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TELL YOUR NEIGHBOR-

From now until January 1903, the MONITOR will be sent to New Subscribers till the end of 1903, for \$1.00 in advance.

The Grand Trunk railway's scheme Canada to the Pacific coast, is one not a whit less stupendous and enterprising than the C. P. R. project onstrated that the faith of the promoters in the resources of middle and western Canada were well founded. Perhaps it took a stronger faith and a creater courage to build the first railroad across Canada than will be required to set another and similar enterprise in motion, but the action of the Grand Trunk people indicates their belief that as yet the riches of the West are largely andiscovered and undeveloped. It cannot be the business of to-day that the Grand Trunk people. It cannot be the business of to-day that the Grand Trunk people. It is now occupying the neat property purchased by the last spring from Mr. Chas. Shafner, and as will be seen by reference to our advertising columns, is opening the house to transient and permanents. seeks to share and for which an expenditure of an hundred million dollars will be made. It is the business of the future that is a basic consideration and a new transcontinental line is just the agent to develop unthis week. Service the formula of miles of uncultivated and practically unsettled country, but the railway has always proven a great colonizer, and where fertile farming or grazing country was put in touch with railway transportation facilities. There a class of industrious colonists speedily established homes, and commenced at most to make business for the railway and history for Canada. The davelment of our great western graveless from the contract of the great graveless from the contract of the graveless from the contract of the great graveless from the contract of the graveless from the country was summoned to contract and two sons, one of whom is an invalid. Mrs. Bowless was greatly estemed and two sons, one of whom is an invalid. Mrs. Bowles was greatly estemed and two sons, one of whom is an invalid. Mrs. Bowless was greatly estemed and two sons, one of whom is an invalid. Mrs. Bowless was greatly estemed and two sons, one of whom is an invalid. Mrs. Bowles was greatly estemed and two sons, one of whom is an invalid. M opened country and facilitate the in-

established homes, and commenced at omake business for the railway and history for Canada. The development of our great western granary dates from the construction of the C. P. R. but a vaster development widely planned facilities. A new railway will broaden and deepen the
wheat bolt and make accessible thouands of acros of rich grazing lands
that will attract a population and
be made productive in a short time.

Work on the made v. B. Rajway
has ceased for the winter. The work
has not progressed quite so far as
was expected, seven miles of grading
being completed between Bridgetown
and Lawrencetown. A large crew of
imported laborers will be put on the
work early in the spring. tanada is large enough to support more than one transcontinental railway system, or more than two, if there is a thard scheme in the McKen a majority of eight hundred and forty zie and Mann railways that are head-eight for Bowman B. Law, the liberal candidate, over his opponent, T. E. ed for the Pacific coast. It is probthat parliament, will place i obstacles in the way of the western demand for railway facilities that are insufficient for the development of the day. Trade and commerce statistics reveal a list of figures that show what Canadian development amounts to to offer an excuse for even greater efforts to anticipate future growth than the one the Grand Trunk stands ready the ten principal exporting countries of the world, Canada ranks first in percentage of increase of exports Under similar compar son she is first in growth of total trade. In a decade Canadian exports have increased per cent, and imports have increase 40 per cent. From 1892 to 1902 the total trade of Canada has doubled These are evidences of growth and prosperity that make the establishment of hundred million dollar en profits worth the while. The Cana dian who thinks that a country with count for much in the world's ag gregation of great nations should try more closely. To-day the neigh boring republic is held up as the most sensational example of widespread national prosperity in the world, and vet per head of population the total trade of Canada is 2½ times as great as that of the United States. There is now a national stature broad enough and strong enough to carry the facilities which the men who build railways for investment propose to provide. There is no railway madness evident, it is the necessity that cries out for more extended means of transitions. The extended means of transitions will be discussed.

—Bear River Telephone: Mrs. Robert Miller was the victim of a savage attack from a cross ram on Saturday last, and as a result is still in a serious condition. She attempted to drive the animal from the field when he knocked her down and butted her so unmercifully that she was partly unconscious for hours. Besides her many bruises the bone of one leg was broken. sit and the growth of the country's

MR. J. E. LLOYD'S NEW HOUSE.

which this need is supplied.

wealth and population depends in

great measure upon the readiness with

The new house erected for Mr. J. E. Lloyd is completed, and the family have commenced the work of moving in The new house is a decided acquisition to the town, situated as it is on a fine corner lot in one of the best residential sections, with fine well-grown shade trees surrounding it. well-grown shade trees surrounding it. The exterior design is an attractive one, and has a unique feature in its verandah, which is enclosed by shingded balcony with arched supports and extends along the north and east sides of the house. The three main rooms on the first floor open into each other by double doors. Four tedrooms and a bathroom are comprised in the second story, and there are two finished rooms in the attic lighted by dormer windows. There is also an unfinished attic room. The house is heated by a furnace, which was put in ty R. Allan Crowe, who also did the work of plumbing. There is a large stable in connection at the rear of the lot. Mr. Albert Wade was the master-builder, which is an assurance of thorough workmanship.

