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 afternoon 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 editor and proprietor of the ADVANCE, Mr. D. G. Smith, who has, since he established the paper in 1874, personally conducted it, is obliged, by reason of the demands of other business upon his time—duties which require his frequent absence from home—to place most of the work connected with it in other hands. Mr. Smith has engaged Mr. W. J. Loggie, barrister, to act as sub-editor for the present, that gentleman consenting to do so until a more permanent arrangement can be made, as Mr. Loggie contemplates removing from Chatham to Western Canada in the near future.

Mr. Smith is desirous of selling the ADVANCE and his Job printing establishment — the best on the North Shore—if a suitable purchaser can be found who is prepared to continue the paper along the lines which it has heretofore followed, of representing the best and cleanest interests and aspirations of the community in which it is published. A competent man of established good character and industrial and temperate habits will be liberally dealt with in any proposal for acquiring the paper, plant and good will. The opportunity is an excellent one for a practical printer with a good education, or for a newspaper man who can associate a practical printer with himself in the proprietorship of the ADVANCE.

GET THE BEST, the best is KENDRICK'S LINIMENT.

A STRAWBERRY festival is to be held by the ladies of St. Andrew's church, Chatham, July 9th.

DENTAL NOTICE:—Dr. Vaughan's office will be closed on Wednesdays from 6 a.m. until 2 p.m., owing to his duties as dental surgeon to the Hotel Dieu requiring his presence at that institution.

THE CONGREGATION of St. John's church are preparing to hold a garden party on the lawn of the Bowser House.

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.

LOGGIEVILLE:—The Loggieville Presbyterians are to hold a fancy sale and supper on Thursday of next week.

DON'T BE DECEIVED. Get the genuine McLean's Vegetable Worm Syrup. Mothers know the value of this old and well-tried remedy.

OUR "ALERTS" went to Fredericton and played against a base ball team there on Tuesday sustaining defeat by a score of 11 to 4.

APPOINTMENT:—Revered John D. Ross, of Boiestown, in the county of Northumberland, has been registered to solemnize marriages.

A FAREWELL:—Rev. W. C. Matthews, whose pastorate of St. Luke's Methodist Church here terminates in a few days, is to preach his farewell sermon next Sunday.

THE BAZAAR in aid of the new R. C. Cathedral fund is to be held on the Bishop's grounds, east side of St. John street, beginning 18th August.

A CHURCH SOCIAL under the auspices of The Ladies' Aid Society of St. Luke's Methodist church, Chatham, is to be held in the church S. S room to-morrow evening.

LOVE MAKES the world go round, but a bad cough or cold knocks all the sentiment out of a person. Adamson's Botanic Cough Balsam will cure the cold, stop the cough and restore the sentiment. 25c. all druggists.

A SAD VISIT:—Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Loggie went to Fredericton on Tuesday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Loggie's father, Mr. Nelson Campbell, one of the prominent merchants of that city.

PRESENTATION:—Mrs. W. C. Matthews, wife of the pastor of St. Luke's, was called on by some of the ladies of that congregation on Monday evening and presented with an appreciative address, accompanied by a handsome cash gift. The address was read by Mrs. Geo. E. Fisher, while Mrs. Fred Fallen made the cash presentation.

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EASTER S. S. COMPANY:—Mr. W. H. Price is appointed Assistant-General Passenger and Ticket Agent of the Eastern Steamship Company and Mr. LeBaron R. Thompson is appointed Traveling Passenger Agent, with headquarters at St. John.

MEMORIAL FOUNTAIN:—Citizens are subscribing to a fund for the purpose of erecting a memorial water fountain at the junction of Water and Pleasant streets in memory of the late William Richards. The contributions ought to be very general, as Mr. Richards was the head of one of Chatham's most beneficial industries. The list is in the hands of Mr. Warren C. Winslow.

REV. DR. MCLEAN AT BATHURST:—Rev. Dr. McLean, editor of "The Wesleyan," preached in the Methodist church, Bathurst, Sunday evening to a large congregation. Dr. McLean took for his subject "Our Western Heritage," in which he dealt with the great work carried on by the church in the Canadian Northwest. The sermon was able and eloquent and was listened to with great attention.

THE GOVERNOR GIVES A MEDAL:—Dr. Inch announced in the Victoria school to-day that His Honor, Lt. Governor Snowball would offer for competition in the schools of Moncton a silver medal, similar to that donated by the ex-Lt. Gov. McClelan during his term of office for the best average made in the entrance examination in the High School. Dr. Inch visited the various departments of the Victoria school to-day along with Inspector Hebert and Secretary McCully.—Transcript.

