

Big reduction in Ladies', Misses' and Men's cloth Boots and Slippers at McMillan's Shoe Store, Newcastle.

The Town was full of 'fall' men last Saturday evening. Drinking and driving seemed to be the chief pleasures in Newcastle on Christmas.

We take this opportunity of thanking our friends and patrons for their patronage to us during the past year and wish you one and all a

Happy & Prosperous New Year. H. Williston & Co., Jewelers

The special music rendered in the Episcopal Church on Christmas will be repeated at the service on Sunday evening next.

Do not forget the Fisk Jubilee singers on Tuesday night next.

Price Webster and his company will probably appear in Newcastle next month.

A children's Christmas entertainment will take place in the Methodist church this evening.

There was a lively little encounter in the rear of the Masonic Hall on Sunday evening. After considerable blood had been shed on both sides, the participants quit. Both were considerably bruised.

NEWS OF THE TOWN

SOME QUEER THINGS PICKED UP BY ADVOCATE REPORTERS.

BRIGHT, NEWSY & RELIABLE.

AN EPITOME OF ALL CURRENT EVENTS IN AND ABOUT THE TOWN.

Free Stabling at McMillan's stable.

The Board of Trade in its session this evening.

Raw Fur.—James Brown, Newcastle, is paying the highest prices, in cash for all kinds of Raw Fur.

A valuable heifer owned by William Reid was run over and killed by the express near here on Thursday last.

A horse owned by George Stables got in the ice on Wednesday last. It was some time before the animal was extricated.

With this issue a large number of subscriptions expire and we request a prompt renewal.

Manager Frost of the Frost Stock Company has purchased Mr. E. Hutchison's steed play, harness and sleigh.

Mr. I. H. Leighton was presented on Christmas with two handsome vases by her boarders.

A Physician is not always at hand. Guard yourself against sudden coughs and colds by keeping a bottle of Pain-Killer in the house.

The schools closed for the Christmas season on Friday last. They re-open on January 8th. The public examinations were not very largely attended.

In 1899 there was but one co-operative cheese factory in operation in P. E. Island. Now there are upwards of 50, and the output of these factories for 1899 will total close to \$800,000.

CHRISTMAS SALE OF SLEIGHS.—Great sale of sleighs at A. Robinson's Carriage Works, Chatham, including the celebrated Robinson's Comfort. Also a number of second handed sleighs. A good discount will be allowed on all sales. Go and have a look at them.

Large numbers of sportswear are hunting on the headwaters. One day last week Henry Braithwaite brought down an enormous pair of moose antlers, which the famous guide pronounced the best he had ever seen. Dr. Bishop and his party of Americans arrived at Dointown by special train on Saturday night, having hired the special for the occasion.

C. E. Coulthard, M. D., provincial medical registrar, Fredericton is issuing his annual notice to the medical profession in New Brunswick, pointing out that a recent amendment to the medical act provides that if any registered medical practitioner shall omit to pay the annual fee before the registrar shall cause the register of the names to be published, such practitioner ceases to be a registered practitioner and he will consequently be unable to collect accounts contracted in that particular year.

That's ALLER'S RAZOR what make the loudest 'scraps', what does the best cutting, but it is always the best medicine that does the most curing. It is estimated that Catarrh has cured more cases of Chronic Catarrh than any other Catarrh remedy in the market. There is no danger or risk in using Catarrh. It cures by inhalation of medicated air and never fails to cure Catarrh, Bronchitis, Asthma or Hay Fever in their worst stages. You simply breathe—it does the rest. Catarrh comes complete at all druggists or direct by mail on receipt of price of \$1.00. Sent 10 cents in stamps to N. C. Folsom & Co., manufacturing chemist, Kingston, Ont., for sample outfit.

When Love Calls.—Stanley Weyman "Hugh Miller."—W. Keith Leak. "James Russell."—

When Knighthood Was in Flower.—"David Harrow."—Westcott. "A Cat and a Kiss."—Anthony Hope. "Mulan's Love."—Mrs. Campbell Freed. "The Witch of Prague."—F. Marion Crawford.

