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Another voice sang, perhaps, the very songs, new songs all of them, that she had practised so often, and with such varying delicacy of expression. Another won the murmur of applause that was wont to be hers.

that was wont to be hers.
And she lay here, on the comfortable sofa that was her aunt's, by the warm fire, with nothing in the stiff, but expensive room, her own, save the bunch of violets in the little green wase yon-The thought was a new one, and di-Who sent her those, by the way?

while.

Some listener, perhaps, who had not yet forgotten her in the siren voice of somebody else, and Ernestine blessed the unknown donor for the kindly And with the pleased smile still lingering on her face, the door opened, and the friend of olden days entered, as he had entered long ago into that quaint rectory in the North Countrie.

DRY

I CIRCLE SHITH, EDITOR & PROPRIETOR

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There was a bright fire burning in the grate and the soft fragrance of the country. And then?" the answered violets in the pretty room, Over the mandel hung the brave face of bright for the criman pater clouds, and then it is the pretty room. Over the mandel hung the brave face of bright for the criman pater clouds, and then it is do but to any "good by", with a foliage behind them, and pater clouds, howing up the stendfast look on the showing up the stendfast look on the kinds on ble countenance. The girl on the crimaon covered sofa rused between the special time of the pretty room or violes, and the standard look on the

MONTHS OF MADNESS.

nose, like the women, and not until 1900 years ago, when a lovely baby boy SCOTTISH UNION AND

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And then they carried her away to rowed appear, for the beautiful, fully represented to the service of the serv

GEN. SIR CHAS. WARREN.

He He is Been Appointed to Command the Fifth Infantry Division in S. Africa. MONTHS OF MADNESS.

Contrary to the general opinion, more people go mad during the summer months than in the usually gloomy and dull months of November, December and January, when times are bad and the general conditions appear more conducive to insanity. Not only in this country, but in many others, it is found that more people go mad during May, June and July than during any other portion of the year, and that suicide which is due to some form of insanity—is also more prevalent during the summer.

THE UNATTAINABLE.

Oh, that I had the wings of a dove! She exclaimed, and sighed and sight ed.

The Fates exchanged meaning Fields Horse int he Kaffir war, Griqualing the summer in the usually grown and during the summer.

World is Africa. General Sir Charles Warren, who has been appointed chief of the Fifth Infantry division ordered to Cape Town, is nearly sixty years of age and has seen considerable service in South has occupied the positions of assistant instructor and chief in your behalf are the sympathetic bears and almighty arm of one, who, on the night of the world's first Christmas, about 1900 years ago, was wapped in swaddling clothes and that time he has occupied the positions of assistant instructor and chief in your behalf are the sympathetic bears and almighty arm of one, who, on the night of the world's first Christmas, about 1900 years ago, was wapped in swaddling clothes and laid in a manger. Oh, what splendid each of summer for laying down the boundary line between Grinqualand and the Orange Free State. As a major he commanded the Diamond in the summary between of age and has seen considerable service in South has s

gering on her face, the door opened, and the friend of olden days entered, as he had entered long ago into that quaint rectory in the North Countrie.

He was very kind and gentle in his fable teaches us the unwisdom of hankering too hard for the unattainable.

The Fates exchanged meaning fields Horse into kaffir war, Griquand and rebellion, Bechuanaland war, and northern border expedition of 1877-79, receiving the medal and clasp, mention in despatches and promotion to Brevet Lieut-Col. He served the following the medal and clasp, mention in despatches and promotion to Brevet Lieut-Col. He served the first to use that missile. The Boomerang, nor mention in despatches and promotion to Brevet Lieut-Col. He served the first to use that missile. The Byptians knew all about everything else. At thoughout the Egyptian war of 1882, receiving the medal, Khedive's star, third-class medjidie, and the decoration of K. C. M. G. He commanded the second Bechuanaland expedition of the considered wise because of the poole of old times. But of the future not a word, nor of the immediate past, until, as he was leaving, and her aunt stood with them, he ventured to say that he noped she would soon be better.

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healthy mind can appreciate a good

point when made at the expense of his

party, or even of himself if he is a com-

batant. No reputable person, however,

can entertain any feeling other than

one of contempt for the class of politi-

s honorable and legitimate in this

regard, and what is not. One of the

greatest offenders we have in Canada

against truth and any semblance of fair

play in dealing with not only political

our country and its public men when one of Mr. Wallace's assumed position Every man in Canada, no doubt, makes such an exhibition of silly enjoys in a greater or less degree the ignorance? friction of political warfare, and the

THE WAR!

capable of discriminating between what | last week. WHAT ABOUT DELAGOA BAY? There is a we'l defined belief in Great Britain and elsewhere that the Portuguese