THE "ORIANA" met with quite a mishap on Sunday 31st at Newcastle, by having her bowsprit broken in several pieces and carried away. It appears that Mr. Stewart, her owner, was attempting to run alongside of Col. Cole's wharf, but steered into it instead. The miscalculation was of the kind which amateurs make, but are easily avoided by more practical people. The same yacht lost a bowsprit before by being steered into the Nelson, and on another occasion damaged both that craft and herself by a foul. These are not "accidents," but bungles.

BREEDERS OF POULTRY, both domestic and pet stock, are earnestly requested to meet in the office of the Maritime Stock Breeders' Association, Bank of Nova Scotia Building, Amherst, on the 16th inst. Mr. F. W. Hodson, the indefatigable Live Stock Commissioner for the Dominion and Mr. Wm. McNeill, President of the Maritime Poultry Association and one of the most successful poultry breeders in America, to discuss with them ways and means how to improve their status in the Maritime Provinces. It is a meeting that should be attended even at some sacrifice by every lover of birds, either of the utilitarian or fancy kinds.

Single fare rates on the I. C. R., Midland, D, A. R, and P. E. I. Railways on the Certificate plan are offered to all who may attend.

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.

Personal.

Mr. Pigeon, of the Bank of Nova Scotia staff, is on relief duty here while the members of the local staff are away on their holiday vacations.

Last week's Campbellton Events said: Mrs. Henry Kelly accompanied by Mrs. John Noonan and baby Stella from Chatham, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. B. Hachey, Bathurst.

New Church at St. Therese.

Last Sunday afternoon, Benediction of the corner-stone of the new church of St. Therese, Gloucester county, took place at half past three o'clock. His Lordship, Bishop Barry officiated, assisted by Rev. S. J. Doucett as deacon, Rev. Wm. Varrilly, sub deacon, and Rev. L. O'Leary, master of ceremonies. Besides these priests, there were present, Rev. J. Carter and T. Vandemoortel.

After the Benediction, Rev. Father Vandemoortel delivered an appropriate sermon in French, at the conclusion of which he also addressed a few words in English.

There was a large number of people present from the surrounding parishes. The contributions taken on the occasion were very large. The new church, of which this is the corner-stone, is a spacious edifice, and when finished will be one of the finest in the country districts of the diocese. The work of construction is already far advanced and Rev. Wilfrid E. Sormany, the priest in charge, expects to have it completed this year.

Why Catarrhozone Cures Catarrh.

It goes to every affected part and kills the germs that keep up the diseased condition. Catarrhozone never irritates, but stimulates the mucous lining of the nose, throat and lungs to normal action, and keeps the nasal passages free from offensive discharges. Catarrhozone contains no dangerous drugs or opiates, and is delightfully pleasant and simple to use. Catarrhozone is an absolutely certain cure for any form of Catarrh and sells for a dollar at druggists, small size 25c. By mail from Polson & Co, Kingston, Ont.

Visit of Bishop Kingdon.

His Lordship, Bishop Kingdon, will arrive in Chatham from St. John on Friday afternoon (tomorrow) and will proceed to Bay du Vin on Saturday per Str. Alexandra, where he will hold a Confirmation on Sunday morning in the Church of S. John Evangelist. His Lordship will return to Chatham on Sunday afternoon, and will administer the rite of Confirmation in S. Mary's Chapel in the evening at 7 o'clock. The special offerings at the Confirmation Service will be for the Incapacitated Clergy Fund—a very worthy object. On Monday afternoon next, the Bishop will proceed to Newcastle, where he will hold a Confirmation in the evening at St. Andrew's Church. A large number of candidates are to be presented for Confirmation in S. Mary's Chapel, Chatham, on Sunday evening, and the service will be of an interesting character.

Drowned.

Four sisters, daughters of Marshall Arsenault of Peter's Mills, Richibucto, started to row from the south beach to the mainland in a small dory on Saturday. The dory was accidentally upset and all the girls were thrown into the water. There was no assistance at hand, but the eldest of the girls, who is a good swimmer, strove heroically to save her sisters, but two of them were drowned—one of the young women and the youngest girl, the latter twelve years old. The eldest girl would, no doubt have been drowned but for the assistance of Richard Robichaud, son of Lighthouse Keeper Robichaud, who happened along and assisted in rescuing two of the girls. One of the deceased young women was to have been married July 1st. The bodies were recovered Sunday and Coroner Bourque held an inquest, when a verdict of accidental drowning was rendered.

