The Weekly Monitor.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 1ST, 1881.

THE ACADIA STEAMSHIP CO.

For the first time, we understand, the flag that we hope may long wave, floated out to the breeze on Wednesday 24th ult. On it was inscribed the words, "Acadia Steamship Co." The occasion was in honor of the Queen's birthday, and also of the meeting that was about to take place of the shareholders of the Acadia Steamship Co. At the hour appointed, which was after the arrival of the special train that ran that day at one first-class fare, the Court-House was filled to overcrowding, evincing the wide-spread interest this enterprise has awakened among our people. Such of the shareholders as could not attend in person were there by proxy. The meeting was called in order to rectify a mistake made at a previous meeting, when the directors were elected after 4 p. m., contrary to the Act of incorporation.

The meeting from beginning to end was most enthusiastic; and it must be a source of gratification and pride to our people to think that we have started and carried forward to its present stage an enterprise that even Halifax with all its wealth has never attempted to do. The directors for the ensuing year were elected by ballot with the following result:—

George Kenney, Granville.
Jacob R. Hall, Middleton.
Wm. E. Starratt, Paradise.
J. W. Margeson, Cornwallis.
James P. Roop, Clementsport.
Lawrence Delap, } Annapolis.
Thos. S. Whitman, }
Jos. A. Bancroft, Round Hill.
Amos Burns, Kingston Station.
J. R. Harris, Aylesford.

From the *Journal* we clip the following account of the meeting:—

"One aim animated the meeting:—the productof this fine Valley must and their way to English markets—must get there to the very best advantage for the shippers and Company. Chartering or hiring seemed decidedly necessary until two or three things are settled—one is the question of dead versus live meat for transportation; and another is the best use to make of the stock which is still held back by the Directors. Meantime there is sufficient stock subscribed to open this enterprise to an extent which will meet every necessity of shipping from this port of the Province. By a vote of the Stockholders present it was decided to enter upon business with the strength already gained, leaving remaining stock to be sold to the best advantage. A solitary voice demurred at a late stage of the meeting, on the ground that anyone desirous of raising objections might do so on the plea that there was a departure from the first prospectus, which provided that all the stock must be subscribed before entering on business. Mr. Delap met this effectually by declaring that any man who had doubts might now come forward and have his name erased from the books. Not a man moved. The challenge was only met by a perfect storm of applause. In fact, whatever might be the private opinion of any one present as to the departure from the original prospectus, all felt that the change had been made by the meeting itself in intelligent good faith, and no one was disposed to withdraw from a stock list which is very likely soon to be at a premium.

Three rousing cheers went echoing through the old hall, and out into the crowd of spectators in the street, announcing that the day of hesitation was over, and the age of purpose and enterprise begun."

— The *Recorder* of the 26th inst. says:—

It is understood that Mr. Symes will be able to make arrangements preparatory to settling the bill of S. M. Brookfield, under which he was capsized yesterday, and that he will be out to-morrow. It is said that he has telegraphed to England for funds to meet the liability. His liveried servant has been making arrangements for opening a business office on Barrington Street, near Rielly & Davison's Stove Store.

The men who were to go on the "Caspian" on Sunday morning to fit her up with a refrigerator, were on board asleep in their bunks, when they were ordered to come ashore by Mr. Brookfield, and the "Caspian" will not be fitted up on this voyage.

We sincerely hope this unfortunate business will be explained satisfactorily by Mr. Symes, and that he may be returned to public favor; for notwithstanding the fact that he has failed up to the present time in meeting his engagements, he has sown the seeds of an enterprise that may eventually develope into large proportions in this Province. No doubt, some of his ideas were visionary; but an explanation is easily found in his judging chiefly from an English standpoint. Apart from this, his advice and general directions for the raising of cattle, sheep and other live stock, their feeding, housing, general care, the plan of erecting a central feeding establishment, the condemning of the many faulty ways of our farming, &c., &c., well deserved the interest that was manifested for and wide in his lectures, and cannot but be productive of great good.

