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7 00	2 53	....Gibson, ...	12 12	3 57
7 20	3 00	...Marysville, ...	12 05	3 40
8 50	4 07	...Cross Creek, ..	10 47	1 50
10 15	5 05	...Boiestown, ...	9 35	12 30
11 15 ar	6 50 ar	...Doaktown, ...	8 50	11 15 / 11 10
11 20 lv	6 05 lv	...Blackville, ...	7 40	9 40
12 35 p m	7 10	...Chatham Jct..	6 45	8 20 / ar 8 30
1 30 ar	8 02	.... Nelson ...		7 40
2 00 lv	8 07	....Chatham	6 12	7 20
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ar 8 50	.....	Indiantown.....	lv 4.15 "

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SHERIFF'S SALE!

To be sold at Public Auction, in front of the Registry Office, in Newcastle, on Friday, the 19th day of February next, between the hours of 12 noon and five o'clock p.m.:—

All the right, title and interest of Robert C. Boyes in and to all that piece or parcel of land and premises situate lying and being on the Northerly side of the Southwest Branch of the Miramichi River, in the Parish of Blackville, and County of Northumberland, bounded and described as follows: Commencing at the Northwesterly corner of lands formerly owned by the late Scott Fairley, being the junction of the Queen's Highway, leading from Newcastle to Fredericton, and the road leading therefrom to Blackville Railway Station known as the "Station" Road, thence southerly along the eastern side of said station road thirty one rods and one and one half yards or till it reaches the northwesterly corner of lot of land occupied by one Robert Barry, thence easterly along the northern side of said lot occupied by said Robert Barry twelve rods and ten feet, thence southerly along the rear of said last mentioned lot thirteen rods, thence westerly parallel with the northern side line of said Barry lot twelve rods ten feet to the eastern side of said Station road, thence southerly along the eastern side of said road to the northwest corner of lands occupied by M. Underwood, thence easterly along the southern line of lands formerly owned by the late Scott Fairley to the eastern corner thereof, thence northerly along the easterly side of the said lands formerly owned by the said Scott Fairley, to the southern side of the aforementioned Queen's Highway, thence westerly along the southern side of said Highway to the said "Station" road, being the place of beginning, containing seven acres more or less, and being the land and premises at present occupied by the said Robert C. Boyes and conveyed to him by Justus W. Fairley, by deed dated September 19th A. D. 1895 as by reference to Vol. 71, pages 522,523 and 524 of the Northumberland County Records will more fully appear;

The same having been seized by me under and by virtue of several executions issued out of the Supreme Court and County Courts of New Brunswick against the said Robert C. Boyes.

JOHN SHIRREFF
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office Newcastle, this 3rd day of November, A. D. 1896.

The above sale is hereby postponed till Friday, 19th day of March, then to take place at hour and place above named.

JOHN SHIRREFF,
Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Newcastle, this 19th day of Feb. A. D. 1897.

The above sale is hereby further postponed till Thursday, 15th day of April next, then to take place at hour and place above named.

JAS. O. FISH,
Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Newcastle, this 19th day of March, A. D. 1897.

SHERIFF'S SALE!

To be sold at Public Auction on Friday, the 9th day of April, next, in front of the Post Office in Chatham, between the hours of 12 noon and five o'clock p.m.

All the right, title and interest of James Hannay of, in and to all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land and premises situate, lying and being on the Southerly side of the Napan River, in the Parish of Glenelg, in the County of Northumberland, and Province of New Brunswick; bounded on the upper or Westerly side by lands formerly owned by James Hannay Senior, deceased; on the lower or Easterly side by lands in the possession of one, Thomas Coulston; in front or Northerly by the said Napan River, and extending in rear to the full extent of the original grant, and containing 100 acres more or less; and was conveyed to the said James Hannay by Alexander Ferguson, by deed bearing date the 29th day of September, A. D, 1871, and being the same land and premises on which the said James Hannay at present resides.

The same having been seized by me under and by virtue of an execution issued out of the Northumberland County Court by William T. Harris against the said James Hannay.

JOHN SHIRREFF,
Sheriff of Northumberland County.

Sheriff's Office Newcastle, this 19th day of December, A. D. 1896.

SHERIFF'S SALE!

To be sold at Public Auction on Saturday, the 10th day of April next, in front of the Post Office in Chatham, between the hours of 12 noon and five o'clock p.m.