Hymeneal.

A pretty wedding was solemnized at St. Mary's, York Co., Wednesday evening of last week when Miss Lillian Danforth, a charming young lady of Boiestown, was married to James Blair, of St. Mary's. The ceremony was performed at the home of the groom's parents, Rev. A. T. Paul officiating.

Rev. D. Henderson, the popular pastor of St. Andrew's church, Chatham, and Miss Ida Agnes Edgar, late organist of that church, were married at the residence of the bride's parents, Napan, on Tuesday evening, by Rev. T. G. Johnstone, who was assisted by Rev. J. M. McLean, pastor of St. John's church, Chatham, and Rev. D. McIntosh, pastor of St. Mark's church, Douglastown. The bride, who wore a beautiful gown of cream silk, was unattended, the nuptials being very quiet. The happy couple started by the Maritime Express for Montreal and Toronto the same evening, a large party being at the station to see them off. The usual wafting of rice and old slippers accompanied the expressions of goodwill and wishes of good luck. After a short stay at Toronto and Niagara, Mr. and Mrs. Henderson will visit Boston and some other points in the United States, returning home in about a fortnight.

When the Baby Cries at Night

there is a cause for it. Perhaps it is gas on the stomach, maybe cramps or diarrhoea. Don't lose sleep, anticipate such contingencies by always keeping handy a bottle of Polson's Nerviline. Just a few drops in water given inwardly, then rub the little one's stomach with a small quantity of Nerviline, and perfect rest is assured for the night for both mother and baby. You may not need Nerviline often, but when you do need it you need it badly. Get a 25c. bottle to-day.

Presentation and Address to Miss Ida A. Edgar.

On Wednesday evening, 3rd, after the annual thank offering service, held under the auspices of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of St. Andrew's church, the members of the church choir, and the ministers who were present at the service, viz: Mr. MacIntosh, of Douglastown, Mr. Ross, of Boiestown, and Mr. Henderson, adjourned to the Sunday School hall, where the following address was read to Miss Ida A. Edgar, who has resigned the position of organist and choir leader of that church.

MISS IDA A. EDGAR,

Organist and choir leader of St. Andrew's church:

It has been with feelings of deepest regret that we, the members of St. Andrew's church choir, have learned of your resignation, by which you sever your connection with us as our organist and leader.

For the past number of years, during which you have so faithfully, so efficiently, and so successfully fulfilled the duties of that position, the relations between you and the members of the choir have always been of the most friendly and cordial nature. Your bright and gentle temperament, your ready willingness to sacrifice your time in the interests of the choir, together with your untiring zeal and energy, have proved to us that, by your departure, a place is left vacant which will be difficult to fill.

Though we sincerely grieve because of your departure, yet we earnestly hope that the well-merited success which you have met with in the past will attend you in the future, and that our loss will be your gain.

To another thought we may safely give expression, that, though you be absent from our circle in the future, we will have your hearty sympathy and interest in our welfare.

Kindly accept this small souvenir as a very slight token of the high esteem and good will in which you are held by the members of the choir.

And now to you, as our organist and leader, we must say farewell. Happy remembrances of the time you have so well spent with us will be pleasantly recalled. Gladly would we have you remain, but that cannot be. Again farewell 'A sound that bids us linger—yet—farewell.'

SIGNED BY THE CHOIR.

Miss Edgar made a very appropriate reply, after which Rev. D. Mackintosh addressed the choir.

Sport at Metapedia.

Montreal, June 6.—Mr. C. V. Young of the Cornwall Freeholder has returned from Metapedia where he had been enjoying a few days' fishing. The weather was cold and windy and not altogether favorable, but Mr. Young told The Herald he had fair luck, getting good strings of trout each day, including several beauties of five or six pounds each. The fishing is mostly in tide water and is free to all comers.

Through the kindness of Mr. Alexander Mowat, of Campbellton, superintendent of the fish hatchery, Mr. Young had a day on the Deseide water, some ten miles up the Restigouche from Metapedia. These waters are among the very best on the river, and are leased this year to New York anglers at a high figure. Mr. Young managed to get a couple of salmon of good size. The main run of fish is not up yet, though there are abundance of kelts or black salmon, as they are called that come up in the fall and remain in the river all winter. They are very thin and not as good for food as the fish fresh from the sea, though they put up just as good a fight as the others.

