NEW SERIES.

CHARLOTTETOWN, PRINCE EDWARD (SLAND, WEDNESDAY, DEC. 30, 1903

Vol. XXXII, No. 52

IS THE PLACE TO BUY

Fancy Goods, Toys, Dolls, Gift Books, Calendars, Xmas Cards, Booklets, China and Glassware.

And many other suitable Christmis Gifts.

## Souvenir Goods & Nic-Nacs

Very neat and nice and inexpensive.

GREAT VARIETY And all very appropriate for Christmas.

CARTER & CO., Ltd.,

Booksellers and Stationers.

We have now in stock 200 Half Barrels of Her Write us for prices.

Special Price to Dealers.

We have also in stock 2,000 lbs. of prime

# Codfish and Hake

Eurkea Blend Tea TRY OUR

Sold only by us, price 25 cents per lb.

Highest market prices given for Eggs and Butter in exchange for Groceries,

Agents for Millview Carding Mills.

# R. F. Maddigan & Co.

QUEEN STREET, CHARLOTTETOWN.

Charlottatown Sash and Door Factory,

Manufacturers of Doors & Frames, Sashes & Frames nterior and Exterior finish etc., etc.,

# Our Specialties

Gothic windows, stairs, stair rails, Balusters, Newel Posts, Cypress Gutter and Conductors, Kiln dried Spruce and Hardwood Flooring, Kiln dried clear spruce, sheathing and clapboards, Encourage home Industry.

PEAKE'S No. 3 WHARF.

In the Estimation of Practical Painters. Every gallon of the

Sherwin-Williams

Will cover 300 or more square feet of surface in average condition, two coats to the gallon. Every gallon is a full standard measure. It is made to paint buildings with. It

Best and most durable House Paint made.

Covers most, wears longest, looks best, most economical, always full measure. Sold by

CRABBE.

Stoves and Hardware, Walker's Corner.

# OKSTOPA | We AreSure

You can save a lot of money if you buy your Tweeds and Clothing from us.

# All Moncton Make

Tweeds 55c up to \$2.00, all pure wool. Suits \$7.00 up to \$12,75, nice patterns, good fits. Pants \$1.25 up to \$3.50, all sizes. Odd Coats and Vests \$5.00
up to \$9.00, large assortment. Beys Pants "5c up to \$1.50, grand value.

THE HUMPHREY CLOTHING STORE,

Opera House Building.

UNFIELD SCOTT, Manager.

## THE HUMPHREY CLOTHING STORE;

WINFIELD SCOTT, Manager. Sept. 23, 1903-6m

# HOLIDAY STOCK

For this season is an exceptionally large and fascinating one. The stock of Watches and Clocks presents many very practical gift possibilities. Ladies Watches in plain but hurt." tasteful cases—the always dependable Waltham Movement, will give a great many years of excellent service, moderately priced at \$8 and \$9. Ladies' Watches in handsome gold filled cases, Waltham or Elgin Movement, either in plain or handson ely engraved.

Ladies' Watch Chains. A gift sure of apprecia tion and use-great variety of exquisite styles, at all the way from \$3 to \$5.

Bracelets.-An exceedingly fine line, in various new and favored—some silver and others gold-filled, \$1.50 to \$10.00.

Special Bargains Solid Silver Thimbles.— About 75 Solid Silver Thimbles-regular prices 25c, 35c, 40c and 50c—elegant goods in every respect. As a special Christmas attraction we offer you choice of any thimble in the lot at only 20 cents.

Other Gift Goods of Solid Silver .- Coffee there's no such word as fail. Spoons and Tea Spoons, in cases, Salt Cellars. Sugar Tongs, Buiter Knives, Sugar Spoons, Napkin Rings, and a long list of other good gifts in silver. Enquiry free.

which we do free.

## E. W. TAYLOR,

# Suggestions for Xmas Gifts.

Many people spend a good deal of their time worrying about what they will give their friends for Xmas, as they seem to have almost everything they matic Pills and havenot had a trace

### Did it Ever Occur to you

That a nice piece of Furniture would be just the by MINARD'S LINIMENT. thing? Perhaps your friend would like to have a comfortable Rocker she could call her own; or if your friend be a gentleman, a luxurious Morris Chair in which he could enjoy a comfortable read or smoke. We have these, and hundreds of other things just as useful that would add greatly to their comort, and be constant reminders of your thought-

## JOHN NEWSON

# Provisions

# Large STOCK, Great Variety

Low Prices,

Quick Turn Over,

Big Business

A few trial orders will convince you of our reliability.

