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NEWCASTLE, MIRAMICHI, N. B.  
TUESDAY, APRIL 5, 1898.

## Newcastle Societies

MEET AS FOLLOWS—  
NORTHAMPTON LODGE NO. 17 A. F. & A. M., in the Lodge rooms on the evening of the second Tuesday of each month at 7:30 o'clock.

NEWCASTLE DIVISION NO. 45 S. of T., in the Temperance Hall every Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

COURT MIRAMICHI, NO. 165 L. O. F., in their rooms, Masonic Hall, on the evening of the fourth Tuesday of each month at 8 o'clock.

NEWCASTLE BOARD OF TRADE first Monday of each month in the room over M. Bandon's store.

COURT HAPPY RETREAT NO. 150 L. O. F., in Forsters' Hall, Derby, on the third Thursday of each month at 7:30 o'clock.

## Notice to Subscribers

We have received several communications asking why receipts for subscriptions have not been sent. In reply we wish you to look at the new method of mailing we are using which gives your name and the date up to which your paper is paid.

## Notice

It is impossible for one or even two persons to trace and chronicle all the occurrences during each week. It is the intention of the ADVOCATE to leave its columns open to the public, if it can only educate the people to give the news. Inform this office of the facts and the Editor will gladly write the full account. It is not printed for mere effect, but it means business and if you want to read up-to-date, newsy paper, you must support it and give it all the information which should appear in a newspaper. Remember you have access to the mails, or you can call at this office, or telephone No. 60. Therefore, there is no reason why you should not contribute to this medium. All items must be in this office not later than Monday night, so as to come off the press Tuesday noon. This is compulsory in order to make connection with all the outward trains.

## Editorial Notes

Last Wednesday the Senate defeated the Yukon Railway bill by a vote of 52 to 14.

There are excellent prospects in the near future of a twenty-four hour service between Montreal and Halifax. The L. C. R. is about to inaugurate this fast traveling record.

The New Brunswick Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals is anxious that a branch be established in Newcastle within the next few weeks. It is an institution much needed and should be organized at once. The ladies and gentlemen who are humane in spirit and are willing to encourage the formation of this society are politely requested to send their names to this office.

A bridge from Newcastle to Nelson is what is needed. Our citizens demand it. Will we have it? Yes. It is to be expected that we cannot reach such an important city as Chatham by road unless we go around by the Northwest bridge. A bridge is what we want, a bridge is what we shall have. This agitation will be continued from this time forth and the readers are asked to consider it and to send their ideas to this office.

What is the matter with the World? It says Saturday: "Chatham Police Station Under Newcastle Orders." Who promulgated such orders? No one. Who is the judge? The World. What right has it to tell the public such baseless falsehoods? None whatever. Why is it doing this? Malice or ignorance? Which of the two is it? The public can judge. The Chatham police are paid whenever assisting Inspector Menzies and are not instructed by the Newcastle police court. The Newcastle police court never issued any orders that what came under its jurisdiction. Why such infamous stories? It is a pity that a paper published by an intelligent gentleman cannot distinguish between the city and a town law. The World never printed a word about our townpeople going to Chatham when summoned with Scott Act papers and was pacified in its selfishness, but now that matters are being equally adjusted and Newcastle to Newcastle, the shire town of the county, it fabricates and throws aside all respect for the law and allows prejudice to sway it. Oh, no, World in name but not in deed. You are not a newspaper, you are a paper and your rights must and shall be recognized in spite of your greed and biased opinions. Inspector Menzies is elected by the County Council and not by the town of Newcastle. No doubt this is all known and undisputed. The World, if it will be honest knows that the Inspector is serving under the County and not the city of Chatham or the town of Newcastle, and this town has no right to issue police orders, therefore, because Chatham citizens are ordered to come here in case of violation of the Canada Temperance Act, why should the World ever intone in ironical and sarcastic language its feelings of selfishness and enmity? Did our citizens make such a fuss during the years they were obliged to go to Chatham? No, they expressed themselves in pity and forcible phrases and let the matter drop. Now, that justice is being done the Advocate is only too glad to uphold the rights of a town which is bound to have its rights and it knows the citizens are unanimous in the warning that Chatham nor the "World" (newspaper), can never dictate to Newcastle. This town will never be subservient to any powers except those that control her.

