Miramichi and the North Shore, etc.

PERSONAL.—Hon. John Costigan was in town yesterday.

ROYAL ARCANUM.—The semi-annual meeting of Miramichi Council No. 441 will be held tomorrow, Friday, evening at 8 o'clock sharp.

LECTURE.—Rev. E. Wallace Waits, as already stated in the ADVANCE, is to deliver the second Lecture in the I. O. G. T. course at Temperance Hall, this evening. His subject is, "Do your Best."

CHRISTMAS GIFTS.—The following make very suitable Christmas presents viz American Overshoes, High Cut Manitobas, Fancy Laced Moccasins, Fancy Slippers, &c. To be had at Nicol's Shoe Store.

THE SCHOOLS.—Public School Examinations in the Middle District begun yesterday in Miss Haviland's and Miss Duffy's departments will be continued to-day (Thursday) in Miss Benson's school in the morning and Miss Williston's in the afternoon and will be finished by the examination of the High School to-morrow (Friday) afternoon.

In No. 8 district, Miss Baldwin's and Miss Creighton's schools will be examined this (Thursday) forenoon and the Convent Schools to-morrow (Friday) afternoon.

The Schools in No. 9 district will all be examined to-day (Thursday) commencing at ten o'clock a. m.

Inspector Mersereau is in town on an inspection visit.

EQUITY COURT, BELL vs. BELL.—The following appeared in the city papers on Nov. 16:—

EQUITY COURT.—In the case of Bell vs. Bell His Honor Judge Palmer decided in favor of the defendant's contention with reference to the question of capital and interest. He reserved his decision on the other question involved—that of the terms of partnership. C. N. Skinner, Q. C., counsel for plaintiff. E. H. MacAlpine and James J. Kaye, Q. C., counsel for defendant.

This statement is said to have been incorrect. The questions involved in the case were upon the terms of co-partnership agreement and the amount of capital which the partners had in the concern. His Honor the Judge in Equity on Monday last ruled that the Plaintiff, Adam R. Bell, furnished all the capital and gave judgment in favor of the plaintiff decreeing his capital at $16,250 together with two thirds of the profits for the five years of co-partnership and gave one third of the profits to T. William Bell, the costs to be paid out of the estate. The decision calls on the defendant to pay back some six thousand dollars. The question of interest was not decided.—*Globe.*

TOBOGGAN SLIDE.—We are glad to see that the young men of Chatham have taken active steps to encourage the healthful Canadian exercise of tobogganing by erecting a large and substantial slide in a field in the immediate vicinity of town. It is owned by a Club and has an honorary membership of about 100 ladies. The slide is built on a gradually rising hill, and its upper end is 35 feet perpendicularly above ground. It is 90 feet long and 15 ft. in width and has a centre division, dividing it into two slides. It is ascended by a stairway, 3 ft. in width on the inclined plane, the stairway being suitably protected by a hand rail 3 ft. high. There is also a rail 5 ft. high around the tower. The materials and workmanship appear through and reflect credit on the builder, Mr. John McDonald. In many Canadian cities and towns tobogganing is taking first place among outdoor recreations and we are glad to see that there is so much gallantry, as well as enterprise displayed by the young men of Chatham in providing a pastime to be shared by the ladies, who always exercise an influence for good upon their associates.

LITTELL'S LIVING AGE.—The number of *The Living Age* for the weeks ending Dec. 5th and 12th have the following contents. Dawn of Creation and Worship, by Rt. Hon. W. E Gladstone, *Nineteenth Century;* Dualism in Austria-Hungary, *Fortnightly Review;* The Great Lama Temple at Peking, *Gentleman's Magazine;* The Wesleys at Epworth, *Longman's Magazine;* A Retrospect, *Fortnightly;* Grace, *Spectator;* Culture and Science, *Macmillan's Magazine;* A Scotch Physician, *Blackwood;* Rambles in Canton, *Belgravia:* Some American Notes, *Macmillan;* Hydrophobia, *Nature;* A Dangerous Point on the East Coast of Africa, *Chambers Journal;* The Duke of Newcastle *St Stephens Review;* with instalments of "A House Divided Against Itself," by Mrs. Oliphant, "Fortune's Wheel," and "Mrs. Dymond" by Mrs. (Thackery) Ritchie, and poetry and miscellany.

