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1889. XMAS. 1889. Just received another lot of the following useful Christmas Goods: 6 Doz Children's Trays, Assorted Beautiful Brass and Copper Tea Kettles; 12 Very Handsome Brass Tea Kettles with Stands and Lamps. SHERATON & SELFRIDGE, 38 King St., Opposite Royal Hotel.

SECOND EDITION. RAILWAY PASSES.

AN INTERESTING JUDGMENT BY THE U. S. SUPREME COURT. The Liability of Travelers on a Railway Where Personal Injuries are Received.

By TELEGRAPH TO THE GAZETTE. BOSTON, Jan. 4.—In the case of Quincy against the Boston and Marine in which the plaintiff obtained a verdict for \$8,000 in the superior court, the Supreme Court has sustained the exceptions of the defendant.

NOBODY'S trade can be retained unless honest treatment is accorded the buyer. Competition is so strong that customers are posted on goods and values and any attempt to make you pay a dollar for what is only worth eighty cents you would promptly resent. The qualities and styles of goods are so numerous that you should see and feel what you are buying, and with that end in view we say, "Come to us and if the goods you buy are not in every way satisfactory bring them back and get your money. Does that look as if we wanted you to pay a dollar for what is only worth eighty cents? How any merchant can make a fairer offer we are unable to understand. We are enlarging our trade and we want your BUSINESS.

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GLASS AND PUTTY. McDOW, STEVENSON & ORR'S PATENT 'GLAZIER' DECORATION. New Designs in Window Shades and Wall Papers. F. E. HOLMAN, 48 King Street.

Look out for announcement in reference to our opening of Linens, Cottons and Hamburgs. A Superb Stock to select from.

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If you want Wool Fascinators, Clouds, Squares, Vests with or without sleeves, Children's Jackets, Wool Shoes, Mitts, &c., we are showing a pretty lot, which we are selling at the lowest living price.

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When you call don't forget to ask to see our 25 cent Black Wool Hose. K. & Co.

SHARP'S Favorably known for upwards of forty years it has become a household name. No family should be without it. It is simple and very effective. In cases of Croup and Whooping Cough, it is marvellous what it has accomplished by it.

BALSAM HOREHOUD In its use the sufferer finds instant relief. How anxiously the mother watches over the child when suffering from these dreadful diseases, and would not she give anything if only the dear little one could be relieved. Be advised of SHARP'S BALSAM MANUFACTURING CO., CONNOR & DINSMORE, Proprietors, Saint John, N. B. T. B. BARKER & SONS, Wholesale Agents.

ANISE SEED. with your address, and we will forward, carriage prepaid, one bottle of this wonderful remedy, so that you may try it and be convinced.

BOUDOIR CALENDAR. An exquisitely dainty daily remembrance, with quotations specially suited for ladies; decorated in turquoise blue, gold, and bronze, and bearing delicate sprays of bluish rose. This calendar displays the numerals in red. It is ornamented back and front to correspond, and is suspended by gold cord. Price 50 cents.

FOR SALE BY J. & A. McMillan, 98 and 100 Prince William St., St. John, N. B.

The New Crockery Store, 94 KING STREET, NOW SHOWING FULL LINES OF FANCY CHINA, FRUIT SETS AND DISHES, IN THE LATEST PATTERNS. CHARLES MASTERS.

WAKEMAN'S WANDERINGS.

EDWARD WAKEMAN WRITES FROM BRITAIN, FRANCE. An Excellent Letter which will interest The Gazette's Readers.

On the Atlantic boundary of France, a little north of its central line of latitude, and setting far out into the sea, lies some coaching monster suddenly receiving the onslaughts of the tempests, is a piece of rock-battered land, traversed by three narrow ranges of mountains and innumerable flashing rivers. The river Loire, winding through the fairest of the valleys of France, cuts below it below it on the southeast, and after sweeping by the quiet old city of Nantes mingles its waters with those of the vast Bay of Biscay which pours in from the southwest.

St. Vincent de Paul Society.—The St. Vincent de Paul Society is doing a good work in the district under their charge. The officers of the conference are, D. Dracoll, president; John Kennedy, vice-president; Hugh O'Connor, treasurer; and Monsignor Connolly, secretary and spiritual director.

