## Special Christmas o o Sale

During the Holiday Season, commencing Friday, Dec. 1st, we Our Entire Stock of Christmas Goods At Greatly Reduced Prices.

As we handle only the best it will pay you to call and take advantage of this special offer. REMEMBER' The discount we offer is larger than is offered elsewhere. Call and see the quality of our goods and get our prices before purchasing All Goods will positively be sold at a Big Discount

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From 5c to \$1.75, no two alike at almost half

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#### Let Us Help You With Your Washing

Let us help you by doing the heavy, hard part of the family washing by washing and ironing all the flat piece's such as towels, napkins, table covers, 75c.—it's cheaper to let us do it.

Ask the man on our wagon for particulars

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Why don't you try Dr. Mazerine's English Cure? People say it is great. Only 50c per Jar. GET IT AT YOUR DRUG STORE. Wholesale Agents: T. B. BARKER & SONS, St. John, N. B.

\$5,00 Tubular Skates for \$2.50,

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The strongest, fastest and lightest skate made. Improved this season by using specially prepared high carbon steel throughout. Won more races in the Maritime Provinces last season than all other makes of skates.

In order to meet the cheap competition in tubular skates, I have decided to put up a good cheap tubular skate, nickel plated, that I can sell for \$2.50. A few second-hand skates to sell cheap. Phone 1585.

Flat, Short Roll, Long Roll Bacon. Boneless Boiled Hams. Mess Pork, Lard, Sausage, Bologna, Mince Meat, Etc.

Wholesale and Retail.

JOHN HOPKINS, 186 UNION ST.

#### New Stuffed Dates.

Something Choice, 35c per Box. Walter Gilbert, 143 Charlotte St.

JOHN MITCHELL ILL.

Sell Our Picture Post Cards

SPRING VALLEY, Ill., Dec. 1.—John Mitchell, president of the United Mine Workers of America, arrived today suffering from nervous prostration. serious results are apprehended.



#### GOT DRUNK AND

WAS ROBBED.

noticed two men by the McAvity shed, one of them on the ground, while observe who the men were.

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siderable fortune, and telegraphed the good news at once to his flance. The same evening he wrote her a letter deplication. It was 10 with Scott and Rosseau, and with William Hone, when he had the following experience recorded in his memoir:

When worn out with overwork he was shown into a certain part of London where he had never been before. "On looking round everything appeared perfectly familiar the was taken to Guy's hospital, where the doctors shook their heads over the cotors shook their heads over the lootors shook their heads over the lordon, but was not admitted to see him for some days. Meanwhile she learned from his servant that the accident must have happened as he was returning from the posting the letter to her. When she applied at the end of the prescribed time to see him, she was informed that, though he was now in a condition to see a friend, if he so wished, were here before. "I opened the shutter and found the river is possible." I opened the shutter and found the river is possible. Thursday night was very cold and had it not been for Mr. Dobbin the unfortunate man would in all probability have died by the warehouse, as he

#### STR. VIRGINIAN WON'T COME HERE.

HALIFAX, N. S., Dec. 1.—The Allan turbiner Virginian, Capt. Vipond, from Liverpool with the weekly mails, which passed Cape Race at noon Wednesday, and which it was expected would reach here at 8 o'clock last night, and thus establish a new record for the Canadian mail service, did not arrive until 9 o'clock this morning, having encountered a heavy gale and head sea after passing Cape Race.

The officers of the ship report the weather throughout the entire vayage as unusually bolsterous, and owing to this they calculate the ship lost 23 hours and 45 minutes.

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The Virginian left Moville at 2.15 p. m. Friday last, and to noon the next day made 235 miles. Her next day's run was 405, then 368, 312, 333, 385 and to Halifax 246. The steamer brought 23 saloon, 88 second cabin, and 426 steerage. She has 1,600 tons of cargo, largely for Montreal, Toronto, and points west, all of which will be landed here, the ship not going to St. John.

