Publisher's Notice.

The publisher desires to urge upon the notice of all who wish to contribute matter of any kind to the ADVANCE'S columns—whether it be advertising, news or notices of meetings, etc.—that the paper goes to press on Wednesday afternoons and, to ensure publication, their favors should be in the office not later than Wednesday morning.

The printing of the paper is frequently delayed by persons who hold back accounts of meetings, announcements of entertainments, etc., which they might easily send in days before that on which we go to press, but they seem to consult only their own convenience and often place them in our hands on Wednesday after the paper is made ready for press, and seem to think it a hardship because they do not appear; and, in most cases of this kind, the contributions are really free list advertisements. We want to help every deserving organization in the community, freely, in every legitimate way, but must expect them not to delay the publication of the paper when they wish to make use of our columns. Send your matter for the ADVANCE along on Monday or Tuesday, but don't hold it back until Wednesday if you can possibly avoid doing so.

THE SUBSCRIPTIONS towards the new Chatham cathedral fund are increasing very encouragingly.

HIGH TEA AND APRON SALE:—The ladies of St. John's church will hold a High Tea and Apron Sale Tuesday evening, Feb. 24th. Particulars later in the ADVANCE.

To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

TAKING THE SHORT COURSE:—Sergeant Elmer McKnight, of Napan, and Sergeant Everett Watling, of Black River, of the 73 d regiment are taking the January course of instruction at the Military School, Fredericton.

DENTAL NOTICE:—Dr. Vaughan's office will be closed on Wednesdays from 9 a.m. until 2 p.m., owing to his duties as dental surgeon to the Hotel Dieu requiring his presence at that institution.

REV. MR. COWIE, who was to have lectured last evening in the Town Hall, was called to Nova Scotia early in the week and his appearance here is therefore, postponed for a few days. Its date will be duly announced.

PRESENTATION:—On New Year's eve, Mrs. Salter, president of the Ladies' Aid Society of St. Andrew's church, was presented by the officers and collectors of the society with a very handsome sofa cushion and a pretty box of fine handkerchiefs.

A GRIST MILL PLANT FOR SALE:—The subscribers offer for sale a full and complete outfit of Grist mill machinery and plant, consisting of bolt, smutter, French burr stones, etc., all in good order.

Apply to DAMERY & McDONALD.

A NEW NOTE:—The Bank of Montreal has just issued for 1903 a new $100 bank bill, which is probably the largest bill in America of this denomination. It is twice the size of the ordinary hundred dollar bill, and it will be impossible for clever counterfeiters to raise a $10 to a $100 bill of the new issue, as often as has been done in the case of the old bills.

MR. J. E. FEELEY, the well known well borer, who has been spending several weeks in Texas developing his oil properties in that state, was in Moncton last week, en route to Boston, from Pictou, where he spent a few days on business. Mr. Feeley has recently purchased some oil property in Indiana and leaves for there in the course of a few days.—Transcript.

THE MARITIME FARMERS' holiday number is a very creditable production in every respect. Its articles are of great interest to agriculturists generally, and particularly so to those of the maritime provinces, while its illustrations are numerous and of a high class. R. D. Robinson Co., ltd., Sussex, are the publishers. Price $1.00 a year, or 80c. in advance.

WANTED—FAITHFUL PERSON TO TRAVEL for well established house in a few counties, calling on retail merchants and agents. Local territory. Salary $1024 a year and expenses, payable $19.70 a week in cash and expenses advanced. Position permanent. Business successful and rushing. Standard House, 334 Dearborn St., Chicago.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH:—The forenoon service in St. Andrew's church last Sunday was conducted by Rev. W. MacDonald, Halifax. The pastor of the church, Rev. D. Henderson, preached and dispensed the Sacrament of the Supper at Douglastown, in the absence of Rev. Mr. Maclntosh, who is away in Scotland on leave of absence. Mr. Henderson preached a New Year's sermon in St. Andrew's church in the evening.

WHEN THIS PARAGRAPH CATCHES your eye you will see at once that it is an advertisement. But how else can we let you know what a capital thing Adamson's Botanic Cough Balsam is? Write and tell us. 25c. all Druggists.

X'MAS AT ROGERSVILLE:—The Richibucto Review says that on Christmas day, Father Richard, pastor of Rogersville, visited every house quarantined in his parish and from outside of windows (for he did not enter houses through respect of the law) gave consoling words and encouragement to the inmates, which were very much appreciated by his afflicted parishioners. Two teams followed the good samaritan and distributed Christmas gifts among the people, apples, confectioneries and groceries of various kinds, which pleased all, especially the young ones.

