

## Miramichi and the North Shore.

"HARPER'S" for July at the Miramichi Bookstore.

Ship News is unavoidably crowded out this week.

Go to the Temperance Pic-Nic on Beauport Island to-day.

Remember—That none of the Northumberland Local members-elect are exactly opposed to the Government.

SAVAGE and LORIMER is a Conscience to the St. John Herald. Its subject is the election in that County. Well, everybody can't succeed.

THUR—Glass was removed from a sack in the Barnaby River Freight House, on Thursday evening last, the sack opened and cases of brandy stole.

DWELLING FOR SALE.—Attention is directed to the sale of the fine residence in Chatham, owned by Mr. Geo. Robinson, which is to take place on 19th/20th to-day.

TO SUBSCRIBERS.—We beg to intimate to subscribers who have recently received bills from this office that we expect them to either bring or send to us the money to settle them. Our terms are payment in advance, but we regret that too many of our friends appear to imagine that we require no payment at all.

PIC-NIC.—Don't forget the picnic of the Newcastle Dutch Reform Club at Beauport's Island, to-day. The *Anchor* leaves Chatham at 9 a. m., and 2 p. m., and Newcastle at 10 a. m., and 3 p. m. The Committee have spared no pains to make the occasion a very enjoyable one.

DEATH AT BUCKINGHAM.—We regret to learn of the death of Alexander Johnson, Esq., of Buckingham, who has been ill for some time. Death occurred on Monday, Mr. Johnson was 58 years of age. He had been a leading merchant and merchant of the place for many years and leaves a large circle of mourning relatives and friends.—Times.

COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE.—Attention of merchants is directed to the advertisement of Harding & Hatheway of St. John, who do a large commission business in flour and provisions, etc. The firm is composed of you, men well acquainted with trade and in a position to offer advantages to customers. One of the firm has special claims on the North Shore.

AT THE GRAND SEMINARY, Montreal, on the 20th ult., orders were conferred on the following gentlemen: Deacons, Rev. H. H. Johnson, of the diocese of St. John; minor orders, Mr. M. McKenna, St. John, and Mr. W. Curry, of the diocese of Chatham; tonsure, Mr. J. Walsh, St. John, and Mr. J. Mallot, Chatham.—Globe.

DROWNED.—Yesterday afternoon a little boy aged 7, named John W. McKay, a son of Mr. Ebenezer McKay of Chatham, while playing at the lower corner of Mr. Snowball's wharf, accidentally tripped and fell into the adjoining slip of Messrs. Guy, Bevan & Co., and, notwithstanding efforts made to rescue him, was drowned. The body was recovered about half an hour after and an inquest was held at the Look-up by Dr. Pallen, Coroner. A verdict was returned of accidental drowning.

THE STEAMERS of the Miramichi have been inspected by Wm. M. Smith, Esq., Dominion Steamboat Inspector. The new *David*, built by Mr. Burke of Chatham, hull and engine from Mr. Fraser, Miramichi Foundry and the *Grip*, both owned by Messrs. Miller of the Park Express Works, were the new boats inspected.

It is probable that next year, there will be one, or even two new boats here inspected by Mr. Smith, who is one of the most efficient and conscientious officers in the public service.

DUTCH REFORMERS' TEMPLE COMPANY. On Monday evening a meeting of the Directors of the Dutch Reformers' Temple Company was held at the Canada House, for the purpose of electing officers and other business. Mr. J. H. Smith, Esq., was called to the chair and Mr. L. B. Oakes appointed Secretary. The following officers were elected: President, John Sherriff, Esq.; Vice President, William Sherriff, Esq.; Treasurer, Wm. Johnston, Esq.; Secretary, A. D. Sherriff, Esq. It was decided at the meeting to proceed with the erection of the new hall, and for that purpose to collect the instalments due on the stock subscribed and to secure a suitable site.

PERSONAL.—The friends of Geo. V. McMoroney, R. C. L., son of the Hon. G. McMoroney, of the House of Commons, will be pleased to hear that he has graduated with honor at the Boston University. Mr. McMoroney studied at St. Joseph's College, Memramcook.—Times.

Wm. M. Smith, Esq., Dominion Steamboat Inspector was on an official visit to Miramichi last week.

Brigade Major, Lt. Col. Macdonald arrived here on Saturday last. His visit lasted several days, during which he inspected the Government property in possession of the different Corps at Miramichi.

His Honor, Mr. Speaker Anglin, is in town. We learn that he is on his way to his constituency.

