

LOCAL AND SPECIAL

A large tract of land on the North Mountain in Kings county, has been secured by a company for the industry of sheep raising.

Hides are a commodity that has advanced in price during the past year. They are quoted now at nine cents and scarce at that. To account for the lack it is stated that many farmers reduced their head of stock in the winter of 1905, when hay was scarce and high.

We learn that prices of fruit in the English market have improved materially during the past few days. It is hoped that the large shipments of apples just starting from our province for the old country will meet with much success, gaining for our fruit-growers the rewards they so well deserve.

The office of the Bank of Nova Scotia in Kingston, Jamaica, was among the numerous buildings destroyed by the recent earthquake and fire. Temporary quarters have been arranged for, however, so that the bank's business in that city will meet with but brief interruption.

Mayor Hoy has received a communication from the Chronicle Pub. Co., requesting assistance in raising a fund for the relief of the Kingston sufferers from the earthquake, and requests the Monitor to ask any one wishing to contribute to leave the amount at either of the Bridgetown banks.

The public meeting held in the Court House on Monday evening last was adjourned to Thursday evening, the 24th inst., at 8 o'clock. Owing to the absence of the town officials, information required by the ratepayers could not be obtained. It is particularly requested that the mayor as well as other town officials will be present on this occasion.

Motor cars are to be introduced on the government railways, according to a statement made by Mr. Emmerson, minister of railways. They will be made in Amherst, and introduced first on suburban routes near St. John and on the main line between Amherst and Halifax. The deputy minister said that the cost of operating these would be half the cost of steam cars. No action will be taken towards the establishing of motor cars on the branch lines until the result of the test is known.

Olive Branch Division is steadily increasing in membership and in interest. An enthusiastic debate formed the chief item of entertainment on Monday evening last. The question for discussion was "Who has done more to develop the resources of our country, the farmer or the mechanic." About twenty persons took part in the debate, and much wit and humor brightened the various speeches. The ladies gave expression to their opinions respecting the subject, and joined heartily in the final vote awarding the place of honor to the farmer. A literary entertainment is being prepared for next Monday evening.

January Marked Down Specials for Saturday 26th

Commencing at 9 a. m. we will sell the following Specials

Limit one to a customer

A Glass Hand Lamp	complete with Burner, Wick and Chimney	12 cts
A 10 Piece Toilet Set	Large Basin and Jug. Very pretty design. Saturday for	\$2.09
A China Decorated Butter Dish,		15 cts

Specials in Groceries

Tomatoes, can 10c.	Onions, 9 lbs for	25c.
Corn, can 9c.	Dates, 7c. lb., 4 lbs for	25c.
Peas, can 8c.	Ginger, pkg.	6c.
Beans, can 9c.	Prunes, lb.	6 1/2c.
Salmon, can 10c.	Household Ammonia bt.,	8c.
Blueberries, can,	Mott's Sweetened Chocolate	
Aligone Soap,	Cake,	8c.
Crest-a Toilet soap,	Nutmegs, oz.	4c.
Baby's Own Soap, cake,	Cream of Wheat, pkg.,	17c.
1 lb. Jar Jam,	Bird Seed, pkg.,	8c.
Oil, yellow,	Oranges doz.	17c.
Quaker Oats,	40c. Chocolates, lb.,	32c.
Corn Starch, pkg.,	Mixed Chocolates, lb.,	25c.
Morse's 35c. Tea,	Our Own Mixed Candy, lb.,	13c.
Morse's 40c. Tea,	Dodger, N. B., and the Chief, Kingpin's office, Montreal, N. B., where forms of tender may be obtained.	10c.
Red Rose 35c. Tea,	Fig-Bar Cakes, lb.,	13c.
Tea, Rose Brand, 30c. Tea, 25c.	Starch, 1 lb. pkg.	8c.

W. W. Chesley, Queen St

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Lent comes early this year. February 13th is Ash Wednesday.

Two shipments of apples of 500 and 1,000 barrels respectively, have gone forward from the D. A. R. station since Saturday, for the London market.

Any town subscriber having copies of the Monitor of January 9th will greatly oblige by informing Monitor, as our supply for that week ran short.

