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4 QUEENS COUNTY GAZETTE, GAGETOWN, N. B., WEDNESDAY, DEC. 13, 1899.

Bargains for Christmas Shoppers IN MEN'S FURNISHINGS.

Tie Department.

We carry a choice line of Christmas Neckties far below other store prices. 25c., 35c., 45c., 50c., 60c. and 75c.

Jewelry Department.

Nothing makes a prettier gift than something in Jewelry. Ring Studs, Collar Studs, Tie Pins, Cuff Links, at all prices.

Glove Department.

We will save you money in this part of the store. All Styles of Lined Kid gloves. From 50 cents a pair to \$2.00.

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Mill

Street.

Underwear Department.

The sheep would refuse to be sheared if he knew his wool would be sold at so small a price. From 50 cents a garment to \$1.25, all sizes.

Suspenders Department.

Are loving people will find these bargains. Satin Suspenders with Flowers Embossed. From 35 cents to \$1.00 a pair.

Hat Department.

All styles of Hats, for Young Men and Old Men, all shades, all sizes, Hard and Soft Hats. From 99 cents to \$2.00.

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158 Mill Street, Near Main Street, North End, Saint John, N. B.

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GAGETOWN, N. B.

This Gazette will be published every Wednesday morning in time for despatch by the earliest mails of the day. Its subscription price is \$1.00 per year in advance. Advertising rates made known on application.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed Receiver of the Estate of the late William Vassie, deceased, and will receive all claims against the said estate.

Queens County Gazette.

GAGETOWN, N. B., DECEMBER 13, 1899

WOMEN WHO ARE SELF-DEPENDENT.

Women who have shifless husbands, some or brothers, should not be cast down nor dependent, for they have their own hands and their own brains, often very good brains, and the right to exercise them as they will. The most successful cattle farmers, dairy farmers, poultry farmers and frog farms on the continent are run by women. And these women do not spend their time talking about women's rights or women's wrongs, but take their rights and redress their wrongs without asking questions and nobody says them nay. More than this, every body honors the woman who, when confronted with difficulties, meets them with a determination not to be overcome. By doing this she does not make a man of herself (it would be pitiful if she did), but she is self-dependent, and she attains to the highest dignity of womanhood. There is a woman in Maine who personally conducts a large farm successfully; she also conducts an express business, and in her unoccupied moments performs the duties of a police magistrate, and prosecutes pension claims. A widow, she found herself dependent on herself and met the emergency bravely and successfully.

ST. JOHN LETTER.

The Jew is steadily strengthening himself in Palestine and there is every reason for the belief that in fifty years, and may be less, the ancient people will be in undisputed possession of their inheritance. Everywhere else in the world they are pilgrims and strangers who take no root in the soil, but conduct themselves as if at any moment the command might come to "move on," and so they have lived for more than 1800 years. The Jew in St. John, like the Jew everywhere else, is a sojourner, waiting with more or less patience for deliverance from captivity. At the present time Palestine has a population of 43,000 Hebrews, 9,000 Christians and 8,000 Mohammedans. The estate of the late William Vassie is valued at \$67,500.

One or two ships from Santos where the bubonic plague prevails, are not likely to be allowed to discharge their cargoes of coffee at any maritime province port. Telephone communication with Partridge Island is to be established in the near future.

An unfortunate in the lock up made three unsuccessful attempts to commit suicide last Thursday morning by hanging. Breadstuffs and provisions are generally firm at last week's quotations. Burning oils are higher; White Rose is quoted at 20 1/2 cents per gal.; Globe at 20 1/2 cents and Silver Star at 18 1/2 cents. Lard is firmer and held at 7 1/2 and 8 1/2 cents per pound. Cheese is firm at 12 cents. Geo. S. deForest & Sons have just landed direct from Havana 10,000 fancy cigars for the Christmas trade.

About a dozen fine granite monuments were erected in Fernhill last month, several of which are from the works of Sleeth, Quinlan & Co.

EDWARD EDWARDS.

St. John, Dec. 9.

ANOTHER CASE.

New Brunswick is being Cleared of Backache by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Sealed Man Reported Cured—All over the Province the good word goes on—Dodd's Kidney Pills are conquering Backache.