The liberal advertising done by the I.C.R. has drawn more attention than ever before to the attractions of the country down by the sea, for tourists and sportsmen and an unusual number of visitors are expected. The service on the road is excellent and the facilities for reaching the fishing regions leave little to be desired.

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NEWS AND NOTES.

Chief Game Commissioner Knight has given instructions to have proceedings taken against James Hapenny, George Carlin and Westley Case for capturing and unlawfully having in their possession and abusing a moose which strayed into the city of St. John the other day.

Messrs. Dunn whose pork packing establishment was destroyed by fire at Musquash on Wednesday of last week, have decided to rebuild, but have not yet fully determined whether it will be on the old site or in St. John city.

Messrs. Knight who lost their saw mill and a big pile of lumber at Musquash have arranged to put a portable rotary mill at work as soon as possible. This means that the portable mill will commence sawing before the end of the present week.

New Brunswick pulp manufacturers are protesting against an additional duty of 3½ cents a ton recently placed by the United States government on pulp exported from Canada into the United States. A meeting was held at St. John Saturday afternoon and it was practically decided to employ counsel to fight the duty before a board of arbitration to meet shortly in New York.

The levee near Madison, Mo., on which gangs of men were working during the flood gave way Monday morning and fifteen employees of the American Car and Foundry Works lost their lives. About one hundred and fifty men were imprisoned in a section of the levee that was, at last accounts, slowly crushing and all chances of escape were cut off. Word was sent to the St Louis side to rush the yacht Annie Russe to the rescue. The Annie Russel started and could not force her way against the current, and it was feared she cannot make her way to Madison.

Moncton Transcript: A month ago it was announced that a half dozen or so I. C. R. clerks had received increases of salary. Everybody knew that the increases were non-political, but the Times made a bald statement that these increases were due to election contributions to the liberal party, and of course it was naturally inferred that the largest contributors to the liberal fund were those who received the largest increases. The department's attention was naturally attracted to the incident, and especially that one of the persons so favored had been more than once favored quite recently with increases. Since the conservative press did not appreciate the fair play shown to conservative officials by the liberals it was not surprising that the department has ordered the rescinding of the most attractive of the announced increases.

Forest Fire Near Doaktown.

Doaktown, June 9th.

While we write we see the smoke of the wealth of our country ascending in the air and men with blackened visages hurrying with fire shovels to the scene of the conflagration, their rations tied to their belts; some coming out to get a little sleep and rest so as to be fit to change places with those who are at the front.

Teams are hurrying with fresh forces and provisions to the fire line which is now about seven or eight miles in extent, with a strong wind pressing it on.

Bear, moose and deer are fleeing before the flames and come into the fields terrified and tame to get out of the scorching blast.

By night is the time men dig trenches and smother out the flames with earth and clear roadways to prevent further advance the next day. It is then that the sky is lurid with the flaming light and a heavy pall of smoke which creates an uneasy and unsafe feeling as to who, or perhaps all, may be homeless before morning.

The fire line extends from Amos' to near the bridge at Muzzerol stream. Every effort is being made to save that structure of which we have strong hopes. Women are active preparing food to send to the front. The stores are generous and hand out shovels and rations to all who go to help and, yet, the much needed rain does not come; meanwhile the train passes up and down scattering sparks and danger through the already overstrained and worn out community.

The fire began at the Amos grade, at the railway track, and swept out towards Muzzerol Brook through a valuable region of spruce, pine and hemlock making a desert of what was a lumberman's paradise, gave employment to many and brought a large revenue to the government yearly and added to the comfort of many homes, as the lumber was carefully cut and conserved so that it would not be wasted, and yet this destruction goes on from year to year along all our lines of R. R. When the forest is all burned there will be nothing to give freight, for the inhabitants must leave when the resources are exhausted.

We would urge on every one extreme care about fire. It would be better to run no trains at all than to destroy and lay waste everything in their way.

The extent of damage is not as yet known until rain comes and the burned region is gone over. Of course the burned trees will be cut next winter, but all future growth is gone for this generation, as well as the home of moose and bear and other game which brought money to the country.

We pen these few lines while getting a rest for renewed effort, hoping rain will come and our village will be saved from being wiped out as many others have been.

The fire still burns and we cannot tell when it will stop as there has been no rain for 3 weeks. Crops are being burned up in the ground, pasture shortened and hay crop much impaired. Altogether the outlook is poor at present.

