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COMPANION WANTED—Must be experienced—apply at the ADVANCE OFFICE.

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THE "ADVANCE" is for sale at Johnson's Bookstore, and the Circulating Library, Desmond building, next door to the Telephone Exchange.

GAZETTE.—Mr. James Anderson of Church Point has been appointed Alms House Commissioner for Alawick in place of Mr. Simon Simpson resigned.

SUNDAY SERVICE will be held in St. Luke's Church, on Friday evening, (New Year's Eve) beginning at 10.45 p.m.

NEW YEAR'S DAY SERVICE.—Rev. Mr. Burgess, of Stellarton, Nova Scotia, will preach in St. John's Church on Saturday next (New Year's Day) at 11 o'clock.

ROSE LOST.—A new musk ox sleigh robe was lost from Ulock's stable on Saturday. The finder will be suitably rewarded on leaving it at the ADVANCE OFFICE.

MIRAMICHI MARBLE WORKS.—If you are looking for the right kind of cemetery work, we are quoting prices that will draw the order from your inside vest pocket.

PERSONAL.—Hon. Dr. Wm. Pegibay and A. G. Blair Jr. are in town.

Mr. C. J. Butcher is paying a Christmas visit to Miramichi friends and is a guest at "The Rocks", Newcastle.

HIGH TEA TO-NIGHT.—Don't forget the high tea and the fishing pond at Masonic Hall this Thursday evening.

FESTIVAL OF THE CIRCUMCISION AND NEW YEAR'S DAY.—Saturday next being the Festival of the Circumcision and New Year's Day there will be a celebration of the Holy Eucharist in St. Mary's chapel at 7.30 a.m.

CHRISTMAS GIFT.—A highly appreciated Christmas gift—a gold mounted case suitably engraved—was presented to the proprietor of the ADVANCE. It was accompanied by the following card: "To Mr. D. G. Smith, with best wishes for a Merry Christmas, from your employes."

CHRISTMAS DAY was observed as usual at the Pro-Cathedral. Masses were celebrated at 8, 9 and 11 o'clock.

CASH PRESENT OF \$41, contributed by Chatham telephone subscribers, was presented on Christmas eve by Hon. Judge Wilkinson and Sen. J. Snowball to Miss Staples, who has charge of the Central office, Chatham.

FROM THE EARL AND COUNTESS.—Mr. B. Stapledon was the recipient of a very attractive Christmas souvenir from the Earl and Countess of Aberdeen. It was inscribed as follows:—

TO WISH YOU THE OLD, OLD WISH WITH ALL KINDLY GREETINGS OF THE SEASON FROM THE EARL AND COUNTESS OF ABERDEEN.

Canada, Christmas 1897. A kindly thought and a word of cheer And a true God speed for the coming year.

When His Excellency and the Countess visited Chatham Mr. Stapledon and Mr. John Kirby were introduced to them by Hon. Provincial Secretary Tweedie as the oldest Englishman and Irishman, respectively, of the place and hence this thoughtful remembrance. We understand that Mr. Kirby was also the recipient of a similar card.

Savings Bank.—The Bank of Nova Scotia has opened a Savings Bank Department. Interest at current rate will be allowed on the minimum monthly balances; accrued interest will be added on 30th June and 31st Dec. each year.

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office hymn, 60 A & M. were well sung by the choir. The celebration was followed by the singing of a solemn Te Deum, Woodward, in honor of the Holy Redeemer. The next service was a celebration of the Holy Eucharist at 8 o'clock on Christmas day.

The young gentlemen who have erected the rink and thus provided healthy amusement and entertainment for the people of the town deserve a general patronage.

Family season tickets, \$6 00 Ladies, 12 and under, season tickets, 2 50 Children, 12 and under, season tickets, 2 50

On Thursday last a young Frenchman named Dubuiché was before police magistrate McCully at the Chatham police court, on preliminary hearing charged with shooting Frederick Blake, who is about 19 years old and worked with the prisoner in the pulp mill.

The Fraternity met at Bathurst on the 21st inst. The following ministers were present, viz: Rev. T. G. Johnston, Thos. Nicholson, Dr. McCay, Wm. Aiken, A. F. Thomson, A. P. Carr, George Fisher, J. K. McClure, J. M. McLeod, J. A. Crawford and E. W. Johnston, and the Moderator, the Rev. Dr. Bruce.

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Gold in York County. The Frederick Gleener has the following: The gold fever has struck eight men, under the direction of Mr. Brittain (Woodcock) as digging for gold and other valuable minerals on a ledge of the Geo. W. Brown at Sutherland Front.

Death of Mr. Thomas Crimmon. Mr. Thomas Crimmon, one of Chatham's best known citizens, died at his residence, Chatham on Friday last, in his 49th year. It will be remembered that he was very ill about a year ago.

