

Grand Display of Useful Articles

The time honored custom of giving to friends tokens of esteem at the Christmas season is to be commended so long as the motive which prompts the gift is a proper one.

Table with 3 columns: Dress Goods, Ladies Neckwear, Clothing. Lists various items like Silks and Satins, Underwear, Overcoats, etc.

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THE CHEAP CASH STORE. CLEARANCE SALE SPECIAL REDUCTIONS.

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On Saturday the 17th inst., we will give each customer a pretty Souvenir of the town.

ONTARIO HOUSE HAS DISSOLVED

Elections For The New House Will Take Place On Jan. 25.

PITIALE SCENE IN SPAIN

Report From Tokio Says Russians Are Short Of Men.

SCARCITY OF MEN

London, Dec. 13 - A despatch from Tokio says an officer who has returned from the army before Port Arthur says the delay observed in Russian preparations for gathering the dead during the armistice showed a scarcity of available men in the garrison.

A MADRID SPENT

Madrid, Dec. 13 - During the feast of the Virgin at Valencia a procession of 1,000 women bearing lighted tapers to the Cathedral came in conflict with a Republican demonstration and a general fight ensued.

ANGELICAN MONK'S BOAST

New York, Dec. 13 - A despatch to the Herald says - Father Ignatius, the famous Anglican monk of Wales reiterates his firm conviction that the days of miracles are no yet passed and that he himself had been the agent of God in their performance ever to the raising of the dead.

LAURIER IN CALIFORNIA

Los Angeles, Cal. Dec. 13 - Sir Wilfrid Laurier has arrived here accompanied by his wife.

CHURCH HONORS A BIG OCCASION

Anniversary Of Definition Of The Doctrine Of The Immaculate Conception Observed

Thursday was the fiftieth anniversary of the definition of the doctrine of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary and its celebration was regulated by Roman Catholics throughout the world as the spiritual event of the year.

The Catholics of Newcastle, New Brunswick, surrounding districts, in common with Catholics all over the world celebrated the occasion in a manner worthy of one of the great festivals of the Church.

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IT BEATS THEM ALL

It has always been claimed that the Family Herald and Weekly Star, of Montreal, is the most popular and best-selling newspaper in the world.

SMELTS SCARCE

Smelt Fishing This Season Somewhat Of A Failure

The smelt fishing this season at Newcastle is somewhat of a failure. The catches up to the present time have been very small indeed.

Up river bass are also reported scarce.

TOWN WILL PAY COMPANY'S LOAN

Committee Which Examined Furniture Company's Property Reports.

TOTAL VALUATION \$31,000

Assets Of Company Greatly Exceed Loan To Be Made By Town.

THE TOWN COUNCIL

The Town Council met Monday evening to hear the report of the committee appointed to examine the property of the Anderson Furniture Company.

The committee in the course of their report stated they found a number of machines set up and in operation and working satisfactorily. The building they found erected in a substantial manner.

They found the lands conveyed by John McCollin to the Anderson Furniture Company of encumbrances. The lands of 1804 and Allen Ritchie on which the factory is erected they found clear of encumbrances.

The deed was executed and in the solicitor's hands but not yet recorded. The lands above stated the committee found to be valued at \$6,700.00.

The following resolution was moved by Ald. Morrison, seconded by Ald. Armstrong: That whereas the Council considers the security offered by the Anderson Furniture Company is sufficient to guarantee the advancement of the proposed loan of \$20,000, and whereas also the mortgage laid before the Council by the said company is deemed sufficient provided that the words - and also all additions and renewals thereto and thereof be added after the word 'contained on the 19th line of the third page of said mortgage and provides also that the deed of the lands conveyed to the said company by Allan Ritchie and others be delivered to the registrar of deeds to be registered.

WAS TOO SURE

James Robinson Ascribes His Defeat To Over Confidence

Mr. James Robinson, former member of Parliament for the County of Northumberland was in Newcastle on the other day. To a Times reporter Mr. Robinson said that the lumber cut on the North shore this winter would probably not be more than half as much as last year.

The decrease of course is due to the drop in the price of lumber. Speaking of the recent election and the result of the contest in his own county, Mr. Robinson said his defeat could only be ascribed to over confidence on the part of the Conservatives.

Mr. Robinson, however, takes his defeat philosophically. He is one of the men that drops politics as soon as the elections are over. He says one never knows that there had been an election in Northumberland, so far as any talk over the situation is concerned. When the election is over people drop politics and go to their business.

CANDIDATE NOT YET SELECTED.

Both Hon. John Burchill and Robt. Murray Spoken of For Local House.

UNDER CONSIDERATION

Mr. J. L. Stewart Regarded as a Possible Opposition Candidate.

THE LOCAL LEGISLATURE

Who will fill the vacancy in the Local Legislature caused by the resignation of Mr. W. S. Legge? This is a question which is just now agitating the minds of the people of Northumberland to some extent. It is not yet about time some move was made in the matter.

The names of the Hon. J. Burchill, late speaker of the House and Mr. Robert Murray are most prominently mentioned in connection with the government candidature. Mr. Burchill has served this city faithfully and well in the local House and there are many who believe that he is a man of ability and other men to the position. On the other hand Mr. Murray has many supporters who believe that his years of service to the party entitle him to the nomination above all others.

The matter will doubtless be settled in a few days.

Mr. Donald Morrison, M. P., a prominent local leader of the opposition, speaking to a reporter of the Advocate yesterday said that his party was every way waiting to see what the government would do. He was of the opinion that the opposition would bring out a candidate but he would not say anything was settled as yet.