For fifty two numbers of sixty four large pages each (or more than 3,300 pages a year) the subscription price ($8) is low; while for $10.50 the publishers offer to send any one of the American $4.00 monthlies or weeklies with *The Living Age* for a year, both postpaid. Littell & Co., Boston, are the publishers.

Loss of the Schr. John McLaggan.

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—Steamer King's Cross, which arrived to-day from Benia, brought Captain Santerre, wife and crew of six men, of the schooner John McLaggan, of Chatham, N. B., from Summerside, P. E. I., for Philadelphia, with potatoes. They were taken from the steamer Cydonia, from New Orleans for Havre, on Dec. 9, lat, 40 16, lon. 58 54. Captain Sauterre reports: Nov. 26, lat. 38 14, lon. 67 50, encountered a heavy gale from the northwest, with a mountainous sea running: lost the bowsprit, both topmasts and foremast, and the vessel began to leak badly. On Dec. 7, the schooner being in a sinking condition, they sighted the S. S. Cydonia, of the Stag line, from New Orleans for Havre, who, with the greatest difficulty, rescued myself and wife and crew of six men. On the 9th we were safely transferred to the S.S. King's Cross.

The Bactouche Mystery.

A Bactouche despatch of 11th to the Moncton *Times* says.—An affair of a very serious and mysterious nature has occurred in this hitherto quiet community. There came among us about five weeks ago a stranger who gave the name of Perry, and said he belonged to a place called Mitan or Metis, about ten leagues below Rimouski. He took up his residence on his arrival amongst us with one Antoine White (of McCarthy murder notoriety) and remained from the time of his arrival till the morning of Saturday the 28th day of November last. At about three o'clock on the morning of that day White and one Cormier of the Parish of St Mary's started for Cocagne, but previous to their starting they had several interviews at the bedside of Perry, who it appears was for some time sick and confined to his bed. They remained away from the house of White till about noon. When they returned they found, as they allege, the stranger gone, and that he had left before daylight of the same day, since which time no trace of the man can be found. When he came to Bactouche he had, as far as can be ascertained, about $800 on his person. He had changed while here one fifty dollar bill of the National Bank of Quebec. When coming to Bactouche he came through Moncton and thence through the woods to Bactouche, carrying a gun, shot, powder, bag with clothing, tin can which had been used for cooking tea, in a small valise, in which he carried his notebook] together with his money. He left all his clothing, tins, ammunition, one truss and one rubber coat behind him. No clue to his whereabouts so far.

The Rink.

The Directors of the Chatham Skating rink have about completed their arrangements for the season and hope to have ice in good time. The Band is much improved by practice during the summer and will be more attractive than ever. Season tickets are to be sold at lower rates than ever, the following being the prices.—

Family tickets, admitting two parents and one child	$6.00
Each additional member of family, excepting young men over 18	1.00
Gentleman's ticket	4.00
Lady's do.	2.75
Children under 14	2.00
Monthly ticket, Gentleman	1.75
" " Lady	1.50

Now is a good time to secure a Christmas present, as a rink ticket will be great value for the money.

A Sad Drowning Accident.