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that Mr. Tarte had made some difficulty in any shape or form. The popular conwell-informed person, of course believed the story, and we are quite sure the Sun did not. It made the worst possi
of the people, who, for the first time in the learns of the people, who, for the first time in the learns of the people, who, for the first time in the learns of the people, who, for the first time in the learns of the people, who, for the first time in the learns of the people, who, for the first time in the learns of the people, who is the people, who, for the first time in the learns of the people, who is the people who is the p ble use of it, however. A despatch the memory of this generation, have from Ottawa to the Montreal Witness, drunk deeply of the cup of military defeat which as everybody knows is far from and disgrace. Any other defeats that the being a political friend of Mr. Tarte, future holds for the British, except entire says the story "has caused a good deal annihilation, are anticipated by the scathof indignation among fair-minded men of both political parties. There is not

one atom of truth in the yarn. Conback sulking in Montreal if there were impression prevails that Kimberley will inspiring send off. any part of the government programme succumb. An office is British South that did not suit him. But your cor- African Company, a has an intimate respondent is informed by a member of knowledge of South Airica, tells the the government that Mr. Tarte has Associated Press he believes that if the been for the last two days trying to shoot him. Boers capture Ceca I hodes they will

STORY OF CANADIAN BOYS IN and this is really the sole basis for the and interests will shrivel to nothing, while gossip. Among fair-minded Conserva- the Chartered Company's vast issues will

tives here there is a very general lose what little bettom they have left. "It is learned by the Associated Press opinion that the less said about disagreements in the sending of the have combined and furnished sufficient that the great financial houses in London money to insure no large failures. Set. stood by outsiders not acquainted with tling Day, Dec. 28, though the small fry facts, the better for our credit as a may suffer.

NOTES OF THE WAR SITUATION. CAPE Town, Dec. 16. (delayed in trans-Mr. Tarte, himself, has caused a contradiction of the story to be publish- mission)—There is great distress in the ed, but the Sun, while it circulated the Orange Free State, owing to the scarcity falsehood refrained from doing justice be starving. of grain. Many families are reported to to the minister it maligned, more to

The Reman Catholic Bishop at Kimthe detriment of the country than the mire his history as a public man, but conscience, say that I think that England ness of our Anglo-Saxon unity." there is no justification for inventing very seldom had a more just cause for war. I have had thirteen years to study the question."

ances at any time, much less in regard to a matter of such paramount importance LONDON, Dec. 21-The Queen has comas the loyalty of Canada's government to the interests of the Empire in the half of the widows and orphans of soldiers | time. who have been killed in South Africa. endorsed by the people generally, are England and Wales on January 7.

Archbishop of Westminster, has issued an increase in duty of \$1,637,000. tenance of the Empire's prestige, a lot a somewhat remarkable pastoral to of third rate politicians appear to be the clergy of this diocese. The docu- 000 and exports by over \$7,000,000. thinking only of how they shall make ment is noteworthy for its pro-British political capital out of the situation. sentiment, which is the exact antithesis Here is a sample effort on the part of of the utterances of the Osservator the excitable gentleman who hopes to Romano and other newspapers supposed succeed Sir Charles Tupper in the to be influenced by the Vatican. The Cardinal enjoius "public and united leadership of the Conservative party. supplications for our army and the speedy Of course, some allowance is made for success of the British arms."

The London Daily News Cape Town correspondent says that the Boers march ed the British prisoners taken at Storm berg to Burghersdorf, the march occupy ing 48 hours, during which time the prisoners were without food or water the government has taken no steps of any kind to ascertain their whereabouts nor school house by the English residents, any telegraphic communication with them. Every Canadian wants to know something of them. Besides there are more than a but the Boer women of the town remon strated, declaring that the "Rooinuks. thousand homes where the little family as they term the English, ought to be

thousand homes where the little family groups are watching day by day and waiting through the long hours of the night, longing to have information, even if it were only one line, every day. Is it parsimony or indifference or something worse that is the cause of the government's action in the matter?

MORE OF KRUGER'S INSOLENCE.

COLOGNE, Dec. 22— The Magdeburg COLOGNE, Dec. 22- The Magdeburg Zeitung has received a telegram from the FROM THE MINISER OF MILITIA TO N.CLARKE Transvaal Agency in Brussels which con firms the statement that President Kru 'Honorable N. Clarke Wallace, Wood- ger is ready to sign a treaty of peace, provided no further rights are asked for the Uitlanders that they enjoyed before the war and also that Great Britain pays the war expenses incurred by the Boers. If Great Britain continues the war, the despatch says, President Kruger and Steyn will ask the Cape Dutch to pro-

claim the independence of Cape Colony. "AMENDED" CASUALTIES AT TUGBLA. "General Buller's list of non-commis-

among 203 missing, 33 are known to have prices up to this period. "(Signed) F. W. BORDEN." been made prisoners. Including all ranks Salmon, per tierce of 300 lbs. What must people abroad think of the British casualties were:

CREAT HEROISM Further stirring details of the battle are

published. So terrible, says one correspondent, was at times the fire from the Boer rifles it seemed inconceivable how a mortal man could continue to advance in White pine lathwood, per cord, White pine masts from 16 to 23 There is no authentic news of any fighting having been done in South Africa since The Advance was issued last week.

mortal man could continue to advance in the face of it. Many deeds of heroism are reported. Men returned to the fire zone to bring out their wounded comrades, and in one case a corporal succeeded in Merchantable shingles;

mortal man could continue to advance in the face of it. Many deeds of heroism are reported. Men returned to the fire zone to bring out their wounded comrades, and planks;

and in one case a corporal succeeded in Merchantable shingles;

Merchantable shingles; dressing the injuries of two men under a I have already said that the sedition of a murderous fusilade.