REAR, N. B., Dec. 11.—From the days when the French battled against the whole of Ireland nothing has been seen like the wholesale operations of a certain remedy in this Province. It has banished disease in hundreds of districts, and is steadily increasing its influence and popularity. The medicine referred to is Dodd's Kidney Pills, the greatest kidney remedy ever discovered.

All kinds of Kidney Diseases are being cleared from New Brunswick before Dodd's Kidney Pills. Bright's Disease and Diabetes, the two formerly invincible destroyers, have lost their power the instant that Dodd's Kidney Pills came on the scene. Backache is conquered and flying from all parts of the Province. Last week it was reported routed in Antigonish, where H. M. Spens was cured. Now it is Frank P. Mills in Zealand.

Similarly the other forms and allies of Kidney Disease are being ousted—Rheumatism, Heart Disease, Dropsy, Lumbago, Sciatica, Urinary and Bladder Troubles, Woman's Weakness and Blood Impurities.

Frank P. Mills, of Zealand, says about his case of Backache:—"I tried everything I could think of to no purpose. I had given up hope of getting rid of my misery when I thought I would try one more. This time I bought a box of Dodd's Kidney Pills. I have only taken one box and I feel like a new man. The lameness has all left my back and I think I am entirely cured and would recommend Dodd's Kidney Pills to all persons suffering with like trouble."

Young Woman Suicided.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Dec. 7.—Ellen Barrett, aged seventeen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Barrett, residing on Murray Place, committed suicide this afternoon by drinking carbolic acid. The girl was repimanded by her parents on her return home early this morning from a dance out of town which she attended. Later in the morning the girl left her home for a short while, during which time, it appears, she purchased the poison and about three o'clock this afternoon went out to an alleyway and drank the contents of a two ounce vial and then returned to the house and told her mother what she had done. Medical aid was at once summoned, but it proved unavailing, and the girl died after suffering considerable agony. The girl was the daughter of a working people, but from what has been learned it is surmised she was dissatisfied with her lot because she also had to work.

He Fooled the Surgeons.

All doctors told Reukie Hamilton, of West Jefferson, O., after suffering 15 months from Racial Pustula, he would die unless a costly operation was performed; but he cured himself with five boxes of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the surest Pile cure on Earth, and the best Salve in the World. 25 cents a box. Sold by all Druggists.

A Dynamite Plot.

BELFAST, Dec. 4.—The News-Letter publishes a story from Dublin to the effect that a plot to blow up Dublin Castle has been discovered. The plans to destroy the castle had almost matured.

The guards at all the military barracks have been doubled and extraordinary precautions have been taken to prevent outrage. Unknown persons are excluded from the castle grounds.

Gas Caused Two Deaths.

New York, Dec. 8.—Policeman Oshl L. Henah, of the McDougal street station, and a young woman, said to be Mamie Bohn, twenty-five years old, were found dead in bed early today in a room of a Hamilton street hotel. They had been killed by gas, the two jets in the room being found turned on in full. All windows were closed tightly and the gasman over the door was shut. There were marks of scratches on the man's face, which gave rise to the theory that he and the woman might have quarreled before they retired. Henah was known as an efficient officer. His father is a wealthy retired butcher.

The Rev. Irl R. Hicks Almanac.

There is no comparison between former editions, and this splendid Almanac for 1900, now ready. Printed in beautiful colors, on much finer paper, its 128 pages are packed with invaluable information on storms, astronomy and meteorology. It is illustrated with nearly 600 finest half-tones and other engravings. This superb book would sell anywhere for fifty cents, but it costs only 15c. a copy, and every subscriber to Rev. Irl R. Hicks' now famous paper, Word and Works, at \$1.00 a year, receives this elegant Almanac as a premium. Word and Works is a recognized leader among the best family and scientific journals, while nothing of its kind can compare with the Hicks Almanac. One dollar a year is a nominal price for such unique and useful publications. Professor Hicks has justly, and at necessity, withdrawn his storm and weather forecasts from all free almanacs, having generously given his time and labor free for nearly twenty years. Word and Works Pub. Co., 2201 Locust St., St. Louis, Mo.

Patent Report.

Below will be found a list of patents recently granted by the Canadian Government through Messrs. Marion & Marion, Solicitors of Patents, New York Life Building, Montreal.

