POOR COPY

Miramichi and the North Shore, etc.

THUNDERINGS are frequent.

90° IN THE SHADE has been here.

Now the skeeter biteth the angler.

DIOCESAN SYNOD Report will appear next week.

RESERVED SEAT TICKETS for the Katie Lougee performances at the Miramichi Bookstore.

EXCURSION AND PIC-NIC:—Don't forget the Newcastle Firemen's Excursion and Pic-nic to-day. Full particulars are given by advertisement.

HARDWARE, PAINT, LIME JUICE, etc. are among the goods advertised by Mr. Goggin this week.

NAILS, GLASS and other goods of a seasonable character are offered by Mr. George Stothart.—See advt.

METHODIST CHURCH:—Rev. Henry Penna will preach in the Methodist Church, Chatham, next Sabbath July 4th, morning and evening.

HOTEL:—Mr. David McIntosh announces that he has established himself in the Dominion House, where he is prepared to accomodate the travelling public as well as permanent boarders.—See advt.

THUNDERSTORM IN BLACKVILLE:—On Sunday and Monday evenings of last week a severe thunderstorm occurred in this locality. Ex-Councillor Scofield's barn, as well as two others were much injured; people shocked and animals killed.

ENTERTAINMENT:—It will be seen by advertisement that the pupils of St. Mary's Academy, Newcastle, are to give one of their attractive entertainments at the end of their scholastic year, in the Masonic Hall of that town, on Thursday evening next 8th inst.

SINGULAR ACCIDENT:—On Saturday last as a young man of Tabusintac named Beattie, accompanied by two other men, was driving a horse and cart along a road back of Neguac, a tree fell across the road upon the horse, breaking the animal's hind legs and breaking a portion of the cart. Young Beattie was also slightly injured.

THE "MALLARD":—The barque *Mallard*, recently purchased at auction by Wm. Murray, Esq., has been floated under the superintendence of Mr. James Desmond. The main hatch, skylight and other openings under water were caissoned and the vessel then emptied by the wrecking pump of the tug *Gladiator* and the Chatham steam fire engine. The cargo is being taken out at the Canada Ballast wharf, preparatory to repairs being made. The vessel is now kept free of water by her own pumps.

RACE:—A Halifax "Commission Merchant" named Cohn undertook to make a go-as-you-please match around the Public Square, Newcastle, one evening last week, for $10 a side and his challenge was accepted by a prominent Newcastle merchant, the money being staked and judges and Referee appointed. The Halifax man "weakened" as the time for the test came, and would not run. His opponent was of different stuff, however, so he went over the course and was paid the stakes, and now the loser wants his money back and talks of going to law to recover it.

INFORMATION WANTED.—Of the whereabouts of a lad named Johnson or Jonathan "Hopkins" or "Hopkinson," of Yorkshire, England. He belonged to the crew of the vessel "Ruby," which wintered at "Souris," Prince Edward Island, in 1872-73. The last heard of him (2nd June, 1873), he was in the employ of, or boarded with Mr. Peter Stewart, Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island. His mother resides at No. 14 Wharf street, Parkwood Bottom, Heighley, Yorkshire, England, and she is very anxious to hear from him. Information to be forwarded to J. D. Brousseau, Mayor of Quebec. [The mother is poor and Canadian papers are requested to give the above gratuitous insertion.]

ST. MICHAEL'S COLLEGE ENTERTAINMENT on Thursday evening last was a great success. All the performers did well, and many exceeded any former efforts. The costumes were very creditably made up, and it was evident that the management spared no effort to deserve the patronage of the public. The play and farce as well as the recitations music etc. developed a thoroughness of presentation which could only result from intelligent and painstaking study, and the presentation of prizes was not the least attractive feature of the evening. Mr. Moriarty's valedictory did him great credit in the matter of composition as well as in style of delivery. The occasion was a fitting close to a successful college term.

THE RICHIBUCTO ROAD is in worse condition at the present time than it has ever been. Supervisor McNaughton has had only some 75 dollars allowed to him for repairs between Chatham and Black River, and nearly one half of that sum was already expended in necessary work, leaving only about $40 now to repair some nine miles of the worst road in New Brunswick. Supervisor Lynch who has the road between Black River bridge and the County line, has only a small pittance with which to do a great deal of work. Cannot our members who favor the Government do something for the County in this matter?

