ADVOCATE CHRISTMAS SUPPLEMENT, NEWCASTLE. DEC. 25th 1202 THE UNION

Indian cruelty and revenge .--

such attacks as these were seldom

until, following the example set dying.

The Union Advocate country and every clime to which The Micmacs roamed through ominously. The faces of his murmurs in her dream, 'It is cold Newcastle Baker its missionaries had gone preach- this wide world, happy in the braves were dark and grim, their for my baby-boy, so cold.' ing the doctrine of unqualified for- pursuit of deer. Here and there, gestures stern and forbidding. The great door closes silently.

log huts in a tiny clearing be- Still pointing towards the Pine-tree bounds over the cracktokened a settlement of venture-some French or English folk.— Still pointing towards the indicated half snoke his intentions intentions in the snow to the enemy. Oh the As civilization has advanced in some French or English folk.- indicated half spoke his intentions. deafening sound that rises-the To steal into the fort at mid- Indian war-whoop strangely great Christmas festival has nothing but a heap of ashes, dyed night, to burn the log houses, to mingled with cries of affectionate materially changed; but the crimson perhaps with blood, tell- kill or, perhaps, torture the settlers, welcome. On they dash towards

The time-honored festival of change has been for the better as ing but too plainly a tale of to carry off the children. the fort. Fleetest of all is Pinetree, who tears himself from his Some of the savages frowned at ! a few more days it will be here. only of rejoicing but of charity to unprovoked, and, ere we rebuke this. Their anger was aroused at He has gained the fort door, will father's embrace to lead the way. Fruit CAKE,

To us it is a matter of little all. In the middle ages the our aboriginal friends, we should those white men who had so they enter and slay? The Indian All Kinds of Cake, blood is up, thrilling in every vein with strong animal emotion. day that Pope Julius, in the fourth was a season of great, and somewho crowd about him. Is he

the most important event in now the Lord of Misrule and the them, they, too, resorted to deceit The hunter's moon was full on weakness of the little garrison? Confectionery a large assort ment the night they lost him. He was Listen, the war-cry is hushed as It was the night of the 24th of wearied with the chase, for the the lad speaks.

Him they found cold, they appeared upon this earth and charity to all. "Peace on earth, squirrels cracked the hazel nuts only through the spy that they story of the birthday of the

> Of a surety there should be no Inside all was confusion. There sentiment that the Saviour taught the snug indifference of a landed mercy shown here. Even the was no attempt at defence. get as a

little children must die!

became his followers, and to give at Rossignol the men heaped the to their remonstrances. Throwing the opening war-whoop? Where heathen world, on the same day, this sentiment a practical applica- yule-logs on the blazing hearth, back a skin of his wigwam, he the savages already setting the celebrated in their magnificent tion is the aim and object of the and sweet memories of the distant pointed inside. On a bear skin, place on fire? Were the settlers to finishe motherland came to the hearts of thrown over fresh fir boughs, lay be roasted alive on their own

the chill creatures who shivered a flaxen-haired boy, clad in Indian hearthstones? even in the ruddy glow. The fashion. His face was rosy and Martha still sat by the fire-place. travagant presents are lost, worn

stead, there might be the war- patiently at the intruders.



BREAD ---AND----CRACKERS.

Fruit—in Oranges, Lemons, Grapes, Apples, Dates, Raisins, Currants,

etc., Canned Goods, and all kinds of

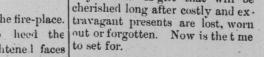
GROCERIES, Cheap for Cash HWYSE Newcastle, Dec. 5, 1892.