BRIDGETOWN AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.

The report of the financial standing of the Bridgetown Agricultural Society given last week was in some respects inaccurate. Following is the corrected statement: Amounts due and collected by Society.

Amounts due and Mandership fees for 1301. \$34,00 Government grant, 1931. \$37.0 in Mombership fees, 1992. \$7.00 for Mombership fees,

O. S. MILLER, Secty.

Local and Special News.

-Kendall has a cheap house for sale -Mince Meat just like your mother made at J. E. Lloyds. -The local election in Lunenbur County will take place on Dec. 10. -Dr. V. D. Schaffner will be at his ental office at Lawrencetown from december 17th till 27th.

—Several lines of groceries, espec-ally canned goods, are selling below the present wholesale price at J. E.

-Have you examined the beautiful anned Strawberries, Peaches, Pears and Green Gages in glass jars, at J. E. Lloyd's?

The yearly business meeting of the stringerown Baptist church will take clace next Monday afternoon, Dec. 1th, at 2 o'clock. Mission Band sale of Fancy Articles, Aprons and Home-made Candy at the vestry of the Methodist Church on Tuesday, 9th, any time from four

-The tenders for the new court nouse at Kentville have been received out as yet none have been accepted. The lowest was Rhodes, Curry Co. Amherst, which was \$16,000.

Parrsboro received a blow to its

Parrsboro received a blow to its
adustrial prosperity last Thursday

Mr. Lloyd to occupy his new store before Christmas week. industrial prosperity last Thursday night, in the loss of Henderson's Larri-gan factory by fire. The loss is esti-mated at \$30,000 and 100 men are thrown out of employment.

-Before buying crockery, give us a call. Lamps from 18c. to \$6.50. Dinner sets from \$6.75 to \$16.50. The best assortment of anything in crockery in town, and prices the lowest. C. L. PIGGOTT.

nent boarders.

—A meeting of the Bridgetown Agricultural Society will be held at the office of O. S. Miller, Thursday evening of this week at 8 o'clock, for the purpose of electing delegates to the Amherst Winter Fair. Other matters of invocations will be discussed. importance will be discussed

-The by-election at Yarmouth to

-Olive Branch Division has just en-

-The Nova Scotia Fruit Growers

Association has accepted an invitation from the Middleton Board of Trade

eccived a cordial greeting.

-A scheme is on foot in Sydney to stablish a theatre and workingman's

establish a theatre and workingman's club combined, or in other words to erect and maintain a theatre in which rooms would be set apart for the use of the laboring man and in which would be a large auditorium where first-class theatricals would be given. The scheme has already a large number of supporters. Plans and specifications have been prepared for a building after the style of the theatres in Russia. These plans provide for a three story building 130 x 60 feet, of expanded metal and cement construction to cost in the vi-

ent construction to cost in the v

cinity of \$18,000.

-Work on the M. & V. B. Railway

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Mayor Shafner has been spending two days at Wolfville. Miss Helen Dunn, of Bear River, i isiting at Mrs. Alfred Hoyt's Mrs. Dennison returned last Satur day from Boston, where she has been visiting her son, Dr. Arch Dennison.

Miss Helen Fay, after spending a couple of months with her nephew, Mr. F. R. Fay, has returned to British Columbia.

