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Is selling fast at \$5.00 per barrel and giving good satisfaction.

Choice Cornmeal, \$3.25 per bbl.; Choice Feed Flour, \$3.75 per bbl.; Cheap Feed, in bags, \$1.50 per cwt.

"Mayflower" is the best selling Oil we ever handled. Everybody likes it.

Choice Molasses and "Gold-n-Syrup," from 40c to 50c per gal.

New Lamps and Lamp Fittings, Crockery, Glassware, etc., just received at

R. PRAT'S.

December 31st, 1886

THE ACADIAN

WOLFVILLE, N. S., JAN 7, 1887

Local and Provincial.

Go to Burpee Witter's for Halls and Shopping Bags

FOXES.—Mr Albert Finch, of Wallbrook, has already succeeded in capturing eight foxes this season. Mr Finch is one of the most successful hunters in this vicinity.

BURPEE WITTER is selling off his Scotch and Canadian Tweeds at cost.

THE INSTITUTIONS.—The Seminary and Academy opened on Wednesday and the College on Thursday. The attendance will be large, and the term just entered on promise to be a prosperous one.

Having recently imported a "Perfect-Iron Sharpener," I am prepared to sharpen and put in first-class order shears and scissors of every description. Perfect satisfaction guaranteed. J. M. SHAW, Wolfville

OUR SCHOOLS.—The public schools open on Monday next. The vacancy in the intermediate department is to be filled by Miss Lillie A. Scott, of Poplar Grove, Newport, a lady who comes very highly recommended. The other departments will be continued as at present.

PUBLICATIONS.—The American Agriculturist for January is fully up to the standard. It treats upon nearly one hundred different subjects, and is full of information and instruction for every member of the family. Sent with the Acadian, both papers for only \$2.00 a year.

The Cosmopolitan for December is well filled with interesting matter and contains under the title of "The Cosmopolitan," a story by Harriet Prescott Spofford; My Lady Pukabonias, by J. Egan Pope; Signor T. C. C. of the Northwest, by William T. Hensley; Mauney's Cure for Cowardice, by Mary R. de Foy, etc., etc. The Household department contains valuable information as the subject of Sugar-plums, by Mrs Henry How, only \$1.50 a year. See adv.

Black and Brown Fur Trimmings from 25c to \$1.50 at BURPEE WITTER'S 11.

ON A VISIT.—Rev. T. A. Wilson, who was in charge of the Methodist church here last year, was in town during the past week and occupied the pulpit of the Methodist church last Sunday. His many friends were pleased to have had an opportunity of listening to his familiar voice.

Another lot of men's Price 3 in 1 Rubber Boots just opened at BORDERS' 19.

Donation.—Mr James Dykens, who had the misfortune to have his hand so badly lacerated a short time ago, while coupling cars, has just been presented with a purse containing forty-three dollars, and thirty-five cents, by the railroad employees and his other friends. —Western Chronicle.

Choice Imported and Domestic Cigars at 5, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 10 cents at J. M. SHAW'S 35.

FROM THE WEST.—Mr William Elderkin who has been for the past four years in the Northwest is spending a short vacation in Wolfville, his old home. He is at present in the employ of the C. P. R. where he has been for the last year or two. We are glad to see his familiar face among us again.

Clear Cases from 25 cents to \$3.00 Pipe-stem and Meerschaum from 25c to \$5.00; Tobacco pouches from 50c to \$2.00. Just the thing for Christmas presents at J. M. SHAW'S N.B.—A fine stock of Imported and Domestic Cigars.

ILLUMINATION.—On New Year eve Witter's Hall presented a very pretty appearance. Every window in the building was filled with rows of wax candles and the front windows were trimmed with very handsome goods. The chief attraction appeared to be in the window of the millinery department where, small orange-blossoms and other appropriate trimmings, a wedding scene in miniature was presented. Taken altogether the building looked very pretty and its appearance was very flatteringly commented on by all. Our townsmen seem determined to keep abreast of the times and his endeavor to please his customers is duly appreciated.