— The new Ferry boat to run between Annapolis and Granville Ferry was not launched until Monday the 23rd ult., instead of Saturday, which we understand was to be the day. She is well fitted for her duty—speed eight knots; length 50½ ft.; beam 18½ ft.; depth of hold 4 ft. Cost, hull $650; engine $1000,—extras will probably bring the total cost to $2000. The engine and boiler were constructed by Messrs. Burrill, Johnson & Co., of Yarmouth, and give every satisfaction. The engine is a double one, with six by eight cylinders. The boiler is an upright tubular, fitted with the latest safety and pop valves. The engine can be reversed instantly from either the engine room or pilot house. She is built to carry five teams standing cross wise of deck, besides 100 passengers at a trip. She has been named the "Joe Edwards," in honor of the genial conductor on the Windsor and Annapolis Railway. He acknowledged the compliment paid him by presenting the boat with a fine flag. The company owning the boat have a lease of the Ferry for ten years, and we trust that a long standing grievance will now be at rest, and that the new ferry boat will be a source of profit to its owners and of comfort to its passengers.

— A cotswold lamb 14 months old, belonging to William W. Whitman, of Williamston, sheared last week a fleece of 9¼ lbs., length of wool 10 inches.

IMPROVEMENT WORTHY OF IMITATION.—The grounds of the public shool, Centre Clarence, are being improved and ornamented by trees and new fence.

— Merchants are often failing but seldom die.

— The immigration into Manitoba and the North West this year is expected to be enormous.

— Counterfeit twenty-five cent pieces are afloat. Ring 'em, ring' em—that is when you get them.

— In another column a statement of sales obtained by Messrs. Garcia, Jacobs & Co., of London, England, shows a high average—the highest, we believe, obtained yet.

— Some pork-hungry scoundrel entered the house of Mrs. Asa Whitman, Inglisville, a few weeks ago, during the day time, the family being absent, and stole quite a quantity of excellent pork.

— Messrs. Vose & Co. are doing a good business in lumbering this season. We understand they have a considerable over a million feet sawed now and will have about three millions altogether. They had a night and a day crew for some weeks.

— The new building that Mr. J. R. Reed is erecting is boarded in and nearly roofed. It is a strongly framed structure, three stories high. The furniture made at Mr. Reed's establishment will bear favorable comparison with any made elsewhere.

— The steamer Bywell Castle was towed into Halifax disabled, on Sunday 29th ult., by the steamer California. The former is the steamer that run down the S. S. Princess Alice, on the Thames, England, several years ago, by which many lives were lost.

— The Wolfville *Star* came out in a very condensed form last week, owing to the proprietor's loss of his establishment by fire. Our plucky contemporary, however, says that he intends to issue as usual at an early date. Success to him.

— Mr. Cooper Beals, Inglisville, has a cow which had three years ago a heifer calf, said heifer had a calf last August; two years ago the cow had another heifer calf, that heifer will have a calf in a few days: one year ago the cow had a pair of twins, heifers, and this spring a bull calf.—Not bad for three years.

NEW PAPER.—"The Island News," is the name of a new paper recently started at North Head, Grand Manan, and its first appearance is very creditable. It bids fair to be a newsy local sheet. The pluck and enterprise of its owners deserves cordial support, and we advise the island people to back it up by every means in their power, as a well conducted newspaper exerts an influence for good that can hardly be over estimated.

CORRECTION.—Owing to some oversight an error was made in the Treasurer's statement for 1880 in the report of Proceedings of the Municipal Council during its last session.

The tabular report of collectors for Ward No. 9 should appear as being paid up in full, and Ward No. 10 should show a deficiency of $191.42.

HINTS TO ADVERTISERS.—"Standing advertisements" are unwise, because they are not interesting and they do much to make a newspaper look uninteresting. Continued use of the same position is very wise. If it is made interesting once people look for it again. It requires some talent to write interesting advertisements, but he who makes up his mind never to say the same thing twice in the same way (or at least hardly ever) soon gets practice enough.

— The Baptist Sunday School Concert on last Sabbath evening was a very pleasant and profitable entertainment. The attendance was so large that many persons were unable to secure seats. One of the most pleasing features of the Concert was the fact that the aged as well as the young took part in the exercises. The programme was arranged admirably, and almost all the recitations were rendered with good effect. The Baptist Sunday School is being efficiently sustained, and is doing excellent work.