FIRE ON BOARD THE TUG GLADIATOR:—On Sunday morning about 4.30, the Captain of a schooner observed smoke issuing from the deck house of the Tug *Gladiator*, Captain Ross, moored at Letson's wharf, and immediately gave the alarm to the engine houses, from whence the steamer and the hand engine were quickly on hand. Capt. Ross arrived shortly before the engines, and observed smoke and flames issuing from the fire-hold door, but the streams were quickly turned on, and the flames were extinguished in 20 minutes. When the fire broke out, the crew were asleep in the cabin, and it is supposed to have arisen from a spark from the furnace falling into one of the coal bunkers. The damage was comparatively small, though the body of the house was considerably burnt, as well as the partition of the coal bunker on one side. Capt. Ross expresses his warmest thanks to the firemen, and others for their prompt exertions on the occasion.

SORROW AND CONFESSION appear to be in order with our penitent Newcastle contemporary. There is a tone of sadness and regret in its confession of this week that it has, at times, been "ill-mannered," "unjournalistic" etc. We accept its apologies in even a better spirit than they are offered, and as it has "frankly confessed" its wickedness we extend our forgiveness. Life is too short and 90 in the shade too warm for poor humanity to worry over small matters. We, however, hope that present evidences of contrition and resolves of amendment are the forerunners of a change of heart on the part of the *Advocate*. We hope it will continue to cultivate a truthful as well as a charitable spirit, that it will not continue to be the centre of such awkward little bits of scandal as its former unseemly attacks on respectable people have led to the exposure of, that as it is only a weak little craft it will not carry so much sail, and that it will generally cease to do evil and learn to do well.

The Indiantown Brook Bridge.

The finishing touches are being put on the new bridge over Indiantown Brook, which, as so many of our readers are aware, is at the famous trout-fishing grounds of the Southwest Miramichi. The contractors for the work, Messrs. Jas. O'Brien and Levi Gerish and their foreman, Mr. Wm. McKay, have made a creditable job. The main portion of the structure is a box truss span of 74 feet which is approached by walled and railed embankments on either end, each of which is 70 feet long. On the up-river end there is a further embankment of 70 feet without rails. The new bridge is placed three feet higher than the old one, which, although some 30 feet above the summer level of the river, was floated off by the great freshet of the spring of 1874, an event which is not likely to be repeated in a great number of years.

Messrs O'Brien and Gerrish were to have $517 for the work—a sum which seems idadequate—especially as the competition was keen, and just after they secured the contract, wages, iron and lumber advanced materially in price. When contractors do public work faithfully the people, no doubt, desire that they should be fairly remunerated.

The Drama in Chatham.

The Kittie Lougee Company open a short dramatic season of three nights in the Masonic Hall Chatham, commencing this, Thursday, evening. The bill for to-night opens with the dramatization of Irving's interesting story "Rip Van Winkle," with Mr. J. V. Fanning in the title *role*. It is a great piece. The second piece is "The Fool of the Family," in which Miss Kittie Lougee will appear as "Bettie Saunders." She will be supported by other members of the Company, which we have reason to believe is a capital one. The Calais *Times*, which is very careful in the expression of its judgment of dramatic companies says in its issue of 18th ult.

The Kittie Lougee Comedy Company, after a season of great success in Eastport gave three entertainments in this city, Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday evenings, presenting "Rip Van Winkle" with the farce "Fool of the Family," "Streets of New York," and "Divorced," on the respective dates. This was the first appearance of Miss Lougee here; but she leaves many friends who will hope for her early return. As was to be anticipated from the high reputation that preceded her, she made a most favorable impression in every part she represented. In the farce of the first evening she was as vivacous, sparkling and captivating as Lotta; As Helen Faraday she compared most favorably with Charlotte Thompson, while her conception and personation of Alida Bloodgood were excellent. Of Mr. Fanning as leading actor no mention is required; he was already an established favorite here and has added to his laurels by this visit. The supporting Company is an excellent one, Dan Hart and Mr. Coolidge making decided hits. The management is honorable and courteous, and the demeanor of every member of the company admirable.

The Deanery Meeting at Bay des Vents.