The Celebrated Electric Dyes are the most lasting of all colors. Warmed strictly pure. 10 cents at Druggist and Crocers.

WEDDING BELLS.—One more of our young ladies has joined the number who have taken upon themselves the burden of wedlock and has swelled the list to twelve. On Tuesday Miss Bella Rockwell, daughter of Mrs A. L. Rockwell, and sister of our townsmen Mr P. P. Rockwell, was united in marriage to Mr D. P. Best, of Brooklyn Street, in the Baptist Church, assisted by the Rev. D. Higgins performed the nuptials, being assisted by the Rev. G. E. Day. The bride was attended by Miss Annie Best, and groomed by Mr Torry. A large number of the friends of both bride and groom were present and the whole affair passed off very quietly and well. The happy couple will reside at Cannon. Our best wishes are with them.

OVERSHOES! RUBBERS!

We sell the best makes of American RUBBERS and OVERSHOES. We handle no seconds, all No. 1 goods. If you are in need of a pair of RUBBER BOOTS, call. We can give you the best Boot made for the least money.

A full assortment of Ladies' Gents' Misses' and Children's Overshoes in stock, American and Canadian.

C. H. BORDEN

Wolfville, Dec 17, 1886

Local and Provincial.

THE RINK.—The Rink was open for the first of the season on Wednesday evening. The ice was in good condition and quite a large number of skaters were present. The Rink was lighted by the electric light.

Manitobas at Borden's. The Manitoba is a very high cut, wool-lined, waterproof Overshoe just the thing for deep snow.

Borden has just received another lot of those famous American Overshoes—Waterproof, Automatic Fasteners and Heel Plates.

TAKE NOTICE.—If your razor is dull, take it to J. M. Shaw's Barber Shop, and he will put it in first-class order for the small sum of 15c. 10

Gaspereau.

On Christmas-eve a very pleasant Concert and Christmas-tree was held. The special design was to increase the funds of the Sabbath school and at the same time to afford profit and pleasure to both old and young. The following programme was carried out:

- Music. The Old Man in the Stylish Church. Miss Bessie Vaughan. Reading. Christmas is Coming. Miss Annie Benjamin. Reading. Time of Need, Master Rugg Vaughan. Reading. Beautiful Things, Miss Gertrude Caldwell. Music. His Mother's Songs, Miss Etta Benjamin. Reading. The Moose and the Cake, Master Wilbur Vaughan. Recitation. What is Most Beautiful, Eight Little Girls. Reading. Was it a Little? Miss Bessie Freeman. Dialogue. Embalmed Sunshine, Three Girls. Music. His Mother's Prayer, Miss Florence Benjamin. Reading. Rev. Mr Freeman. Reading. The World, Miss Lena Benjamin. Music. Annie's and Willie's Prayer, Miss Ivy Exler. Tableau. The Christian Races, Dialogue. Aunt Martha's Ruse, THE CHRISTMAS TREE. Music. Around the Christmas Tree.

Then followed the distributing of presents. Mr Martin, of the Barrel Factory, appeared in the guise of Santa Claus, and acted his part admirably, and to the great satisfaction of all. He had a great assortment of small toys, while announcing his special regard for the children, a goodly number of the older ones shared his favor. Amongst the gifts were a beautiful table for the pastor from the Sabbath-school, besides other valuable offerings from friends for his family. A nice fur cap was presented to Mr Douglas Benjamin, the leader of the choir, as a small token of the public appreciation of his services. The hall was well-filled and everyone seemed to enjoy the entertainment, and left with the conviction that it could not easily be excelled. The financial outcome was \$16.00. ONE PRESENT.

Colchester.

