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The Pacific Coast.

One of the MONITOR staff one day last week sought an interview with W. B. Troop, Esq., ex.-M. P. P. for this county on his recent return from the great Pacific province. On introducing himself and stating his object, he was well received and courteously treated, his questions being readily and generally fully answered. He stated that business of a private nature had called for his recent trip across the continent, during which, so far as it was possible, he had striven to note every fact and thing possible concerning the present condition and future prospects of the western half of the Dominion. Everywhere, he said, along the line of our great continental railway he found evidences of rapid and solid advances in progress, both as regards the population of the scores of growing towns and villages which line its route, and the rapid extensions of soil cultivation, the latter of which could be easily seen in the grain elevators which have been erected in the centres of the grain-growing districts. It was a very inspiring scene, he declared, to see the teams of the farmer coming in from all directions with vehicles ladened with wheat, barley, etc., to these receptacles for storage, and carrying back to their homesteads the farm implements and machines necessary to the continuous enlargement of their agricultural operations. Thrift and action were everywhere visible, and when these were backed by skill and sound judgment, success was, in almost all cases, a necessary result, though he freely admitted that the want of the latter requisites too often led to disappointment and loss. In reply to a question touching the character of the mountain region, he became, as everybody else does, extravagant in his praises of the scenery which abounds there, but could say little of the future prospects of that section of the country until he reached the valley of the Thompson river, at Kamloops. This valley is said to have a future before it, which, at some time not far distant, will make it a desirable place for residence and business, though as yet no great strides have been made in the way of development. From the junction of this river with the Frazer down to the delta on the Pacific coast there is much fine land of which the most considerable portion has already been taken up. At this point in the interview Mr. Troop produced a map of the New Westminster and Vancouver Districts showing the rich bottom lands lying between the delta of the Frazer and English bay, an extension of which forms the Burrard inlet, on the shores of which the new town of Vancouver has been built, the site of Port Moody, further up the inlet, and of New Westminster on the banks of the Frazer, which at the latter place is from one-half to three-quarters of a mile in width. In illustration of this rapidly growing town Mr. T. showed the writer a large photographic view of it, and pointed out to him the fine three storied dwelling of our late townsmen Donald and Marshall Sinclair, and the Queen hotel run by our erstwhile host of the Grand Central hotel, W. J. Glencross; and some other buildings of note in the town. Here the Rand Bros. (Cornwallis boys) have a branch office of their large business as land agents, their head office being in Victoria. They also have a busy branch office in Vancouver. These young men have already made their mark in these new cities, and are said to have already accumulated considerable wealth. The map to which we have made reference was one of their getting up, and Mr. Troop pointed out lots laid down upon it stating the values at which each is held in the districts thereon delineated, ranging from five to *four hundred* dollars per acre according to quality and position.

In reference to a block consisting of 134 acres recently bought by Mr. George B. Harris, of this county, at one hundred dollars per acre, and lying about mid-way between Vancouver and New Westminster, he called special attention. This land was bought contrary to the advice of his friends, but results have proved beyond a doubt that our countryman was right, for he has already been offered more than a hundred per cent. on the value of his purchase and declined the offer. The new tramway now in course of construction, on which electric cars are to connect the two towns, run through the Harris block, for which he now looks for $40,000, which will be nearly 300 per cent. on the original cost.

Saw mills, capable of cutting 100,000 superficial feet a day, have been erected at New Westminster and Vancouver, and Mr. Troop affirmed that mills of similar character were already in course of construction along the C. P. R. in various places in the mountain region, and all these mills will find a ready market on the plains for the excess of their lumber over that required for local consumption, while cargoes from the coast have been sent to Japan and found remunerative prices there.

Mr. Troop spoke enthusiastically of Vancouver, which in a few years he thought would extend itself towards its sister Westminster until they coalesced and together would outrival San Francisco in trade and population, as it would certainly attract the trade of Eastern Asia, Australia and perhaps of India to itself, as the terminus of the finest trans-continental railway in the world. He felt certain the stream of trade and travel from the West to the East, and *vice versa*, would develop along the grand route whose Atlantic and Pacific termini were Halifax and Vancouver.