The opposition will probably meet in convention as soon as the name of the government candidate is announced. Mr. J. L. Stewart, mayor of the City of St. John's, is regarded by some as a likely candidate.

EARL GREY NOT AN EARLY RISER

Train Bearing Him Rested Here For Some Time But His Excellency Was not on View.

Earl Grey, Canada's new Governor General is seemingly not an early riser and as a consequence a small crowd which gathered at the Newcastle depot Monday morning to greet His Excellency were disappointed.

The private train, consisting of eight cars and two locomotives, bearing Earl Grey and staff reached Newcastle at 8:17. Luggage were changed here and the train did not pull out until 8:45. But His Excellency did not show himself till the time he was here.

NEWCASTLE BATTERY LEADS WOODSTOCK'S

Newcastle Boys Made 226.1 and Woodstock's Representatives 210.1.

Col. B. H. Wallis' report showing the general efficiency of these artillery field batteries of the army, which he inspected during the year, is out. There are sixteen batteries, and the one standing highest is the 14th Midland, commanded by Lt. Col. N. F. M. Nantwich, with 252.9 points.

The two New Brunswick batteries - the 2th Newcastle, commanded by Lieut. Col. Malby, and the 10th Woodstock, commanded by Major W. C. Good, are 12th and 13th on the list. The Newcastle battery made 226.1, and the Woodstock 210.1 marks. The standing of the two local batteries is as follows:

Table comparing Newcastle and Woodstock batteries across various categories like For harnessing, For riding and driving, Battery drill, Gun laying, Officers, N. C. O.'s, Discipline and administration during training, Accountantship of battery equipment, Guns, Carriages, Harness, Absentees - N. C. O.'s and men.

IT PLEASES THEM A FATAL ACCIDENT. LIBEL SUIT NOW. EDITOR'S MAIL.

Board of Underwriters Confident That Towns Have Complied With Their Demands.

THE SECRETARY TALKS.

Declares Fredericton is the Only Town Where Rates Have Been Raised.

The members of the board of underwriters are highly gratified with the success which has followed their efforts to improve the fire protection systems in different towns and villages in the province, says the Fredericton Globe.

In Moncton the board asked that the water mains be sunk below the frost level and that a chemical engine be procured. This has been done.

In Chatham the board asked for a fire law. This has been enacted. In a certain section only brick buildings must not exceed a given height.

At Campbellton the requests of the board were for a second water main and for improvements on the dam at the reservoir.

Woodstock was asked to enact a fire law, and the reply received was that the town would willingly do so but that legislation would have to be secured.

CATARH CANNOT BE CURED with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal medicine.

"Lovely weather, isn't it?" remarked one street car passenger to the other, "Lovely echoed the party of the second part. How can you say that when the rain is coming down in torrents?"

"My friend," exclaimed the other, "I manufacture umbrellas."

Workmen Falls A Distance Of Fifty Feet And Death Is Instantaneous.

BELONGED TO CARAQUET

Ovide Landry, 24 years old and Married is the Unfortunate

A shocking accident occurred on Saturday afternoon, by which Ovide Landry, 24 years of age a native of Caraquet, N. B., who lived at 2019 Notre Dame street, met a violent death in the Ewart Ice Company storehouse, at 138 Murray street, says the Montreal Star.

The deceased fell a distance of 50 feet, his skull was fractured, and his legs and arms broken. Death was instantaneous.

The victim of the accident was married.

BLACKVILLE Social and Personal.

Mr. Nat. Coughlan, of Nelson, is visiting friends in Blackville.

Miss Ella McKenzie, and Miss Mabel Schofield left on Monday last for Boston Mass. where they have secured positions.

The ladies of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church intend holding a sale of fancy articles and a supper in the public hall, on the afternoon and evening of December 26th.

A meeting of the Liberal Association of the parish of Blackville has been called for Wednesday evening Dec. 14th. It will be held in the Public hall at 7 p. m.

Mr and Mrs. Bordman Collings, of Marysville are visiting Blackville, the guests of Mrs. Collings parents. Mr. and Mrs. James Duncan.

A convention of the parish Sunday School workers was held in the Presbyterian Church here on Monday last and was but slimly attended only two of the schools in the parish being represented.

Parish President—Mr. Howard H. Harris. Parish Vice—Mr. George D. Stewart. Parish Secretary Treas.—Miss Ida I. Barry.

Additional members of Executive Com. A. D. Fraser, and Miss Mary Walls.

Federal Election Campaign In Restigouche Breeds Serious Trouble.

LEADERS THE PRINCIPALS.

Campbellton People Are Interested In Controversy Between Shives And Mott.

CAMPBELLTON, Dec. 10.—A libel suit as a result of the federal election campaign in Restigouche is the topic of conversation here just now. This might be applied to a letter to the editor of the "Union" which was published in the Events last week. Mr. Mott on the hustings condemned the government and Mr. Reid, the liberal M. P., for allowing Mr. Shives the exclusive use of I. C. R. property and machinery.

Mr. Shives replied to these charges in a circular to the electors issued on the evening before the election day. The circular was headed "Misrepresentation and Falschhood," charging Mr. Mott with false-hood and making use of a mean, malicious and false canvas.

The following week there appeared a letter in Events from Mr. Mott reiterating the statements made on the hustings, and even going more fully into the matter. To this Mr. Shives made a reply, and now comes the statement from Mr. Mott that he will not allow the matter to drop, that he intends to take legal proceedings unless the statements made by Mr. Shives are satisfactorily explained or withdrawn.

Should the matter get into the courts it is altogether likely there will be some interesting revelations in connection with political affairs in this country.