GLOUCESTER TEACHERS' INSTITUTE.—The Gloucester Institute was held in Messrs' Hall, Bathurst, on the 13th and 14th inst. Mr. Smith, the Inspector occupied the chair and read a paper, after which Dr. Rand explained the object of the Institute.

The following officers were elected viz, James Smith, president; G. W. McMoroney, vice-president; F. Girwood, secretary and treasurer; Misses Mearns, Bathurst, and Smith Tracemans, members of executive committee.

During the sittings of the Institute a variety of interesting educational subjects were discussed.

On Thursday evening Dr. Rand delivered an able lecture in connection with the Institute in Messrs' hall to a large and attentive audience.

DISMISSAL.—Overseer Wyse, of Chatham, was, some time ago, asked for his resignation, pursuant to his promise to resign, made when the Minister of Fisheries was here last autumn. Instead of resigning he caused a requisition to be circulated asking him not to resign, many persons signing it because they were told Mr. John Grant of Lower Newcastle was to be appointed Mr. Wyse's place. The Department, however, on learning of Mr. Wyse's course, reminded him of the request already made and as his resignation was not sent in he was dismissed. Some of the papers say the office is "abolished," and that a certain gentleman in Chatham is, therefore, disappointed because he expected to see Mr. Wyse's place.

We have the best of authority for saying that said gentleman never, in any way aspired to the office, and could not accept it were it tendered to him. The statement that the office is "abolished" is made to let Mr. Wyse down as easily as possible, we presume. Mr. Wyse, however, has been dismissed for cause, and in good time, other officers who appear to misunder-

stand their duties will, no doubt be similarly "abolished."

A DAY OF PLEASURE at the Temperance Pic-Nic at Beauport's Island.

Visit of the Apostolic Delegates.

His Excellency, Bishop Corroy, of Aradago, Apostolic Delegate to Canada, arrived in Chatham yesterday afternoon about four o'clock. The purpose of his visit is to perform the Consecration Ceremony connected with the laying of the Corner Stone of the New Cathedral at Chatham. He came to Newcastle by the Express train of Tuesday night, accompanied by Rev. Father Ryan, as Secretary and Rev. Father Pannos of Chatham, who had been sent by His Lordship, Bishop Rogers, of Chatham, to meet the distinguished Prelate. His Excellency, was the guest of Rev. Father Dixon of Newcastle for the night. With their usual kindness he of them, Messrs. Call & Miller placed the *Anchor* at the service of the Bishop of Chatham and party, who met His Excellency at Newcastle at half-past two yesterday afternoon. In the party were His Lordship, Bishop McIntyre of Prince Edward Island and Bishop Cameron of Aradago (the latter being accompanied by Rev. Father McAfee of his diocese). Rev. Fathers O'Leary, Grand Falls, Balmain, Tracemans, Varley of Bathurst, Edward J. Rannan, Dallowrie and Trudelle, Shippagan, besides a number of members of Chatham, including Messrs. McArthur, Messrs. Wm. Wilkinson, Q. L. J. Tweedie, John Connors, S. Habbey, R. P. B. Joyce, Wm. Benson, M. Finn, D. G. Smith and others, including also, Lt. Col. Macdonald of St. John. Accompanying His Excellency were Rev. Fathers Ryan, Dixon of Newcastle and Bishop Cameron of Aradago and Mr. Adams, Call, Miller, J. Mitchell, C. Sargent and others. After a delightful trip up the Northwest, through the "Tiekie," up the Southwest, along the Railway Bridge and, thence, to Chatham, the party, being presented to His Excellency by Rev. Father McIntyre, proceeded to the residence of His Lordship, the Bishop of Chatham. His Excellency and party proceeded to the Chapel of the Hotel Dieu, after customary devotions, repaired to the congenial saloon room which is connected therewith. This room was decorated for the occasion, the principal embellishment being in the eastern end and consisting of evergreen and flowers wreathed about pictures representing His Holiness, the Pope, His Excellency, the Apostolic Delegates and Saint Patrick, and the following legends, "Vive le Successeur de St. Pere," "Le Deleste de N. St. Pere le Pape," "Leon XIII."

The pupils of the Sisters of the Hotel Dieu, on the entrance of His Excellency sang the *Te Deum*, an antiphon usually sung at the reception of Prelates. This done, an Address was presented by the pupils, followed by singing of the piece by Cardinal Wiseman, "God Bless our Pope."

Following these proceedings was a luncheon given by His Lordship, Bishop Rogers, and Saint Patrick, and the following legends, "Vive le Successeur de St. Pere," "Le Deleste de N. St. Pere le Pape," "Leon XIII."

