

"Scotia,"

A packet of 12 select designs of Xmas and New Year Cards FREE to cash customers purchasing from our fine stock of holiday goods to the value of \$1.50 and upwards, between now and January 1st, 1890.

Choice Confectionery from 15 cents per pound up, Fine Oranges and Lemons 25 cents per dozen, Grapes, Cocoanuts, Mixed Nuts, Turkish Figs, Best Chocolate Creams 30 cents per pound.

Sugar! Sugar! 17lb Bright Yellow for \$1.00.

Call and see us, our stock and prices will surely please you.

Eggs, Butter, &c. wanted.

Open evenings.

R. Prat.

Wolfville, December 13th.

THE ACADIAN.

WOLFVILLE, N. S., DEC. 27, 1889.

Local and Provincial.

NEW STORE.—We are informed that one of our prominent merchants contemplates building a fine new store in the spring in order to accommodate his growing business.

MIRIAM'S LIMENT CURES DIPHTHERIA.

POTATOES.—The schr. Ethel B., of Moncton, arrived on Sunday and is being loaded with potatoes by Messrs W. H. Chase & Co. The price paid, we understand, is 30 cents.

DON'T MISS IT.—Don't miss the entertainment and Xmas tree at the new School Hall, Church St., on New Year's Eve. The Church St. ladies always make you feel better. Come and have a good time.

"Charter Oak" Stoves at S. R. SLEEK'S.

THE BANK.—Mr Munro, the agent of the People's Bank here, has been having some quite extensive changes made during the past week in the Bank building, so as to give him better facilities for performing the work.

JOURNALISTIC.—With the last issue Mr W. J. Jones resigned the editorial management of the Albert, N. B., Maple Leaf. The standard of the paper has not been in the least lowered under Mr Jones' management, and we regret that he has found it necessary to take the step he has.

OYSTERS.—Choice Fresh Oysters in shell. R. PRAT.

DRY TIMES.—It is quite an unusual thing for our water supply to be so short at this season. Quite a number of our people have been compelled to bring water from a distance to supply their wants. We hope when we get our water service completed that this difficulty will be obviated.

Lanterns, the latest and best, 75c at R. PRAT'S.

TELEPHONE.—Mr S. P. Benjamin finds the telephone line which he recently erected between his residence here and his mills at White Rock a great convenience. He has recently put in a new set of instruments, those he first put in not being sufficient for the distance. The whole length of the line is about four miles and cost, we understand, about \$300.

NARROW ESCAPE.—As Mr Witter and family were returning from Canard on Christmas evening an accident to their conveyance came very nearly resulting in a serious accident. Just before entering the village the bolt which held the pole of the carriage in place slipped out and the carriage being tossed from the horses ran into the gutter. The occupants were thrown out, but fortunately escaped injury.

SHIPBUILDING IN CUMBERLAND.—Messrs Eaton are getting timber for vessels to be built at Eatonville next summer. Two wood boats are being set up at Apple River by Mr White. A large vessel is in building at Advocate Harbor, and the Spencer's Island Shipbuilding Co. is rushing one at Parraboro. Capt. William Dean, of Diligent River, is setting up a brigantine there, and several others are being constructed in intermediate yards.—Tribune.

WEEK OF PRAYER.—The usual week of prayer meetings will be held, we presume in the usual order, beginning in the Baptist church, Jan. 5th-12th, 1890. The following is an outline of the subject for the different meetings: Sunday, Jan. 5th.—Subject for sermons, "The Church of Christ." 11:15-23: Monday 6th, "Personal Confession and Pulpitation." Tuesday 7th, "Nations and Their Rulers." Wednesday 8th, "The Rising Generation." Thursday 9th, "The Jews and Mohammedans." Friday 10th, "The Heathen." Saturday 11th, "Thanksgiving." Sunday 12th, "The Future Glory." 1st Thos. 5:1-10.

SLIPPERS!

Look at our splendid stock of Slippers,

Ladies' and Gents' Wear.