HALIFAX, NOVA SCOTIA,
May 23rd, 1881.

(Editor Bridgetown Monitor.)

DEAR SIR:—

We are to-day in receipt of advices from Messrs. Garcia, Jacobs & Co., London, of sales by them on the 19th inst., of Nova Scotia fruit ex "Elysia."

No. 1 Nonpareils in good order brought the following prices—19s., 20s. 6d., 21s., 21s. 6d., 22s,—the average price for such fruit being a little over 21s. This is the highest average yet,

Yours truly,
JACK & BELL,
Agents for Garcia Jacobs & Co.

— The following clipped from the *Capital* is worthy of perusal, and contains food for reflection:—

"Vermont," said an old minister to the writer, "is a very good place to be born in, and to emigrate from." This recalls to our mind a story told by a returned Californian. He said he registered at an hotel in San Francisco one day, and then sat down by the window for a smoke; whereupon a man who had watched him enter his name, came over and said: "Excuse me, stranger, but air you from New Brunswick?" "Yes, sir," was the reply. "What kind of a——country is it?" was the next question. "Oh, a very good country," was the answer. "Stranger," said the western man, drawing his chair close up to our informant, slapping him gently on the knee, "Stranger, that's a lie. Now don't get mad, but listen. I go down street and see a lot of fellows working on the roads, and I ask where they are from. Oh, they re from Ireland, Massachussetts, or from Virginny, maybe. Then I ask who s the boss. Oh, he's a chap from New Brunswick, or from Nova Scotia, or sometimes from Maine or Vermont; and wherever you go it's the same. You never see one of your chaps but what he's a boss; and you needn't tell me that a country which grows bosses, and sends 'em out so durnal poor as New Brunswick does, it's a good country. No, stranger, it can't be." The above incident is entirely a true one; and what is more, the fact is undenied that "New Brunswick grows bosses."

Another Enterprise for Bridgetown.

The question of establishing a woollen mill here is now being seriously considered, and subscriptions for stock are already being canvassed for, with successful results so far. Three or four thousand dollars has been guaranteed. It is proposed to commence with a $10,000 mill, and extend as the business increases. A well conducted woollen mill will prove a far more profitable investment than 7 per cent. mortgages. These signs of prospective industries everywhere being mooted, are most cheering, as they herald prosperity to our country in the near future, immigration to instead of emigration from our shores; life and energy in every department of trade; more specie in circulation; fewer and shorter credits, and a consequent better feeling throughout the Province.

WELL WORTH ITS PRICE.—The "Illustrated Scientific News" has again reached our editorial table, and right glad we are to welcome the June number which is unusually full of handsome engravings and interesting and valuable reading matter.

Under the management of its new publishers—Messrs. Munn & Co.—the Illustrated Scientific News has risen to the front rank of illustrated journals published in this country, and being issued at a very low price, it is within the reach of all who are interested in novelties, science, the useful arts and natural history.

A CAT STORY.—"Truth is stranger than fiction." Mr. Chas. Oakes, of Albany, vouches for the correctness of the following story. He owns a cat of the Thomas variety that lately entered into mortal combat with a full grown fox, and left the latter dead on the field of battle, escaping himself with a few scratches. The cat is of great size and strength.

ANOTHER KNIGHT.—The Hon. William J. Ritchie, lately Chief Justice of New Brunswick and now Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the Dominion has been knighted. Sir William Ritchie was born at Annapolis, and is a brother of our Equity Judge Ritchie.—*Chronicle.*

—Some changes are to be made in the regulations for the cancellation of Dominion notes after the end of the current year.

— The policy holders of the late Globe Mutual Insurance Company will be interested to learn that the Sun Mutual, of Montreal, has taken them *en bloc.*

— Make your hens lay. EGGS IN GREAT DEMAND at J. W. Beckwith's. 1i

BIG EGGS.—Mr. John Jeffery of this town has laid on our table two very large eggs, we don't mean that *he* produced the eggs—his hen did that for him. They measured each eight by six inches. The hen is of the Black Spanish bread, and she often acts that way.