The Canadian government has voted \$50,000 towards the relief of conditions in Kingston, Jamaica. A steamer with supplies has been forwarded from Halifax.

Twenty-five dollar bank bills are to be introduced in Canada by the Farmers' Bank of Canada. These will correspond approximately with the English five pound note.

At a special session of the council held yesterday afternoon, the auditor's report was laid before the council and was received and adopted, and the accounts of the town clerk and treasurer being found correct to the satisfaction of the council, were passed and allowed. It was further ordered that 300 copies in pamphlet form of the said report be published for distribution among the ratepayers.

BUSINESS LOCALS

Rock Salt at K. Freeman's.

Cast Iron Feed Boxes and Sinks at K. Freeman's.

Don't forget Misses Dearness & Phoebe's big discounts on millinery for this month.

R. Shipley has received a large assortment of nails, spikes and general hardware, for sale low.

J. W. Beckwith is now daily opening cases and bales of Staple Goods for the early spring selling. He reports that his business thus far is ahead of the corresponding days of January, 1906, and is making every preparation to have this the best year in the history of his business.

TO LET—Store in Union Bank Block, now occupied by H. R. Moody, occupancy May 1st. Apply Union Bank of Halifax, Bridgetown, N. S.

TOWN FINANCES.

The report of the conditions of town finances placed in the hands of the priester yesterday show taxes for 1906 unpaid \$1,005.79; water charges unpaid \$1,018.54. The sum total of property and poll tax and revenue from water service received amounted to \$8,740.26. Proceeds from railway and sewer, debenture loans and from other sources make the sum total of receipts \$18,568.76. There is an over draft in Union Bank on sewer construction of \$286.96; on water system of \$2,776.96. There is also an over draft in Bank of Nova Scotia of \$681.39 with cash to offset it of \$378.41. The net over draft at beginning of 1906 was \$2,499.50.

OBITUARY

DR. JAMES PRIMROSE.

The death occurred on Thursday afternoon, at his residence on Grandville street, of Dr. James Primrose, after an illness of several months of cancer of the stomach. Though it was well understood that his illness was of such a character that he could not recover, it was not until within a few hours of his death that his symptoms became alarming, and surprise as well as regret, followed the circulation of the sad news. Some five months ago his health causing grave anxiety, Dr. Primrose was persuaded to go to the United States for treatment, but his case being pronounced hopeless, he returned home and with patient resignation awaited the end. Having practiced his profession of dentistry in this town and in Annapolis, since his graduation from the Philadelphia Dental College in 1881, he had a large acquaintance and many warm friends in the western section of the county.

Dr. Primrose was born in Lawrencetown, his father being a physician of that place, and his brother, Dr. Samuel Primrose, a skilled physician and surgeon, still residing there. Another brother, Dr. Fred Primrose, a leading dentist in Baltimore, is a graduate in both medicine and dentistry. One other brother survives, Edward Primrose, of Boston, and a sister, Mrs. J. G. Hepniger Parker, now living in Sydney. He married Miss Minnie Le Cain, of Round Hill, who, with one child, a son, Clarence, survives him, and they have the deep sympathy of all in the sad loss they have sustained. Being quiet and reserved in temperament the true worth of the deceased was best known and appreciated by those who knew him longest and best. The funeral took place on Sunday afternoon, Rev. Mr. McDonald conducting the service, and the remains were taken to Round Hill for interment.

WALTER E. PALFREY.