## Accident

Last Thursday about six o'clock, Blackstock Mattison, employed by Clark, Skillings and Company, while coupling cars met with a painful accident. While holding the link which connects the cars, the sudden movement of the latter caught his left hand between the two tumpers between the coupling, causing the hand to be badly jammed. Dr. R. Nicholson dressed the injured hand. Mathison lost his little finger. Dr. Nicholson and Desmond are of the opinion that amputation of the hand will not be necessary.

## The Sportsman's Fair.

SECTY. TO N. B. REPRESENTATIVES.

BOSTON, March 20.—The Sportsman's Show is now a thing of the past. With the closing of its door, the most successful exhibition ever held in America was brought to a finish. Never in the history of exhibitions has there been one which so caught the popular fancy as this one.

From the opening of its door until the turning of the key at the last hour, the vast building has been packed by interested sight-seers. Speaking conservatively, no less than 150,000 people have viewed the exhibits in Mechanic's Building. Of this great number there were few who did not inspect the New Brunswick display, and fewer still who did not give expression to the opinion that the Provincial display was the best in the entire building.

New Brunswick Day was held on Tuesday. There were over 18,000 admissions on that day, most of the visitors being Provincialists. The pleasure, they expressed on seeing such a creditable exhibit from the home land was worth all the trouble the show has cost the Province and its representatives. Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Islanders were just as proud of the exhibit as if it had been their own, and it pleased them greatly to see their Yankee friends beaten so badly on their own ground.

At the evening exercises on New Brunswick day, when L. G. McClellan and the members of the Provincial Government and Legislature visited the building, the wildest enthusiasm prevailed. The distinguished visitors from New Brunswick first assembled in the cabin attached to the N. B. exhibit, where for a few minutes an informal reception was held.

The Mayor of Boston, the State officials, and many other prominent men lined up in front of the N. B. quarters, while the band struck up God Save the Queen. The New Brunswickers took up the refrain, and for a few minutes the whole building reverberated with the sound of their voices in loyal, patriotic song. The singing of the British national air having been concluded, the N. B. officials joined the procession, and under escort of a battalion of Maine guides and a brass band, they were accompanied to the main building, where seats were assigned them on the platform. A large portion of the balcony had been reserved for representative Provincialists and their friends, but the space proved all too small, and many were obliged to stand on the platform. Every inch of the great balconies was filled, and every foot of standing room on the main floor was occupied by at least two feet of interested and enthusiastic humanity.

Mayor Quincy, of Boston, introduced the New Brunswick orators.—L. G. McClellan, Premier Emerson, Dr. Stockton and Hon. L. J. Tweedie—in a happy manner. They were all in good form and made excellent addresses, which were punctuated by frequent bursts of applause. Premier Emerson struck a popular key among the Provincialists when he laughingly intimated that the geography of the lower provinces was not as well known by Americans as it should be. He had met several very intelligent people who seemed to think that New Brunswick was located down somewhere in Nova Scotia, while not a few labored under the delusion that it was a little Newfoundland. He vented the opinion that after the Exhibition this part of geographical mistakes would be corrected. Dr. Stockton was alike happy in his remarks. His allusion to the kinship existing between Canadians and the people of the United States and his declaration that in the battle for freedom and for civilization the Stars and Stripes and the Union Jack would ever be found floating side by side and their soldiers fighting shoulder to shoulder drew forth thousands of applause.