It is seldom that a season passes without a repetition of those drowning accidents which bring sorrow to the hearts of those who have been called to bear the loss of loved ones so suddenly hurried away An accident of this heartrendering nature occurred on Saturday last. This has been a somewhat peculiar season, as regards the ice. In the vicinity of the warves and some distance out into the river the ice has been firm, strong enough for horses to pass over it, while in many directions spots of open water were to be seen up to Friday last, quite a large open space being observed in the vicinity of the lime kiln, between the lower wharves and Mill Cove. This space was slightly frozen over on Friday night, and to those who had not observed the open water during the previous day the ice might seem strong enough to carry. About 10 a. m. on Saturday a number of young boys started for a skate, and made their way towards the new ice referred to, led by Lemonte Black, a little fellow of eleven years. When the treacherous ice was reached Black immediately broke through. His companions, who wheeled just in time to avoid the danger, were at a loss to know what to do. Within a few feet of them, on the shore, they could have obtained plenty of material to keep their companion afloat until more help arrived but not thinking of this, some of them started back to where the smelt nets were placed, for a pole, but by the time they returned some two or three minutes had passed, and the poor little fellow unable to retain his hold of the ice, had sunk exhausted to meet a watery grave. The sad tidings were at once conveyed to his father, Thos. Black, who was at work in the quarry a short distance from the scene. In the meantime a number of men had reached the spot, with grappling apparatus, to recover the body, among them deputy sheriff John Cassidy, who was one of the most active workers, and who had met with a similar sad loss a few years ago. The rescuing party met with no success until about 2.30 p. m. when the body was recovered by James McDonald, almost directly under the spot where it had disappeared. The remains were conveyed to the home of the sorely afflicted and sorrowing parents, and were visited by many friends and others up to the hour of the funeral, which took place on Monday afternoon, and was attended by a large number of the townfolk, who in this way evidenced their heartfelt sympathy for the bereaved family. The remains were interred in the burial ground of St. Andrew's Church, the impressive service being conducted by the Rector, Rev. Mr. Sweet. The deceased was a lad of good principles - obedient and kind to his parents, and a devoted member of St. Andrew's S. School. It was only a few days before that he was conversing seriously with his mother on religious matters, his young heart evidently having been opened to admit the Heavenly Guest. The anguish of the parents in having to part with a much loved member of the household so suddenly and sadly is tempered by the soothing thought that he is "not lost, but gone before." Much sympathy is felt for them in this trying hour in which we sincerely join.—*Advocate.*

Creighton-Smith.

The Arizona *Gazette* of 4th says,—

"At the residence of the bridegroom, corner of Jefferson and Yuma streets, last night, James M. Creighton, of the well known firm of Patten & Creighton, architects and builders, was united in the holy bonds of matrimony to Miss Mary Smith, a most modest, comely and amiable young lady of this city, late a resident of Coventry, New York. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. S. D. Fulton at 8 o'clock p. m. in the presence of a few friends, among whom were S. E. Patten and wife, Mrs. E. Mayer, Mrs. S. D. Fulton, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Creighton, Miss Mary Beckwith, Miss Ryder, W. B Ferguson and E. S. Hershey. After the ceremony had been performed warm and hearty congratulations followed. The good will thus extended was followed by refreshments, and an entertainment extending until 11 o'clock. Everything in connection with the wedding was of the happiest nature, and a number of choice presents were received by the happy couple. The newly married couple have already commenced house keeping, and will remain good and reliable residents of our city. The *Gazette* extends its most sincere congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Creighton, trusting that in their matrimonial voyage no storms may ever darken their way, and that the full fruition of connubial bliss may be their lot."