[Since the foregoing was written by our Doaktown correspondent rain has fallen copiously and the forest fires everywhere are extinguished. The damage done between Betts' and Muzzerull brooks—the area burned over as above stated—is not estimated by Mr. Andrew McIntosh, who returned from Doaktown on Tuesday, to be so great as some of the reports from there represented.—ED. ADVANCE.

Forest fires have done much injury between Rexton, Kent Co., and Rogersville, but the rain of Saturday night, Sunday and Tuesday night did much to prevent their further spread. The crops, which were in a famished condition, appear much revived since the rain.

The village of Hopewell Cape, Albert County, suffered seriously. Twenty-four houses and barns were destroyed besides the county court house, a new steamer, the public wharf and the Schooner Lily D.

Destructive forest fires have destroyed much valuable lumber lands belonging to the Todds, Murchies and Eatons in Charlotte County.

The village of Musquash, in which the well known Dunn's ham, bacon, and sausage works and Knight's lumber mills were located, was almost wiped out by a forest fire on Wednesday of last week. The properties destroyed included those of the Dunns and Knights and much of the Inglewood Fishing Club's lands, together with their club house and its outbuildings.

Fighting fire was the occupation of quite a number of people about ten miles above Redbank on the N. W. Miramichi on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of last week. A man named Wm. Crow had some farm land between the properties of Messrs. Estey and Joseph Waydon, and set fire to some stumps, brush, etc., to have a burn. On Tuesday the fire spread and threatened the destruction of Mr. Geo. Estey's barn, which was saved through the efforts of the family and neighbors. On Thursday with a shift of the wind Mr. Waydon's buildings were threatened. The man who so carelessly started the fire had no buildings to lose, but he had a part of his fences burned. Mr. Crow is, we believe, a respectable man, but whether he realises it or not, he seems to have little regard for the safety of his neighbors' property when he has access to matches in dry weather. It wouldn't be a bad idea to impound such people during the dangerous months for farm and forest fires. If they burned only their own property it would not be so bad, but they have no right to endanger that of their neighbors by their illegal acts.

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Obituary.

MRS. CATHERINE BANNON.

On Monday, May 25th, 1903, at 12 o'clock (noon) fortified by the sacraments of the dying and the kind attentions of her only surviving daughter, many relatives and friends, Mrs. Catherine Bannon, relict of the late Mr. John Bannon, one of Chatham's most respected and lamented citizens departed this life. This estimable lady was born in Chatham, September 23rd, 1824, being at the time of her demise in her 79th year. She possessed, in a high degree, all those virtues which are so necessary to the Christian wife and mother, and which were the admiration of all who had the pleasure of her acquaintance. Her children were the Rev. Thomas J. Bannon, for many years the beloved Rector of the R. C. Pro-Cathedral and Chancellor of the Diocese of Chatham, and a daughter, Sr. St. Mary of the Purification, for ten years a devoted member of the congregation De Notre Dame, Montreal, P. Q., both deceased. Reverend E. J. Bannon at present R. C. Rector of Richibucto, N. B., and Mrs. (Doctor) John MacDonald, are left to mourn the great loss they have sustained in the death of a tender, kind and loving mother. Every kind attention was shown her, and nothing was omitted which filial love could bestow in order to alleviate and soothe her during her illness. The obsequies took place on Wednesday, the 27th at 10 o'clock a.m. The funeral cortege bore the corpse from the residence of her son-in-law, Doctor John MacDonald, to the R. C. Pro-Cathedral, Chatham, where the solemn Mass of Requiem was celebrated by her son, Rev. E. J. Bannon being celebrant, Rev. Fathers J. L. MacDonald and H. McRory assisting as deacon and sub-deacon and Rev. H. T. Joyner, Master of Ceremonies. In the Sanctuary were the Reverend Fathers Crumley, of Blackville, Duffy, of Red Bank, and Lambert, of Chatham. After Mass the choir sang "Jerusalem, my Happy Home," and the corpse, preceded by the officers of the mass, was borne to the family plot in the Roman Catholic cemetery, where the last blessing was pronounced by a devoted son over the mortal remains of a loving mother.