A SERIOUS LOSS:—Mr. W. J. Noble, the well known Fredericton lumberman, who has been operating in Quebec for a number of winters, had a heavy loss last Monday afternoon by fire at his main depot camp, St. Pamphile. The loss is estimated to be about $1000 in property and $400 in cash. Mr. Noble had been driving in the morning and had his clothes wet. When he arrived at the depot camp he built a hot fire and hung his clothes around to dry. He went out to the workshop and when he returned the place was a mass of flames. There was quite a lot of ammunition in the camp and for this reason he would not venture into it.

Stock-Taking Sale!

During January we offer in our

Men's Clothing Department,

COMMERCIAL BUILDING,

All our Men's Overcoats, Ulsters, Reefers, Suits, Rubber Lined Coats at regular marked prices LESS 10%

BOYS' OVERCOATS AND REEFERS, LESS 10%
BOYS' ULSTERS AND SUITS " 15%

Among the above are a full range of the fashionable Oxford Grey Men's and Boys' Overcoats and Reefers.

W. S. LOGGIE COMPANY, Ltd., Commercial Building.

THE LARGEST HEAD:—The largest moose head taken out of the New Brunswick forests this year is now mounted at Emack Bros. and is certainly a thing of beauty and the subject of much admiration. It was shot by S. A. Tooles of Pawtucket, R. I., on the Dungarvon, and that gentleman who had hunted over 18 years in all parts of the world said he never saw a better moose head, which is quite an honor to New Brunswick as a big game country.

The head is being mounted free by the Emack Brothers. The antlers have a spread of 62 inches, 34 points and the palms, which are exceptionally large, have a breadth of 19 inches. The antlers and bare skull alone weighed about 70 pounds before being mounted.—Gleaner.

For the Farmers.

Mr. Geo. Hildebrand is home again from a holiday tour of all the chief agricultural implement factories of the upper provinces, which he visited with the object of obtaining the latest "strikes" for the Lounsbury Company for the benefit of the coming season's trade.

Obituary.

A Calgary despatch of yesterday's date says:—John D. Costigan, K. C., son of Hon. John Costigan, one of the best known lawyers in the West, dropped dead at his home last night.

Frederick McDougall, of Indiantown, Miramichi, died on Tuesday at the Halifax school for the blind.

Tobogganing.

A first class toboggan slide has been built, under the direction of a popular committee of citizens, in the Creaghan field, by Messrs. John McDonald & Co. It promises to add very materially to the promotion of our young people's social enjoyment. The provisional committee is composed of Messrs M. S. Hocken, R. A. Lawlor, R. A. Snowball, J. D. B. F. Mackenzie, W. H. Tappe, F. M. Tweedie, with Mr. W. C. Winslow as treasurer.

Lemon Juice for Typhoid.

CHICAGO, Dec. 29.—That lemon juice will destroy the typhoid germs in water is authoritatively announced by the Chicago health department after careful experiments extending over the last three days. One teaspoonful of the juice to half a glass full of water is known to be a good combination and repeated trials have invariably produced the same results. Every germ was killed. The investigations followed and their result confirms the announcement made on Christmas day by Dr. Asa Ferguson, a London physician, to the effect that lemon juice was a decided foe to typhoid.

Big Game.

Mr. R. A. Snowball was fortunate in his hunt for big game last week. He killed a fine moose and also a caribou. Three of our younger Chatham hunters, therefore, closed the big game season very creditably, Mr. F. M. Tweedie killing a big bear in the Bay du Vin region, Mr. Herbert McDonald bringing down a caribou—his first—on the Bartibog and Mr. R. A. Snowball both a moose and caribou on the Tabusintac. Best of all, not only the hides and heads but the meat also were brought out in each case.

A Pleasant as well as Effective Remedy for Coughs and Colds. Bronchial and Asthmatic Coughs.

The Baird Company's Wine of Tar, Honey and Wild Cherry is very agreeable and pleasant to take, it does not disturb the stomach nor cause any unpleasant after effects and is entirely free from any deleterious ingredients.

Bank Transfer—Small-Pox.

BATHURST, N. B., Jan. 3.—The Royal Bank of Canada closed its branch office at Caraquet Dec. 31st owing to insufficient business. Mr. W. L. Hornby, the manager, has been transferred to Halifax, and Mr. John H. Robertson, the teller, has been promoted to the Moncton branch.

A case of small pox has developed in the house of Philomen Clement at St. Joseph's, three miles from Grand Anse, Gloucester county. The patient returned from Ottawa only two weeks ago, where it is supposed he contracted the disease. The house has been quarantined by the Board of Health, who are taking every precaution to prevent the disease spreading.

For Dalhousie.

