Miramichi and the North Shore, etc.

TEACHER WANTED:—See advt.

DON'T FORGET the Fair of the ladies of the Hotel Dieu, at Chatham, which opens on Tuesday next.

GOOD BUSINESS.—The Bank of New Brunswick announces a dividend for the half year at the rate of 12 per cent. per annum.

APPLES FOR SALE:—A lot of 100 bbls. of fine winter fruit, stored in a greenhouse, is offered for sale by Mr. Wyse.

PRESBYTERY OF MIRAMICHI:—The Quarterly Meeting of the Presbytery of Miramichi will be held in the hall of St. John Church, Chatham, on Tuesday next, Dec 19th, at 10 o'clock standard time.

CRUSHED IN A THRESHER:—A man named Cormier whilst engaged threshing in his barn at St. Mary's, near Buctouche, on Monday had his hand caught in the machine and badly crushed. Medical aid was summoned and amputation was considered necessary.

BURIED AT RIVER CHARLO:—Mrs. H. E. Gross of Moncton, daughter of Mr. Peter Hamilton of River Charlo, Restigouche, died at St. John last week after an unsuccessful operation in the Hospital there. The remains were taken to Moncton on Saturday night and to River Charlo on Monday for interment.

THAT ALL HALLOWS' EVE SHOOTING CASE:—On Saturday morning Theodore Gogain, one of the three persons accused of shooting LeBlanc on Oct. 31 at Cocagne, was in Moncton in connexion with his trial, which comes before the Kent County court January next. He expressed entire confidence of his own and his two sons' acquittal. LeBlanc has recovered and is again moving about.

STUNNED:—Little Herbie Pallen attempted to jump on Mr. James Searle's sleigh as it was passing the middle district school yesterday at the time of forenoon recess, when he missed in some way and was struck on the head by the seat or some other part of it, rendering him insensible for five minutes. He was taken home and was about all right again last evening. Little boys should not run such risks.

TOLL BRIDGE TO BE ABOLISHED:—A St. Stephen despatch says that the Local Government and city of Calais have made arrangements for the purchase of the Union Bridge and after January first it will be free to the public. The Ferry Point Bridge is not likely to be free for some time as the price asked is too high.

WELL DONE, "ARMENIA!" News reached Chatham yesterday of the safe arrival of Mr. Hutchison's barque "Armenia" which left this port on 26th ult and arrived at Waterford, Ireland, on Tuesday—making the passage in sixteen days. Mr. Hutchison declined to pay the high winter-rate premium on the vessel and cargo demanded by the insurance companies and this saved about $1,500 on that item alone.

SLEIGHS in different styles and the best workmanship are on exhibition at Mr. Alex. Robinson's Carriage and Sleigh Works, Chatham. His work is guaranteed, being made of the best stock and materials procurable, by men who are thoroughly competent in their several departments. Money is saved by purchasing from a home manufacturer who has a good reputation to sustain, instead of investing in the products of factories, which make goods to sell, regardless of their quality.

THE TROOP & SONS PROPERTY:—The Royal Gazette contains notice of the incorporation of the company of Troop & Sons, limited, composed of Howard Troop, John E. Irvine, Jacob Troop, John Russell and Charles Troop. The capital is $250,000. The purpose of the company is to own, manage and build ships. This is supposed to mean that the shipping property of Troop & Sons will be put into a company of which the creditors will be shareholders.

A LIQUOR WAR:—A despatch says: There is a liquor war going on at Truro. Two whiskey detectives, who have been entering bar rooms to secure evidence on behalf of the temperance party, were arrested to-day on a charge of conspiracy to secure violation of the license act. The arrest was made on the advice of lawyer Thomas, of Moncton, who is acting for the liquor people in Pictou, New Glasgow and Truro.

THE CHRISTMAS "STAR" is out early this season and while it does not bear out the highly superlative press notice which appears in many of the papers, it is interesting, especially as an advertising sheet. Its really meritorious feature—and that alone is worth the fifty cents charged for the whole number—is the Canadian wild-flower album drawn from nature by John Hugh Ross of Montreal for the publishers of the Star.

