Publisher's Notice.

The publisher desires to urge upon the notice of all who wish to contribute matter of any kind to the ADVANCE's columnswhe her it be advertising, news or notices of meetings, etc. -that the paper goes to press on Westerday afternions and, to ensure n, their favors should be in the office not later than Wednesday morning.

The printing of the paper is frequently delayed by persons who hold back accounts of meetings, announcements of entertainments, etc., which they might easily send in days before that on which we go to press, but they seem to consult only their own convenience and often place them in our hands on Wednesday after the paper made ready for press, and seem to think it a publication of the paper when they wish to make use of our columns. Send your matter for the ADVANCE along on Monday or Tuesday, but don't hold it back until Wednesday if you can possibly avoid doing so.

ICE-BOATING is a great attraction on Miramichi just now.

No SLEIGHING :- Chatham streets ar almost as bare as in summer.

THE HARD ROADS are making great business for the horse-shoers.

BUSINESS IN THE STORES was brisk yester day, notwithstanding the want of sleightan

NEARLY \$250 were realised at St. Luke High tes and sale in Masonic Hall on Wednesday evening of last week,

will be closed on Wednesdays from 9 s.m. cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each until 2 p.m., owing to his duties as dental box. 25c. surgeon to the Hotel Dieu requiring his presence at that institution.

A GRIST MILL PLANT FOR SALE :- The anhacribers offer for sale a full and complete outfit of Grist mill machinery and plant, consisting of bolt, smutter, French but stones, etc., all in good order.

Apply to DAMERY & McDonald. TANNERY BURNED :- The large tannery owned by John Cullen, of Carleton Bons. venture, Que., was destroyed by fire last week, with nearly all its contents; loss, \$20,000; no insurance. Mr. Cullen conducted a lairigan business and considerable trade

Restigouche and Gloncester counties. "WE ARE ALL EVE'S DAUGHTERS," sighed a pretty woman, who husband had just scolded her for catching cold by attending a Christmas dance in a low-necked dress, "Then Adam's son's Cough Balsam must be the very thing to cure you," said a witty

bystander. 25c. all Druggists. LUMBER LANDS PURCHASE : - Mesers. Dimery & McDonald, who e steam sawmill at Rock Heads, above Logg eville, did such excellent work the past season, have pur chased, from the Sumeer Company, eleven equare mi'es of lumber lands on the Bartibog river. They are preparing for a big cut of lumber next season.

WANTED-FAITHFUL PERSON TO TRAVEL for well established house in a few counties, calling on retail merchants and agents. Local territory. Silary \$1024 a year and expenses, payable \$19.70 a week in cash and expenses advanced. Position permanent. Business successful and rushing. Standard House, 334 Dearborn St., Chicago.

\$227 PER MILE: -The timber berth situ. | S Mary's and S. Paul's churches, viz: 1st. sted between Little and Middle rivers, a celebration of the Holy Eucharist in S. Gloncester county, was sold after sharp -competition at Crown Land office on Wedneeday of last week to J. H Barry, of Fredericton, for \$227 per mile. It contained two and a half miles, and was applied for by Frank I. Morrison. A two mile berth at Lower Bay Du Vin was sold to Millet Salter, at the upset price.

BUSINESS TRAINING is a very important offerings at the Xmas Day services will be thing, and the necessity for it constantly for the sick and needy. grows the greater because of the increasing keenness of business competition in this strenuous time, Young men in a position to do so should not neglect the opportunity which Kerr's St. John Business College offers to acquire an equipment in this regard that will in after life be worth its cost a hundred fold. The next term opens January 5th. A term or two at this institution would be worth a thousand "Christmas boxes" to any young man intending engage in commercial life.

KET NORTHERN RY .- The Kent Northern railway was sold at Richibucto on Friday by W. C. H. Grimmer, referee in equity, under a decree of the Supreme Court in Equity. The property was purchased by Thomas Ritchie, of Halifax, who is to hold the same in trust for other parties interested The amount paid was the nominal sum of \$3.500. This railway has been much improved during the past sammer, and it is picker" The telegram referred to a Jewish | Moncton at 4.10 o'clock and not having any understood that the maragement will run it rag-picker who had been admitted as a orders to stop at Dorchester slowed up been transmitted in the prevence of its more fliciently than ever. Everybody who charity patient in the general hospital at considerably, as is customary, after passing special correspondent. Dr. Parkin. passenger-will sincerely hope so.

