

The Weekly Monitor.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 29, 1880.

A Reminiscence of the Halifax Police.

In the year 1841—the police of the City of Halifax was composed of a less numerous body of men than now; but there were several quite active and able officers on the force. Among them the most able was a young man by the name of James Auld, a native of the County of Annapolis.

—George Elliot, (Marion Evans) the author of "Middlemarch," "The Mill on the Floss," "Adam Bede," "Daniel Deronda," &c., &c., is dead.

—L. Delap, Esq., of Annapolis, has requested us to give in full the excellent article by the Rev. A. W. Nicholson, which appears in the Journal of the 25th inst., on the steamboat project.

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GLANCE AT OUR BUSINESS ESTABLISHMENTS.

MURDOCH'S TANNERY.—A visit to this establishment shows a growing business. At present five hands are employed, and they find it impossible to keep up with the work.

AMBER SUGAR CANE.—Solomon Drew, Esq., of Nova Scotia, has been successful in his attempts to grow sugar cane in this province.

—A SINGULAR CIRCUMSTANCE.—The following item has been contributed by a subscriber of undoubted veracity. We neglected to inquire the date of the occurrence, but presume it must have been some time during last autumn.

—Christmas day proved to be very fine. Services were held in the morning, in Providence and St. James' churches, the latter being tastefully decorated, as is customary during this season of the year.

DONATIONS AT MARGARETVILLE.—On the evening of the 14th inst., the friends of the Rev. Wm. H. (Baptist) assembled at the residence of Mr. Thos. Mapplebeck, and presented him with the sum of \$100.00, principally in cash.

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LARGE REDUCTION On the Balance of Winter Stock of Boots and Shoes! And on Balance Winter Stock Dry Goods, At J. W. BECKWITH'S.

1880. CHRISTMAS IS COMING! E. C. LOCKETT has advanced to the front and made a change in his business as he believes in keeping up with the times.

J. E. SANCTON. Twenty-Three Years Ago. The Jewelry Store of J. E. SANCTON was established, and each year finds the goods on display for.

J. McLeod, Watch and Clock Maker, From London, England, respectfully informs the public that he has purchased the stock and goodwill of J. C. Lockett, Granville St., Bridgetown.

Windsor & Annapolis Railway, Winter Arrangement, Time Table, THE 16th DAY DEC., 1880.

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