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(Copyright, 1898, by Palmer Cox.) Low was the tide as fell the night And far to sea the sand was white, When Brownies at their evening play Although it slowly see

Still ventured from the shore away Still ventured from the shore away And noticed not, though seldom slow, When turned the flood to inward flow, Although time transferred to inward flow, With ned to leave The Brownies well can fling their toes

When dangers darkly round them And here it seemed a chance indeed Before they lay to try their speed.



But now, alas! none could decide Which way to run, because the tide, Still sweeping round from every hand, Commenced to hem the frightened band.

The currents ran a hundred ways About the capes, to inner bays, Around outlying rocks to meet And quickly cut off all retreat. They ran, of course, but hope was vain

The distant line of shore to gain. Impeded by the currents strange, And fish rejoicing at the change, Still darting wildly through the foam, As wide and wider spread their home.

No less the seabirds' bolder flight And shriller cry proclaimed delight; But pleasure was that moment far From Brownie sprites upon the bar, Now climbing up or sliding back







HALIFAX, N. S., Dec. 16 -- The death occurred at Wolfville today of C. C. Vaux, a former prominent business man and alderman of this city. The steamer Hlawatha, that former ly ran in the Minas Basin route for Churchil, has been sold by her recent owners here to the New Canadian Steamship Company, which proposes to operate a service between Milford Haven and Paspeciac at the northern extremity of Bay Chaleur, two ports hitherto but little frequented. It is stated that the Hiawatha will be used at Paspebiac as a tender to the company's steamships to land passengers License Inspector Banks has re-ceived 113 applications for liquor license

HALIFAX, Dec. 18 .- The Mahone Bay schooner Parisian, from Louisburg for Halifax, with coal, was lost on Whitehead Island at midnight Friday. She struck suddenly and the boats were at once lowered. Before the people on board got clear the mainmast fell and threw all hands into the water. Capt. Wilcox reached the land but Seaman Wilcox was drowned. The same fate befell Miss Louisa Dowd, who was a passenger from Big Lorraine for the hospital here. The fall of the mainmast imprisoned her in the cabin. Capt. Wilcox distinguished himself in the recent big storm by rescuing bodies of men washed ashore at Herring Cove from the schooner Success, and returning them to their friends. The vessel and cargo are a total loss and the men saved only the clothes they wore. Hiram Wier, news editor of the Evening Mail, expects soon to come into the possession of quite a sum of money. A few days ago he received a letter from a Dublin lawyer informing him that a cousin of his mother had died, bequeathing a portion of a valuable estate to his mother's children. Other beneficiaries by the bequest are Rev. John Wier, brother of Hiram, and Mrs. P. Curley of Dorchester, Mass., sister.

THE FIRST STEAMER

Of the Canada Steamship Co. Arrived at

NEW CARLISLE, Dec. 18 .- The Gas-

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o'clock this morning. She had left Europe on Thursday, the 6th inst. Her

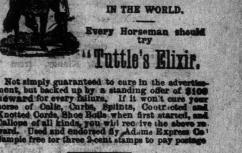
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THE GREATEST

Horse Remedy

\$5,000 Reward to the person who can prove this Testimonial bogus.

ST. JOHN, N. B., Oct. 8th, 1897

-I have much ple mending your Horse Ellixir to all interested in horses. I have used it for several years and have found it to be all it is represented. I have used it on my running horses and also on my trotting Stallion "Special Blend," with the desired effect. It is undoubtediy a first-class article.

Yours respectfully, E. LEROI WILLIS

Puddington & Merritt, St. J. hn N 8., General Agents for Canada and the Provinces for Tuttle's Elizir and Veterinary Remedies. 55 CHARLOTTE STREET.

THERE WILL BE SOLD AT PUBLIC AUCTION on SATURDAY, the Fourth day of March next, at fifthen mnutce past twelve o'clock in the afternoon, at Chubb'n Corner (so called), in the C ty of Saint John, in the Province of New Brunswick, all the cetate, right, title and interest of WILLIAM THOMFSON in and to all that certain tract of land, situte in the Praish of Simouda (formerly a part of the Parish of Portland), in the City and County of Saint John. In said Province, bounded and described as follows:

said Province, bounded and described as follows: "Commencing at a marked tree on the western line of a tract of land belonging to Nathaniel H. DeVeber, on the south side of the road to Loch Lomond, thence south fif-teen degrees east about one hundred and twenty-seven chains until it meets the line of a lot sold by James White to Charles Burt, thence south seventy degrees west forty-eight chains and twelve links, thence north fifteen degrees west ninety-six chains to the south side of land in possession of Harry Graham, thence along the said line north seventy-five degrees west to the Lit-tle River Road, and thence along the said road to the place of beginning, containing five hundred acres," with the buildings and appurtenances, being the premises conveyed to one James Knox and the said William Thompon by the Trustees of James Kirk, by deed hearing date the eighteenth day of October, in the year of our Lord one thou-sand eight hundred and fity-nine, and re-gistered in the Records of Deeds in and for the said Oity and County of Saint John in Book Q, No. 4, of said R.cords, pages 276 to 280.

Book Q, No. 4, of Baid Records, pages to 280. The same having been levied on and setzed by me, the undersigned She iff, under and by virtue of Two Enceutions issued out of The Saint John County Court, one at the suit of Arthur C. Pairweather against the said William Thompson, and the other at the suit of Margaret E. Seeds against the said William Thompson. Dated at the City of Saint John, N. B. this 26th day of November, A. D. 198. H. LAWRANCE STURDER, Sheriff of the City and County of St. John. 1521



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