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R. N. WYSE, Newcastle, N. B.

Wholesale and Retail.

Coming Events Cast Their Shadows Before.

Christmas shopping may be deferred, but remember there is a difference between a full spread and the crumbs from which to select. You will find something at the last moment perhaps, but that something will not be choice; it will be the leavings. It is a pleasure to shop now, and escape the jam later on. Wisdom and economy both combine in the affairs of early shopping.

About gifts. We are placing before you a big assortment of sensible things, that will go to hundreds of homes to be useful and of comfort. One large store is now ready for shoppers. Note the following:

Holiday Dress Goods.

Any woman likes to get a present of a new dress and our Dress Goods Dept has many good things to offer. Serges, Cashmere, Venetians, Zibelines, Poplins etc. Waistings has been a special thing this Fall, and we have many new things to show you in stripes.

New colors, selected patterns.

Blouse Silks.

Just in blouse lengths, and no two alike. White, Cream and black in lace stripes also delicate shades with Dresden stripe, etc.

PRICES, \$1.00 to \$1.50 the yd.

Handkerchiefs.

The prettiest yet shown for this particular season. Colored borders, lace edges, hemstitched, embroidered, etc., etc., in linen and silk.

PRICES 2c. to \$1.25 each.

Home-Made Candy.

On Saturday next, Miss Harrison will again sell her delicious candy at this store.

Children's Wool Hoods.

The finest range of these we have yet shown. Red, blk, white, pink, blues in solid colors or in mixed fancy colors.

PRICES, 25, 45, 50, 65 75c.

Children's Tams.

In white and colors.

PRICES, 50 and 65c.

Women's Stock Collars.

The prettiest we have ever handled and the latest styles to be had. Just the thing for Xmas gifts and in all the best shades.

PRICES, 10c. to 50c.

Lace Collars.

The new turn over kind in white and linen shades. This is the biggest range to be seen this season.

PRICES, 10c. to 50c.

Blankets.

Do you know where you could send these to a family that really needs them. Buy a pair and send them from Santa Claus and you will get a genuine touch of the Christmas feeling for once. Try it.

PRICES, \$2.00 to \$6.50 the pair.

Gloves and Gauntlets.

For Men, Women and Children. All sizes and a great assortment of kinds.

PRICES from 15c to \$15.00 pair.

Men's Mufflers.

The old fashioned square kind in light colored cashmere at 25c. each.

The new "Ways Muffler" with dome fasteners at the back, 25c, 35c and 50c. The padded muffler in fancy and plain cold silk at 50c, 75c and \$1.00.

Boys Sweaters.

Blue, Red, White, and red and white in strong, durable makes. These fill the bill now that the cold weather is here.

PRICES, 50c. 60c. and 75c.

Caps.

For Men and Boys. This line has been carefully selected and no kind omitted. Our Boys' caps at 25c and 50c. cannot be beaten while men have a great chance to be suited in quality and price.

Underwear.

Not one line that we cannot recommend in every particular, and without doubt the finest in the market.

Dolls.

We are now showing at the centre counter a big assortment of rag and wash dolls. The right kind that cannot be broken. See these.

SERIOUS ACCIDENT

C. P. R. Pacific Express Wrecked.

SEVEN KILLED.

Accident Caused by Pilot Breaking Loose.

TRURO, N. S. Dec. 6.—Word was received at one o'clock today of a most appalling accident to C. P. R. Express No. 25, which left Truro about a quarter to 12 o'clock, one hour and twenty minutes late, on account of a heavy track. The accident occurred directly opposite Belmont station, and word was quickly transmitted to Truro for a wrecking train and doctor.

At two o'clock at a train bearing a crew and carrying Mrs. Yorston, Paton, Dent and Fulton, arrived on the scene. The killed and injured had been taken from the cars. All the dead were in the second class, baggage and express cars. The identified dead are:

Samuel Trider, engineer, W. B. McDonald, died since accident.

Five passengers are so terribly mutilated that they cannot be recognized. The remains will be removed to Truro and identified by search of clothes and baggage.

The injured are:

Robert H. Brown, passenger; J. Crandall, brakeman; R. J. Norton, express messenger; Samuel Taylor, commercial traveller; Wm. Vickers, commercial traveller; Frank Deboe, express messenger; Joseph Cavanaugh, passenger; Con. Clapham, of C. P. R. dining car; Postal Clerks, J. P. Hipwell and A. S. Belyea.

The accident was caused by the breaking loose of the pilot, which dropped in front of the engine.

The engine plowed three car lengths into the ditch, turning over on its side.

The engineer was buried under the end of the boiler.

Fireman Harry Campbell escaped through the window and was thrown into the field over the engine when she fell; he was uninjured.

The wreck is one of the worst in the history of the road. The leading first class car telescoped the second class and baggage.

THE DEAD.

Samuel Trider, aged 55, engineer, Moncton, died at his post.

William Kennedy, aged 25, Black Rock (Nfld.), was taken from wreck badly hurt; died later.

W. B. McDonald, aged 45, Cambridgeport (Mass.); was visiting friends in New Glasgow.

Malcolm McLean, aged 27, Alberton (P. E. I.).

Philip Toole and Wm. Wall, both aged 25; Hochs Cove, Newfoundland.

Miss Minnie F. Crooke, aged 28, Halifax; was returning to Waverly, (Mass.), where she was employed.

THE INJURED.

R. H. Brown, Newfoundland, legs injured, body bruised.

W. K. Edwards, brakeman, St. John—knee injured.

J. Crandall, brakeman, Bloomfield—leg broken.

R. J. Norton, Dominion Express messenger, Moncton—arm broken.

Frank DeBoe, Canadian Express messenger, Newcastle—leg lacerated.

C. Clapham, dining car conductor, thrown headlong by concussion.

Samuel Taylor, passenger.

Wm. Vickers, Newfoundland, body and legs bruised.

James Cavanaugh, W. Lionise, M. Morrissey, passengers, slightly hurt.

George Woods, baggage master, St. John—back bruised.

Arthur Belyea, postal clerk, St. John—hand bruised.

George McIlarg, Newfoundland—head hurt.

J. P. Hipwell, mail clerk, St. John—bruised.

STORY OF THE DISASTER.

What will be accepted as the worst fatality in the history of the I. C. R. occurred at Belmont, eight miles west of Truro (N.S.), shortly after twelve o'clock Saturday.

The Montreal express from Halifax to St. John, in charge of Conductor Millican of this city, was partly derailed and seven people killed, besides many severely injured.

The train which contained six cars and was travelling 25 miles an hour, was just passing Belmont when the locomotive—No. 230, and lately built—jumped the track. She ploughed into the ditch on the right, and fell over. She was followed by the postal, baggage and colonist cars, the latter being telescoped by the baggage car. It was in the colonist car that the majority of the fatalities occurred. Each of the coaches, as it left the rails, fell over. The first class, pullman and diner remained on the roadbed, but each was slightly off the rails.

ENGINEER KILLED; FIREMAN SAVED.

Engineer Samuel Trider, of Moncton, and

THE CATTLE EMBARGO

Great Britain's Position.

Action of the C. P. R.—St. John Shipments.

MONTREAL, Dec. 6.—The Grand Trunk and Canadian Pacific railways have been advised that the State of Illinois has ordered a cattle quarantine against not only the infected New England States, but those bordering thereon, such as New York and Pennsylvania, as well as the provinces of Quebec and Ontario. The usual steps to prevent the possible spread of the hoof and mouth disease to Illinois must be observed in connection with cars in which cattle have been transported, and they will not be admitted to that state until all the requirements of the quarantine law have been carried out to the satisfaction of state officials.

LOUPOV, Dec. 5.—The Board of Agriculture has intimated its willingness to remove the embargo on cattle arriving from New England ports whenever the American department of agriculture considers that this outbreak is suppressed.

The board issued tonight an order enabling the loading of cattle under certain restrictions from the steamer Irisman, which has arrived at Liverpool from Boston, the steamers Kansas and Victorian, due to day at Liverpool from Boston, and the steamer Cambrian, due at London from Boston.

Meantime the importers here say that the quarantine has little effect on the American meat supply, since the bulk comes from the west, and it is merely a question of shipping the cattle by way of New York instead of Boston.

MONTREAL, Dec. 6.—The management of the Canadian Pacific Railway announces that they will resume the carrying of cattle for export via the port of St. John, N. B., using the Intercolonial route from Montreal eastward. Since the embargo was placed preventing the carrying of live stock over their own line to St. John, the management of the C. P. R. has refrained from accepting cattle for shipment. The Grand Trunk started shipping over the I. C. R. as soon as the embargo was placed on Shipments from Portland, and now the C. P. R. will ship by the same way.

Fireman Harry Campbell were in the engine. The former was buried beneath the caboose—the latter was pitched headlong through the caboose window, and landing in deep snow, escaped harm.

In the postal car next the engine were clerks, Arthur Belyea and John P. Hipwell, of 30 Wellington Row, and 25 Exmouth street, this city, respectively. Both were bruised by the jolting and tossing received as the car dived.

In the baggage car were Express Messengers Norton and Deboe, Baggage-master Woods and Brakeman Wm. Edwards. Norton belongs in Montreal, Deboe in Sussex and Woods and Edwards in this city. All were injured but not to any serious extent. Deboe had his leg and thigh lacerated, Norton an arm broken, Woods his back strained and a foot jammed and Edward's right knee crushed and swollen.

The next car was the colonist—full of passengers, and with whom was Brakeman Crandall, of Bloomfield, formerly of St. John. These were the cars derailed, in the other three no one was harmed.

The telescoping of the colonist car was a lightning rush of death.

The baggage car mounted slightly, then rambling and splintering, shoved into the passenger crowded colonist, jamming seats and occupants into a heap of agony.

The dining car in the rear had wavered all its dishes broken and a dish laden with pudding was sent from one end of the car to the other.

Conductor Clapham, of the diner, had just left the latter car, where he had been conversing with Minnie Crooke, of Halifax, when the disaster came. He was about entering his own car at the moment and the shock sent him headlong.

In the colonist car was a man named Geo. McIlarg, of St. John's (Nfld.), who occupied a seat across the aisle from Miss Crooke. The conductor of the diner had just gone out, said Mr. McIlarg, who went on to Boston yesterday, "when I heard the crash, and saw plunging through the car toward me, the whole end of the baggage car. I couldn't think. I couldn't move—then it was blank for a moment and when I came to my head was aching and I was perched on a small hill of broken seats, splintered boards and debris generally.

BODY OF A YOUNG WOMAN FOUND.

When the searchers began work and were probing about the wreck. Conductor Millican came to the body of a man. It was pulled out and in the space it left was earth and splinters partly covering what looked like a bundle of clothing. Mr. McIlarg saw a foot protruding and then what was supposed to be a bundle of clothing was in reality the body of a young woman. She was tenderly drawn forth and carried to the waiting room of the station.

DIED.

At Newcastle, on Tuesday, Dec. 2nd, Daniel McGruar in the 88th year of his age. At English Settlement, on Wednesday, Nov. 19th, Mrs. Catherine Shadlock, aged 56 years. Her end was peace.

TOWN COUNCIL

Regular Monthly Meeting Held

WEDNESDAY EVENING.