We present this suggestion to those who are undecided what to

Christmas Gift-

Owmatiga listened impatiently But what meant this lull after To relative and friends, there is. nothing on earth that would be so highly prized as a beautifully

Cabinet Portrait of yourself. A gift that will be



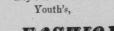
gods can be easily accounted for mutual good wishes, and if the cheery church bells would ring the were at his side. Close at his feet slowly open. The woman shrick- Having had considerable experi-

Pine-tree knelt at Martha's feet fident that I can please you. Call 'No,' said Owmatiga, gravely, as the braves stool about, gazing at my rooms and see samples of my work. Come early and avoid

We may bring him playmates, we may bring him playmates, Then, at his signal, they quietly THE CHRISTMAS RUSH.

HOLIDAY moment that The Christ was not Christmas celebration largely par- remember our indebtedness to treacherously stolen young Pinesacrifice them rather than hold them born on the 25th December, the took of the nature of a revel and them for the simple hospitality tree, their chief's son. A spy had over. What SEASON cannot century selected to commemorate times, excessive festivities. But they treated our first settlers, wasted to a skeleton, and was be sold at cost will be sold at largely reduced Men's. human history. For nearly fifteen Abbot of Unreason, which, in and treachery. prices as they must be and Children's hundred years the whole Christian those rude ages, took such a promicleared out. The beams of my uilding are all sprung from pres world has celebrated it upon that nent part in the observance of the December. The ground was red deer were plentiful, and, in Fancy Buck Moccasins, sure of stock and I must get clear of it. My stock consists in part as follows:---Men's, FLOUR Ladies', Jersey Lily, Stock-Misses'. well, and Ogilvie's Hun-& Children's, garian -- which makes 20 loaves ore than any other brand per bbl MEAL. SHOES Standard and Rolled Oatmeal, Corn Meal, the Cheapest Men's & in town Ladies', Family Groceries, a choice stock of City Croquet every description Alsaka Overshoes. at very low prices; Molasses Ladies', as clear as crystal, Teas-as strong as the Misses', & old boy. I have natives of

ardiga vershoe



Legged Larrakins

But I am holding forth at Christmas, December 25, 1892. giveness and perfect love. THE OLD STAND, refinement, the character of the sometimes the palisade enclosed CHRISTMAS. where I am prepared to sell For CHRISTMAS

NEWCASTLE, MIPAMICHI, N. B.

SALTER BRICK STORE my entire stock of Goods AT COST. As the stock is mine and all paid for I can do just as I please with it and intend to

BBOTT'S Resigned

The following will serve to

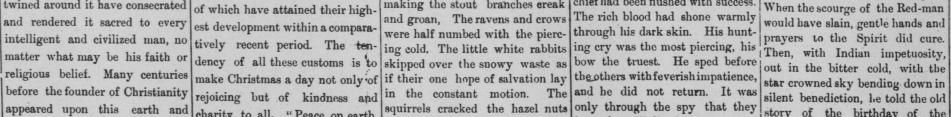
is offering, at reduced prices,

faint idea what the

Children's.

Boy's &





preached his religion of peace, good will to men" was the noble viewed the outside world with so thriftily laid by in autumn, and knew he still lived. love and charity, and announced

Christmas is approaching, and in it has made Christmas a day not

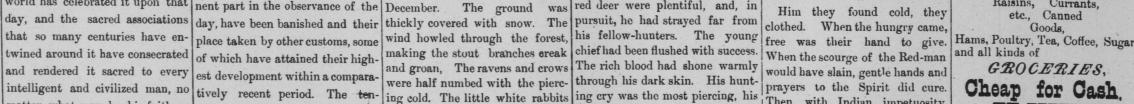
the glad tidings of the fatherhood and endeavored to instill into the proprietor. of God, and the brotherhood of hearts and minds of those Ano At the little English settlement

man, the inhabitants of the old temples their most brilliant rites modern Christian festival.