ONTARIO MURDERER SAVED FROM GALLOWS OTTAWA, Dec. 1.-Felix Doyle, o Brantford, who was sentenced to death for killing his mother, has had his sentence commuted to life imprisonme Mental incompetency is the excuse. Wild Alec, the B. C. Indian murderer

NO ONE WHO HAS EVER SEEN OR HEARD THE HELPLESS
CHOKING OF A

CONSUMPTIVE CAN THINK LIGHTLY

OF A GOUGH

#### single dose of Dr. Wood's Norway Syrup will convince you that it will the cough, sooth the throat, and start on the road to recovery. DR. WOOD'S NORWAY PINE SYRUP

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Be sure and do not accept a substitute for Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup. The genuine is put up in a yellow wrapper, three pine trees the trade mark, and the waite 25 cts.

HAS NO EQUAL "I had a very bad cold which settled on my lungs. I tried many remedies but could get no relief. On the advice of a riend I produced a bottle of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup. Before the bottle was half finished I had not the slightest trace of a cough, and in my opinion Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup has no equal as a cure for coughs, colds, or any affection of the throat and lungs.

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### SOME MYSTERIES OF THE HUMAN BRAIN.

SAD LOVE STORY. the other was stooping over him. Here is the saddest true love story I ever heard, and I heard it from a friend of the one on the ground, Mr. Thinking that the man standing was a chum of the one on the ground, Mr. Dobbin did not pay much attention to them until he saw the man who had been lying on the ground being carried by the other, over under the shed. Then Mr. Dobbin went to investigate, but, owing to the darkness, could not observe who the men were.

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Sergl. Welsh, Formerly of England, Held Up Thursday Night—Says it Served Him Right.

Thursday afternoon Bergent A.F. 2. O'Colorny, M. I., an old as say it be also been working at they were going, recall to my mind say it be as a few and the city for a short vacation. Mr. Welsh confessed to 8. But reported the state of the head to the current Thursday afternoon Bergent A.F. 2. O'Colorny, M. I., an old as say in the haut of drinking quite much that occurred Thursday evening, Held that when he left the Ben Lomond house he had Elf in the state of the head he was not be saw that the And act up to tea at the there are also as the throught him to the home or not he hould not remember; however, when had deal were also as the patient, the moment had been as whether he thought he was robbed or he had observed a little he discovered with the patient, the moment he recovered control of the month of th

sidering that three at least of the company were old friends and kept much company together, i. e., Justice Clerk, Lord Abercromby and I. But the sensation was so strong as to resemble what is called a mirage in

It is, I think, noteworthy that in all clairvoyant cases of his kind the body is, through overwork, or ill health, or fasting, or congenitally, in the subdued state to which the Indian



DEATH IN TRUBO TWO KILLED BY EXPLOSION TRURO, N. S., Dec. 1.-Charles Auustus McCurdy, one of the most prometent and highly respected farmers of inslow, and son of the late Isaac Mc OF HOT WATER HEATER.

Curdy, died at his home today after an illness of about a year. He was about 60 years of age and leaves a widow and four children: Charles McCurdy, of Boston; Blair McCurdy, Onslow; Mrs. Charles Mitchell, and Mrs. P. G. McSween, of Edmonton. He was a brother of Mrs. I.s. Mitchell, of Neversette. BOSTON, Dec. 1.—Two men were killed and one seriously injured by the explosion of a hot mater heater in the explosion of a hot mater heater in the new three story brick building situated at the corner of Queen street and East Broadway, South Boston, today. The house was badly damaged. The dead ther of Mrs. Jas. Mitchell, of Newcastle, N. B. The funeral will be Monday. are: John F. Hernon, 39, owner of the building; John Kane, a workman. The injured is Michael Skerry, 33 year old, 96 Anderson street. White Liniment

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miles distant, by special train. In all live buildings were burned, entailing a loss of about \$2000