Water Works and Electric Lights the Principal Topic.

The regular meeting of the Town Council was held in the Town Clerk's office last Wednesday evening their being present His Worship the Mayor and Alds. Ritchie, Hickey, Hennessy, Stables, Phinney, Pedalis, Williston and Fish.

Considerable discussion took place in reference supplied by contractor for floors in pump room and dynamo room of power house. It was finally agreed to allow contractor to put down good quality spruce one and a quarter inches thick and six inches wide. Floor to be kiln dried.

Mr. Thorold, engineer in charge of the works here on being asked in reference to the water test made by him said that it had been satisfactory but that there were some leaks which were hard to locate as there was so much frost in the ground. One leak was beyond the I. C. R. line leading to the sewer; had been located but there were others which were not located yet.

Ald. Hennessy from the committee appointed to negotiate placing of guy poles on private property said that satisfactory arrangements had been made and the poles had been placed.

The following bills passed:—

Jerome Lantry	\$22.52
J. Morrison, Toronto	6.80
Wm. Robertson	1.25
John Russell & Co.,	3.55
C. Ryan	.50
Geo. Barchill & Son	14.50
D. & J. Ritchie & Co.,	2.55
J. H. Phinney	18.50
Sun Printing Co.,	2.50
C. Ryan	.50
D. & J. Ritchie & Co.,	241.65
R. R. Call, coal of gas	219.63
W. H. Thorne	17.88
Wm. Edmunds	5.00
Bill of Thos. Hickey for \$97 was laid on the table.	

ESTIMATES.

Maritime Mining & Contracting Co.,	
Power House	316.00
Jas. Fish, Reservoir	2051.20

Mayor Morrison suggested the advisability of reducing the number of Aldermen from eight to five but this was strongly opposed by a number of the aldermen and the subject was dropped.

Mayor Morrison was appointed the Town's representative to the County Council.

A number of applications for the position of electrician and fireman were read but no action was taken.

Council adjourned.

ANNUAL REPORT

Of the Miramichi Ladies Auxiliary Bible Society.

The eighty-second annual meeting of the M. L. A. B. S. was held in the Temperance Hall, Chatham, on Oct. 1902, at half past 2 o'clock p. m.

I'm sorry to have to report only three officers and two members present. Miss Chalmers, president, occupied the chair.

The minutes of a former meeting were read by the Secretary, and Mrs. Anderson, Treasurer, read the financial report.

TREASURER'S REPORT OF M. L. A. B. S., 1902.

Balance on hand	8 15 72
Col. taken at meeting in Loggieville	3 39
" " " " Chatham	6 94

CHATHAM.

Col. by Misses Greighton and Ludone	7 70
" Miss Fletcher	5 23
" Misses Cameron and Mc-	

Naught	10 85
" Miss Lockhart	1 80

NEWCASTLE.

Col. by Miss McAllister	5 85
" Mrs. J. Russell	3 25
" Mrs. Mitchell	0 00
" Miss Watt	15 80

DOUGLASTOWN.

Col. by Miss Miller	10 60
NAPAS.	
Col. by Miss Milne McLean	4 60
" Miss Maggie McLean	2 24
" Messrs. McNight and Loggie	4 78

BLACK RIVER.

Per Mrs. Robertson, Middle District 5 65

Little Branch 2 84

(Rev.) Mrs. J. M. Maclean, Chatham 11 01

\$ 128 97

In view of the fact that the collections for the year had fallen considerably short of the past year, it was resolved to send all money on hand, namely, \$128.97 a free contribution to the parent society. The meeting was so small no further work was done.

J. AITKEN, Secretary.

China for Christmas Gifts.

Salad Bowls, Cake Plates, Saucers B. & B. Plates, Tea Plates, Syrup Jugs, Marmalade Jars, Rose Jars, Sugars and Creams, Cream Jugs.

Our Prices on these Goods are from 35c. to \$3.00.

H. WILLISTON & CO.

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The Excelsior Life Insurance Company

Head Office Toronto.
Capital \$770,000.

Branch Office, St. John, N. B.
Insurance in Force \$5,000,000.

Total amount for security of policy holders \$700,000.00. Lowest average death rate on record for Company of same age, viz., 3.12 per 1,000 men in force. Interest income alone pays all death claims and Head Office salaries.

The Company has already been extensively patronized by the most prominent professional and business men of New Brunswick. Applications received during first half of 1902 for nearly \$1,000,000.

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Extraction by means of nitrous oxide or local anesthetics.

Our fillings guaranteed to stand the wear and tear.

Dr. McManus,
CREAGHAN BLOCK, NEWCASTLE.

APPLES

Just received 1 car load of best Ontario Winter Apples, including Spies, Baldwins, Greenings, Kings, Russets, Ben Davis and Pippin, to be sold cheap.

Watch for Xmas. ad. and prices.

DEMERS' GROCERY,

Opposite the Square, Newcastle.

FROM BURMA.

Observation of a New Brunswick in the East.

Sketches of a Lovely Land.

The Globe prints a few paragraphs from a private and friendly letter written to me, with no thought of publication, by a young lady of this city whose home is now at Mandalay. The paragraphs thus brought together are selected from many others of a purely personal kind, and perhaps in this bringing together something of the continuity of the composition is lost. But the reader is sure to appreciate what is given.

MANDALAY, Burma, Oct. 24.

I have often wished I could describe things easily, but that I cannot seem to do. One has to see the color out here to get any idea of it all. Mandalay I think is a most interesting place. The fort—Fort Dufferin, by the way—where we live, has a brick wall and moat enclosing it, and on the latter we frequently go for a row about sunset, when the coloring is really too lovely for anything, and Mandalay hill studded all over with little white pagodas prettily looming up. These pagodas are seen all over the country about here on any rising ground with a Buddha inside. Sometimes they are covered with gold leaf and look very pretty glistening in the sunlight. On the top funny little bells are hung, and they sway back and forth with the wind, making very pretty sounds. The ex-King's palace is in the fort, a quaint, pagoda-shaped cluster of buildings some of them beautifully carved. It is now being torn down partly, and the remainder is used as the clubroom, the church, etc. There are pretty gardens, tennis and badminton courts and swimming baths in the grounds; and a band plays three days in the week. Somebody is always giving something in the way of a tea or dinner, so that we are kept quite gay. Besides the 29th Burma Infantry, there is another native regiment here, the 32nd Burma Infantry, an English Regiment (the Royal Fusiliers), and also sappers and miners. There is a great mixture of natives of India and Burmans here. The latter are a happy-go-lucky race, very picturesque-looking in their beautiful gay silks, while the natives of India dress in white, though sometimes they have brightly colored puggarees. My servants are the latter, though some have Burmans. I cannot speak a word of the latter, and believe it is very difficult, though I have picked up a little Hindustani, which I find I must do in order to get along.

We are looking forward with a great deal of pleasure to a visit to Maymyo, a hill station about four miles from here. We were there a little while ago, but this is to be "Maymyo Week." Among other things there is to be a polo tournament, in which my husband is playing. There are also to be theatricals, a fancy dress ball, and I don't know what all. The ponies for the tournament started yesterday, and will be marched up. We go by train on the 15th. It is a most interesting ride through quite Swiss-like scenery. The Shans, people who live in the mountains, are such funny little people. Their dress is much like the Burmese, but the men wear

Kidney Disease and Backache

Mr. John Cullen, who is in the Fish Business at Port Hope, states:—"In my business I do a great deal of driving over bad roads and the constant jar of the rig along with exposure to all sorts of weather brought on kidney disease. I was in miserable health and suffered a great deal with sharp pains in my back. I heard of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills and decided to try them. Before I had used all of the first box I felt better and three boxes have entirely cured me. I am very glad of an opportunity to recommend Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills for I have proven their wonderful control over kidney disease."

It seems unwise to waste money and run the risk of experimenting with new fangled, untried remedies when you know that Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills will cure you. One pill a dose, six a box, at all dealers, or Edmondson, Bates & Co., Toronto.

Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills

loose breeches instead of the "luggi" or skirt of silk in bright colors. The head coverings are huggi fine straw hats, in which they look look very picturesque.

The Burmese wear such pretty colors. Pink is a great favorite. The luggi is folded round the waist in some marvellous manner. It is just a straight piece of silk with one seam and no band or gores. Then they wear a fine white jacket with loose sleeves, and the men have a gay silk scarf tied around their heads. The women never wear anything on their heads, but have a silk scarf which they put around their necks and let hang loosely.

Mandalay is not a good place for flowers. In fact one must grow them in pots to get satisfactory results, unless, indeed, the old soil be dug out and good, new soil brought in. Even this may not be satisfying. But at Maymyo some grow the ferns and flowerless plants luxuriously, and the orchids are beautiful.

We are looking forward to cooler weather now that December and January are approaching. These months are said to be quite nice here, though I fancy it must be pretty warm in the day time even then. To us Canadians all this seems queer. I have a small snapshot of the little white pony and sleigh with snow on the ground, which almost makes me feel cool to gaze at. The sleigh comes in for much admiration, and people say a they look at the person in the sleigh: Is that really you? Do drive in sleighs!

On our way out we stayed two days and two nights at Colombo, and that enabled us to take a trip up to Kandy. The scenery on the way was grand and beautiful, with high mountains above us, and as we climbed up them, deep valleys below. I got my first glimpse of tropical vegetation on the way. Palms, bamboo and many sorts of trees spread out before us. We could see lots of domestic buffaloes, and got an occasional glimpse of an elephant. There is a very interesting Temple in Kandy called the Temple of Buddha's Tooth; some parts of it are very pretty, and there is a great mixture of grandness and of things of little value. One is presented with flowers, rice and the like to present to the images or the priests, but afterwards you have to pay for them.

We returned to Colombo in the evening, and it was all illuminated in honor of the King's recovery. We got into rickshaws to ride about the place to see all the sights. Electric lights, fairy lamps (even the poorest huts had their candles), and excited colored people running about with rich shawls in fantastic costumes, all added to the weird scene. That night we boarded our ship again to sail for Rangoon. We sailed early in the morning, and Colombo looked so pretty as we steamed out, with the spray dashing over the breakwater. I ought to mention that it gave me great delight to meet at Colombo—she was on the wharf waiting for me—Miss Bessie Whitney. She occupies an honorable and responsible position in a high caste native school. Nothing was left undone by her to make the stay at Colombo pleasant. I wish I could write you of all the St. John friends after whom she inquired.

It went well till a day or two after our start, when fire was discovered in one of the coal bunkers. After a few hours' work they thought it was all out, and the passengers went calmly to sleep, to wake in the morning to find the captain and crew had been working all night, as the fire had broken out again, but this time it was put entirely out, and a few days later we arrived safely at Rangoon where we said goodbye to our ship. I wish I could describe the sight. Natives everywhere and everything so different from a home scene. The houses are so pretty—bungalows with lovely gardens and one sees lots of small turn-out with black servants in native costumes. From here we took train for Mandalay, stopping over night at Meikila my husband having business

to attend to at this place. There are no hotels there, so we had to take a dak bungalow (which is an empty house that strangers can use over night). It just has beds and a have to supply bedding, etc. The next day we went on to Mandalay.