In reply to our question whether he found many Nova Scotians in the places he had visited, Mr. Troop said they were to be found everywhere on the route he had travelled, and in the towns he had visited, and that they were by no means the least successful among those with whom he came in contact. Thanking him for the information received and for the courtesy extended to us we ended a very interesting visit.

America's Drink Bill.

According to a computation of the *American Grocer*, the consumers of the United States paid at retail for the year 1890, the enormous sum for drink found in the following:

Malt and spirituous liquors (an increase of $200,000,000 in 4 years.)	$900,000,000
Coffee	$122,500,000
Tea	$30,000,000
Total	$1,052,500,000

Commenting on the above, the *Grocer* adds:

"There is spent for beverages over one billion dollars annually, or about the amount expended by the last congress. Think of it—two thousand millions per annum for beer, whiskey, coffee, tea, and a congress. Truly we are a great people!"

The amount of beer consumed last year rose to the enormous total of 855,792,335 gallons, being 558,915,404 gallons more than was used twenty years ago (1870), when the population was only 60 % less than last year. In other words, the consumption of beer has increased in the United States, since 1870, by nearly 200%, while the increase of population was but 65 %.

The use of beer steadily increases from year to year, leaping from 8.65 gallons *per capita* in 1881, to 13.66 in 1890, nine years later. In spirits the advance has not been so great, but it a good deal more than holds its own, being 1.40 gallons in 1890, compared with 1.38 in 1881. The total *per capita* consumption of spirituous and fermented liquors in 1870 was but 4.2 gallons; whereas last year it amounted to just 15 gallons, or 75 gallons per family.

On the other hand, notwithstanding tea has been cheap, it is not as liberally consumed as it was ten years ago, it being but 7.90 lbs. *per capita*, compared with 8.23 lbs. in 1881. The same has been the experience in regard to coffee, the use being 1.34 lbs. *per capita*, while in 1881 it was 1.54 lbs.

It is a pleasure to know that we in Canada are not so rapidly increasing drink habits; but, the revelations which an investigation of this matter, as it refers to our friends *across the border*, cannot but be of considerable concern to us. It has a direct bearing upon the physical and social condition of our continent, and as such, it is of great importance to all its parts.

Allowance has, of course, to be made for spirits used in the arts, but this consumption could not have increased *per capita* much since 1881, and no allowance is to be made for this use as regards beer. While on the other hand, there has been, we should suppose, an accession to the ranks of those who are really total abstainers. If this be correct, it follows that those who do drink, must drink to greater excess than heretofore.

An eminent authority, the secretary of the Evangelical Alliance of the United States, says: "As a nation grows more nervous, its use of intoxicating liquors increases. In Great Britain, Belgium, Holland and Germany, which are the European countries lying in the nervous belt, there has been a marked increase in the use of alcohol during recent years." Of America he says: "Its people are rapidly becoming the most nervous, the most highly organized in the world, if indeed they are not already such; and the causes, climate, and other which have produced this result, continue to operate."

It is a subject which opens up a wide range for very serious thought. It is evident that the work of the temperance people of our continent is not yet complete. Moreover, the re ponsibility of the citizens of these parts which are not so much under the deliterious effects of causes peculiar to intensity of our modern life, that they may be the leven to save the whole, cannot be lessened an iota.

SAD AND UNEXPECTED DEATH

OF EDWARD BAUCKMAN, SON OF ABNER BAUCKMAN, ESQ.