A prominent club woman, Mrs. Danforth, of St. Joseph, Mich., tells how she was cured of falling of the womb and its accompanying pains and misery by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"I feel like a new woman," says Mrs. Danforth, "and I am so thankful for the help I received from your medicine. I had been suffering for years with a falling of the womb and its accompanying pains and misery. I had tried every remedy I could get, but nothing would do me any good. I had almost given up hope when I saw your advertisement in the paper. I bought a bottle of your medicine and took it as directed. In a few days I began to feel better, and in a few weeks I was completely cured. I am so happy now that I can't say enough for your medicine. I will be glad to recommend it to all my friends who are suffering from the same trouble."

Women would save time and much sickness if they would write to Mrs. Pinkham for advice as soon as any distressing symptoms appear. It is free, and has put thousands of women on the right road to recovery.

Mr. William Murray Again Discusses Subject of Tax on Imported Labor.

HE URGES REFORM

To the Editor of the Advocate: In my last letter to you, I expressed a desire that some sane reason be given for the retention of that embargo on a wealth producer coming into our town and aiding in its general prosperity.

L. C. said "any man coming here should pay for the protection we afford him." Now I do not know what I C. means by "protection." If he means Police, I answer that every wealth producer is also a consumer and all that he consumes comes through a dealer and part of the profit paid to the latter goes into the general fund for the support of police, fire, education, streets, and other essentials, and so after all it is the sweater who supports as well as creates all vendable commodities and in the end pays for Police protection and everything else.

If he means security from accidents, my answer is ready—I have for years paid taxes, and over a year ago I met with a most serious accident caused by a defective sidewalk, and when I looked for the protection we hear mouthed about I learned that it was a quiescent dream. W. S. G. says that whereas the United States imposes a head tax on all who enter that Country from other provinces, this town should do the same. If W. S. G. was as familiar with history as he might be he would know that that particular tax was imposed for the discouragement of the return of the Loyalists and their descendants, for the Americans were doubtful of them ever becoming true citizens of a country resting on intelligence.

Now as the power to tax is the power to kill and the right to tax is the right to destroy, our town will attain its object by the retention, though it looks very much like a joke.

The third and last reason which came in an indirect manner is from the collector who is grieved and claims "that my letter was aimed at him directly, and that if he ever gets a new catch on the writer God help him."

No, Mr. Editor it is difficult to be serious in dealing with this latter. If like Paddy, I had fired without taking aim and the shot had struck just where I intended, I would say "But as the collector is an (entire) gentleman who knows more about guns fired and unfired than I do, we will let that go."

My attack was made on this direct hindrance to our town's advancement and as I paint with a large brush if some color gets on to objects in close proximity I can only regret the occurrence or inadvertence. Gangway! Gangway!

To sum up or 'come back to butts' let me say, that the protection idea is a delusion, a fraud, and a snare. A myth, in fact which does not exist at all if we except the minds of those who are not exhaustive in examination. So, too, is the example of other countries and towns. For one at least I protest against my native town following the example of other places. For it does not follow that because Radcliffe is called to other places that we should make it necessary for him to come here, and a town's advancement, cannot be attained by the placing of a patch on the garments of a wealth creator with one hand and a far lined coat on the back of a public parasite with the other.

At the same time it should be remembered that "he who is not for me is against me," is just as true today as when uttered two thousand years ago. That Pilot's unwillingness to share responsibility is far more culpable in a free people who wash their hands saying "I am innocent" than it would be with those who despair of improving their condition. And while it is true that history does not record that a free people was ever conquered or subdued it also teaches that a people cannot be quiet and safe at the same time. Therefore we should not permit that which is

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What the Hon. Mr. Snowball Says of Criticisms of His Uniform.

SHARK DELIVERS MAIL

WHOLE THING IS CHILDISH.

Novel Way in Which Captain Cole of Schooner Viola Received a Paper.

Denies That He Was Officially Called to Account Because of Uniform's Richness.

A fish story comes from Bay Chaleur which, if it were not for the subsequent explanation, would be the best on record. As it is, the affair was the cause of no little nervousness among the crew of the schooner concerned.

St. John Globe. After the presentation by the Lieut. Governor to Mr. Belyea of the medal conferred upon him by the King, a reporter of the Globe talked with His Honor concerning recent newspaper reports as to his official dress.

It appears that on her last trip up the North Shore the schooner Viola, owned by J. Willard Smith of St. John and in command of Capt. Cole, was making for a port on Bay Chaleur. The day was a windy one and quite a heavy sea was running. When near Stonehaven a pilot boat put off to the Viola, but owing to the weather it was considered best to beat about the Bay instead of proceeding at once to port.

It was stated in Toronto and other papers on the authority of a dispatch from Ottawa, that an officer of Lord Minto's household had called in question the uniform worn by the Lieutenant Governor and there was an allegation that the uniform was one that only the Governor General had a right to wear.

While the Viola was thus cruising about, a shark appeared astern and after the custom of sharks, exhibited an overwhelming desire to keep close to the vessel. The presence of this fish created a feeling of superstition among some of the crew and finally after about two hours one of the men could stand it no longer. So he took a gun and shot the fish.

Questioned upon this point His Honor laughed heartily, and said that there was nothing in the story. The matter had never been brought to his notice by any one, and the only question raised, he said, was raised by himself. He added that when he was appointed Lieutenant Governor there was an intimation to him that it might be well to observe the rules regarding uniform and the like which had somewhat fallen into disuse here.