FOR PARLIAMENT SQUARE: - Two old British cannon, of the coast defence pattern. in use one hundred years ago, reached here ment Square, and he is deserving of the left leg. hearty thanks of our citizens for the kindly interest he has shown in the matter. - Fredericton Herald.

CAUGHT NEAR WINDSOR :- W. H. Gentles, the Dartmouth, N. S. groce and forger, who ran away last week, was captured by Detective Power near Windsor on Monday

Christmas is at Hand!

Omisimas is at mand:					
Booklets, Calendars.	We have placed on our courters NEW BOOKLETS, CALENDARS, BOOKS, PENCILS, E.C.				
Boys' Overcoats.	BOYS' AND YOUTHS' WINTER OVERCOATS DARK GREY, CHEVIOT AT \$6 00 Mens' and Youths' Extra Quality All Wool Dark Oxford Grey Cheviot Overcoats, RAGLANETTE STYLE, VELVET COLLAR, \$9 and up. THREE PIECE SUITS, Poublebreast Vest TWO-PIECE SAILOR SUITS				
Men's Overcoats.					
Boys' Suits.					
Boys' Reefers.	BOYS' FRIEZE REEFERS. Sizes, 22 to 34 — at \$2 50 and up				
Ladies' Boots.	Ladies' extra fine quality, Dongola Laced Boots Good year Welt, including "King Quality"				
Men's Boots.	MEN'S FELT BOOTS, ELASTIC SIDES, Special Line at \$1 80				
Rubbers at	W. S. LOGGIE COMPANY, LTD.				

and taken back to Halifax. It is understood the total amount of money represented by notes given to the bank, the endorsements on which were forgeries, did not amount to \$10,000 as previously stated, but \$7,500 Gentles is a young man of some education, but is a poor penman, and it is claimed it would be impossible for him to copy signatures so truly as the forged indorsements are done, but that there must have been an

ATTEMPTED SELF POISONING :- A Boston despatch of Monday says: Caroline Arsneault, who said she came to Boston from Kingston hardship because they do not appear; and, (N B) five years ago, tonight quarrelled in most cases of this kind, the contributions with an admirer, the police say, at 68 are really free list advertisements. We Cambridge street, where she was known as want to help every deserving organization in | Carrie Arold. Carrie took a generous drink the community, freely, in every legitimate of sulpho-napthol and almost immediately way, but must expect them not to delay the aroused the house with heragonized screams. At the relief hospital, within 10 m nutes, the sufferer was subjected to the vigorous action of a stomach pump in one of the operating rooms. After the poison had been removed and the girl's hysterics subsided, she insisted on leaving the institution and eventually did so, although advised to remain until morning.

Military.

Lt. Col. White, Fredericton, and Lt. Col. Gordon, Montreal, have been gazetted colonels. The following is also gazetted : 73rd Northumberland Regiment-To second lieutenant provisionally : Pond, gentleman, vice C. Donald, promoted.

To Cure a Cold in One Day Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. Al DENTAL NOTICE :- Dr. Vaughan's office druggists refund the money if it fails to

Obituary.

We are sorry to record the death Donnie J. Buckley, a promising boy tifreen years, only son of Mr. and Mrs. J D. Buckley, of Rogersville, He died Moneton on the 19 h inst. having undergone an operation there for appendicitis Much sympathy is fe't for the bereaved parents as, not a year ago, they buried their little daughter, Geraldine, who died in Newcastle convent while attending school there.

The funeral took place Saturday morning from the parental residence to St Bernard's City. church where a Requiem Mass was sung. was done by him with the merchants of

Curling.

The play at the Charham Curling Club's rink in the first series for the Hutchison medal has been much retarded by the mild weather of the past week. Results so far

	F	RINKS		
McKendy's,	9.	VA.	Burr's,	8
L.wlor's,	13.	"	Watt's,	12
Heckbert's,	16,	"	McIntosh's,	14
Hildehrand's	16,	"	Hickey's,	4
Ullock's,	19,		Smith's.	5

vs. vice-President, is to be played to-day, the opposing rinks being :-

PRESIDENT.	VICE-PRESIDENT		
Snowball's	VS.	Hildebrand's	
Heckhert's	"	A. Johnston's	
Smith's	"	McKerdy's	
Watts'	"	Utlock's	
McIntosh's	"	Hickey's	
Brown's	"	Burr's	
Lawlor's	"	Hocken's.	