63,298—Louis Alphonse Nadeau, Iverville, N. Y.—Noek Yoks.
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65,050—Ameece Lecours, Ville St. Paul, Montreal.—Chair.
65,057—Mrs. Victorine Lambert, Glen Falls, V. Y.—Pattern for cutting skirt.
65,078—Alf. E. Luttrell, Lannocston, Australia.—Rotary Pump.
65,108—Albert Kryzat, Berlin, Germany, Machine for twisting and knotting threads.
65,097—Jno. Stewart McIlraith, Bal-durson, Ont.—Hasting steam.

The Philippine War.

MANILA, Dec. 8.—There was considerable relief in Manila when the news was received here to-day that Gen. Young's small force had arrived safely at Vigan, province of South Iloilo, Dec. 6. Anxiety had been felt for Gen. Young and the garrison at Vigan since it was known that Gen. Tiao had a large aggressive body of insurgents operating in the vicinity. Gen. Tiao made a stand in the mountain passes between Narvacan and Saquinio. The natural strength of the position was augmented by trenches and pitfalls. The fight lasted five hours. Gen. Young ended the fight by charging and routing the enemy who left 25 dead, several rifles and thousands of rounds of ammunition in the trenches. The enemy employed artillery; only one American was seriously wounded. The uprising in the Island of Negros was led by the police of La Cortina district, where there is a small American garrison. The police inspired false reports of insurgent victories in Luzon and Pamp. There are 200 native police in Negros, uniformed and armed with Springfield rifles.

Fatal Accident.

ASTORIA, N. B., Dec. 4.—A sad accident happened last night on the road from Lochaber to Sherbrooke. The Sherbrooke coach driven by Thomas Sears, a man about eighteen or nineteen, left Lochaber about 7 o'clock in the evening. It was very dark night, wind blowing heavily, with showers of rain. As Sears did not turn up, a man sent out from Sherbrooke to meet the coach half way came through to Lochaber. He reported that he had seen nothing of Sears or his team. A search party was sent out at once and about 4 miles from Lochaber stables they found the coach overturned, with the driver pinned down under it, dead. One of the horses was killed and the other badly injured. In the darkness the driver seems to have driven off the road over the end of a small bridge. Great sympathy is felt for the mother of young Sears, who was an excellent son, the support and comfort of his widowed mother and younger brothers and sisters.

Agents—Our book on South Africa and the British-Boer War is a regular best-seller for agents. Big, cheap book. Sells on sight. Outfit free.

BRADLEY-GARRETTSON CO., Ltd. Brantford.

Agents—Our Christmas books are ready. From 75c. up. Four books explained in one Prospectus. One is anonymous Men and Great Events of the Nineteenth Century. Great battles, Great Men, Great Inventions and Discoveries, Progress of Nations, every great event of the century. If you have a slow selling book or engaged in other agency business you lose money to continue. Here is the best opportunity for making money you ever had. Big profit, easy time, new plan, get on offer sure.

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Agents—Dreyfus, the Prisoner of Devil's Island. Full story of the most remarkable Military Trial and Scandal of the age. Big book, well illustrated, sells on sight. Snap for canvassers.

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Wanted—\$3 per day, gentlemen or ladies; special work; positive permanent reliable firm, with best references; experience unnecessary.

S. M. FRY, Field Manager, Hamilton.

Union Blend Teas.

The following are the names of persons who had lucky keys and received the following cash premiums:

Mrs. John R. Fisher, Truro, N. S., \$3.00; Mrs. John D. Barkhouse, Canada Creek, Kings Co., N. S., \$10.00; John N. O'Neill, Chatham, North Co., N. B., \$15.00; Mrs. Eugene Robichaud, Mansel, North Co., N. B., \$20.00; Miss E. J. Faulds, Spring Hill Mines, N. S., \$25.00; Mrs. Robert Coupe, Black Bay, Charlotte Co., N. B., \$50.00; Maggie O'Connor, Arlington, Lot 14, A. E. I., \$75.00; Nellie Upton, 137 Princess St., St. John, N. B., \$100.00; James Wallace, (587 keys) Dalhousie, N. B., \$100.00.

Messrs Geo. S. deForest & Sons of St. John, N. B., proprietors of the Union Blend Teas, have found "The Keys" a most satisfactory advertisement and will repeat it next year. Instead of eight prizes there will be one hundred and twenty-nine, aggregating the same as this year. The whole arrangement is explained on a card in each package of the Union Blend Teas.