Users of films will find that after development and fixing they may be washed with ease and certainty by pinning the strips to a piece of board and floating the same, film down, in the bathtub. In this way they may be left indefinitely without attention, and as the chemicals to be eliminated from the film are heavier than the water the process is simple and thorough.

The dean of Christchurch in the thirties was known as Presence of Mind Smith. A well known tradition explained the name. Going down to Nanchuan with a friend in his under graduate days, he returned alone. Where is T? Well, we had an accident. The boat leaked and while we were bailing it, T. fell over into the water. He caught hold of the skiff and pulled it down to the water's edge. Neither of us could swim, and if I had not, with great presence of mind, hit him on the head with the boat-hook, both would have been drowned.

STOPS THE COUGH AND WORKS OFF THE COOLD.

Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No cure, no pay. Price 25 cents.

Little Elmer—Papa, what is it that makes a statesman great? Professor Broadhead—Death, my son.

FORTUNE FOR MISSING BOY.

A Mystery That Remains Unsolved.

Derby, Conn., Gov. 20—After four months constant search complete mystery surrounds the case of George F. Long, sixteen years old, son of Henry A. Long, of this city, who dropped from sight July 6 last, 300 feet from his father's door. Two legacies of \$10,000 each await the boy, but in spite of wide publicity even these have failed to bring him to light.

On Sunday, July 6, young Long was sent on an errand. His father saw him round a bend in the road 100 yards away. Not a person can be found who saw him after that. The boys course lay through a deep, wooded ravine. None of the group of families living beyond saw him emerge.

When Henry L. Jones, the boy's grandfather, died in Stockbridge, Mass., a year ago, he divided his fortune of \$20,000 equally between young Long's mother and her brother George A. Jones, of East Bridgewater, Conn., giving the grandmother a life interest. Both grandmother and mother and now dead, and the boy becomes heir. Moreover, George L. Jones, already wealthy, has turned over his share to his namesake. These legacies consist largely of valuable real estate.

Police, hospitals, army and navy recruiting stations and transportation companies throughout the country have been notified of the disappearance, but have not found the boy.

The boy was of quiet, studious habits and fond of his home. He was not one likely to run away. He had with him a gold watch and about \$10 in money.

The father is broken hearted and beginning to break down under the suspense. He refuses to use the boy's money, except as a last resort, and is endeavoring to mortgage his home to raise funds for further search.

DYSPEPSIA OF WOMEN.



Mrs. E. B. Bradshaw, of Guthrie, Okla., cured of a severe case by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

A great many women suffer with a form of indigestion or dyspepsia which does not seem to yield to ordinary medical treatment. While the symptoms seem to be similar to those of ordinary indigestion, yet the medicines universally prescribed do not seem to restore the patient's normal condition.

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AN ACHING BACK

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HOW TO BE SAFE AND SURE.

Along with cold weather comes Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Sore Throat, Lung, use the reliable Remedy. White Liniment, which is safe and sure to relieve. Pains and swellings will give way to this wonderful remedy.

Sweet wife—Oh, Herald, the hall clock just fell and narrowly missed mother. Had it struck her she would have been killed.

Herald (aloud)—You don't say so! (Aside) I always did say that clock was slow.

The Wine of Tar, Honey and Wild Cherry, made by The Hired Company, Limited, is free from all ingredients that cause unpleasant effects, common to many Cough Remedies, and is a perfectly safe preparation for children and adults, for all Coughs, Irritated Condition of the Throat, Asthmatic and Bronchial Coughs, Throat and Lung Trouble, Loss of Voice, For Public Speakers and singers, this preparation is especially valuable. At all dealers. Price, 35c. for a bottle containing six ounces.

Hewitt—I pay big money for my clothes.

Jewett—Perhaps you wouldn't have to pay so much for them if you paid for them.

For a Cold that hangs on

For obstinate coughs and colds there is nothing equal to that old reliable remedy, Gray's Syrup of Red Spruce Gum. Prepared from Red Spruce Gum it is soothing and healing to the Lungs and Throat. It stops that tickling in throat, and after a few doses that tight feeling in the chest is relieved and the cold and cough pass away.

Try a 25 cent bottle.

Gray's Syrup of Red Spruce Gum

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Try it and prove for all time our assertion. The iron cannot be the linen—nor will the latter crack when BEE STARCH is used. TEN CENTS PER PACKAGE. SAVE THE COUPONS. NOWDON FORBES & CO., 449 St. Paul St., Montreal.

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NEW BRUNSWICK NEEDS

Completion of Secretary Hubbard's Interesting Observations Throughout the Province. Several Urgent Reforms Suggested.

The active assistance lent to dairying by the Dominion and provincial governments has given a healthy growth to the improvement of dairy stock and has encouraged the better summer feeding of milch cows. Very little winter dairying is yet done, however, and our people in its absence do not realize the returns from their cows that they should.

Pig raising is at present on a very small scale and the methods of feeding are expensive. There is no summer pasturing practised. Practically all the pigs are fattened in autumn and sold dressed at such prices as the local pork dealers feel they can afford and usually considerably lower than the ruling prices in Toronto. The pigpens are not adapted to winter feeding, being very cold and poorly arranged. In Carleton Co. from 10 to 30 carloads of pigs on foot have been sent to the Montreal and Toronto markets each autumn for the last three years.

While there is a great deal of country where sheep will do well, I am sorry to report that the numbers of sheep kept in the province is gradually decreasing. The depredations of dogs seems to be the reason most often given when a farmer is asked why he has abandoned his flock. The use of wire fencing has in some neighborhoods led farmers to discard their sheep but the introduction of woven wire should prevent further diminution on account of fencing. The wool market here is very unsatisfactory and the demand for mutton variable. There is a good export trade in lambs at from 2½ to 3½c per lb long weight.

BETTER HORSES NEEDED.

The horses of the province are generally fairly well fed and cared for, but they are very inefficiently bred. The scrub stallion is a frequent caller during the breeding season and the crop of non-descript colts is large. Within the last two years both governmental and private enterprise has brought a number of good Clyde, Hackney, coaching, standard bred and thoroughbred stallions into the province and if they are patronized as they deserve, there should be a decided improvement in the districts where these horses stand. One fact which will militate against such rapid improvement in horses as we would wish to see, is the absence of good mares. When a farmer has a desirable young mare, he is visited by buyers until he is finally tempted to sell her. In this way most of our best mares have found their way to the U. S. cities.

INVESTIGATIONS SUMMED UP.

I am aware that the foregoing remarks do not make a rosy picture, but from purely agricultural position it is as nearly correct as investigation of nearly every parish in the provinces will enable me to make. However, it must not be inferred that our farm dwellers are lacking in the comforts and many of the luxuries of life. With few

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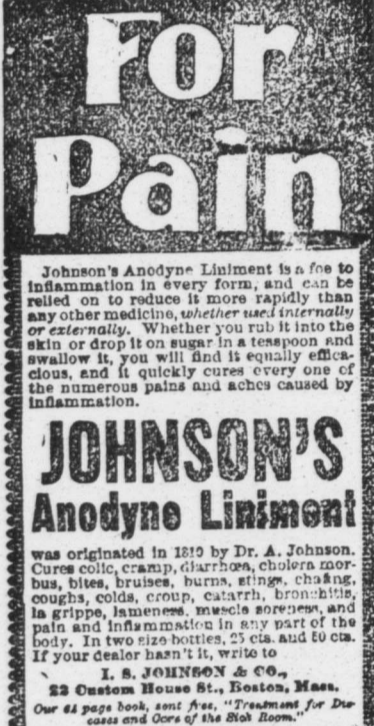
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APPARENT PROSPECTS.

If the New Brunswick farmer finds difficulty in disposing of any of his produce it is either because he is remote from transportation facilities or because he has not studied the market demands. High local freight rates on the railways, and the fact that often two lines of railway have to be used, sometimes makes the shipment of anything but concentrated produce such as cheese, butter, live stock, etc., unprofitable. This is perhaps not an unmixed evil as it encourages the keeping of more stock and of feeding of all the crops upon the farm.

The possibilities for agriculture in all its branches, except extensive grain growing, in this province are in proportion to its total area probably second to none of any province of Canada. Only the fringe of the country is yet developed, and while there is much land on the southern shore and in the interior of the province which is better adapted to the growth of timber than to any other crop, there are millions of acres of good land as lies out doors waiting for the settler.

The immediate prospects for agriculture are, however, another matter. There is everywhere the cityward tendency of population. The young people who are growing up on the back country farms are staying there, if they stick to farming, they are moving out to the railway or near the village and often bringing the old people with them leaving the little farm back in the forest or among the hills to go back to the wilderness. Thousands of acres left in this way can be pointed out to the visitor in Kings, Queens, Charlotte, Stanbury and other of the older counties.

Agriculture must get down on a new and firm basis and grow from that. The pioneer settler of the future must have railway and postal communications and educational and social opportunities carried into his district with him. The railway, with all that it means, must be the colonizing agent of the future.

MUST RAISE LIVE STOCK.

The province cannot expect to advance agriculturally without live stock and our people must realize this, they must become stockmen. The prospects for trade in all live stock and stock products is bright. The West India Islands, South Africa and Great Britain are all consumers and there will be direct and frequent steam transportation from St. John to these various countries. There is also a trade available to which our dairymen might well turn their attention and that is raising half-bred short-horn

Hereford or Polled Angus calves for shipment to the northwest ranches. The C. P. R. stands ready to assist the enterprise and may be induced to make some practical effort to encourage it.

The supplying of our own towns and cities with good meat is also a demand which at the present time is being very indifferently met, and is capable of considerable expansion.

Most of the province is splendid potato growing country and the potato trade with Cuba and other southern islands is properly worked up, there should be encouragement for the growth of a large acreage of this crop.

THE EDUCATIONAL PROSPECTS

of the province are becoming yearly better. The reorganization of the agricultural societies view of securing their assistance in the holding of educational meetings and the organization of farmers' institutes where no societies exist, is bringing the discussion of the best methods of farm practice within ear shot of almost every farmer. The adding of nature study and practical garden work to a number of schools, through the instrumentality of Sir Wm McDonald and Prof. Robertson, is sure to direct the attention of our boys and girls to the opportunities of the farms on which they live.

The active work of the Dominion and provincial department of agriculture in sending speakers to the institute meetings to lead discussions upon all matters of farm practice and live stock husbandry must also have a good effect. Perhaps one of the very best educational mediums is the maritime winter fair to be held annually in December at Amherst, N. S. It has the active support of all the departments of agriculture and is under the direct supervision, through the officers of the maritime stock breeders' assn. of Mr. F. W. Hodson, Dominion live stock commissioner. The direct object lessons which it affords, not only inform the enquirer in a direct and practical manner, but bring home to every man the necessity of intelligence, care and skill in selecting and handling all kinds of stock. It should also have the effect of keeping for our own stockmen the markets of our principal cities.

SOME PRESENT NEEDS.

The first great need that New Brunswick farmers have is more of an insight into the many complex details of our business. Education that will enable men and women to go and do things intelligently and to have such a practical understanding of cause and effect as will enable them to vary their practice to suit changing conditions, is needed. The first effort must be to kindle desire among the people for such education. The farmers' institute system of meetings is probably the best method yet devised to reach the farmers who do not read and even those who do. A commendable start in this direction through the joint efforts of the Dominion and provincial departments has now been made and we should soon be able to discern some fruits of the work.