Christmas passed off quietly; the day was rainy in the forenoon; Rev. James Steddie lectured in Oldfellow's hall, Great Village, in the evening; subject, "The Jews."—A Christmas Festival at Bas River on the 24th ult. was quite successful, including fancy sale, refreshments, entertainment by members of Juvenile Temple, etc.—The Debert Baptists cleared \$50 at a Christmas-tree.—Accidents have been severe; Mr Jas Hill, Economy, had his arm broken by a falling tree a few days ago.—We are pleased to see by the ACADIAN that the temperance people of your enterprising town are working vigorously against the ruin fond, and wish them every success in their efforts to destroy the destroyer of millions. The narrow sects mentioned in your paper brings to mind the thought that this is not the worst accident during the past year by him who "puts the bottle to his neighbor's lips." The temperance people have much work yet to do, and let us hope that the record of '87 may be one that we may all look back to with pride. N. E. M.

If you wish to color wool, cottons, silk or feathers, use the new Electric Dyes, Strongest and Best in the world. 10 cents at all dealers.

Born.

BARRIS.—At Dartmouth, on 3rd inst., the wife of Wm. L. Barris, Esq. of a s. s.

Married.

BEST.—ROCKWELL.—At the Baptist church, Wolfville, on Tuesday, Jan 4th 1887, by Rev. T. A. Higgins assisted by Rev. G. E. Day, O. F. Best, Esq. of Brooklyn St. Cornwallis, and Bella, daughter of Mrs. A. L. Rockwell, of Wolfville.

BROWN.—BURROUGHS.—At Perryville, Me., U. S., 29th Dec. 1886, Charles H. Brown, formerly of Wolfville, and Miss Martha A. Burroughs, of former place.

Died.

COLWELL.—At Gaspereau, Dec 27th, Ninu, second daughter of Mr Andrew Colwell.

HYMNICAL.—At Gaspereau, on Wednesday evening, a large number of invited guests assembled at the residence of Ezekiel Benjamin, Esq., to witness the marriage ceremony of his daughter, Mrs Salome Eagles, and Albert Forsyth, Esq. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. M. P. Freeman. The bride looked charming in a dark green costume, trimmed with plush of the same shade. After the ceremony, a homogenous repast was partaken of. A large number of handsome presents were received. After spending a very pleasant evening, the happy pair started for their home at Greenwich, amid showers of rice and good wishes. —C.M.

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Shipment intended for "Benacre" may be sent to the Grant-Front-Parof Warehouse, Annapolis, at any time before the 15th of January, 1887, to care of undersigned.

We give a through rate of Freight from all Stations west of Windsor to London, by the Annapolis Line. For Freight and particulars apply to THOS. S. WHITMAN, Annapolis, January 7, 1886, 21

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AGENTS WANTED, SEE CORRESPONDING SALES. Schlicht & Field Co., Rochester, N.Y.

Municipal Council.

The Councilors elect are notified to meet in the COURT HOUSE, KENTVILLE, On Tuesday, 11th Jan'y, next, at 10 o'clock, a. m.

All accounts against the Municipality must be filed in this office by 31st Dec. inst., or they will not be considered next January term. By order, L. DE V. CHIPMAN, Clerk of Council.

MY STOCK

—CONSISTS OF— Flour, Corn Meal, Bran, Shorts, Chopped Feed, Salt, Molasses, CIDER OR FISH BARRELS, Mowers, Wheel Rakes, &c.

All of which are first class and will be sold low for cash.

WANTED!

In exchange for the above, good sound ROSE, PROLIFICS, CHILDS and BURLBANK POTATOES, also a few cords WOOD.

Johnson H. Bishop, Wolfville, Oct. 1, '86 AGENT.

CUT THIS OUT and return to us with 10c, or 4 3c stamps, and you'll get by return mail a Golden Box of Co's that will bring you in more money in one month than anything else in America. Either six make money fast 40! City Novelty Co. Yarmouth, N. S.

A FACT WORTH KNOWING!