Within the past few weeks it has been our painful duty to chronicle the deaths of many of our respected inhabitants throughout the county, but seldom, if ever, has it fallen to our lot to announce such an unexpected and melancholy an accident as that which occurred on Wednesday afternoon, the 15th inst., at four o'clock, by which Mr. Edward Bauckman, eldest son of Abner Bauckman, Esq., lost his life, at the early age of twenty-five years. On the morning of that day, in company with his brother-in-law, Mr. Frank Vidito, only son of Councillor Vidito, he left the homestead of his parents for the purpose of sawing lumber, gotten out during the winter, in a saw mill situated about a mile and a quarter from the main road, on what is known as the east branch of Button Brook, and everything had proceeded much as usual up to the hour of the accident. As some of the wooden cogs in the main wheel had worked loose, the mill was shut down, and Mr. Bauckman went about the work of tightening them with wedges. This task had been almost accomplished, when he sent his brother-in-law a few rods away to procure one or two more wedges. Hardly had Mr. Vidito reached the piece of wood he was in quest of, when he thought he heard a faint moan or call, to which he at once responded. On reaching the mill, he instantly saw that his companion was not at the spot where he had left him, and getting no answer on calling his name, he hastily glanced about the premises, when he readily discovered that a most serious and fatal mishap had befallen his fellow-laborer, and that he was pinned between the fellow of the large driving-wheel and one of the main beams. Upon speaking to him again, and receiving no answer he became suddenly alarmed, and hastily proceeded to the residence of the unfortunate man's father for assistance. Mr. Bauckman was at the time taking care of his stock, and on being told of the occurrence, at once mounted his horse, and sped with all haste to the mill, only however to find his eldest son and the hope and pride of the family, standing in an upright and natural position, with his chin dropped on his bosom, and life extinct. Though the feelings of this loving parent may be better realized than described, he at once proceeded to extricate the body, and by the time the news had spread throughout the neighborhood and friends had reached the spot, he had taken the body from its pinioned position, when it was conveyed to the house in which the broken-hearted family were almost overcome by the revelations which had by this time been made known to them. Just how the accident happened will always be shrouded in mystery, though it is surmised by milling experts that after tightening the cogs, he was in the act of testing their solidity by pressing on them with his foot, and this, assisted by the water which had overflowed the gate-way and partly filled the buckets of the over shot wheel, caused the revolution of the larger wheel, in which he was accidentally caught. Physicians inform us that death must have been instantaneous, as the chest was completely crushed in, and some of the ribs badly broken.

The funeral took place on Friday afternoon, conducted by the Rev. F. M. Young, Ph. B., assisted by the Rev. F. H. Wright and Rev. Mr Kinley, the latter now stationed at Paradise, service being held at the house of the parents, and was the largest ever witnessed in this section of the County, thereby testifying the esteem in which the young man was held for his many good qualities and the general uprightness of his character and habits, as well as expressing heartfelt sympathy to his bereaved parents and relatives in their sad and sudden trouble. We know it is useless to say not to grieve or repine. "Sorrow will be sorrow," till time and other home interests soften the bitter loss. Till then we can only try to think, "He doeth all things right," and submit humbly to His will.

Death of Rev. T. C. Hooper.

On Monday morning last Rev. Mr. Hooper, pastor of the Methodist Church at Middleton, after a brief illness, entered into life—called away from the toil-ome service below to the restful and more blessed service above.

Mr. Hooper came out from England in 1882, at the invitation of the N. S. Conference, and until the time of his death laboured earnestly and successfully in different parts of the Province. He was ordained in 1887 at the Conference, which met at Truro, and was married during that year to Miss Addie Eldridge, of Sandy Cove, Digby County, a most estimable lady, who now mourns the loss of a devoted husband.

Two years ago he was sent to the Middleton circuit, where, no doubt, the arduous duties connected with that extensive charge hastened his end.

Our departed brother was an impressive preacher, his sermons being characterized by careful thought and forceful delivery. Why he should be taken in his young manhood from a sphere in which he was so much needed is a mystery into which we in our blindness cannot penetrate.

"We have but faith, we cannot know;
For knowledge is of things we see."

but faith assures us that God's ways, though often mysterious, are always wise and always good.

To the widow, in the desolation of her grief, we extend our most heartfelt sympathies.

Mr. Hooper was 34 years of age, and leaves one child.

BENJAMIN WHITMAN, OF INGLISVILLE.