COOK'S NEW BLOOD PILLS.

"You had no idea Oxfords were so flashy"



They dress you up, besides being so durable and comfortable.

Our agents carry a good stock and show samples of our latest productions.

J. W. DICKIE, Gagetown.
JOHN ROBINSON, JR., Narrows.
WM. LIVINGSTON, Inceby.
D. PALMER, JR., Douglas Harbor.
ESTABROOKS & BURPEE, Upper Gagetown.

YOU WEAR OXFORDS

Barbed Wire Fencing.
4 POINTS—6 INCHES APART.
Plain Wire Fencing.
Woven Wire Fencing.
Poultry Netting, Etc.

Pumps for all Purposes
WATERING STOCK,
WASHING CARRIAGES,
WELL PUMPS,
HOUSE PUMPS, &c.

Send for our Pump Catalogue.

T. McAVITY & SONS.
ST. JOHN, N. B.

FREE We give the beautiful book for setting out the packages of Pump all ten cents each. These packages are manufactured in the United States and each is stamped with the name of the manufacturer. The book is of great value to all who are engaged in the business of setting out pumps. Write us and we will send you the book free of charge. It is the best of its kind and is sold everywhere.

HO FOR CHRISTMAS!

Having laid in a large supply for the Christmas Trade and for Santa Claus consisting of

Nuts, Raisins, Currant, Citron, Lemon and Orange Peel, Spices of all kinds, Powdered and Leaf Sugar, Candies of all kinds, Mixed Biscuits, Canned Goods, Pickles, Chow-Chow.

DRY GOODS OF ALL KINDS,
Fancy Handkerchiefs, Mufflers, Dolls, Perfumery, etc., etc. Fancy Cups and Saucers, Plates, Pitchers of all kinds, Glassware, etc.

—ALSO—

Cooking Stoves, Close Stoves,
One Stove in Good Order.
Sugar, Molasses, Oatmeal, Flour, Graham Flour, Boots, Shoes, Shoepacks, Moccasins, Ulsters, Reefers, Jumpers, and Pieces of Harness, Sweat Pads, Etc., Etc.

All Sold at Lowest Prices or Exchanged for Produce.

JOHN W. DICKIE,
GAGETOWN, N. B.

EST OIL. American Kerosene. Will not blacken chimney. A Trial Convinces.

Porto Rico Molasses. At Bottom Prices for Cash.

TEAS and SUGARS. Ladies' Gent's and Children's Neck Ties, Gloves, Hosiery, etc.

Wall Paper and Shades. Country Produce Taken in Exchange.

JOS. RUBINS, Gagetown, N. B. First Store from Steamboat Landing.

I have received the Agency for the Globe Laundry, St. John and all work left at my store will receive prompt attention.

BOOTS SHOES GREAT BARGAINS! Ladies' Button Boots \$1.00, \$1.10, \$1.20 to \$2.50.

All new goods must be sold out to make room for fall stock.

JOS. IRVINE, Three Doors Below St. Luke's Church, 307 MAIN STREET, ST. JOHN, N. B.

Jas. V. Russell, SUCCESSOR TO MR. T. A. VINCENT.

Wholesale and Retail Dealer in BOOTS, SHOES AND SLIPPERS of every description at Lowest Prices.

Christmas PREPARINGS LEMONT'S

Fredericton, N. B. HERE IS SANTA CLAUS HEADQUARTERS.

OUR FANCY GOODS COUNTERS Are now ready for inspection.

10, 25, 50c. and \$1 Articles BARGAINS FOR ALL!

Our Stock for Christmas is larger than ever, comprising almost every style and quality of Gifts

- IN FURNITURE
IN GLASS
IN LEATHER
IN WOOD
IN SILVERWARE
IN IRON
IN BRASS
IN CELLULOID
IN PAPER
IN WAX
IN RATTAN
IN STEEL
IN CHINA
IN STONE WARE
IN COTTON
IN INDIAN MAKES
IN TIN
IN PAINTINGS.

Fredericton is a Good Market, Come and Get Bargains

LEMONT'S

New Advertisements.