Mr. Ray Orr who has occupied a position in McMurray & Co.'s establishment, and who has proved himself an energetic, useful and popular employee, is receiving the congratulations of his numerous friends. He was on the waiting list as an applicant for a position on the staff of the Royal Bank, and his time came this week. The authorities of the Royal Bank at Halifax asked Ray to go over to Halifax, he went, they looked him over, he suited, and Manager Foster of the Fredericton agency has been instructed to send Ray to the Dalhousie agency as junior clerk and he leaves for that town next week. The friends of the young man anticipate that he will make rapid progress in his new employ.—Tyron Herald.

The Big Game Season.

The big game season which closed on Wednesday, has been by long odds the most successful in the history of the province. The exact number of moose killed is not known, but those qualified to judge say it is somewhere in the vicinity of four hundred. It is safe to say that the number taken by non-resident sportsmen alone, was in excess of two hundred, and they got some exceptionally fine heads. The number of caribou, deer and bear killed during the season is also said to have been larger than in former years. As no record is kept of the big game killed in the province, it is impossible to get at the exact figures. The receipts from the sale of game licenses will be close to $11,000, which is nearly $2 000 greater than last year.—Herald.

Week of Prayer.

The week of Prayer is now being observed in Chatham. On Monday night the meeting was held in St. Luke's church and Rev. J. M. MacLean spoke on Confession and Thank-giving. A large congregation in St. John's church on Tuesday night was edified by the short and pointed address of Rev. D. Henderson on the "Christian Church: its constitution and government." Last night, Wednesday, the meeting in St. Andrew's church was well attended, and two interesting addresses were delivered by Rev. Messrs. Matthews and MacLean on the Bible Work. Thursday night, Missions will be discussed by Rev. J. M. MacLean, Friday, Temperance, by Revs. W. C. Matthews and D. Henderson.

A Sure Cure for Constipation.

Some remedies cure this distressing complaint in a day, some in a month, but NERVILINE never fails to cure in a few minutes. Just ten drops of Nerviline in sweetened water—that's enough, and away goes the dysentery, cured to stay cured. Nerviline also cures Cramps, Colic, Pain in the Stomach, and Sick Headache. It has five times the strength and curative properties of ordinary remedies, and should be in every household. Better buy a 25c. bottle and try it. Nerviline is all right. Sold by C. P. Hickey, Chatham, N. B.

HAMILTON'S PILLS FOR THE LIVER.

Personal.

Miss Annie Shirreff, of Halifax, who was the guest of Miss Pierce, King street, for a week or more, terminated her welcome visit to Chatham yesterday morning.

Professor and Mrs. Butler, of Kingston, Ont., spent the Christmas and New Year holidays with Mrs. Butler's parents, Judge and Mrs. Wilkinson at Bushville.

Rev Fathers Dixon and Maguire of Newcastle and Vicar-General Jos. Pelletier of St. Louis were in town yesterday.

Deputy Post Office Inspector Whittaker was in town yesterday.

The marriage of Miss Cassie McGinley, of Bathurst, and Mr. A. G Quigley, of Indian Head, N. W. T., is announced to take place in the Sacred Heart, Bathurst, on Sat. 8th. Miss McGinley is one of Bathurst's most popular young ladies and will be much missed by a large circle of friends.

R. B. Bennett, Esq., M. P. P., of Calgary—an ex alderman of Chatham—spent a few days in town last week.

His Honor Lt. Governor Snowball went to Fredericton on Tuesday.

Premier Tweedie went to Fredericton on Tuesday to attend a meeting of the Executive government.

Masonic.

In addition to installations reported last week on the North Shore are the following:

ST. ANDREW'S LODGE, RICHIBUCTO.

C. H. Cowperthwaite, W. M.
R. A. Irving, I. P. M.
Hiram Thompson, S. W.
Geo. A. Atkinson, J. W.
David Fairley, Chap.
Allan Haines, Treas.
Wm. D. Carter, Sec.
John C. Walker, S. D.
Wm. Scott, J. D.
Fred McDougall, S. S.
Wm. S Malley, J. S.
Hugh M. Ferguson, D. of C.
James Murray, Tyler.

NORTHUMBERLAND LODGE, NEWCASTLE.

S. W. Miller, W. M.
T. W. Flett, S. W.
H. Sproul, J. W.
A. M. McLeod, Chaplain.
Jas. Falconer, P. M., Treas.
F. L. Fadolin, P. M., Sec.
G. F. Ward, P. M., S. D.
E. A. McCurdy, J. D.
C. C. Hayward, S. S.
Jas. McMillan, J. S.
Geo. Burchill, Organist.
H. B. Anslow, I. G.
C. E Fish, P. M., D. of C.
John Cassidy, T.