The ceremony connected with the laying of the corner stone, and at which His Lordship, Bishop Rogers, and we shall present, are to take place to-day and will be presided over by our further report of all the proceedings until next week. All classes of citizens do honor to the distinguished Prelate who is visiting us.

Entertainment of the Dutcher Reformers.

On Tuesday evening the usual entertainment of the Dutcher Reformers was held in the Masonic Hall, when Mr. John Sherriff Esq., occupied the chair, and the meeting was opened with prayer by the Rev. Mr. Williams, of Newcastle. There was a good attendance.

PROGRAMME.

Chorus—"To the work," by the Choir.

Address—By the Rev. T. L. Smith.

Solo—"To-morrow," by Miss Wallace.

Recitation—"The Old School-house," by Miss N. Benson.

Solo—"Kitty Tyrrel," by Mr. Alexander.

Solo—"Come back, my darling Aileen," by Miss L. Vaughan.

Quartet—"Come again bright Spring," by Misses Wallace, Lamont, and A. Sherriff, and Mr. R. Miller.

Solo—"The tempter," by Mr. McAdam.

Chorus—"Shall we meet beyond the River, by the choir."

Solo—"Don't you go Tommy, don't go," by Mr. McAdam.

Address—By Rev. Mr. Williams.

Solo—"Bonne Athlene," by Miss Mag.

Solo—"Within a mile of Edinboro' town," by Mr. S. Loggie.

Quartet—"Come where my Love lies dreaming," by Misses M. Sherriff and M. Hayland, and Messrs. Chasman and Chorus—"God save the Queen," by the choir.

During the evening a number came forward to sign the pledge.

It was announced by the President that on the previous evening a meeting was held by the Directors of the Dutcher Reformers' Temple Company at the Canada House, for the purpose of appointing officers and considering other business of the Company. The Directors determined to proceed with the erection of the proposed new hall, and had appointed a committee to go through the town and collect the first instalments on the stock taken, which was done on the first Tuesday in the month. They were well encouraged to proceed, more particularly by the fact that they were not members and still took an interest in the Society. Several of these ladies and gentlemen had intimated that their sympathies were with the cause, and the Directors intended to make a commencement of the new hall, and the committee appointed to collect the instalments due were Mr. W. Johnston, treasurer, and Mr. A. D. Sherriff, secretary, who would call on subscribers during the ensuing week.

A Brutal Assault.

On Monday morning Daniel Woods and Richard Walker were brought before Police Magistrate Blair, charged with having on Saturday evening last committed an aggravated and unprovoked assault on Mr. Peter Manderson. Woods was also charged with previously assaulting Mr. Sydney Carmichael. It appeared from the evidence that Woods was with Carmichael Bro's store about 6 o'clock on Saturday and accused Sydney Carmichael of circulating a report that Walker owned him a small sum, Woods then assaulted him, and was evicted from Mr. Manderson's place by Mr. Manderson, who was outside the store, and who stated that he would be a witness of the assault. About 7 o'clock the same evening Walker went into Carmichael Bro's, and Walker asked him about being present in the case against Woods. Mr. Manderson was then called outside by Walker and Woods, who thereupon attacked him and gave him a very severe beating. The two prisoners were each fined \$20 and costs, and were committed to the gaol for the previous assault on Sydney Carmichael. Had it not been that Mr. Wm. Ullock and others interfered it is

probable that Mr. Manderson would have been more seriously injured than he was. In any case it was had enough, however, although Mr. Manderson could easily defend himself against either of his assailants singly.

Kent Driving Park.

The Directors of Kent Driving Park, with their usual enterprise, have arranged for a summer meeting, offering no less than \$200 in prizes for two days' racing, on Friday 5th and Saturday 6th July. The particulars appear in our advertising columns. Entries close on Saturday, 28th inst.

Missionary Meeting.

A Missionary meeting in the interest of the Diocesan Church Society was held in the Sunday School House of St. John's Chapel, Chatham, on Thursday evening last. Rev. D. Forsyth, Rector of the Parish, was the Chair. After prayer and singing, the Chairman stated the object of the meeting, which was to place before those present the claims of the Society, in view of the collection which was to be made on the following Sunday in aid of its funds. The Resolutions of the evening were then moved, and unanimously adopted, as follows:—

By G. A. Blair, Esq., seconded by W. B. Howard—

That the Local Com. of the D. C. S., in this Parish, do acknowledge the importance of the mission, and the fact that it is the duty of the members of the D. C. S., and that the Com. realize its duty of gratitude to Almighty God for continual participation in these blessings.