All the speakers dwelt upon the great resources of New Brunswick, and upon the advantages it possessed as a playground for the American sportsman and tourist. At the close of the addresses, Premier Emerson called for three cheers and a "tiger" for the city of Boston and the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. These were given with a will. The visitors were then escorted to the reception hall, where a collation was served, Governor Walcott, of Massachusetts, being present.

Among those associated with the administration of the Province who were present on this occasion were—L. G. McClellan, Capt. McDonald, A. D. C.; R. S. Barker, private secretary; Hon. J. P. Burchill, Speaker; Hon. H. R. Emerson, Premier; Hon. L. J. Tweedie, Provincial Secretary; Hon. A. S. White, Attorney-General; Hon. A. D. Richards, Hon. J. P. Farrie; Hon. George F. Hill, of Charlottetown; C. L. Smith and J. T. A. Dibble, of Carleton; Dr. A. A. Stockton, of St. John; C. J. Osmun, of Albert; John Black, of York.

Many New Brunswickers entered an appearance at the show. Mr. Frank Todd, Mr. G. W. Ganong, M. P., and Mr. Chas. H. Clarke, of St. Stephen, were early in attendance. Among others who dropped in from time to time were Henry E. Hill, Frank Grimmer, Joseph Murchie, Arthur Murchie, Fred Murchie, and Edgar W. Thompson, of St. Stephen; Hon. Fred Thompson, Jas. S. Neil, Mayor Whitehead and wife, Frank Ristow, Wm. Chestnut, Joseph Walker, of Fredericton; Dr. W. McCormick, John H. Thomson, Harris Allan, W. Malcolm McKay, John McMillan, Mr. Stetson, Joseph Dillabill, Wm. Rivers, Frank Foster, A. M. Rowan, S. Hayward, W. G. McFarlane, Henry R. McLellan, J. Fred Watson, John Collins, Le Baron Thompson, Struan Robertson, John Watson, John E. Wilson, J. H. Carnall, of St. John; John Stewart, of Woodstock; Kilgour Stives, of Campbellton, and many others whose names cannot be recalled.

Former residents of the Province, now citizens of Boston and vicinity, were very numerous among the visitors at the New Brunswick exhibit. Among those whose names occur to the writer were—John W. Low, Dr. Mahon, John Nesbitt, T. O'Brien, Russell McDonald, Jarvis Stinson, Mrs. Edwin Saunders, Miss Saunders John A. Fish, Thos. D. Adams, Richard Hutchison, P. A. McGinnis, A. L. Richey, Mrs. J. Murray, Ray, John Donahue, Wm. O'Connell, Thomas Magrath, Miss Beaudry, Leo. Armstrong, John S. McMurphy, Edward Rowan, W. H. Adams and Duncan Robertson.

New Brunswick was very much in evidence throughout the entire exhibition. Owing to lack of space it was found impossible to group the New Brunswick collection in one place. This scattering of the Provincial specimens seemed to place New Brunswick at a disadvantage at the

outset, but it proved in the end really an advantage, inasmuch as wherever the spectator turned his eyes were sure to rest upon a placard reading: "From New Brunswick."

This circumstance was freely commented upon, and many were heard uttering the expression: "New Brunswick seems to be running the show." The credit of the New Brunswick exhibit is due in a great measure to the indefatigable exertions of Hon. A. T. Dunn, Surveyor-General, who left nothing undone that would contribute to the success of the Provincial display. Mr. L. B. Knight, Chief Game Commissioner, is also entitled to great credit for his praiseworthy efforts on behalf of the Province. These gentlemen were loyally supported by the other representatives of New Brunswick, who included D. G. Smith, fishery commissioner; Robert H. Armstrong, game warden, of Newcastle; S. E. McDonald, game warden of Queens County; H. H. Bray, game warden of the Campbellton district; John Connell, of Bathurst; Walter H. Carnall, taxidermist, of St. John; E. A. Charters, the representative of the St. John Tourist Association; and C. Fred Chestnut, F. B. Edgcombe, F. B. Coleman and ex-Mayor Lambert, of the Fredericton tourist association. The Boston press was kept alive to the interest of New Brunswick by the Provincial press representative. With such a staff, under a capable leader like Mr. Dunn, it was no wonder that New Brunswick early impressed itself upon the attention of the Bostonians.

