

Christmas Time Has Come.

Christmas time has come again! What a time for girls and boys, With its snowballing and fun, With its sleighing and its noise!

The Sackville Incident.

A DIPLOMATIC RUPTURE ALLEGED TO BE IMMINENT—THE UNITED STATES WON'T STAND A "BOYCOTT."

The New York Herald publishes the following despatch from its London correspondent:—Those who imagine the Sackville incident is ended are greatly mistaken, and, from what I learned yesterday, it may result in a serious diplomatic controversy.

Live Stock in Winter.

Frosted bits should never be put into a horse's mouth. As the freezing days come on, this matter should be kept in mind. Grooming should be thoroughly performed on every horse at least once daily.

with cattle or horses, though. They should have generous and plentiful rations of bran and other muscle-forming food.

Gypsum (plaster) spread upon the stable floors will keep the air sweet, and increase the value of the manure.

American Shipping.

The world's navy and shipping are apt to excite the ire of the average citizen of the United States. The reason is obvious, for Uncle Sam's navy is in an unsatisfactory state, and the decline of American shipping state, and the decline of American shipping state, and the decline of American shipping state.

Local Notices.

Good things for Xmas and New Year. A large stock of fresh cake, pies, confectionery, fruit, etc., cheap, at the City Steam Bakery, A. C. Quirk, Prince St.

NEVER pay double prices for toys, dolls, Xmas cards, etc., for the best selected and cheapest are at L. P. Tanton's.

HYACINTHS in the new patent glasses, all started and well rooted at G. H. Hazard's. What could make a better present?

OXFORD BIBLES in all kinds of binding; also, Presbyterian Hymns and Psalms in nice display.

Universally acknowledged, that the best and cheapest Boots in town are sold at the Dominion Boot and Shoe Store of J. B. Macdonald.

DELORES's select notes on the Sabbath School Lesson for 1889 can be had at G. H. Hazard's.

Christmas Presents! Do you know of a Christmas present that will be more useful and appreciated than a pair of good Slippers? There is a good variety of handsome Slippers, at Goff Bros.

ANYTHING that you want in the line of bread, cake and pastry, leave your orders with John Murphy, Kent Street.

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You can buy any goods in our line, such as cake, pies, etc., for Xmas, cheaper than the same can be made at your own homes.

Piles! Piles! Itching Piles!

SYMPTOMS.—Moisture; intense itching and stinging; moist at night; worse by scratching. If allowed to continue tumors form, which often bleed and ulcerate, becoming very sore.

Mrs. Brown—"Tell me, Nellie, was your husband much embarrassed when he proposed to you? Mrs. Younghusband—"Not nearly so much as he was after the bills for our wedding reception came in."

Mr. Dolliver—"So you want to marry my daughter? Have you any means of existence? Ponsbury—"At present, none, but I have very brilliant prospects."

Nearly all colds are slight, at first, but their tendency is to so lower the system that the sufferer becomes a ready victim to any prevalent disease.

A man with a new idea cannot be too careful of it. I may get away from him, and become original with some one else.

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W. H. H. Murray, otherwise "Buckboard," is lecturing in Boston on how to become a millionaire. Why don't these instructors of the people become millionaires themselves and hold their tongues about it?

That Salve! What Salve? "Magic Healer" SALVE, of course. There should be a Box in every house, while the keen frosty wind chaps the hands of the women and children.

WATERWORKS. M. STEVENSON. Herby desires to inform the public that he is prepared to attend to all.

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DOMINION OF CANADA, Province of Prince Edward Island, In the Court of Chancery.

In the matter of the application of Annie Laura Patterson, Charles Wallace Patterson and Robert Bruce Patterson, infant children of the late Duncan Patterson, of West River, in Queen's County, Farmer, deceased.

His Honor the Vice-Chancellor reads in the above matter, bearing date the twenty-sixth day of November, A. D. 1888, I will sell by Public Auction, in the Law Library, in the Court House Building, in Charlottetown, in Queen's County, on THURSDAY, the Third day of January next, at the hour of Twelve o'clock, noon, the interest of the above-named infant children, and to all that tract, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in Lot or Township Number Thirty-one in Queen's County, in the Province of Prince Edward Island, bounded and described as follows:—

Commencing at a point on the shore of the West River, at the south-eastern corner of land in the possession of Andrew Coady, and running north along the eastern boundary line of land of said Andrew Coady, and land in possession of Charles Fisher, till it meets the southern boundary line of land of John Huff McLean; thence east along the said southern boundary line of land of John Huff McLean till it meets the western boundary line of land in the possession of Murdoch McLeod; thence south along the said western boundary line of land of Murdoch McLeod to the shore of said West River; thence following the course of the said West River to the place of commencement, containing one hundred acres, more or less.

The purchaser will be required to pay thirty per cent of the purchase money at the time of purchase. The balance may remain on mortgage on the premises for a term of years, at six per cent per annum interest. Dated this 25th day of November, 1888. W. A. O. MORSON, Master in Chancery.

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SYMPTOMS OF CATARRH.—Dull, heavy headache, obstruction of the nasal passages, discharges falling from the head into the throat, sometimes profuse, watery, and acrid; at others, thick, tenacious, mucous, purulent, bloody, or fetid; the eyes are weak, watery, and inflamed; there is ringing in the ears, deafness, heaving or coughing to clear the throat, expectation of offensive mucus, together with a sense of heaviness, with mental depression, a hacking cough and general debility. Only a few of the above-named symptoms are likely to be present in any one case. Thousands of cases annually, without manifesting half of the above symptoms, result in consumption, and end in the grave. No disease is so common, more distressing, dangerous, or less understood by physicians.

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