ghly esteemed business men in the eath of J. Wesley Smith, of the well known dry goods firm of Smith Bros, whose death occurred at his home in Halifax on Thursday evening. Mr. Smith was sixty-five years of age. He was very philanthropic and of high character and ability. His estate is seriously to be westly was the seriously to be westly with the seriously to be westly with the seriously to be westly westly with the seriously to be westly westly with the seriously the seriously to be westly west estimated to be worth about \$175, —An arrest was made last week at Wilmot, of Robert Parker, of Ayles-ord, and of his hired man, a French-

tord, and of his hired man, a French-man, who are supposed to be impli-cated in a series of bold robberies which have been committed recently at Berwick, Aylesford and vicinity. They were conveyed to Kentville goal to await trial. Other arrests will probably be made. The ladies of Inglisville Methodist Church purpose holding a Variety Sociable and sale of useful and fancy articles suitable for Christmas gifts, at the home of Henry O. Whitman on evening of Tuesday, December 9th. If unfavorable on first fine evening following). Proceeds for church purposes. Tea served from 6 to 9 p. m. Price of Tea, 25 cents. and, was looking well, and said tha e retained most pleasant memorie —Olive Branch Division has just entered upon its fifty-fifth year of existence under most favorable circumstances. The meeting last Monday evening was an interesting one, was largely attended, and six candidates were initiated. At its next meeting the question "Which is the greater benefit to a country, the manufacturer or farmer?" will be discussed.

Mr. Wm. Chipman, of Wolfville, has been in town a day or two. He leaves to-day to join Mrs. Chipman and their little son at St. John, from and their little son at St. John, from whence they will proceed to Georgia, where they will spend the winter. We are glad to report some improvement in the health of the little boy, on whose account the journey is made. The many friends of Attorney-General and Mrs. Longley will be glad to learn that Mrs. Longley is much improved in health, and that she has returned to her home in Halifax. General Manager. Gifkins of the D. A. R., placed at her disposal his private R., placed at her disposal his private car, Sanspareil, for the journey from

Mr. Nelson: hibit in connection therewith the following prizes have already been offered: Premier Murray, \$5, best barrel Northern Spy; Hon. J. W. Longley, \$5, Ribstons; B. W. Chipman, \$5 Golden Russets; Pres. J. Bigelow, \$5, R. S. Eaton, \$5, Red Russets. —A large audience greeted the Fowler Company of Jubilee Singers which
appeared at the Court House last
Thursday evening. The company is
not up to the standard of the original
Fiske Jubilee Singers, and some disappointment was felt by those present
who recall with pleasure the several
company. Mr. J. C. Fowler, a favorite member of the old company, and
leader of this, is a host in himself, and
received a cordial greeting.

Make whatever use of this you please.

Truly yours,

J. H. CROWE, Teacher in Annapolis Academy.

A new light has been put on Sable Island. It gives a flash every five seconds. The light on west head Brier Island, Digby, has been changed from a land, Digby to a revolving

FOR SALE!

1 yoke 5-year-old oxen, good workers, good

LAWN COTTAGE Permanent and transient boarders may be accommodated at this pleasant nay be accommodated and conveniently located house can conveniently located house Church street. Heated by furnace. Terms moderate. Apply to propri

cinity of \$18,000.

The losses of the recent Kentville fire which resulted not from fire but in the removal of goods, as humorously described in the report of the disaster in another column, forcibly demonstrates the necessity and value of a trained salvage corps in connection with the fire department. People in general are apt to lose their heads in such an emergency and as a rule their efforts result in more harm than benefit. It is a pity that the precautionary foresight of the store-keeper, who in view of the possibility of such a catastrophe kept wool bags on hand in which to store her goods, should not have been better rewarded. Having made arrangements with a Prince Edward Island horse dealer to supply me with horses, I will be able to furnish customers with heavy team horses or good drivers. Three heavy horses, two of them nearly 1300 lbs. each, for sale at once; also a first-class pacer by Sir John Dean, he by Dean Swift, he by Old Bush Messenger. N. E. CHUTE.

Local and Special News

Pickled Tongues and Sounds, Fat Pickled Herring and Mackerel at J. 7. Lloyds. —A report of the fourth meeting of the Round Hill Farmers' Club will appear in the agricultural department of our next issue. -In canned goods, fruit, flour and

feed, we have as good as the best and as low as the lowest.

C. L. PIGGOTT. —Work on the interior of the new school-house is being rapidly carried forward. The outside is completed and presents a fine substantial appear-

-Complaints are made of the condi-tion of the plank walk leading from the south side of the bridge. There is danger that the town may be liable for a case for damages if it is not soon attacked to on attended to.

-Mr. B. C. Dargie, of Perotte, a brother-in-law of Mr. Avard Beeler, is about to take up his residence in Bridgetown, and has rented the Mur--The exterior of the Primrose Block is about completed with the exception of putting in the windows, and the work inside will be rushed, to permit

-The Digby Courier is informed that as soon as Digby improves her wharf accommodations, the Eastern Steamshir. Company will either put on a daily boat between Eastport and Digby or run a twice-a-week service between Boston and Digby direct.