By Wm. Johnston, Esq., seconded by Mr. D. G. Smith—

That in the opinion of this Local Committee the sentiments expressed in the foregoing resolutions be adopted, and that the members of the D. C. S., in this Parish, do acknowledge the importance of the mission, and the fact that it is the duty of the members of the D. C. S., and that the Com. realize its duty of gratitude to Almighty God for continual participation in these blessings.

By R. Carman, Esq., seconded by T. F. Gillespie, Esq., M. P. E. Winslow and Chas. Sargent, Esq.—

That in consideration of the rapidly extending missionary work of the Church in our Diocese, and the consequent increased demand upon the funds of the D. C. S., and in consequence of withdrawal of aid from the venerable St. P. G.—which said Local Com. desires duly to acknowledge, and therefore resolved:—That, if possible, effort be made to secure increased contributions to the Society's funds in the present year.

Between each of the addresses, hymns were sung by the choir and at the close, G. A. Blair and W. Wilkinson, Esqrs., were elected delegates to the D. C. S., and Messrs. R. Carman and W. B. Howard as substitutes.

Church Meeting.

The above meeting being closed a meeting was held pursuant to notice given the previous Sunday by the Rector, for the purpose of considering the question of making the seats in St. Mary's Chapel and of the Parish Church free. The Rector occupied the chair and F. E. Winslow, Esq., stated that at the Easter meeting of the Church, Church Wardens and Vestry the question referred to had been discussed and the following resolution passed:—

That a Committee of three persons be appointed to ascertain the views of the parishioners and pew-holders in both churches as to abolishing pews, and making the churches free, and that the Committee report at a general meeting of the Parishioners to be held some time in June at the school house—the day and particulars to be arranged by the Rector and that Wm. Wilkinson, Esq., and D. G. Smith, be said Committee.

Mr. Winslow, for the Committee, submitted the following:—

The Committee report that after consulting with the pew-holders and parishioners generally they find them quite willing that steps should be taken to carry into effect the proposed change of making the churches free.

He also moved the following:—

Resolved, that we, the pew-holders and parishioners of St. Mary's Chapel and St. Paul's Church hereby affirm the principle of free seats, and request the Rector, Church Wardens and Vestry to take such practicable, to declare the sittings in both churches free.

Speeches were made by Messrs. Winslow, Carman, Blair and Wilkinson, and what it is worth. It shows the animus of that paper against at least one of the gentlemen referred to, and also the death of material at its command for its task of "conducting the canvass."

The "congratulations" tendered to the "Inspector" by the "Editor" in connection with the alleged success of the Hatching House this year also appear a little thin. It will be remembered that after the Inspector's deception was exposed by Mr. Snowball and his paid slave last Spring, ever it might be adopted, besides which it was the only one in accord with the declarations of Christ and his Apostles in reference to the Gospel and ordinances of the Church being made free and available to all. It was confidently hoped that the voluntary offerings of each Sunday would amount to a larger sum than the sum now derived from the pew system. The Resolution was unanimously adopted and the Rector and Messrs. Blair and Gillespie were appointed a Committee to ascertain the cost of changing the present system in St. Mary's Chapel so as to render them more comfortable and better adapted to the free system.

The meeting then closed with the singing of the Doxology and prayer by the Rector.

Methodist District Meeting.

A verbal correspondent sent the following report:—The Annual Methodist Meeting of the Miramichi District was held in Bathurst on Wednesday and Thursday last week, according to announcement. Rev. H. McKewen, Chairman of the District, presided over the exercises which opened with prayers and thanksgivings to the Great Head of the Church for the many tokens of his favour through the year. The most important part of the work of the District, was the examination of ministerial character, and of the candidates. All present felt the solemnity of this trial, and at its close were prepared to offer to God gratitude and praise for the satisfactory state of each brother, and for the blessings of his word. The Annual Report were received from the different circuits, showing the success in 1878, even on the *Advocate's* evidence, the gentlemen may well take credit to themselves. They can well afford to be cheered with "formulated falsehood" by a coterie who, like a snake wounded to death, may yet writhe and wriggle and show fangs which have become harmless.