BEAR KILLED.—Mr. Daniel Morse, jr., and others of Nictaux, caught a large bear last Saturday in a trap set for the purpose. The bear had killed several sheep, and efforts had been made to catch him, but failed until the trap was placed in a pond near his haunts. The bear on coming to drink was caught by the foot, and a finish was soon made of him with rifles.

— The weather this spring has been somewhat unfavorable to gardening. Only a few gardens are fully planted even now. The grass crop never promised better.

— A child four years old, son of Mr. Zack Phinney, of Granville, fell into a pond of water near his father's house, one day last week, and was only rescued in time to save his life. The child was missed by his parents, and search being made for him, they found him in the pond under water. He was taken out insensible, but recovered under prompt treatment.

— Some of the parties interested in the proposed Yarmouth Woollen Mill were asking a representative of a prominent dry goods firm in St. John as to the probable market for the products of the mill. The gentleman rather astonished them by saying that they would take *every yard* off their hands and pay cash for it on the spot.

— Dr. Dennison has removed his drug store to the front street.

— The Bridgetown Cheese Factory commences operations this week.

— GOOD TEA at 30 cts. per pound, at J. W. Beckwith's. 1i

A Murder Confessed After Twenty Years.

CINCINNATI, May 23.—The mystery in which the assassination of Prof. Crawley, of Mount Vernon Female College here has been buried for twenty years, has been dispelled by the confession of a dying man in the hospital of Nashville, Tenn., that he and two companions committed the crime because Crawley defanded a lady whom they were insulting. All the parties are dead.

The St. John *Globe*, in printing the above says, "it revives the recollection of a murder that, when it occurred, attracted a great deal of attention in this Province and in Nova Scotia. Prof. Crawley was a son of Henry Crawley, Esq., of Sydney, C. B., a nephew of the Rev. Dr. Crawley, and a brother of Rev. Arthur B., R. Crawley, the well-known Burmah missionary. His uncle, Rev. E. A. Crawley, was Principal of the Mount Vernon College, at Cincinati and Prof. Crawley was an assistant. One evening he was accompanying some ladies home, when a party of rough fellows made some insulting remarks. Crawley left the ladies at their own door, which was close by, and went back to the insulters to remonstrate with them or punish them, as he was quite capable of doing, for he was a splendid specimen of an athlete. But the cowardly wretches stabbed him and left him with the knife in his body. They were never found. One of them has now confessed the deed, after a lapse of nearly a quarter of a century.

The Commerce of Canada.

From the Monetary Times and Trade Review.]

The trade of the Dominion for the past ten years, outwards and inwards, has averaged $181,596,000 per annum, reaching its highest point of that period, in 1873, when both imports and exports were at an unusual height. Our purchases of foreign goods have shown an almost steady decline ever since, and 1880 were not much more than half those of the inflated years 1873 and 1874. Exports, on the other hand, were, in 1880, of greater value than in any year but those two last given, and were seven millions greater than the average of the decade, having sprung up from $71,491,000 in 1879 to $87,911,358 being a gain of 18½ per cent.

The following table shows at a glance, the fluctuations of our trade during the ten fiscal years last past;

Year	Imports.	Exports.	Total Trade.
1871....	$ 86,947,482	$74,173,618	$161,121,100
1872....	107,709,117	82,639,663	199,348,979
1873....	127,514,594	89,789,922	217,304,516
1874....	127,404,169	89,351,928	216,756,097
1875....	119,618,657	77,886,978	197,505,636
1876....	94,733,208	80,966,435	175,699,643
1877....	96,300,483	75,875,393	175,175,876
1878....	91,199,577	79,323,667	170,523,244
1879....	80,341,698	71,491,255	151,832,683
1880....	71,782,349	87,911,458	159,693,807

This increase of $16,420,000 last year over 1880 is made up as follows;

Products of the forest.....	$3,593,048
Animals and their produce.	3,506,973
Agricultural produce.....	2,665,864
Manufactures.....	542,336

Miscellaneous articles, coin and bullion, foreign purchases exported, and $2,803,500 estimated short returned, futnish the remainder. There was no increase, but a slight decline in the exports of products of the Fisheries and the Mine.