Judge Palmer and the Color Line

On the opening of the Equity Court this morning Mr. Justice Palmer said he had a remark to make concerning the bar dinner, which is to take place on the 17th inst. He had received an invitation to attend the dinner, but since then he had learned that a certain member of the bar—Dr. Walker—had not been invited; that he had been slighted on account of race—simply because he was a colored man. If such was the case—which certainly appeared to be—he doubted the propriety of his attending the dinner, although he had accepted the invitation. As a judge of the Supreme Court he felt it his duty to mention the matter as he had. He looked upon it as extremely hurtful to the good feeling of the community to make race distinctions before the law or otherwise. And he though in this country all such attempts should be promptly discountenanced. It interfered with the pure and honest administration of justice and the peace and good feeling of the community. For his own part he would not under any circumstances countenance any movement which openly drew race distinctions between its members. Dr. Walker so far as he knew him was a highly respectable gentleman, and the only colored member of the bar in this province; and the bar had no right whatever to slight him or deny him the privilege as a member of being present at a dinner under their management. Of course, if the dinner was a private dinner and not got up under the patronage of the bar the person getting it up had a perfect right to invite whom he pleased, but he could not view it in the light o a private dinner as his invitation had come from the bar. Dr. Walker had said nothing to him about it but his attention had been drawn to it by others. He felt that all the persons taking part in getting up the dinner had been actuated by a sincere desire to benefit the bar and he was most desirous of attending and assisting their object in any way he could. The views he expressed had not been for the purpose of interfering with the success of the dinner for which he was most anxious. His friend Mr. Kerr had he believed taken a great deal of trouble in the matter for which, he thought he was entitled to the thanks of the bench and bar; and he would have great respect for Mr. Kerr's views if he had any upon the subject. He mentioned it so that if upon more mature consideration of the parties interested they should consider his views as expressed should prevail they might do so if not too late. He himself claimed no right to interfere in the matter.

Mr. James J. Kaye, Q. C., said he did not intend being present at the proposed dinner, because his health did not permit him taking part in such affairs. He fully agreed with the learned Judge that in all such matters distinction of race should be left out entirely. If Mr. Walker had been slighted on account of race it was wrong. He believed Mr. Walker to be a respectable gentleman.—*Globe.*

The Fredericton Bridge.

The public have had eleven days of bad crossing on the ice and good crossing on the bridge. They can begin to form some idea of what a convenience it is. During the last ten days had the bridge not been available for traffic, the connection between the opposite shores of the river would have been uncertain, difficult and dangerous. Persons living at a distance would not start to come to town for fear that the crossing would be unsafe. They do not have to trouble themselves upon this score now and we have had daily visitors from Stanley, Queensbury, or Sunbury County. And so it will be in the spring. Taking both seasons together it will add nearly a month each year to the period in which Fredericton has uninterrupted intercourse with remote districts on the other side of the river. That is, whereas heretofore there have only been about eleven months in the year during which persons living at a distance would take the risk of starting for town during the uncertain crossing, now they will come the whole twelve months through. Then we have the convenience of unbroken connection at night, and the absence of delays. In short, the little experience our people have already had, makes them highly esteem the new bridge.—*Gleaner.*

It is Well to Begin the New Year Aright.

The wheel of fortune turns on forever. Tuesday, November 10th, 1885, at New Orleans, La., at the 186th Grand Monthly Drawing of the Louisiana State Lottery. Gen'ls G. T. Beauregard of La., and Jubal A. Early of Va., had the following result: No. 46,799 drew the First Capital Prize of $75,000, sold in fifths at $1 each: one to M. R. Nelson, job printer at No. 76 Merrimac Street, Boston, Mass.; one to Joseph Pohl, Traverse City, Mich., collected through First National Bank of Traverse, Mich.; one to S. H. Bettys, Mt. Olivet, Ky., paid to Kentucky National Bank of Louisville, Ky.; and one paid to Wells, Fargo & Co's Bank of San Francisco, Cal. No. 5,349 drew the Second Capital of $25,000 sold in fifths also; two fifths to Armand Preau, No. 194½ Esplanada St., New Orleans, two fifths paid to Wells, Fargo &Co's Baknk, San Francisco, Cal., etc., etc. Ticket No. 3,238 drew Third Capital of $10,000, sold in fifths; one paid to F. Gross & Co., San Antonio, Texas; one to H. Rosenberg's Bank of Galveston, Texas, for John Brunton, a cotton screwman there; and to W. P. Campbell & Co., Bankers, Florence, Ala. All information of the next (the 188th) Grand Monthly Drawing on Tuesday, January 12, 1886, can be had on application to M. A. Dauphin, New Orleans, La. *It is well to begin the New Year aright.*

Riel's Funeral.