P. Nass & Son, Lumbering Patterson & Watson, Kins Prosopis, J. W. Dickie, For Christmas Dishes, etc.

Local Happenings.

Items of Local Interest Carefully Prepared by the Gazette's 'Man About Town.'

Mad Professor - We are in receipt of a bunch of May Flies picked in the woods at Douglas Harbor on December 1st.

Was - Mrs. Harry Vail will receive her guests on Wednesday and Thursday, Dec. 13th and 14th.

Money - A small sum of money found in the gutter, can be had by the finder by applying to Mr. Dickie and describing same.

There's a lot of everything; and of some things there is too. We carry a lot of goods at the Union Hotel, 100, if you try it.

Christmas - The Rev. I. N. Parker has made great improvements in the parsonage and out buildings in this since Conference.

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Fancy Sale and Turkey Supper - Don't forget the Fancy Sale and Turkey Supper to be held in the Temperance Hall this (Wednesday) afternoon.

Lets - NARRATOR - At an early hour on Monday morning, 4th inst, midst of quite a fall of snow.

Horse Races - Horse races will be held at Young's Cove, Queens Co., on Friday, December 29, 1899, at 2 o'clock p.m.

QUEENS COUNTY LIBERAL MEETINGS - Mr. C. J. Milligan, organizer for the Liberal party in New Brunswick, will visit Queens county this week.

PREPARING FOR CHRISTMAS - The stores here are putting on their holiday attire. A large amount of Christmas goods are to be found in them this year.

CHRISTMAS TREE - The ladies of the Methodist Church, Sunday School, will hold a Christmas tree and entertainment in the Temperance Hall on Wednesday evening, the 27th inst.

MAJORITY ELECTION - The general election for the Local Legislative of Manitoba was held on Thursday last, resulting in the defeat of the Greenway administration.

PLEASANT EVENING - A very pleasant time was spent at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Byles on Wednesday evening last, when about twenty invited guests assembled at their home.

DEATH OF MR. W. F. GROSS - The very sudden death of Mr. William F. George, which occurred at his home at Upper Schville Sunday afternoon, was heart-rending to all who knew him.

Canadian Loyalty - No concern in this country enjoys the confidence of the Canadian people more than the 'Family Herald and Weekly Star' of Montreal.

PERSONAL - Hon. L. F. Farris, of White's Cove was in town Friday.

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OUR PRICES ARE Always Lower Than Other Stores.

Try Us and See!

We have not heard of a single store in the City of Saint John that can undersell us, our reputation for Low Prices are so well known to the public.

ALL SHOULD COME!

White Quills. A special sale of large size white Quills worth one dollar each at only 50c. each.

Men's Shirts and Drawers. We have sold hundreds of men's all wool shirts and drawers during this month, no wonder when you can get an all wool suit shirt and drawers for 95c. for the suit, ribbed or plain.

White Shirts. A bargain in men's white shirts made from a heavy cotton and guaranteed to wear only 45c. each.

Oxford Tweed. We have the greatest value in Cloth ever offered. 30c. quality to be had only from us at 45c. yard.

FOR SALE. Hay for sale or in exchange for grain. Also some heavy horses, fit for the woods.

150 POPULAR SONGS. A new volume of 150 popular songs, with words and music complete. A grand collection of the world's popular songs, suitable for family use.

NOTICE. All persons who have not yet paid their County Taxes for the Parish of Hamstead will do so on or before December 16th, 1899, or else legal proceedings will be taken against such to collect same.

Crispness, Variety, Brightness, Symmetry, Thoroughness, Up-to-dateness.

S. KERR & SON

Charles Grass, of Oromocto, brought to the city last week, the skin of a large animal trapped by him on Wednesday in the woods near his home.

In some respects the skin resembles that of a wild cat, but nobody could be found who ever saw or heard tell of a wild cat half as large as the owner of this skin must have been.

These are some of the features which characterize our courses of study and qualify our graduates for their success.

Send for our Business and Short-hand Catalogues.

Our Calendars for 1900 are out. If you do not receive one write to us.



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385 MAIN STREET
St. John, N. B., North End.

Play Checkers on this Ad

if you wish—it is intended for the service of the public. But our Ads really serve a better purpose than this—do you a great service. They tell you where and how to get desirable goods at reasonable prices. From so well assorted a stock you are sure to find something to exactly suit you.