The aggregate trade of the Dominion has increased from $151,830,000 in the fiscal year 1879 to $159,693,000 in 1880. The largest relative increase is in that with Britain, the imports from which have advanced by $3,500,000, and the exports thither by $13,000,000. Our aggregate trade with the States has declined steadily during three years, viz., from $77,087,000 in 1877 to $62,696,000 last year. This decrease was in our purchase from Uncle Sam, for our last year's sales to him were nearly six millions larger than the year before, of which increase $2,399,000 was in lumber and timber. The present tariff, it would appear, is making in favor of Britain.

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The countries with which we traded most largely in 1880 were the following.

	Imports	Exports.
Great Britain.....	$34,461,234	$45,847,062
United States.....	29,346,948	33,349,909
British West Indies..	1,208,822	1,906,953
Spanish West Indies.	1,711,462	1,319,588
Newfoundland	581,961	1,510,300
France.....	1,115,841	812,929
South America.....	283,481	789,940
China and Japan....	893,911	37,146
Belgium.....	149,086	688,811
Italy.....	459,508	163,737
Germany.....	449,791	82,257
Spain.....	256,518	60,727
Holland.....	171,245	102,592
South Africa..	136,675	82,178

It is in our commerce with other European countries that increased exports are relatively greatest. For instance, we took from France $416,000 less of goods but sent her $98,000 more. Imports from Spain and Holland are less, but exports thither are more; indeed, to the latter country, they were greater in 1880 than ever before. While from Germany our purchases have increased steadily for four years our sales to her are a third less than either of the past two years. As was to be expected under the new fiscal arrangements, imports of tea from China and Japan are doubled as compared with 1879; there is a great enlargement in our trade between the British and Spanish West Indies; and imports from South America leaped up from $4,300 last year to hundreds of thousands, the exports thither increasing too, but not in the same ratio, lumber and fish being the main items.

While we sent more coal and other minerals products to Newfoundland, as well as more animals, we sent her less of our farm produce, timber and manufactures, and bought, also, less from her. Other countries to which we send fish and timber, are British Guiana, the French West Indies, Portugal, Australia; but in the country last named there is a marked falling off compared with the previous year, a glutted market and losses on consignments having discouraged exporters. The proportion of manufactured goods sent thither is larger, however, than in 1879.

Important to West India Merchants.

The following communication has been received at the Annapolis Spanish Consular Agency:—

"By Royal Order from Madrid, dated 21st January ult., it has been decreed that Masters of vessels trading between foreign ports and the Islands of Cuba and Porto Rico are required to produce to the Consular Agents of Spain three Manifests, without any correction whatever, expressing as follows:

Article 1. The rig, flag, name of vessel port of registration, and exact tonnage measurement.

Article 2. The number of the crew (all told) and name of the captain or master; also name of the consignee of the vessel.

Article 3. Port or ports from where she comes; also port of destination.

Article 4. The names of the shippers and those of the owners and consignees of the cargo. Merchandise can be declared to order, but not the vessel.

Article 5. The weights or measures of all merchandise must be expressed in writing and figures, as to the quantity of each description.

All persons interested will please bear in mind that the preceeding formalities must be strictly observed, and that the instructions which I have received will admit of no deviation therefrom.

J. M. OWEN,
Spanish Consular Agent.

BERWICK CAMP MEETING.—At a meeting of the general committee, held at Berwick on Wednesday, it was decided that the Methodist Camp meeting this year be opened on Wednesday, 3rd August, and continue one week. This time has been chosen in order that the scholars of public schools, then enjoying their summer holidays may be able to attend, and to ensure a large attendance of ministers, who will then have been settled in their new circuits.—*Halifax Herald.*

From the Hub.

There is perhaps no tonic offered to the people that possesses as much real intrinsic value as the Hop Bitters. Just at this season of the year, when the stomach needs an appetizer, or the blood needs purifying, the cheapest and best remedy is Hop Bitters. An ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure, don't wait until you are prostrated by a disease that may take months for you to recover in.—*Boston Globe.*

New Advertisements.

MAY 23rd, 1881.

J. & W. F. HARRISON,

Offer for sale at lowest market rates.