All the right, title and interest of James Oates of, in and to all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate lying and being in the Parish of Nelson, in the County of Northumberland and Province of New Brunswick, and bounded as follows to wit:—Beginning at a Maple tree standing at the southeasterly angle of lot number seven, granted to John Kent, junior, at the head of Napan River, thence North 21 degrees, West fifty chains; thence North sixty-nine degrees, East twenty chains; thence south twenty-one degrees, East fifty chains; thence south sixty-nine degrees, West twenty chains to the place of beginning containing 100 acres more or less, and distinguished as lot number fifty nine at the head of Napan River and was granted to Thomas Oates now deceased, by letters patent dated 25th February A.D. 1876, and being the lands and premises on which the said James Oates at present resides

Also, all that other tract of land situate in the Parishes of Nelson and Chatham, in the county aforesaid granted to Richard Hutchison, and known and distinguished as lot number 60 at the head of the Napan River aforesaid, and containing 100 acres more or less, as by reference to said grant will more fully and at large appear,

Also, all other the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises of the said James Oates wheresoever or wheresoever situate in the said County of Northumberland. The same having been seized by me, under and by virtue of executions issued out of the Northumberland County Court by James Clowry and by Leonard W. Johnston, against the said James Oates,

JOHN SHIRREFF,
Sheriff of Northumberland County.

Sheriff's Office Newcastle, this 18th day of December A.D. 1896.

ADMINISTRATORS' NOTICE.

All persons having claims against the estate of Elizabeth Walls late of Chatham, Milliner, deceased, are required to file the same duly attested with the undersigned, and all persons indebted to the said estate are required to make immediate payment to

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It is now possible to throw a beam from a searchlight which will be visible eighty miles from where the light is located. This marks the most surprising developments in an apparatus or the transmission of light that ever occurred in the history of the world. It seems almost impossible to realize the fact that it is less than a year and a half since the searchlight assumed anything more that the crudest form of the idea which first led to its construction.

There has just been completed and placed in operation an arc lamp or searchlights by which light is secured without motors or contact devices of any kind. This lamp, with the new lens mirror, mounted in a sheet metal cylinder, forms the modern high-power projector. Not the least important feature of this development in searchlights is the fact that by this recent invention the cost of the light has been reduced from a figure which is almost prohibitive to a sum that is very reasonable, and puts it within the power of vessel owners and other persons to whom the lights are of use to purchase them.

The thousands of people who saw the great searchlights that were displayed from the roof of the manufacturers building at the world's fair, can form something of an idea of the great improvement in the apparatus by reading the facts quoted. When the display at the fair was in progress it was thought very remarkable that the beam thrown was visible several miles away in Indiana. This new light, however, with which every vessel in the navy will sooner or later be equipped, can almost be seen in Philadelphia when it is displayed in New York.

With such a light as this the nights at sea, be they as dark and gloomy as possible, are no proof against the brilliant beam that shines from this, the most marvelous light the brain of man ever conceived or his hand constructed. For instance, a vessel approaching New York harbor at night could throw her light so as to make every object on the water distinctly visible just as far as the range of human vision would permit. Every buoy would stand out in bold relief against the blackness of the water, and the pilot would find his course made as clear to him as if the sunlight streamed down on every channel from Sandy Hook to the Battery.

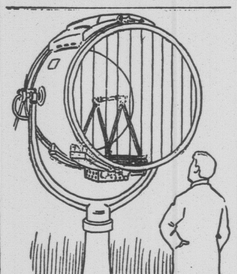
While the new light is of the greatest value in times of peace, in time of war it would be a tremendous power. With such a light aboard and in working order, no reason could exist which would permit the unseen approach of a vessel of the enemy. The only way it would be possible for a torpedo boat to make a night attack on a war vessel equipped with one of these lights would be to make the trip under water. The craft would have to be one of that sort which the United States government has just constructed at Baltimore, which can travel beneath the surface just as well as a giant warship steams along on top of old ocean.

The earliest searchlight consisted of a simple locomotive reflector with a common electric lamp in place of the oil wick. A later improvement on this was the adoption of the concave mirror in place of the reflector, and this type has been used for a number of years in the navy. Though a great improvement on the reflectors, these mirrors were far from perfect, and the light could not be concentrated to be effective for any great distance This trouble was due to what opticians term spherical illumination, something which is common to all mirrors.

All this was the foundation on which S. W. Rushmore built up the idea which has resulted in the abandonment of the old type of mirror and the designing of a new, simple and yet marvelous lens. The principle upon which this lens is constructed is known as corrective. When the lens is silvered on its rear surface, it projects the light in a perfectly parallel beam. Most interesting of all, however, is the electric arc lamp which Mr. Rushmore has invented. This differs from any arc lamp in existence and is a wonder in its way. In the old lamp the carbons are not placed in a horizontal position, but this is the way they are arranged in the new lamp. By this plan the light from the arc is all caught on the silvered lens. It is the arrangement that produces that clear, round, parallel beam that shines eighty miles.