A BIG SMASH:—The powerful steam tug Douglas H. Thomas, with the coal barge Rembrandt in tow, cut off forty feet of the Liverpool wharf Halifax, while proceeding up that harbor on Thursday last, and set adrift one hundred casks of oil and fifty thousand feet of lumber that were piled thereon. The loss and damage is estimated all the way from $500 to $10,000, which isn't very wild shooting for Halifax press appraisers.

WEDDING BELLS:—The residence of Joseph L. Black, Sackville, was the scene Wednesday evening 6th inst., of the marriage of his daughter, Harriet H. Black, to B. Eaton Paterson, of the Amherst *Press*, and son of Mr. S. B. Paterson, of the St. John Savings Bank. The cermony was performed by Rev. William Harrison. There were many guests. The bridal presents were numerous and handsome. After the ceremony the party sat down to an enjoyable supper. During the evening the Sackville band serenaded the bridal party and the bride and groom gracefully acknowledged the compliment.

A VETERAN HUNTER:—Wm. Ogden, of Clarendon Station, was in the city yesterday with a number of fine furs. Mr. Ogden is an old-time hunter and trapper, and during the season probably secures more game than any other man in the province. He is death to bears, and since spring has killed not less than ten. One of these which he shot last fall weighed over five hundred pounds, and was, Mr. Ogden says, the largest he ever saw. When asked if the old story that a bear could knock a club or an axe out of a man's hand were true, he answered that it was; that a full grown bear could knock a club out of any man's grasp. He had seen them do so with one foot in a trap.—[Sun.

INSURANCE MEN are a gallant lot and like to see justice done. A day or two ago the Globe stated Miss Gillespie, of Chatham, was probably the first lady in the province to take up the insurance business. This the local agents say is not correct, for about two years ago Miss Allan, of Woodstock, succeeded to the business of her father and has since carried it on to the entire satisfaction of the several companies she represents. These two women are proving the ability of their sex to successfully complete with men in one of the most active spheres of life and are doing their share to knock down the barriers and prove to the world woman's fitness for all work. [Globe.

CITIZEN TRAIN COMING BACK DUMB.—"Speech is silver, but silence is gold," said George Francis Train yesterday, "and I'm going to relapse into silence again. For fourteen years I refused to speak to man or woman, and I'm going back to New York next week and in Madison Square resume my old occupation of silence. I have had a good time in Chicago. I have lived at the Palmer House and had a nice room on the first floor, counting from the top of the building. Five hundred servants of the hotel have been at my beck and call. The mucilage pot, pen and ink and stationery have been supplied me, all for $1 a day. When I am hungry I go down to a lunch room and get a plate of wheat cakes and a cup of coffee for fifteen cents. I am happy and have solved the problem of living. [Ex.

THE COSGROVE FAMILY appeared at Masonic Hall, Chatham, on Wednesday evening, 6th inst. Their entertainment was a varied one, and the audience enjoyed it quite heartily. The musical novelties, which included, sleigh and cow bells, glasses, xylophones, etc., were skilfully played and Miss La Dell's Delsartian delineations were very interesting. The "Charge of the Light Brigade" was, of itself, worth the admission fee to see and hear. The comic songs spoilt the exhibition as "a refined entertainment," although there was not anything positively vulgar in them. As a whole, the performance was better than the average show that visits Chatham and if it had been advertised beforehand would, doubtless, have been witnessed by a larger audience than was present. Mr. Cosgrove is a poor manager in that respect.

PERSONAL:—A Newfoundland paper says that in a recent railway accident on the Hall's Bay line, by which three men were seriously injured, C. C. Carlyle of New Brunswick was also there, and received a blow in the thigh from a piece of the iron with which the cars were loaded.

Miss Mary Tweedie, daughter of Rev. James Tweedie of Port Hood, C. B., left for Montreal to-day, to take a position as departmental editor of Our Home. Miss Tweedie has been a frequent contributor to the Canadian Methodist Magazine, and is possessed of marked ability. We wish her success in her present undertaking.—Truro News.

Rev. J. L. McDonald of Campbellton was in Chatham this week, and was heartily welcomed by a host of old friends.

Lt. Col. Maunsel was a passenger to Chatham on yesterday's Fredericton train. He will inspect the armories of the 73rd Battalion while here.