A Bay des Vents correspondent writes giving us some particulars of the late Rural Deanery meeting at that place which appeared in last week's ADVANCE, together with the following:—

At the Village, on Thursday Evening, prayer was said by Rev. Mr. Flewwelling who afterwards introduced to those present the Rural Dean. The Dean in a short speech set forth the Home Mission work of the Church in N. B., telling his hearers what the Diocesan Church Society has done and is doing for rural districts. He then spoke about the deficiency in the Society's funds, and the cause of its arising, and the great need of its being wiped out this present year. He informed us that Chatham had given $180.00 for this purpose, and that Newcastle from present prospects, would contribute liberally, and he hoped that Bay des Vents would not be behind in the good work. The speaker added that he would not regret that the deficiency has arisen if it proved the means of stirring up the people to take a more active part in the affairs of the Church, for in so doing they would be but fulfilling some of the vows they made in Baptism. The Rev. gentleman was listened to with marked attention, and it is a wish expressed by many in the Village, that we may have frequent visits from the Rural Dean in the future.

The Rector of Richibucto followed, taking up the subject of Foreign Missions. He appealed to the younger members of Congregation to come to the front and do their duty to the Church.

At the several services, appropriate hymns from Hymns A. and M. were sung. The congregations at all the services were large and very attentive.

Bathurst Notes.

June 29th, 1880.

THE FISHERIES:—The fisheries, so far this season, are a complete failure and the reports both from up and down the Bay are discouraging to the fishermen. The Lobsters, of which there was a fair catch in the early part of the season, are now very scarce, none of the packing establishments doing even an average day's work. Salmon are even scarcer than lobsters and none have been taken on the Nepisiguit yet. Those who think they know predict there will yet be a good run, but the season is getting along. Codfish have commenced to come in and, although late, promise to be fair.

DIPHTHERIA:—This dreadful disease has broken out in South Tetagouche, about ten miles above town. Mr. Stephen Kent, a farmer, lost a young boy on Saturday last, who was only three days sick. Two more of his children are laid down with it and a couple of other cases are reported in the same settlement.

FRESHET:—Owing to the heavy rains of last week the lumber drives on Grant's Brook, Nigadoo and Miller's Brook, all, of which were hung up from want of water, have been successfully got out.

COTTAGES:—Messrs. Burns Adams & Co. have in course of completion six cottages situated directly opposite their mill near the Nepisiguit Bridge. They are intended for their workmen and when completed will present a neat appearance and be quite an improvement to that end of the town.

PERSONAL:—Sir Bache Cunard and party spent ten days in Bathurst on their way to Gaspe on a fishing tour. They tried the fishing on several streams but were unsuccessful.

W. S. Scovil Esq., Inspector of weights and measures is in town in his official capacity.

Fatal Accident.

The *Aroostook Pioneer* gives the following account of a very sad casuality by which a native of Miramichi lost his life:—

A shocking accident occured at F. W. Titcomb's shingle mill in this town, last Tuesday morning, by which John Gilks, an operator in the mill, lost his life. Mr. Gilks, with another man, was engaged in sawing cedar logs into shingle bolts, and they were cutting off the last piece from the end of the log, when it cramped the saw.—48 inches in diameter—which was running at the rate of over 600 revolutions per minute, causing the large belt to break which carried it, throwing the saw from off its bearings with tremendous force.

Mr. Gilks was standing beside the saw holding on one end of the log, leaning over it, when the saw struck him on the head, completely severing the upper and lower portions, across from the eyes back of the ears, killing him instantly,—a horrible sight to imagine—scattering brains and blood in every direction in the vicinity, where he stood.

The accident, doubtless resulted from a defect in the saw, which had been repaired a short time previously, as about one third of the saw separated and flew across the mill.

Mr. Gilk's mangled remains were removed to a house near by and taken charge of by friends. He was about 35 years of age and belonged to Miramichi where he has four children living—his wife having died about a year ago. His mother and sister also, reside there. He had relatives in Ludlow. Mr. Moores of that town, being his uncle, took charge of his remains and had them removed to Ludlow for burial.

Correspondence.

Overseer Mowat and the Bay Chaleur Drifting Cass.

To the Editor of the Miramichi Advance:

DEAR SIR:—In your issue of 24th you direct the serious attention of your readers to the late judgment of the Supreme Court in the long pending case between myself and McFee with respect to the drifting for salmon in Chaleur Bay, and, as you say, completely reversing the time honored principal that "a man's guilt must be proved before he can be condemned." In this case McFee admitted the drifting for salmon; he told me personally, that he came for that purpose; I warned him that his plant would be seized, and that the law declared "drifting for salmon to be illegal." Even after he commenced to drift I told him to go home to St. John with his nets, but he defied me.