The accompanying illustration shows a projector or searchlight apparatus eight feet high. This is the largest ever constructed, and as a rule is used only upon cruisers and battleships of the first-class. It throws a beam which may be concentrated five miles away to cover less than a hundred feet in width. The brilliancy of this light can hardly be appreciated from mere description. To come within its range is like encountering a ray of the most brilliant sunlight many times intensified.

The new lights are not always as large as the one shown in the illustration. The lights used in the merchant marine service throw a beam nearly as bright as the larger lights, but much smaller in diameter. On the large vessels it is customary to mount a search light on the bridge and on smaller vessels the lights are placed on the pilot house. For this use a small light is made which has an attachment extending below and within easy reach of the pilot which enables him to instantly throw the beam in any direction.



THE SEARCH LIGHT.

Another style of light has a small motor concealed in the base with wires leading to a special hand switch, by means of which the operator may be in a place of shelter at any distance from the light, although he may at all times throw the beam in all directions with the greatest accuracy. This device is used on nearly all warships, as no man would care to stand beside the light with bullets flying in all directions.

Until the present year there were no real search lights in use except in the navy. These naval lights were clumsy and complicated. The only redeeming feature they possessed was the expensive lenses imported from France. It took the purse of a government to pay for one of these lights. No private individual or corporation would care about incurring the expense. This expense resulted principally from the fact of the extraordinary size of the lenses used. The great value of the new invention of Mr. Rushmore lies in the enormous cheapening of the light brought about by providing a suitable substitute for the lenses. This is found in special brass castings that brings the cost of equipping the light to but a fraction of what it was under the old method.

Every inventor of anything of this importance always has a particular idea in reference to the utility of his invention, generally something of which people would ordinarily never dream. Mr. Rushmore is no exception to the rule. He believes that there should be a series of the giant lights he has invented established at certain intervals from New York to San Francisco, forming a search light chain across the continent. This, he says, would be sure to be available at all times to take the place of the telegraph should the latter by some unforseen calamity be rendered useless.

Mr. Rushmore is positive that a system of signaling could be arranged, a code of flashes conceived, possibly something on the plan of the heliograph, by means of which messages could be flashed from light to light and from ocean to ocean. Not only is this project considered practical, but it is promised that an effort will be made to give a thorough demonstration of its utility within a comparatively short time. The mechanism of the light is so simple as to make it an ideal apparatus for signaling. The signal corps of the navy, as well as that of the army, is considering the matter of search light signals.

Mr. Rushmore and other practical men claim there is no reason why the penetrating power of light should not be used to a still greater extent. Within a year's time it is very likely it will be possible to flash a signal with a search light a hundred and fifty miles.

WHY HIS WIFE DIDN'T OBJECT.

Harvey Wasn't Doing Any Worrying and Could Stay Out All Night.

"Really, boys, I have to quit," said the man with the biggest stack of chips in front of him as he gathered in another jack pot.

"Oh, come off, that's not square," declared the biggest loser.

"Why?"

"You've got all the chips. Aren't you going to give the rest of us a show?"

"That's not it. You know I don't care for your money, but—"

"You're getting it."

"Maybe I am. But I really must quit. You see, I am married. You fellows are single. It is 12 o'clock now, and if I don't get home I will be in a pretty mess. As it is I expect to find my mother-in-law and my wife waiting for me. You are not married."

"I am," declared the man whose luck had just returned.

"And you are going to play all night?"

"If I want to."

"And drink?"

"Bet your life."

"And smoke?"

"Cert."

"Your wife won't say anything to you when you get home?"

"Not a word."

"Doesn't she object to your playing poker, drinking and smoking all night?"

"Oh, I don't know. I am not worrying about it. Stay all night!"

"There; you see it's a bluff!" declared the biggest loser.

"It's all very well for Harvey to talk about the way he has his wife trained, but I can't do it," returned the man with the biggest stack of chips, "but I tell you what I will do, I'll give my stack if he will tell me how he manages it."

"Done!" cried the man whose luck had turned, as he reached for them. "My wife is out of town visiting some friends,"—Chicago Times-Herald.

ANIMAL HUMBUGS.

Tricks of Our Friends to Obtain Favors and to Avoid Work.