THE COAST MARKET.—The market has been poorly supplied this week owing to the want of snow that is weighing so that the farmers could get into town. Prices are as follows: Country beef 5 to 7 1/2 c per lb; butchers beef 5 to 6 1/2 c per lb; turkey 14 to 16 c per lb; ducks 8 to 9 c per pair; eggs 28 to 30 c per doz.

THE P. O. AGENCY.—The ladies' committee acknowledge the receipt of \$30 from Mrs. Lawson \$20, Mrs. Miss and the husband of his parson at 1000 Highway \$10, Joseph Finlay \$10, Hon. McCallan \$5, Hon. James Holly \$5, Mrs. H. Allan \$5, a friend \$2, Mrs. Theil (Montreal) \$2, Mrs. Theil (St. John) \$2, Mrs. Fisher \$5, Mrs. Bruce \$1, friend \$5, Mrs. Fisher \$5, Dr. Thomas Walker \$5, Edmund Kaye \$2, Mr. Harding \$5, Robt. Sears (Toronto) \$5, George Edward Sears (Toronto) \$2, a friend.

THE PROBATE COURT. Probate of the last will of the late Henry J. Ward has been granted to Michael E. Ward, the widow, who is sole executrix and administratrix. The estate is represented by Mr. John Kerr is proctor.

Administration de bonis, non with the will annexed of the estate of the late Mary Ann French, has been granted to Mrs. Morrison. A brother of the petitioner contested the right of the petitioner to obtain the grant. Mr. C. P. Skinner, C. C. for petitioner, vs. George Edward Sears (Toronto) \$2, a friend.

Work still progresses at the Lancaster well for the recovery of the body of James Maclean. A depth of 335 feet has now been reached, and while a shaft, and two or three other articles have been come upon, the body has not yet been recovered. It will save 50 feet deep instead of 40 as first stated and that the articles mentioned were resting on a shelf above the body. The shaft is now 335 feet deep and the probability is that several more feet of earth will have to be removed. One man only can work at the general contract of the shaft and operations are necessarily very tedious.

An Entertaining Firm. In the advertising columns of THE GAZETTE to-day will be found the announcement of Messrs. Maclean, Brose, and Co. as an entertaining and widely known firm. The estate is represented by Mr. John Kerr is proctor.

The West India Steamship. Ports arrived here yesterday afternoon at 3 1/2 o'clock the late New York. Her captain and crew are all well. She is a fine looking steamer with two masts. She has three decks forward, and is divided into two decks into four water tight compartments. Her cabins, state rooms, saloon etc., are all between decks but are well lighted and ventilated, and are fitted with every convenience. The engines are composed of 180 horse power. The steamer is nicely fitted up in every way. On deck there are two steam winches for hoisting freight.

Chicago Markets. Chicago, Jan. 2. Wheat. Opening Highest Lowest Closing Jan. 1 79 79 78 79 Jan. 2 80 80 79 80 Jan. 3 81 81 80 81 Jan. 4 82 82 81 82 Jan. 5 83 83 82 83 Jan. 6 84 84 83 84 Jan. 7 85 85 84 85 Jan. 8 86 86 85 86 Jan. 9 87 87 86 87 Jan. 10 88 88 87 88 Jan. 11 89 89 88 89 Jan. 12 90 90 89 90 Jan. 13 91 91 90 91 Jan. 14 92 92 91 92 Jan. 15 93 93 92 93 Jan. 16 94 94 93 94 Jan. 17 95 95 94 95 Jan. 18 96 96 95 96 Jan. 19 97 97 96 97 Jan. 20 98 98 97 98 Jan. 21 99 99 98 99 Jan. 22 100 100 99 100

LOCAL MATTERS. For additional Local News see Last Page. PORT LEFEBRE, Jan. 4, 9 p.m.—Wind with, strong, clear. Therm. 12. One schooner inward.

SCHOONER CLARA J. WILSON, Haley, arrived here this morning having made the run from Boston in 32 hours. It will include potatoes, hay, etc. shorts onions, fish, onions, crates, etc. Mr. E. C. Ekin, who is going out, has secured the business of the schooner. One thousand barrels of potatoes with him.

It is expected that the Fortia will leave on Wednesday next for the West Indies, via Yarmouth, where she will take on board a lot of fish and other goods. She will be furnished with 150 tons of coal here.

THE IOWA WAY.