A Winnipeg special of Sunday last to the *Telegraph* says,—

The funeral of Louis Riel occurred yesterday morning. Your correspondent visited Riel's old home at St. Vital. The house was guarded by a strong force of half-breeds armed with rifles, who were doing sentry duty

IN ORDER TO PREVENT ANY SURPRISE.

These precautions were due to the rumor that an attack would be made upon the house and an effort made to carry off the body of the dead chieftain. In the house a large assemblage of half-breeds were gathered, many of them from very distant points, and all apparently moved with feelings of great sorrow. In a corner of the room upon a bier covered with sheets, lay the casket enclosing the remains of Riel. Your correspondent viewed the body carefully, to ascertain if any of the sensational stories circulated as to violence having been committed on the body were true in any sense. Nothing was seen which would bear out in the most remote degree any particle of these statements. The features were placid and but little altered from the day on which he was hanged. The heat of the room caused the face to thaw considerably, thus imparting a ruddy, natural glow to the complexion. The eyes and mouth were partially opened; the former were much glazed, thus destroying the life-like expression. There was

NO MISTAKING THE FACT IT WAS RIEL'S.

The beard was nicely trimmed and the body had been dressed in a neat tweed suit. A small cross rested at the head of the coffin. Riel's mother sat in an arm chair near the feet of the corpse. She gave vent to her sorrow at times in uncontrollable fits of weeping; and did not apparently notice anything that was going on around her. Riel's wife, with her little boy and girl, lay upon a bed in one corner of the room. She lay with her face buried in a pillow and never spoke during the entire night. She did not sleep, for she would start every now and again, turn and caress the little ones who lay sleeping. Riel's sisters and brothers were present, but, like the rest, they kept very silent during the evening.

RIEL'S REMAINS WERE LAID AT REST beneath the Catholic cahedral. An immense crowd crossed the river to St. Boniface, to witness the funeral, while the halfbreeds from the entire country swarmed into the cathedral at an early hour, and long before the remains arrived the edifice was uncomfortably crowded. The coffin, containing all that was mortal of Louis Riel, was carried on the shoulders of eight pall-bearers, the whole distance from St. Vital, almost six miles. The casket was borne on a bier from which handles projected at front and rear. Two men were located at each corner, and thus they marched with steady tramp. It was a long carry over the rough road, but those who bore the burden were proud of their task, and an expression betraying the distinction they felt could be seen in their faces.

THE PALL BEARERS.

The following are the names of the pall bearers Benjamin Nault, Chas. Nault, Elie Nault, Prosper Nault, Piere Harrison, W. R. Lagimadiere, Louis Brondeau, Romain Lagimadiere, Norbert Landry, Romain Nault, Alfred Nault, Martin Nault, Andre Nault, Louison Des Rivieres, Francis Poitras, Joseph Lagimadiere, St. Pierre Parisien and Francis Manion. They were dressed mostly in buffalo coats and wore beaver caps and moccasins; red sashes encircled their waists. They wore a white sash, each, across their shoulders and breast.

The casket of rosewood was covered with cloth, the form of a beautiful large white cross being worked on it. Two paces in front of the coffin marched Riel's two brothers, Joseph and Alexandre. On either side of the bier marched in single file a row of half-breeds, about thirty yards in extent. They acted as a sort of guard in case of surprise, which was feared at first. The sleigh in the procession contained Riel's mother, his two sisters and his wife. The mother, on leaving the house insisted on walking in the procession, and did so as long as her failing strength would bear up. She was at last obliged to ride in the sleigh. Her daughter and other female friends who were present were dressed in deep mourning. As the procession approached the cathedral, the bell, which had so often awakened the rebel in his early days,

TOLLED FOR HIM MOURNFULLY

now in death. Soon the body had reached the steps of the cathedral. Then there was a pause, and in a minute the great door swung open and the surpliced choir, bearing candles in their hands, approached. The officiating priests swung incense out upon the bier. A few words were said while the crowd stood reverently by with uncovered heads, and then the bier was lifted and carried into the church, where it was placed upon the catafalque. An ordinary requiem mass was celebrated by the clergy of the cathedral.