Hon. Surveyor-General and Mrs. Tweedie returned home yesterday from a trip to St. John, St. Stephen and Fredericton.

Mr. Charles McLaggan is paying a welcome visit to Miramichi relatives and friends.

Miss Florence E. Kelly, daughter of the late Hon. Wm. M. Kelly of Chatham, was married in Montreal on Wednesday of last week to Mr. John A Tarbutt of Toronto. The handsome bride's many friends here will wish her a long and happy married life.

Died in the Lumber Woods.

HARCOURT, Dec. 12.—Robert Sullivan while on his way to Mathew Ferguson's lumber camp on the Restigouche River, some sixty miles above Campbellton, on Tuesday of last week died suddenly. He had been left behind by his companions, and on their return they found him dead. His remains were brought here Friday by train, and were interred at Bass River R. C. burial ground. Two years ago a brother of Robert Sullivan's died under similar circumstances in the United States. Heart disease or apoplexy was the cause in both cases. Mr. Edward Sullivan, of Campbellton, accompanied the remains of his brother Robert, to this station, and hence to Bass River.

An old Friend going.

After an existence of nearly forty years, the Chatham Gas Light Company is about to close up its business, and the present intention is to cease supplying light to its customers after the end of the present month. The company has been, for some time, fighting against difficulties, for there were never enough consumers to enable it make sufficient profit to keep its plant up with the improvements of the day, so that when the electric light was established it so encroached upon the field of the Gas Company as to push it to the wall. There was not room enough in the town for both and it has been a case of the survival of the fittest. Those who put their money into the Gas Company at the first and their successors were public spirited men and it is a matter of regret that they are now obliged to abandon the enterprise.

Dramatic.

Mr. Price Webber's excellent dramatic company began a playing season at Masonic Hall, Chatham, on Monday night, when they presented Jessie Brown, or the Relief of Lucknow, followed by The Honeymoon on Tuesday night and Miralda and The Loan of a Lover last evening. The organization is, as usual, headed by Edwina Grey (Mrs. Webber) and most of its old has members, and is the most talented as well as the best in costuming and stage accessories on the road in the provinces. The Cypress Club orchestra furnishes music and it is the best heard for some time in the hall. To-night's performance is for the benefit of the Club, and the pieces are Kathleen Mavourneen and The Secret. There should be a bumper house.

Canned Lobsters in London.

The London Grocer of November 18 has the following item of interest to lobster packers; "As usual at this period of the year the trade has fallen away very much. The large stock of second and low grades will need spring weather to move it off. Packers have themselves to blame for an unprofitable season's results this year by packing false graded and black stained goods, in which the bad qualities can only be sorted out at the expense of a waste of the bulk."

Death of Mr. Lyman Flett.

The death of Mr. Lyman Flett, son of Enoch Flett, Esq., of Nelson, which took place on Saturday morning last about five o'clock at his residence, Chatham, was a peculiarly sad event. He was one of Chatham's most exemplary young citizens, being industrious, methodical and faithful in business, and possessing integrity and self-respect which won for him the high regard of all his acquaintances. He was never of a robust constitution and, having contracted a cold a few weeks since, went out when he should have remained indoors, the result being inflammation of the lungs, which quickly caused his death. His wife had barely risen from a sick bed when he was prostrated, and although she was physically ill-fitted to sustain the fatigue of watching at her husband's bedside, she bestowed every care upon him as well as upon their two young children who are now so sadly bereaved. Mr. Flett's father, sister and aunt were at his bedside when he was ill, but his mother, as well as Mrs. Flett's father and mother were prevented from visiting them in their trouble by being confined to their homes by sickness. The local Oddfellows, of whom Mr. Flett was one, rendered such services to the sick man as were necessary on their part, and share with the family and his fellow citizens in the sorrow occasioned by his too-early death.

The funeral which took place on Tuesday afternoon was a very large one indeed, attended by citizens of Newcastle, Douglastown, Nelson and other places, besides a very large number of Chatham people. The service at the house was conducted by Rev. Dean Forsyth. The floral offerings were numerous and beautiful, the largest being from Mr. Flett's late associates in Mr. Snowball's office and from the Oddfellows. The latter organization led the funeral procession, marshalled by Col. McCulley and its members were in regalia. The pall bearers were: Messrs. W. B. Snowball, Geo. E. Fisher, D. M. Loggie, P. H. C. Benson, H. A. Muirhead, Edw. Johnson, M. S. Hocken and Wm. Damery, and the funeral was under the direction of Mr. John McDonald.