Our last issue of the MONITOR recorded the death of this aged and estimable man, which sad event occurred on the 4th inst., after a very short illness. Mr. Whitman was a great-grand-son of John Whitman, of Massachusetts, who came to this county in June, 1760, and who died in 1762 from the effects of an accident, by which a sled loaded with firewood passed over his body, while coming homeward down the northern slope of the South Mountain, near the Rosette district. His grand-father, Edward Whitman, senr., was settled near Lawrencetown, on the lands granted in the second division of the township of Annapolis, where the father of the deceased was afterward domiciled, and where the deceased gentleman was born in 1803. His mother was a Miss Fairn; his grandmother was Miss Dorothy Gates; and his great-grand-mother was Mercy Foster, the daughter of a Congregationalist preacher, of Connecticut. In his boyhood days educational facilities were very deficient, and the deceased was indebted to a local school for such education as he possessed, including mainly the art of reading and writing, with a slight knowledge of arithmetic. He married about the year 1826, and settled in the district now known as Inglisville, where he was possessed of a farm which he continued to cultivate until the weight of increasing years compelled him to relinquish it to younger and more vigorous hands. His intellect was marked by strong common sense views of the relations of things and a faculty of keen and shrewd observation. The writer well remembers some remarks of his *anent* the unwisdom of our farmers in ceasing to sow wheat after the partial destruction of the wheat crops in 1846 and 1847 by the wheat midge, commonly, though falsely, called the "weevil." He said, "I continued to sow wheat, either on ploughed or burnt lands, or both, every year, and I seldom failed to raise sufficient to make flour for the year's use of my family. It is true that in two years I did not raise more than the quantity of seed I sowed, but I was not deterred on that account from continuing my efforts to raise that staple, and I was generally successful; but as my brother farmers declined to sow they could not hope to reap, and I fear they were heavy losers by their want of faith and fear of insect ravages." He reared a large family who have been generally successful in life, and respected among those in whose neighborhood they were domiciled. If an honest man is, indeed, the noblest work of God, Benjamin Whitman deserved to be ranked as one of his noblest works. Honest in his speech and dealings with his brother man, hospitable toward strangers, affable and good-tempered in his relations to his family, and ever upright in motive, he richly merited the title of a Christian man and good citizen. He lived almost to a nonogenarian age and continued in active labor of the lighter kinds until within a few days of his decease, when he was seized with pneumonia, which soon terminated his life and labors. He leaves a large number of descendants who will please accept our condolences on the loss they have sustained in the death of so excellent a progenitor.

Local and Other Matter.

—Brown bread Flour for sale at Shipley's.

—The sch. *Nancy Anna* arrived on Saturday and cleared again for St. John yesterday.

—John Lockett wants 2 tons good Roll and Tub Butter, and any quantity Eggs. 2

—Mr. Geo. Hoyt, whose sudden sickness was announced in our last issue, was brought home on Friday afternoon, very much improved in health.

—Just received at John Lockett's, 6 doz. Ladies' and Children's Gossamers, from $1.50 to $5.00. Extra good value. 2i

—The lumber cut on the St. John and its tributaries for the season is estimated at 105,000,000 or 25,000,000 less than the average.

—Rev. Mr. Wainwright will officiate at St. James' Church on Sunday, the 26th, both morning and evening, and at Belleisle at 3 p.m.

—Just received: 20 cwt. of Steel and Wire Nails. Oil and B. B. B. Lead. Call and ask for prices. E. S. PIGGOTT.

—Opening at John Lockett's, 100 Setts Lace Curtains, 10 dozen Ladies' Silk Umbrellas and Sunshades, 15 dozen Ladies' 4-button Josephine Kid Gloves. Prices very low. 2i

—Election petitions were filed on Monday against the return of Sir John Thompson, for Antigonish; Charles H. Tupper, for Picton; N. W. White, for Shelburne, and F. W. Borden for Kings.

—Fred Harris, Esq., returned home on Monday for a few days rest, after a seven weeks trip in the eastern part of the province. The squire will soon be looked upon as a veteran drummer.

—The Dun and Russell agencies announce 34 Canadian failures during the corresponding week of last year. Bradstreets' report 39 Canadian failures this week.

FOR SALE.—The new house in Middleton recently erected by G. W. Andrews; also the property in Victoriavale recently occupied by F. Andrews. For particulars inquire of either of the above at Middleton. 2i

—A very interesting letter, descriptive of the progress of newspapers and their use as an educator, from the pen of F. S. Messenger of Paradise, a late graduate of Acadia College, will be found on our fourth page. It is well worthy of close perusal.

—In the late civic elections in St. John, T. W. Peters was elected mayor by a majority of 1,356 over the present mayor, W. A. Lockhart. Geo. A. Davis, the third candidate in the field, received 27 votes.