If a suggestion might be allowed in regard to the present excellent management of the New Brunswick institutes, it would be that stronger efforts should be made to work up local interest in the meetings. Where the officers of the agricultural society or institute are not known to be thoroughly interested and alive to their work, an advance agent could be sent with good effect a week before the meeting to see that every man, woman and child within five miles of the place of meeting should hear about it and hear about it in such a way that they would be interested. Unless large and interested audiences are obtained, the value of the work is greatly minimized.

URGENT REQUIREMENTS.

By attending these meetings and taking part in the discussions, our farmers will recognize and proceed to supply the following needs.

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c. The need of saving the fertilizing elements of the stable manures will lead to better stables, the use of absorbents and the direct application of the fresh manure to the fields.

d. The need of barns that will not be too expensive yet will shelter the crops conveniently and afford light, sunny, airy, warm stables. The filthy dungeon that is either lighted by cracks in the wall and is as cold as the outer air or is close, damp and dark, and called by courtesy a stable, will be regulated to the dark ages where it belongs.

e. The need of more live stock and of such quality as will meet market demands will be apparent. This will lead to the purchase of purebred sires and a careful selection of the best females to mate with them. The farmer will breed with a distinct object in view and not haphazard as so many do now.

Many other reform in farm methods which the individual farmer controls within himself can only come through a desire on his part for them. This desire will be the result of education.

OTHER NEEDS.

2 The spread of practical knowledge in regard to fruit growing.

a A provincial fruit grower's assn.

b Winter fruit exhibits and expert judges and lecturers.

c Model orchards in each county for testing varieties and giving a practical example of the best methods of cultivation fertilizing, pruning, spraying, etc. Monthly meetings and practical lessons should be given in each of these orchards.

d Thorough information in packing and shipping apples and assistance in securing properly ventilated steamers and market connections in Britain and other apple buying countries.

3 The conducting of three or four pig feeding experiments in as many central localities to show our modern methods of pig raising, summer and winter feeding, and management of pigs for the bacon markets.

4 The organization of a maritime poultry assn which shall work up the poultry industry in connection with the maritime winter fair and by the holding of meetings in the different provinces. Also through supplying speakers for the institute meetings.

5 The making of a good provincial exhibition thoroughly educational in so far as live stock and farm products are concerned.

6 A thorough system of cold storage at the main railway station, in transit, at St. John and on ships board is required for the handling of soft fruits, butter, meats, etc.

7 Modern pork packing facilities, with the purchase of hogs on foot at the nearest station.

8 Through railway rates from all parts of the province to St. John and the extension of electric or other light railways as branches of the main lines.

9 The adoption of a provincial system of highway control, the road moneys to be diverted from political uses and expended by competent highway engineers. So far as possible statute labor as now levied on residents of the province to be transformed into a money tax but where this is not possible the labor to be performed under an engineer who shall fix the value of work done.

10 A supply, by immigration, of farm laborers and head-men and women helpers for the farm home. At present a man with capital is precluded from going into agriculture and stock raising in this province on account of his inability to secure suitable help.

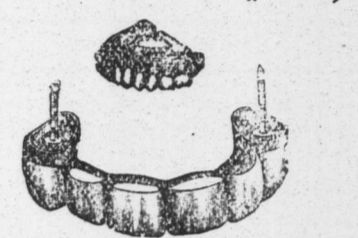
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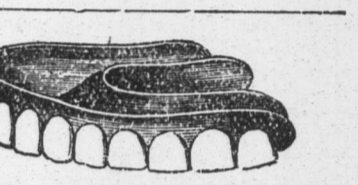
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ANNOUNCEMENT.
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DUTY ON SMELTS.
Mr. T. Crocker received a telegram from Atwood & Co., Boston that the Treasury Department had granted the request of the fishermen that the duty be set at the old figure, three quarters of a cent per pound. Mr. Crocker recently went to Boston and New York and pressed the matter with the officials there and we are glad to learn that his efforts have not been in vain.

CANADA'S FINANCES.
The Revenue for First Half of Fiscal Year show a betterment over the expenditure of \$2,808,000—Surplus now \$6,170,556.

OTTAWA, Dec. 5.—The financial statement of the Dominion was issued today. The revenue for the six months ending June 30 last was \$25,904,575, an increase of \$2,702,399 over the same time last year, and the expenditure was \$18,155,893, a decrease of \$44,864, making a betterment of \$2,808,000. The surplus of revenue over ordinary expenditure was \$9,748,082. There was expended on capital accounts \$3,578,125, so that the surplus of revenue over the total expenditure amounts to \$6,170,556.

Correspondent with the five months last year the expenditure on capital account was \$1,707,000 less for the past five months making an exact betterment in revenue over ordinary and capital expenditure of \$4,515,000. The details of the six months compared with the same time last year are:

	1901	1902
Customs	13,262,089	15,045,470
Excise	4,700,192	4,952,911
Post Office	1,355,000	1,330,000
Public Works	2,738,539	3,114,506
Miscellaneous	1,095,166	1,261,683
Totals	23,151,975	25,004,575
Expenditure	15,203,847	16,155,893
Capital	5,285,225	3,578,125

The revenue for the month was \$4,959,000 \$234,000 more than for November 1901, the expenditure was over \$100,000 greater than in November last year.

Hon. Mr. Sifton, Commissioner of Public Works for the North West Territories, who is here, is arranging for the building of two bridges, one at McLeod which will cost \$20,000 and the other at Leithbridge, which will cost \$40,000. He asked the bridge companies in Canada if they could give him a price to supply the necessary material by March 14 next. He got a reply from them that they could not supply the work at any price before June next. It is very evident he states that those engaged in this industry do not require any increase in the tariff, but what is really wanted is more workmen to turn out the orders that have already accumulated. The same story comes from almost every manufacturing industry.

BIG GAME.
So far as is known in no previous year has so large a number of big moose heads been captured in New Brunswick as are being brought out of the woods this season. Several particularly fine heads have come from the Miramichi and many others are reported as being secured on the Restigouche and Tobique regions. That shot by Mr. Depauw of Indiana, which had an antler spread of sixty-two and a half inches is thought to be the biggest head shot this year, though it is nearly matched by that secured by Mr. Toles, also captured on the Miramichi.

It has been stated that the head captured by Mr. Depauw is the largest in point of antler spread ever shot in this province, but such is not the case. What is known far and wide as the Prince of Wales head had an antler spread of sixty-three inches. It was secured on Cansaan river by Sir Harry Barrard and was presented to the Prince of Wales.

The record head, though, is that shot on the Tobique in the fall of 1896 by Mr. Stephen Decatur of Portsmouth, N. H. This mammoth head had an antler spread of sixty-six inches. This head has been exhibited at several of the sportsmen's shows and has been a splendid advertisement for New Brunswick.—Ex.

BORN.
To Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Brown, New Glasgow, N. S. a son.

NO PROHIBITION.
Ontario Prohibitionists Were not Able to Carry Their Point.

TORONTO, Dec. 6.—It is now practically certain that the vote in favor of the liquor Act will not total more than 165,000 with 125,000 against. The returns from the constituencies are coming in very slowly and it is not likely that the exact figures will be known before Monday. Tonight the figures which are complete only for the cities and towns stand: for, 113,151; against 6,235.

Liquor men do not disguise their opinion as to the results particularly in the cities and towns while the temperance party correspondingly elated. They are jubilant tonight over the expression of Premier Ross as published in the Evening Globe which is regarded by them and also by the Anti as tantamount to an intimation abolishing the bar rooms.

Mr. Ross said "one insignificant incident of the campaign was the attack made upon the bar rooms as the most abominable feature of the liquor traffic and if one were to be guided by that note of the campaign it would seem as if that phase of the question was the one most to be considered in dealing with the future."

He also expressed his opinion that there was some truth in the assertion of the Anti that many Conservatives had voted yes in order to embarrass the Government but seemed to think that such would not be the case.

The general opinion is that in the event of a defeat either in the by-elections or during the session, Mr. Ross will appeal to the country making the closing of the bar rooms an issue and that he would be returned with a good majority.

Four men charged with systematic personation were remanded at today's police court.

	For	Against
Toronto	14,605	13,074
Oshawa	438	143
London	2,318	2,522
Kingston	1,483	1,572
Guelph	1,082	714
St. Thomas	951	855
Brantford	1,638	908
Waterloo	100	635
Toronto Junction	616	275
Barrie	475	402
Coburg	376	276
Penbrooke	338	
Goderich	390	18
Perth	208	239
South Star Marie	600	528
Clinston	254	170
Gananoque	319	202
Ottawa	3,812	4,275
Bellefleur	580	608
Niagara	54	133
Lisawell	274	168
Watford	202	42
Seaford	203	132
Hamilton	3,069	3,895
Welland	183	103
Mount Forest	242	112
Mitchell	196	140
Lindsay	1,159	640
Paris	2,241	248
St. Catherine's	789	831
Strachford	200	154
Ingersoll	510	393
Walkerville	12	32
Brookville	667	575

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Small-Pox at Rogersville.
Strict Measures Being Adopted to Prevent Spread.

The smallpox epidemic at Rogersville was well under way before it was discovered and now there are nearly thirty cases there. Business is practically suspended and orders have been issued forbidding freight to be shipped from that point. No person is allowed to leave the village without a permit from the Chairman of the Board of Health. Twelve houses are infected and a large number have been quarantined. The disease is of a very mild type and none of the patients are dangerously ill. Dr. Hayes of Nelson is in charge and Dr. McDonald of Chatham is also there caring for the patients.

Dr. Fisher the Secretary of the Provincial Board of Health was in Rogersville last week and found that everything possible was being done to prevent the spread of the disease.

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Newcastle, Dec. 9th, 1902. 3w.

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I have removed my Livery Stable to the building lately occupied by G. A. Lonsbury and Co., and adjoining the store of Jas. A. Rundle on the Public Wharf, Newcastle, N. B. Thanking my many patrons for the past and soliciting a continuation of same in my new quarters.

D. DOYLE.
Dec. 9th, 1902. Telephone No. 4.

A. T. HINTON,
DEALER IN
All kinds of Vehicles, and General Merchandise.
One car load of sleighs just received, latest styles and best prices.
Robes, Ladies' and gents' fur coats. Also a general assortment of driving and working harness.
Groceries, ready-made clothing, boots and shoes.
Our supply is complete and we take farm produce in exchange.
Your custom solicited. Satisfaction guaranteed.
Bathurst, N. B., Nov. 1st, 1902

WANTED.
A first or second class female teacher, for Grade six Harkins Academy, Town of Newcastle N. B.
Applications will be received up to and including 26th. inst.
P. F. MORRISSEY
Secy. Board School Trustees.
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Incorporated 1890
MUSICAL DIRECTOR
Highest Musical Education in Canada.
School of Elocution and Dramatic Art.
Send for Calendar. 12 & 14 Pembroke St. Toronto.

NOTICE.
The butcher business conducted by the late E. Holohan, will in future be conducted by Holohan Bros.
We respectfully ask for a share of the public's patronage. Prompt attention given to all orders.