SENDING INDIAN CAVALRY.

The Steamer "St. Crolx" will leave St. has every THURSDAY, at 4.30 p. m., for constant of the secured of the se

As indicated in the ADVANCE of last their respective houses, and enjoyed a tranwhy those who compose its publishing could be persuaded to proffer it, Lord to be composed of mounted men-artilmanifest their peculiar ideas of journalistic propriety in its columns. One of the Press is informed from the Press is informed f itself with its usual editorial zeal was tion would be accepted by Lord Salisbury is expected that at least 1000 men and an equal number of horses will be despatched with his colleagues in the government over the sending of the second Canadian contingent to South Africa. No well-informed person, of course believed smith and Mafeking would not make a teering for the seat of war. Thousands

> BELMONT, Dec. 23 .- "All well, Canadian regiment sends greetings to all."

GOOD-BYE TO ROBERTS. LONDON, Dec. 23.-Field Marshal Lord Roberts, who is to assume command of the British forces in South Africa, "The lack of news this week has by no left Waterloo railroad station to-day servatives here know the Minister of means been taken as an instance of the amid scenes of wild enthusiam. Seldom

What England Did.

President J. G. Schurman, of Cornell University, who was chairman of the Phillippine commission appointed by default having been made in the payment thereof.
Dated this twenty-ninth day of September A. D.

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get up to Ottawa, but is not physically
fit. The Premier in his kindness of
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Deen for the last two days of physically
get up to Ottawa, but is not physically
fit. The Premier in his kindness of
heart went down to see his colleague,
heart went down to see his colleague,
President McKinley, spoke the other
change has the lack of information caused
club of New York. He spoke of the
extreme nervousuess, It is realised that
Phillippines and the pay. England had President McKinley, spoke the other night at a dinner of the Congregational Club of New York. He spoke of the England had Distriction.

About the year 1814, or 1815, the timber was personally laid at Newcastle, by Sir Howard himself.

> say, but I do know that in the Orient. where we have had our trouble, England's cause has been our cause. I do know population rapidly increased. Villages and that while observing neutrality she has greatly facilitated our work. When the Phillippine commission was in Manila I know that orders came from England for the British ships then gathered there to make a voyage through the archipelago, and that in those orders the captains were and to these exigencies may we ascribe its told to see the leading insurgents in the islands and point out to them their folly as our own immediate local importance. in resisting the United States. One of the berley has spoken with no uncertain most beneficent results of the Spanish sound. Although an Irishman, disclaim- war, in my opinion, was the bringing ing any sympathy with Britain as a rule, together of the British and American peo. liable, and which no human prudence can he says of the war, "I can, with a safe | ple and promoting the moral conscious-

Canada's Trade Still Increasing.

OTTAWA, Dec. 22.—The trade returns of the Dominion for the five months endmanded the Archbishop of Canterbury to ing Nov. 30th last, compared with same account of their registered tonnage and order the collection of contributions in period last year, show that the country is seamen. existing serious position of affairs in behalf of sick and wounded soldiers and still enjoying an era of prosperity and their wives and children and also in be- that this is in reality Canada's growing

The collections will be made in all the crease in the aggregate trade of the chandize:-While the Dominion government, churches of the Established church in country for the past five months of over \$17,000,000. This is exceedingly satisfactory, as last year's trade was far in LONDON, Dec. 26.—Cardinal Vaughan, excess of any previous year. There was The imports increased by over \$10,000,

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Old Times on the Miramichi.

[From Cooney's History.] The subjoined statement shows ho 7.000 tons of timber, brought to market in the summer of 1793, were disposed of. Brought to market in 1793, tons. 7,000

1,150 in 1798,
in 1800,
in 1801,
Sawed into lumber, and split into lathwood, Reduced by rehewing, Lost by the ice, 400 600 4,800 Quantity accounted for on

contra side, 4,800 Sunk, rotted, purloined, &c. 2,200 Thus we see, that of these 7,000 tons of timber; but 2,800 tons were shipped; and that so low as 10s. per ton, and not until 8 About this time, the fur trade, which had

so plentiful, not one was now to be seen. The mast contract also ended this year; and remittences by £20,000; and consequently sioned officers and men reported wound- down into an almost typical miniature of its Disagreeable, however, as such a situation

the latter are directly and personally first category contains 701 names and entarticles of commerce, with their average timber market, in that country was very Alewives, per barrel,

Beaver skins, per lb, Red fox skins, each, Otter skins, each, Loupcervier skins, each, Fisher skins, each, Martin skins, each,

Lord Roberts held a special military whose execution took place, I believe, in the lumberers, in many instances were men of officials at Delagoa Bay are assisting the council at the war office on 22nd. He Boers by permitting food, munitions of strongly urged that a large contingent of Indians for recewing their outrages. It is opponents, but also those of its own war and recruits to pass through that port native Indians be sent to South Africa for said that this man was here; that he used and this circumstance, coupled with the party whose sense of decency restrains them from going to its own lengths and the service against the Boers. It was his every means to excite a revolt among them in facts, of their baving little to lose, and that the secretly supplied them with hardly a probability of gaining, induced an against the former, is the St. John Sun.