Social Advertising.

[Toronto Telegram.]

King Edward is unlike many loyal subjects in Toronto in his hatred of publicity.

Toronto people have ceased to enjoy the privilege of privacy which King Edward covets, since the would-be great morning dailies have invaded the realm of the once despised society journal.

The large movements of social life are worthy of public mention, King Edward allows for the free play of public interest in the public phases of his social life, but he insists that his whole life shall not be vulgarized by the publicity which ministers to idle curiosity.

Minor social experiences are in the main the subjects of the tittle-tattles which the Toronto morning papers feed to their readers. The simple entertainment which a citizen offers to a few friends is treated as a public event. The maudlin word pictures of the smart gowns worn by social leaders are inflicted upon the suffering reader. These flaring details must tend to stimulate a belief that hospitality and dress are no longer an end but a means to an end, and that end is publicity, and the particular variety of publicity which King Edward abhors.

The lesson of the foregoing in social ethics seems to be necessary in view of so many of the cheaper class of papers everywhere pandering to an equally cheap desire for publicity on the part of those who entertain socially so that the papers may advertise them.

A Railway Potentate.

Shortly before the Halifax train left last evening a stranger approached Policeman Collins, saying he had no money or ticket, but that it was important he should take the train for Campbellton, which town he claimed as his home. As the man's talk continued, the officer began to suspect that the other's mental balance was decidedly at fault, for among other rambling observations he said he was a lawyer and that his position in the legal arena was that of an unquestioned champion.

"If you haven't money or ticket," quoth the policeman, "why not write an order," and he furnished him with a telegraph blank, upon which the stranger wrote the following:—

"Please pass this young man from St. John to Campbellton (N. B.)

(Sgd.) "The Pope of all the Railways."

Upon being requested to add his name he wrote "John Gallen," and expressed the conviction that his progress to Campbellton would now be swift and certain.

Policeman Collins was now certain the man was an escaped lunatic, so while he kept him in the waiting room with the promise that he would be advised as to when the train started, he telephoned to the Provincial Lunatic Asylum and acquainted the authorities with what he knew. Later, a keeper arrived and took Gallen back to the asylum, from where he had but very recently escaped.—St. John Telegraph, Jan. 2.

The Story of Morning Tiredness

Is told by impure blood, poor digestion, sluggish liver and tired nerves. It is a warning of very serious trouble ahead, and should prompt sensible people to take a bracing tonic like Ferrozone, an energetic invigorant and rebuilder. Ferrozone will give you a sharp appetite, promote good digestion and sound sleep; it will feed and energize the enfeebled organs, strengthen the nerve and vital forces and regulate the heart. Ferrozone changes that tired feeling into vigor, strength and ambition, and does it quickly. Remember the name, and insist on having only FERROZONE; it's the best tonic made. Price 50c. per box, or 6 boxes for $2.50, at Druggists, or N. C. Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont. Sold by C. P. Hickey, Chatham, N. B

HAMILTON'S PILLS CURE CONSTIPATION.

A Sea-Brute.

A sailor named Douglas McAndrews, who claims to belong on the Miramichi, was to-day taken to the hospital in convulsions, but soon recovered. The man claims that some months ago, while on the bark Erna, he was struck on the head with a belaying pin by one of the officers and since then he has been subject to convulsions. According to his story, he was shipwrecked on the coast of Ireland and was one of the few survivors of the disaster. He got to Scotland and was in the hospital in Edinborough, where the doctors applied the X rays and found that a piece of the bone was pressing against the brain. They advised an operation, but McAndrews prefered to come to his own home for treatment, and reached here Sunday on the Donaldson line steamer Tritonia. He was walking along Union street in Carleton this morning when he fell in convulsions in front of the residence of Mr. Andrew Hamm. He was taken into the house and Dr. Wheeler called. On his advice the young man was removed to the hospital in the ambulance.—St. John Globe.

The Sun of Tuesday, referring to the foregoing case says:—

"The young man said, while he was conscious, that he is a native of Campbellton, and had sailed from there on the bark Elma for Cork. From Cork they sailed for Clawitch, and on the voyage the captain beat him brutally, fracturing his skull with a spike. Ever since that time he has been liable to these convulsions. The ship was wrecked at Stickeholm, 52 miles from Reykjayick, Iceland, and the crew sent to Leith, Scotland. Thence McAdams was sent to Glasgow, and has just arrived here from that port. He is about 19 years old. It is said that an operation on his skull will be necessary before he will be free from such fits as that which attacked him to-day."

St. Paul's Sunday School Festival.

The children of St. Paul's Sunday School had an enjoyable tea on Saturday evening last in the school room in Douglastown, when a bountiful repast was provided by the parents and teachers who assembled, to the number of about 30.