China and Barbadoes as my agents to the gods that they adored. Upon Christmas day, the scat-Raisins, Currants, Essences, Their reason for selecting this sea-tered members of the family ill settlers had gathered from the smiling. His brown pudgy hands She seemed not to heed the out or forgotten. Now is the t me Canned Goods of the best brands son of the year as the one in which regathered together once again to outlying farms to spend the mor- were clasped around a tiny bow. tunult or the frightenel faces to set for. and qualities, Syrups-in Lemon, Raspberry, Strawberry, Qrange, to offer praise and thanks to the exchange kindly greetings and row together. For them no The arrows, vermillion-tinted, about her. The door swung Pine Apple, Lime Juice, etc.

as it was the winter solstice or the angel of death has invaded the joyful news of Christ's birth; in-lay the chief's dog, growling im-ed as the Indians filled the room. ence in this business. I feel con-MEATS Mess Pork, Plate beef, Fresh birth of the sun. It is then, as family circle, the vacant chair and whoop of the Indians — another Beef, Pork and Poultry always on the earth draws nearer the sun, the whispered regret of those nightfall and their homes might

the days begin to lengthen and present will recall the memory of be desolate. of another the loved and lost one. summer. It was then that the



King.

Escape was equally impossible.



Fish. Mrs. J. Demers. Newcastle, Dec. 5, 1892. &c.&c.&c.&c.&c.&c.&t.&c. John Ferguson.

One of the marked features of Egyptian youth brought branches the modern observance of Christhick, Flannel and Cotton Shirts of palm to the temple of Horus, mas is the affectionate recognition the gloom of the thick growing who killed the god of darkness which the claims of children re- of the man at her side as he

coming of Christmas is looked forward to as that delightful period Mark,' she whispers. dreamy Hindoo uttered his cry to which brings presents from loving

Vishnu: and the Romans celebrated their saturnalia.

Christ began to be celebrated, the of stockings upon Christmas-eve, whole world, with the exception and the finding of them filled with of a few scattered communities of all the delicacies of the season early Christian converts, was pagan. Christmas morning. By a broad-

All that was great in art and in ening of this sentiment, the poor, literature, had been the work of the forsaken, and the wretched, him again to her who cares for The wind had completely died. men, who, either knew little or become allied with children in the sick. nothing of Christianity, or who their helplessness, and share with

hated or despised it. The whole them in the good offices of human- him. 'They might beat my boy yielded to the snow-shoe or the civilized world lay at the mercy of ity in this gracious time. Yes, Mark, my own little baby-boy. pagan Rome, whose armed legions the charity and humanity which The wind will chill him to-night, brushed from some low bush.

had conquered and still held it in is not only taught but practiced at for the woods are so cold.' its iron grasp. How should Chris- this season, is the noblest and best The lad's eyes were still fixed rose from within the palisade. tianity, which had originated in a hristmas. My stock consists of : despised and distant province of festival, and no man did more the Roman Empire, make its way towards bringing it about than the your papoose.'

against the thousand and one late Charles Dickens, by the publiinfluences gathered to oppose it ? eation of his Christmas Carols tears welled down his bronzed Yet this task it accomplished in a some fifty years ago.

comparatively brief period, for We conclude with a wish that closer to his side. Somewhere shortly after Constantine, in the the coming of Christmas may never out in the great forest-world, their fail to arouse the best and the babe might be starving. It was and Necklaces, etc, Customers will was declared the religion of the hoping that the spirit of "Goodwill toward men," heralded by stretching his tiny height to peer

So closely at this period had angels on the plains of Bethlehem, into the Red-man's soup pot. Rome's old time-honored pagan may at this season reign in every This was the hollowed butt of a festivities been interwoven with

the national and social life of the THE ADVOCATE wishes to on nation, the government as well as and all of its readers the church found that it was im-A MERRY CHRISTMAS.

ssible to completely abolish

(A Christmas Story.)