The finest display ever shown in Wolfville, at prices to suit every purchaser. Just the thing for a Christmas present.

C. H. Borden, - - - Wolfville.

Local and Provincial.

BOY WANTED.—To learn the tailoring business. Age from 16 to 20 years. A good chance for the right boy. T. A. MUNRO, Wolfville.

APPLES.—The fruit steamer Galena sailed from Annapolis on Friday last with 13,000 barrels of apples for England.

OUR SERIAL.—The serial, "The Ghost of Handock Holler," is crowded out of this issue to make room for a Christmas story. It will appear as usual next week.

"Acme" Skates away down low at S. R. SLEEK'S.

STREET LIGHTS.—The streets of the town of Canard are now lighted with lamps. They are well placed on high posts, and are a great improvement, dispensing the darkness very effectually. What about Wolfville's street lights? Are we going to be left behind?

CHRISTMAS PAPERS.—We have received very neat Christmas numbers from the offices of the Hants Journal, the Truro Guardian, and our young and newsworthy contemporary, the Eastern Journal, of Port Hawkesbury. We congratulate all on their enterprise and wish them a prosperous 1890.

See Rockwell & Co's adv. in this issue.

EXCHANGE.—The latest exchange to come to our table is The National Drummer, published at Indianapolis, Ind., and devoted to the interests of wholesale drummers and general store keepers. It is a well-filled pamphlet-journal of 16 pages, price \$1.00 per year, and we gladly place it on our exchange list.

ENTERTAINMENT.—A Fancy Sale and Musical Entertainment will be given by the ladies of St. John's Church, in the new School Hall, Church St., on New Year's eve. An interesting feature of the evening will be an Xmas tree for the Sunday School. Admission by ticket at the door 25 cents, children 15 cents. Free tea on presenting ticket.

Goat Robes for sale low at WALTER BROWN'S.

A GIFT.—Do you wish to send your absent friend a Christmas gift that will be appreciated? If so send a dollar and have the ACADIAN sent for the year 1890. It will be a welcome visitor to the absent one every week, as it will give all the home news, and be as good or better than a letter from home. Send in your dollar and the address at once so that we can send the first issue in the new year.

Xmas Cards, Pretty Designs, 1 cent to 5 cents each at R. PRAT'S.

CHRISTMAS 1889 and NEW YEARS 1890.—On Sunday next, Dec. 29, service in St. John's Church, Wolfville, at three o'clock. Subject of sermon—"The Good News of the Christmas Season." On Wednesday, January 1st, 1890, New Year's Day, there will be service in St. John's church at eleven o'clock, a. m. Subject of sermon—"The Prayer of Moses, the Man of God," in Psalm 90:12. The offertory on New Year's Day will be for the Widows' and Orphans' Fund of the Diocese of Nova Scotia.

Labrador Herring very choice, 1/4 barrels and barrels at R. PRAT'S.

LEGISLATION WANTED.—It is to be hoped that some action will be taken at the next session of the Dominion Parliament to call in as far as money can be, an unmitigated nuisance, ten and five abundance of quarters, ten and five cent pieces that have been coined, and are now in circulation making change, needed as a means of making change, and any legislation required would be welcomed by the general money handling public.—Eo.

Acme Club Skates at WALTER BROWN'S.

THE N. S. CENTRAL.—The Nova Scotia Central railway was opened for traffic on Monday with over 40 passengers from Bridgewater to Lunenburg and a large number from Bridgewater to Middleton. These were in no sense excursionists, but regular every-day passengers. Thus the road makes a good beginning. George W. Bedford is general manager, with headquarters at Bridgewater, while R. H. Fraser, former W. U. operator, is superintendent of the road. Quite a number of the employees were formerly on the Windsor & Annapolis railway.

JUST RECEIVED.—A stock of Table Silver Ware, specially selected for Christmas trade, WALTER BROWN,

Presentation.