The procession left Riel's home at St. Vital about 8.30.

Lepine, Riel's old companion, was present in the procession and appeared much affected. The original intention was to bury Riel beside his father. A grave was dug, but fearing that the body might be stolen the remains were placed in a crypt of the cathedral for a day or two. The grave is but a few yards from the northern entrance of the cathedral.

The Colonial and Indian Exhibition

To the Editor of the Miramichi Advance:

SIR—Having been requested by Sir Charles Tupper, to assist, while in Canada, in working up an interest in the Colonial Exhibition, and feeling the great importance of this undertaking, I have visited various points throughout New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island in this connection, and I regret to find so little attention being given to the subject in this province by our manufacturers and others. Very few applications for space seem to have been made, and unless some more active work is done within the next few weeks, our display will be very far behind every other province in the Dominion. Our people do not seem to realize that each province will have their own display, and that it is to the interest of every person who has the welfare of the province at heart to see that we are represented in every department in which we can compete. To show how the other provinces are working, Ontario manufacturers and others in that province alone have applied for 52,000 square feet. Are we going to allow that province to monopolize so much space when we are offered equal facilities? At the present time it seems as if we were, and it is our own fault. Other provinces are equally anxious and unless applications are at once filled up and sent to W. F. Best, the collecting agent, we will be too late.

With these facts before them, I do trust every person who has an article which will add to the importance of our exhibit, will not wait to be called upon, but at once send to Mr. Best for an application form, and see that it is properly filled out and forwarded without delay.

Yours, etc., IRA CORNWALL, JR.

St. John, N. B., Dec. 9.

She sat up Nights Waiting for Him.

"You see, Maggie got in the habit of sitting up for me at an early age, and she can't break it off. I couldn't persuade her to go to bed and mind her own business, so I studied on the matter. We live in one of the centre houses of a block of five story and attic buildings. There's scuttles in the roofs of all of them, and I persuaded Mr. Greenup, who lives in the adjoining house, to let me in his house last night about one o'clock, and I went up through his scuttle and over to mine, and so down into our bedroom. I could see Martha from the head of the stairs, sitting in the front room, eyeing the clock with a look that was very tartar chromo. But I undressed and quietly got in bed, and there I lay waiting developments. Every now and then I'd hear Martha give a short fidgety cough. Then I'd hear her get up and prance around the room a little, and by and by go to the front windows and slam the shutters.

"After I'd lain there about an hour, I heard her get up and go stand out on the front steps for a good five minutes. Then she came in and slammed the door and locked it and commenced coming upstairs. Every other step she'd say: 'Oh, the wretch. Won't I give it him! I know where he is! I know where he is! He needn't think to deceive me! Oh, the villain!' 'Bout the time she had nearly got to the landing I think she must have seen the light streaming out of the door I'd left ajar. I could hear her stop, and then I commenced to snore. I was afraid to look, you know, but I could feel her cautiously come up to the door and look in. Well, sir, I'd have given my pension from the war of 1776 to have seen her about the time she saw it was me. I'll bet it was fun. But I was afraid to do anything but snore. Then she came into the room, and, by the way she breathed and stood around, I had to nearly bite my tongue off to keep a straight face on me. I could feel that she sat down in a chair, and was dumfounded. I never let on, but when she kicked over a chair, I turned and pretended to wake up, kind of dozed like, and says:

"'Why, Martha dear, ain't you come to bed yet?'

"'Jarphly,' said she, awfully slow and solemn like; 'when did you come in?'

"'Why, must be four or five hours ago. Don't you remember when I told you not to go to sleep again in the rocker, but to come up to bed?' and I turned and professed to go to sleep again.