Unfortunately, the evening was very stormy, but this did not quench the enthusiasm of the workers and the children.

After tea had been enjoyed, the Rector addressed the children, congratulating them on the good work done during the past year, the regular attendance and interest of the scholars, and the other signs that they had shown of a desire to do their work well. He pointed out the importance of doing well whatever is worth doing at all, and dwelt upon the wisdom of laying deep and strong the foundations of religious knowledge. He was glad to present the prizes to those scholars, who had won them honorably, and in distributing these prizes spoke words of commendation to the winners, and of encouragement to those who had not, but who would no doubt be prize-winners in the years to come. The distribution of prizes was as follows:—

Advanced Class.

1st prize, Mary Walls
2nd do Percy Burchill
3rd do Dora Jackson and Willie Leggett.

Intermediate Class.

1st prize, Josie Trevors
2nd do Alice Trevors and Melbourne Vye
3rd do Bessie May Jackson.

Primary Class.

1st prize, Mabel Walls
2nd do Ethel Webster
3rd do Stella Vye.

Several additional gifts were distributed among scholars of high standing, and then followed the enjoyment of candies, nuts, etc., by the children, and also of various games, until the joyful company separated for home.

Miss Burchill and Miss A. Trevors were indefatigable in providing for the enjoyment of their scholars, and all regretted that Miss Peterson was unable to be present with the other teachers, to all of whom much praise is due for their faithful work.

Loggieville.

The Foresters of Loggieville are in a flourishing condition. They are in occupancy of their new hall, now completed. On New Year's they initiated their thirtieth member and Mr. P. Campbell Johnson, Deputy district High Chief Ranger, installed the following officers for 1903:

J. B. McKenzie, M. D.—C. R.
Wilson Loggie—V. C. R.
H. McKinney—R. S.
J. W. S. Babkirk—F. S.
Jos. Tait—T.
S. C. Knight—S. W.
A. F. Manderson—J. W.
C. Blake—S. B.
Geo. Jardine—J. B.
A. W. Lewis—P. C. R.

A most pleasant feature of the evening's proceedings was the presentation, in behalf of his brother members, of a 20th century Standard dictionary to Financial Secretary Babkirk, accompanied by an address signed by Messrs. A. W. Lewis, retiring Chief Ranger and Herman McKinney, Recording Secretary, expressing the members' high appreciation of Mr. Babkirk's faithful work in his office, his fidelity, kindly consideration for the brethren and high Christian character.

The members gathered around Mr. Babkirk during the reading of the address and at its conclusion sang "For he's a jolly good fellow." The recipient made a suitable reply to the address, although it was unexpected, as was also the handsome and useful present accompanying it.

Business being ended, deputy Chief Johnson entertained the brethren with music, instrumental and vocal, and his visit was much appreciated.

Miss Jones' Voice Greatly Improved.

A startling improvement is noticeable in Miss Jones' singing. Her voice is stronger, and sounder clearer and sweeter than before using Catarrhozone, which is a wonderful aid to singers, speakers and ministers. Catarrhozone Inhaler insures absolute freedom from Colds, Coughs and Catarrh, clears the nose and throat, and prevents hoarseness and huskiness. Catarrhozone makes the voice brilliant and enduring, and is uncommonly well recommended by Prima Donnas, members of Parliament, Lawyers, Doctors and thousands that use it daily. Better try Catarrhozone. Price $1.00; trial size 25c. Druggists, or N. C. Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont. Sold by C. P. Hickey, Chatham, N. B.

HAMILTON'S PILLS CURE CONSTIPATION.

Chatham Town Council

The Town Council met in regular monthly session on Monday evening. The Mayor and alderman Hocken were absent in St. John to attend the dinner to the Scottish curlers; ald. McIntosh and Murray were also absent, as there had been an understanding that the meeting was to go over for a week.

Ald. Murdoch was called to the chair.

After the reading and adoption of the minutes, an application from Police Magistrate Connors for an increase of salary was read and referred to the Finance Committee.

A communication from Messrs. John B. Bell and E. N. Ruddock, a committee of the local orange lodge, requesting the use of the Town Hall for the holding of the session of the Orange Grand Lodge of New Brunswick, which is to open here on 10th March, was read and laid on the table for consideration at next meeting.

A claim of Mr. Thomas Fitzpatrick for $4.10 for damage done to one of his sleighs in consequence of a defective public landing, was referred to the Board of Works.