The interment was in the presbyterian burying ground, Nelson, where after a prayer had been offered by Rev. Mr. Aitken of St. James' church, Newcastle, the Oddfellows' burial service was read by Messrs. F. O. Petterson and J. D. B. F. Mackenzie. Few young men on the Miramichi have been followed to the grave by so many mourners or have passed from the community so generally regretted, as Lyman Flett is.

Caution.

All persons are cautioned not to neglect a cough or cold. Neglect of first symptoms is the fruitful cause of fatal results. Hawker's Tolu and Wild Cherry Balsam is a sure Cough cure and a never-failing remedy for all throat and lung troubles. If you cough, try it. Sold everywhere, 25 and 50 cents a bottle.

A Great Offer.

The Globe of Toronto is offering great inducements in connection with their weekly for 1894. To all subscribers who forward them one dollar by the end of December next, they will send The Weekly Globe for 1894, and, in addition, present them with a copy of "Hints for the million," published by Messrs. Rand, McNally & Co., the celebrated publishers of Chicago and New York.

This work is an invaluable book of reference and handy for the household, being a compendium of thousands of new and valuable receipes and suggestions on hygiene, medicine, business affairs, travelling, the workshop, laboratory, house, kitchen, garden, stable, etc. The regular selling price is 35c; it is worth one dollar.

PRESS NOTICES.

Useful to an inquisitive and economical housekeeper.—New York Sun.

A book which will be found useful by everybody.—Boston Traveller.

A very useful thing for a handy person.—New Orleans Picayune.

The "Hints" are comprehensive enough, and the wonder is they aren't called a "Household Encyclopedia."—Cincinnati Commercial Gazette.

More useful information could not well be crowded in the same space.—San Francisco Bulletin.

No well regulated household should be without a copy of Hints for the Million."—Spirit of the Times.

In a wonderfully compact form a vast amount of information.—Manchester Union.

The book will be forwarded free of postage. The offer is a most liberal one and should secure a large increase in the circulation of that old established and excellent newspaper.

A Trip to Florida.

The expenses of a trip to Florida are easily saved by investing 25 cents in a bottle of Hawker's Tolu and Wild Cherry Balsam. A sure Cough cure.

Young Men's Christian Association.

The Provincial Secretary of this institution in the Maritime Provinces was in town for a few days of last week and held several conferences with the Association workers. There has been a desire for a great while on the part of the Association members to do a broader work and they feel that the time has come to put their desires into effect. They plan to open a Reading Room, Parlor and, if possible, a place for Physical Culture and introduce social and Educational advantages. It will require time and money to carry into active operation the plans made, and the Association desire to have the co-operation in these things of all who have at heart the welfare of the young men of the community. The amount of money required for this year is about $350., covering expenditures for rent, light, heat, furniture, printing, reading room &c. The revenue to meet this is expected to be secured in these ways; from membership fees $80., from entertainments $50., from collections and subscriptions the balance $220. One gentleman has already subscribed $25 of this latter amount, and several $10 subscriptions have been pledged. We hope the work may go on and that the young men, in their effort, may have the generous sympathy required to enable them to push their laudable project.

On Sunday evening, a public meeting, under the auspices of the Association, was held in St. Andrew's church, at the close of the church services. Rev. Jos. McCoy presided, and the singing was led by the combined choirs of St. Andrew's and St. Luke's churches. Mr. Fraser G. Marshall spoke for half an hour on the social, mental and religious condition of young men and their needs as they existed all over this continent, giving some interesting statistics, and strongly urging the need for extension of the work in Chatham. Revd. N. McKay, Geo. Steele and Jos. McCoy followed in short addresses, endorsing the work, commending it to the practical sympathy and aid of the people, and promising their hearty co-operation in the proposed undertaking.

Very sad Suicide.