The New Brunswick representatives had many courtesies extended them during their stay here. The freedom of the Press Club and the Boston Athletic Club was thrown open to them; the proprietor of Keith's theatre opened his doors for their pleasure; they were entertained by Mayor Cobb, of Newton; a function was arranged for them at the State House, and in many other ways evidence of good fellowship was shown them.

The newspapers of Boston have treated the New Brunswick exhibit very generously. "We could not do more," wrote the Boston Herald, "for the foremost journalists of Boston, 'for you have the best show in the whole exhibition and you had the right kind of men here to talk your Province up and make excellent speakers for the cause.'"

Mr. Taylor expressed the belief that the display New Brunswick had made would prove of the greatest benefit to the Province in attracting towards it the best class of American sportsmen and tourists.

The educational lesson that the big show has taught have not all been on one side. It is true that the major part of the instruction was given by the New Brunswick representatives, but considerable information was imparted to them as well. They learned of many things about American sportsmen and about their wants that must ultimately prove of value to them as well as to the Province. One fact was very strongly impressed upon them, and that was that if the Province is to become a resort for American sportsmen the customs laws of the Dominion must be brought into conformity with the game laws of the Province. Sportsmen will not come to New Brunswick to hunt for game if they are not to be permitted to carry home with them at least one trophy of their skill. The assurance was given to those sportsmen who brought the subject up that a representation would be made to the Dominion Government by the Provincial Government to secure the necessary amendments to the laws of the Dominion to secure such an arrangement must nullify in a great measure the efforts of the New Brunswick delegates to this late show.

## Brilliant Social Success.

No Surrender, Loyal Orange Lodge, No. 47, gave a most enjoyable and never-to-be-forgotten social and entertainment in Temperance Hall last Tuesday evening. John Menzies, W. M., occupied the chair with the ability that few can surpass. His opening speech was one that was full of patriotism, wisdom and advice, and his greetings and he was warmly applauded. The programme was as follows:—

Selection, Orange Band, which was an excellent effort; Duet, Misses Carrie Russell and Maud Lonsbury, which was highly appreciated; Solo, Miss Gertrude McLean; Violin Music, John Williamson and daughter, which was well received and solo; Recitation, Miss Lonsbury; Solo, "The Kentucky Babe" Miss Maggie Elliott, which was one of the features of the evening. She was long and loudly applauded. Again and again the audience showed its appreciation of her abilities, and when she concluded her original and popular song, she received an ovation and a shower of flowers.

The quartet meeting of the Presbytery of Miramichi, which was held in St. Andrew's Church, Campbellton, Tuesday evening, was a most successful and interesting affair. Rev. Wm. Aitken Newcastle was appointed moderator.

Those present as members of the Presbytery were:—  
Rev. T. Nicholson, Charlottetown.  
"D. McKay, Chatham.  
"J. D. Murray, Red Bank.  
"Wm. Aitken, Newcastle.  
"A. F. Thompson, Bathurst.  
"A. F. Carr, Campbellton.  
"G. E. Fisher, Dalhousie.  
"Jas. Barker, Esquimaux.  
"J. M. Sutherland, New Carlisle.Rev. D. Fraser, Kingston.  
"J. Crawford, Metapedia.  
"J. M. McLeod, New Mills.  
"W. C. Calder, Loggieville.The elders present were:—  
Wm. Jamieson, Esquimaux.  
T. G. Scott, Dalhousie.  
Robt. Noble, Metapedia.  
D. J. Bruce, Campbellton.