Ladies' Blouses 75c. to \$2.00.	Black Lustrous Plain or Figured 30c. to 75c.	Ladies' Dress Goods 15, 22, 27, 35, 40, 55, 60 cts.	Ladies' Jackets Latest Styles \$2.75 to \$5.50
Jacket and Ulster Cloth 34 in. wide 75c. to \$1.75 yd.	Wool Blankets \$2.55, \$2.85, \$3.25, \$3.65, \$4.00, \$4.40.	Black Serges 25 to 70c.	Children's Cashmere Stockings From 16c. Up.
Flannelette	Grey Cotton 30 Yards	Black Flannel 30 Yards	Corsets from 30c. Pair Up.
WRAPPERS.	Ugghams Starting at 5c. yard.	Men's Undershirts and upwards.	Working Pants Strong & Heavy only \$1.25, \$1.40.
OPEN EVERY EVENING UNTIL 9.30.	OILCLOTH only 45c. yard.	Men's Overalls \$1.25, \$1.50.	Lumbermen's Oversocks 55c. and \$1.00.
	Tapstry Carpets 35, 40, 50, 55, 60 cts. yard.	Men's Union Carpets Yard.	Stamped Mats 25c. Each.
	Window Shades Best Rollers, 30 to 80c.	Trunks \$1.35, \$1.65, \$1.85, \$2.25.	

Correspondence.

Spicy News Items Gathered by Gazette Correspondents

Ryan Brook.

SULLIVAN'S CAMP, Dec. 4.—Thinking that our friends would like to hear how things are running on Ryan Brook and hoping that you will find space in your valuable paper for the purpose of letting them know, I will try my best to tell them of the way everything is going along.

The weather of late has been fine and mud being all dried up and the logs are going up lively.

The big greys Harry and Patch driven by John Sullivan are counted the leading team; getting one hundred and sixty-five per day. The good work is done for the crew of good men. The choppers are Charles Shanks, E. Edward Appleby, closely followed by Sandy Lyons and William Law, swampers. Fred Hamilton tender, being long in the legs has no trouble to keep the team moving, and Johnnie Curbie can skid them to a hair.

Next to the greys are Colonel and Jimmie the Boss's own team driven by B. Foreman and he thinks himself as good as any of them and his crew are not to be grinned at. The choppers are George Husack and L. McKague followed by William Craig and William Dillen. The knots are cast off by Brownie and skidded by J. M. Howe.

Lemuel Hovey the cook can put the cream-cakes up a little the best of anyone on the water. It would do you good to see the boys eating them.

The Boss, Mr. Sullivan carefully looks up the roads.

Brown and Sullivan have been trapping and caught a beautiful sable.

The cook was out calling on Sunday afternoon and Mr. Appleby officiated in his place.

Cambridge.

Dec. 7.—The weather for the past few days has been a little like winter and the skaters have been eagerly looking forward to a good time on the ice.

Mr. Arthur Straight who spent the summer in Boston has returned home and his many friends are glad to see him with them once more.

Mr. Ernest Straight who successfully conducted the school at the Narrows during the past term has resigned. He intends taking a course at the Business College in St. John.

The W. O. T. U. of McDonald's Corner, purpose holding a contest and the contest on Wednesday, Dec. 27th. After the sale there will be a concert, which doubtless will be the best of the season. Everyone should try and be present.

Christmas holidays are being anxiously looked forward to.

It is reported that J. P. Bulyea has resigned his charge of the Cambridge school. Mr. Bulyea has taught a very successful school for the last term and should be leave it will be much to the regret of parents and pupils.

The many friends of Miss Alice H. Belyea, who has been confined to the house for several weeks with a severe attack of rheumatism, will be pleased to learn that she is able to be around again.

Discovered by a Woman.

Another great discovery has been made and that too by a lady in this country. "Disease" fastened its clutches upon her and for seven years she withstood its severest tests, but her vital organs were undermined and death seemed imminent. For three months she coughed incessantly, and could not sleep. She finally discovered a way to recovery, by purchasing of us a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, and was so much relieved on taking first dose, that she slept all night; and with two bottles has been absolutely cured. Her name is Mrs. Luther Letz. Thus writes W. C. Hamrick & Co., of Shelby, N. C. Sold by all Druggists at 50 cents and \$1.00. Every bottle guaranteed.