—In consequence of an attack of la grippe with which Mr. Barnaby was seized last week, the concert that had been announced to take place at Amherst on Tuesday last was indefinitely postponed.

—I have in stock 100 gallons of Varnish, consisting of Best No. 1. Carriage, Best No. 1. Coach, Best Wearing Body, and Common Furniture. All for sale low. R. Shipley. 1i

—John R. Wallis, of the firm of J. A. Wallis & Son, Portland, N. B., bottlers of aerated and other temperate drink, is now making his spring canvass along the valley, and reports business good.

—The 25th inst. is announced as the date fixed for the hearing of the argument, by the Supreme Court of the United States, in the Sayward case, in which the rights of British sealing vessels in Behring Sea are involved.

—The semi-annual session of the Municipal Council commenced its sitting at the Court House yesterday afternoon at three o'clock, p.m., with a full attendance present. Several questions of paramount importance are to be discussed. We trust to be able to furnish our readers with a full report in our next issue.

—J. W. Beckwith has added more new novelties to his Millinery Store this week.

—I have an unusually fine line of Whitewash, Scrub, Shoe, Stove and Paint Brushes. R. Shipley. 1i

—Received at John Lockett's, 250 pairs ladies and misses Kid Boots. Prices from $1.00 to $3.75. 2i

—Just opened at John Lockett's, Black French Cashmeres (Henrietta finish), All-Wool Serges, Fancy Brocaded Lustre, Black Silk Warp Henriettas, etc. 2i

—The largest stock of Dress Goods; the best assorted; the lowest prices; sales heavier than any previous season in the history of my business career. J. W. Beckwith. 1i

INSPECTING.—Collingwood Schrieber, Esq., chief engineer of Government railway, passed over the W. & A. railway in his private car last week on his way to Annapolis, for the purpose of inspecting the "Missing Link."

FOR WILMOT SPA SPRINGS.—On Monday the Maritime Steam Lithographic Co., of St. John, shipped over 500,000 labels to Middleton, N. S., for use at the Wilmot Spa Springs. They are preparing for a big season's work at the springs.

Mr. G. A. Wade, one of our Granville men, lately living at Bridgewater, has removed from that town to Malaga, Queens County. Mr. W. is manager of the Malaga Gold Mining Company, one of the richest in that section of the country.

—J. W. Beckwith's new American Room Papers are acknowledged by all who have seen them to be the best patterns and value ever imported to Bridgetown. His 5 cent papers are also exceeding everything of the kind. He has added more new carpets this week to his large stock. 1i

—At the W. & A. R. machine shop, engine No. 8 is undergoing extensive and thorough repairs, a new fire-box being one of the improvements. Another engine will soon be placed for like purpose. The company is determined to keep their rolling stock in good repair and provide safety for their patrons.

—The ship *Titan*, of Boston, recently cleared from Vancouver, B. C., loaded with 782,000 feet of rough lumber from the Hastings saw mill at that place bound for Wilmington, Del. The lumber is for the U. S. Navy. This shows the superior value of British Columbia lumber for use in ship building.

—The relatives of the late Archibald F Troop, whose lamentable death occurred in South America from small-pox a few weeks ago have, since the announcement, been in receipt of many letters from his friends throughout the Dominion, expressive of deep sympathy and condolence in their sad loss.

—Apropos of the movement in England to organize a company there to buy Canadian horses, Ira Cornwall, Secretary of Canada's International Exhibition, to be held at St. John this autumn, has a timely letter in the English agricultural papers, drawing the attention of buyers to chance of selection afforded by the mammoth Horse Fair to be held in connection with the Exhibition.

PAINFUL ACCIDENT.—We regret to learn that the second son of Mr. William Calder, of Tupperville, met with a distressing accident yesterday. The horse he was riding plunged through a soft spot in the road, and he was thrown to the ground, fracturing the lower jaw and severely injuring the shoulder. Dr. G. Barnaby attended to his injuries, and at latest accounts the patient was doing well.

