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**Miramichi Advance.**  
CHATHAM, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 1878.

**Miramichi Religious Tract Society.**  
The annual public meeting of the Miramichi Religious Tract Society was held in the Temperance Hall, Douglastown, on Thursday evening, 24th February 1878.

The meeting was opened with prayer by Rev. Mr. McEwen. After the Chairman had explained the object of the meeting, he called upon the Secretary who read the Report for 1877 as follows:—

"The committee of the Miramichi Religious Tract Society, in presenting this Report, are glad to say that the work of the year has been successful in every respect."

The following Committee for 1878 is appointed:—  
Wm. Wilson, H. McKewen, J. A. F. McEwen, T. Smith, J. Ennis, Mr. Munro, J. G. Johnston, W. R. Ferguson, A. R. S. Shewsbury, W. McCullagh, W. Murray, D. Ferguson, H. J. Snowball, F. Letson, R. Hutchinson, J. W. Greenly, John C. Miller, John M'Laughan, A. Loggie, Messrs. J. Ellis and W. G. Watt.

After the reading of the above Report the following resolutions were unanimously passed by the meeting:—

1. Moved by Rev. J. A. F. McEwen and seconded by D. Ferguson, Esq., "That the Report now read be received and adopted, and given to the local newspapers for publication."

2. Moved by Rev. J. A. F. McEwen, and seconded by D. Ferguson, Esq., "That the Society be requested to continue to issue the 'Leisure Hour' and from the following statement, it will be seen that the Society is financially in a healthy condition."

3. Moved by Rev. J. A. F. McEwen and seconded by Wm. Russell, Esq., "That for the success which has attended the Parent Society at London, England, and kindred Societies in spreading abroad various parts of the world, the great debt of gratitude be due to the Lord and various parts of the world, the great debt of gratitude be due to the Lord and various parts of the world, the great debt of gratitude be due to the Lord and various parts of the world."

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attributed to their inferiority either as to matter or form. What then is the cause? Is it that the people's desire and taste for religious literature are less extensive and keen in 1877 than they were in 1865? We would scarcely dare answer this latter question in the negative, in view of the increased interest and activity manifested by the people of Miramichi during the past year in religious and moral movements.

It is the kind of boat and sail belonging to the Government, that I have in my possession, and when Mr. Wm. Wyse, has got me discharged from office, as he has got me boasting among the fishermen, what he will do, I will deliver up the boat and sail to him at once.

**The Church at Miramichi, Glenelg.**  
15th, Feb. 1878.

**Letter from a Fisherman.**  
Chatham, Feb. 15th 1878.

**Correspondence.**  
We write to you with some anxiety, and we would be glad to receive anything that will address the interests of our readers, individually or in the community as a whole.

**"That Boat and Sail."**  
CHATHAM, Feb. 23rd 78.

**TEMPERANCE IN BRITAIN.**  
Blissfield, Feb. 23rd, 1878.

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A LOT of new Smoked Hams, just received and for sale cheap.

proceed, for the purpose of going down to Portage Island in Oversee Russell's District, the time Mr. Russell and myself went down with the whole boat to transact some business in that locality. She entered the service about the 1st July, 1875. The sail is composed of about 6 yards of grey cotton, and suits the canoe very well.

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