After the usual opening exercises the first business before the assembly were two calls. The one from New Richmond was first dealt with, and the call of Rev. Thos. Corbett, late of Richmond, Carleton Co., was sanctioned, and ordered to be transmitted. Provisional appointment for his induction was made, to take place on Tuesday, April 19th, at New Richmond, at 2:30 p. m., Rev. Jas. Barker to address the people, and Rev. Geo. Fisher to give charge to the pastor. The Rev. Wm. O'Connell, Thomas Magrath, to supply New Richmond on the 3rd and 10th of April, and to serve the Elder.

Also call of St. Andrew's Church, Chatham, to Rev. D. Henderson, of the Presbytery of Pictou, N. S. Provisional arrangements were also made as follows:—Rev. Geo. Fisher to preach, Rev. Wm. Aitken to preside and induce, and Rev. W. C. Calder to address the people, and Rev. M. McIntosh to deliver the charge to the minister. Date of induction to be fixed by Rev. Mr. Calder and the clerk.

The grants in aid of the congregations were read upon as follows:—  
New Carlisle, \$150.  
Flat Lands and Metapedia, 300.  
Upper Miramichi and Mission Field, 250.  
Red Bank, 100.  
Black River, 150.  
Esquimaux, 250.  
Tabusintac, (same as last year.)  
Adjusted for dinner.

The Presbytery assembled about 2:30 local. The following communications were appointed to General Assembly which meets in Montreal in June:—Rev. J. M. Sutherland, New Carlisle; Rev. A. F. Thompson, Bathurst; W. T. Bruce, Tabusintac; J. K. McClure, Harbour and W. C. Calder, Loggieville. As elders or delegates Messrs. Geo. Haddow, Dalhousie; Robt. Main, Kingston; and elders to be appointed from Campbellton and Douglastown.

Rev. A. F. Thompson was appointed Treasurer with authority to levy at the rate of 3 cents per family. The following students of Halifax Presbyterian College, were appointed to mission fields in the following districts:—  
Rev. Alex. Robb, as ordained missionary to Upper Miramichi mission field.  
Rev. Mr. McDonald, appointed to Kogobagogue for the summer months.  
Mr. A. L. McKay for New Bandon, and Mr. Noble for Carleton and Miscou Island. A man to be looked up for Harwood mission field.The following reports were then submitted:—  
A report by the clerk, Dr. McKay, on Sabbath School, showing about 100 scholars operation within the bounds of the Presbytery. The clerk was authorized to complete the report and forward it to the committee of the General Assembly.

The clerk also submitted a report on statistics, all the churches within the bounds of the Presbytery. This report was also ordered to be forwarded to the General Assembly. Rev. Mr. Carr submitted an excellent report on the State of Religion for which he received the hearty thanks of the Presbytery. The clerk was authorized to forward to the General Assembly.

A similar disposal was made of an excellent report by Rev. J. M. McLeod upon the State of Religion for which he received the hearty thanks of the Presbytery. The clerk was authorized to forward to the General Assembly.

A report of adoption from Blackville was received and a further report from the trustees of the Blackville congregation, intimating their intention to avoid any legal proceedings in reference to the manse property and their intent to build a new manse. This intention was approved of by the Presbytery, and steps taken in order to ascertain the right with regards to the state of the old property.

Rev. Mr. McLeod reported that the Chatham section of his congregation have taken steps to build a new church, and a subscription list of about \$2,200 towards that object had been secured and that at that \$2,000 were in the hands of the congregation. Above generally approved of the site chosen, some three quarters of a mile south of Chatham. The Presbytery approved of the site chosen, commended the liberality of the people and encouraged the project.

The place of next quarterly meeting was then taken up and St. John's Church, Chatham, chosen. The Presbytery to meet on the last Tuesday in June at 10 o'clock local. The clerk was authorized to complete the report and forward it to the committee of the General Assembly.

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Adjusted for dinner.

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South Bay Notes.  
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The Scott Act case which came up before Police Magistrate last Tuesday was postponed until to-day. At the time of going to press it was learned that this case against R. Flanagan had been dismissed.

## Special Church News.

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