

PROVINCIAL NEWS.

CAMPOBELLO, Dec. 18.—For a December 15th, to the wife of Aubrey Calder, son.

Rev. Gideon Swin, left by Monday's boat for Grand Haven, after a visit of about three weeks, during which time he delivered very striking sermons.

Emery Calder, who has been working at Lubec, Me., this season, is now seriously ill with typhoid fever at that place.

HOPWELL HILL, Dec. 20.—A very successful supper and concert that realized \$37 for church purposes, was given on Monday evening by the Baptist folk.

Thos. Ross, mail carrier, who was badly injured by being thrown from his wagon, last week, is improving.

Rev. R. Barry Smith, chief chaplain of the U. S. G. T., visited Mount Pleasant lodge here, last evening, and was presented with an address.

Mrs. Bray, wife of Wm. Bray, died at New Horton this morning, after a lengthy illness. The deceased was a lady of highest Christian character, and kindly disposition, and was universally esteemed.

ALBERT, Dec. 20.—Mrs. Mary Hawkes, wife of Alexander Hawkes of Curryville, was before Police Magistrate Stuart today, charged with violation of the Scott Act.

Inspector Trueman prosecuted and David Grant of Moncton defended. The lady has been selling a brand of beer of her own manufacture, the component parts of which are said to be hackmatack boughs, hops, molasses and yeast.

WITNEY COVE, Dec. 20.—The recent cold snap has closed the Grand Lake and formed an ice bridge two inches in thickness.

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SCIENTIFIC DISCOVERY.

Relation of Disease to Microbic Life—Its Application in Treatment of Catarrh.

It is now an established fact that microbic life is the cause of throat and nasal catarrh, and to cure that dreaded disease the microbes must be killed, and so allow the forces of nature to assert themselves.

Many remedies have been tried, snuffs, washes and ointments; but they have all proved ineffectual because they do not reach the affected parts.

Latest scientific investigation into the relation of disease to microbic life has produced a specific for all diseases of the nasal and respiratory organs caused by germ life, called Catarrhose.

Catarrhose is a liquid quickly atomized, with a pleasant and penetrating odor when carried by atmospheric air through the inhaler, and recalls more than anything else the rich balsamic scent of the pine woods so eagerly sought by invalids in the Adirondacks.

It acts energetically as a stimulant to the mucous tissues of the throat, nasal passages and bronchial tubes, relieves congestion, and the affected parts are then quickly restored to a healthy condition.

For speakers and singers and persons troubled with an irritable throat, Bronchitis, Asthma, Catarrh, or La Grippe, Catarrhose is of inestimable value.

The inhaler can be carried in your pocket and may be used at any time or in any place. Catarrhose is a guarantee cure, and in chronic cases. Price \$1.00, at all druggists or direct by mail to any address. Send ten cents for trial outfit to N. C. Polson & Co., Mfg. Chemists, Box 625, Kingston, Ont.

is in active demand in these parts. Fred Hutchins, a farmer of French Lake, has sold his working oxen out of the yoke for beef.

BOUESTOWN, Northumberland Co., Dec. 21.—The semi-annual public examination of the school in this district took place yesterday afternoon, in the presence of a large number of visitors.

Owing to the good demand for lumber in the British markets, the local manufacturers have shipped nearly their whole season's output.

Scott McConnell has returned, after an absence of some months. Miss Adeline, daughter of the Paris River school, has resigned, after a successful career of about two years.

Wm. Taylor, attorney, returned today. He is doing a good business in this place.

SHIP NEWS.

PORT OF ST. JOHN.

Dec 23—Str Cebriana, 2,786, Sullivan, from London, Purross, Wilby and Co. general cargo.

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P. E. ISLAND.

Arrested for Sheep Stealing on a Large Scale.

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Big Shipment of Poultry to England—Recent Deaths—The Pork Industry.

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Castoria is for Infants and Children. Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrup. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic substance. It is Pleasant. Its guarantee is thirty years' use by Millions of Mothers. Castoria cures Diarrhoea and Wind Colic. Castoria relieves Teething Troubles, cures Constipation and Flatulency. Castoria assimilates the Food, regulates the Stomach and Bowels of Infants and Children, giving health and natural sleep. Castoria is the Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

THE FAC-SIMILE SIGNATURE OF Cast. H. Fletcher APPEARS ON EVERY WRAPPER.