As for limits, there was nothing in the Act to guide me; only "drifting for salmon is illegal." The Act also says the onus of proof is on the party charged. If it were not so it would, in most cases be a dead letter. Salmon nets being found in possession of persons having no license, or permit to use them; found wet in boats or canoes, with the clear evidence of use, by scales blood or fish, certainly renders them liable, but according to your idea the poachers must be taken red handed, in the act, to secure conviction. In many cases this is difficult to do. Poachers have persons watching for the officers, both above and below the scene of operation. Not once in fifty times, can you secure the parties or get so near as to recognize them and should the canoes and net be taken it is as much as can be expected, and there cannot be any hardship, if the parties are fishing legally, in satisfying the officers they were so. A policeman finding a suspicious character with stolen goods can apprehend him, or a Customs officer the same, if he imagines goods to be smuggled.

Drifting in the Bay of Fundy, if I am right, is on account of the shad fishery, which the Bay of Chaleur does not produce.

As for McFee fishing 3 miles from shore, if he did he only had a spare mile at Charlo. His men swore he told them to go out 3 miles, but they would not swear they did so; on the contrary they said they had seen the snow fences when hauling their net in. The shore fishermen had seen them outside of their nets taking in their net, and in one case they fouled a shore net, but the shore fishermen did not go out to identify the parties. Supposing I had taken the net in the act, (which I tried hard to do) do you think I could have sworn to the distance from shore, on a dark night? If I had, would not Judge Palmer have made "a hare of me"? Suppose this arbitrary provision were expunged, how could those drift nets be regulated? The 3 mile limit would have to be staked and lighted before an officer could convict. What force would be required to carry out the Act on 50 miles of Bay? It would be a "go as you please" and I am sure it the miles of drift nets would not injure the coast fisheries, it would soon fix our river.

I ask you, was it justice to my fishermen, paying for their privilege, to allow a Bay of Fundy stranger, on a mere quibble, to drift outside of their nets with a 400 fathom sweep net? I really considered I had a right to strain a point to stop it. I know you have the interests of the fisheries at heart and ask would your Miramichi Fishermen like it. Many were waiting for this decision in order to drift in this Bay, and you may depend upon it your bay would have had a share of drifters. I trust I have shown unthought of points with regard to this drifting, although in a crude state, and I sincerely hope you will not go in for expunging that drifting clause or curtailing the officers' powers.

I am Sir, your very obd't serv't,

JOHN MOWAT,
Fishery Overseer.

Deeside, June 26th '80.

The Trinidad Mission.

To the Editor of the Miramichi Advance.

SIR:—The following sums have been received in response to the appeal of the Board of Foreign Missions for the immediate removal of the debt, now hindering the designation of a fourth missionary to Trinidad. Please to publish this commencement, that others may be reminded of the call and stimulated to move quickly in this matter.

A lady of St. Andrews Church,

Chatham	$20.00
O. P. Q. Pictou	5.00
Anonymous	5.00
" Pictou, Co.	100.00
A friend of St. Andrews N. B.	5.00
Truro first Presb. Cong.	41.50
	$176.50

P. G. MCGREGOR, Treas.

Halifax June 23rd. '80.

Notes from Hardwicke.

To the Editor of the Miramichi Advance:

Dear Sir:—The salmon fishing has commenced at last, the salmon having put in an appearance at a very late date this season. The herring were very plentiful in the Lower Bay du Vin bay, and the gaspereaux are also said to be very plentiful.

The lobster establishments are in full blast at Escuminac, viz. those of Messrs. Fleiger, Wilson and Lewis and Mr. Wells, on Huckleberry Island. The latter gentleman had a great deal of fitting up to do to his establishment before he got rightly under way as it was damaged to a considerable extent by the great storm of the 29th of October last, but he is now working away.

The *Andover* has made two trips down here this season.

The contractors of the Bay du Vin bridge have not yet began operations. Parties now going to Chatham or elsewhere above Bay du Vin have to go around by Gulliver's—a distance of between 6 and 7 miles. There was a ferry established for a few days but it was abandoned after the ferrymen found he could not manage the catamaran against the tide of the Bay du Vin river without an assistant.

The bridge across the McInnis Creek has not been passable for the last few weeks, but the contractor is working at it and will soon have it passable.

Since I last wrote to the *Advance* there have been many and sad changes in this parish. Death has been busy and many a family has been bereft of loved ones.

I remain yours respectfully,

TEAZER.

[From the St. John *Globe*.]

The New Brunswick Conference.

EDUCATIONAL SOCIETY.