Cole's Island.

Dec. 7.—There has been considerable improvements in this locality this summer. Alfred West has put a large cellar under his store, with a double wall and cement floor. J. B. Cole has about finished a fine cottage; John Murray has built a large wood house, kitchen and a very fine ice house. These new buildings add much to the appearance of the place. J. Fowler has built a fine barn with cellar underneath, being the first barn of the kind built in this place.

Alfred West and C. B. Parker the two large lumber operators are in the woods in full force.

Nearly all the young men are in the woods, and their smiling faces are missed in our social gatherings. George Elliott is extensively engaged in the hard wood trade, he gives employment to a number of men and horses.

The first of the year the daily mail will be carried from Cole's to Cole's Island. The Young's Cove route will be abandoned.

There has been more licenses sold this

year for hunting moose than has been sold in any year since the new game law was made.

In the "Gazette" of the 29th of Nov. there was an item stating that Capt. Brennan of the May Queen, had captured a white deer; and also stating that some specimens were forwarded by reliable parties that two of that species of deer had been seen by a resident here last winter. One was seen on the Salmon Creek near Fred Perry's and the other on the West side of the Westside dam. In both cases he failed to capture either. He reports them as being very shy and different from other deer, for when approached by an strange object they never jump but seem to vanish with magnetic power. As he has had some experience in deer hunting he is in hopes of capturing one this winter with the help of his dog. He says that they seldom mix with other deer and if any one has had any experience in deer hunting can easily know the difference in their tracks. When the snow is deep enough he will take their tracks and with his dog run them down for he is determined to get one this year. Attention of the Game-Wardens—Is it lawful to worry deer with dogs, or decoy them in snares by the use of lanterns?

The Appetite of a Goat

Is envied by all poor dyspeptics whose Stomach and Liver are out of order. All such should know that Dr. King's New Life Pill, the wonderful Stomach and Liver Remedy, gives a splendid appetite, sound digestion and a regular bodily habit that insures perfect health and great energy. Only 25 cents at any Drug Store.

Boston Letter.

Boston, Mass., Dec. 2nd, 1899.

To EDITOR QUEENS COUNTY GAZETTE.

The weather prevailing here for the last few weeks has been mild, and would be more adapted to the early fall; contrasting very favorably with the weather of twelve months, this time, just elapsed; which shall remain fresh in the memories of many for a lifetime, owing to the sad accident that befel them by the ill-fated Portland, and was accompanied with such loss of life, piercing the hearts of many happy homesteads with sorrow and despair. Many a loving wife was anxiously awaiting a husband whose body was lying cold and stiff in death at the bottom of the sea. The waves danced as if

in mournful gloom, and the wind drowned the voices of the unfortunate occupants who were screaming for help when none was nigh. Again picture the scene of the widow, whose only son on his return to be embraced by a mother whose only consolation he has, she embosomed by the seething waters which open and she swoon his forever, just as a hungry beast devours its prey. It is the reminiscence of such an unhappy and dreadful calamity that makes us here in the east note and appreciate this unseasonable weather, with which there is no loss of life, or sudden and unprovided catastrophe. We earnestly trust and hope that we may never experience weather like that of November 27th, 1898 again, along our coasts, and the subscribers would kindly say that the families of the beloved friends and relatives have the universal and sincere sympathy in their past afflictions.

I remain yours,
G. D. COLWELL.

Queens-town.

Mr. John Rathburn is rapidly moving, through Queens-town with his threshing machine, having recently purchased a fine horse for the purpose.

Mr. Walter Scott, of North Queens-town, while skating on the ice last Friday the ice gave way, and after making several attempts to get out, alarmed the citizens and by the timely arrival of Merritt Bros. was safely brought on dry land. Plenty of help arrived after the unfortunate boy was saved, and all pronounced it a miraculous escape. The ice which looked good in reality is a skin. This should be a warning to youths who are tempted on the ice before it is sufficiently to carry them.

Mr. Jerry Davis has purchased a valuation horse from James Brown and intends to enter it in the races in the near future.

