

For the Boys

ACME SKATES, LONG REACH, HOKEY STICKS, Sleigh Bells, 85c up. Whips, 15c up. A full stock of Lanterns, prices from 35c up. W. S. LOGGIE COMPANY, LIMITED.

DAMSON'S CROUP is the most deadly of all diseases of children. It gives very little time in which to seek remedies. A little hiccough, cough, feverishness, stiffled coughing, weakened voice, feeble pulse, delirium, convulsions—and even at this critical period BALSAM is administered. It should be always on hand and given at the first symptom but it will nearly perform miracles whenever used.

FARM JOURNAL Great Offer From now to Dec. 1904 Over 5 Years. By special arrangement made with the publishers of the FARM JOURNAL, we are enabled to offer that paper to every subscriber who pays for the MIRAMICHI ADVANCE one year ahead, for only \$1.00 per year and the FARM JOURNAL from now to December, 1904, over 5 years.

Miramichi and the North Shore, etc. COOPER'S HISTORY—See advt.

ALL COMPETITION is apparently asleep when it meets such competitors as Union Brand Teas; they last all pocket teas. "Red Fox" is a common name for the Balm.

FOREIGN MISSIONS.—The annual Epiphany Special offering in aid of the Foreign Mission of the Domestic and Foreign Missionary Society of the Church of England in Canada will be held on Sunday next.

MR. SHAW'S CHAIRMAN OF BUSINESS.—A. McE. Shaw, auditor and general passenger agent of the Canadian Eastern Railway, has resigned the position to accept the office of provincial manager of the Imperial Insurance Company, with head office at St. John.

MIRAMICHI MARKET ORDERS.—Now is the time to place your orders for cemetery work and avoid the spring rush. We have now on hand and coming one of the largest stocks of marble and granite monuments, headstones and tablets ever shown on the north shore, all of the latest designs and worked from the best material the market can produce.

PERSONAL.—Rev. A. F. Carr of Campbellton, sub-agent of the Ontario Fund of the Presbyterian Church, in connection with the Presbytery of Miramichi, was in Chatham last Sunday.

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UNRECALLED SLEEPING CAR for the accommodation of passengers holding second class tickets, are to be by the Canadian Pacific Railway on Trans-continental Express train, leaving Windsor Station, Montreal, at 11 A.M. every Thursday and running through to Seattle.

RECORD.—Rev. A. F. Carr, Campbellton, is in town this week. He preached in St. John's Church last Sabbath morning and in St. Andrew's in the evening. Rev. D. Henderson preached in the evening in St. John's Church.

CHATHAM BOARD OF TRADE. The annual meeting of Chatham Board of Trade which was adjourned on Monday evening, 8th inst., after the transaction of considerable business, was continued at the Town Hall last Monday evening.

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Secretary and others who are now doing well also. Our local government is holding out such great inducements to farmers and has passed a law settlement act. There is a large tract of ripe land to the southwest of the Senniwanig Ridge which ought to be good for farming.

A FINE BANKING BUSINESS. The annual report of the Bank of Nova Scotia shows remarkable progress as a result of its excellent management in the country's general business prosperity.

It has a paid up capital of \$1,700,000, and a reserve fund of \$2,162,770, a showing which makes it one of the most safe banks in Canada.

CHATHAM GOLFING CLUB. Play for the Hutcheon medal has come down to the final hole between Messrs. Elliott and Hecker's nicks, who have beaten all the others in the club.

WEDDED AT Haverhill. The Haverhill, Mass., Bulletin has a prominent notice of the marriage at that place of Mr. Geo. C. Poas and Miss Florence Bartholme, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bartholme of Shippen, formerly of Chatham, which took place Dec. 21st.

Can Catarah Be Cured? Shepherd G. Frost, Chatham, N. B., writes: "For a number of years I have been troubled with catarah in both eyes, and was tried many remedies during that time, but with no avail."

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than Chatham, in proportion. If anyone looked into it they would find that Chatham would not increase as much as they expect. He hopes that the County Council would appoint men who could see straight and not those who could see any way one day and another way another.

A Good Offer. The Farm Journal advertised (together with the Biggie Books) in another column, is offered free for five years to all subscribers to the ADVANCE who send their subscriptions within one month.

DIED. Suddenly at St. Luke's Hospital, Denver, Colorado, on Dec. 21st, William Joseph Jackson, aged 37 years, youngest son of William Jackson of this place.

New Advertisements. Highland Society Notice. The annual meeting of the Highland Society of the County of Chatham will be held on Wednesday, January 18th, 1900, at 10 A.M., on the 11th of January, 1900, at the Town Hall, Chatham, N.B.

Annual Meeting. The annual meeting of the Chatham Electric Railway Company will be held on Wednesday, January 18th, 1900, at 10 A.M., on the 11th of January, 1900, at the Town Hall, Chatham, N.B.

INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY. TENDER FOR FRIGHT WAREHOUSE. Sealed tenders addressed to the undersigned and marked "INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY" will be received at this office until 11 o'clock, a.m., on the 18th of January, 1900, for the erection of a Freight Warehouse at St. John, New Brunswick.

NOTICE. Extracts from Act of Assembly 60, Vict. A. D. 1897. The property to the amount of Five Hundred Dollars of the Dominion of Canada, which was deposited in the Public Office of the Dominion of Canada, for the purpose of supporting the children of the late John Smith, deceased, and who are now in the possession of the said John Smith, and who are now in the possession of the said John Smith, and who are now in the possession of the said John Smith.

THE CANADIAN ORDER OF FORESTERS. For 20 years this society has been doing business, and each year it has been growing in strength and influence. The following table, which gives the standing of the order since its organization in 1879, will show how it has prospered:

Table with columns: Total Members, Active Members, Life Members, etc. for the year 1899.

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AND VALISES

Before you select a Valise for your Summer Holidays Give us a Call. We have just received.

A Splendid Assortment.

How to Overcome a Difficulty! It is a Serious Problem! An Every Day Question! Where can I get a GOOD FITTING BOOT?

Our well selected stock should meet with your approval, Satisfaction must surely result.

DENTISTRY!

Henry G. Vaughan, D. D. S. OFFICE—OVER MACKENZIE'S MEDICAL HALL, CHATHAM, N. B.

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PATENTS

NOTICE TO HOLDERS OF TIMBER LICENSES. The attention of all holders of Timber Licenses is called to Section 10 of the Timber License Act which reads as follows:—

DERAVIN & CO. COMMISSION MERCHANTS.

Bank of Nova Scotia. OFFICE HOURS.—From 10 a.m. till 5 p.m. Saturdays—From 10 a.m. till 1 p.m. In current at 8% per cent on deposits.

C. WARMUNDE IS OFFERING SPECIAL BARGAINS

WATCHES, CLOCKS, JEWELLRY, Silverware & Novelties. All new goods. Give him a call. We are glad to welcome visitors, please to show our goods and ready to make them prices to all.

WAR AND CAMP PICTURES

TOMMY ATKINS ON HIS WAY TO THE BATTLEFIELD.

Interesting letters from South Africa describing scenes and incidents—London, Dec. 25, 1899.

Letters coming to the London papers from South Africa, supply graphic war and camp pictures.

"Atkins" at work is the subject of a paragraph in the Morning Leader. He was engaged in getting an armoured train off at the time.

"Tommy" didn't want to be inside "no" cartridges. Let's bloom' in to "no" cartridges, as he buckled on his cartridge belt.

As to commanding. This is how young Custon's letter reads: "I was in command in Pretoria a fine day."

A chronicler correspondent in Ladysmith writes: "This is the curse of the place. We remember the long Valley as an Arcadian dell."

It is like the bottom of a frying pan with a low rim. The fire is hot and the sand is dry. But, indeed, the whole of Ladysmith is a frying pan.

From Cape Town Mr. Julian Ralph sends the following to the Daily Mail: Cape Town, is somewhat free and easy.

There is a certain young corn broker, who walks all the way to save energy, and who is not a very good looking man.

"No, it was not that he said anything," it was rather what he implied; that he questioned and questioned in an indirect fashion.

"What business had Mr. Dodson to be at all and to ferret into our affairs, who was he before in our house?"

"I was just torturing myself with delusions, I am sure, matter did any single person ever hear that father had not done."

"You are the best wife ever made," I feel better, and I'll explain it to you. It is not very difficult, it is so easy to be ruined.

"But surely, Herbert, if the big firms would help you, you would be able to get on in a few weeks, you say."

"The Finest War Horse" - The German Emperor is said to spend more upon cloth than any other royal lady.

The Left Hand of Samuel Dodson

III.

"You will be pleased to hear, dear, that corn is up to par again."

"I have been studying the career of a poor boy—from the north of Ireland by preference, but that is not necessary when he attracts his chief's attention, who sends him out to America, where even the Yankees can't hold their own with him, and he becomes manager of his farm."

"I think that you are a brave boy, Jack, and your mother is proud of you and grateful; if it's any reward for the way you have taken, you may think that I am not doing yet."

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"I think everything that is good of you, Jack, as I ought, and your father or did, but I know that it was very hard on you, and that you were very brave."

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EXPRESSIVE GRATITUDE.

THE BELL HORSE.

"Ah! I see—I see," said Major Croft, as his landlady timidly hung in the doorway with a paper in her hand.

"My dear Mrs. Roberts, let me thank you in advance—thousand thanks in the midst of your multitudinous duties you have found time to make out my bill."

"Three weeks to a day," replied the Major—"three of the happiest weeks I ever spent in a boarding-house."

"But you owe for three weeks, Major," said the embarrassed landlady.

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MOULDER AGAIN.

SUCH A SILLY QUESTION.

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