An instance in point was that paper's statement the other day of our position in regard to Mr. Greenway whose policy and methods we have always of methods we have always against the former place, and sundered of the many squadrons were available for service in the guerilla tactics interest of the empire.

A London despatch of 23rd says:—

"Though Great Britain's plight in South Africa seems temporarily critical, the As
The seems temporarily critical, the As
African Republic. A British fleet ought to be sent to do police duty there in the estimable service in the guerilla tactics in the same and ammunition. It is also stated, that for some time after he went from this, that for some t policy and methods we have always Africa seems temporarily critical, the As-Commencing Nov. 6, and continuing until further scale. Steamer "Camber-land" will leave St. John every MON-DAY morning, at 7.30 standard, for Eastport, Lubec, Portland and Boston.

The Sun, with its usual sociated Press learns that the Boers are recklessness and disregard for the straining every nerve to secure the mediance of President McKinley towards a time supported Greenway, just as it favorable peace. But, anyone with the slighteat knowledge of British feeling quickly appreciates that not one person in a million contemplates any result but large amount of flour sent to South Africa.

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> As indicated in the ADVANCE of last quility, which has never since been disturb-While arraigning the guilty, we should

> > There were then, neither churches, nor schools, roads or bridges, ferries or highways. Every one travelled by water; communication was tedious and uncertain: extravagantly dear, and very precarious; delicacies unknown and privations familiar. Nor were there either balls, or routes, or pleasure, by favoring us with his presence.

In the year 1797, Duncan McDonald, a Public Works is not the man to hang adage regarding no news. A very general has the terminus witnessed such an of deliberate malice. McDonald was exdeserved it from everyone. ecuted at Newcastle on a temporary gallows, court house. For the trial of this unfor-

> played in the war wish Spain.
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> trade became a favorable and profitable purWhether E and is right or wrong in suit, both here, and in Great Britain. Our Every heart throbbed with pleasure taking up the gauntlet thrown down by usual commerce increased; and shipbuilding present enjoyment inspired coeval happiness;
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> Kruen, said he, "I cannot undertake to added another branch to our industry. and future prospects opened a plearant way Everything began to wear a new aspect. A before us. tide of emigration flowed upon us; and our settlements, churches and schools, with other corresponding features of improvement, shooting as it were from the wilderness, announced the rapidity of our progress.

In the pressing exigencies of the British nation, did the colonial timber trade originate; COONEY'S HISTORY

From this period until the year 1824, trade generally increased, checked however by those casualties to which commerce avert. In this year, as the following tables exhibit, the commerce af this county, seems to have attained its greatest magnitude.

The imports and exports of the county of Northumberland, in the year 1824;—the number of vessels, exclusive of coasters. therein entered and discharged; also an

Arriving from the United Kingdom and Foreign Europe, 327 vessels registering 94,601 tons, manned by 4,274 seamen, and bringing the following goods and mer-

meal, beef and pork, . peas and beans,...
naval stores,...
onions and seeds,...
Bushels of corn,.... Cwts. of rice, sugar,tobacco, Gallons of wine, rum, Tons of salt,...

iron and copper,...

mahogany and logwood,... staves. . . . The probable amounts of these imports, currency, adding costs and charges to the difference of exchange, may be estimated at about £180,000.

Exported in 331 vessels, registering 94,800 tons, and manned by 4,341 seamen

Pine boards and plank, M feet, oars and rafters, . handspikes, Cords of lathwood Barrels of pickled tish, . Quintals of dry fish,..... Boxes of smoked herrings,

Assuming the general rates of invoice i been for some years declining, now almost our estimation of these exports, we cannot totally failed; and of the moose, formerly rate them very far above £160,000 currency. Canada Eastern Railway By this scale, our imports would exceed our hence, our trade may be said to have settled leave the country in debt for that amount. A. J. HEATH,
D. P. A., St. John, N.B.,
public, although a far greater number of is again amended by the war office. The loss on. would be, ours was still worse, When our from Frederic on Juncton

dull: but as the greater part of them was consigned to pay remittances, sales had to be effected, though at a very depreciated

Of this year's trade, we soon ascertained the result by feeling the consequences. After paying freight, insurance, commission and all the incidental charges of agency, &c. it was found that the net proceeds arising from our consignments, did not collectively, average more than one half of the prime cost. That is : for most of the timber sent home, in 1824, the shippers did not receive more than from 9s. to 9e. 6d. per ton. This arose, chiefly, from our excesses, and from the facilities we afforded the manufacture The merchants here, having imported rather largely, had as a matter of course, to credit rather liberally. Hence the timber trade became an exclusive pursuit;