The body was hooked and hauled on board. Then it was opened and the crew were thunder-struck to find the stomach a late issue of a newspaper directed to Capt. Cole. Where did it come from was the question, and some of the men were inclined to the belief that the shark had been engaged by the marine and post office departments to act as special delivery messenger. They did not know what to make of it and would probably have been wondering yet only for the next thing that happened.

He therefore ordered a full dress and an undress uniform, giving directions to the makers that it was to be fashioned according to the style and manner of a Lieutenant Governor, provided in the regulations whatever these were, or wherever they are to be found. For himself he had no information upon the subject and his only desire was to do what was required or expected. When the uniforms came, one of them appeared to be, so far as the gold facings were concerned, somewhat elaborate for a person of such quiet tastes as himself.

This next thing spoils the story. The captain's children were on board the Viola, and had been watching the shark. In childish curiosity they began to throw things over in order to watch the fish swallow them, and among other articles selected was a copy of a newspaper which the captain had received by mail and which he had never opened. That this was thrown over was soon learned and the mystery vanished.

But the people of Stonehaven thought it a shame to spoil such a good story.

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is every season had in the pools in these waters.

Mr. Osler (for the first time) fished these pools during the past season. The present visit was with a view of determining what improvements could be made in Camp Adams, with the result that Mr. Bishop is instructed to remodel the camp so as to make it as comfortable as possible. The innovations will include bathroom and other plumbing, new lining room with real old fashioned fire-place, new bedrooms, addition to kitchen and new ice-house. Mr. Bishop claims that the above being duly completed, he will be able to welcome the owners at the opening of the next season to semi-luxurious quarters second to none. What the owners require is comfort and it would seem from the above that they will possess it.

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Mr. Bishop says that the party are quite pleased with their new purchase.

CANADA'S NEW VESSELS

The numbers of new vessels built and registered in the Dominion of Canada during 1903 was 328, measuring 29,223 tons, register tonnage. Estimating the value of the new tonnage at \$45 per ton, it gives a total value of 1,314,555 for new vessels.

By provinces net tonnage of sailing ships and steamers is as follows:

New Brunswick	59,308
Nova Scotia	216,953
Quebec	138,570
Ontario	169,396
P. E. Island	19,739
British Columbia	79,215
Manitoba	7,095
Yukon District	2,281
Grand total	683,147

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Do you know Whether you have Kidney Disease?

Does the head ache—excruciating pains that make you miserable by day, and won't let you sleep at night? Do the eyes often blur? Do sharp pains shoot across the back and through the hips? Are the hands and legs swollen? Is the urine highly colored? Does it burn when voided? Is there a constant desire to urinate? Are you compelled to get up two or three times during the night? If you have any, or all, of these symptoms, then you certainly have kidney trouble, and should immediately start on



They are health and strength and vigor to sick kidneys. They make the kidneys well and strong—ease the nerves, induced by uric acid from the kidneys—soothe the irritated bladder—clear the urine and permanently cure all Kidney and Bladder Diseases. Gout, Rheumatism and Female Troubles. Cases of 20 and 30 years' standing—cases on the verge of Bright's Disease and Diabetes—are completely cured by these wonderful pills. The relief from pain is immediate. The improvement in general health is remarkable. 50c a box—3 boxes for \$1.25. At all dealers or from THE SUN MEDICINE CO. OAK POINT, N.B.

At McLEOD'S FASHIONABLE TAILORING ESTABLISHMENT

where you will find the Latest and Newest Goods for WINTER SUITS and OVERCOATS which we make up in good style and at reasonable prices. When you want a Suit or an Overcoat do not wait until after Christmas. Come early and inspect our stock and satisfy yourself our goods and prices are right.

Carter Block. SIMON McLEOD.

RANGES STOVES AND FURNACES. Coal and Wood.

My usual large stock of the above is now in, and all needs can be supplied at a moment's notice.

Best value for your money. DELIVERIES Promptly Attended to.

J. H. Phinney JOHN RUSSELL & CO. NEWCASTLE.

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A PENALTY OF PAIN

Poor Mrs. Chadwick, incarcerated in a penitentiary, was the victim of a cruel and unjust punishment...

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President Roosevelt's energy and vigor are well known to all...

TRUTH AND FAITHFULNESS

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Intemperate language is sometimes less excusable than intemperance...

For Thin Babies

Fat is of great account to a baby; that is why babies are fat. If your baby is scrawny, Scott's Emulsion is what he wants...

Send for free sample.



Scott & Bowne Chemists Toronto, Ont. 50c. and \$1.00 All Druggists

For hard colds, bronchitis, asthma, and coughs of all kinds, you cannot take anything better than Ayer's Cherry Pectoral.

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral advertisement with logo and text: For hard colds, bronchitis, asthma, and coughs of all kinds, you cannot take anything better than Ayer's Cherry Pectoral.

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LADIES' STORE

FOR HOLIDAY GIFTS. Ladies' and Men's' Coats and Shirt Waists, Dressing Jackets and...

Everything for the Baby

Rubber Vests, Nazareth Waists and Stock, Pants, Bats, Moccasins, Stockings, Hoops, Bows and Bibs, Knitted Jackets, Cloaks, Coats and Dresses.

Fancy Work

Bureau Scarfs, Pillow Slaves, Trencher Doilies, Stamped Linen, Centre Pieces and Cushion Tops, Handkerchiefs, Linen Centres and Fine Val Laces.

MRS. S. McLEOD.

FOR CHRISTMAS

During the HOLIDAY SEASON we are offering very special inducements. Shoppers and careful buyers will miss an opportunity if they fail to call on us.

BARGAINS FOR ALL.

FARRRH & ALTEEN

MASSON BUILDING NEWCASTLE.