WHERE TRUE LOVE DOES NOT RUN AWAY. Two Men Quarrel Over a Girl and Now the Whole Town is Fighting.

By TELEGRAPH TO THE GAZETTE. Des Moines, Iowa, Jan. 4.—At Moulton yesterday in a quarrel over a young woman, a man named Messenger fatally stabbed another man named Benson. Friends of the combatants took up the quarrel and soon 25 persons, men and women, were engaged in a deadly struggle. Knives and pistols and clubs were freely brandished. One man was laid out senseless and many others are terribly beaten and cut.

Mr. Charles C. Ward, who is still quite ill, will, on Monday, exhibit in the store of Mr. F. R. Butler, two of his most recent and best water-color paintings, which, on Tuesday, will be forwarded to the Water Color Exhibition in New York. The first, a harvest scene, about 12x12 inches, is an admirable piece of pictorial perspective. There is something wonderfully serial in the large field in the middle distance, and the returns in the foreground, which are attached to a wagon being loaded with grain are specimens of faultless drawing. In the immediate foreground the figures are so picked up the scattered grain seems actually buried with life. The picture has the subdued and happy appearance which is one of the characteristics of harvesting days, and looking at it, one almost hears the wrangle of the blue rye and the whirl of the harvest breeze.

The other picture, which is much smaller, Mr. Ward calls a Son of the Soil. The son of the soil appears with a field of grain at his right. The picture is very serial and good in color, soft and on the whole a good work of art. The figure is beautifully drawn, well modeled and broadly treated. The last opportunity to see these pictures will be afforded Monday afternoon.

Births, Deaths and Marriages. Mr. R. N. Knight, division registrar for the city and county, has received all the returns of births, deaths and marriages for 1889. From Jan. 1st to June 30th 1889 there were 567 births; 590 deaths and 191 marriages, which shows a large increase over the same period of 1888 when there were 241 births; 484 deaths and 127 marriages. From June 30th to Dec. 31st 1889, the returns show 763 births; 613 deaths and 243 marriages. As a rule the returns are sent in late thus causing a delay in making them up. Mr. Knight has had extra printed and has sent to the various doctors and ministers of the city and county to see that they comply with the law on this point. The law also deals with heads of families and householders providing for the burial of the dead. It is not necessary that all such should be reported.

London Markets. London, 12 1/2 p.m. Consols 97 3/4 for money and 97 5/8 for 2 1/2 per cent. 3 months. 4 per cent. 104 1/2. 5 per cent. 111 1/2. 6 per cent. 118 1/2. 7 per cent. 125 1/2. 8 per cent. 132 1/2. 9 per cent. 139 1/2. 10 per cent. 146 1/2. 11 per cent. 153 1/2. 12 per cent. 160 1/2. 13 per cent. 167 1/2. 14 per cent. 174 1/2. 15 per cent. 181 1/2. 16 per cent. 188 1/2. 17 per cent. 195 1/2. 18 per cent. 202 1/2. 19 per cent. 209 1/2. 20 per cent. 216 1/2. 21 per cent. 223 1/2. 22 per cent. 230 1/2. 23 per cent. 237 1/2. 24 per cent. 244 1/2. 25 per cent. 251 1/2. 26 per cent. 258 1/2. 27 per cent. 265 1/2. 28 per cent. 272 1/2. 29 per cent. 279 1/2. 30 per cent. 286 1/2. 31 per cent. 293 1/2. 32 per cent. 300 1/2. 33 per cent. 307 1/2. 34 per cent. 314 1/2. 35 per cent. 321 1/2. 36 per cent. 328 1/2. 37 per cent. 335 1/2. 38 per cent. 342 1/2. 39 per cent. 349 1/2. 40 per cent. 356 1/2. 41 per cent. 363 1/2. 42 per cent. 370 1/2. 43 per cent. 377 1/2. 44 per cent. 384 1/2. 45 per cent. 391 1/2. 46 per cent. 398 1/2. 47 per cent. 405 1/2. 48 per cent. 412 1/2. 49 per cent. 419 1/2. 50 per cent. 426 1/2. 51 per cent. 433 1/2. 52 per cent. 440 1/2. 53 per cent. 447 1/2. 54 per cent. 454 1/2. 55 per cent. 461 1/2. 56 per cent. 468 1/2. 57 per cent. 475 1/2. 58 per cent. 482 1/2. 59 per cent. 489 1/2. 60 per cent. 496 1/2. 61 per cent. 503 1/2. 62 per cent. 510 1/2. 63 per cent. 517 1/2. 64 per cent. 524 1/2. 65 per cent. 531 1/2. 66 per cent. 538 1/2. 67 per cent. 545 1/2. 68 per cent. 552 1/2. 69 per cent. 559 1/2. 70 per cent. 566 1/2. 71 per cent. 573 1/2. 72 per cent. 580 1/2. 73 per cent. 587 1/2. 74 per cent. 594 1/2. 75 per cent. 601 1/2. 76 per cent. 608 1/2. 77 per cent. 615 1/2. 78 per cent. 622 1/2. 79 per cent. 629 1/2. 80 per cent. 636 1/2. 81 per cent. 643 1/2. 82 per cent. 650 1/2. 83 per cent. 657 1/2. 84 per cent. 664 1/2. 85 per cent. 671 1/2. 86 per cent. 678 1/2. 87 per cent. 685 1/2. 88 per cent. 692 1/2. 89 per cent. 699 1/2. 90 per cent. 706 1/2. 91 per cent. 713 1/2. 92 per cent. 720 1/2. 93 per cent. 727 1/2. 94 per cent. 734 1/2. 95 per cent. 741 1/2. 96 per cent. 748 1/2. 97 per cent. 755 1/2. 98 per cent. 762 1/2. 99 per cent. 769 1/2. 100 per cent. 776 1/2.