Mr. M'Lean, who suffered at Quebec, for and consequently, the only means by which Mr. M'Lean, who suffered at Quebec, for and consequently, the only means of and consequently, the only means of and consequently, the only means of the conspiring against the government, and our commerce could be sustained. The

those who do not agree with it in all those who do not agree with it i

A few months before that visitation, of which we shall speak anon, and we were happy and cheerful. Our trade was looking C. E. LAECHLER, Agent, St. John, N. B. Company—for most of them are above Salisbury, though, perhaps, bound to lery and cavalry. They are to be discriminate a little, lest the innocent The bosom of our river sustained a large fleet embarked from Halifax. The contracts should be involved in their censure. It is, loaded with the productions of many climes; repreach as gentlemen—permit the writers they employ to so palpably in the United States and thus divert to the Boers much wavering sentithe Elder-Dempster Line and the Lauren- conducted themselves with exemplary for- edge of each flowery belt was fringed by the luxuriant foliage of the surrounding forest Our wharves and warehouses groaped under the weight of the wealth they contained the market was well stocked with its staple commodity; ships clustered on our sea board: commerce flourished in our towns and plenty fieled our hamlets. Health sat travelling dangerous and fatiguing; supplies on every cheek; gladness beamed in every eye. Our late excellent governor, too, Sa Howard Douglas, came to fill the cup of our

The visit of so distinguished a personage were forgotten in the perplexities of life; was exceedingly flattering; and the solicitude the pleasures of festivity seldom sweetened his excellency evinced for our prosperity, the bitterness of fatigue. With luxuries seemed to promise a continuance of it The they were unacquainted; and their enjoy- interview between the governor and the ments were as tew, as their hardship were governored was an exhibition of the most amiable feelings. Respect and attachment distinguished the conduct of the people resident of Baie des Vents village, having had affability and condescension marked the desome misunderstanding with a neighbor of portment of the magistrate. The order of his named Donald McVicar, shot him dead, the day was harmony; the only rivalry, who under the most aggravating circumstances should pay most respect to a man, that

In short, we enjoyed all the blessings of a erected a short distance from the present jubilee, without enduring any of the fatigues of it : while a sumptuous entertainment tunate man, was the first commission of alike creditable to the distinguished guest, Oyer and Terminer held in this county; and his hospitable entertainers, closed the on which occasion, the Hon. John Saunders, ceremony of the festival. Heaven seemed to Phillippine commission appointed by President McKinley, spoke the other present Judge Bliss conducted the prosecuthe foundation of a Presbyterian church,

In the midst of our enjoyments, the cause of our approaching calamity had already

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THE CITIZENS' BAND turned out on Christ

ORITUARY:- Wm. A. P. Rhodes, care

is dead, aged lifty-six. He leaves a widow St. MICHAEL'S BAND played at the pro-Cathedral at high Mass on Christmas Day

forencon and also paraded and played on the won't be able to turn a dollar that wil bring you as much satisfaction and comfort

as the one invested in Union Blend Tea. THE ICE BOATS—eight of them—were out gers between Campbellton and Dalhousie 24th, and although there was not much and 6,800 between Delhousie and Maguasha. Miramichi has one of the best see-boat fleets in the maritime provinces—if not the best of

MAYOR WINSLOW, of Chatham, is the be taken to make this service on our river a subject of an appreciative personal sketch success, especially now that the Quebec and in the last number of the St. John Monitor. New Brunswick governments are assisting The article is headed by a picture of His with subsidies. - Events. Worship, which it is needless to say is that of a very good-looking man.

MMR. MARIE HARRISON, Canada's talanted vocalist, is scoring anccess after success in England. During the months of October thirty-eight concerts, everywhere receiving

THERE WILL BE A FULL HOUSE: - Much in me should secure their sittings as early as possible to-day.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH PASTOR REMAMBERED - Rev. J. M. Maclean received from friends in his congregation, on Saturday evening last, a very handsome brass parlor stand with round onyx top and also a round fluted top golden oak centre table, showing unmistakable evidence that their esteemed pastor's

work among them is appreciated. The Farm Journal is the boiled-down, hit-the-nail-on-the-head paper, cut to fit the farmer and villager who know what's what. "The Farm Journal for five years, (all of 1900, W901 1902 1902 and 1904) and the ADVANCE to the captain's office

generosity, sent the pilot master Robert Walls, through Dr. John McDonald, a \$1000 Dominion note as a Christmes present to be affected by this order, and the increase will distributed amongst the pilots of the Miraof their earnings of the season just closed.

FOR CAMPBELLTON MEN :- A Toronto despatch of 20th inst: says :- "The Outario government has authorized the distribution of \$1.000 offered for the recapture of Pare and Holden. The reward will be divided among four Campbellton men, Robert Strange, hotel keeper, receives \$400 and Constable T. Duncan an equal amount.

Constable T. Duncan an equal amount.

All. R. Murray and Robert Duff will receive played on New Year's Day, precisely as set down for Christmas, and the members of the

UNRIVALLED TOURIST SLEEPING cars for end class tickets, are run by the Canadian Pacific Railway on Trans-continental Express train, leaving Windsor Station, Montreal, at 11 a.m. every Thursday and Wm. Wilson's vs. Alex. Brown's. running through to Seattle. Passengers for Geo. Hildebrands's vs. D. Chesman's. Robert Murray's vs. Jas. Johnston's. will be accommodated in these cars, on payment of a small additional berth charge.