4000 BBLS. Flour—Superlative, Buda, Bridal Veil, Chester, Star, Gilt Edge, Ruby, White Pigeon, Amazon, White Cloud, Mayflower, Snowflake, Howland's, etc.
1500 Barrels Yellow Cornmeal, Kiln Dried;
200 " Oatmeal, Tilsonburg;
300 " Heavy Mess Pork, Boston Inspection;
250 " Granulated, Extra C. and Yellow C. Sugars;
18 Casks Extra C. and Yellow Sugars;
1200 Hhds. Barbadoes and Trinidad Sugars and Molasses;
Teas, Tobacco, Rice, Soda, Dried Apples, etc., for cash or ap. notes.
June 1

Acadia Steamship Co.

LIMITED LIABILITY.

THE first Instalment of Ten per cent. (or Ten Dollars per Share) in the Acadia Steamship Company, will be received on the 6th June next.

Persons remitting by mail should do so by a Post Office Order or Draft payable to the order of the Treasurer.

Certificates of Instalments, with the Seal of the Company affixed thereto, will be returned by mail to their Post Office address, which should be stated with all mail remittances.

THOS. S. WHITMAN,
Secretary and Treasurer.
Annapolis, May 26th, 1881. 2i

ACADIA STEAMSHIP COMPANY

LOGS WANTED.

PERSONS having Logs of Spruce or Hemlock, suitable for

Wharf Building,

for delivery in June and July at Annapolis town, will please apply early, showing a schedule of quantity, sizes, etc., to

LAWRENCE DELAP,
Managing Director.
Annapolis May 27th, 1881. 2m

Reduced Prices.

FOR 30 DAYS.

THE Subscriber will sell for the above time

MORTON'S Pickles at 22 cents per bottle; Table Salt, at 13c. per bottle.

Byam, Carlton & Co.'s 6 Card matches—the best in the world—at 12 cents per quarter gross.

MILK PANS,
SMALL CREAM CROCKS,
AND FLOWER POTS,

at cost and charges; and other goods at unusually low prices.

H. CROSSKILL.

Middleton, 18th May, 1881.

WANTED.

$500.00.

ANY party having the above sum to invest in

Good Real Estate Security

may find a customer by addressing

21 "A. B." Monitor Office.

PRESSED HAY

FOR SALE.

THE subscriber has on hand 50 tons of PRESSED HAY, of a good quality for sale at his barns; or will put it on

CAMBRIDGE STATION,

if parties wish. Apply to

LEONARD ROCKWELL,
WOODVILLE, Cornwallis.
May 26th, 1881. n7tf

DRY PINE LUMBER

IN order to make room for new lumber, I will sell cheap for one month the lumber now in the yard at Lawrencetown.

Consisting of Clear boards and planks.
Refuse boards and planks.
Clapboards and laths.

C. W. VOSE & CO.

Lawrencetown, May 31, 1881. n7tf

MONCTON Refined Sugars.

ALL orders for the above received on or before the

LAST DAY OF MAY,

will be filled and delivered the

FIRST WEEK IN JUNE,

—BY—

W. B. TROOP.

Granville, May 23rd, 1881.

NOTICE!

JUST RECEIVED and open for inspection, a full line of STAPLE and FANCY

DRY GOODS,

consisting of Grey, White and Printed Cotton, Cambrics, Linens, Dress Goods and Trimmings to match, Millinery, Haberdashery, Small Wares.

TAILORING done on the premises by an experienced workman.

MILLINERY done at shortest notice.

Our motto is small profits and short credits.

W. H. Miller.

Middleton, May 24th, 1881. n6

FOR SALE.

PAINTS, OILS, TURPENTINE, BRANDRAM'S WHITE LEAD, PUTTY,

Mineral Roofing,

Silicate paint, Oakum, Pitch, Tar,

Cut Nails & Spikes, Asstd. Sizes,

Wrought Nails & Spikes,

IRON and STEEL, assorted Sizes, HOOP IRON and RIVETS,

TIRE STEEL,

CARRIAGE BOLTS, PLAINED C. BOARDS, SAWN SHINGLES, CEDAR POSTS.

H. Fraser.

Just Received;

125 BBLS.

CHOICE SUPERIOR EXTRA

FLOUR!

"IMPERIAL."

QUALITY GUARANTEED!
PRICE LOW!!