THE MARKETS. Revised Every Monday for the Weekly Sun.

ST. JOHN MARKETS. There were practically no changes in market prices last week, in wholesale groceries and provisions, fruits, etc. in the country market, fancy Christmas stock course realized more than ordinary prices, but there was no scarcity in any line, and the general range of quotations on ordinary produce is without change.

WHOLESALE PRICES. Beef (butcher), per carcass, 0.07 0.08. Pork (country), per quarter, 0.05 0.06. Mutton, per lb (per carcass), 0.05 0.06. Pork, fresh, per lb, 0.05 0.06. Butter (creamery), tubs, 0.12 0.13. Butter (country), tubs, 0.11 0.12. Eggs, per doz, 0.17 0.18. Hens, per doz, 0.17 0.18. Chickens, per doz, 0.17 0.18. Turkey, per lb, 0.12 0.13. Ducks, per lb, 0.12 0.13. Geese, per lb, 0.12 0.13. Corn, per bushel, 0.25 0.26. Oats, per bushel, 0.25 0.26. Wheat, per bushel, 0.25 0.26. Flour, per barrel, 2.50 2.55. Potatoes, per bushel, 0.15 0.16. Apples, per bushel, 0.15 0.16. Oranges, per bushel, 0.15 0.16. Lemons, per bushel, 0.15 0.16. Peaches, per bushel, 0.15 0.16. Pears, per bushel, 0.15 0.16. Plums, per bushel, 0.15 0.16. Cherries, per bushel, 0.15 0.16. Strawberries, per bushel, 0.15 0.16. Raspberries, per bushel, 0.15 0.16. Blackberries, per bushel, 0.15 0.16. Currants, per bushel, 0.15 0.16. Gooseberries, per bushel, 0.15 0.16. Elderberries, per bushel, 0.15 0.16. Mulberries, per bushel, 0.15 0.16. Huckleberries, per bushel, 0.15 0.16. Blueberries, per bushel, 0.15 0.16. Raspberries, per bushel, 0.15 0.16. Blackberries, per bushel, 0.15 0.16. Currants, per bushel, 0.15 0.16. Gooseberries, per bushel, 0.15 0.16. Elderberries, per bushel, 0.15 0.16. Mulberries, per bushel, 0.15 0.16. Huckleberries, per bushel, 0.15 0.16. Blueberries, per bushel, 0.15 0.16.

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MEMORANDA. Passed Sydney Light, Dec 21, str Phoenix, from Boston for Sydney; barkin Nelly, Baxter, from Pernambuco for Sydney; barkin West, from St. Demerara, Dec 21, str Blomford, from Bridgewater, NS, (arrived Nov 25).

NOTICE TO MARINERS. WASHINGTON, DC, Dec 23.—Notice is given by the Admiralty Board that the exact position of the light on the tower of the Little Gull Island, southerly side of the main anchorage in the harbor of St. John, will be changed to sound blasts of three seconds duration, and about 1 1/4 miles north of the light, on or about Jan 10, 1900, an additional fixed white lens lantern will be established 10 feet vertically below the present light on the structure from which this light is shown on the Channel, at the beginning of the second mile from the harbor, and about 1 1/4 miles north of the light.

MARRIAGES. BAILEY-VAN BLARCOM.—At the residence of the bride's parents, Dr. Rev. B. Havelock, on Dec 21, Miss L. M. Bailey of Westport to Miss Laura E. Van Blarcom, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Van Blarcom, of St. John.

COATS-BLOCK.—At the Methodist parsonage, Westport, Dec 24th, by the Rev. H. R. Baker, M. E., Robert A. Coats to Miss Rachel, eldest daughter of John Burdett, of Westport, N. B.

DO NOT LIKE RHODES. MODDER RIVER, Dec. 17.—The Boers were occupied with religious services yesterday, it being Dingaan day, which is annually celebrated in token of their victory over the Zulus.

GREENWAY'S RESIGNATION. WENTWORTH, Dec. 23.—It is stated that Premier Greenway has decided to submit his resignation to the lieutenant governor on January 18 next. On that date he will have held office for twelve years.

Advertisement for Castoria, featuring the signature of Cast. H. Fletcher and a list of market prices for various goods like flour, sugar, and oil.