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AMUSEMENTS.

Mechanics' Institute, St. John. THIS SATURDAY EVENING, Jan. 4. Boston Comedy Co'y.

MECHANICS' INSTITUTE.

Monday Evening, Jan. 6th, 1890. W. W. WRIGHT KELLY, - MANAGER.

GRAND LITERARY EVENT.

Miss Lule Warrenton. Secretary's latest and greatest favorite.

MISCELLANEOUS.

FOUND. FOUND-FRIDAY, 3rd, on CHARLOTTE street, a horse blanket.

MONEY TO LOAN.

WANTED. WANTED-A HOUSE MAID. APPLY TO Mrs. PEARSON, Queen Square.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE-SPECIALTY. EVERY 1st class. Ocean Steamer.

TO LET.

TO LET-A ROOMING HOUSE. APPLY AT 10, Richmond street.

NOTICE.

A MEETING of the Friends of the LOCAL MANS' HALL.

I HAVE FALLEN.

But why did you fall when we put on the NEVER-SLIP ICE CREEPER?

ESTY, ALLWOOD & CO.

Slippers, Over Boots, Rubber Boots, Skating Boots.

R. A. C. BROWN.

10 Charlotte St.

LOCAL MATTERS.

For additional Local News see First Page.

MASONIC ENGAGEMENTS.

January, 1890. The following meetings will be held at the Masonic Hall.

SEVERAL COUPLES.

Several couples are at Rodney slip, West end, for United States ports.

ON KENNEBECAS BAY.

The oldest inhabitant has no recollection of the time when Kennebecas bay was so bristlingly attractive to the skater.

HAKE IN ABUNDANCE.

The hake fishing on the Kennebecas this year is exceptional.

WOMEN VISIT.

Women visit your liquor jug. Two cart loads of empty liquor jugs.

ACTRESS SALKS.

At Chubb's concert today Mr. T. T. Lantieri sold three lots of 75 acres.

LOVES OF SHAKESPEARE.

Should not fail to hear the interpretations of the great author by Miss Warrenton.

SCOTLANDS COMMISSION.

Yesterday afternoon a heap of joggins slack coal in Messrs. S. R. Foster & Sons.

WANTED.

WANTED-A HOUSE MAID. APPLY TO Mrs. PEARSON, Queen Square.

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WANTED-A BILLIARD & FOOT TABLE in good order.

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WANTED-AT THE BUSINESS MEN'S Association.

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WANTED-A FEW MORE ORDERS FOR 1st class.

YOUNG MAN.

YOUNG MAN (English) to receive free charge of Sunday school.

WANTED.

WANTED-Paper for my business card.

FOR SALE OR TO LET.

FOR SALE OR TO LET-A VALUABLE Real Estate.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE-SPECIALTY. EVERY 1st class.

