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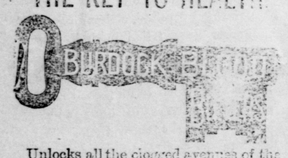

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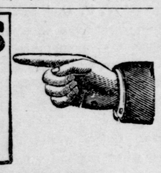

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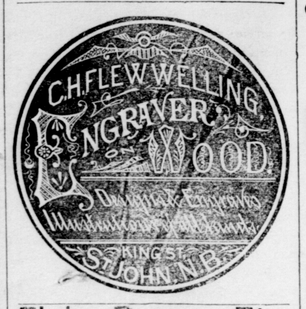

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CHATHAM RAILWAY.

WINTER 1885.-6

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GOING NORTH

LOCAL TIME TABLE.

	No. 1 EXPRESS.	No. 3 ACCOM'DATION.
Leave Chatham,	12.10 a. m.,	2.35 p. m.
Arrive Chatham Junc,	12.40 "	3.00 "
Leave " "	2.05 "	3.15 "
Arrive Chatham,	2.35 "	3.45 "

THROUGH TIME TABLE

		EXPRESS.	ACCOM'DATION.
Leave	Chatham,	12.10 a. m.	2.35 p. m
Arrive	Bathurst,	4.07 "	5.45 "
"	Campbellton,	6.30 "	9.00 "

GOING SOUTH

LOCAL TIME TABLE.

		No. 2 EXPRESS.	No. 4 ACCOM'DATION
Chatham,	Leave,	12.10 p. m.	10.50 a. m.
Chatham Junc'n,	Arrive,	12.40 "	11.25 p. m.
" "	Leave,	2.05 "	11.45 "
Chatham,	Arrive,	2.35 "	12.10 "

THROUGH TIME TABLE.

		EXPRESS	ACCOM'DATION
Leave	Chatham,	12.10 a. m.	11.00 a. m
Arrive	Moncton	3.40 "	3.20 p. m
	St. John,		
"	Halifax,		

Trains leave Chatham on Saturday night to connect with Express going South, which runs through to St. John, and Halifax and with the Express going North, which runs to Campbellton.

Connections are made with all passenger Trains both DAY and NIGHT on the Intercolonial.

☞ *Pullman Sleeping Cars run through to St. John on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, and o Halifax on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, and from St John, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, and from Halifax, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.*

The above Table is made up on I. C. Railway standard time, which is 75th meridian time.

All the local Trains stop at Nelson Station, both going and returning.

All freight for transportation over this road, if above Fourth (4th) Class, will be taken delivery of the Union Wharf, Chatham, and forwarded free of Truckage Custom House Entry or other charges.

Special attention given to Shipments of Fish.

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FALL IMPORTATIONS

—FULL LINES OF—

Autumn & Winter

DRY GOODS,

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Carpets,

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ENGLISH AND AMERICAN HATS,

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20 Cases and Bales

Assorted Dry Goods

70 Half Chests Tea,

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30 Bbls. SUGAR,

125 Bbls. FLOUR,

10 Tons Pressed Hay,

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Lumber.

Wm. Murray.

Miramichi Advance.

CHATHAM, N. B. - - - NOVEMBER 19, 1885.

The Last Day.

Were this the last of earth,
This very day,
How should I think and act?
What should I say?
Would I not guard my heart
With earnest prayer?
Would not I serve my friends
With loving care?

How tender every word
As the hours wane!
"Like this we shall not sit
And talk again"
How soft the beating heart
That soon must cease!
What glances carry love—
What heavenly peace!

And yet this fleeting life
Is one last day;
How long soe'er its hours,
They will not stay,
O heart be soft and true
While thou dost beat;
O hands be swift to do,
O lips, be sweet.

—MRS. M. F. BUTTS.

The Labrador Hurricane.

GRAPHIC DESCRIPTION OF THE TERRIFIC GALE.—AGONIES OF THE SHIP-WRECKED.

(From the Montreal Gazette.)

ST. JOHN'S, Newfoundland, Oct. 29.—The SUFFERINGS OF THE SHIPWRECKED crews were terrible. While some were driven ashore where there were huts to shelter them, others were wrecked on desolate islands, where they had to await relief, with scarcely enough to sustain life, and some found themselves miles away from any human habitation.