MILNE & CHRISTIE, Fashionable Tailor,

have just received direct from England a complete variety of all kinds of Tweed Trousers & Diagonals, etc., which they are prepared to make up in the latest styles and at the lowest prices. All work guaranteed and finished when promised.

Wolster Street, Kentville.

Hunters & Trappers

Send for Price List of Raw Furs and Skins, to W. Gouldsbee, Jan. 7th, '87 Boston, Mass.

WOLFVILLE SKATING RINK.

Open to Skaters every afternoon except Wednesday; and Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings. The Rink will be lighted with Electric Light every Wednesday evening.

Gent's Tickets.....\$2.00 Ladies' Tickets..... 1.50 Single Skate..... 10 Promenade..... 05

D. A. MUNRO, Proprietor.

Wolfville, Dec 17th, 1886

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Carriage, Cart, and Team Harnesses Made to order and kept in stock

ALL ORDERS PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO None but first-class workmen employed and all work guaranteed.

Opposite People's Bank, Wolfville.

1886 FALL 1886

Stoves! Stoves!

Having Completed my Fall Importation of Stoves I have now in stock the Largest variety of

Stoves in the County!

All of which I offer away down to bottom prices to suit the times. Please call and see for yourselves

S. R. SLEEP.

Wolfville, Nov. 19th 4-2

William Wallace Merchant Tailor,

Has one of the finest stocks of Cloths to select from in the County.

WORSTEDS in all Shades and Prices. TWEEDS in Every Variety.

Cloths purchased elsewhere made up as usual. Suits bought of me cut free of charge.

Wolfville, March 12th, 1886 1 yr

DR NORTON'S DOCK BLOOD PURIFIER

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If you have a cough or lung trouble try Dr Hoffman's

Cough Syrup.

It is a great lung healer.

If you have Rheumatism, Croup, Sore Throat, Pains or Aches use Dr Norton's

Magic Liniment.

A Great Pain Killer.

If you want a good dose of phlegm without pain or griping use Dr Norton's

Dock Liver Pills,

and you will always use them.

If you have Old Sores, Cracked Hands, Piles, or Childrens use Dr Norton's

All Healing Balm.

It is a great Healer flesh.

If you have a Weak Chest, Lame Side or Lame Back use Dr Norton's

Lountain Root Plaster

and you will be happy.

All these medicines are for sale at G. H. Wallace's and G. V. Rand's, Wolfville, by dealers in general, and by J. B. Norton, Bridgetown, N. S. wholesale and retail.

\$8000.00 WORTH OF DRY GOODS, GENTS FURNISHINGS & CLOTHING AT FIRST COST.

Having added to my stock a grand assortment of DRESS GOODS, CLOAKINGS, PLUSHES, VELVETS, GLOVES, HOSIERY, HDKFS., LADIES' UNDERWEAR, FLANNELS, etc., etc, which will be disposed of at the same rate as above mentioned.

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P. S.—I have a large line of Ladies' Cloaks, Ulsters, New Markets and Knit Goods, which will be disposed of at a great sacrifice.

O. D. HARRIS, Glasgow House, WOLFVILLE.

(Opposite Rockwell's Bookstore.)

December 1st, 1886

"The Copper Strip Feed Cutter," For Cutting HAY, STRAW, & CORN-STALKS.

These Machines cut easier and faster than any other, are easier sharpened and repaired than any other. Will cut five to ten years without grinding, makes a clean uniform cut and does not clog. In fact they are the very best dry feed cutter in the known world. Terms easy.

Railway Depot, Wolfville, N. S. D. Mumford, Agent.



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Wolfville, October 8th, 1886

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Insurance for the industrial classes, the people who need it most, within their reach. Insurance from \$1,000 to \$5,000 according to age. \$50,000 paid in 1885 to widows and orphans of members. Good to each member \$14 only in 1885. Head office 87 King Street West, Toronto, Ont.