—A conspicuous change is noticeable in the removal of the hawthorne hedge along the street frontage of the T. D. Ruggles homestead property, now owned by Mr. S. S. Ruggles. Though the hedge was a landmark that will be missed, a better view of the fine grounds is afforded the passer-by.

-The Insular Steamship Co., —The Insular Steamship Co., of Westport has signed a contract with Wm. McGowan, of Shelburne, for the construction of a steamer to replace the Westport, on the St. John-Yarmouth route. She will be about twice at large as the present boat. According to the contract she will be launched on February 15th, 1903, and the contract will take her the contract will take her the contract will take her the contract will take the contract with the

ness. Ture is going ahead independently, and confidently expects to establish a new carriage manufactory with a capitalization of \$100,000.

The site is located and it is expected work will commence shortly

Miss Annie Tupper left here Wednesday for Wost Medford, Mass., where she will remain during the winter.

-Digty Courier. Edwin Ruggles, junior, of the Bank of Nova Scotia staff, after a vacation of several weeks at home, left on Monday for New Glasgow.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Webster and child, of Cambridge, Kings Co., spent a few days of last week in town, the guests of W. A. and E. A. Craig.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Rockwell, of Kentville, spent Sunday in town, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fowfer.

Mr. W. A. Chesley is spending a few weeks in Boston.

Miss Sadie Forbes, daughter of the late Dr. Forbes, of Liverpool, died at her home there Monday, from pneumonia. Miss Forbes was one of the Canadian nurses who went out to South Africa during the late war.

Some years ago the Rev. John Brown was pastor of the Baptist church at Paradise and was very popular as a man, as a preacher, and a writer. He was recently seen by a Canadian preacher at Brighton, England, was looking well, and said that

Annapolis, Aug 25, 1902. Mr. Nelson:

Dear Sir,—The bottle of Empire Liniment which I got from you on the 15th inst. I soon had occasion to try its virtues. The same evening in walking across the railway bridge at Tupperville I sprained for ankle. On my return home to Annapolis I freely applied Empire Liniment, and to my surprise a few applications put me on my feet again, and by Monday I felt no inconvenience from the injury. Certainly I consider it far in advance of the next best. Empire Liniment only needs to be tried to prove Its merits.

Bridgetown, Dec. 2nd, 1902. Kendall has decided that we must make a change in our business. HORSES FOR SALE Accordingly we wish to either sell or let, on easy terms. This is a

DECEMBER SALE

DISCOUNT Of 30 per cent

MEN'S, YOUTHS' & BOYS' SUITS

GENUINE discount of 30 per cent on our regular prices of the above named stock, and that you will ACTUALLY save thirty cents on every dollar of your investment. Our stock has been bought from some of the best firms of Canada, and you can get

good Worsted Suit for the regular price of an ordinary tweed. If our suits are not as represented, return them and the money will be refunded.

A. D. BROWN.

Christmas Novelties CENTRAL BOOK STORE

When looking for Christmas Gifts, if you want something really nice, call and see our fine lines of DAINTY CHINA, in

cluding a large assortment of the popular ROYAL BAVARIAN WARE. BOOKS, BOOKLETS, CALENDARS AND XMAS CARDS We have a new and complete stock in the above lines. Wise yers are making early selections.

DOLLS, TOYS, PICTURE BOOKS AND GAMES nd everything Santa Claus needs to fill the children's stockings

Also a superior assortment of Confectionery Many fancy lines not enumerated, including Picture Plaques Manicure Sets, Glove and Handkerchief Cases, Brush and Comb Sets, etc. Stock fresh and up-to-date.

B. J. ELDERKIN.

uitable presents for your friends, let its suggest Photographs; they are always ap preciated. The demand for Photos as Christmas gifts is growing yearly, and although inexpensive, are not by any means an interior gift. The Christmas trade is starting, and it is advisable for those wishing Photos to have their sitting at a date as possible so as to give plenty of time to fill your order. I WANT EVERY CUSTOMER SATISFIED AND WILL SPARE NO PAINS IN GIVING YOU THE BEST FINISHED PICTURE POSSIBLE.

N. M. SMITH, - Photographer, QUEEN STREET, BRIDGETOWN.

Lost or Strayed

Bridgetown, Dec. 3rd, 1902.

FREEMAN W. CORBITT. PROPERTY FOR SALE!