The Educational Society held its annual meeting last night. Rev. Prof. Burwash occupied the chair, being supported on either hand by the speakers of the evening, Rev. Messrs. Evans, Deinstadt, Chapman and Stewart. Rev. Dr. Stewart being called upon, reported that the contributions from the different circuits to the fund had been as follows:

St. John	$ 67 75
Fredericton	218 82
Miramichi	19 70
Sackville	138 34
St. Stephen	37 43
Prince Edward Island	149 01
Total	$631 05
Expenses	62 20
Balance	$568 85

—an increase over last year's subscriptions of $27.74. The above named gentlemen made energetic and able appeals in the interest of the Society; and a collection was taken up.

CONFERENCE BUSINESS.

The Conference opened this morning at 9 o'clock with prayer and song, and sat for the first hour with closed doors.

Rev. Mr. McKeown gave notice of motion, to comply with the prayer of James Burns, who petitioned to be admitted into this Conference.

The President then asked "What candidates of our ministry are now received on trial?"

Rev. Mr. McKeown announced Samson B. Grigg, of St. John Circuit, a young man of good constitution, good standing, one who does not use snuff, tobacco, or strong drink, and whose standing was 835. On motion he was received.

The Chairman of the Miramichi District, Mr. Teed, announced Lambert Williams, a young man of good character, who does not use snuff, tobacco, or strong drink, who has a matrimonial engagement, whose marks were 565.

Mr. Colter read a minute of the district meeting, to the effect that Brother Williams was inefficient in the elementary branches of study.

Prof. Burwash said this was a case that the Conference should be very careful in disposing of. This young man, he said, had not reached the standard required in the preliminary branches. If he went out into a District, he could not attend to his work in that District and pull up in these studies as well as was recommended.

Rev. Messrs. Pickard, Teed, H. Sprague, Stewart, Betts, Colter and others spoke to the question, Rev. Mr. Teed and Mr. Colter speaking in favor of receiving Mr. Williams. The questions being put he was declared accepted by a vote of 25 to 24. The vote being disputed it was put again and the young man was rejected by a vote of 38 to 27.

Rev. Mr. Cowperthwaite, of the P. E. I. District recommended Thos. Pierce, 28 years old, of good standing, who has no matrimonial engagement, who is free from debt, whose marks were 530.

Rev. Mr. McKeown objected to his age. He said he was too old.

Prof. Burwash had heard him preach. He preached well, and gave a fine sermon and he (Burwash) believed it was his own too.

Mr. Pierce was then accepted.

The question whether rejected candidates could be employed as local preachers was raised by Mr. Crisp and Dr. Pickard, both of whom held that they could not.

Prof. Burwash put a different construction on the question, which construction was accepted by the Conference as being correct.

On motion of Dr. Pickard, the ex-President, Rev. Mr. Huestis, and Secretary Rev. Mr. Rogers of the Nova Scotia Conference who were present, were invited to the platform and were asked to speak.

[After addresses by Revds. Messrs. Huestis and Rogers on the desirability of uniting the Conferences of N. B. N. S. and P. E. I., the Conference passed the following:—]

Resolved, That we have listened with pleasure to the remarks of Rev. ex-President Huestis of the N. S. Conference, and Rev. J. A. Rodgers, Secretary of the same Conference, and do assure these esteemed brethren that we will give due consideration to the important subject to which they have called our attention, and would further assure the Book Steward of our sympathy and support in discharging the duties of his office as Book Steward.

[A minute of Conference respecting the late Rev. Joseph Hart was also passed.]

Rev. Mr. McKeown presented the petition of Rev. James Burns to be transferred from the United States Methodist Conference to the New Brunswick and P. E. Island Conference. Mr. McKeown asked that a committee be appointed to consider the request.

Dr. Pickard thought a committee would not be able to manage the matter, and moved that it be made the order of the day at some future day. The matter was then deferred until to-morrow morning

The question "Who are the supernumeraries?" was called from the chair. Mr. McKeown announced Rev. Dr. Pope, Rev. Messrs. Prince, Narraway and Clark, and recommended that the Rev. George Payson be added to the list for St. John District. Carried.

The Chairman of Sackville recommended Rev. Dr. Pickard and Rev. Mr. Colter. He said that it was with regret that he moved that Mr. Colter should be put on the list, but on account of ill health, Mr. Colter felt that the course was necessary. Carried.