Ladies Silk Handkerchiefs, Monogram and Fancy Bordered Handkerchiefs, Fancy Frillings, Corsets, Lady's and Children's Wool Undervæts, Old Ladies Life but distinguished and evalted shorn of their strength and made her thoughts were with the little chief, who now and then uttered wand fer. The older Mark was heartsore. He seemed to have sourried back to his hole to avoid Collars, Purses, Peather 1908, Children's life but distinguished and exalted shorn of their strength and made lost both wife and child Newslews and Reather 1908, Children's lit above all the other religious to yield up their hitlen strength and made Necklaces and Bracelets, Veilings, Ham-burgs, Sewing Silks, Silk Cords, Jet Trimmings, Dress Buttons, Fancy Linen Burgan and Sidewoard Covers, Children's ed it in the world. Since then Burgan and Sidewoard Covers, Children's ed it in the world. Since then while gay speckled trout found Micmaesswaved in the night wind, whispered parley among the was his no longer, he turned from

THIS PAPER may be Lond of the st GEO. F. Nazarene, with its great Christmas water over the slippery pebbles, the crescent moon. The chief, the door and noiselessly lets down Red-man's soup pot, and a great festival, retained a prominent place or the hoot of the great white own Newspaper Advertising Bureau do Spruce the bars. The cold air stirs for a fire made to hoat the stones for the

The firelight falls on the say faces softened at the sight of withdraw. Ownatiga remained face of a woman, as she turns from the child. They had found him an instant to caress the white two months ago, the very day the hand, and then father and son set the hearth to peer out through

young chief had heen lost, asleep out together for their own enin an old camping ground. His campment.

blue eves had widened with the On the way Pine-tree told his wonder of childhood, as he waken- story how, after straying in the ' It is cold for our boy to-night, ed, to find their dusky forms chase, a dizzy blindness had overaround him. While they consider- taken hin, and he had fallen to

At their feet, half sat, half ed what to do with their prize, he the ground. How long he lay relatives and friends in addition to reclined, an Indian boy. From his crept to Owmatiga, laid his head there he did not know, but, at last, those "pleasures of hope" which lowly place he scanned the faces confidingly against the chief's Mark had found him half insensi-At the time that the birth of are connected with the hanging up of the group, even when with stolid yellow moccasin, and straightway ble, smitten with the small pox, so indifference to his surroundings journeyed to the land of dreams. fatal to his race. He had also much to tell of his natient nurse his eyes seemed bent on the fire. The silver moon rose higher, At the woman's murmur, he lifted shining in faint glory through the and her many midnight watches while his delirium raged, nor did his scarred, emaciated face. pine needles, and lighting up the he forget the wonderful story of 'He will again ccme,' he said tortuous forest paths, as the Micthe God-man, who still lived to simply. 'Your Spirit will bring macs stole silently under the trees. hear the prayers of his people.the stolid look had vanished from Such a still white night. Only a both faces, and when the tale was

The woman seemed not to hear faint crunch, perhaps, as the crust again repeated around the camp fire the dark countenances were crackle of a sparkling icicle, aglow with a tender light. There was much in the Red-man to be

A thin column of smoke still lifted to higher issues. The settlers were speechless

work of the modern Christmas on her. 'Whitehands,' he said Mark and Martha still sat before with wonder. They were safe in softly, 'the Spirit will again bring the burning embers, while the their weak fort, but why they Indian lad roved about like a understood not. Would the

> This time Martha heard eyes were closed in sleep, and her dared not separate for the remain-Mark's face was averted, but great head had found a tender pillow on der of the night, but mended the Mark's breast, though his deep fire till it bathed the room in a

cheeks as he drew the woman breathing betrayed that he, too crimson light. was lost to consciousness. The' embers gleamed fitfully on the

Hark, what was that!