No sadder suicide than that of the little lad Ferdinand de Courcy, in Dublin, can be imagined. The pathos of the preparations, the ambition to save his family, his last letter, his death and the futility of it all make heart-rending reading. His father—a bankrupt—had taken his own life, leaving behind a wife and four children, the lad Ferdinand, twelve years of age, being the oldest. Reduced to the very extremity of misery they quickly sank to absolute starvation. Then this little lad set himself to save his mother and sisters. He earned a shilling or two, and with the money purchased sundry articles of clothing and papers which carried with them insurance coupons to the value of above three thousand pounds. Thereupon, in his childlish ignorance, knowing not that the act was a fraud and could bring no benefit whatever to those he loved, he went and drowned himself. "Don't spend too much on my funeral, and mind the money, which will make you rich," he wrote in his last letter to his mother.

The Bass Fishery.

A Redbank correspondent of the Times writes as follows: "The bass fishermen are making great catches on the Northwest since the ice made. It is no uncommon thing for a man to make ten, fifteen and twenty dollars of a night. In fact, one of our fashionable young ladies went out on last Wednesday night for a short time and came home with five dollars' worth. One of our men a few night's ago caught six hundred pounds, which at ten cents a pound would make the nice little sum of sixty dollars for just one night's catch. Many of them have taken thirty, forty and so on of a night. The good catch of fish is circulating the needy at a rapid rate, and it is welcome. Your correspondent's nearest neighbor went out on the river just about dawn this morning and he brought up three hundred and fifty pounds of bass, which will net him thirty-five dollars—not much more than two hours' work. Another man with one dip of his net filled it so full with a draught of fishes that in drawing it up the bottom of his net broke and, of course, the fish dropped out and made their happy escape. Eighteen fish were all he secured of the great catch; rather a disappointment. No doubt he will have a net strong enough for to-night's work."

Everybody will be glad to hear of the good luck of the Northwest bass fishermen, but it is to be hoped that the regulations under which the fishery is carried on do not permit the whole of the bass ground to be fished over, as was formerly the case, the result being to almost exterminate the fishery.

BASS AND THE SMELT FISHERY.

The ADVANCE has always contended for the greatest liberty to our fishermen to take fish, consistent with the preservation of the fisheries. Last season, when the smelt fishing with bag nets was restored off Chatham, it was with the understanding that if small bass were taken in appreciable quantities the fishery should cease above Middle Island. It was found at that time that bass were not taken, and the fishery went on as long as it was found remunerative. It is reported that there has been a greater show of young bass in the bag nets off and above Chatham this year, and, if it be true, we hope the fishermen will behave in good faith by ceasing to fish in the places where bass are taken. Unless they do so interested parties will be sure to send exaggerated reports of the facts to the Inspector, or to Ottawa, and the result will be new and unnecessary restrictions. There should be some restriction on the wholesale slaughter of bass in the Northwest, for the fishery will not long stand the drain of the former method of working the comparatively limited ground in that district. If such restrictionis observed and the smelt fishermen further down river refrain from setting their nets where young bass abound, both fisheries will be benefited and friction between the two interests avoided.

Safe, Sure, and Painless.

What a world of meaning this statement embodies. Just what you are looking for, is it not? Putnam's Painless Corn Extractor—the great sure-pop corn cure—acts in this way. It makes no sore spots; safe, acts speedily and with certainty; sure and mildly, without inflaming the parts; painlessly. Do not be imposed upon by imitations or substitutes.

The Second Concession of Deer.

[By Rev. W. W. Smith]

John Tompkins lived in a house of logs,
On the second concession of Deer;
The front was logs, all straight and sound,
The gable was logs, all tight and round,
The roof was logs so firmly bound,
And the floor was logs all down to the ground—
The warmest house in Deer.

And John, to my mind, was a log himself,
On the second concession of Deer;
None of your birch with bark of buff—
Nor basswood, weak and watery stuff—
But he was hickory, true and tough,
And only his outside bark was rough—
The grandest old man in Deer!

But John had lived too long, it seemed,
On the second concession of Deer!
For his daughters took up the governing rein,
With a fine brick house on the old domain,
All papered and painted with satin-wood stain,
Carpeted stairs and best ingrain—
The finest house in Deer!