The saddest scene of all was at White Bear islands. There two vessels, the "Release" and "Hope," with all their anchors out, were struggling to ride out the storm. They held on till Monday morning, when the moorings gave way. The "Release" drifted on an island to leeward, and was speedily dashed in pieces. Twenty-five of those on board were drowned, all but six being women and children. The "Hope" was carried on a ledge of rock, near the shore. Two punts were launched and filled with those on board, who reached the shore in safety; but, before the remainder could be rescued, the vessel broke up, and fourteen met a watery grave, most of them being women and children. The scene is said to have been appalling. Poor mothers were seen clasping their children to their bosoms in speechless agony, and children crying for aid and clinging to the hands that were powerless to save. The merciless billows rushed on them and covered all with

A WINDING SHEET OF FOAM.

Thirty-nine in all perished at this single spot. One man lost his wife and four children. At Black islands, a schooner belonging to Conception Bay was lost with all hands. At Ragged islands, a man named Alfred King lost his wife and two children. A girl named Thistle, who was brought here in the "Nellie," had a narrow escape. The vessel in which she was struck and went to pieces; she was hurled into the waves and washed ashore, fearfully bruised, one of her fingers having been taken off and one of her legs badly cut. She was carefully attended to on board the "Nellie," and is now in a fair way of recovery. The kindness of the poor creatures to one another, when any have been specially unfortunate, is most touching.

A NEWFOUNDLAND HERO.

The dark tragedy is relieved by some traits of genuine heroism. A young man named Reardon had escaped from a wreck by swimming. He had barely reached the shore when he heard the wild shrieks of despair from a woman on board another vessel that was fast going to pieces. The brave fellow did not hesitate a moment. He dashed into the boiling surges, and after a fearful struggle with the waves, he reached the wreck, and swam ashore, bringing with him the rescued woman. Just before he reached the vessel two women on board were killed by the falling of a punt on them. Surely if ever a hero merited the Victoria Cross for valor, this Newfoundland fisherman deserves such honor. The soldier who braves the storm of grapeshot and rescues a wounded comrade at the peril of his own life, is honored and rewarded; and his praise is sung by poets. But does he perform a nobler deed than this, or one more marked by unselfish heroism? It does not appear that he even knew before the woman whom he risked his life to save. It is to be hoped some substantial rewards await him.

A NOBLE BOY.

Another touching story is told. A father tried to save his boy, eleven or twelve years old, by swimming with the lad fastened on his back. He struggled hard, but again and again, with such a burden on his shoulders, he was nearly overwhelmed. The poor boy begged his father to let him go and save his own life; and when he saw that his father would not do this he managed to work himself free and struck out towards the shore. A huge wave came and flung father and son on the shore and both were saved. A lady who saw the boy since he reached home, told me that she said to him, "Will you ever go to Labrador again." The reply was "Oh, yes, mam—I likes it—I'll go next year." "Were you afraid when you were on your father's back?" "No mam, I was only a little bit frightened. I thought poor father was goin' to be drowned, and what would mother do then—so I got off his back." This young boy, a very bright intelligent fellow, with a fine open manly countenance, says my informant will, if he lives, become a splendid specimen of our Newfoundland fishermen.

NEWFOUNDLAND DOGS SAVE A WOMAN.

Another hairbreadth escape is recorded. At White Bear Islands a woman belonging to Conception Bay found herself in the water, the vessel having gone down, and as there was no means of reaching the shore, she gave herself up for lost. But at that critical moment she saw two Newfoundland dogs that had been on board swimming for their lives shoreward. She either called them, or they instinctively came to the rescue of the drowning woman, so closely that she was able to grasp the long hair on their backs, and so was safely carried ashore. The marvellous escapes of others would occupy too much space if narrated.

As soon as the news of the disaster reached St. John's the Government took prompt and energetic measures for rescuing the shipwrecked crews and bringing them home. Two steamers that lay at Harbor Grace were hastily got ready for sea; provisions and clothing in abundance were put on board, and in less than twenty-four hours they were despatched to the scene of the disaster. The mail steamer "Plover" was taken from her usual route, provisioned and sent to the same destination. Fortunately there were two steamers at Labrador when the storm took place, and these at once devoted themselves to the help and rescue of the shipwrecked people. The steamship "Vanguard" was one of these, and she arrived at Harbor Grace on the 26th, having on board 650 of the shipwrecked people, brought from Grady. The other was the "Hercules," and she reached Tilt Cove on the same day with 240 people on board. Sailing vessels are arriving with detachments on board. The "Lady Elibank" brought 200 to Harbor Grace. There is no doubt that the steamers now gone north will be able to find and bring home the remainder of the wrecked crews, some of whom are still exposed in perilous circumstances. The poor people, as they arrive, are

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but thankful to reach their homes alive. Many of them have lost everything. All their hard earned catch of fish is gone, and they come home to face the long, cold winter with hardly anything in their houses. They will receive all the help that is possible both from private charity and out of the public funds, but with all that can be done for them their privations and sufferings will be great. The Government deserves much credit for the prompt and judicious measures they adopted for the relief of the sufferers.