Bridgetown, Nov. 29th 1902.—1m

Heavy Draft Horses

FORSALE In prime condition for winter's work, 15 pairs, 2500 lbs. to 3000

J. J. MeMANUS.

INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY TENDER FOR AN ENGINE HOUSE ETO., AT ST.

JOHN, N. P. D. POTTINGER, General Manager Moneton, N. B., 27th November, 1902.



Santa Claus has come to SANCTON'S

All-Wool Shirts and Drawers. and the usual beautiful Christmas presents for the season are now in Ladies' Wool Underclothing. stock. Full display next week. Yon'll be sorry if you do not

10-4 and 11 4 eall and inspect. Cotton J. E. SANCTON.

Blankets, FOR SALE Horse Rugs, or TO LET! Knitting

A Large and Commodious Dwelling with Restaurant and Bakery. On account of poor health Mrs.

good opening for the right party.

We still keep a nice stock of Home-made Bread and Pastry and are prepared to feed all comers at Kendall's Restaurant and Bakery.

25 per cent DISCOUNT!

On account of the mild weather we have a larger stock than we wish to carry, and therefore make the above liberal discount on all

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For the Estate of

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season and sizes are somewhat broken, but our stock will be complete in a few days.

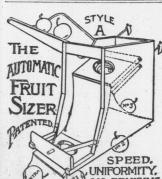
FIGURED AND PLAIN, FLANNELS. at quarter tripes. American and Canadian Flannelettes for original cost Blouses. New patterns at very low prices.

A Fine Stock of Fleeced-lined Shirts and Drawers,

Union Shirts and Drawers, lines before purchasing elsewhere. Men's lines of Heavy Boots daily arriving.

A full line of Men's, Boys', Youths', Ladies', Misses' and Children's Rubbers, all styles, sizes and widths.

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FARMS WANTED

I have a call for a number of farms. If you have a farm for sale either send me or call and give me as full a description of it as you can giving locality and lowes, cash price. No charge without special contract. OLIVER S. MILLER. Bridgetown, Oct. 9th, 1002.

A LARGE VARIETY OF . Choice Goods.

WE ARE NOW OPENING

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Christmas Trade

We have lead the way all this season in DRESS GOODS. Another repeat order just opened.

We received last week a new stock of Cloakings for Ladies' and Children's wear.

Hundreds of orders are coming in from all over the country for our

90c and \$1.00 KID GLOVES.

Send us \$1.00 and we will mail a pair of our ONE DOLLAR GLOVES, and if not entirel to your satisfaction, return them at once and we will promptly refund the money, together with

J. W. BECKWITH

We are paying 24c per dozen for good fresh Eggs; 20c. per lb. for good Butter.

We have what we Advertise!

DRESS GOODS.

We are showing a very large stock of Black Goods in Homespuns, Venetians, Coverts, Zebilnes, Camel's Hair and Friezes, all prices.

We have the largest stock and best variety to be found in Western Nova Scotia. Ladies', Misses' and Children's Collars, Ruffs and Muffs in Cooney, Oppossum, Grey Lamb, Seal, Sable and Stone Martin. Children's Sets, all prices. Ladies' Fur-Lined Reglans and Capes from \$10.00 to \$65.00.

Ladies' Rain Coats. We have had a large trade in Rain Coats this

Large assortment Fancy Flannels in spots and

LADIES' VESTS.

Big variety, all prices. Our stock includes the well-known Stanfield's Vests.

CORSETS.

Full stock of D. & A. and B. & I. Corsets. We have the agency for B. & I. Corsets, which are the best in the world—the only Bias Filling Corset

UNDERWEAR. Our stock of Underwear is the largest in the county. Men's Fleeced-lined Shirts and Drawers from

38c to \$1.25. Heavy Unshrinkable, all sizes, 32 to 44 inches. Medium weight, all sizes, at 35c per suit; guar-

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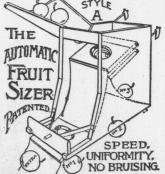
JOHN LOCKETT & SON

RIDGETOWN DOOT & SHOE STORE

My Ladies' Skating and Walking Bals. have arrived. They are the best I have had for style, quality and price. \$3.00, \$2.25 \$1.75 and \$1.50. Be sure and see these

Lumbermen's Rubbers in stock, all sizes.

Murdoch's Block,



H. PINEO, Optician Watch this space for dates in

NOTICE

It has become necessary to make change in my hardware busines nd all parties who are indebted to me in that store are requested to make settlement either by note or cash before December 1st, 1902. After that date all accounts will be found at the office of O. T. Daniels

B. HAVEY.