Headquarters for Santa Claus

AT Newcastle Bakery

TOYS, TOYS, for children. Best assortment in town, also Choice Stock of Groceries, Confectionery, Fruit, Turkeys, Geese, Chickens, etc., Bread, Cakes, Pies and everything nice for Christmas.

H. WYSE

NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of the late Helen McLaughlan of Nelson are requested to render same duly attested to the undersigned within thirty days.

NEW MATERIAL NEEDED

The congregation of Emmanuel Reformed Episcopal Church, this city, has extended a call to Rev. A. M. Hulley of Sussex, N. B., to become their pastor.

HARD TO SATISFY

Quebec's fire alarm will cost \$2000. But that will not satisfy the Insurance Board.

ONE OCTAVE DEPART

One Octave Depatie shot his son in the Quebec woods a few days ago. The father mistook the son for a deer.

THE POWER OF PERSUASION

A man who can "persuade" another man to abandon a \$10,000 a year job could do great work as a revivalist.

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AT THE UP-TO-DATE TAILOR SHOP

You will find everything required for style and comfort for all classes of men, in the way of clothes. We have gained the reputation of being the CHEAPEST TAILOR IN TOWN.

J. S. WILLIAMSON

MAILER BLOCK, OPPOSITE POST OFFICE. MERCHANT TAILOR.

CHRISTMAS at Demers' Grocery.

For the Holiday Trade we have everything that is good in Groceries, etc., and at the very lowest prices.

RAISINS, CURRANTS, CITRON, ORANGE and LEMON PEEL, SPICES, FLAVORING, JAMS and JELLIES, FROSTING SUGAR, PICKLES, CHOWCHOW, CANNED GOODS, the very best that money can buy.

FRUITS, ETC.

California Grapes, Oranges, Nuts, Ontario Winter Apples, Biscuits of every description, Mince Meat, Ganongs, Pattersons and Perrins Chocolates and Fancy Confectionery.

Tea, Sugar, Molasses, Cheese, Eggs, Geese, Turkeys, Chickens, Smoked Ham and Bacon, Flour, Meal, etc.

Glass and Crockeryware.

We have the very latest in Dinner Sets, Tea Sets, Toilet Sets, Berry Sets, Vases, Fancy Cups and Saucers, and Lamps.

Call early and get prices. We are giving a big cut on these lines.

Be Sure to Give us a Call.

Demers' Grocery,

Newcastle.

TEA AND COFFEE THE BEST YET

Church of England Folks Never Did As Well As Last Thursday

The members of St. Andrew's Guild held their annual sale and supper in the Town Hall last Thursday afternoon and evening. The day being unusually fine there was a constant stream of visitors. There was a table with a plentiful supply of tea and coffee and refreshments, also one with a large supply of goods of all kinds. The sale was a success and the proceeds were applied to the purchase of new dresses for the poor.

THE RIVER ICE FULL OF SALT

Old River Men Look For A Early Run Next Spring

Last week at least three teams went through the ice on the river. It is generally thought that the ice will be broken up by the next spring. The men who have been waiting for a run are looking for a good one next year.

MARKET'S TONE IS NOW BETTER

Shareholders On The Other Side

A prominent member of a committee which has been formed to investigate the affairs of the company has just returned from a visit to the other side of the water. He reports that the market's tone is now better and that the share holders are more optimistic.

BLANKET and FUR SALE.

Now that the Winter Season has come to stay we are fully prepared with a large and well assorted stock of White Wool Blankets and Furs of all kinds, Jackets, Capes, Ruffs and Muffs. Note the following:

FURS.

Ladies' Black Astrachan Jackets - 30 inches long, \$27.50 to \$38.00.
Ladies' Black Astrachan Jackets - Sable Trimmed, \$15.00.
Ladies' Black Astrachan Jackets - 20 inches long, \$17.00.
Ladies' Black Astrachan Jackets - 18 inches long, \$15.00.
Ladies' Black Astrachan Jackets - 16 inches long, \$13.00.
Ladies' Black Astrachan Jackets - 14 inches long, \$11.00.
Ladies' Black Astrachan Jackets - 12 inches long, \$9.00.
Ladies' Black Astrachan Jackets - 10 inches long, \$7.00.
Ladies' Black Astrachan Jackets - 8 inches long, \$5.00.
Ladies' Black Astrachan Jackets - 6 inches long, \$3.00.
Ladies' Black Astrachan Jackets - 4 inches long, \$1.50.

We also have a large stock of gray blankets and blanket flannels, best quality and lowest prices.

J. D. CREAGHAN.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

NEWCASTLE AND CHATHAM.

A MONSTER HEAD

This Moose Had Antlers With A Spread Of 60 Inches But Lost The Tips.

Hiram Manderville was in town last week with a handsome moose head. One of the heads was a monster in size. This head when shot by Norris Manderville had an antler spread of exactly 60 inches but as is evident the case with a moose antlers there was a shrinkage of an inch. Mr. Manderville told a reporter for the Advocate that the antlers were originally even bigger than 60 inches. Both points had been broken off before the moose was shot and he is confident that at one time the spread was sixty six inches. Mr. Manderville believes that this was the largest head shot in New Brunswick this season. He disposed of it to Mr. Ernest Hutchinson for a good round sum.

A FRIEND IN NEED

Unknown Man Aids A Catholic Woman In Distress

Miss Sullivan, a Catholic woman, was in a state of distress last week. She had lost her money and was unable to pay her bills. A stranger appeared and offered her help. He gave her the money she needed and she was able to pay her bills. She is now very grateful to the stranger.