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

To-day, being the Festival of Our Lard's Nativity, the usual services will be held in Paul's at 8 a.m.; 2nd, morning prayer, Holy Communion and sermon in S. Mary's at 11 a.m., preceded by singing of Xmas Carols by the Sunday school children : 3rd, | to print it ! Some 30 or 40 specially-written evening prayer and sermon in S. Paul's at 3 o'clock, with Carol singing by Sanday school children before the service. On Wednesday -Xmas eve-the 1st evensong of the Fastival will be in S. Mary's at 7.30 p.m. The

T:othache Cured in One Minute.

Saturate some batting with Polson Ner viline and place in the cavity of the tooth. Rub the painful part of the face with Nerviline, bind in a hot flannel, and the toothache will disappear immediately. Nerviline is a eplendid household remedy for Cramps, Indigestion, Summer Complaint, Rheumatism. Neuralgia and Toothache. Powerful. Penetrating, safe and pleasant for internal and external use. Price 25c. Try Nerviline. USE DR. HAMILTON'S PILLS FOR BILIOUS-

Press Specimens.

Careleseness in the editing of matter

An Alleged Yankes Cheat.

Connecticut, which is reputed to ha originated the wooden ham and nutmeg in dustry, which was, of course, not a longlived one, has the distinction of originating the story of another swindle to meet a domestic demand. A press despatch says that many persons in the town of Derby that State are looking for a benevolent stranger who sold them crushed stone coated with tar, as coal. The man said he represented a syndicate which from philanthropic motives was distributing a limited quantity of coal throughout the State, and that he could send to one hou-ehold not more than two bushels. He said the price to all was fifty cents a bushel, which just covered the cost, including delivery, and that orders taken would be filled the next day, cash on delivery. He took many orders, and the nexs day he delivered the alleged coal from a large wagon and received the money. The fraud in nearly all instances was discovered within a few hours, but the perperator of the swindle appears to have escaped.

The ADVANCE thinks it is possible that the story, instead of the coal lacks genuineness, for it is not conceivable that any sane person would not know the difference in weight for bulk between hard scoal and

Pains in the Back

from straining the muscles or from pain the Kidneys, soon yield to the soothing influence of Kendrick's White Liniment. There is no pain that will not yield to this throat." truly wonderful remedy.

Small-Pox in Province of Quebec.

The Quebec Provincial Board of Health has issued a circular urging upon municipalties the importance of taking energetic measures to prevent the spread of small pox during the present winter. The circular

"The small pox epidemic which was prevalent in so many municipalities last winter, has again, this fall, shown full activity, and as matters stand to-day, we forsee that every district of the province will be invaded unless municipal authorities take more efficacious measures than what a great many of them have done up to date. Since Sept. I small pox has appeared in 69 municipalities, distributed in the following counties: Ostawa, Richmond, Rimouski Shefford, St. Maurice, Terrebonne, Temis. cousta, Wolfe, Montreal City, Quebec

Referring to steps taken by the Board to arrest the further spread of the disease it appeals to the municipalities to do their part, and finds it necessary to say, how

"The Board does not deceive itself: it will not obtain the co-operation of all municipalities without exception, but at least it would desire to have to look after the absolutely obstinate municipalities only, to better watch them and force them to do their duty. Legal proceedings have already been taken against several municipalities, and further actions are actually receiving the attention of the Board, it being evident that in certain quarters it is the only argument that has any weight."

The circular proceeds to give in detail instructions as to how the spread of the disease may be checked.

The Christmas Farmer's Advocate.