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IMPROVEMENTS:— The Bank Nova Scotia is having its Chatham office greatly simproved. A new heating furnace has been Is this Christmas? put in, a new birch floor laid, the street front is to be remodelledland fitted with plate

A PRETTY PROTOGRAPHIC CARD for Christborn at this season of the year: we had may and New Year has been sent by Mr. only tradition for it and that not a very early

Great Festival. R. H. Armstrong of Newcastle to a number one. Some of the earlier traditions assigned | S. Paul's was also neatly decorated with the ton of his friends. It is of cabinet size with Mr. September as the month of Christ's birth, evergreen, of his friends. It is of cabinet size with Mr. September as the month of Unrist's birth, evergreen,
and Mrs. Armstrong and children in a others April or May; and some of the early

The 3rd service was in S. Mary's at 11

ville, N. S., expects that in January she group in the centre, surrounded by a double row of ministure pictures of soenes on the Northwest Miramichi—pretty glimpses of the Northwest Miramichi—pret Northwest Minamichi—pretty gimpes of the rod and fly,

Northwest Minamichi—pretty gimpes of the rod and fly,

I Cord's birth. There was no allusion either Sunday school children, who were assembled pounsel in the famous Dreyfus case, has been offered \$35,000 by men of note to Camp Crawford, Camp Adams and other could draw the inference that the early sang Christmas carols with pleasing and lecture in America. It is probable that he

Enwir O. Woop of Michigan, Secretary celebrated, the Feast of the Nativity began hymns were "Christians Sing out with year was the death of the evangelist, Dwight to be observed in some quarters of the Exultation," &c., and "Hark, the Herald L. Moody, whose fame was worldwide. tion, knows a good thing when he sees it. church, the' a uniform day was not held, Angels Sing" &c, The other musical selection the event took place at his home at East Writing the other day of the Biggle Swine Some portions of the church celebrated it in tions including Woodword's Kyrie Eleison, Northfield, Mass., where his death-bed Books, he says, "Without exaggeration or September. Gloria B. G. &c., and Gilbert's Orpdo. bed was surrounded by his family. He was

momente, and following its advice has already saved me, as I believe, tifty dollara."

AN APT PUPIL :- The St. John Globe's Harcourt correspondent says, -- "Mr. Gordon Machine Works, Chatham, was, on Satur-VANCE ode year shead, for only \$1-both Livingston's son, Grover Cleveland, is home day after a day after

spend his holidays. The Halifax Herald recently offered prizes for the best story of the Causes of the War in South Africa. Although Master Grover did not succeed in winsing a prize, honorable mention was made of his contribution. He is only twelve years old and totally blind. Too much praise cannot be given to Mr. C. F. Fraser, the superintendant of the school, "

A SADDENED HOME:—Much sympathy is felt for Mr. and Mrs. James Connell of Little Bartibog over the losses they have the superintendance of the school over the losses they have the superintendance of the saturation of the service which you so admirably fill is the wind of the many by whom your kindness shall never be torgotten.

With this scuvenir then let us wish you after the let us wish you and Happy New Year. The presentation took place in the office

Little Bartibog over the losses they have sustained by death during the last nine months, that of their daughter Margaret, taking place at a very early hour last Thureday morning, and being the third in the ime named. Their eldest daughter, Mary, aged 32, died about the middle of March aged 26, about the middle of August, and

b eathe directly to the diseased parts, when many more passengers would travel on the Campbellton route, especially ladies, if there was proper landing accommedation at Campbellton. It is to be hoped that steps will POLSON & CO., Box 542 Kingston, Ont.

Presentations to Rev D. Henderson On Saturday evening, Rev. D. Henderson, Andrew's Manse. The members of the be bought at reduced rates. Board of Trustees of St. Andrew's, constirespected minister and captain, and Mr. what the war will develop. in an address expressive of their appreciation of the work of their minister, the excellence of his pulpit work, their loyal affection for at Nelson's Hollow last Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Murray are about Masonic Hall to-night by Miss Annie og to Australia for two years. Mr. Shirreff, the Misses White, Miss Bonnette and Mr. Gillis- There is a rush for reserved meats and those who have not already done

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Murray are about him, and pledging their continued supports in the work of the church, presented Mr. Henderson with a beautiful silver awnoging water pitcher on stand, and a gold lined goldet to match. The pitcher has the following saturday.

David Betts is alowly recovering from his severe attack of erysipelas.

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efficient board of trustees nor a more devoted

wages of all track foremen and trackmen lamp table from the Young People's So-

rinks formed for the purpose by the Chatham but have omitted to do their part in making them known. Come, therefore, or write

> S. Paul's churches were of the usual appropriate character and were well attended

of Christmas day. mas hymns were Nos. 482, 484, and 60 H.

We had no proof whatever that Christ was municants besides others present, an admir-

The 4th service was at S. Paul's at 3 Mrs. Sargeant at the early celebration at S.

The Rector was presented with a valuable Christmas gift by S. Mary's Sunday school children, and with other valued gifts from members of the congregations.

