line parallel with the first mentioned side line thirty-six feet or to the Westerly side of the said road at a distance of two feet and a half from the Northerly side of the house now occupied by one of the subscribers, Timothy Sullivan; thence Southerly along the Westerly side of the said road to the place of beginning—Together with the dwelling and other buildings thereon.

Dated at Chatham, in the said County of Northumberland, this, 22nd day of July, A. D., 1880.

D. G. SMITH, Mortgagee.

TIN SHOP.

I have now opened the well known establishment formerly occupied by the late James Gray, and with the kind patronage of former friends, am prepared to execute all work in

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always on hand, which I will sell low for cash.

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Those wishing to buy cheap would do well to give us a call.

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ARCHY M'LEAN.

Chatham July 22.

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COPYING INK!

A fresh supply of Carter's Combined Writing and Copying Ink, in Quarts, Pints and Half Pints, just received at the

MIRAMICHI BOOKSTORE.

Also, an assortment of Letter Copying Books, Copying and Oil Paper, Damping Ewers, Brushes, etc.

MIRAMICHI BOOKSTORE,

Chatham, July 22, '80.

New Advertisements.

FURNITURE, &c.

AT AUCTION.

I will sell by public auction, at the corner of Jas. Brown's store, Newcastle, on

WEDNESDAY, 4TH AUGUST,

at 12 o'clock, noon, a lot of Furniture, &c., belonging to Dr. W. J. G. Dawson, as follows :—

1 Table Piano, H. E. Miller, Boston, Maker.
1 Set Parlor Furniture, except table,
1 Hair Mattress.
1½ Doz Stair Rods.
Stove Irons.
1 Buggy.
1 Sleigh.
1 Feather Bed.
1 Sofa.

The Piano can be seen at any time before the sale, at the residence of Mr. Wm. Gremley.

Terms.—$10, Cash; over that amount three months on approved joint notes.

CHARLES MARSHALL, Auctioneer.

July 20, '80.

Lime Juice, Vinegar,

Haying Tools.

JUST RECEIVED:—

20 GALLONS, LIME JUICE,
5 Doz. Lime Juice, in pints and half pints,
3 Doz. Lime Juice Cordial,
1 Cask Cider Vinegar,
5 Demijons, French White Wine Vinegar.

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Forks, Scythe Stones, &c.

At prices to suit the closest buyers.

GEO. STOTHART.

Chatham, July 22, '80.

CHATHAM DRIVING PARK.

A meeting of the Stockholders of the Chatham Driving Park Association, will be held at the office of the President, L. J. Tweedie, Esq., on the evening of Monday, 2nd August, at 7.30 o'clock, p. m. A full attendance is requested.

ROBERT BAIN, Secretary.

Chatham, July 21, '80.

TO FARMERS.

The Subscriber who is agent at Chatham, for Messrs Reid Bros., of the

Tryon Woolen Mills of P. E. Island,

begs to inform farmers that he has on hand a stock of CLOTHS, FLANNELS and BLANKETS, from that establishment, which he is authorized to dispose of on the most liberal terms.

Either wool alone, or part payment in money and the balance in wool, or whole payment in cash, will be received for any of the manufactures named.

The price for Cloth, is from 32 to 45 cents (according to quality) to cover expenses of manufacturing and 18 oz. of wool, per yard.

The price for Flannel is 20c for manufacturing and one pound of wool per yard.

The price for large blankets per pair is 10 lb. of wool and $2.20 for manufacturing.

Persons requiring first class goods for general wear, should examine the stock and samples now on hand.

JOHN BROWN, Chatham.

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