HOLOHAN BROS.

A Dollar Saved is a Dollar Made.
Buy your boots at a bargain and save money. I am selling all boots and shoes left over after the summer, at tumbling down prices. I also carry first quality of rubbers, hand made boots and harrigans.

Arrived to-day, 1 ear Cream of Roses, 40c, good for bread or pastry. Also on hand, 5 Boxes, Gold Crown and other brands of Flour, Meal, Feed, Fresh and Corned Beef, Pork, Canned Goods of all kinds and a full line of Groceries and Dry Goods.

M. BANNON.
Wholesale and Retail.

Your Winter Overcoat is Ready at CLARKE & CO'S.
Whether it is a Smooth Shiny Beaver Cloth or an all wool Frieze or a Cheviot, or a Fur Lined. Whether the style required is tight fitting or Raglanette, or an ulster, we have them all. Prices right, fit right, quality right. \$6.50 to \$15.00.

Boy's Reefers, \$1.90. Men's Reefers, \$4.50.
Boy's Reefers, \$3.00. Men's Reefers, \$6.25.
Men's Jumpers, the best in the country, lined, \$2.75, unlined, \$3.50.
Men's heavy all wool Homespun Pants, \$2.00 to \$2.50, guaranteed.

PICTURES
in great variety. Very pretty copies of most famous paintings on large double mats, usually sold for 25c, our price 20c. Smaller sizes, 10c, very large size, 50c.

Sweeping reduction in imitation French Flannels. Nice neat patterns, American and English goods worth 14c and 15c, now all 10c per yd. About 15 different patterns to select from.

A splendid assortment of Hosiery all qualities, Cashmere, Wool, Worsted.

Ladies' Skirts made to order on short notice. Send in your orders, we guarantee satisfaction.

A splendid assortment of gloves, lined and unlined for ladies and gentlemen. Ladies and children's gauntlet mitts.

Reduced prices on Ladies' Jackets. We have had a very good sale of Ladies' Jackets this season. Have only a few left which we now offer at very much reduced prices. Ladies' all wool Beaver Cloth Jackets lined, priced at \$9.75, now \$7.25. Ladies' Beaver Cloth Jackets priced at \$7.25, now \$5.25. A number of Jackets priced from \$5.25 to \$7.50, now all one price, \$4.75.

1 only, 1 length coat, Black Frieze, Yoke Back, Semi Fitting, piped with velvet velvet collar, lined throughout, bell sleeves with inner cuff, size 38. Good value at \$12.00, now \$10.00.

CLARKE & CO.

"The Pharmacy"
Christmas Opening.
Our entire Christmas stock has arrived and will be displayed this week, on
THURSDAY, December 4th.
As we have no left-over articles from last year, our customers and friends will find an entirely new stock of goods from which to select. It is impossible to tell you here just what articles we have on hand, so kindly give us a call and we shall be very pleased to show you our stock of X'mas goods and novelties.

A. E. SHAW,
Druggist
Newcastle.

CHRISTMAS IS COMING.
Opened to-day, a choice assortment of
Dolls, Dolls.
DOLLS! DOLLS! DOLLS!
DOLL. DOLLS
All sorts of dolls from one cent up. Send along the children for Dolls, etc. Toys in great variety, all kinds of Fancy goods.

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LADIES' DRESS SKIRTS.
Our own make, all wool homespun, some lined, some unlined. Color, dark grey, price lined, \$3.25, price unlined, \$3.00. Heavy frieze skirts, \$2.50, well made stylish skirts.

LADIES' BELTS
Very latest styles, velvet and silk very fancy, with Handsome Buckles only 50c.

The Country. An Epitome of Events Gathered by ADVOCATE REPORTERS

WHITNEYVILLE.

Winter has come again and we are all very much pleased to see some snow and I see a number of our young men are taking advantage of it. The river has frozen over and bass fishing has begun once more and everyone seems eager to try what fortune holds in store for them for Xmas time.

We are very sorry to hear that Mr. R. P. Whitney is still in a very low state of health; but we are glad to hear that Clifford Somers is improving very rapidly. Mrs. Benjamin Forsyth has returned home from visiting friends in Mass. where she has been for the last six weeks and her many friends are glad to see her back again.

Mr. Bert Jardine left for Mass. last Thursday where he expects to remain for some time. His many friends are sorry to see him leave as he was a favorite with all, but we wish him every success.

Miss Tozer and Mr. Sutherland were visiting friends in Whitneyville last Sunday.

Mr. Ben Dunnett has taken advantage of the sleighing, he was visiting his many friends in Lytleton, Sunday.

Xmas will soon be here and we are looking forward to a pleasant time, the young men are hoping the good sleighing will continue.

It is rumored that W. Whitney will spend Xmas at his old home here. Mr. Whitney is Superintendent for one of the largest contracting firms on the Great Lakes and will leave for the East as soon as he completes the large contract he is now on at Escanaba, Mich. which will be early in Dec.

We have had very cold weather the past week, but some of the people are prophesying a snow storm.

Bass fishing has come again. We have not heard of any large catches yet, but we hope to hear of some soon.

Miss Margaret Connors has been spending a few weeks in this vicinity.

Miss Violeta Curtis spent a few days in town last week.

Mr. Ben Dunnett paid a flying visit to Lytleton last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Forsythe spent Sunday at their home here.

Messrs. Frank, Stanley, and Archibald Menzies, are busy engaged in cutting lumber on their own premises.

Mr. James McKendrick made a flying trip to William Johnston's last week with a load of hay.

Miss Mad Menzies one of our popular young ladies has gone to Boston where she intends spending the winter.

Mr. Albert Jardine also has gone to Lawrence. They will be greatly missed in the community.

Mr. William Young who has resided here for some time, has sold his property, and is making preparations for moving to town. We wish him every success.

Mrs. Benj. Forsythe who has been spending some time with relatives in Haverhill, Mass., has returned home, well pleased with her trip.

BARTHOLOMEW RIVER.

Barth. River, Dec. 1.—As we have been reading pieces from other camps we will let you know how we are getting along on the Otter Brook.

Our crew consists of twenty good natured fellows and oh, how they do smile when they see a carcass of fresh beef brought to the camp.

Our host is Mr. Peter Burns. He is a favorite among the men and has a good word to say about them all.

We have two teams yarding.

Our big team is driven by William Davidson from Upper Blackville. He says he can put up more logs than any man on the waters. While he is tended by Thomas Colford a jolly good fellow.

Michael Hogan holds the ribbons over the other team tended by George Arbo whose melodious voice would charm the heart of a grindstone and set the crank crew.

Our head chopper is Charles Burns, accompanied by Max Berzan, Joe Leadley, William Masuel, Martin Robichaud and John Masuel. They do big work and are also jovial companions. One of them Martin Robichaud had the misfortune to cut his foot very badly but we are very anxious for his recovery.

We are sorry to hear that Mr. Warren Dansey is sick and is unable to be at his work in the woods.

Mrs. H. A. Cais and Mr. Clyde Cais drove to Pokesha one day last week.

Mr. Nicholas Smith spent a few days of last week in the county.

A. J. W. McKenzie spent a part of last week in the lower end of the county.

We are sorry to hear of the severe illness of Miss Maggie Day.

The death of Miss Belts Vans, took place at Clifton on Monday Dec. 2nd.

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glad to see him around again. Our swamper are Walter Burns, Peter Moran, Frank Butler, and Placid Robichaud, they do make bush fly around the woods.

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after a lingering illness. She was the daughter of our minister Rev. R. G. Vana, whose family have the sympathy of his congregation as well as the entire community. The interment took place in the Presbyterian Cemetery, on Wednesday Dec. 4th.

Mr. Reggie Jennings left a few weeks ago for the St. John Business College, where he will attend for the winter. We notice a great many sleighing parties these fine moonlight nights.

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In seal with sable collar. Black Astrachan, grey lamb and coon.
PRICES from \$27.50 up.

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In fawn beaver, black beaver and grey frieze.
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In fleece lined, also natural wool, made of best Scotch wool, ranging in price from 30c. to \$1.25.

HOSIERY.
This is where we shine, from the cheapest to the best. Our 25c. leader is something extra.

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In coon, black Astrachan, mountain ox and Wollaby.
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OVERCOAT AND REEFERS.
In beaver cloth, napp cloth and Irish frieze with storm collars.
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In Scotch llama wool. Finest grades. Stanfield's unshrinkable, and Wright's fleece lined. PRICES from 50c. to \$2.75.

SHIRTS
Hand made of blue flannel, grey kersay, striped tweed for woodmen.
PRICES from \$1.00 to \$2.00.

J. D. CREAGHAN.
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.
NEWCASTLE AND CHATHAM.

to their own residence near the mill. Good skating, children, but be careful of the air-holes.

Messrs. W. J. Kent and Co. have imported the largest supply of Christmas goods ever seen in Bathurst at one time and will open them this week.

A nice display of fancy articles are to be seen at Mr. F. Landry's store.

POLITICS.—Our friend Tecumseh of the Campbellton Events is certainly a long winded chap, but this week he has given us something new to what on which we will attend to presently. First however, we must explain a mare's nest which he found. In our last reference to this subject we wrote, "Mr. Burns has from the very first deprecated this religious controversy and has requested the writer to keep such things out of any political articles written for the Advocate." Yet Tecumseh's friends have persistently abused the Advocate correspondent for stirring up religious strife even intimating that he wrote the letter which appeared in the Evangelist, and after having them translated had them printed.

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AMONG BLACKFOOTS.

INTERESTING RESULTS OF A BLOCK-
ADE ON THE C.P.R.

The Bow River's Work-Imperial Limited
Brought to a Standstill—Guests of the
C.P.R.—A Detachable—Sketch of the Black-
foots—Men Thrifty and Women Marvellous
of Dexterity.

We were aboard Mo. 1, the C.P.R. westbound, and it was the 4th of July. We pulled into Medicine Hat long after twilight, and were informed by the porter that there was a washout ahead, and we were to lie in the siding all night. The Americans aboard fired their last bunch of firecrackers, and the porter, after the manner of his kind, bundled us all into our berths, and the following morning the C.P.R. did a great and memorable thing. It pulled us one hundred and twenty-five miles west, then tied us up for forty-eight hours at Gleichen, in the heart of the Blackfoot Indian reserve.

No spot on the entire system of the great transcontinental highway had been of so intense interest and few more beautiful.

We had not halted very long when the pride and delight of the true Canadian's heart—the Imperial Limited—roared up abut, and in another twelve hours a second "No. 1," stood in to harbor, and then we learned the truth—two bridges down, one east, one west, of Calgary. No. 2 struck at Banff, the Imperial Limited, eastbound, tied up the gods alone knew where. Never in the history of the C.P.R. has traffic been so congested, never has the great Imperial Limited ceased its ninety-seven hour career across continent.