Poor John, it was sad to see him now,
On the second concession of Deer!
When he came in from his weary work,
To strip off his shoes like a heathen Turk,
Or out of the "company's" way to lurk,
And ply in the shanty his knife and fork—
The times were turned in Deer!

But John was hickory to the last,
On the second concession of Deer!
And out on the river end of his lot
He laid up the logs in a cosy spot,
And self and wife took up with a cot,
And the great brick house might swim or not—
He was done with the pride of Deer!

But the great house could not go at all,
On the second concession of Deer!
'Twas mother no more to wash or bake,
Nor father the gallant steeds to take;
From the kitchen no more came pie nor cake,
And even their butter they'd first to make!
There were lessons to learn in Deer!

And the lesson they learned a year or more,
On the second concession of Deer!
Then the girls got back the brave old pair,
And gave the mother her easy chair;
She told them how, and they did their share;
And John the honors once more did wear
Of his own domain in Deer!

Young Men's Christian Association of Chatham.

Meetings held every week in their rooms up-stairs, Barry's Building, as follows:—

Sunday morning at 10 o'clock, for Prayer and Praise.

Monday evening at 8 o'clock, for Bible Study.

Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock, for Training class.

All young men are most cordially invited to all of these meetings.

MARRIED.

At St Andrews Manse on Wednesday 6th Dec. by Rev. Joseph McCoy M. A. Mr. Samuel J. Kingston and Miss Catherine Henderson, all of Chatham N. B.

At the residence of the bride's father Blackville N. B., on November 30, 1893, by the Rev. CO'Dell Bayles, Mr. Percy Overton Lubans to Miss Isa Clemetine Underhill, daughter of Mr. James Underhill, all of Blackville N. B.

At the residence of the bride's father on the 7th inst, by the Rev T. G. Johnstone, George Edgar, to Hester, daughter of Enoch Bunford Esq., all of Blisfield

New Advertisements.

SCHOOL TEACHER WANTED.

A second class female teacher is wanted for school dist. No. 1, Black River, Parish of Glenelg. For further particulars apply to

JAMES MCNAUGHTON,
Secy. to Trustees.

Black River Dec. 11 1893.

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BOSTON COMEDY CO'Y
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Now opened and playing to large and enthusiastic audences nightly.

POPULAR PRICES:
Admission, - - - 25 cents
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Doors open at 7 15. Overture at 8.

APPLES, APPLES.

100 bbls, No. 1 and 2, first class winter fruit,
Stored in Greenhouses
AND NOW OFFERED FOR SALE
DURING THE HOLIDAYS.
5 PER CENT OFF
FOR 5 TO 10 BARREL LOTS.
W. WYSE.

Chatham, N, B. 13th Dec, 1893.

New Advertisements.

Sleighs, New Style, Double AND SINGLE.

I have on hand a first class stock of sleighs of different styles of my own manufacture, which

I WILL SELL CHEAP.

All my work is made of the best of stock, and by first class workmen, and guaranteed

TO GIVE SATISFACTION.

ALEX. ROBINSON.
Chatham Carriage and Sleigh Works,
Chatham N. B.

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Notice to Parish and County OFFICERS.

All Parish and County Officers who have not yet made their returns, and all persons having claims against the county, are hereby requested to render said returns and claims to my office forthwith duly attested. A prompt compliance with this notice is required.

Dated 12th December 1893,

SAM THOMSON,
Secty Treas'r Co. Northumberland.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

To be sold at public auction on Saturday, the 24th day of March next, in front of the Post Office, Chatham between the hours of twelve noon and five o'clock p. m.:—

All the right, title and interest of Mary Jones in and to all that lot or piece of property situate in the Town of Chatham, in the County of Northumberland, commencing at the north-easterly corner of building lot number twenty on the southerly side of Centre street running southerly along the division lines between said lot 20 and 21 one hundred and eight feet to the northerly side of a piece of land lately in the possession of the late Hon. Joe Cunard, thence following the said northerly side of the last mentioned piece of land easterly fifty feet to the westerly side line of building lot number thirty one thence northerly along the westerly line of lots number thirty one and thirty-two one hundred and eight feet to the southerly side of Centre street, thence along said side of last mentioned street fifty feet to place of beginning.