Doaktown Notes

The weather is favorable for yarding logs, but not good for portaging supplies to campe there being little or no frost in the ground A scarcity of good axe men is complained

of, many having gone west. A force of men who have been working on the railroad bridge for the last six weeks Gibson to-day

esterday and the day before. Visitors and trustees were pleased with the progress made is bright, owing to improved steamship during the term. Prizes were offered for service. ulating competition and showing a marked advance in penmanship. The primary department is taught by Miss Jessie Murray; the superior department by Mr. George Wathen

Mr. David Betts went to his barn to feed his cattle and found a boy covered under the straw in a badly frozen condition having been there some days and nights without and rubbing, the boy, who is about 12 years being terrified by threats of beating, and wandered in the night to where he was found, being afraid to seek shelter at any house lest he would be taken back to where he left. Everything was done to relieve hospital at Fredericton. It is thought he may lose one or both feet. Public opinion ensures the Storey family. The lad was to raise and train and have a home.

The bridge at Nelson's Hollow will acon

stationary, at \$10 per ton; beef, by the There is nothing doing in spoolwood.

Everybody is completely disgusted with the had a very pleasant surprise party, at St. hand from last year which no doubt could attempts being made to impute disloyalty to Mr. Joseph Doak is the only person run

tuted themselves into an army and laid ning his mill this winter. He is making siege to the Manse. After the capture and sashes and doors. The other mills are wait occupation they fell into rank before their ing for something to turn up and to see

> DOAKTOWN, Dec. 25. David Betta is slowly recovering from his

The immigrant boy who remained three ANTED-SEVERAL BRIGHT AND HONEST persons to represent us as

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An Awful Calamity.

ROME, Dec. 22.-A terrible disaster took place this afternoon at Amali, the popular Many people were burried in the debris, which crushed four vessels to the bottom of the sea, destroying their crews. The

Amalfi is a town of 7,000 inhabitants like to see reference to them in the paper, situated at the entrance of a deep ravine, picturesque rocks. The Cappuchin monastery was founded in 1212 by Cardinal Pietr Capuane for the Clatercians, but came into

possession of Cappuchine in 1583. The building, which stood in the hollow

gradually to undermine the lower portion of the town and a terrible inundation in

During the rehearsal of Christmas exercises in St. Patrick's parochial school, In St. Andrew's church, last Sabbath, the

A. & M., the latter being the Recessional.

The Psalter and Canticles were well sung the draperies ignited and caused a fire. glass, a vestibule will be made in the centre services morning and evening—sermons and by the choir. After Evening Prayer the Six little ones were burned or crushed to and the wire netting over the counters and death in the panic and five more died by deaks is to be replaced by plate glass panels Rev. Mr. Henderson's text in the morning subject of preparation for Christ's Coming the next morning.

News was brought by steamer Danube better keeping with the requirements of its staff and its general popularity.

In not kept by the Presbyterian church as a life 2nd service was a celebration of the life 2nd service was a celebratio

Books, he says, "Without exaggeration or fulsome preise it is the best book which has a litho' all this was so, yet the preacher Benedictus qui venit &c. were well sung by \$2 years old and is survived by a widow and thought that such an important event as the choir, which although fewer in numbers two sons. In November he was stricken

with heart trouble while holding revivaneetings in Kansas City, which compelled him to abandon his work and go home in care of a physician.

BRUSSELS, Dec. 22.-Upwards of forty school children were drowned this afternoon in an ice accident at Frelinghem, near the French frontier. The school children of the district had been given a holiday with permission to play on the frozen river Lys. When the merriment was at full height the ice broke suddenly, and the children disappeared. A few were rescued half drowned, but the majority were drowned. Thirty-six bodies have been recovered

where nearly every family suffered loss. Sir Richard Cartwright has received report from the government agent at Trinidad suggesting that the present is a fitting time enter into a preferential trade arrange owing to the failure of Trinidad to accept the proposed treaty with the United States. Canada would of course share in any tariff advantages which would have been given to the United States, but Trinidad could give a trade preference to Canada which the United tates would not obtain. This matter is reports that the prospect of better trade between Canada and Trinidad next summe

The following rule of the Boston health board was published recently. The board of health hereby adjudge that the deposit of sputum in public places is a nuisance, source of filth, and cause of sickness, and it is hereby ordered that spitting upon the floor, platform or steps of any railway or railway station, car, publ c building, hall, church theatre, or any sidewark immediately connected with public places be and truly is prohibited. Two years ago spitting in street care in Boston was declared a misdemeanor punishable with a fine of \$100. And now the privilege of indulging in the nasty habit of spitting is further restricted. In Jersey City a man was arrested last week for refusing to abstain from spitting in a street

Hon. Mr. Tarte, addressing a Liberal secting at Montreal the other night, emphatically denied the report that he inimmigrant and was placed in that family tended to resign from the government be cause ha differed from his colleagues over the sending of a second contingent to South wh Africa. Mr. Tarte said there was not a word of truth in it. The reason he did not attend the cabinet meeting was because he wa ments are to come off to help cheer up the ordered by his physician to remain in bed and it was against his doctor's orders that he was now out of his house. Mr. Tarte said he entirely agreed with the government's quarter, 5c. per fb.; potatoes \$100 per bbl.; gent. It would be under the same conditions as the first and Canada would not sacrifice any of its liberties. When parlis ment was called the question would be fully asiness. There are piles of spoolwood on discussed. Mr. Tarte also denounced the French Canadians.