Jack the Letter Writer. Mr. Stewart of the World, who is believed by everybody to be the person who wrote the letter signed "An Old Time Liberal" to himself and published in his paper of 28th inst., has been very admirably caught by a genuine old time Liberal, who posted through the editor of the ADVANCE in response to a bluff of the Chatham "Jack the Letter Writer", as Mr. Stewart is now called, \$5, with Mr. R. H. Anderson, to be given to the Hotel Dieu on condition that Mr. Stewart would satisfy that gentleman that it was other than himself who wrote the letter in question.

More Ornamental than Business-like. Have you heard of the "refined and cultured" young lady stenographer, who recently "accepted a position" in a western lumberman's office? The first letter dictated to her contained references to "bill sheets" and "7 7 7's", "gliders" and "similar stocks", and when she transcribed her stenographic photographs, she permitted her "refined and cultured" nature to have full sway, and metamorphosed "bill stuff" into "William Material," "commons" into "plebians," "uppers" into "fashionables" and "plain" into "unornamented".

Business Change. The Business Transfer carried on under the name of John McDonald, will hereafter be conducted under the name, and style of John McDonald & Co.

NOTICE. All parties indebted to John McDonald are requested to bring in the amounts of their debts within 10 days from date, not later than 14th August. All accounts not settled on or before that date will be placed in other hands for collection.

INSURANCE. The Insurance business heretofore carried on by the late Thomas McDonald, is transferred to the undersigned who represents the following companies: SCOTIEN UNION AND NATIONAL, BRITISH, LONDON & LANCASHIRE, LANCASHIRE, LANCASHIRE, LANCASHIRE, LANCASHIRE.

MARRIED. On Dec. 29th, 1897, at the residence of the bride's father, by the Rev. Donald Fraser, N. B. Minister, Vancouver, B. C., to Mary, only daughter of Robert S. Bell, of The Highlands, Glasgow, Kent Co., N. B.

INTERNATIONAL S. S. CO. Winter Arrangement! ONE TRIP A WEEK BOSTON.

COMMENCING Dec. 25th the Steamship JOHN EVER THURSDAY morning at 8 o'clock, standard, for EASTPORT, PORTLAND and BOSTON.

Under the Auspices of the New Brunswick Department of Agriculture & the Farmers and Dairyman's Association of N. B. The N. B. Good Roads Association.

Masonic - Hall, - Bathurst, FRIDAY, JANUARY 7th, 1898. Every farmer in the county with his family is requested to attend.

NOTICE TO HOLDERS OF TIMBER LICENSES. The attention of all holders of Timber Licenses is called to Section 19 of the Timber Regulations which reads as follows:—

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CHATHAM STEAM LAUNDRY AND DYE WORKS. Following are our Prices for Dyeing Orders Promptly Attended to. Satisfaction Guaranteed.

PRICE LIST. DYEING. SUITS, \$2.50; PANTS, 1.00; VESTS, .50; OVERCOATS, 3.00; UNDERWEAR, 1.00.

WANTED. A COMPETENT MAN OF CHARACTER, INTEGRITY, ENERGY, PERSISTENCE AND ABILITY, AS GENERAL AGENT FOR THE NORTH SHORE DISTRICT OF N. B.

CONFEDERATION LIFE ASSOCIATION. STRONG IN MEMBERSHIP, STRONG FINANCIALLY, STRONG IN SURPLUS.

OUR NEW SYSTEM OF BUSINESS PRACTICE. Is the latest and the best, and is working like a charm.

X'MAS OF 1897. finds us with our usual large assortment of Holiday goods.

IN LEATHER GOODS. We have such articles as gents' Travelling Cases, Cuff and Collar Cases, Writing Tablets, Albums, Military Brushes in cases, Ladies' Wallets and Card Cases, Manicure Sets, etc.

INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY. LOCAL Excursion Return Tickets will be issued by all Agents of this Railway from the 21st December, 1897, to the 1st January, 1898, inclusive.

TENDERS FOR DEALS. Tenders will be received by the Town Clerk of Chatham, up to noon of the 30th January, 1898, for the supplying of 25,000 ft. of 3 inch hemlock deals, free from rot and warping, with all other duties and expenses to be added.

PERFUMES. are beyond the ordinary, consisting of French, English and American goods and being put up in fancy bottles and boxes make very handsome Xmas Gifts.

TEACHER WANTED. A first or second class female teacher is wanted for District No 11 Napan. Apply stating salary to A. G. DICKSON, Secretary.

LIME FOR SALE. Applied to THE MARITIME SULPHITE FIBRE CO. LTD.

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