Ald. Nicol, chairman of the Finance Committee, read report as follows:—

The report of your Finance Committee adopted at the regular meeting of the Council held the 1st ult., recommended that $3,500 of the town's sinking fund be invested in town debentures at par, and that the debentures be either destroyed or cancelled as the Council may direct. Your committee has now to recommend that these seven debentures be cancelled sufficiently to render them non-negotiable, and at the same time to show clearly they are the property of the town of Chatham's sinking fund: also that this be done in the presence of the Finance Committee.

In re the petitions referred to your committee at last regular meeting of Council, we recommend that the valuation of Ed. Barry be reduced $200 on personal property for 1901, and $400 on personal property for 1902, these amounts being apparently over valued, according to his sworn statement and according to information obtained by your committee: also that 25% reduction be made on the amount assessed upon the Misses Wall on account of the protracted illness of these ladies.

The report of the Police Magistrate on Scott Act offences for the year ending 31st Dec. 1902 is herewith submitted, also his report of other offences for the quarter ending at same time:

The Scott Act report shows 36 cases entered during the year. Of these, 26 resulted in convictions for first offences, 8 were dismissed, 1 search warrant—nothing got, and 1 left county before service. Of the convictions 2 went to gaol, the rest paid. The report shows a net amount collected of $1243.15 and is audited by Mr. W. M. Salter. The receipts of the Town Treasurer for the amount is also appended. The quarterly report of other offences shows fines collected of $75.55, also audited and receipted.

The report was received and adopted.

A number of bills for salaries, revisors' allowances, etc., were ordered to be paid.

Ald. Nicol, referring to the unpaid taxes on the Maritime Sulphite Fibre Company's property, said the matter had been discussed in committee and a decision that the amount due must be collected was reached. The amount was a large one and the money was needed by the town. His Worship, the Mayor, had been authorised to engage L. A. Currey of St. John to take the necessary steps for the collection of the amount.

On motion, the committee's action was confirmed.

Bills of police salaries, etc., for the month were ordered to be paid.

Adjourned.

Curling.

The visiting Scotch curlers whose arrival in Halifax, names, etc, the ADVANCE announced last week, played a practice game in that city on Wednesday of last week, they played against two Truro Rinks in Halifax—their first match—and were beaten by the score: Truro, 23; Scotland 18.

In the afternoon the visitors played two rinks of All Nova Scotia, the first match ending in a tie, and the second 11 to 15 in favor of Nova Scotia.

In the evening they again played All Nova Scotia, the match ending in a win for Nova Scotia. The total score being 46 to 53.

In the game against Halifax curlers, one of the players being Mr. C. E. McLaggan, formerly of the Bank of Nova Scotia here, there were three rinks on each side in the forenoon, Halifax winning by three points—score 43—40. In the afternoon, however, Scotland played the other three Halifax Rinks and defeated them by 9 points—the total score for the day being Scotland, 84; Halifax 78.

On Friday the game was Scotland vs Sydney. Both of Sydney's rinks were beaten; Scotland, 25; Sydney, 17.

North Sydney—one rink—also played Scotland the same day, winning by: North Sydney, 16; Scotland, 8.

In the next game the result was Amherst, 16; Scotland, 6.

Then Scotland played New Glasgow. The latter made 14 against the visitors' 6.

But the last match at Halifax was a crusher for Pictou. It was represented by one rink and the play resulted: Scotland, 22: Pictou, 2.

The Scotchmen arrived in St. John on Saturday. There was no curling on Saturday as the ice was too soft—watery in fact.

It appeared hardly worth while for the North Shore men to go to St John, as the outlook for ice was unpromising. Mayor W B Snowball, president of the Chatham Club went, on Monday, however, accompanied by Messrs M S Hocken, E R Vickery and J Ken Breau, and arranged to telegraph to the club here for other members if the prospects for play improved. The assuring telegram arrived on Monday evening, and the following started for St John on Tuesday morning: Messrs R A Lawlor, A S Ullock, Jas Johnston, Edwd Johnson and Peter Archer.

On Monday forenoon the first match in St John was played although the ice was in wretched condition. The play and results on that day and since are as follows:

2 Rinks, Scotland 28; Thistles 15.

TUESDAY

1 Rink,	Scotland,	11,	vs St Andrews, St John	15
1 "	"	2,	" St Stephen,	30
1 "	"	15,	" Curleton,	13
1 "	"	7,	" Campbellton,	19
1 "	"	5,	" Hampton,	17
1 "	"	10,	" Chatham,	9
1 "	"	4,	" Moncton,	18
1 "	"	9,	" Fredericton,	17
Totals		91		153

The two North Shore and their opposing rinks were composed as follows:—

Scotland.	Chatham.
Major Davidson,	A S Ullock,
A T Simpson,	E Johnston,
W Henderson,	J Johnston,
G D Ritchie, skip	R A Lawlor, skip
Scotland	Campbellton
A McGregor,	W Sproul,
Bentley Murray,	F M Murray,
G Dewar Ritchie,	D J Bruce,
H Prain, skip	H P Marquis, skip

It is needless to say that the Scottish visitors were most handsomely treated in both Halifax and St John. The New Brunswick curlers gave them a dinner at the Royal Hotel on Monday and it was a big affair. Chatham was represented at it by Mayor Snowball, M S Hocken, E R Vickery and J Ken Breau.