TO LET.

TO LET-A ROOMING HOUSE. APPLY AT 10, Richmond street.

NOTICE.

A MEETING of the Friends of the LOCAL MANS' HALL.

MONDAY, the 6th day of January Instant.

At 8 o'clock, p. m. for the purpose of selecting Candidates for the City and County of Saint John.

I HAVE FALLEN.

But why did you fall when we put on the NEVER-SLIP ICE CREEPER?

ESTY, ALLWOOD & CO.

Slippers, Over Boots, Rubber Boots, Skating Boots.

R. A. C. BROWN.

10 Charlotte St.

THE OPPOSITION SPEAK.

Mr. Candidates to Oppose the Government Chosen-Their Views on the Subject.

A gathering of those citizens opposed to the local government was held in the Reform Club last evening.

Mr. Andrew Graves, a native of Elgin A. Co., died at his home in Reading, Mass., on New Year's night.

The arrival of "La Grippe" is recorded in Sussex.

Mr. Maud Vrasoun, a well known and highly esteemed young lady of Fredericton, died last night.

Mr. McCurdy of Baddeck C. B. has used the government for \$30,000 for the purchase of 2000 tons of coal.

The report of the committee was ratified by the meeting.

In opening his address Mr. Stockton referred to his resignation which had been brought about, he said, by the feeling that he could not hold his position as representative of the people by any service.

He spoke of the change which he apparently saw in the minds of Mr. McLean and Mr. Blair in the matter of a dock for St. John.

He thought that every act of his in the House of Assembly has been justifiable and he had often been opposed to Messrs. Blair and McLean.

Dr. Silas Alward also referred to his own resignation and that of his colleague. He, too, had felt that the late action of the government was a blow aimed at the interests of the people.

He was proud to hold a place among the candidates chosen by a meeting, and denounced in round terms the course of the government.

James Bourke made some brief reference to his own integrity and the negligence of the government in looking after the road to St. Martins.

He was deeply interested in his own welfare and that of St. John.

Wm. Shaw believed he had been chosen as a candidate on account of his honesty, rather than on account of his ability. He humbly referred to the reception of Mayor Lockhart on the day previous by Mr. Blair.

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20 CASKS NEVIS MOLASSES, 5 BARRELS CURRANTS.

VERY LOW PRICES. W. FRANK HATHWAY, 17 and 18 South Wharf.

DIED.

KINDERED-At West end, on the 2nd inst., after a long illness, Mrs. Mary Ann Kinross, aged 85 years.

JANUARY 1st, 1890.

JANUARY 1st, 1890, 30 YEARS IN BUSINESS at the Same Old Stand.

T. B. BARKER & SONS.

Opportunity to thank their numerous Friends and Customers for the very liberal and ever increasing patronage received from them during the thirty years they have been in business.

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ELECTION CARD.

To the Electors of the City and County of Saint John.

GENTLEMEN, The New Franchise Act introduced at the last Session of the Legislature by the Government of which I am a Member, and passed by the Legislature, having given the right of suffrage to many thousands of persons throughout the Province, not now represented, the Government has advised His Honor the Lieutenant Governor to dissolve the House of Assembly, in order that the new Franchise Act may be represented at the next Session of the Legislature.

By the terms of the Act the list of January 1st, 1890, is the time when the new Franchise Act will be in force, and therefore this is the earliest period at which the enlarged Electorate could have an opportunity of representation.

The introduction and carrying through of the Franchise Act, a measure generally commended for its simplicity as well as for its broad and liberal provisions, I venture to think, meet with your hearty approval. While I am satisfied that the general policy of the measure is such as to preserve the friendship of the great mass of voters who have heretofore supported us, I feel that we can appeal with confidence to the voters who have through our instrumentality been granted the right of suffrage to give us their support.

The Government have since we last appeared to the people devoted the best energies of its members to advance the interests of the Province. We challenge the closest scrutiny of our acts of administration. The financial affairs of the Province have come more immediately under my control, and I am justified in asserting that they have been managed with a prudence and carefulness which have not been exceeded, in the history of any previous administration. Every dollar of the Province's revenue has been applied to the wants of their customers, to merit a continuance of their very liberal patronage.

We wish all our friends and customers the compliments of the Season and many happy returns.

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