That criminal little Bow River has done what saint nor satan, fiend nor fairy, could never dare to do; it has brought the great putting transcontinental river to a standstill. Traffic had congested but 24 hours when the C.P.R. took us over as its guests. For a week it has "boarded" thousands of transients at the very best hotels, the dining cars, the cafes. The company spared no pains, no money, so long as their patrons could be royally treated. At Gleichen more than six hundred of us were the guests of the C.P.R. for two days. At Calgary 800, at Banff and at Field another five or six hundred—altogether like Prince at the expense of the road, that is hourly dredging unestimated thousands. One million dollars will hardly cover the loss and every official smiles through it all, and the public are treated with a consideration open-handed enough to admit a border on extravagance, and even the ever-exacting American tourist remarked loudly that after "free meals" had been declared, the traveling colony at Gleichen neither service nor menu in the dining cars "St. Cloud" and "Frogmore," tell of one lot.

But just here a delightful surprise awaited us all, an indefatigable Detroit, who wandered up prairie trails, ever searching for information, discovered mushrooms of that large, luscious, shell-like variety that only comes from wild stretches of field, and that have a flavor far more delicate and appetizing than those found in the city markets. Buckets, baskets and even hats were requisitioned, and we supplied the dining cars for every meal with these delicacies. The Detroit gave us impromptu lectures on edible fungi. He was a man of most extensive information, had traveled the world over and kept his eyes open, but he told us he had never seen such quantities of mushrooms together as these. We gathered bowls of them daily. I hardly think the Indians eat these fungi, or else the enormous camp of Blackfoots would have been long since and secured our breakfasts while we yet dozed in comfortable berths, for their tepid aro, smoke-tipped and conical, not 500 yards from the siding where we lay. The Indians made a good thing out of the C. P. R. mishaps, for the tourists hired horses from them at a dollar a ride, and even the tender-foot would vault into the Mexican saddle and ride away across the prairie. The sturdy, shaggy innkeeper laying back his arm and looking away with the long, clean rocking motion, never seen except in the prairie-dressed and

linal. Only one lamentable accident occurred, in the evening, when we had baseball and horse races. In the latter a fine grey pony, the property of a splendidly handsome blanket and buckskin clad Blackfoot, plunged into a badger hole, fell, and instantly expired with a broken neck. And just here it is time to refute an aspersion too frequently laid upon our wilder Indian tribes of the property of a splendidly handsome blanket and buckskin clad Blackfoot, plunged into a badger hole, fell, and instantly expired with a broken neck. And just here it is time to refute an aspersion too frequently laid upon our wilder Indian tribes of the property of a splendidly handsome blanket and buckskin clad Blackfoot, plunged into a badger hole, fell, and instantly expired with a broken neck.

The detractors of the Indian, and there were plenty of them abroad, assured the crowd that "the Indians will have a great pow-wow and the feast of the dead horse," over the unlucky animal that lay near the track. But the next morning, and the next night, and yet another morning came and waned, and the horse lay where it had fallen and the Blackfoot braves shook their heads when asked about a "feast." A goodly collection was taken up for the owner, which reward he deserved, as his steed had expired in making "a white man's holiday."

This identical brave exhibited great appreciation of class distinction. A curious Chinaman came forth from his car, and a tourist asked the Blackfoot, "Is this your brother?" indicating the Mongolian. Such scorn and hauteur as the reply "No," expressed, such a lifting of the red chin, and indignant glance. It amazed some, but I was proud of my color-cousin of the prairie, and of his fine old aristocratic red blood, that has come down through the centuries to pulse in his conservative veins.

We visited the camp; a group of some dozen teepees, neat, orderly and picturesque, were lunched against the southern rim of the prairie. Great herds of fat cattle and excellent ponies grazed near by, for the Blackfoots is a thrifty person, and his wife is a marvel of dexterity in needlework. Beside every teepee was a travois, the secular vehicle that supplies the place of a cart. It is a fixture like two shafts, fastened at the lower end to a horizontal pole, firmly lashed in place by deer sinew. An immense amount of duff can be stowed on this contrivance, and when the "trois" hand the clothing utensils, teepees and the smaller children are all packed atop the travois. A horse or dog is harnessed between the shafts, and the cavalcade starts up the trail.

The interior of the teepees was a delight. A fire burned like Prince at the smoke ascending through the apex of the canvas. Beautiful bead-work, buckskin garments, fringed robes, and embroidered blankets lay about in profusion. Well-blanketed women cared for tiny children, and the children played with their dolls and yellow in the fire and sunshine. The gay coloring of the teepees, the silently-moving, graceful figures of the red folk, the sleek, fat herds, the camp fire, and the glorious carpet of coral colored prairie flowers, the over-hanging blue of the wide territorial skies, the far-off Rockies, with their snowy coronets, made a picture beyond the limitations of the artist's brush or pen, and always and ever the vivid scarlet of the tunics of the Mounted Police.

CANADA'S INDIANS.

Nearly 100,000 Red Men Live in the Dominion—They Are Friendly to the Government—How to Deal with Them.

Among the books in which the noble red man figures, that issued by the department of Indian Affairs of the Canadian Government, is, in its matter-of-fact way, as interesting as any the romanticists have given to the world. It is an agreement with the more stirring of men in one thing at least. In it the Indian is regarded as a child in mind, who has to be educated up to a civilized man's standard. And the process is a slow one. Old Crow, of the Blackfeet, the chief of the greatest and one of the most loyal of the Western tribesmen, was opposed to his people becoming owners of cattle because their possession of herds, he said, would be followed by the closing of the Government's ration-house. The ration-house and other services designed for the Indians' benefit cost the Government last year \$1,019,825. There were also disbursements of \$274,083 from the proceeds of the trust funds managed by the Government and which reach the considerable total of \$3,941,303, or about \$40 a head of the Indian population, which is given for the last year as follows:

Ontario.....	20,763
Quebec.....	10,807
Nova Scotia.....	2,020
New Brunswick.....	1,655
P. E. Island.....	315
British Columbia.....	24,567
Manitoba.....	6,830
Northwest Territories.....	17,927
Outside treaty limits.....	14,566
	99,527

This is an increase over the figures of 1900 of 517, spread generally throughout the provinces and due partly to natural growth, partly to accessions to the bands from outside the country or in the non-treaty regions. The natural increase is given as 239, the births recorded having numbered 2,379 and the deaths only 2,140. The larger proportion of the increase is attributed, directly or indirectly, to scrofulous or pulmonary troubles, and it is added that, apart from epidemics, the average of health depends largely on the character of the winter. The latter statement means much as to what has not been accomplished, in bringing the subjects of it to an appreciation of the comforts of civilized life and to an acceptance of the steady toil by which they can be secured.

The policy of the department is described as that of assimilating the Indians with the other classes of the

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community, first fitting them for the full responsibilities of citizenship. This policy, or the machinery provided for its execution, the report says, while satisfactory up to a certain point, has not proved as successful as desired. In Ontario an extended experience shows that the graduates of the schools, educational and industrial, with the rarest exceptions, return to the conditions of their race, and, although, perhaps, better equipped than the majority of those who seek employment of various kinds among the whites in their vicinity, none the less to all intents and purposes remain Indians, with all their deepest interests, affections and ambitions centered in their reserves. The state of affairs is naturally more marked in the newer reserves, but this may have a good as well as a bad side, as, in the opinion of those who study the situation, until the Western issues reach the standard of those which the east have been longer in contact with white men, "the graduates of the schools may be doing the greatest amount of good in the direction of elevating their race by returning to live on these, and in regard to them the department's duty is in the direction of guarding against their retrogression, and it is experimenting in the direction of establishing little colonies of them on the reserves in the hope that they will not only retain the benefits of the education received at the schools, but exert a beneficial influence upon the people.

How to Mark a Wheel.

The following tip is the best we have come across, for identifying your machine in case it gets stolen: Write your name and address on a piece of identification, on a card or a piece of celluloid, and then place it in one of the tubes of your machine, to the shape of which it readily conforms—preferably the tube between the saddlepost and the handlebar. This is needed to accomplish this beyond taking out the saddlepost. Colors may be changed, marks and numbers obliterated, and all other devices used to disguise the wheel, yet should you ever have a chance to prove your property it is readily done, to the amazement and discomfiture of the wrongful possessor.

As an open book of character placed there for your perusal.—Philadelphia Times.

Beginnings in Housekeeping.

Each bed should have for its outside three pairs of pillowcases for its square pillows; two pairs of sheets, which measure a full yard more than the length of the mattress, to insure undisturbed and protected corners; two white spreads, of a quality easily laundered and light in weight, and two pairs of large all wool blankets of which one pair should be bound separately. These constitute the bed essentials. To them may be added a horsehair quilt and comfortable.

The table linen must include a best cloth for special occasions, a really good one for general use and two dozen napkins that will not shed lint. Of towels there is theoretically no limit to the need of variety. Practically, however, there are only a few that are absolutely indispensable. One dozen hemstitched huck for bedroom use, one dozen checked linen for china and one dozen crash for the kitchen, all made in yard lengths, besides three or four towels 2 1/2 yards long, will easily supply the ordinary demand under the conditions imposed. Of course sickness, lavatory or even a delayed weekly washday would necessitate a larger supply in each case. A maxim profitably observed by a prudent housekeeper is worth passing on for consideration in this connection. "Expense for essentials only, plus remunerative labor, equals thrift." With this in mind one can easily determine how much can or must be added to the supply on hand in January, when the thoughts of thrifty housewives turn toward the linen closet. Usually one pair of sheets and two pairs of pillowcases are sufficient for the annual replenishing. Two tablecloths, one dozen napkins and one-third the towel list added each year will insure ample comfort under ordinary conditions.—Harper's Bazar.

Things For Cooks to Know.

Not only drug chemists and scientists should know chemistry. The cook should know a little of it. For instance, she should know that 100 pounds of uncooked cabbage there are but 7 1/2 pounds of dry matter, and of this dry matter from 2 1/2 to 3 pounds are lost in the cooking process. Experiments with potatoes show that in order to obtain the highest food value potatoes should not be peeled before cooking; that when potatoes are peeled before cooking the least loss is sustained by putting them directly into hot water and boiling as rapidly as possible. Even then the loss is very considerable. If potatoes are peeled and soaked in cold water before boiling, the loss of nutrients is very great, being one-fourth of all the albumenoid matter. In a bushel of potatoes the loss would be equivalent to a pound of sirloin steak.

Carrots contain less nitrogen, but relatively more albumenoid nitrogen than potatoes, and therefore carrots are more available for building muscular tissue. In order to preserve the greatest amount of nutrients in the cooking of carrots the pieces should be large rather than small; the boiling should be rapid, so that the food value of the vegetable shall not be impaired. As little water as possible should be used, and if the water extracted is made available as food along with the carrot, a loss of 10 to 20 per cent, or even

more, of the total food value may be prevented.—New York Journal.

A Photograph Screen.

Nearly every woman has an accumulation of photographs that she doesn't know what to do with. There isn't a case in the lot that she could bear to destroy, and yet they are very much in the way. She really can't afford to pack them away out of sight, for many of the originals may appear on the scene at any time. A photograph screen solves the problem and makes the disposition of the pictures an easy matter. These screens come in all sizes, holding from four to one hundred or more photographs. They are made of silk, satin or cedar wood, and the panels fold after the style of the ordinary screen. One side is hand painted in water colors and the other is entirely filled with pockets for holding the pictures. A folding screen is a useful article in bedroom, boudoir or living room, and one covered with the faces of one's friends or of interesting personages is particularly valuable and interesting. The beauty about the photograph screen is that if one gets tired of the faces all one has to do is to turn them to the wall and then rest the eye on the pastoral scenes on the other side of the screen.