The Chairman of the St. Stephen District recommended that Rev. F. W. Harrison be allowed a year to go West that his failing health may be restored. Mr. Sprague said that Mr. Harrison's physician had informed him, that unless he spent a year in another climate he would not regain his health. Carried.

The Chairman of the different districts recommended that Brother Thomas with $100, Brother Wells with $100, Brother McCully with $75 and Brother Estey with $75 be sent to the Theological Institution. Rev. Mr. Wilson announced that on account of personal reasons Mr. Wells did not wish to go to Sackville. After a discussion, Mr. Wells arose and upon the permission of the Conference, stated that his debts footed up to $200, as he did not get his pay from Shediac last year. On motion Mr. Wells was released from attending the Institution. The other recommendations were adopted.

Messrs. Wadman, Moore and Gregg were admitted to the D. D. Course.

The following were appointed the Examining Committee: Revs. R. Duncan, R. Wilson, C. H. Paisley, M. A., E. Evans, H. P. Cowperthwaite, M. A., and J. S. Colter.

Dr. Pickard presented the report of the Book-room. The report was a long one, including minutes of meetings, extracts from the *Wesleyan* relating to the retirement of Rev. D. D. Currie from the editorship of that paper, &c. The report showed that during the year the receipts had fallen off and the Book-room had become considerably involved, and at the conclusion of the report the Committee urged that all Methodists should do all in their power to liquidate the debt, as the Book-room was rapidly approaching a financial crisis.

In the course of the discussion on this subject which followed Rev. Mr. Read said that of course the matter could not be touched this morning, but he believed that it would pay the Conference to have a thoroughly trained business man to look after the affairs of the book room rather than to take a Minister who had so many other duties devolving upon him. Certainly an error of over $4,000 was a big one to meet.

On motion, Rev. Messrs. Duncan, Teed, Reed, Chapman and H. Sprague were appointed to investigate the report and book room affairs.

The examination of Candidates for ordination being taken up Messrs. Penna, Williams and Stebbings, who stood together in a pew a short distance from the platform answered such questions as these: what is Divine inspiration? What is the atonement? What is the Godly sorrow? What is the Divine institication? and so forth. The examination occupied about an hour and was a thorough one.

The Station sheet places the Ministers on the Miramichi District as follows:—

Chatham.....Stephen T. Teed.
Newcastle.....George Steele.
Richibucto.....Issac Howie.
Baie du Vin } Sirus C. Wells, under the sup-
Tabusintac } erintendence of Bro. Teed.
Bathurst.....Isaac N. Parker.
Campbellton...Samson B. Grigg, under superintendance of Bro. Parker.
Derby.....Douglas H. Lodge.

[The above report will be continued next week.]

Hanlan's Condition.

The Toronto *Mail* says:—"Desiring to ascertain the true extent of his ailments, Hanlan yesterday called on Dr. Thorburn, and was examined by that gentleman. The result of the visit, as given by the Doctor, was that he found the champion much below the usual standard of health, suffering from overwork and insufficient rest. In the neighborhood of the left groin, where Hanlan complains of severe pains, is a plaster which has done much to make his condition easier. From a description of the nature of the pains, the doctor is convinced they were brought on by a too vigorous and too frequent play of the muscles, occasioned by the leg action when the sliding seat is in motion, and that unquestionably some of the sinews have been overdrawn. The patient was strongly advised to abstain, for some time to come from active exercise of any kind. When called on at his Island home last night, Hanlan said that he intended following the instructions of his medical attendant, notwithstanding the fact that there has been a decided improvement in his condition since leaving Providence, R. I. He has not the slightest doubt, but that a couple of months' rest will put him on his feet again, and that he will be as strong and able as ever when the time comes for him to tackle the Australian. Hanlan is very much cut up at the unkind things which are being said of him by some people, and declares solemnly and positively that, until the time he was seized with the pain, he intended and was trying to win. Ross rowed well throughout, and deserved the triumph he had had. He (Hanlan) knew he could beat the New Brunswicker, but in the condition he was on Thursday he could not have done so except at the risk of permanently disabling himself."

The Potato Bug.

[Maritime Farmer.]

We regret to say that already have these pestiferous bugs commenced their ravages on our potato crop. Where they come from so suddenly is somewhat a mystery; but come they do by the hundreds and thousands. For miles around we learn of their attack upon the early crop. In many cases farmers are trying to pick them off the young plants but when they think they have succeeded in securing all, another lot will take their place, and so the work goes on. It is just now difficult to say what the result will be. The fight will be a hard one. The potato crop is too important a one to be easily relinquished. We shall have to fight them to the death with the most effective weapons at our disposal. Paris Green is an effective remedy, but is considered more or less dangerous, and requires great care in handling.