Also all other lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises whatsoever and wheresoever, situate in the said County, of the said Mary Jones;

The same having been seized by me under and by virtue of an execution issued out of the Northumberland County Court at the suit of Roger Flanagan against the said Mary Jones.

Dated Sheriff's Office, Newcastle, this 12th day of December, A. D., 1893.

JOHN SHIRREFF, Sheriff.

CHRISTMAS FAIR.

A Christmas Fair will be held on
Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday,
19th, 20th & 21st December.
instant, at and and in aid of
THE HOTEL DIEU, CHATHAM.
The fair will open at 2 p. m. on Tuesday.
TEA WILL BE SERVED
on that day and also on Thursday, the opening being at 5 p. m. on Wednesday and Thursday.
THE DRAWING OF PRIZES
will take place on Thursday.
ADMISSION, - - 10 CENTS.

-:NICOL:-
HAS THE RIGHT THING FOR
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BOOTS, SLIPPERS, OVERSHOES & MOCCASINS.
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$5, $10 and $20, Genuine Confederate Bills, only five cents each; $50 and $100 bills 10 cents each, 25c and 50c shinplasters 10 cents each; $1 and $2 bills 25 cents each. Sent securely sealed on receipt of price. Address, CHAS. D. BARKER, 90 S Forsyth St., Atlanta, Ga.

GRAND CLEARANCE SALE.

$10,000 Worth of Goods
to be sold as soon as possible as we require cash at present.
THE STOCK COMPRISES
HARDWARE OF ALL KINDS,
IRON, STEEL, NAILS, GLASS, PAINTS, OILS, VARNISHES,
SILVER PLATED WARE, CHINA, GLASSWARE, EARTHENWARE, LAMPS, ETC.

The whole stock will be offered at discounts ranging from 10 per cent on heavy goods to
50 per cent. on Fancy Goods.
For particulars see small bills.
Terms Strictly cash.
GEORGE STOTHART.

Nov. 1 1893

INSURANCE.

The Insurance business heretofore carried on by the late Thomas F. Gillespie, deceased is continued by the undersigned who represents the following Companies:—

SCOTTISH UNION AND NATIONAL,
ALBION,
IMPERIAL,
LONDON, & LANCASHIRE,
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HARTFORD,
NORWICH UNION
ALLIANCE,
PHŒNIX OF LONDON.

FRANCES A. GILLESPIE.

Chatham 29th Nov. 1893.

MARKED DOWN SALE.

The balance of stock in my lower store not disposed of at the auction sales, is now offered at
REDUCED PRICES,
RANGING FROM 15 TO 50 PER CENT.
This sale will continue until all the goods are disposed of.
Bargains May be Expected.
as the stock will be sold without reserve, as I intend closing that business for the winter.
THE STOCK CONSISTS OF
Boots, Shoes' Ready Made Clothing, Furniture, Tea, Tobacco, Oil, Molasses; Dress Goods in Merino, Cashmere, Alpaca; All Wool Flannel, White and Blue; Flannelette, Grey Cotton, White and Grey Blankets, Hats, Caps Homespun in White and Grey,
AND SEVERAL OTHER ARTICLES, SUCH AS
Stoves, Scales, Coal, Oil Tank, etc., too numerous to mention.
This is an unusually good chance for householders and country buyers to secure goods for the winter.
ROGER FLANAGAN.

NEW ADVERTISEMENT

X'mas X'mas X'mas.

As the X'mas season has arrived we wish to draw your attention to the fact that E. LEE STREET has received the largest supply of

X'MAS PRESENTS

ever seen in Miramichi, from Ricksecket and Seely, the two largest perfume manufacturers in America, and Lyman Sons & Co., the largest in Montreal,

He has received a large supply of perfumes of the best quality and put up in large decanters,

Pitchers, Fine Cut-Glass Bottles, Plush-Lined Boxes & Baskets.

THEY RANGE ALL THE WAY FROM
10 CENTS TO $10.00 PER BOTTLE
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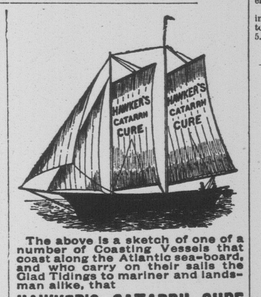

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