# Herring

Now in stock in barrels and halves.

# McKENNA'S.

Phone 226, Cor. Queen and Dorchester Sts.

## Don't Chide the Children.

## DOAN'S

### MISCELLANEOUS

"Mr. B. zz , " asked the little girl don't you hate to have to go cown o one of those low notes?" "Not at all, Kitty," replied the eminent vocalist, "What put that "Why, you always look as, if

### Destroys Worms.

Mrs. John Lowe, New Germany, N. S., writes: "I have given Dr. Lowe's Worm Syrup to my children with excellent results. They are fond of taking it and it acts perfectly, requiring no cathartic afterwarde."

Minard's Liniment cures Dandruff.

Teacher (in spilling class) -Johnnie, spell fail. Johanie. - I can't.

Teacher.-You can't spell tha simple word? Why not? Johnnie. - Oiuse you

Raging Headaches, that nothing ere will cure are quirty quieted Nice Lockets, Stude and Links, suitable for engraving, Powders. Price 10: and 25: at all dealers. Refuse substitutes.

> Minard's Liniment for sale everywhere.

Take a Laxa-Liver Pill before retiring, and it will work while you sleep without a grip or gripe curirg Bi ousness, Constipation and Dyse pepsia and make you feel better in the morning. Pelce 25c.

### Rheumatism in Should ers.

"I had the Rheumatism in my shoulders so bad that I could not rest t night. I took Milburn's Rheuof it since." John Kirton, Gienboro,

I was Cured of Acute Bronchitis J. M. CAMPBELL.

Bay of Islands. I was Cured of Facial Neuralgia MINARD'S LINIMENT. WM. DANIELS.

Springhill, N. S. I was Cured of Chronic Rheuma. ism by MINARD'S LINIMENT. GEO. TINGLEY. Albert Co, N. B.

Doctor. -I'll examin you carefully for five dollars. Weary Dreary .- All right, an' if you find it give me half.

Heart Palpitated. FAINT AND DIZZY SPELLS. FELT WEAK AND NERVOUS.

COULD SCARCELY EAT.

TWO BOXES OF

### MILBURN'S **HEART and NERVE** PILLS

ured Mrs. Edmond Brown, Inwood, Ont., when she had almost given up hope of ever getting well again.

She writes: "I was so run down that She writes: "I was so run down that I was not able to do my work, was short of breath, had a sour stomach every night and could scarcely eat. My heart palpitated, I had faint and dizzy spells and felt weak and nerwous all the time. My husband got me a box of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills but I told him it was no use, that I had given up hope of ever being cured. He however persuaded me to take them and before I had used hall the box I began to feel better. Two boxes made a new woman of me and I have beer well and thave been able to do my work ever since."

My donnt; behind her are the CX2; the there is a shepherd by is kubeling, with one hand balancing a basket en his head—nechanically, it would seem, for his eyes are fastened with absorbed attention on the little Call before him. Tue others gathered ab ut the manger are equily impressed; my there hold their children by the hand; one old

### Items of Catholic Interest In the Magazines.

(Sacred Heart Riview.)

The December Century contain following beautiful sonne: MOTHER AND CHILD.

lother and Orild! There is no bo! ier sight In all the realms of morning and

Toe world learns Worship here kodels in awe. seing a mystery, knowing a mighty

Sin cannot live in presence No least unworthiness perplex the

Here Good doth dwell, but never baneful Dabt,

Fir Love and Loveliness it out. Were prophet voices heaven's brass.

Hore would a new Evange

Out from the dark a res -leaf hand would leap,

Close to the Eternal Throne the ancient world to keep. CHRISTMAS CRIBS.

The same magazine contsins an article by Emma Ernestine Porter on "Christmas Mangers," or, as we should call them, "Christmas Crib," in a collection gathered in the Bavarian National Maseum at Munich. The Roman Catholic Ourch." says the writer, "in its constant appeals to the eyes and ears of its followers, has, through long centuries, invented some very beautiful methods of teaching little children, as well as those children of older growth, the unlettered and the untaught. Thus it is that the Holy day to many foreign churches, while the Nativity had teen arranged, on Christmas Eve the store of IV. The heart had both Night is represented to the eye by a group of little figures gathered about a manger." We cannot entirely agree with the writer when we all followed the kindly old rector she goes on to remark that " who- to the chief entrance of the church. ever has happened on such a scene on Caristmas-time in a Catholio shall never forget. All the cattle Church in our own country has and flocks of the village had been doubtless been more impressed with the originality of the method than with any artistic merit in the silvery light of a full moon, around figures." We have seen som charming Christmas cribs on this topmost step of the porch, with his side of the sea. Nevertheless, it acolytes and surpliced choristers may we'l be that in Catholic Europe around him, the venerable whitehaired our very best are surpassed. To priest, who had had charge of the quote again: "Imagine if you can, parish for close upon forty years. exhandreds of little figures-lolls if claimed; "God, in His mercy, my you choose, but rather miniature dear children, has sent me on this expects to see them move. Some are of wax, but most of wood or in the joy which fills all our hearts. bisque: a few are only two or three Now lead your flocks past me."