ARBOR DAY.—The *Educational Review* for April is an Arbor Day number. Nearly all its articles are original, and prepared specially for this number, the object being to stimulate and encourage the Arbor Day movement and arouse greater interest in the improvement and ornamentation of school grounds throughout the Atlantic Provinces. The *Review* will be enlarged and otherwise improved at the beginning of its fifth volume in June next.

—Miss Maude Saunders, who was a short time ago the successful winner of the Dominion prize, a bell piano, in the Canada prize competition, and Miss B. James of Lawrencetown, have each been awarded a special daily prize of an elegant after-dinner silver dessert service, worth $12.00, in the historical competition offered by the publishers of the Canadian Queen, Toronto. We congratulate these young ladies upon their good luck, and wish them a continuance of the same in the future.

NEW YORK, MAINE AND N. B. S.S. CO.—The S.S. *Winthrop*, of this line, performs a regular weekly service between New York and St. John, calling at Eastport. She leaves New York every Saturday at 3 p.m., arriving at St. John Monday afternoon. She leaves St. John Tuesdays at 3 p.m., due in New York Friday morning early. The *Winthrop* is a first-class passenger steamship in every respect, and since purchased by this Company has been especially re-fitted for the above service. She has been performing her work very regularly this spring, giving entire satisfaction to the travelling public, and also to shippers of goods. Mr. J. S. Carder is this Company's representative at Annapolis.

I have in stock 150 boxes of Glass and 200 kegs of Nails. Let everyone get prices. R. Shipley. 1i

WHAT MAY BE FOUND
—IN—
MILLER'S DRUG STORE,
MIDDLETON.
A full line of Pure Drugs, Druggists' Sundries, Dyes (Diamond and Turkish), Fancy and Toilet Goods, Perfumes, Plain and Fancy Stationery, Artists Materials, Books, Etc., Etc.
School Books always in Stock.
PURE SPICES A SPECIALTY.
TEAS, from 30 cts. to 50 cts.
ALSO: FIELD and GARDEN SEEDS.
500 lbs. of early "Morning Star" Potatoes; the earliest and best potato in the market. They are ten days earlier than the "Early Rose;" a large, smooth, hard potato, great to yield, finest quality and a good keeper; 5 cts. lb., 50 cts. peck, $1.50 per bushel.
☞N. B. All parties indebted to the undersigned for over one year will please settle their bills before May 1st, after which their accounts will be placed for collection.
S. N. MILLER, M. D.

FOR SALE.
THE Subscribers offer for sale LOW the frame of a one and a half-storey DWELLING-HOUSE complete. Apply to SPINNEY & MACK,
Bridgetown, April 21st, 1891. 2i

CHAMPION MESSENGER!
FOALED 1875.
He is the Sire of Cliftondale, trial 2.22.
CHAMPION MESSENGER is a Red Roan, stands sixteen hands high, with left hind ankle white; weight 1200 pounds.
The owner of Champion Messenger, Mr. Norman Chute, has leased from the estate of the late Joseph Dennison the large stable on Court Street, where the horse will be kept during the season.
Any parties desirous of breeding to this Horse will be met half-way by just sending me a Telegram or Post Card to that effect, at one day's notice.
TERMS:—Single service, $6; Season, $8; Warrant $10.
All Mares at owner's risk. For further particulars see posters.
NORMAN E. CHUTE.
Bridgetown, April 22nd, 1891. 3 tf

New Advertisements.

AUCTION!
The subscriber will offer for sale at
PUBLIC AUCTION,
on his premises in Wilmot, on
TUESDAY, MAY 5th, at 12 o'clock, noon,
6000 Apple Trees:
Ribston Pippins, Baldwins, Gravensteins, King of Tompkins, Golden Russetts, Roxbury Russetts, Northern Spy, Wealthy, Mann Pewaukee, Ben Davis, Walbridge, etc., etc.
Horse, Cows, Etc.
1 superior sound horse, 1 farrow cow, 1 fine young Ayrshire cow and calf, 1 extraordinary heifer 9 months old, 1 yearling bull, 1 mowing-machine, 1 two-seated waggon.
Terms: On horse and stock cash down. On the rest cash up to $5.00. Eight months credit on good joint notes, with interest, on all sums over that amount.
A. B. STRONACH, M. D.
O. M. TAYLOR, Auctioneer.
Wilmot, April 21st, 1891. 3 2i