"The Golden Fields are waving The sun sets golden red. A sleeping Empire's waking, An Empire's day is breaking, A maiden Empire's making A mother Empire's bread,"

The above lines were written by Cy. Warman, the clever American author who makes his home in Canada, for the beautiful colored frontispiece of the Christmas Farmer's Advocate, of London, Ont., to which the readers of that ever-popular periodical have been treated. Some idea of the magnitude of the issue may be seen from the fact that it accually required over 16th tons of paper articles on every phase of agriculture and kindred themes, by the most eminent writers on the continent and in Great Britain appear in its 80 pages which are embellished with over 100 photogravures and reproductions of many of the best of modern paintings. It is a unique production, every page disclosing something of interest and value We congra'u'ate the Farmer's Advocate its success, and the farming interests of this country on having such a splendid exponent. With a large and competent staff. thoroughly understanding the practical needs of all departments of agriculture, the Advocate has laid plans for 1903 that made it indispensible to the man who wants reliable and high-class farm paper at a very modest outlay. [Advt.]

Railway Fatality The switch, about 150 yards east of Dorchester station, was on Tuesday morning the scene of a fatal railway accident which Wal er Clarke, of Moncton, brakenewspapers now-a-days was exemplified on | man, loss his life and Driver Jas. McAuley 18th inst, in one that reached us from St. | and Fireman Albert Chapman had mirac-John. The paper placed over a press tele- ulous escapes from a similar fate. The gram the heading: "A \$50,000,000 rag wrecked train, Thos. Coffey in charge, left ested in its traffic—either freight or Toron'o and died there, and sewed in whose a station. The signals ahead were noticed west (waistcoast) was found \$50,000 in by the engineer to be all right, when securities. The yearly income from these suddenly, at the switch the engine dropped securities was said to be "estimated at fully on the sleepers and plunged along the ties and in an instant toppled over in o a ditch His Majesty's reply to the Viceroy is as There can be no reasonable excuse for which was filled with about seven feet follows :from Halifax by the Canada Eastern on publishing such absurd statements as news. of water, Driver McAuley, fireman Monday and this morning were mounted on The \$50,000,000 heading was the editor's. Chapman and Clarke were in the engine. Parliament Square, under the direction of Whose the \$44 000 income from \$50,000 | Clarke was in the brakeman's forward seat R. S. Barker. The guns were obtained worth of securities was will never be known, in front of the fireman. The engine after from the Militia Department of the Domin- The same paper refers to an accident on plowing along the sicping bed suddenly ion government through the good offices of board of a steamer, in which it said a man raised on the right side and toppled over Governor Snowball, especially for Parlia. sustained a "committed" fracture of the into the water. McAuley, Chapman and Clarke were completely submerged, but in

side and the latter was thrown some feet distant up to his neck, but managed to reach the fence. Neither was hurt but both were soaked with water. Two flat cars were badly damaged and

Eighty Marries Twenty-Two

wo other flat cars left the rails.

was presented to the beautiful Canadian, made perfect in a few weeks. Marconi Miss Violet Twining, of Fredericton, who

The Marquis, who is 80 years old led the short-distance telegraphy. young lady to the altar in St. George's church, Hanover Square, on Tuesday. The civil ceremony was performed on Monday before the registrar of the same parish. No more than half a dozen people knew previously of the ceremony at the registrar's or of the wedding on Tuesday. An intimate friend of the marquis said on Monday that his brother, Henry Fitzwarren who, in the absence of a direct heir, has regarded himself for years as the successor to the title. had opposed the marriage in every way

The marquis was introduced to Miss Twining at a tea at the Isthmian Club, by Col. A. G. Gordon Kane, formerly of Brook. lyn, an old friend. Admiration soon developed into a deeper feeling and the marquis wooed swiftly and successfully The Marquis looked remarkably young for Mr. and Mrs. Robert Walls. his years at the wedding and seemed quite a happy bridegroom. Col. Kane was one o the witnesses at the registrar's to arrange the marriage settlement.

Violet Twining, daughter of Mrs. Ada L Twining, formerly of Fredericton, is twenty years ago and, with her mother, went to reside in London. She afterwards was engaged to Captain Dangers, a British officer, who died, leaving her a considerable fortune. She is a grand daughter of the late Charles Black, of Halifax, and a grand neice of the wife of the late governor, L.A. Wilmot,

Coughs that Irritate

and inflame the throat, loss of voice. Bronchial and Asthmatic Coughs, promptly relieved with The Baird Company's Wine of Tar, Honey and Wild Cherry. This pre paration is highly recommended for Public Speakers and Singers. "It clears the

Settling the Crown Lands.