"Agassiz."—F. Marion Crawford. "A Rose of New York."—F. Marion Crawford.

"A Roman Singer."—F. Marion Crawford.

School supplies and stationery. All the latest styles and instrumental music.

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GRAND CHRISTMAS SALE AT MORRIS.

Consisting of ladies' flannelette wrappers, sleeves lined, our own make. All the latest styles.

Ladies dress, skirts, stylish cut, lined throughout, guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction.

CHILDREN'S WEAR. We particularly call your attention to the great variety of children's wear.

Millinery. Besides these we always keep a well supplied stock of hats, both trimmed and untrimmed, caps, tams, handkerchiefs, gloves, hosiery and a "never fail" crepe paper lamp shades, and so many other things we cannot enumerate them.

These things are all our own make, not imported, and will stand all the wear and tear you can give them, and lastly everything reduced to suit the Christmas trade.

Mrs. Hugh Morris.

Christmas trees in their homes. Mr. Sinclair was a Pilot Commissioner, but refused to act further with his associate after the trouble began.

At a meeting of the old pilots of Miramichi, held at their rooms, Chatham, on the 22nd December instant, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

Resolved That the old pilots of the District of Miramichi tender their most sincere thanks to Edward Sinclair, Esquire, of Bridgetown, for his magnificent gift of one thousand dollars towards raising them in their unequal struggle with the Pilotage Commissioners of the District, who are improperly withholding their earnings from them.

And further resolved, That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to Mr. Sinclair by our Secretary.

THE WAR

Situation at the Front Satisfactory

Kitchener on the Way

General Joubert has Recovered

CHEVELLY, Natal, Dec. 17, 4.50 p. m.—General Buller is very anxious to build upon the skin on his side. The body of Major Chibberley has been found. A Maser bullet was discovered in his harness, it having passed through a note book during the battle.

CHEVELLY, Natal, Dec. 17 (delayed in transmission).—Driving to a scarcity of water, part of the troops have returned to Free.

CAIRO, Dec. 21.—The train conveying Gen. Lord Kitchener, now on his way from the Sudan to South Africa via this city, was delayed north of Luxor. The general boarded the British second-class cruiser on board the British second-class cruiser on board the British second-class cruiser on board the British second-class cruiser.

ALEXANDRIA, Dec. 21.—Lord Kitchener arrived this evening from Cairo and went on board the British second-class cruiser on board the British second-class cruiser on board the British second-class cruiser.

PORTS, Monday, Dec. 28.—General Joubert has recovered. He returned to the front to-day. There were special services yesterday in the different laagers and thanksgiving for the victories of Colenso and Modder River.

LONDON, Dec. 28.—The latest cable despatch from South Africa shows that the situation at the front is practically good. With the exception of desultory artillery practice to which the Boers do not reply the British continue to fire. Since Dec. 16, the day after the battle of Tugela River, no fighting has been done. One man was killed and two were then wounded.

A GENEROUS ACT.

Mr Sinclair's One Thousand Dollar Gift

To the Pilots of the Miramichi

Pilots Thank Mr Sinclair

The generous nature of Mr. Edward Sinclair was made manifest last week when he sent the pilots one thousand dollars. The World in speaking of the matter says:—

"He took it from an old pocketbook, in Montreal, handed it to Dr. John Mac Donald of Chatham, and told him to divide it among the men. Dr. Mac Donald gave it to Pilot Master Walls, who placed it in one of the banks and drew cheques against it for the men, \$50 each. It was one of Mr. Sinclair's generous and big-hearted deeds. It was a gift or a loan, just as the men choose to treat it, and is doubly welcome at this season. The men have good credit, and lack none of the necessities of life, but they don't feel like going in debt for Christmas goods, and this money will enable them to set up

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Positively cured by these Little Pills.

They relieve Distress from Dyspepsia, Indigestion and Too Heavy Eating. A perfect remedy for Dizziness, Nausea, Browsiness, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Coal Tongue Pain in the Side, TORPID LIVER. They Regulate the Bowels. Purely Vegetable.

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