William Rennie Esq. President; W. P. Page Esq. Secretary; Rev. Wm Cross, General Agent for Maritime Provinces; Thos. Tuzo Esq. Agent for King's, Annapolis & Digby Co's. Local agents wanted, apply to the following: THOMAS TUZO, ESQ., 30-7-85 Horton Landing P. O., N. S.

Watches, Clocks, and Jewelry REPAIRED.

Small articles SILVERPLATED.

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Silver Ware.

We have a fine stock of Silver Ware including Castors, Cake Baskets Butter Dishes, Pickle Castors, Card Receivers, Knives, Spoons, Forks, Napkin Rings etc, which we are selling at extremely low prices. These goods are warranted first quality quadruple plate.

To sell the new HOME PARALLEL BIBLE—the best published Bible—splendid opportunity for the right man. Write for particulars. Address—

C. F. RATHEUN, Horton Landing, King's Co.

November 5th, 1886

"Crip" says

The gravest beast is the ass; The gravest bird is the owl; The gravest fish is the oyster; The gravest man is the fool;

CALDWELL & MURRAY

Say that they have the biggest and best stock of goods ever shown by them in the town of Wolfville. It requires only a casual glance as you enter their store to convince you of the truth of their statement. Line upon line; pile upon pile, of the best goods marked away down to hard pan prices. No shoddy; all honest good stock, which will suit the taste of the most fastidious.

Space is not sufficient to enumerate the stock, but we shall be pleased to have a visit from every man, woman, and child of Wolfville between the hours of 7 a. m. and 9 p. m.

Don't Read Tearfully, But Do Read Carefully!

FIRST FLOOR.

Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, Boots & Shoes, Dress Goods in Melton, Vellours, Ottomans, Serge, Jersey Tricoes, Cashmires and Merinos; Mantle Cloth, in Ottomans, Broadcas, Curl Cloth, Ven-tian Beaver, Presdents, etc.; Men's Suitings, Trousersings and Worsteds, Plain and Plaid Wine-ys; All-wool, Angola, Salisbury, Shaker, Union and Cotton Flannels in all colors; one dozen beautiful patterns in Cretonne, suitable for curtains; Nova Scotia Cloths; (all our woollen goods were bought before the advance and will be sold much less than goods purchased now); Velvettes in all colors, Plushes; Yarns—Nova Scotia Hand-made and Mill-made, Scotch, Victor, Saxony, Andalusian Fingerings, Berlin and Zephyr; Wool Goods—Clouds, Fashinators, Shawls, Squares, Jackets, Vests, Children's Wool Jackets and Sets, Caps, Gloves, Mitts and Kid Mitts Fur Goods—Caps, Muff, English and American Hats and Caps.

SECOND FLOOR.

In this room will be found Clothing: Carpets, Furniture, Trunks and Valises, Men's and Boys' Suits & Overcoats, Ladies' Mantles, Dolmans, Street Jerseys,—bargains in these goods if you come at once,—A-wool, Union, Hemp and Tapestry Carpets; a splendid Tapestry for 40c per yard; such beautiful Mats; Quilts from 90c to \$2.50, Blankets, Horse Rugs, Railway Wraps, Rubber Rugs, Carriage Boots; half a hundred splendid Trunks and as many Valises. Furniture—Four lines of B-room Suites and Parlor Suites, all kinds of Chairs from the regular old stiff back, hard seat, last-forever Wooden Chair, to the "Oh my, so easy" Arm Chair, Bedsteads Spring Beds, Bureaus, Washstands, Rockers, Chair Seats, etc. An experienced guide will conduct you safely through this room.

THIRD FLOOR.

Perhaps there is not much to attract your attention, but what suggestions of beautiful refreshing does a lot of splendid voluptuous Mattress inspire in Exe-cutor mixed single and double Exe-cutor for packing.

CALDWELL & MURRAY.

October 29th, 1886