BAPTISTS IN CHURCH

Services Held At The Church

The Baptist church held services last week. The services were well attended and the hymns were sung with much feeling. The pastor gave an interesting sermon on the life of Jesus.

D. MORRISON

CAN HELP YOU IN YOUR CHRISTMAS SHOPPING.

LADIES' HANDKERCHIEFS	LADIES' NECKWEAR
GENTS' HANDKERCHIEFS	GENTS' NECKWEAR
LADIES' SILK BLOUSES	GENTS' MUFFLERS
ARTIFICIAL PALMS	LETTER HOLDERS

FURNITURE

Chairs in Reed, Upholstered and Oak Tables, High Backs, Ladies' Dressing Tables, Five O'clock Tea Tables, Conchios, Monettes in Corner and Fire Screens, Easels, Photo Frames and Shaving Mirrors, Etc.

A large lot of FLANNELETTES that will be sold at a Great Sacrifice.

Dec. 13, 1904.

NOW SELLING

The Balance of Our Ready-to-Wear Hats at a BIG DISCOUNT.

We have everything in Millinery. Ostrich Plumes, Wings, Pom-poms, Flowers, Ornaments, Felts, Jettres, Silks and Ribbons. We will trim all Hats bought of us from now until Christmas.

We have a great range of Veilings, from the thin meshes to the heavy wool veiling.

Ladies' Underwear, Corsets and Hosiery. Children's Wool Hoods and Boas. Old Ladies' Dress Capes. All can be bought cheap at the Sargeant Store.

MRS. H. A. QUILTY.

Christmas Presents.

Last week we announced Sweeping Reductions in every line of goods. This week we particularly draw your attention to our ANNUAL APRON SALE. We have an especially fine display of Pinnies and Aprons of all kinds. It will pay you to call. Prices right. Don't forget the cheap Millinery Sale, Trimmed Hats at 75c, are in great demand.

Mrs. H. J. Morris, Newcastle.

THE PHARMACY

Call and examine Our Stock of Christmas Goods. Our assortment this year was better than ever before and although a great number of pieces have been picked out there still remains a nice collection of goods from which to select your presents. We cordially invite your inspection.

A. E. SHAW, DRUGGIST, NEWCASTLE, N. B.

Hack & Delivery

I will run a hack in the town to carry passengers and deliver parcels to any place in the town. Fare ten cents.

I will also make a trip to the town of Bridgetown on Tuesday and Saturday, leaving here at 1 o'clock, returning at 5 o'clock.

Trips will also be made from Bridgetown on Tuesday and Saturday, leaving there at 1 o'clock, returning at 5 o'clock.

All orders will receive prompt attention.

H. McDONALD, Newcastle, N. B.

NOTICE

Any person or persons trespassing on the property formerly owned by John Flynn, late of the parish of North Esk, lying and being on the Portage River or its tributaries in the County of Gloucester will be prosecuted according to law.

SAMUEL KINGSTON, Owner, Newcastle, Dec. 12-2w.

Tenders for Wood

Sealed Tenders addressed to the undersigned will be received up to noon on Monday, the ninth of January 1905, for 100 cords of Green Hardwood in four feet lengths to be delivered at Harkins' Academy and Adams school house.

No soft wood nor poplar wanted. JOHN CLARK, SIMON McLEOD, Com.

CLARKE & CO'S CHRISTMAS SALE AD.

Ladies' Coats at 20 to 25 per cent Discount Big Reduction on Fur Goods.

All Ladies' Furs Reduced 20 per cent. We have some very nice Grey Lamb Collars, Mitts and Caps, Black Astrachan Collars, Caps, Mitts and Muffs.

Grey Oppossum Sets, Electric Seal Sets, Sable Ruffs, Black Thibet Ruffs, All Reduced in price.

Sweeping Clearing Price Sale of Ladies' Gloves, Wool Lined, Cashmere, Fancy Wool Plain Cashmere.

Astrachan Ruffs \$1.20 Former Price \$1.50. Ladies' Fur Capes \$8.00 Former Price \$10.00.

All at 25 per cent Discount. We have some extra fine quality WOOL BLANKETS, prices 475 to 675.

Don't fail to avail yourself of this grand opportunity to secure a set of Furs. These Discounts and prices get out collect at once. Don't compound those with the common everyday Blankets. They are above the ordinary.

CLARKE & CO.

BETHLEHEM! Dress Making

A Sacred Concert By Members of United Choirs of Chatham, in the OPERA HOUSE, NEWCASTLE, Friday Evening, Dec. 16. Admission 25 - 35 - 50. Tickets for sale at Shaw's.

Miss E. M. ... spent some months in Providence and Boston has returned and is prepared to execute any orders in dress-making and may be favored with in the latest and most up to date styles.

Reuben Gates' Head Ferry wharf Opp. Newcastle, if Chatham Head, Dec. 12th 04, 11-4p.

Lever's Y-2 (House Head) Disinfectant Soap Powder is better than other powders as it is both soap and disinfectant.

THE ANDERSON FURNITURE CO., LTD., Newcastle, N. B.

LOST.

Between Rev. Father Morris's, Bartibogue and Douglastown, a Sable Box. The finder will be rewarded by leaving at Doyle's store, Douglastown.

Nov. 28-94

Hardwood Logs Wanted.

Delivered on cars at any station of the I. C. R., or river bank, or at factory. Enquire at factory.

THE ANDERSON FURNITURE CO., LTD., Newcastle, N. B.

Local and General News

Of Special Interest to Our Readers, Gathered By Our Reporters from Many Sources. Whirl of the Town.

The new long distance telephone service between Miramichi points and St. John is working perfectly.