"She never made any reply, but acted in a dazed, bewildered sort of way, and when she got to bed I could tell she didn't sleep a wink for three hours.

"This morning it was fun to watch Martha. I could hardly keep a straight face. At the breakfast table, and all the time I was about the house, she'd eye me when she thought I wasn't looking then, when I'd notice her, she'd turn away and be awfully busy at something. She caught me kind of grinning once, and, by George, I thought the explosion was about to come. But it didn't though the look of blank, unfathomable suspicion she wore on her face all the time was the greatest show on earth. It nearly broke me up, and I've laughed till my ribs ache ever since. I know it won't last. I know there's a day of repenting a-coming, and the thermometer is going up clear out of sight in the Jarphly family. But who's going after trouble? It'll come soon enough without hunting it, and I'm going to enjoy that scuttle in the roof until the explosion comes."—[*Chicago Tribune.*

A GRAND MOVE.—The Local Government have purchased four of the bridges which for some time past have been in use on the New Brunswick Railway, and which are now being replaced by new steel structures. The bridges purchased are that used on the south branch of the Oromocto, that on the north branch of the same stream, that over the Magaguedavic and that over the Rusagonish. The first three are of the bow-chord cantilever pattern, and the last mentioned is a plate girder bridge. The span of the south branch bridge is 100 feet in length and 14½ feet in width, the average weight per lineal foot being 2,500 lbs. The bridge over the North branch has a 150 foot span and is 15½ feet wide. Weight per lineal foot about 3,100 lbs. That over the Magaguadavic has a 100 foot span, 15½ feet wide. Weight per lineal foot about 2,600 lbs. The weight of the Rusagonish bridge is 2,200 lbs. per lineal foot. The prices asked for these bridges were from $300 to $1,200. The Government, however, have purchased them at a lower figure than was first asked. These fine structures will be put up wherever suitable. Already one has been placed over the Misciquash, on the boundary line of this Province and Nova Scotia. *Gleaner.*

DIED.

At London, England, on the 20th of November last, from injuries received by falling into the dock, CAPTAIN JOHN BARRY, son of the late William Barry, of Bathurst, N. B., aged 51 years. He leaves a widow and three young children at Liverpool, England, and an aged mother at Bathurst, who mourn the loss of a fond husband, a kind and affectionate father and a good son. Deceased was well and favorably known throughout Miramichi, having sailed seven years in the employ of the Hon. Wm. Muirhead.

New Advertisements.

SALE OF REAL ESTATE

In pursuance of a license granted by the Probate Court for the County of Northumberland, there will be sold at Public Auction, in front of the Post Office, in the Town of Chatham, on Monday the Eighteenth day of January next, at 12 o'clock noon —

All the Right, Title and Interest of the late Robert Forest, deceased, of, in and to all and singular those several Pieces, Parcels or Lots of Land situate, lying and being in the Parish of Chatham and County of Northumberland and abutted as Follows, viz —

All that certain Lot of Land situate, lying and being in the Parish and County aforesaid fronting on the Miramichi River and bounded on the upper or Westerly side by lands owned by John Forrest, in rear, by granted lands fronting on Napan River, on the lower or Easterly side, by lands owned by the said John Forrest, and on the front or Northerly by the said River Miramichi, being known and distinguished as lot Number 18, which Lot was conveyed to Robert Forrest deceased, by the late James Russell, Sr., by Deed dated the 25th April, 1854, containing 100 acres more or less.

ALSO, all that other piece or parcel of land, situate in the Parish and County aforesaid, on the South side of the Queen's Highway on Wellington Road so called, commencing at the lower side of the John Forrest land or lot, thence running Westerly along the South side of the said Road about 10 Rods or one equal half of the said John Forrest land, thence back on a line parallel with the lines of the said lot such distance as will make TEN ACRES, embracing in the distance one half of the width of the said John Forrest Lot of Land, being the piece or parcel of land bequeathed to the late Robert Forrest by his father the late John Forrest, deceased, by Will dated the 7th day of May, A. D 1852.