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the youngest apprentice, Harry Miller. Mr. Rudnock made a brief and appropriate reply expressing his appreciation of the gift, address and good will of the meu, and wished them all a Merry Christmas. This of age, said he left Mr. Alexander Storey's, is not the first time foreman Ruddock has been remembered in this way by the men under him. At the close cheers were given

the second, Margaret, aged 29 years and 9 months, just a week ago. These comprised all the daughters of the family, whose the foreman Christmas, this year, was, therefore, a sad Have You Catarrh? AT CAMPBELLTON: - Mesers. A. & R. Loggie the proprietors of the Steamer 'Eva,' which ran the ferry service between Dalhousie and Maguasha, P. Q., made a report of the summer's work. They carried 530 passen- parts and have thus proved useless, but

Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Johnstone, of Bath

urst, are visiting Chatham relatives. Miss Norah Benson spent Christmas at the greatest praise from both press and Stillwater, Minnesota, are being warmly A. A. Anderson, chairman of the trustees, welcomed in town, where they are making a Christmas visit to relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Murray are about

ast; their youngest Mrs. Bridget O'Keefe,

pany of Poughkeepsie, N. Y. Mr. Stewart Benson is amongst Chatham's holiday visitors, as he was expected to true arrive from Jamaica last night.

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have a look at them. Happy New Year on the I. C R. The Moneton Transcript of Friday last says :- "It is understood that Hon. A. G. and earnest band of christian workers. one year, will both be sent to every new | Blair has issued instructions to General subscriber to our paper, and to every old Manager Pottinger to-day that throughout Christmas gifts from the organizations of his 2 o'clock an enormous rock, upon which subscriber who pays \$1.00 Walk right up the line of the Intercolonial railway, the church, among which was an onyx piano- stood the Cappecini hotel, slid bodily into

day instead of \$1.15. There are not less than eight hundred men total somewhere about \$14,000 annually in

sonable New Year's gift. Chatham Curling Club. Day, play in the match, President vs. Vice-President did not take place between the

Club-to all of whom the printed programme was sent-will please accept this announcethe accommodation of passengers holding meat as notice to be on hand. The rinks opposing each other will be :-Forenoon at 10 o'clock.

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Afternoon at 2.30.

the screen built up considerably higher. | was Luke II : 14 and in the course of his and the religious duties connected with the When these and other improvements are sermon he expressed regret that Christmas Christmas season. ties objects. The souvenir is both Christians kept Christmas and for about 300 appropriate effect. The Morning Prayers may accept the offer. years after Christ it was much the same. were preceded by the Propessional Hymn
But later on, as Saints days began to be "O Come all ye Faithful," &c., and the other
One of the notable events of the closing

birth of our Lord ought to be celebrated, | than usual in the past, fully sustained its and since the proper day could not be old time and creditable reputation.

ascertained better take the day that had . The 4th service was at S. Pa been so long associated with the event-all o'clock p.m. and consisted of Evening Praythe more as Christmas is recognised by us all, whatever may be our religious belief, as a season of joy and goodwill. There was no heartily sung by the choir, the organist, reason why Presbyterians should separate Mr. Geo. Burchill, jr., played the organ themselves in this matter from the rest of with his well-known ability, as did also

Mr. Henderson closed his sermon with a Paul's, and Mrs. Flett at the services in St touching reference to the death of D. L. Mary's. The offerings for all purposes on Moody, whose work he described as, "gold, Xmas Eve and Day, amounted to about silver and precious stones"-work which \$100. would survive the fire of Divine scrutiny and shide for ever in its blessed results. It does not need a pyramid nor a monument, to perpetuate your memory. Be good and do good and like Moody, you shall live in human hearts and speak when you are dead.

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Christmas Services in S. Mary's and S. Paul's.

which prevailed during a considerable part The first Evensong of the Festival was said in S. Mary's, which was handsomely 1343 proved still more disastrous. decorated, at 6.30 p.m. on X'mas Eve, and began with the Processional Hymn "While Shepherds Watched, &c." The other Christ-

Mr. Henderson was also the recipient of tourist resort on the Gulf of Salerno. About will be increased. The foremen will, from New Year's day, receive \$1.75 per day instead of \$160, and the trackmen \$1.20 per X'mas" for Mr. Henderson. The ADVANCE will be obliged to its mass of earth which slipped was about The population is in a state of terror

matters and events in which they are interested, or may think their friends may be. arrived upon the scene and begun rescue in the ADVANCE's columns do not appear the occupants of the hotel. As yet it is surrounded by imposing mountains and

The Christman services in S. Mary's and of the great rock that rose abruptly from the sea to the height of 230 feet, contained fine cloisters and a charming veranda, and notwithstanding the unpleasant weather offered magnificent points of view. In the twelfth century the sea began

the bank will have quarters in is not kept by the Presbyterian church as a The 2nd service was a celebration of the which arrived at Victoria on 19th inst. from

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