The following applications for land unde the Act to facilitate the settlement of Crown lands and the Regulations thereunder have been approved by the Surveyor General: GLOUCESTER.

Maxime M. Dugas, Commissioner-John L. Savoy, 100 acres, Caraquet Railway, Etienne O. Landry, 75 acres, Waugh R ver Romaio N. Robichaud, Commissioner -George B. St. Pierre, 97 acres, S. side Pokemouche River, above Caribou Creek. Louis G. Arseneau, Commissioner-Joseph F. Douguay, 100 acres, St. Isidore Joseph A. Poirier, Commissioner-Joseph

D. Theriault, 83 acres, on S. Br. Caraquet and N. E. of Millville Settlement, Martin Mallet, 100 acres, Pacquetville. NORTHUMBERLAND.

Francois McCail. Commissioner-Firman Pianat, 100 acres, between Rogersville and Collet Settlements. Alexander Ratier, 100 acres, between

Rogersville and Collet Settlements. Jean Laquet, 100 acres, between Rogers ville and Collet Settlements. Raphiel Boudet, 100 acres, between Rogersville and Coilet Settlements.

Augustine Magne, 100 acres, between Rogersville and Collet Settlements. Narrisse Barriault, 92 acres, Richard Set-

B N. T. Underhill, Commissioner-Scott Mountain, 100 acres. S. of S. W. Miramichi near Gray Rapids. Samuel Freeze, Commissioner-Willard

Parker, 100 acres. Hazelton Settlement. Andra J. Arsensult-Emmanuel Richard

100 acres, lot K. Adamsville East extension. Patrick William, 100 acres, lot 42, Adamsville West. Thos. Delaney, jr., 100 acres, lot 135 W.

J. H. G. Stevenson, Commissioner-Philias Comeau, 72 acres, lot 13, block X North of Kent Northern Railway. James Arsenault, 100 acres, lot T. Adamsville Extension East.

Premelite Johnson, Commissioner - Patrick Robichaud, 100 acres, lot 2. Dunnville.

Nervous and Sleepless. There is just one cure and that is plent of food for the blood and nerves, which i bess supplied in Ferrozone, than which n ble od builder, nerve tonic or strength pro ducer is better. Ferrozone promotes health digestion, which results in improved nutrition. The blood grows rich and red furnishes stability to the entire system, and the store of nerve force and energy increases daily. A rebuilding of the constitution new spirits, health and strength, all confrom the use of Fearozone. This marvelous renovator is sold by Druggists for 50c. a box, or six boxes for \$2.50. By mail from Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont. Sold by C. P. Hickey, Chatham, N. B.

Marconi says he has fully Succeeded. The following despatch from Marconi,

received by the Associated Press I have established wireless telegraph com-"G. MARCONI."

Lord Minto forwarded a despatch to the Table Head station addressed to the King.

LONDON, Dec: 22, 1902. message which you have sent me and am delighted at the success of Signor Marconi's and Canada into still closer connection. (Sgd.) "ELWARD R."

"Eiglish journals receive very quietly the

few days.

To Cure a Cold in One Day Cures Grip Seven Million boxes sold in past 12 months. This signature, G. Th. Low box. 25c.

ome way the two former were thrown from news of Signor Marconi's triumph. The St. the cab into the water. Clarke was under James Gazette counsels prudence so far as the boiler and was drowned. It was very the formation of extravagant hopes are dark at the time and neither driver nor concerned and says there are obviously fireman knew that the other was saved for many difficulties still to be overcome. The some minutes. McAuley was thrown over system can not prove its full value until it the engine into the water on the fireman's in efficiently syntonized. One wire, one

message, is as vital as one man one vote. "The paper adds, 'It is doubtful whether Marconi is advancing matters for the world at large so long as he enjoys a monopoly which arrogates to his own use a considerable tract of that useful element, the air."

