The Weekly Monitor.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 14, 1885.

—Parnell, in a speech made at Wicklow, Ireland, said that if England would grant home rule to the Emerald Isle, all outrages, etc., would stop at once and peace and unity would be restored. Home rule has never appeared to us to be in any wise an unreasonable demand; but the Irish people by their senseless outrages and destruction of innocent life, certainly do not indicate that they are possessed of the order of intelligence and judgment, that would lead them to become amenable to any constituted authority whose decrees did not suit their own peculiar ideas, therefore we cannot see that it makes much difference whether they are ruled in Dublin or London.

— A judge of the Supreme Court in Aylmer, Quebec, has just decided in a case of an action for recovery of payment on a promissory note where the defendant, by a special memorandum in writing, had stipulated for the payment of five per cent interest per month, that the plaintiff could only collect interest at the rate of six per cent per annum for the maturity of the note.

—During the 13th, 14th and 15th of this month it is announced that an "Advent Mission" is to be conducted at West point, N. Y., by clergymen of the Protestant Episcopal Church. Some of the conservatives of the high Church party are disposed to hold aloof, as they say, the proposed revival too closely resembles those favored by the dissenting denominations. Canon Farrar and Archdeacon Kirby are announced as expected to identify themselves with the movement. This idea is certainly a novel one to be held under the auspices of the Episcopal Church, and no doubt the result will be watched with no little interest. The avowed intention of the movement is to reach people principally who are outside of the pale of all churches and their religious influences.

— The potato crop in the States of New York and New England, is below average, but in Maine it is better but still not up to the average. The prospects are therefore encouraging for farmers in this Province, as the crop is both large and good in all sections. A Massachusetts despatch under date of 8th inst., says:—

Prices in New England and New York, are from 30 to 40 cents in shipping districts and 50 to 75 cents at the city markets which have an upward tendency, but the surplus in the provinces may prevent any sharp advance. Farmers evince a disposition to hold. It may be advisable to store good, sound potatoes for one or two months but unless the rot continues in the bins, very high prices in February and March next are not probable. A vast quantity of potatoes are being worked up at the starch mills, the product of which will be greater than for years past.

Driving Park.

About ten days ago some of our young men, conceived the idea of agitating the subject of building a Driving Park in the town. It was finally decided to have a prospectus drawn up and circulated for signatures, and have the Park built by a company. The sum fixed upon as necessary, is $3,000, in shares, of $30 each. The movement has proven to date to be a popular one, as between sixty or seventy shares are already subscribed and promised. The park may now be considered a fixed fact, as when the number of subscribed shares reaches seventy-five, the site for the park will be purchased. A peculiarly suitable spot has been offered to the shareholders, viz:—the field at the head of the Church road, owned by Mr. Charles Marshall. The price asked is not unreasonable, and as the grading of the track will be a matter of small difficulty, the outlay will be somewhat less than first expected. More anon.

— In reference to preserving fresh fruit to exhibit at the Exhibitions, the last issue of the *Scientific American* contains the following which may be of use to some of our readers:—

"J. F. S. asks the best receipt for solution for the preservation of fruits in a fresh state for exhibition purposes. A. Glycerine has been recommended for the preservation of fruits, previous to eating which, the glycerine should be removed by immersing the fruit in water. Dipping the fruit in paraffine is an excellent means of preserving it. Collodion will probably be found most satisfactory for exhibition purposes. A thin coating of this varnish will entirely prevent the access of air to the fruit."

Annapolis Items.

The long talked of Driving Park, is about assuming visibility. The shares are half taken up, and a committee has been appointed to select the grounds, which will either be on Bay View, or at the Cape, near Burns' Corner. Either site is handy and easily laid out.

Charlie Burton and Rufus Hardwick, have the contract for building a new brick fire engine house where the ladies will keep the "machine" in the future. Since their former house was burned the engine has not had the most comfortable quarters, and great care had to be taken to keep it in readiness in cold weather. The company is very efficient. They recently ran 308 yards, and played water from a tank in a minute and ten seconds.

Considerable other building has been going on the past summer. Albert Bishop is slashing on with a neat cottage on Anthony Street for Samuel Hissix. Sammy is the boss egg merchant and cattle speculator.

The shingle mill of the Whitman Bros., has been running five months. So far they have sold 350,000 of first and second qualities. 4,200 blueberry boxes have been sold from this mill. Fish boxes (quarter size) 7,500. One hundred and twenty thousand sup. feet of lumber have been planed. Dwight is about as hard a worker as we know of.

Mr. Thos. S. Whitman has extended his wharf adjoining the Acadia, where vessels now of any draft can load or discharge. The spacious coal shed on this wharf will in future be used as a coal depot where hard and soft coal will be delivered at any season.

Several vessels are in port. Some repairing for the winter campaign, and others loading for foreign ports.

The bark John Johnson of this port will clear out to-day for the Falkland Islands. Her cargo consists of dimension stuff and other lumber.

The bark, Geo. E. Corbitt, has been sold to parties in New York. Capt. Elisha Goudy takes charge of her.

The apple warehouse will shortly store a large quantity of apples. Two steamers are expected here this season to carry apples to London.

The new lighthouse on Shaffner's Point, Annapolis River, will prove a correct beacon to run for by vessels coming up the river. The light is so arranged that as long as it can be seen, run for it when; shut in by the dark side, keep off.