Glorious News

Comes from Dr. D. B. Cargile, of Washita, I. T. He writes: "Four bottles of Electric Bitters has cured Mrs. Brewer of scrofula, which had caused her great suffering for years. Terrible sores would break out on her head and face, and the best doctors could give no help; but her cure is complete and her health is excellent." This shows what thousands have proved,—that Electric Bitters is the best blood purifier known. It's the supreme remedy for eczema, tetter, salt rheum, ulcers, boils and running sores. It stimulates liver, kidney and bowels, expels poisons, helps digestion, builds up the strength. Only 50 cents. Sold by all Druggists, every bottle guaranteed.

Brownstown.

We are informed that the neighbors of this place are expecting a wedding to take place in the near future.

German messes have been very prevalent in this neighborhood.

Mr. Robert Hamilton, who has been confined to the house for several days with the measles, is now able to be about again.

Miss Brown, our popular teacher, is rapidly recovering from quite a severe cold and is now able to teach her school. We are glad to learn that her services have been retained for another term here.

Cody's.

Dec. 4.—Mr. E. L. Perry and Mr. C. W. H. Perry are in Havlock attending the funeral of their mother.

The following is the committee in charge of the Baptist Sunday School concert in Thorntown: Misses Bertie Perry, Ada Small, Maggie Patterson, Mary Armstrong and S. K. Foster.

M. B. Dunham, our local blacksmith, reports work rushing for the time of year.

The ladies in charge of the fund in connection with the new organ, for the Thorntown Baptist Church will hold a birthday party in a few weeks. They request those people who have received circulars asking for aid towards the fund, if they wish to give anything, would please send it along at once.

W. D. Patterson and J. F. Perry who had the contract to repair the big bridge over Lawson's brook in Lawsonville, have completed their job, which is well done and is a credit to the contractors. A prominent resident of that locality told our correspondent that Messrs. Patterson and Perry did more work than their contract required them to do.

A dog, owned by Thos. Hetherington, killed a sheep owned by John Armstrong, a few days ago. The dog was shot.

Wills Armstrong continues quite ill. Miss Maggie Patterson was the guest of Mrs. Armstrong on Sunday.

John A. Mattawa, of Cole's Island, registered at the Commercial Hotel on Saturday.

Mr. William Thorne, of Salmondale, has recently turned out some excellent work in dressing lumber. His work can be seen in the new bridge at Lawsonville.

David J. Thorne is engaged in cutting wood for the Rockland market.

Daniel A. Perry will commence lumber

operations in Waterloo Settlement in a few days.

Salmon B. Perry is having the wood-work put on the interior of his house. Samuel Proctor is doing the work.

Summer Hill.

Dec. 9.—The many friends and acquaintances of Mrs. Eliza McCrackin, widow of the late James McCrackin, will regret to learn of her death which occurred at St. John on Wednesday, 6th inst. The deceased lady was 80 years of age and spent most of her long and useful life in this place, where she was highly respected by the people of this community. About five weeks ago Mrs. McCrackin went to St. John to spend the winter with a granddaughter, shortly after arriving there she had a severe attack of congestion of the lungs from which she never recovered. Her remains were brought to Armstrong's Corner for interment on Friday 8th.

We are sorry to report that Mrs. John A. Kerr is confined to her home through illness. Mrs. Kerr is greatly missed as she was the organist of the Methodist church. Mr. Richard Graham is also confined to his home through illness.

Mouth of Jameseg.

Dec. 12.—The people throughout the land of Jameseg were startled on Saturday last when they received the sudden news of the death of Mrs. Henry Huettis. Funeral yesterday at Upper Jameseg. Sermon by Rev. W. J. Blakeney. Deceased leaves a sorrowing husband and nine children to mourn their loss.

The weather during the past week has been very mild for time of year. Crossing the river on ice is very dangerous for horses.

Mr. Jas. Reece has commenced work on the new boat for Messrs. Arch. Fanjoy and Edward Young. He will have the boat ready for launching next spring during the freshets.

The snow which fell last Friday made sleighing very good in many places where the roads were smooth.

Four more were baptised Sunday the 3rd inst., and seven were baptised at Upper Jameseg last Sunday, by Rev. J. B. Anderson.

Mr. Wesson, Methodist, will hold meetings every night this week. Some five or six are making a stand for the better.

Rev. A. J. Gollmer, preaches every Sunday to a large audience. Mr. Gollmer seems to be prominent among all and we hope he will remain with us.