Dr. Parkin, while in Sydney, met Marcoui, says the Halifax Herald. He was A London cable despatch of Tuesday's favorably impressed with the wizard of date to the New York Herald says that just | wireless telegraphy. He thinks that people five weeks ago the Marquis of Donegal who are too impatient in demanding definite results, and asks what great invention was done wonders and should be given a long created quite a sensation when she was time yet to demonstrate that long distance presented at the King's first court by Lady | wireless telegraphy is possible, as he has already demonstrated this in the matter

Halifax Mail: Miss Katherine Little

Miss Anna F. Carr and Miss Minnie Mc-Kenzie, of Campbellton, N. B., and Miss Olive Williamson, of Newcastle, N. B., of the Ladies' College, have left for their homes to spend the Christmas holidays. His Honor Lieutenant Governor Snowball went to Fredericton on Tuesday by the

Canada Eastern Railway, returning last Mrs. and Miss Snowball have returned from their trip to New York and Boston. Miss Eva Irving is home from Normal

school for the holidays. Miss Lillian Walls has come home from Boston on a Christmas visit to her parents.

Mr. Ken. McLennan, Lightkeeper, alarm engineer, meterological observer, postmaster, etc., of E cuminac, is paying welcome Christmas visit to Chatham.

conducting the services in St. Mark's church, Douglastown, in the absence of pastor, Rev. D. McIntosh.

Rev. W. MacDonald, of Halifax, is

Miss Maggie Walls, daughter of Capt. and Mrs. Dudley . Walls, is making a Christmas visit to her parents. Miss Bella Hutchison has returned home

from Toronto.

Premier Tweedie returned home from Quebec Conference, via St. John, last night. Mr. and Mrs. John J. Benson, of Montreal, are making a holiday visit to Chatham. Mr. J. Arch. Haviland, who is taking law course in Dalhousie, Halifax, and Mr. Donglas Haviland, who is a student of the U. N B., Fredericton, and Mr. Martin Keoughan, of the Antigonish College, are

Miss Agnes Wilson, who is also a U. N. B. student is home for the holidays. R. A. Lawlor, E.q., K. C., and Messrs.

home for their Christmas holidays.

R. B Crombie and A. A. Anderson were passengers for Montreal on Saturday night's Maritime Express. Mr: Fred. Dyke has returned from a

week's trip to the lumber camps. Trooper Walter Gunning is home from South Africa, looking as if the service had agreed with him. He says, however, New Brunswick is good enough for him.

Mr. Thomas Allison is in town for the Mrs. Alex. Burr, who spent two months n Moncton, where her son was receiving

medical treatment, has returned home, with

the little fellow still improving. Rev. J. M. McLean and Rev. D Henderon attended the presbytery meeting in Bathurst on Tuesday of last week. Amongst the teachers who are home the holidays are Misses Marion Fraser,

Florence Flood and Jean Leishman. Ringing in the Ears.

This is an unfulling sign of catarrh, and f not checked will ultimately result in deafness. The simplest remedy is Catarrhozone, which if inhaled a few times daily, prevents the catarrhal condition from spreading. Catarrhozone quickly stops the ringing in the ears, head noises, gives permaneut relief to catarrhal deafness. For Catarrh in any part of the system, Bronchitis, Asthma, Lung or Throat Troubles, Catarrhozone is a specific, and is guaranteed to permanently cure or your money back. Large size, \$1.00; trial size, 25c. Druggists or Polson & Co, Kingston, Ont. Sold by C. P. Hickey, Chatham, N. B. DR. HAMILTON'S PILLS CURE CONSTIPATION.