Only the owlet's hoot, breaking the drowsing people sprang to beech tree. In it, according to the night watch. Indian custom, the forest soup had Again, yet again the call! often been made. The bones or

Surely the owls of the whole for- of Mark's voice, as he exclaims, stock had been thrown in the est must be gathering about the 'Wife, it's our boy,' and gives the great hollow, two or three buckets fort. of water added, and the whole, The lad threw his head back.

brought to a boil by dropping in red hot stones. It was a favorite sniffing the air curiously. At the haunt of the settlers' children, second call he drew aside the curand when, alarmed by an Indian tain and peeped furtively out of hunt g call, they had fled within the opening that served for a the palisade, no one had thought window.

of little Mark. There, in the white moonlight, Martha refused to be comforted, stood a savage, his tomahawk The baby-boy was all she had, glistening in his hand. Behind

Her mind, even, seemed slightly each tree, beyond the clearing, In the olden days there were no affected, for though her hands were lurked a foc. Over the crisp grassy meadows in Acadia. Great ever full of loving work for others, snow they glided stealthily to the forests of hemlock, spruce and her thoughts were with the little chief, who now and then uttered

his keen-eyed foe.

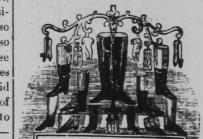
who had grown so dear to him

death.

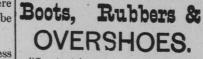
A limited amount of country produce taken in exchange for work.

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Extensive Stock.



GUCD FOOT WEAR

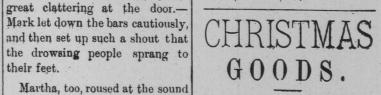


different styles and at prices to suit the Felt Boots, Felt Slippers, Men's hand Long Boots, just the thing for smalt tish troubled spirit. Martha's wistful Indians return again? They well as many other lines too numerous to

My business being confined to the above nes I am able to attend more closely to the needs of the public in foot wear and guarantee

that I can sell at prices which defy compe-At last there was a faint, pink Give me a call. line on the horizon-then another,

John McKeen and another, until the winter sun rose in all its Acadian beauty. A Newcastle, Dec. 5th, 1892

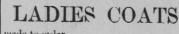


Come and see our stock of

Over Coating and boy to the eager mother-arms.-**FANCY TROUSERINGS** The child crows with glee at the familiar faces about, and the flaxen curls are in a wild tumble as

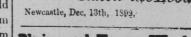
in Good Style and at Reasonable Prices Martha presses him to her breast. while a new and holy Christmas GOOD TRIMMINGS ALWAYS joy pervades the glad group.

----ON HAND--"Whitehands,' said Pine-tree --- ALSO_-_



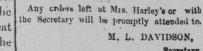


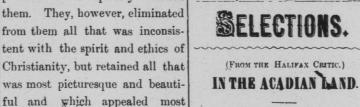
CUTTING LADIES' GARMENTS Owmatiga's eyes were filled with Simon McLeod.



Plain and Fancy Work.

The Young Women's Guild of S. Andrey aving recommenced their meetings, are prepar That day was one of feasting and red to take orders in plain sewing, fancy work knitting etc.





powerfully to the noblest and most BY ELLA J. HUNTER. exalted elements in human nature.

The result was this Christian fes earth and good will towards men.

This was the divine idea which pine covered the and. The wand er. The older Mark was the owl cry in such perfect

many great and wonderful music of the Acadian wood. By or sunshine they regarded alike sleepers to captivity, torture or quietly back to the wigwams

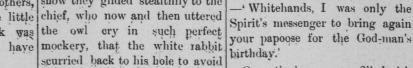
the new faith of the despised

The deerskin wigwams of the

many centuries have eiapaed dur- their homes in the countless The Indians alone were indiffer- Indians-surely now the fatal war- the touching sight, and, throwing ing which the world has witnessed brooks, whose babbling was the ent to wind or weather; rain, snow, cry would rouse the helpless his arm about his son, they stole

change, but throughout them all day, the birds' notes joined the with equanimity. There was no

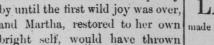
forest song; by night, there was great beauty for them in that vast Pine-tree's face kindles with an rejoicing among the warriors. only the rush and murmur of the shadowy forest, half revealed by almost savage joy as he glides to The snow was scooped out of the



tears, as, realising that the child Not a sound within the fort. A-

herself at his feet in thankfulness

their feet.



who with his father stood quietly