ALSO: All that other piece or parcel of land situate, lying, and being in the Parish and County aforesaid, known as part of Lot Number 17, fronting on the South side of Miramichi River, which part thereof is bounded as follows, viz:—

Commencing on the upper or Westerly side line of the said Lot at the South side of the Brook called and known as Black Brook, which runs across the said Lot, thence Easterly, or down stream following the said brook to the lower side line of the said Lot, thence Southerly along the Easterly side line of the said Lot to the rear thereof, thence Westerly along the said rear line 60 Rods or to the upper side line of the said Lot, thence Northerly along the upper side line of the said Lot to the South side of Black Brook aforesaid, being the place of beginning, containing 30 Acres more or less, and being that part of No. 17 conveyed by Alex. McFarlane deceased, to Robert Forrest, deceased, by Deed dated the 6th day of December, A. D. 1836, with the building and improvements thereon and all right and title of the said deceased therein or thereto. Terms cash.

Dated this 16th day of December A. D., 1885.

ANN FORREST,
Administratrix of
Robert Forrest, deceased.

L. J. TWEEDIE, Solicitor.

CITATION.

NEW BRUNSWICK,
COUNTY OF NORTHUMBERLAND, S. S.

To the Sheriff of the County of Northumberland, or any Constable within the said County Greeting.

Whereas Grace McLean, administratrix and James McLean, administrator, of all and singular the goods, chattels and credits of Hugh McLean, late of the Parish of Hardwicke in the said County, deceased, have by their petition represented to me that the personal estate of the said deceased, which has come to their hands, is insufficient for the payment of the debts due by the said deceased and have prayed that License to sell the Real Estate of the said deceased may be granted to them, for the purpose of paying his said debts.

You are therefore required to cite the heirs and next of kin of the said deceased, the creditors and all others interested in his said estate, to appear before me at a Court of Probate, to be held at my office, Newcastle, within and for the said County on Tuesday the twelfth day of January, next, at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon, and show cause (if any there have) why the said further account of administration should not be passed and allowed as prayed.

Given under my hand and the seal of the said Court this Third day of December, A D 1885

L S (Signed) SAM'L THOMSON,
Judge of Probates, County Northumberland,
(Signed) G B FRASER,
Registrar of Probates for said County,

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NOTICE. Parish Returns and County Accounts.

ALL Parish Officers who have not yet made their Returns, and all persons having claims against the County are hereby requested to render the same forthwith, duly attested, to this office.

SAM'L THOMSON,
SEC.-TREASURER,
Co. Northumberland.

Secretary Treasurer's Office,
Newcastle, 15th Dec., 1885.

Citation Notice.

NEW BRUNSWICK
COUNTY OF NORTHUMBERLAND S S

To the Sheriff of the County of Northumberland or any Constable within the said County, Greeting:

WHEREAS William J Berton, one of the surviving Executors of the last Will and Testament of George Kerr, late of Chatham, in the said County, Esquire, deceased, hath by his petition represented to me that the Executors of the said last Will and Testament of the said deceased, hath filed in the Probate Court for the said County a further account of their administration on the said estate of the said deceased, and hath prayed that the same may be passed and allowed—You are therefore required to cite the heirs and next of kin of the said George Kerr, deceased, the creditors and all others interested in his said estate to appear before me at a Court of Probate, to be held at my office, Newcastle, within and for the said County on Tuesday the twelfth day of January, next, at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon, and show cause (if any there have) why the said further account of administration should not be passed and allowed as prayed.

Given under my hand and the seal of the said Court this Eleventh day of December, A. D., 1885.

(L. S.) (signed.) SAM'L THOMSON,
Judge of Probates,
Northumberland

(Signed.) G. B. FRASER,
Registrar of Probates,
for said County.

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