The Small-Pox Situation

The Health authorities have not found it all plain sailing in handling the small-pox outbreak near Rogersville, although, the situation is practically the same as it was last week. There are sixty-five cases -all this is from the old lot of samples taken confined to the houses which were quarantived in the first place-but the Board has rich as the newer ones taken further down, been obliged to place the Porrier Hotel near Rogersville Station in quarantine, ance of the ore. The claim is on the lumber under circumstances which illustrate the lands of the Wm. Richards Co., 17 miles d fficulty of securing observance of the law from Stanley, and the ledge crosses the porand obedience to the Board's instructions, tage road on top of a hardwood ridge two even from those who ought to be in willing miles nor h of Taxis river. A piece of the accord therewith. It appears that a physi- ledge can be seen along the ridge for a half cian named Bourdette came a month or so ago to Rogersville presumably to practice sight to furnish work for a large plant for is profession there. He is not registered 25 years. It is rather remarkable that no in New Brunswick, and it is understood one ever noticed the ore before, as it is very that he took the ground that the Board of bright and the Miramichi portage runs Health and the physicians advising it were directly over ic, and Lynch, Welch and wrong in their diagnosis. He made visits, Richard Co. teams have been hauling over it however, amongst the people of the affected for 25 years. districts, in Weldford, Kent, visiting at least one house where there was small pox. He made his home at the Porrier Hotel. He was enjoined by the Northumberland Board representatives to report to Dr. McDonald all cases of any dated Glace Bay, N. S., Dec. 21, has been kind of rash which might come under his observation and he agreed to do so. Dr. "I beg to inform you for circulation that McDonald, however, found that he was not reporting as promised. He had been visiting munication between Cape Breton, Canada, houses which were infected and, in disand Cornwall, England, with complete regard of reasonable precaution, gone also mitted the following resolution, which was success. Inauguratory messages, including to patients in non-affected houses and cordially adopted and ordered to be sugross; one from the Governor General of Canada to returning to the Porrier house at Rogers- ed in the records. King Edward VII., have already been ville station. Dr. McDonald commun cated transmitted and forwarded to the King of on the subject with Dr. Keith of Weldfod England, and also to the King of Italy, where Dr. Bourdette had been visiting, and Messages to the London Times have also the facts ascertained justified Dr. McDonald in attempting to place the Porrier house and its inmates in quarantine, Dr. Bourdette included. These people, however, re fused to submit to the quarantine an Dr. McDonald telegraphed the facts to Chairman Maltby of the County Board Health, who with Dr. Hayes, the secretary, proceeded to Rogersville on Saturday, when better counsels prevailed and the quarantine of the Poirier Hotel and its inmates, including Dr. Bourdette, for twenty one days, was great invention, which brings G eat Britain accomplished. The place is now under the surveillance of two constables from Chathain. The action is, of course, entirely pre cautionary, but has been rendered necessary in the public interest by one person setting himself and his views up against the constituted health authorities. It is reassuring to learn that, in some of the houses that have been isolated

blessed with another minister who shall go Rogersville parish, convalescence is so far power of his predecessor.'

Use The Reliable

Kendrick's Liniment

Always Reliable Always Satisfactory.

The Floating Saw-Mill.

Up on Lake Champlain they are operating floating sawmill with a great deal of success, says a Vermont exchange. It is a twostoried, arklike affair, built upon a heavy

The boiler and sawing machinery occupy the entire main deck. The upper story is divided into living rooms for the crew. As soon as the mill has finished one batch of logs a small tug tows it to the next cove. The mill can be hired by the week or by the job, just as horse-power wood cutters and threshing mills are on the Miramichi and other parts of New Brunswick, and in some cases the logs have been cut on shares. The result has been that farmers along the lake have been able to cut their trees and market the lumber with profit.

There was a time when Lake Champlain was one of the greatest lumber marts in the world. Burlington was the centre of a vast business and its water front was a network of mills. A shortage of timber on the shores of the lake and in the immediate back

country dwarfed the industry: Improved transportation facilities have made it possible to send mills into the woods and ship out the lumber directly. The lake s no longer a necessary adjunct to trade. Now, by means of the floating saw mill, the stray ends will be picked up and the last eign of marketable timber wil

The floating saw mill has gone into winter where it attracts much attention. A high stack rises out of the house at the stern giving the craft the appearance of an antiquated steamer. In the same end are GOODWILLIE'S wide doors, through which the logs are brought to the saw-carriage after being hauled up a portable slip. The sawdust and scraps are carried into the fireroom and furnish the fuel. The mlll will start on its round of the lake as soon as the ice breaks up in the spring. Now that the success of the scheme has been proved the floating mill will have to work overtime, as the farmers will do much logging this winter.