St. Peter's Church, Derby. Rev. T. H. Cathbert will conduct service on Sunday the 18th (state of roads permitting) also on Monday evening the 20th. This will be the Christmas service.

The Bathurst Electric Light Co. hope to have everything arranged so that the lights may be lit next week. The Company is to be congratulated on their energy in pushing along the work in the face of considerable difficulties and set backs, and it is to be hoped everything will now work satisfactorily and that the public will patronize the enterprise.

The firemen did splendid work at the residence of Mrs. Demers last Wednesday evening. Fire was discovered in a wood pile near the furnace and although it fought stubbornly for a time was overcome without serious damage being done. The loss is estimated at \$200 and is covered by insurance.

Bethlehem, a sacred cantata will be given in the Newcastle Opera House on Friday evening next, by a number of Chatham ladies and gentlemen. It was given in St. John's Church Chatham on Monday evening and met with great praise. Some of the best musical talent on the North Shore will take part. Seats on sale at Shaw's.

The moose sent from Newcastle to Newfoundland last summer have not been seen for some time and Newfoundlanders fear they have been shot by American sportsmen. It was not generally expected by those who were instrumental in procuring the moose that the animals would remain on view and it is generally believed here that the animals are still roaming about the Newfoundland woods.

An item which appeared in the personal column of last week's issue of the Advocate states that a Miss Reale of Newcastle who had been employed in the Regent Street School, Fredericton, had resigned owing to ill health. Miss Gertrude Reid who has been attached to the Fredericton school staff for the past two years presumably is meant. Miss Reid has tendered her resignation to the board which resignation was accepted with general regret as expressed by the cleaner. Miss Reid is glad to inform her friends that her resignation was not owing to any illness, also that she is enjoying excellent health.

George T. Keyes of Pepperell, Mass., is at the Royal, says Monday's Sun. Mr. Keyes has been in consultation with Mr. Crombie, manager of the Bank of Montreal at Chatham, and Mr. Lawlor and Mr. Anderson, also of Chatham, on matters in connection with the purchase of the pulp mills at Chatham. The application has been made to the provincial government for a charter which will be dealt with by the premier and his colleagues very soon. Mr. Keyes will probably return here next week. He has not decided whether the output of the Chatham mills will be used in the manufacture of paper at his Pepperell mills, or whether a paper mill will be established at Chatham. A meeting will be held at Chatham next week for the organization of the company.

A new engine, or rather a second hand one newly repaired in first class working order has just gone in to the Carapic and Gulf Shore railway. This with the new coaches and cars under order by the management will put the rolling stock of the road in fairly good shape, and the public will no doubt appreciate the added comfort in travelling. Traffic on the road is steadily increasing. Messrs. Burns & Co. have shipped out nearly one hundred and fifty cars of lumber of late which added to the large quantity going forward steadily from the Transatlantic Lumber Company's mills has impressed the public on the fact that this is now a live road, fully capable of doing a large business. Mr. John Roberts has also shipped quite a number of cars to points in Quebec and other places of late.

It is currently reported that the Bathurst Courier will suspend publication after its next issue.

Parties who left watches, clocks or jewelry with P. H. Eaton are requested to call at his late place of business now occupied by T. J. Elliott and reclaim same, paying charges.

Splendid progress is being made on the North Shore's biggest hotel, The Miramichi and it will soon be ready for occupancy. The new structure is a revelation to travellers.

At a conference held in St. John last week between Hon. H. R. Emerson and a number of his supporters it was definitely decided to establish a new morning Liberal paper in that city.

Miss S. Jennie Gerish of Derby was married recently in Boston to Mr. Frederick J. Williams of Syracuse, N. Y. The ceremony which took place in Tremont Temple was performed by Rev. C. B. Parker.

Master Fred Mills, the twelve year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mills, of Boner, Montana, made many friends here during his annual visits to his grandmother Mrs. S. McLeod and they will learn with regret of his death which occurred at his parents home on Dec 12th.

The many North Shore readers of the Boston Pilot will learn with mingled feelings of pleasure and regret that its illustrious editor, Mr. James Jeffrey Roche, has received the appointment of United States consul at Genoa, Italy. This appointment is regarded as one of the best Mr. Roosevelt has made in the consular service.

Capt. T. W. Lawlor received last week from the Medals Claim Board, Ottawa, two colonial auxiliary forces long service medals to be presented to ex-Sgt. Major Wm. Touchie and Gunner John C. Kingston in consideration of their having completed twenty years continuous service in the 12th Field Battery.

Premier Tweedie received a telegram yesterday from his son Fred, under whose management the Princess Royal mining enterprise in the West is being conducted. Mr. Tweedie's telegram says that his last shipment of 40 tons of ore netted \$33 a ton and now there are two feet of ore showing on the face of the tunnel, all of which looks rich.—Gleaner.

The Campbellton Events is of the opinion that its town will have direct telephone connection with St. John within a reasonably short time. It says—The fact that the project is now under consideration is a sufficient guarantee of the early establishment of such a service. The line would doubtless be constructed along the line of the L.C.R. from Newcastle to Bathurst, and thence along the road leading to Pettit, Rocher, Belledune, Jacques River, Nash's Creek, Black Point, New Mills, Charles, Eel River, Dalhousie Jet, Dalhousie and Campbellton. We are inclined to think that the maintenance of a long distance telephone service which would tap the above points would prove highly remunerative to its promoters and we are confident that such a service will be established at an early date. It is a matter which our newly organized board of trade might profitably deal with.