On Christmas Eve the members of the Bible-class of the Wolfville Baptist Sunday-school presented Dr Jones, their teacher, with a very handsome chair as a token of the esteem in which they held him and the appreciation of his labors among them. The following will show how fully the Dr appreciates the class's Christmas greeting:

DEAR ACADIAN.—I wish thro' your valuable paper to sincerely thank the members of the Sunday-school Bible class for the presentation, on Xmas Eve, of a very handsome chair. The gift was as unexpected as it was welcome. Because "it is more blessed to give than to receive," the donors have their reward. I assure them that the memory of this act of their good will and generosity will live and be an inspiration in whatever of life's work may yet be before me. R. V. JONES.

A NASAL INJECTOR free with each bottle of Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy. Price 50 cents. Sold by George V. Rand.

Gaspercau.

A concert and Christmas tree was announced for Gaspercau on Christmas Eve in the hall. The large gathering that came together had their expectations fully realized, and its promoters have good reason to be gratified with their success. After several recitations and dialogues, interspersed with choice music Mrs Santa Clause appeared on the scene, apparently in search of the old man, and complaining of the trouble he had given her ever since they left the old country together and that she had been looking for him since the morning in great anxiety, lest, in consequence of his repeated exposures he would get palpitation on the heart. She was however much relieved to find him at the richly laden tree, distributing his presents to the eager youth around him. Their meeting was quite a musing, and together they managed to keep the assembly in good humor until the end of their benevolent operations, when the choir sang their closing hymn, "Good Night," and the people went to their homes, well pleased with the entertainment and a good many of the young people feeling very rich.

Miss Nora Gertrude received a handsome plush collar and cuff case from members of the congregation in recognition of her past services as organist, and a beautiful China tea service was exhibited as a gift of friends to the minister's wife.

The proceeds amounted to nearly \$30, and are to go towards the purchase of a new library for the Sabbath school.

Whispers.

That the water tax bills are out. That written invitations are becoming unfashionable. That the rink is going to be well patronized this winter. That revolver shooting on the streets is going to be unhealthy—for the shooter.

CHEAT.—40 cents will buy a Nice Glass Table Set (6 pieces) at R. PRAT'S.

Black River.

Mr Howard Schofield, of Black River, a graduate of Acadia College, has recently been appointed Principal of the Collegiate School in Winnipeg.

FOR DYSPEPSIA and Liver Complaint you have a printed guarantee on every bottle of Shiloh's Vitalizer. It never fails to cure. Sold by George V. Rand.

NARROW ESCAPE.—Geo. Salter, while working on a raft of ship timbers near the new bridge on Saturday, (which was to be taken down to Mosher's shipyard, Avondale) had a narrow escape. During the heavy gale which prevailed, the raft broke up, and as there was no boat near it looked blue for the lone man on the timbers. Mr S. Travis, who was on the bridge at the time, lowered a rope, and with the help of others, Salter was rescued from his dangerous position.—Hants Journal.

THE REV. GEO. H. THAYER, of Bourton, Ind., says: "Both myself and Wife owe our lives to SHILOH'S CONSUMPTION CURE." Sold by George V. Rand.

Married.

SANFORD-BORDEN.—At the residence of the bride's father, Dec. 19th, by Rev. S. B. Kempton, Arthur L. Sanford, of St Croix, Hants Co., and Miss Mary E., daughter of B. W. Borden, Esq., of Canard.

Died.

EATON.—At Lower Canard, on December 22d, Henry A. Eaton, aged 72.

DO YOU WANT?

THE

NICEST

GIFT?

SOMETHING THAT CAN BE

Given with and Accepted with PRIDE and PLEASURE.

Then call and see my stock of Useful Presents,

-IN-

DRESS GOODS!

WOOL SHAWLS!

WOOL CLOUDS!

AND JACKETS!

FANCY AND SILK HANDKERCHIEFS!

GLOVES, HOSIERY AND RIBBONS!

Men's Cardigan Jackets!

OVERCOATS, REEFERS AND ULSTERS.

We wish you one and all a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

O. D. Harris,

GLASGOW HOUSE.

Wolfville, December 18th, 1889.