RUNCIMAN, RANDOLPH & CO.

Bridgetown, May 11th, 1881. 2i6

New Advertisements. | New Advertisements. | New Advertisements.

JUST ARRIVED:

ONE OF THE LARGEST AND BEST ASSORTMENT OF

Mens', Womens' and Childrens' **BOOTS & SHOES** for summer trade in the Province. A special assortment of Ladies Ties and Button Shoes from 80c. Prunella Boots 60c. pr. Also, a special assortment of Children's Boots and Slippers, in Kids and Leather.

—In Stock—A Full Assortment of—

ENGLISH, CANADIAN AND AMERICAN DRY GOODS,

MENS' BOYS' AND YOUTHS' CLOTHING, IN LATEST STYLES,

HATS and CAPS, Extra value, from 25c. to $3, in childrens' youths' & mens' latest styles.

Selected stock of Parasols, from 25c. to $2; Ladies' Two Button Kid Gloves, in all shades, from 40c. to $1; Two Button Lisle Thread Gloves, from 7c. to 45c.; Cottons from 7c. It is useless for me to mention prices, as it will take up too much space; but it would pay you to call, examine, and price my stock, as my motto is, small profits, quick sales, and no asses.

A full stock of **FRESH GROCERIES** always on hand, Moncton Refined Sugar, 11 lbs. for $1, choice Molasses, 40c. a gallon, **FLOUR & MEAL** always in stock—Howland's Choice Extra, $6.00; Ruby, $6.25; Goldies' Star, $6.50; Corn Meal, $3.50.

As I have secured the bests markets, I am in a position to give the highest prices for Produce. It will pay you to call and see what I am giving for Eggs, Butter, Socks, Potatoes, &c., &c., this week.

J. W. Beckwith.

THE REASON WHY

Goods are sold so low at the **LONDON HOUSE** is because it has become the fashion in Bridgetown to almost give goods away, and I not wishing to be behind the times, offer the following inducements:

Ladies' Sun Shades	25c. each	Good wide Ribbons	8c. per yard	Cretonnes from	16c. to 25c. per yard
" Corsets	25c. per pr.	Print Cotton	8c. per yard	Ladies Serge Boots	65c. per pair.
" Sun Hats	20c. each	Grey and White Cottons	from 8c. to 10c.	Mens Linen Hats, 30c., Linen Caps, 40ct.	
Childrens Sun Hats	20c. each	Good Wide Lace Curtains	25c. per yd.	Brooms	18c.

Good Hard Soap, full weight, 4c. per Bar. Toilet Soap 3 cents per Cake.

JUST RECEIVED: Flower Pots, Milk Pans, & Crocks, 1 crate Stone Ware, 1 crate Tea Pots,—at prices as low as at any other house in the trade.

WANTED.—BUTTER and EGGS, at highest market prices.

W. M. TUPPER.

Bridgetown, May 4th, 1881.

NEW

Spring Goods

Mrs. L. C. WHEELOCK

has received a large lot of

NEW GOODS!

consisting of

Blk. French Merinos

BLK. FRENCH CASHMERES

COSTUME CLOTHS, LUSTRES,

Plain and Printed Cambrics.

Silks and Satins,

Lace Curtains,

BLK. CRAPES,

PIQUES, MUSLINS,

TABLE LINENS,

NAPKINS,

TOWELS,

TOILET QUILTS,

Grey and Bleached

COTTONS,

UMBRELLAS,
GLOVES,
HOSIERY,
LACE,
&C., &C.

A Full Stock of

MILLINERY

—AND—

Dress Trimmings

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replenished every week during the season.

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Highest Price given for Good Washed Wool.

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Lawrencetown, May 9th, 1881. n4tf

NEW FURNITURE WAREROOMS!

THE subscribers beg leave to announce that they have commenced business at the commodious store in the

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House Furnishing

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In any quantity.

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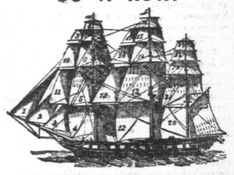

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NOTICE OF CO-PARTNERSHIP.