When the Scotchmen left St John on Tuesday evening there was a scene of great enthusiasm at Union Station. Presentations and speeches were made and, the Telegraph says:—

"One by one the visiting curlers were picked up from the floor and many hands carried them to the car steps and placed them safely on board, amid cheers. Speeches were made by many visitors and local curlers and as the train drew out of the depot it was to the sound of exploding torpedoes, cheering, singing of Auld Lang Syne and the last was three hearty cheers from the Scotchmen for St John.

CHATHAM CURLING CLUB.

Since last week the only match play has been:—

2nd series Hutchison medal:

Heckbert's rink, 11 vs McKendy's, 9

1st series Tweedie medals and Nicol stones match:

A Johnston's rink 11, vs D G Smith's 9.

Engineering Department U. N. B.

RESULTS OF EXAMINATIONS.

Fourth Year.

Strength of Materials:—Div. I—J. W. McManus; Div. II—W. G. Baskin, A. T. Wilson.

Hydraulics:—Div. I—J. W. McManus, A. T. Wilson; Div. II—W G. Baskin.

Economic Theory of Railway Location:—Div. I—J. W. McManus, W. G. Baskin, A. T. Wilson.

Summer Camp Field Work:—Div I—W. G. Baskin, A. T. Wilson, D. C. Tabor.

Geology:—Div. I—A. T. Wilson; Div. II—W. G. Baskin, J. W. McManus.

Physics:—Div. I—W. G. Baskin; Div. II—J. W. McManus, A. T. Wilson, F. M. Somerville, K. R. Chestnut.

Third Year.

Masonry Materials:—Div. 1—F. Goodspeed, G. E. Howie, A. K. Grimmer, B. A. Yandall, E. S. Miles, F. M Somerville, K. R. Chestnut.

Railway Surveying:—Div. II—G. E. Howie, A. K. Grimmer, B. A. Yandall, E. S. Miles,

Contour Survey—Div. I—G. E. Howie, A. K. Grimmer, E. S. Miles, B. A. Yandall.

Summer Camp Field Work:—Div. I—K. R. Chestnut, A. K. Grimmer, E. S Miles, F. M. Somerville, B. A. Yandall, G. E. Howie.

Chemistry:—Div. I—G. E. Howie, A. K Grimmer, F. M. Somerville; Div. II—E. S. Miles, B. A Yandall; Div. III—K. R Chestnut.

Geology—Div. I—A. K. Grimmer, G. E. Howie; Div. II—K R Chestnut, F. G. Goodspeed; Div. III—E. S. Miles, F. M. Somerville, B. A. Yandall.

Physics:—Div. II—F. G Goodspeed, A. K. Grimmer, G. E. Howie, E. S. Miles, F. M. Somerville, K. R. Chestnut; Div. III—B. A. Yandall.

Second Year.

Land and Compass Surveying:—Div I—F G Goodspeed, G K Lutwick, E R Shirley, G B Whitehead, C McN Steeves, A R Crookshank, J E J Patterson; Div II—E S Dibblee; Div III—C A McVey, A W Wilbur, H W McLeod.

Chain Survey (Field Work and Notes):—Div I—H W McLeod, A W Wilbur, G K Lutwick, E R Shirley, C A McVey, J E J Patterson, A R Crookshank; Div II—C McN Steeves, E S Dibblee, F G Goodspeed.

Vernier and Compass Readings:—Div I—A R Crookshank, F G Goodspeed, G K Lutwick, J E J Patterson, E R Shirley, G B Whitehead, C A McVey, C McN Steeves, H W McLeod, A W Wilbur.

Summer Camp Field Work:—Div I—A R Crookshank, C McN Steeves, A W Wilbur; Div II—H W McLeod; Div III—F G Goodspeed.

Logic:—Div I—A R Crookshank, H W McLeod, C McN Steeves; Div II—E S Dibblee, J E J Patterson, A W Wilbur, G B Whitehead; Div III—G K Lutwick.

Mathematics:—Div I—J E J Patterson, C McN Steeves, A R Crookshank; Div II—H W McLeod, G B Whitehead, G K Lutwick, A W Wilbur; Div III—E S Dibblee, C A McVey.