The following is said to be a sure cure, which a correspondent of *Vick's Monthly* recommends:

"To a pail of water, add one spoonful of coarse powdered saltpetre, and apply with a watering pot to the plants. It will not only destroy potato bugs, but squash bugs and other bugs as well. For killing the vermin on rose bushes it is unsurpassed. For maggots that work at the roots of squash vines, pour about a pint at the root of each vine as soon as the pests indicate themselves."

Should this prove to be as good as recommended, it will not be so objectionable as the use of Paris Green, and many who dislike to use the latter will use the former without any fears. We would like our readers to try it and tell us the results.

The old Love.

"You love me, only me. Do I not know?
If I were gone your life would be no more
Than his, who hungering on a rocky shore,
Shipwrecked, alone, observes the ebb and flow
Of hopeless ocean, widening forth below,
And is remembering all that was before.
Dear I believe it, at your strong heart's core
I am the life; no needs to tell me so—
And yet—Ah husband, though I be more fair,
More worth your love, and though you loved her not,
(Else must you have some different deeper name
For loving me) dimly I seem aware
As though you conned old stories long forgot,
Those days are with you—hers—before I came."

II.

"The mountain traveller joyous on his way,
Looks on the vale he left and calls it fair,
Then counts with pride how far he is from there,
And still ascends. And when my fancies stray
Pleased with light memories of a byegone day,
I would not have again the things that were,
I breathe their thought like fragrance in the air,
Of flowers I gathered in my childish play.
And thou my very soul, can it touch thee
If I remember her or I forget?
Does the sun ask if the white stars be set?
Yes, I recall, shall many time maybe,
Recall the dear old boyish days again,
The dear old boyish passion; Love, what then?"

A SENSATION IN THE LECTURE FIELD:—A despatch of Thursday last to the Moncton *Times* says:—

The Rev. A. N. Experidon, a Bulgarian Monk of the Greek Church of Turkey, lectures here to-night in a large tent which he carries for that purpose. His lecture to-night is on Jerusalem, Mount Calvary, the Holy Scriptures, Ruins of King Solomon's Temple, River Jordan, Dead Sea, Turko-Russian War. Mr. Experidon arrived in St. John a few days ago, and is to lecture in the different towns as far as Halifax. He is a thoroughly educated man, having attended Oxford and the leading colleges of Europe, and at one time attended the same college as Lord Dufferin. He is master of thirty-eight languages and speaks English fluently. He has travelled a great deal in America, and is printing an account of his travels. He creates no little excitement here on account of his peculiar dress and appearance.

THE LEWIS-POTOSKY FOLLIES DRAMATIQUES are to appear at Masonic Hall, Chatham, for a short season commencing on 12th inst. They have a first-class reputation.

MARRIED.

At the Manse, Blackville, on the 23rd inst., by the Rev. T. G. Johnstone, assisted by the Rev. James Murray, Mr. David Holmes, to Miss Mary Clouston, both of Doaktown.

At Deeside, Co. Bonaventure, P. Q., on the twenty-fourth June, by the Rev. J. C. Herdman, B. D., Mr. Duncan A. McBeath of Campbellton to Miss Rebecca J. Mowat, daughter of John Mowat, Esq. of Deeside.

Shipping Intelligence.

Port of Chatham.

ARRIVED.

June 30—Bk. Foscola, 495, Service, New York, bal. J. B. Snowball.
Bk. Atlantic, 592, Andersen, Norway, J. B. Snowball.
Bk. Catherine, 177, James Teneriffe, bal. Guy, Bevan & Co.

CLEARED.