Truth vs. Fiction.

Large advertisements in the paper and apologies in the store will only work for a certain time, eventually the yarn gets chestnutty. We only advertise what we are able to back up. Our stock is well assorted in all departments and prices are fine. New goods arriving almost daily.

We call special attention to our stock of

Dress Meltons!

Extra fine heavy Meltons for 13s, 15s, 20s.

Overcoatings and Tweeds in Splendid Values!

Try Tri-Cord Corsets and you will use no other!

All-wool Gray Flannels. Navy, Cardinal and Fancy Stripes.

OVERCOATS!

We sell a finely finished Melton Overcoat for \$11. All sizes in youths' and children's suits from \$2.50 to \$6.00, good-fitting, good cloth, and remember! with every suit you get a piece for patching.

Don't Forget we show the Largest Range of Amherst Boots & Shoes in town!

RATTAN REED CHAIRS.

Received this week a full assortment, just the thing for

Xmas Presents,

ALSO

Fancy Rockers, Work Stands, Fancy Tables.

DON'T FORGET THIS.

Caldwell, Chambers & Co.

Wolfville, N. S., Dec. 19th, 1889.

XMAS GOODS:

AT BISHOP'S CROCERY!

Table listing various goods and prices: Val. Raisins and Currants, 8c. per lb; Mixed Candy, 15c. per lb; Jamaica Oranges, 25c per doz; Florida Oranges, 50c per doz; L. L. Raisins, extra, 20c. per lb; Fresh Figs, Nuts, Candied Peals of all kinds, Sugars of all kinds as low as any in the market; Diamond N Molasses, a full line of Xmas Cups and Saucers, Mugs, Vases, and Fancy Goods and Staples.

F. J. PORTER, Manager.

Wolfville, Dec. 12th, 1889.

Bargains! Bargains!

In China Cups and Saucers, Vases and Novelties at the

WOLFVILLE BOOKSTORE!

The Greatest Value ever offered. Everyone that sees buys.

Xmas Goods!

Going with a Rush. Come at once and secure some of those Beautiful Presents.

Immense Assortment of Xmas Cards, Booklets, Children's Story Books, Bound Books, Poets, Bibles, Scrap Albums, Silverware, Jewellery, &c., &c.

ROCKWELL & CO.

Wolfville, December 18th, 1889

Photo. Studio.

--Lewis Rice, of Windsor,--

WILL REOPEN

Branch Gallery at Wolfville

April 1st, and [remain one] week of each month commencing first Monday in the month.

August 5th to 10th; September 2d to 7th; October 7th to 12th.

NEW ROOMS PATRIQUIN BUILDING, WOLFVILLE, N. S.

MADAM

You Are Wanted!

I? What for? Who wants me?

HE WANTS YOU.

HE? WHO IS HE?

WHERE DOES HE LIVE?

HE IS H. S. DODGE,

and he lives in KENTVILLE, and he wants you and all ladies of taste and fashion to look over his stock of dry goods. The best, the richest, the cheapest in the county!

Kentville, December 6th, 1889.

25 SALESMEN WANTED.

In your Province. Good Salary and Expenses paid to the right man. I want men 25 to 50 years of age to sell a full line of first-class Nursery Stock. All stock guaranteed. Apply at once, stating age and references. C. L. BOOTHBY, Rochester, N. Y.

G. M. DONALDSON

FASHIONABLE-

Artistic Tailor,

Calkin's Block, Kentville.

A Perfect Fit Guaranteed.

Auctioneer.

The subscriber having been urgently solicited to offer his services as a general auctioneer, takes this method of informing those in need of such service that he will be at their command.

J. E. D. BISHOP

Wolfville, April 1st, 1889.

COMET STOVE POLISH

MORE IN CAKE THAN OTHER MAKES

SALESMEN

WANTED To sell our unexcelled Nursery Stock. Steady employment and control of territory. Have done business in Canada thirty years. Liberal pay to the right man. Send for terms. CHASE BROTHERS CO, Colborne, Ont.