THE subscribers have this day entered into co-partnership under the style and firm of

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for the purpose of carrying on the general

Furniture & Undertaking Business,

at the Masonic building, opposite the Post Office, Granville St., and hope by a careful attention to business, and an earnest desire to give satisfaction to their customers, to merit a share of public patronage.

JOHN Z. BENT,
THOMAS KELLY.
Bridgetown, May 3rd, 1881. n3tf

Removal!

John H. Fisher,

MERCHANT TAILOR,

has removed to his new premises, situated

One Door West of the Intercolonial Hotel.

Bridgetown, May 12th, 1881.

Salesmen Wanted!

TO Begin work at once on Sales for fall 1881, for the

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(THE LARGEST IN CANADA).

Norris, Stone & Wettington, Proprietors, TORONTO.

We pay good salaries and give steady employment to successful men. Do not apply unless you can give your whole time to the business. Address,

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35 PER CENT!

AS 35 per cent is now the duty imposed on American Furniture, the Subscriber wishes to inform the public generally that

HE DOES NOT INTEND

raising the prices of his FURNITURE, as may be seen in his list below; but intends making

Still further Reduction,

as he hopes his Sales will increase under the New Tariff. He has his FACTORY fitted up with the MOST IMPROVED MACHINERY, and is running full time. He also intends adding to his now large STOCK, and can offer better inducements to Customers.

PARLOR FURNITURE, in Suits, from $60.00 to $120.00.
BEDROOM SUITS, in Pine, from $25.00 to $40.00. A good suit for $28.00.
SOFAS, $19.00 to $24.00.
WALNUT CHAIRS, $3.50 to $6.00.
CENTRE TABLES, in solid Walnut, $8.00 to $10.00.
CENTRE TABLES, in Marble Tops $14.00 to $16.00.
BEDSTEADS, $2.50 to $3.00.
WASH STANDS, $1.00 to $1.25.

Please call and examine my STOCK, and you will find as good an assortment as is generally kept in large Cities, and as times are hard I will sell at Prices that will DEFY COMPETITION.

JOHN B. REED.

Bridgetown, April 2nd, 879. 50tf

SHERIFF'S SALE.

ANNAPOLIS SS.,

In the Supreme Court 1881,

IN EQUITY.

CAUSE:

ALFRED WELTON and GEORGE MUNRO, Executors of Walter Welton, deceased, Plaintiffs.

vs.

FREDERICK TAYLOR, Defendant.

TO BE SOLD AT

Public Auction,

By the Sheriff of the County of Annapolis, or his deputy, at Middleton, in the County of Annapolis,

ON SATURDAY,

the 18th day of JUNE,

next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon,

Pursuant to an order of foreclosure and sale made herein on the day of May, inst., unless before the sale the debt amounting to $445.23 with interest since the issue date of the writ herein and costs be paid to the Plaintiffs or their attorney.

ALL the estate, right, title and interest of the said Frederick Taylor, in, to, or out of, all that certain tract or parcel of

LAND,

Situate, lying and being in Annapolis, aforesaid, and bounded and described as follows, that is to say: Beginning at a corner post about one rod west of line forty-five, on the north side of the main post road, and running east along said road twelve rods and fourteen links, or until it strikes Robert Charlton's west line, thence north six and a half degrees east on said line ten chains and forty-four links, thence north six and a half degrees west on said line or until it strikes land owned by James McGill, to a stake and stones, thence west at right angles four chains or until it strikes the west line of forty-five, thence along said line south six and a half degrees east, until it comes to within twenty rods of the post road, thence a straight course south to the place of beginning, containing fifteen acres be the same more or less, together with all and singular the buildings and appurtenances to the same belonging or in anywise appertaining.

TERMS OF SALE.—Ten per cent deposit at time of sale, remainder on delivery of the deed.

PETER RONNETT,
High Sheriff.

E. RUGGLES,
Plaintiff's Attorney.
Annapolis Royal, May 12th, A. D., 1881. 5i

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I am now growing on my

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a large quantity of

VEGETABLE SEEDS

of the finest quality. Particular attention paid to the selection of seed stock.

Planters would do well to give my seeds a trial, as I feel confident the results would be entirely satisfactory. My Seed Farm is the best one in the Maritime Province.

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