"MALTESE CROSS" Why not make a CHRISTMAS PRESENT of a nice pair of OVEPSHOES, RUBBERS or RUBBER BOOTS to your friends, and if you do, get the GOOD KIND. "MALTESE CROSS".

Dr. Cates Dentist will visit his Newcastle office on Dec 27th. For several days the reduced rate of 25 PER CENT DISCOUNT will be allowed on ARTIFICIAL TOOTH only. And for December and March visits of 25 per cent regular rates will be charged. Patients will do well to take advantage of this low rate for first class work.

\$1.00

Never had the same purchasing power in our store as it has at the present time, simply because never before was our stock so large and varied. Bring your dollar or even a fraction of it and we will show you how to spend it so as to bring delight to a host of childish hearts.

Have you seen our Calendars. Have you seen our Xmas Con- Paques, Books, Toys, etc? If factory in boxes, suit cases, no you don't know what you are missing. If not you are missing a whole lot.

Malaga Grapes, Oranges, etc., to arrive in time for Xmas. Everything in stock in Xmas Groceries.

L. J. COLLIER & CO.

It's Getting Near Christmas

Not two weeks to Christmas so get ready now and save hustling at the last minute.

Our stock is complete in every line we carry Groceries, Confectionery, Crockery, Glassware, Stationery and Toys.

GROCERIES

Raisins, Currants, Peel--Lemon, Orange and Citron. Nuts shelled or in the shell, Dates, Figs, Prunes, Spices of all kinds, Extracts in all flavors, Syrups, Bottled Fruits, Apples, Oranges, Lemons, Grapes, Cranberries, Canned Goods, Molasses, Butter, Lard, Cheese, Mince Meat, in pails and 1 lb. packages, Beef, Pork, Sausages, etc., etc.

Ganong's Choice Confectionery
IN FANCY BOXES AND BULK.

In Crockery and Glassware
We have everything that one could mention.

The Newest Stationery
in all the latest tints, either in pads, paperettes or by the quire.

Bibles, Hymn Books and Prayer Books.

TOYS

We bought lightly of Toys last year and got clear of our entire stock so the goods now on exhibit are all new and up-to-date.

We solicit your patronage and extend to all a hearty invitation to call and see our goods.

George Stables

How is this?

Every person buying goods from me to the amount of TEN DOLLARS, from now till January 1st, will receive a present of a FIRST CLASS CLOCK, value \$1.75.

Call and see our Dollar Watches, just the thing for a Boy at Xmas. All guaranteed.

ELLIOTT The Watchmaker and Jeweller.

A Christmas Thought.

What will I give my Wife or Daughter for Christmas?

"Were it not for music, we should do our utmost to brighten up the beautiful life of the beautiful." — Lord Beaconsfield.

Well then, I will give her an ORGAN or PIANO, and take advantage of some of the Big Discounts offered.

The Lounsbury Company Can Satisfy the Most Exacting.

- Mason & Risch Pianos.
- Newcombe Pianos,
- Williams Pianos,
- Palmer Pianos,
- Doherty Organs,
- Thomas Organs.

During December we will give from 10 to 25 per cent Discount on these Instruments.

Don't leave it until the last moment, call at our warehouses now, if for nothing else, but to see our choice stock of MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.

The LOUNSBURY COMPANY, Limited.

X'MAS PRESENTS.

Have you seen our fine display of Holiday Goods? If not, you had better come quickly as our stock is being rapidly disposed of. However, we have made provision for the late comers this year. We have, even yet, goods which have not been displayed, so that those who do not get a chance to do their shopping until the last week before Christmas will still have ample stock to choose from—Our stock was never in better condition to meet the requirements of holiday trade than it is this year. You and your friends are cordially invited to come once and come often, and see our exceptionally fine showing of X'mas things. You will be delighted as all the others are. We have gifts for ladies and gifts for gentlemen, gifts for children of all ages and gifts for old people—low priced gifts and expensive gifts—something nice for everybody.

at prices to please everybody. We await the pleasure of seeing you.

We give here a mere outline of the goods from which you can select. In justice to yourself and those you have to buy for we ask you to see what we have.

- BOOKS—Padded leather gift editions.
- CALENDARS—These always please.
- ALBUMS—All the latest designs.
- PHOTO HOLDERS—Always in need of these.
- TOILET CASES—A superb gift.
- MANICURE SETS—Every lady wants one.
- GLOVE and HANDKERCHIEF BOXES and sets.
- WORK BOXES—Nice line of these.
- PHOTO FRAMES—In pressed leather and celluloid.
- FANCY THERMOMETERS—Made for use and ornament.
- FINE CHINA—Never any doubt about this.
- VASE and ROSE JARS—We have beauties.
- MIRRORS—Hand mirrors in all styles.
- JEWEL BOXES—Many beautiful kinds.
- CELLULOID and PLUSH GOODS—Dozens of fine presents.
- POCKET BOOKS—In all the new leathers.
- MILITARY BRUSHES—Made for men.
- WHISKS—We have fancy ones.
- TRAVELLING SETS—Useful whether travelling or not.
- COLLAR and CUFF Boxes—Very useful always.
- PLAYING CARDS—Extra fine ones for Christmas trade.
- INK STANDS—New ones that will please.
- TOYS—In abundance for small boys and girls.
- CEPS and SAUCERS—A large variety at lowest prices.
- BRUSH and COMB TRAYS—A very useful present.
- PERFUMES—Always in wide demand at holiday time.
- CELLULOID GOODS—Extra large stock this year and prices lower than ever.
- GAMES—You can never have too many of them. Don't miss this opportunity of purchasing high class Christmas goods at lowest prices.

Newcastle Drug Store,

F. R. DALTON, Proprietor.