AUCTION! AUCTION!
The Subscriber will offer at Public Auction on his premises, Gates' Mountain, on
Wednesday, April 29th, 1891,
at 1 o'clock, p.m.,
The following stock and farming utensils,
1 mare 8 years old, 1 mare 4 years old, 1 colt 2 years old, 1 pair oxen 4 years old, 1 pair oxen 3 years old, 1 pair steers 2 years old, 1 farrow cow 4 years old, 1 two-year-old heifer in calf, 1 shoat, 1 truck harness, 11 sheep.
FARMING UTENSILS.
1 ox waggon, 1 truck waggon, 1 express waggon, 1 mowing-machine, 1 nearly new horse-rake, 1 U T K spring tooth harrow, 1 steel and 2 iron plows, hacks, hoes, shovels, forks, etc.
PRODUCE.
A quantity of Produce and Grain.
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.
1 sewing machine, 1 cook stove, 1 small stove, chairs, 1 hardwood table, and a quantity of articles too numerous to mention. Sale positive. AMOS GATES.
JOHN L. NIXON, Auctioneer.
Gates' Mountain, April 20th, 1891. 1i

PUBLIC AUCTION.
TO BE SOLD AT AUCTION ON
SATURDAY, 23rd May Next,
all that certain piece of land situate in Wilmot, County of Annapolis, containing twenty acres, more or less, belonging to the estate of the late GORDON BLAIR, bounded as follows:
Beginning at a stake standing on the south side of the main road; thence running west along said road to a stake; thence south ten degrees east to the Annapolis river, till it comes to the west line of the late Austin Woodbury's; thence north along said line to the place of beginning.
Upon said Farm is a House, Wood-house, Barn, with a cellar, Piggery, a good Orchard, and wells of Good Water.
Terms made known on day of sale on the place.
ISAAC BONNETT, *Administrator.*
O. M. TAYLOR, Esq., Auctioner.
April 20th, 1891. 4i

TO THE PUBLIC!
The Celebrated general purpose Stallion
Highland Chief,
will stand at the stables in connection with the Grand Central Hotel every alternate week, beginning the season here the second Saturday in May.
Hand-bills giving full particulars will be duly placed before the public.
WILLIAM CRABB, *Groom.*
JAMES GIBSON, Newport, Owner.
April 20th, 1891. 3 2i

1891. Letter A. No. 335.
IN THE SUPREME COURT.
BETWEEN
ELIZA ANSLEY, Plaintiff,
AND
ELIJAH RISTEEN, Defendant.
To be sold by the sheriff of the County of Annapolis or his deputy, at the Court House, in Bridgetown, in the County of Annapolis, on
Saturday, 23rd day of May
next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon,
Pursuant to an order of foreclosure and sale made herein by His Honor Judge Savary, Master ex-officio in chamber, on the 20th day of April, A. D. 1891, unless before the sale the amount due the plaintiff herein on the mortgage, with interest and costs, be paid to her or her solicitor.
ALL the estate, right, title, interest, and equity of redemption of the abovenamed defendant, and of all persons claiming or entitled, by, from, or under him, in and to all that certain lot, tract piece or parcel of
LAND
situate, lying, and being at or near Port Lorne, in the Township of Wilmot, in the county of Annapolis, aforesaid, it being a part of that tract of land originally granted to Thomas Milledge and others, bounded and described as follows, that is to say:
Beginning on the division line of said land and lands formerly owned by John Hicks, at a stream of water commonly called the Hicks brook; thence running south eighty degrees west along the north line of lands now owned by John Risteen, until it comes to the road called the Grant road or west bounds of the said Milledge grant; thence running north along said road sixty-eight rods until it comes to lands now owned by Enoch Grant; thence north eighty degrees east along said Enoch Grant's south line until it comes to the aforesaid Hicks brook; thence southerly along said brook to the first mentioned bounds or place of beginning, containing by estimation forty-six acres, be the same more or less.
Terms: Ten per cent deposit at time of sale; remainder on delivery of deed.
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A. MORSE,
Solicitor for Plaintiff.
Sheriff's Office, Bridgetown, April 21, '91.

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