Practical Education of Girls.

Little girls in the primary grades could perfectly well be interested in their clothing—in the questions why dark clothing is more serviceable than white; why wool is more wholesome for people who are doing hard bodily work than cotton; why cleanliness is needed for the health of the skin, especially in the case of babies and little children, says a writer in The Chautauquan. In the fifth grade the children are already old enough to understand and take a keen interest in the simple principles of laundry work or even of dyeing, and their arithmetic might well concern itself with the cost of foods and the length of time that a garment may be expected to wear as a factor in determining the relative prices of goods.

White Silk Handkerchiefs.

The don'ts for laundering white silk handkerchiefs are: Don't iron white silk with a very hot iron, or the silk will be ruined and spelt; don't use any soap thoroughly out of them, or they will be coarse and hard; don't rub the soap directly upon them, or wash them in hot water, or they will become yellow to a certainty. These are the directions, by negative, to wash them well.

"Many children at school," said a student of children, "appear to be stupid when they are only badly nourished. They may have plenty to eat without a sufficient amount of nourishment. Study will not hurt a healthy child. Good, hard exercise helps the circulation of the blood."

Development, not repression, is the secret of child culture. One cannot raise fine fruits and flowers by merely fighting down the weeds. One must sow good seed and cultivate and water judiciously. It is the "do's," not the "don'ts," that really train the little ones.

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Twenty-Three Persons Lose Their Lives.

By Fire in a Chicago Hotel—Smoke Suffocated Them.

Chicago, Dec. 4.—Twenty-three persons met death in a fire in the Lincoln Hotel, 76 Madison street at 6 o'clock this morning. Nine of the bodies have been recovered. Little damage was done to the hotel, but the smoke was so dense that the persons who met their death were overcome and died before assistance could reach them.

Many jumped from the fourth story windows; others tried to save themselves by climbing down the fire escape in the front of the building only to lose their grasp of the cold iron bars and fall to the street.

The persons sleeping in the rear of the building on the top floor had no chance for their lives. A narrow stairway leading to all floors of the structure was afire, and the escape of the lodgers in the rear of the building was cut off. The firemen and policemen, in speaking of what they witnessed at the catastrophe, condemned the building as a "fire trap." Ambulances and patrol wagons from all parts of the city were called to the place to carry away the dead and injured.

All but fourteen of the guests at the hotel were out-of-town persons. Most of them came to Chicago to attend the International live stock show. By ten o'clock last night every room in the hotel, or place in which a cot could be erected, was in use. At that time a large number of the stockmen, with their families, were turned away. The hotel was filled.

Shortly after the fire broke out the firemen rushed up the stairway into the place and began the work of rescue. Men, women and children were carried down ladders, fire-escapes and smoked-filled halls. The building is constructed of brick, with one stairway leading to the upper floor and a fire escape in front of the building. E. C. Weber the night clerk, was one of the first persons to discover smoke on the second floor. It is believed that the fire began in this section of the building. Weber refused to make any statement, and after he had secured possession of the hotel register, he was taken to the Central station, where he is being detained. A short time after the fire was discovered consternation reigned on the upper floors. A Mrs. Sheppard's son was one of the first to be awakened by the presence of smoke. He awakened his mother and both began screaming. Many persons were thus warned of the danger and made their escape. The woman was so panic stricken however, that she was not among the first to attempt to escape and she was making her way into the most dangerous part of the building when a fireman seized her and her son and conducted them to the floor below, where he dropped them out of a window. J. E. Herbert of Salineville, Ohio, jumped from the fourth floor where he had been sleeping. He struck on the roof of 178 Madison street. His right leg was broken and he suffered internal injuries. He was taken to the county hospital. W. J. Thomas, a mail clerk, of Cedar Rapids, jumped through a window on the fourth floor.

On the fourth he managed to make his way to the fire escape and climbed to the ground. Previous Thomas escape twenty-five to thirty persons had climbed down the fire escape to the street. All were in their night clothing. The dead:

- H. K. Woods, Lebanon, Ind.
 - P. V. Slocum, Orono, Ill.
 - Samuel Yocum, T. C. Yocum, Dav-nsport.
 - Edward Turner, Milwaukee, identified by a letter found on the body.
 - Van Eleet, Richardson, Ind.
 - N. N. Fardick, Jamesville, Wis.
 - George Morris, Richmond, Wis.
- From what could be learned from persons who escaped from the building it appeared that the fire

was started probably by a lighted cigar in the carpet in the hallway of the second floor. Allen Oldorf, of Milwaukee, made a perilous descent from the fourth floor by scaling the wall by means of the iron shutters. Oldorf stated that he had seen at least a dozen persons on the top floor vainly endeavoring to make their way from the top of the building by means of the front stairway. Many of the bodies were found in the beds in positions of slumber. Others were found in the hallways lying face downwards in positions that vividly portrayed how they had vainly endeavored to save their lives. Some were half clad and others wore nothing but night clothing. It was by means of articles and letters in the pockets of what little clothing some of the dead persons wore that many identifications were made.

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A Frenchman was paying his first visit to London and was walking through Hyde park on one of the many foggy metropolitan mornings with an English friend.

Fog! Ha, ha, mon frere, ejaculated the Frenchman, now I understand you mean ven you say se sun nevair set on your dominion. Ma foi, it does not rise.

DO YOU BELCH GAS?

If you have uneasy sensations in the stomach, a bad taste in the mouth, headache-remember that ten drops of Polson's Nervine in sweetened water is a quick and certain cure. Nervine aids digestion, dispels the gas, makes you comfortable and free from distress at once. Nervine is just splendid for cramps, Colic, Dysentery, Stomach and Bowel Troubles, and costs only 25c. Better try it.

Bobbie had been forbidden to play with the water in the bathroom, but one day the temptation proved too strong, and he turned on the faucets. Nurse, coming to the door a little later, beheld a rapidly filling tub beside which knelt a small boy, who, with clasped hands and a terrified voice, was saying: Oh, Lord, if you know how, please turn off this water, but if you can't please send some one who can.

AN OBSTINATE CASE OF ECZEMA.
Mr. W. D. Johnson, Tilsonburg, Ont., writes that his father was entirely cured of a long-standing and obstinate case of Eczema, by the use of Dr. Chase's Ointment. His leg and foot were a mass of sores that refused to heal and he suffered terribly from the itching and stinging. Though he used a great many remedies, and was treated by first-class doctors no permanent relief was obtained until he used Dr. Chase's Ointment.

Tell me, said the easy mark, what sort of girl should I propose to?

Oh, rejoined the fortune teller, one who is rich, of course-and foolish.

LAMENESS IN HORSES, HARD AND SOFT LUMPS RELIEVED BY LEMING'S SPAIN LINIMENT.

For curing lameness from whatever cause, sprains, curb, splint, ringbone and for removing obstinate lumps and all similar injuries or diseases. Cure when everything else fails. Do not confound this preparation with spavin cures and other preparations. Leming's Spavin Liniment is different from any of them, the effects produced by the applications of Leming's Spavin Liniment are certain yet comparatively mild. Prepared by the Baird Company, Limited.

A woman, I notice, always lowers her voice to ask a favor. Yes, and raised her voice if she doesn't get it.

Minard's Liniment Cures Dandruff.

And afterward, when he had retired and gone to sleep, he found it was

THE HIGGINS CASE.

Before the Federal Cabinet To-day.

Minister of Justice Favors Law Taking its Course.

Ottawa, Dec. 4.—The Minister of Justice had the Higgins case (St. John murder case) up for consideration this forenoon. It is understood that the minister will report to the Executive Council that the law take its course, but in all such cases it is the vote of the Cabinet that prevails. However, the general rule it that the minister's report is accepted and in that case Higgins will be hanged on the 18th instant.

NATURE'S REMEDY FOR ALL SUMMER COMPLAINTS.

It only costs Twenty-five cents to have on hand a safe and sure remedy for all Summer Complaints, Diarrhoea, Cramps, and pains. Buy a bottle of Fuller's Blackberry Cordial. No day there is no remedy "just as good," tried and tested for over twenty-five years, it regulates the bowels and relieves promptly. Useful alike to both children and adults, prepared by the Baird Company Limited.

Mrs. Gaussip—I suppose you're careful to make your husband tell you everything that happens to him.

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First Mouse—You don't mean to say you are afraid of women?
Second Mouse—No, I'm not afraid of them, but they have such a way of scolding you know, really it just upsets me completely.



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Imparts a natural glow of warmth and health, without which, the system is always an easy prey to colds, chills and influenza, which are engendered in moments of weakness and undue fatigue. Bovril is not merely a stimulant, but a highly nourishing food, containing all the strengthening properties of beef in a most convenient and appetizing form. It can be prepared in a moment. Add a little boiling water and it is ready for use.

Why was it that they couldn't get along together?
Oh, he stuttered so badly that she never had time to wait around and get in the last word.

Minard's Liniment Cures Burns, etc.

He—Am I good enough for you, darling?
She—No, George; but you are too good for any other girl.

DR. HAMILTON'S PILLS CURE CONSTIPATION.

It is a well known fact that oxen and sheep fatten better in company than when kept alone.

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It is easy finding reasons why other folks should be patient;

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What is it—marrying to win a bet?
No—marrying without money.

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Always the same safe, pleasant and effectual remedy.

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Duck—Why?
Turkey—Well, you see, we both get stuffed in November.

MESSRS. C. C. RICHARDS & Co.
Gentlemen,—In June '98 I had my hand and wrist bitten and mangled by a vicious horse. I suffered greatly for several days and the tooth cuts refused to heal until your agent gave me a bottle of MINARD'S LINIMENT, which I began using, and the effect was magical. In five hours the pain had ceased, and in two weeks the wounds had completely healed and my hand and arm were as well as ever.

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THE UNION ADVOCATE, WEDNESDAY DECEMBER 10, 1902.

The WHIRL of the TOWN

SUBSCRIBERS will kindly watch the date opposite their names on the **ADVOCATE** each week, for two reasons:—to note when they are in arrears, and help the Publishers by paying up promptly, and when paid up to see that the date is changed. If.

Mr. D. Doyle has removed his stable to his new premises on the public wharf.

Choice cooking figs at Geo. Stables' eight cents a lb.

The steam ferry Lady Dufferin made her last trip of the season on Saturday last.

It was 20 degrees below zero yesterday morning and the wind blowing a hurricane. It was a regular January day.

The steamer Alexandra made regular trips up to Thursday evening. The river was clear of ice until Saturday night.

Mr. James O. Fish pressed 33 hundred of hay in one hour with the Dora and Fills hay press. Beat that if you can.

The annual sale of work and supper in connection with St. Andrew's Guild will be held on Thursday and the 11th, in the Town Hall.

When in town doing your Christmas shopping do not forget to call and pay your subscription to the Advocate. Also call and inspect our stock of stationery. Some lines are very suitable for Xmas gifts.

Capt. W. A. Pitt, the Kennebecensis navigator, says the steamer Lady Dufferin a double-end for teams and foot passengers, now running on the Miramichi may be purchased by certain parties to run on the trans-tributary route from Rothesay to Moss Glen next spring.—Globe.