The death of Walter E. Palfrey, of Lawrencetown, which occurred from pneumonia, on Saturday, 19th inst., was learned with deep regret in this and other parts of the county, as he was one of the most favorably known business men in Annapolis county. His illness was reported last week by telephone just before the Monitor went to press, as having taken a turn for the better, but though he lingered several days, the disease had fastened too strongly upon his constitution to be resisted. Through native ability, strength of purpose, sound principle, and a genial personality, Mr. Palfrey had built up in the last ten years a prosperous business in the line of general merchandise, and will be greatly missed by the trading public in his locality. As a youth, Mr. Palfrey, having an inclination for pharmacy, first entered the drug store of the late Dr. L. R. Morse, and afterwards, that of Primrose Bros. Annapolis. In 1881 he was persuaded by his aunt, Mrs. Whedlock, then engaged in the millinery and dry goods business, to become manager of her business. Upon her death Mr. Palfrey developed the business, building and occupying a new store and adding general merchandise to his stock. He was ever alive to the interests of his town and his judgment and opinions were highly valued by his townsmen. His first wife was Miss Rebecca Holland, of Steviakle, the daughter, by this marriage survives her parents. His second wife was Miss Ada Tupper of Lawrencetown, and two sons and a daughter, all living are the offspring of the second marriage. He is also survived by two brothers, Arthur C. carriage maker, of Bridgetown, and Fred G., manager of the Union Bank of Halifax, Lawrencetown, and one sister, Mrs. F. M. Steadman, of Bear River.

The funeral which took place on Tuesday was one of the largest held in Lawrencetown, many people from adjoining sections being present to pay their last token of respect. The Sunday school of which he had been superintendent for many years was present in a body, and formed in ranks on either side as the casket of one they loved and mourned was borne to his last resting place.

INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY

TENDER FOR TITIO

Sentinel tenders, addressed to the undersigned and marked on the outside "Tender for Station at Sackville" will be received up to and including MONDAY FEBRUARY 4TH, 1907, for the construction of a station building at Sackville, N. B. Plans and specifications may be seen at the Station Master's Office, Sackville, N. B., and the Chief Engineer's office, Montreal, N. B., where forms of tender may be obtained. All the conditions of the specification must be complied with.

D. POTTINGER, General Manager.

Railway Office, Montreal, N. B., 4th January, 1907.

We most cheerfully thank our friends and Customers for their valued and increased liberal patronage which has swelled our business for 1906 beyond previous years.

We are making every preparation for 1907 to merit a continuance of your confidence as in the past, assuring you of our best efforts to please. Wishing you a happy and prosperous 1907

J. W. BECKWITH

Flannelette Blankets,

White and Grey, 11-4, 10-4.

Fancy Flannelette, for Waists and Kimonos, Black Satene Skirts.

Full lines of Misses' and Children's Cashmere and Wool Hose.

Cloth for Suits and Waistings. We have still on hand a good assortment of Misses and Children's Vests and Drawers.

Fancy Goods, White Organdy Muslin, Persian Lawn, Linen, Dimity Laces, Ribbons, Handkerchiefs.

Geo S Davies

NOTICE

The management of the Lawrencetown Butter and Cheese Mfg. Co., Ltd., have decided to pay 90 cents per 100 lbs. for 4 per cent milk for the year 1907, delivered by the road side.

BYRON MORSE, Secretary, Lawrencetown, Jan. 14th, 1907.

NOTICE

I hereby notify the public that during and Burke, blacksmiths, Paradise, have dissolved partnership, and as the books must be squared up, all those indebted to same will kindly remit to

CLARENCE W. DURLING, Paradise, January 14th.

GRAMOPHONE FOR SALE—A fine Victor Gramophone, almost new, for sale at a bargain. Call at or enquire of Award Beller.

GIRL WANTED—A girl to do general housework. Apply to Mrs. Harry Eagles, "Lawnsdale," Bridgetown, Annapolis county.

BRIDGETOWN LAUNDRY

First-class work done and satisfaction guaranteed or work repeated free. Work called for and delivered when finished to any part of the town.

JOHN S. LEE.

Lounges Couches Easy Chairs

We have just made up a quantity of the above and for thirty days we offer them to cash buyers at exceptionally low prices. The coverings include jute, velours and tapestries in an assortment of designs and colors, with and without springs and well upholstered.

\$4.50

Buys a Lounge with woodwork of hardwood, finished in walnut or mahogany effect, and nicely upholstered in jute from a selection of patterns and colors. Other offers equally attractive in all lines of Furniture.

J. H. HICKS & SONS

Furniture & Builders' Materials

Factory and Warerooms

BRIDGETOWN, N. S.

Public Meeting

The meeting of the rate payers held in the Court House on Monday evening last was adjourned to

THURSDAY EVENING, at 8 o'clock

All rate payers interested in the future of our town are particularly requested to be present.