While on this subject we may say that it is the appearance of official figures in such papers as the *Advocate*, Dominion, etc., accompanied by those of either the Department or those who endeavor to improve administration, that causes friends of the Government to ask how it is that the Minister cannot better control his

subordinates. His intentions are, no doubt, good, but the manner in which he tolerates such disloyal and unpopular officials as the Inspector for this Province does him little credit. So far as Northumberland is concerned, we believe it will return a member pledged to support no Government that will not act in accordance with that officer, who has done more, to bring Sir Alfred J. Smith's administration of the Department into disrepute in the County than can be atoned for during the next five years, even would the Minister muster the courage necessary to valiantly him to act at once upon what he must already be well convinced of.

Resolutions of Condolence.

At the last regular meeting of the H. F. R. C. T. A. Society of Bathurst the following preamble and resolutions were unanimously adopted:—

Whereas, it has pleased Almighty God in His infinite wisdom to remove from our midst our esteemed brother member Charles H. Doucet and

Whereas by his death this society has lost a useful and attentive member, be it therefore

Resolved that while bowing with due submission to the Divine will, this society desires to express its deep sympathy with the family and relatives of deceased on this sad event and further

Resolved that copies of the above be transmitted to the family of deceased and to the Friends, Advertisers and ADVANCE for publication.

SAMUEL MELANSON, JOHN KENNY, J. L. LAWSON, Esq., Secy.

Com. on Resolutions.

Bathurst, 12th June, 78.

The Pic-Nic Committee of the Newcastle D. T. R. offer a good programme.

Nomination in Kent County.

Monday was nomination day in Kent County. The following candidates were nominated:—

Urban Johnston, by A. Renard, Z. Phinney, William Whiten, Pierre L. Richard, J. B. Richard, H. A. B. John Taylor, James P. Caie, James Brown, John Taylor, James Morton, Bernard Gorman, Moses Baran, Gordon Livingston and several others.

Charles J. Sayre was proposed by Robt. Hutchinson and seconded by Joseph L. Richard and Theophilus Beliveau.

Oliver J. Leblanc by P. P. Nowlin, Desite Richard, C. Burk, O. S. Legere, D. P. Gallant, Mark Kewlin and others.

Caleb Richardson, by H. B. Smith, Robert Douglas, C. Burk, William Ward, Alex. Roxburgh, John Thompson, John Caie, Martin Flanagan, Terence Curran, Alexander Michael Thomas Curran, B. S. Bailey.

In addition to those of the candidates speeches were made by Messrs. O'Leary, M. P. P., McLeod, M. P., Robert Hutchinson, J. A. James, John T. Caie and James P. Caie. We have not space for a full report of the proceedings. All things considered the day passed off quietly, but with little wrangling between the candidates and their supporters. Mr. Richardson's candidature was protested against on the grounds that he holds a government office, which he had not resigned. The election takes place on Friday. Appearances indicate the return of Messrs. Johnston and Sayre.

Our Market Report.

Specially prepared for the MIRAMICHI ADVANCE.

St. John, N. B., June 19, 1878.

We are pleased to note somewhat of a revival in the hitherto dull state of trade.

Dealers feeling that staples have got down fairly if not quite to bottom prices, are beginning to lay in stocks. Money is easily got on good paper from the Banks at 7%.

Apples—Green are not inquired for, dried are dull and lower.

Beans are in good supply at earlier prices. This large article of consumption keeps dull, and depressed, particularly in old ground floors, the holders of which are pressing sale fearing warm weather. Choice Spring Extra, fresh ground, holds at the same price in Canada as the last week, the main weakness is in the old milled flours. Telegraph prices of yesterday report wheat from 1c, to 1c better in New York. Upper Canada millers watch carefully the growing crop which is now approaching bloom. If the cold, wet weather of the past week should continue for some time, there is no doubt but that the grain in bloom would be materially injured.

Corn meal—Supply large. Holders easy. Choice kiln-dried ranging \$2.75 to \$2.25.

Old meal—Dull and lower.

Fat—No note an improved demand in all kinds of fat. Cold are getting scarce. Demand active at rates quoted.

Pork—Are firmer but with light sales. Hog Herring are steady.

Molasses—Stock very large. Holders of Barbados and other choice grocers' qualities are firm at quotations, but common grades are weak and dull. Receipts last week, 1,147 hds.

Rice—Late English arrivals report the advance of 1/4 fully maintained.

Salt—Market firm.

Sugar—Soft refined is in active demand. Choice is scarce. Granulated and crush are easier.

Freights—General tone of freights is firmer. New York is strong on grain, 5/6 & 5/7 to Antwerp, & 5/10 to U. K., being readily paid. We hear of 65 c. on ship, being paid last week for 1700 tons of Liverpool for this port.

Port and other rates.

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