Physics:—Div I—G B Whitehead; Div II—A W Wilbur, J E J Patterson; Div III C McN Steeves, A R Crookshank.

English:—Div I—A R Crookshank, C McN Steeves, G B Whitehead; Div II—G K Lutwick, H W McLeod, J E J Patterson; Div III—E S Dibblee, A W Wilbur.

French:—Div II—H W McLeod, C McN Steeves, A W Wilbur; Div III—A R Crookshank, G K Lutwick, G B Whitehead.

German:—Div II—F M Somerville; Div III—R S Dibblee.

First Year.

Drawing (theory):—Div I—E R Shirley, Geo H Burnett, J D McBeath, John Brittain, C P Wright; Div II—G C Torrens, R N Winslow, E Clawson, A W Wilbur, A W Nalder, W F Smith, Spencer Everett; Div III—H W McLeod, A W Thorne, F Shenton Thomas, F G Goodspeed.

Drawing (plates):—Div I—Geo H Burnett, A W Thorne, C P Wright, Div II—W F Smith, F Shenton Thomas, G C Torrens, B H Kinghorn, E Clawson, R N Winslow, A W Nalder, J D McBeath; Div III—Spencer Everett.

Round Writing:—Div I—Geo H Burnett, C P Wright, E Clawson, B H Kinghorn, W F Smith, A W Nalder, G C Torrens, A W Thorne, F Shenton Thomas, J D McBeath, R N Winslow; Div II—Spencer Everett.

Mathematics:—Div I—Geo H Burnett, J. D. McBeath, E Clawson, John Brittain, G C Torrens, C P Wright; Div II—Spencer Everett, A W Thorne, R N Winslow; Div III—H. A Malloy, F Shenton Thomas, Byron Kinghorn, F Smith.

English:—Div I—John Brittain, Geo H Burnett, E Clawson, Spencer Everett, Byron Kinghorn, J D McBeath, F Shenton Thomas, C P Wright; Div II—G C Torrens; Div III—A W Nalder, W F Smith, A W Thorne, R N Winslow.

French;—Div I—E Clawson; Div II—John Brittain, F Shenton Thomas, A W Thorne, G C Torrens, C P Wright; Div III—H A Malloy, R N Winslow.

German:—Div II—E Clawson, Geo H Burnett.

MARRIED.

At St. Andrew's Manse, Chatham, on the 30th ult. by the Rev. D. Henderson, Dawson Dickison to Miss Agnes H., daughter of Mr. James Mowatt.

DIED.

At Lower Napan, on Christmas morning, Alexander Thompson, aged 47 years, leaving a wife and seven children to mourn their sad loss.

NOTICE.

All bills and claims against the County Board of Health must be sent to the Secretary on or before January 13th. All bills must be itemized.

J. HAYES, M. D., Secretary.
Nelson, N. B.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING

The annual meeting of the stockholders of Miramichi Steam Navigation Company will be held in the Town Hall, Chatham, N. B., at 2.30 o'clock on Tuesday, the 13th day of January 1903.

J P. BURCHILL, President.

Dated Chatham, N B, Dec 29, 1902.

Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the William Richards and Company, Limited, will be held in the Company's office, Bolestown, N B, on the twenty-seventh day of January next at two o'clock p m

Dated the 5th day of January A D 1903

R W McLELLAN, Solicitor. WILLIAM RICHARDS, President

Meeting of County Council.

The Northumberland County Council will meet at the Council Chambers, Newcastle, on

TUESDAY, THE 20TH DAY OF JANUARY INSTANT

at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, for the despatch of business.

Dated 5th day of January, 1903.

SAM'L THOMSON,
Secy-Treas. Co. Northumberland.

NOTICE.

All persons peddling meat or poultry in Chatham, and not belonging to the parish of Chatham, are required to have a certificate from the Chatham Board of Health.

In order to procure the above certificate proof must be furnished that the beef or poultry so peddled, does not come from a district where smallpox is prevalent

A certificate from a clergyman, magistrate or known person at the point of origin will be taken as proof

By order of the Board of Health

GEORGE WATT, Secretary

Chatham, Dec 16, 1902

SOUTHWEST BOOM CO.

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the above company, will be held at the Secretary's Office, in Newcastle, on

THURSDAY, THE 15TH DAY OF JANUARY, 1903,

at two o'clock, p m, for the purpose of choosing directors, and to transact such other business as may be deemed necessary. The Directors will meet in the same place on the same day, at eleven o'clock a m, to audit the Treasurer's accounts, and wind up the business for the year.

ALLAN RITCHIE, President.

Newcastle, 26th December, 1902.

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Our stock of Ground Spices is large. Buy from us and get the best imported English Spices.

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