inches tal', but the majority are from eight to sixteen inches. . . Great panes of glass are set in behind these are constructed minia ture landscapes, the extreme backthe thickness of a pane of glass ."

> A DESCRIPTION OF A "CRIB." "The first of these little panorama

ground for the principal group-

rained building sheltering the Holy Family, the Babe in a little basket. the shepherds worshiping. Down berds with their sheep, and all along the road in front of the houses in series that fills the wall of one entire corridor. "The first is small, -the g ass front is hardly two feet equare, -and wellok diractly inti the stone rain where the Chili was born. He lies in the arms of the weak and nerwous all the time. My husband got me a box of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills but I told him it was no use, that I had given up hope of ever being cured. He however persuaded me to take them and before I had used hall the box I began to feel better. Two boxes made a new woman of me and I have been well and thave been able to do my work ever since."

The T. MILBURN CO., Lim ited.

Toronto, our.

With one hand balancing a digest is wasted.

Among the signs of a weak stomach are uneasiness after eating, fits of nervous headache, and disagreeable belching.

Among the signs of a weak stomach are uneasiness after eating, fits of nervous headache, and disagreeable belching.

Among the signs of a weak stomach are uneasiness after eating, fits of nervous headache, and disagreeable belching.

Among the signs of a weak stomach are uneasiness after eating, fits of nervous headache, and disagreeable belching.

"I have been troubled with dyspepsia for years ago you received a testimonial from me, stating that I had over 500 boils. Yes, sir, I had, and over 500 boils. Yes, sir, I had, and the over since."

Will a woman with a wate in the Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills are gothered has laid a lamb as his offering on the cushiou at the Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills are gothered has laid a lamb as his offering on the cushiou at the Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills are gothered has laid a lamb as his offering on the cushiou at the Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills are gothered has laid a lamb as his offering on the cushiou at the Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills are gothered has laid a lamb as his offering on the cushiou at the Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills are gothered has laid a lamb as his offering on the cushiou at the Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills are gothered has laid a lamb as his offering on the cushiou at the Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills are gothered as a transfer of the gothered has laid as a person of the search and the reading from the state of the same of a weak stomach are uneasiness after eating,

ber head turns to investigate the meaning of the earnest group, through one archway a shepherd burries b eathlessly toward the manger; at another a man tells his news with many gestures to group

### A Breton Christmas Scene.

of interested women."

I remember in particular a mid night Mass which I attended one Christmas Eve in the church of an old Breton village, where we were spending the holidays. The secred and storm beaten edifice, when we atered it shortly before midnight was fille! to overflowing with kneeling and the ure quely arrayed passante. Ou the right side of the alter a bower had been made of fragrant pine and fir branches, with great bunches of orimson-berried holly and waxy mistletoe glistening among the verdure. Under this canopy

there on a low stool a young girl of great beauty, with her long black hair falling in silky masses on her loose white garments. In her arms she held an infant, Baside her stood a young mar, wearing a gold emproidered robe and leaning on a heavy staff, while an ex, a donkey and four sheep were quietly munch ing corn from a couple of mangers.

The celebration of the Mass bc.

gan. A small charister chan'ed the "Puer natus est nobis." (For to us a child is born). The deep bass voice of another grown-up chorister, hid len so ni vaers in t'e fir-brance bower above describ d. gave the response of "Ubi? (Where?) A tenor chorister, concealed near the sheep added the word "Bethlelem," and then a baritone voice brayed " E mus." (Let us go thither). Thereupon the priest, his acolytes, and the entire congregation formed into a proces-sion and marched to the fire re nicher is still built on Good Fri. bower where the representation of represented Mary and Josus, as well as the animals, with holy water The scene there was one which I driven into the old churchvard and stood there crowded together, in the the open portal. Standing on the men and women, for most of them | radiant night of the Nativity to bless are carved with a skill which a- your cattle and your flocks, because mounts to art. So full of life is it is only right that the animals which every line and feature that one half constitute your greatest help and source of prosperity should participate