ESTIMATE OF LOSSES.

At present the loss by this storm is estimated at £50,000 to £60,000, or $200,000 to $240,000. Most of the vessels are insured in a Mutual Insurance club; but when a disaster of this kind occurs, there might almost as well be no insurance, as the amount required to meet the claims has to be contributed by all the members of the club, and thus anything gained by insurance is paid out in covering losses. The loss of so many fishing vessels will seriously interfere with fishing operations next year, though many new vessels may be built during the winter, and thus employment be afforded. It is, however, a very serious blow to our prosperity. In hundreds of homes pinching poverty will be felt next winter. Fishing gear is lost, and will have to be replaced. The Labrador fishery will not for some time recover from the blow. Nearly all our mercantile houses are heavy sufferers. Eighteen years ago, in 1867, a similar disaster happened on Labrador, but the loss of life and property was not more than half as great as by the recent storm.

GENERAL NOTES AND NEWS.

A good example is the best sermon.

Debility.

Perhaps you are weak and weary, all run down, get tired with slight exertion, feel faint and dizzy, or dull and languid, then you need a good tonic regulator to make pure blood circulate, and give you strength. Try Burdock Blood Bitters—it will not fail you.

A clear conscience can bear any trouble.

Cured of Deafness.

Harry Ricardo, of Toronto, was deaf for eight years, and also suffered with Chronic Rheumatism. After all else failed, Hagyard's Yellow Oil cured both afflictions. Yellow Oil is a reliable internal and external remedy for all painful and inflammatory complaints.

Let no one suppose that by acting a good part through life he will escape scandal.

MALARIA is the action of disease germs in bad air, poor drainage, swampy regions, etc., upon the system, producing chills, fever, neuralgia, and many dangerous diseases. Burdock Blood Bitters regulates the bowels, liver and blood and wards off and cures Malaria.

A tart temper never mellows with age, and a sharp tongue is the only edged tool that grows keener with constant use.

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This is an epidemic worse and more depressing than an ordinary cold, and requires prompt remedies to break it up. Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam is a trustworthy remedy for all forms of colds and their dangerous results.

An old and well tried remedy is Bairds French Ointment. By its use Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Ulcers, &c., are soon healed. It will cure the Itch in a few days.

A man never knows what a weak, fickle, and uncertain master he has in himself until he is at liberty to govern his own life and to do as he pleases.

Advice to mothers. Many children suffer and die from no other cause than an excess of Worms in the Stomach or Intestines, to avoid this give Dr. McLean's Vegetable Worm Syrup, any child will take it.

There is an inestimable blessing in a cheerful spirit. When the soul throws its windows wide open, letting in the sunshine, and presenting to all who see it the evidence of its gladness, it is not only happy, but it has an unspeakable power of doing good. To all the other beatitudes may be added, "Blessed are the joy-makers."

Carter's Little Liver Pills are free from all crude and irritating matter. Concentrated medicine only; very small; very easy to take; no pain; no griping; no purging.

"Gather up the fragments that nothing be lost"—fragments of time, of opportunity—The "odd moments" for your days, the "in-between" thoughts of your heart; for others the quiet, unassuming effort, the little plan for another's good which seems too small to be called "a plan" if those fragments are a part of the influence and life which the Lord has blessed, do not let them be scattered when He bids you collect them. Get it into your hearts as a living principle that she who would do great things must begin by doing little things.

Smart Weed and Belladonna combined with the other ingredients used in the best porous plasters make Carter's S. W. & B. Backache Plasters the best in the market. Price 25 cents.

The eye of the master will do more work than both of his hands. Not to oversee workmen is to leave your purse open.

Scott's Emulsion of Pure Cod Liver Oil, with Hypophosphites,

In Consumption and Scrofula.

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