The death of Mr. Alex. Gordon, one of the most respected citizens of Chatham, whose farm on the "Gordon Road" is so well known, took place last Thursday night under distressing circumstances.—Mr. Gordon had been ill, both mentally and physically, for about two years, the first serious evidence of that condition manifesting itself in his losing consciousness and falling upon a picket fence at the front door of his house and lying in an insensible condition with his neck so jammed between two of the pickets as to very nearly strangle him. His position was discovered barely in time to save his life, and he was almost strangled when found. Since that time Mr. Gordon has been in such a condition of mind as to be a source of anxiety to all the members of his family and to call for watchfulness on the part of those of them living at home, especially Mrs. Gordon, who has long been apprehensive of the possibility of some such happening as that of Thursday afternoon.

Mr. Gordon, ever since the fall he suffered from as described, appeared to take a pessimistic view of affairs about him, although he was one of the best off men of his calling in the community. Certain weather conditions, for instance, would impress him in special ways. During the extremely dry summer of 1901 he expressed great fear that no food for cattle would be produced and that his large stock of cows (his farm was conducted for milk-production for the supply of town householders) would starve. His son, William, who lives on the adjoining farm, managed to reassure him on the subject and his excitement and fears over it subsided. He has, of late, been a very silent man, but it is supposed that the unusually dry weather from the middle of May up to the time of his death had operated on his mind as the same condition did in 1901, and developed a determination to suicide. He was at home until about three o'clock while his sons William and Henry, with some hired help, were working on the homestead and William's farms respectively. He had been sleeping a part of the day and soon after three said to Mrs. Gordon that he would go and see how "the boys" were getting along with their work. Mrs. Gordon gave him some lunch to take to them and he started. About five o'clock the workers were coming home for lunch and, on Mrs. Gordon questioning them, the fact that they had not seen Mr. Gordon at all and her relation of his going out with the intention of visiting them at their work and taking lunch with him for them, caused all to be seriously alarmed, and a search for the missing one was at once begun. At a place in the woods about four hundred yards from his home and about half that distance from his son, William's house, the unfortunate man was found by Miss Mary Gordon, his daughter, who was accompanied in the search by her mother, her brother Henry and John Bell, one of the farm hands. He was alive, but not in condition to give any account of what had taken place. His throat was badly cut, and a sharp pruning knife—a present from one of his sons who has resided several years in Boston—which lay near by told the main part of the story of what had taken place. The yet living man was tenderly removed to his son's home and surgical aid procured with all possible speed, but the self-inflicted injuries were of too serious a nature for human skill to overcome them.

The funeral took place on Sunday afternoon and was a very large one. The services at the house and grave were conducted by Rev. D. Henderson, pastor of St. Andrew's and the choir of that church was present at the house where they sang the hymns

"Nearer, my God, to Thee"

and

"Thy Will, not mine, O Lord."

The pall-bearers were Messrs, R. Flanagan, A. F. Bentley, S. Habberley, Lemuel Abbott, Alex. Fraser and Joseph Jardine. The interment was in St. John's church burying ground.

Deceased was a Scotchman by birth and came to the Miramichi about 36 years ago. At the time of his death he was 71 years of age. He is survived by five sons and three daughters, with whom a very large circle of friends here and elsewhere respectfully sympathise.

The death of Mr. John Morrison of Petit Rocher, occurred at Tracadie on Monday morning of last week after a lingering illness. Mr. Morrison for a number of years was station master of the I.C.R. at Petit Rocher. He went to Tracadie as accountant for the J. B. Snowball Co. Ltd., and held that position up to the time of his illness. Mr. Morrison was 52 years of age, and was highly respected. Mr. A. J. Morrison, station agent of the I. C. R. at Canaan, is a son of deceased.

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MARRIED.

At the residence of the bride's parents, on June 9th, by Rev. T. G. Johnstone, assisted by Rev. J. M. McLeod and Rev. D. McIntosh, Rev. Duncan Henderson, Pastor of St. Andrews Church, Chatham to Miss Ida Agnes, eldest daughter of James Edgar Esq., of Chatham.

At the residence of the officiating Clergyman, Newcastle, June 8th, by Rev. T. G. Johnstone, M. P. Nelson Strang Mather to Miss Katherine Murphy, both of Newcastle.

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FRIDAY, THE TWELFTH DAY OF JUNE, A.D. 1903,

at the hour of 12 o'clock noon for the purpose firstly of considering, and if thought advisable passing a resolution to alter and amend by-law number 17 relating to special general meetings of the Company in such a way as to obviate the necessity of giving notice in some newspaper published in the County of Northumberland for calling special general meetings of the Company. Secondly, for the purpose of considering such other business as may be brought before the meeting more particularly referred to in the notice in writing given to each shareholder.

Dated May twenty-second, A.D. 1903.

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