The shepherds and cattle berders then began to drive the animals past us, while the priest, dipping the the walls of dark and passages, and sprinkler into the silver ewer of holy water, showered the latter upon the oxen and the sheep; and amid the ground formed by painted scenes clang of the bells around their necks. which seem to carry the eye for their lowing and their ba'aing, as well miles. The only light comes from as the words and cries of their drivers, above, and is so cleverly arranged ever and anon were heard the so'emn that it adds the last touch of reality words of the priest : " Benedicat ves to the whole. In such settings the omnipotens Deus, Pater et Filius et little figures are so lifelike that one Spiritus Sanctus," the choristers seems to be looking at human beings bringing the blessing to a close with through reversed opera-glasses, or a resounding "Amen." As I watched most immediately and a few appli-to be as near the land of Lilliput as the animals vanishing one after the cations made a complete cure." other into the night, it seemed to me as if I were carried back to the primitive times of the early Christians, and as if our matter-of-fact, prosaical, and materialistic nineteenth century was ictures shows mountain scenery not a reality but only a nightmare -

and Tyrolese houses as a back- New York Tribune. The Catholic B shops of Stotland profiting fally by the lesson of the Boglish Elucation Act, are taking in the valley behind are other shep. whe proper line of standing out for separate and special treatment for Catholie schools in Scotland under the distance are tiny figures hurry. the coming Scotch Education B.D. ing to the sacred spot." The most Such an attitude cannot be too highimpressive of all these Christmas ly commended to the consideration scenes is perhaps, we are told, a and support of the Cathelio last.

> Get the Most Out of Your Food

You don't and can't if your stomach is weak. A weak stomach does not di-M. donn; behind her are the exa; ; gest all that is ordinarily taken into it, at her feet a shepherd buy is kapel. It gets tired easily, and what it fails to

WOODS

Heals and Soothes the Lungs and Bronchial Tubes. Cures COUGHS, COLDS, BRONCHITIS, HOARSE NESS, etc., quicker than any rem-edy known. If you have that irri-tating Cough that keeps you awake at night, a dose of the Syrup will ston it at once. stop it at once.

USED FOR EIGHT YEARS.

I have used DR. WOOD'S NORWAY PINE SYRUP for every cold I have had for the past eight years, with wonderful success. I never see a friend with cough or cold but that I recommend it M. M. Ellsworth, Jacksonville, N.B. PRICE 25 CENTS.

### MISCELLANEOUS

Traveler (to the ferryman crossing he river) .- Has any one ever be on ost in this stream?

Boatman .- No, sir. S.me proessor was drowned here last spring, but they found him sgain after ooking for two weeks. Pain in the chest and wheezing

re promptly and completely cured

by Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup. i's the best cough remedy in the world. Easy to take. P.ice 25 Regular Action of the owels is necessary to health.

occusional cathartic family or general uso. Price 25c. All druggists. She. -Is she a business woman ?

Laxa-Liver Pills are the best

Sie. - What business is she interesed in? He -Everybody:s.

Minard's Liniment cures

He .- Yes.

Hagyard's Yellow Oil cures all pain in man or beast; for sprains, cuts. bruises, callous lumps, swellings, inflammation, rheumatism and neuralgia it is a

"What a love of a book that new

author has got out !" "Yes, yes. Such beautiful binding and a pink ribbon bookmark given away as a premium to every pur-

Minard's Liniment relieves

neuralgia. That aching head can be instantly relieved by taking one of Milburn's Sterling Headache Powders. 1 powder

5c., 3 for 10c., 10 for 25c. "Miss Charmington says she is very fond of animals," remarked

Bliggens' sister. " Perhaps there's hopes for me then," said Bliggens, " che ca led me a brute the other day."

### Chilblaims.

Mrs J. B. Rusk, Ruskview, Ont., says:" I have used Hagyard's Yellow Oil for chilblains, and found it most effectual. It relieve the irritation al-

"I can let you have this set bound in morocco, if you prefer," said the

"No." said Mr. Ne rich. "I beleive in patronizin' home industry, I'd ruther have 'em bound right here in Philade'phia,"

Keep Minard's Liniment in the House.

### HAD OVER 500 BOILS. This may seem an exaggeration to you. BUT IT IS TRUE.

All sufferers from Bad Blood should read BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS. CURED IN 1885.

Mr. David F. Mott wrote us from Spring Valley, Ont., in 1885. He said:
I suffered from impure blood and had over 500 boils, but since taking BUR-DOCK BLOOD BITTERS I am entirely.