In military stables horses are known to have pretended to be lame in order to avoid going to a military exercise, A chimpanzee had been fed on cake when sick. After his recovery he often feigned coughing in order to procure dainties.

The cuckoo, as is well known, lays its eggs in another bird's nest, and, to make the deception surer, it takes away one of the other bird's eggs. Animals are conscious of their deceit, as is shown by the fact that they try to act secretly and noiselessly; they show a sense of guilt if detected; they take precautions in advance to avoid discovery; in some cases they manifest regret and repentance. Thus, bees which steal hesitate often before and after their exploits, as if they feared punishment.

A naturalist describes how his monkey committed theft. While he pretended to sleep the animal regarded him with hesitation, and stopped every time his master moved or seemed on the point of awakening.

Cheerful Girls.

Good and healthy girls are almost always cheerful. No novelist would consider his youthful heroine complete if a "ringing laugh" were omitted from the list of her charms; and in real life the girls who do not laugh now and then are seldom trusted or liked by their companions. Even beauty will not save them. A belle who fails to understand the jest of her admirers and smiles in amiable bewilderment while other people are laughing is soon left with no consolation save to wonder what anybody can see in her rival—a girl with "dyspepsia" nose, perhaps, and a large mouth and freckles, but the happy possessor of a pair of merry eyes and a cheerful mind. The gift of gayety is indeed of great value; but it must be gayety which originates in a kind and cheery heart, not that which is born of mere excitement of gratified vanity.

Joining the Church.

Joining the church is in one sense a very small affair. It makes no difference whatever in your life in one sense. It is simply the open confession of what you already believe in your soul. In another sense it is of the utmost importance. It means the open alliance of your life's powers with those whom you believe to be battling on the right side in this great moral conflict. I mean that your influence with men shall be for the right.—Rev. J. P. Egbert.

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General News and Notes.

RHEUMATISM CURED IN A DAY:—South American Cure for Rheumatism and Neuralgia radically cures in 1 to 3 days. Its action upon the system is remarkable and mysterious. It removes at once the cause and the disease immediately disappears. The first dose greatly benefits. 75 cents Warranted by J. Pallen & Son.

Dwarf oxen 30 inches in height, are common in Ceylon.

A flash of lightning so terrified Mrs. Sanderson of Flemington, N. J., that she died of fright.

ENGLISH SPAVIN LINIMENT removes all hard, soft or calloused Lumps and Blemishes from horses, Blood Spavin, Curbs, Splints, Ring Bone, Sweeney, Stifles, Sprains, Sore and Swollen Throat, Coughs, etc. Save $50 by use of one bottle. Warranted the most wonderful Blemish Cure ever known. Warranted by J. Pallen & Son.

A toothpick factory flourishes at Harbor Springs, Mich. The output is 7,500,000 toothpicks every day.

An ulcerated tooth caused the death of Henry Hoffman, of Hoboken, N. J., by producing blood-poisoning.

A Wonderful flesh Producer.

This is the title given to *Scotts Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil* by many thousand who have taken it. It not only gives flesh and strength by virtue of its own nutritious properties, but creates an appetite for food *Use it and try your weight.* Scott's Emulsion is perfectly palatable. Sold by all Druggists, at 50c. and $1.00

On Egyptian monuments over 3,000 years old there are representations of persons playing at a game resembling checkers.

ITCH, on human or animals, cured in 3 minutes by Woodford's Sanitary Lotions. Warranted J. Pallen & Son.

A cow wandered into the town hall of Kingman, Ariz., where the county records are kept, and ate some of them and tattered the rest.

Young ostriches have been hatched by artificial incubation, on a farm in Maryland. This novel proceeding was under the direction of Edward Schmid of Washington.

In the last six years were 43,902 homicides in the United States—an annual of 7,317. During the same period there were 723 legal executions, and 1,118 lynchings.

Walter D. Wellman, a San Francisco bookkeeper, has succeeded in writing 7,058 words on an ordinary postal card. The words comprised an extract from one of Victor Hugo's novels.

Notice of Bill.

Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislature of New Brunswick at the next session thereof for the passage of an Act to authorize the Town of Chatham to provide a system of Water Works for said Town or to empower said Town to build the same, or deal with or contract with any company to build the same for the purpose of providing a system of water supply for protection against fire and for domestic, sanitary, manufacturing and other purposes, in the Town of Chatham in the County of Northumberland.

The Water supply therefor to be procured from one or more of the streams or lakes or both within a distance of twenty miles from the said town.

Dated at Chatham N. B., February 3rd, 1897.

M. S. BENSON
Town Clerk

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Chatham, Feb. 3, 1897.

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