A Promising Mine on the Taxis

[Fredericton Gleaner Dec. 18,] Knowing that Mr. W. T. Chestnut had been out with Mr. Griffin of Green Hill deer | Strawberries. hunting the Gleaner man called to see him and get what information he could in reference to the reported opening of a mine in the Taxis river country by the Carnegie people. Four years ago, said Mr. Chestnut. Mr. Griffia showed me some of this ore and said he would like to have some one take hold of

it. I knew nothing of mining and did not care to invest the amount of money required to open it up. Last year I drew Mr. H. F. Waugh's attention to it, but nothing was done about it, until last spring Mr. Griffin sent some samples to the government mineralologist at Ottawa. His report was that the ore is what is known as z-lena carried a large percentage of lead and silve

This fall while hunting moose with Carnegie party one of them became greatly interested in the ledge and took some samples of the ore back to the United States with him. These samples were just knocked off the ledge with an axe and the best of

could not he got at in this way.

About two weeks ago Mr. Griffin received from Mr. Carnegie a substantial check and der to have the ground at once surveyed and claim filed in the Crown Land office. Mr. Carnegie also gave instruction have the ledge opened up and further said that if the rock continued as good helow

it was on top to let him know at once he would come and buy. Mr. Griffin employed Mr. Malone Stanley, the well known surveyor, and acting under orders from the Crown Land office has surveyed the area, Mr. Griffin now intends to go to work at once with dynamite and open up a good piece of ledge and report to Mr. Carnegie. Mr. used up three sticks of dynamite (all he had)

and found the rock at least twice as rich the samples Mr. Carnegie took away. One or two small samples of the ore can be seen at the store of R. C. Chestnut, but from the top of the ledge and not nearly as but still will give a good idea of the appearmile or more and there is enough of it in

Presbytery of Miramichi.

The Presbytery of Miramichi met in Bathurst on the 16.h inst. Thirteen ministers were present. Rev. J. M. McLeod, New Mills, was appointed Cierk and Convener of Statistics.

Rev. J. F. McCurdy, convener of the committee appointed to draft a suitable minute anent Mr. Fisher's removal sub-

"In accepting Mr. Fisher's resignation of the pastoral charge of Dalhousie after a ministry of fourteen years, Presbytery can not refrain from expressing its very deep regret at the loss we and the congregation have alike sustained. Mr. Fisher's discharge of his duties as a member of Presbytery was exemplary in the highest degree. He was ever ready to undertake such work as was laid upon him and all he did was done with discretion, thoroughness and grace. In the clerkship, which office he held for four and half years, his work was above praise. Mr. Fisher was the friend of every member of the Presbytery, and in his departure we suffer a personal loss. That ill-health has compelled his retirement we exceedingly regret, and fervently trust that in the good Providence of God, he may be speedily restored to health and to the work of the

"To the congregation which Mr. Fisher has vacated Presbytery extends its sym pathy as well as its thanks for their loyalty to him during his pastorate and the manifestation of regard they have given him on "Presbytery prays that they may soon be

advanced that disinfection and liberation | Rev. A. F. Carr reported that \$400 was from the quarantine are to take place in a required for the College and the following CALVIN AUSTIN. allotments were recommended : Newcastle

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Miramichi \$13, Millerson \$12. Mr. Carr called the attention of the Presbytery to the fact that there was still a balance to be paid into the Century Fund. Ministers were requested to attend to the matter before the close of the year.

The following allocation for Augmentation submitted by the Clerk was approved :-Newcastle \$60, Redbank \$30, Black River \$35, Campbellton \$65, New Carlisle \$35, Tabusintac \$40, Dalhousie \$50, Harcourt \$20, Blackville \$25, Millerton \$20, New Mills \$60, St. Andrew's, Chatham \$65, St. John's, Chatham \$35, Rexton \$55. New Richmond \$45, Bathurst \$40, Loggieville \$20, E-cuminac \$30, Metapedia \$10, Upper Miramichi

Matters re the McLaggan Fund and church property were considered, and the committees were continued, to make further

It was resolved that the next quarterly meeting be held in St. James' Hall. New castle, on the last Tuesday of March, and that the Moderator, the Clerk and Mr. Read be appointed a committee to arrange for a public meeting in the evening. J. M. McLEOD, Clerk.

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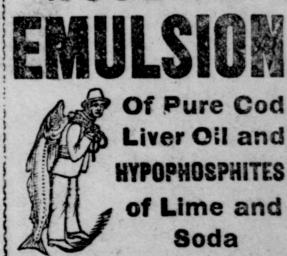
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