June 24—Bk. Sostrene, Foyn. Havre, deals, Guy, Bevan & Co.
Bk. Thrudvang, Neilson, Cardiff, deals, Wm. Muirhead.
Bk. Niord, Schoug, Penarth Roads, deals, Alex. Morrison.
Bk. Jenny, Cornelinsen, Gloucester, J. B. Snowball.
Bk. Nordcap, Stein, Bristol, deals, Wm. Muirhead.
25—Bk. Colonist, Iversen, Liverpool, deals, Geo. McLeod.
16—Bk. Sophie, Mortensen, Dublin, deals, J. B. Snowball.
Bk. Jason, Holstead, St. Nazaire, deals, Guy, Bevan & Co.
Bk. Vincitore, Larsen, Honfleur, deals, Guy, Bevan & Co.
28—Bk. Odin, Svensen, Brake, deals, Guy, Bevan & Co.
Bk Regina, Petersen, Liverpool, deals, J. B. Snowball.
Bk. Olaus, Amundsen, Bowling, deals, Wm. Muirhead.
Bk. Vigo, Bierman, Liverpool, deals, A. Morrison.
29—Bk. Mercur, Olsen, Barrow, deals, J. B. Snowball.
Bk. Amalie, Morch, Hull, deals, Guy, Bevan & Co.
Bk. Kate, Wright, Grimsby, deals, J. B. Snowball.
Brigtne. G. A. Coonan, Irvine, Ardrossan, deals, Wm. Muirhead.
Bk. Oscar Wendt, 476, Scharnberg, Penarth Roads, deals, J. B. Snowball.
Bk. Thyra, 612, Christensen, Bristol, deals, J. B. Snowball.
Bk. Medora, 348, Nielsen, Gloucester, deals, Guy, Bevan & Co.
Bk. Capella, 488, Tredten, Liverpool, deals, Geo. McLeod.
Bk. Gimso, 383, Gjeruldsen, London, deals, Guy, Bevan & Co.
Bk. Duero, 265, Pedersen, Fleetwood, Alexander Morrisen.

Port of Newcastle.

ENTERED.

June 23—Bk. Wacissa, 809, Neilsen, Gloncester, N. S. bal. D, & J. Ritchie & Co.
26—Bkte. Sovereign, 332, Morris, Trinity Kflaud, bal. D. & J. Ritchie & Co.
28—Bk. Aukathor, 391, Henricksen, Spain, bal. R. A. & J. Stewart.

CLEARED.

22—Bk. Gustava, 393, Sorensen, Fleetwood, deals, R. A. & J. Stewart.
25—Bk. Caroline, 592, Petersen, Barrow, deals, G. Burchill.
Bk. Atlantic, 494, Neilsen, Belfast, deals, D. & J. Ritchie & Co.
26—Bk. Gyda, 519, Smith, France, deals, R. A. & J. Stewart.
28—Bk. Agatha, 532, Govertsen, Liverpool, deals, G. Burchill.
Bk—Drafna, 402, Neilson, River Mersey, deals, R. A. & J. Stewart.
29—Schr., Wm. Philpot, 123, Philpot, Boston, Grindstones, R. Hutchison.

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Bk. Foscola, Service, "
Bk. Atlantic, Andersen, "
Bk. Canada, Anderson, "
Bk. Elida, Sorensen "
Brig Habor, G. Neilsen, "
Bk. Nordpol, Dahler, "
Bk. Baltic, Wulfsberg, "
Bk. Salo, Tortensen, "
Bk. Jens, Olsen, "
Bk. Xenophon, Grannes, "
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Bk. Christian, Christiansen, "
Bk. Toivo, Anderson, "
Bk. Mandarin. Sayers, "
Brgtne. Aganoria, Jenkins, A. Morrison.
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Bk. Ingeborg, Roer, "
Bk. Ellida, Krog, "
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Ship Peruvian Congress, Power, "
Bk. Soundry, Raoul, "
Bk. Aukathor, Henricksen "
Bk. Oxo, Dahl, Geo. Burchill.
Bk. Alfred, Schroeder, "
Bk. Capella, Tvedten, Geo. McLeod.
Bk. Ingeberg, Roer, "
Bk. Richard Hutchison, Smith, J. B. Snowball.

Port of Bathurst.

ENTERED.

June 25—Bk. Mindet, Beck, Rochfort, R. A. & J. Stewart.
Bk. Glenaloon, Richards, Aberdory, Burns, Adams & Co.
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All the right title and interest of Paul Sevoy, in and to all that piece or parcel of land lying and being in the Parish of Alnwick and County of Northumberland. Bounded—Westerly, by lands occupied by John Savoy, Easterly by lands occupied by Carris Commeau, Southerly by the Neguac Bay, and by the barren lands, Northerly by the rear boundary line of said Lot, containing 100 acres more or less, and being the lands and premises upon which the said Paul Sevoy at present resides.

The same having been seized by me under and by virture of an Execution issued out of the Northumberland County Court by Wm. G. Creighton against the said Paul Sevoy.

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