The reservoir has been pumped full and an even pressure of 80 pounds has remained on the whole system of waterworks for several days. Engineer Wills Chipman is expected Thursday and the official test will be made at once, after which service connections will be made.

The members of St. James' Choir met at the home of Miss Mary Falconer last Wednesday to bid good bye to that young lady. Miss Falconer has gone to Boston. A token of appreciation was presented to her and those present spent a very pleasant evening. Miss Falconer has requested the Advocate to express her thanks to the members of St. James' choir for their much appreciated kindness.

Last Wednesday the men employed at the reservoir had a narrow escape from being suffocated by coke gas. They were burning coke in the reservoir to dry it and had to make frequent visits to replenish the fire. Mr. T. Duffy and a Mr. Carrol went more frequently than the others. At noon they all decided to go into the reservoir where it was warm to eat their lunch after which they climbed out leaving Duffy to enjoy the smoke. Later it was discovered that he seemed asleep or unconscious at the bottom and all efforts to arouse him were in vain. A rope was secured and one of the men descended and fastened it around his body and he was pulled out, after some difficulty, apparently lifeless. He was taken to a doctor and after hard work revived. The other men were all more or less affected.

The Y. M. C. A. rooms were more than filled on Sunday last at the afternoon meeting. Rev. Mr. Fraser gave an excellent address. The work in the new room is now complete except the heating apparatus which will be installed at once. This room will in future be used for the Sunday meetings and is large enough to accommodate a good audience. Rev. Mr. Palmer will give an address next Sunday at 4 o'clock.

Quite a number came last Friday night to listen to and take part in the debate. Subject—Resolved that "Imperial Federation would be preferable to our present condition." This subject although a very deep and far reaching one, proved to be of great interest and a most enjoyable and interesting time was spent. Next Friday night the subject for debate will be Resolved that the press has done more to advance civilization than the steam engine. All are welcome.

A meeting of the Executive Committee was held on Monday night last. Some small bills were passed. It was decided to have the rooms wired for electric lighting. Messrs. Hay and Follansbee submitted estimates of the cost which was accepted and they are given the contract. A Ping Pong table will be established in the new room at once. The game and physical culture committee are preparing a report as to probable cost of several new game and athletics of which might be installed in this room. Mr. J. G. Kroth was appointed financial secretary with full power to collect all dues, etc., due by members. An effort will be made to have all arrearages collected before the end of the year. A strong survey will also be made for new members.

A pound can of baking powder at Stables' for twenty cents.

We have just received a choice variety of writing pads, fancy note paper, and envelopes which we sell wholesale or retail.

A bad leak in the water main was discovered beyond the I. C. R. track and has been repaired.

A beautiful line of Ladies Slippers. Just the thing for a Xmas present. McMillan's Shoe Store.

Our stock of matted and colored card has arrived. Price 10c per sheet.

Do not forget the sale and tea in the Town Hall Thursday evening. St. Andrew's Guild always have a pleasant affair.

A heavy storm set in Friday. The wind blew a hurricane. Only about four inches of snow fell. Sunday night it commenced to snow again and their is now sufficient for good sleighing.

Another year and there is no skating on the river. In a few years all our good skaters will have died and the younger generation will not know how to skate. Can't we have a rink?

The Maritime Winter Fair and Fat Stock Show which opens at Amherst on the 16th of this month and runs for three days, marks the latest stage of advancement in Agricultural education in Canada as carried forward by the modern exhibition. The prize list is framed and all operations conducted with the sole purpose of presenting the live stock breeder with object lessons and instructions by means of addresses by leading agriculturists, which shall help him in the practical work of every day life.

The Judging Competition designed for the education of the younger men is particularly worthy of mention. Messrs. Harris Co., Maritime Branch, have offered \$50 in this department. The money has been divided into six prizes; \$12, \$8 and \$5 being offered for the best judging of Beef animals and a like amount for judging of dairy cows. All farmers or farmers' sons under twenty-five years of age may compete, and entries will be received up to the evening of the first day of the Show. Contestants will pass upon animals selected and their work will be judged by a scale providing 50 points for selection, 40 points for reasons given, and 10 points for promptitude. An entrance fee of \$1 will be charged for each class. Excursion tickets will be issued on the Standard certificate plan on all railroad and steamboat lines at one fare from December 13th, good to return December 23rd.

Dr. A. Pierce Crockett, specialist on the eye, ear, nose and throat, who has just returned from the hospitals of Vienna and London will be at the Waverly Hotel Thursday Dec. 18th, where he may be consulted. Dr. Crockett has decided to locate in St. John.

FOOTWEAR.

My stock of GUM RUBBERS, OVERSHOES, FLINED and UNFLINED RUBBERS, is open and ready for inspection. The following will give an idea of the different kinds I have in stock:—

Gum Rubbers, for Men and Boys.
Knee boots, low gum shoes, without buckle, one and two buckle, one buckle, snap proof, with corrugated edge, high laced, snap proof, with corrugated edge, two buckle, lined, snap proof, solid heel, with corrugated edge.

Overshoes for Men, Boys, Ladies, Misses & Children.
Storm, three buckle, Manitoba, plain felt, snow excluders, Jersey Arctics, plain felt, buttoned.

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Croquet slippers, plain and imitation sandals, storm, lined and unlined, also Gaiters for LADIES and MISSES.

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SPECIAL CHRISTMAS SALE

Will begin on
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We have about 50 pairs of heavy wool hose, former price 25c, and 35c. Will sell for 15c. to clear. Just think of it!

Don't forget our ANNUAL SALE of Ladies' and Children's Aprons. We have a better variety than ever before, at prices that will astonish you. For the better lots we have nice velvet and cloth bonnets, prettily trimmed coats, dresses, etc.

A nice line of silk and linen handkerchiefs, ribbons, ladies' silk neckties, suitable for gifts.

NOTE:—We have still a few of our Opening Hats left which will be sold at half price. Ladies' and children's knockabouts. Everything must be cleared so come and secure bargains.

Mrs. H. J. Morris.

Dec. 8th, 1902.

Social and Personal

Miss Minnie Brown left for New Glasgow N. S., where she will spend the winter.

Miss Mary Falconer has gone to Boston. She will shortly enter a Hospital to train for a nurse.

Mrs. James H. MacDonald of Beverly Mass. is visiting her mother Mrs. George Wiseman.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Call, Mrs. Edwin T. Jones and daughter and Mrs. E. Hutchison left for St. John Monday morning. Mrs. Jones is on her return to Denver, Col., via Montreal and Chicago.

Mrs. Thorold of Toronto is visiting Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Thorold.

OBITUARY.

By the death of Mr. Daniel McGruar which occurred on Tuesday, Dec. 2nd, Newcastle has lost one of her oldest and most respected citizens, one who has ever led an upright and honest life. He was born in Inverness, Scotland in 1815 and came to Miramichi in 1823, two years previous to the Miramichi fire and landed at Nelson. In his early youth he was apprenticed to a tailor which trade he learned and followed for some years. Later he was appointed Customs inspector which office he retained for thirty-five years, when he was superannuated.

He was a man with a strong intelligent mind and was a fearless speaker in the cause of right and justice. As a talker of the early history of the Miramichi, he was ever interesting and his description of Newcastle previous to the great fire and since has been listened to by many with great interest.

As a member of the various societies to which he belonged he was ever a steadfast and worthy member. In the Newcastle Division rooms he will be greatly missed and the office of Treasurer which he has held for over thirty years will now be filled by another. He was the last survivor of the long list of Charter members of this organization, which he was largely instrumental in having organized and later in keeping up the work.

He was also a charter member of No. 1000 L. O. L., and was that lodge's first Worshipful Master.

As a Mason his place will not be easily filled. During his life until he became too feeble, he was a regular attendant to lodge and has filled the office of W. M. on various occasions.

He leaves a wife and two sons and two daughters to mourn the loss of an affectionate husband and father. Deceased was 87 years of age.

The funeral from his late residence on Fort Street was very largely attended, the member of Northumberland Lodge, A. F. & A. M., No. 1000, L. O. L. and Newcastle Division S. O. T., being present in regalia. The Orange Band played the Dead March in Saul.

Interment in St. James cemetery of which church the deceased was a life long member.

Coughs, colds, hoarseness, and other throat ailments are quickly relieved by Vapo-Cresolene tablets, ten cents per box. All druggists.



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We are daily expecting a nice line of Xmas candy. Everything sold low for Cash.

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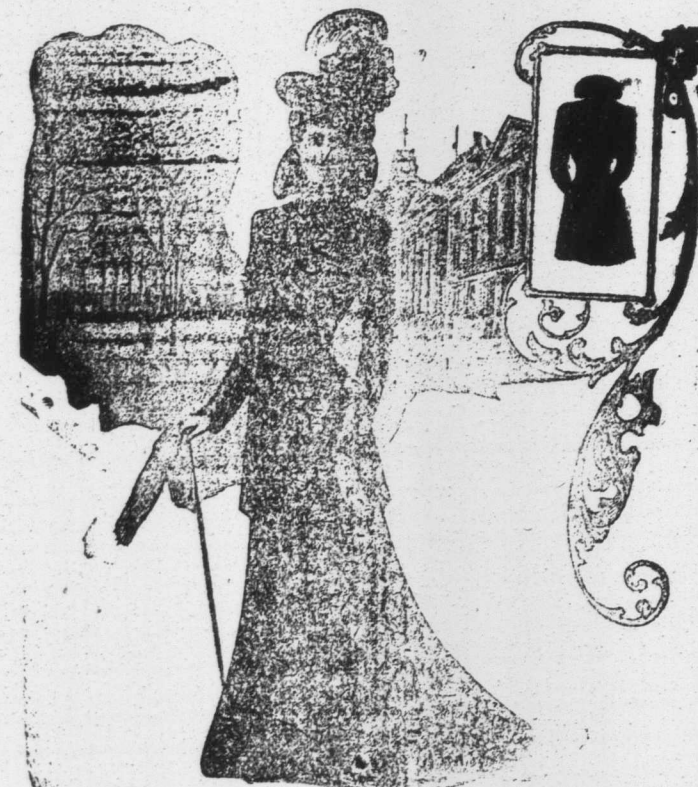
FOR XMAS BAKING

Our full supply of Xmas groceries is now in. The stock consists of Raisins, Currants, Peels, Figs, Dates, Nuts, Apples, Flavoring Extracts, Spices, Mince Meat, Sugar, Molasses, Canned Goods, Lard, Butter, Cheese, Hams, Bacon and anything else required to make the usual lot of good things for Xmas.

We guarantee our prices to be the lowest in town as we bought for cash before the advance in price of many of the above mentioned articles and we are giving our customers advantage of our early buying. See our goods before buying elsewhere. It will be a pleasure to show them even if you don't buy.

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Men's Larrigans from \$1.00.
Acme Club Skates 50c. per pair.
Briar Pipes 15c. each.

Ladies' Fur Neck Ruffs \$1.00.
Souvenir Hat Pins 25c.
Ladies' Purses from 10c. upward.
Maple Leaf Brooches 25c.
New Buckskin Moccasins.
Heavy Wool Hose 23c. per pair.
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