Kingston Items.

MR. EDITOR,—I thought perhaps some of your readers would like to know how things are getting along at Kingston. Well, every person has got the cranberry craze on account of the large crops this year. Messrs. Frank Reagh and James Burns, have purchased from Mrs. James Roach, the block of land just to the eastward of the station, formerly belonging to the estate of the late Enock Chute, a part of which he had in cranberries. Messrs. Reagh and Burns have taken something over sixty barrels off it. Report says they have been offered nine dollars a barrel for them. They are preparing another large piece this fall, which they intend to set out in the spring, which speaks well for the cranberry.

Another bit of excitement is going the rounds just now, that is a trotting park. Mention was made not long since in the MONITOR regarding it. They have decided to build it on the grounds of Job Randall, as it is by far the best site, and is in fact allowed by judges to be the best site in the Province. There can be made a mile track, with very little expense. It is perfectly level and will make a track fit for use at any season or in any kind of weather, rain or shine. The company have got over $400 subscribed already, but have not decided yet whether to build a mile track or half-a mile. If they succeed in getting enough subscribed, they will probably build the mile. It will be only a quarter of a mile from the station. They are planning to commence operations on Monday next.

We do not believe there is any harm in having a Trotting Park, providing it is properly conducted; that is to say, not to allow any pool selling, or gambling, or rum selling, but simply to have a place to test the speed of horses. We may have a Dexter or a Jay Eye See, or a Maud S. in our midst and not know it until they are put on the track. When we hear of the enormous sums paid for trotting horses in the United States, we naturally wish we had a fast one too. But we won't know till we put them on the track under a proper trainer.

Business is still brisk here. The three stores are doing a good business, and they each have a share of it. KINGSTON.

Bear River Items.

Mrs. Nathan Beeler, wife of the old gentleman whose death you chronicle this week, will be 92 years old in April next. This summer she has spun on an average six skeins per day. She lives on the Annapolis side of Bear River. How many young spinsters in the county can beat this record? tf

The crops in this part have been very good, but the potatoes in many places about here are rotting badly, and the apples have suffered much from heavy winds.

Mr. Isaac Benson, has purchased the property owned by Capt. Wm. Spicer, who has supposed to have been lost on a voyage to the West Indies in February, 1884.

Capt. E. B. Goudy, of Bear River, has, with some other parties, lately purchased the Barque "Geo. Corbitt" now in Philadelphia.

Clarence Items.

Mr. Keyo, a millwright, has moved into the house formerly occupied by Mr. Edwin White, of Clarence, and has commenced to build a large saw mill on the stream known as the Sproul brook. No doubt such a mill as he proposes to build will be a financial success on so fine a stream.

Howard Roche, son of J. F. Roche, Esq., of Clarence, while asleep in the top loft of his father's new barn, rolled over the big beam and landed fortunately in the teeth of a horse rake, standing in the floor, the spring of which saved him from injury, with the exception of a sprain in one of his great toes.

Clarence Division was re-organized on Saturday night last, by the well-known lecturer, Thos. Hutchings, Esq. This division has not been working for the past four years, but having been again started, with a membership of seventeen, comprising some of the older men of the community, we trust we may be able to keep up a prosperous division.

Local and Other Matter.

— A number of fishing vessels are in port.

— Some unknown scamps are trying to shoot Yarmouth policemen.

— A discrepancy of $33,000 has been found in the accounts of H. Y. Clark, cashier of the Union Bank, of Halifax. The bank says it will lose nothing.

— Mr. J. M. Dunn, of Port Lorne, has assigned all his personal property for the benefit of his creditors.

— Those requiring cheap and good Silver Plated Ware, should read Sanford's advertisement in another column.

— The Dominion Government has appointed Saturday, November 7th, as a day of general thanksgiving.

CLERICAL.—The Rev. E. H. Rowe, having returned to New Brunswick, the Rev. W. Vidito occupied the pulpit of the Baptist Church, Pine Grove, last Sunday afternoon.

— Smoke the "Twins," the best 5 cent cigar in town. 1i

EDUCATIONAL.—There is great interest in school matters just now. Teachers are looking out for schools and trustees for teachers. In one section as many as eight or nine applications were made for a vacant position. There is hope that the rising generation will not lack for intellectual care.

—Three powerful reasons why we would recommend you to J. W. Beckwith's to buy your New Fall and Winter Dress Goods; 1st, because he has three times the variety of any other store in town to select from: 2nd, the best quality, and 3rd, the best value for your money. 1i

LECTURE.—The Rev. D. Dodwell, of Middleton, delivered a public lecture on Monday evening in the basement of the Baptist Church, Lawrencetown, under the auspices of the young people Mutual Improvement Society. Subject, "The Church of Saint Sophia at Constantinople."

— Mr. James Currell, the proprietor of Currell's Mills, is, we regret to learn attacked with the same description of illness with which he was so sick last year. There is but one week's difference between the commencement of his last year's illness and this. Dr. Dennison is attending him.

— On our outside pages we print Hon. Mr. Fielding's letter upon the Hospital question, about which much has appeared in the city press since the difficulty occurred. We also print a letter from the president of the Medical Board, Dr. Black, answering Mr. Fielding.

— At the Presbyterian Synod of the Maritime Provinces, which has just closed its session held this year at St. John, N. B., Rev. Thomas Sedgewick, has been elected moderator, in place of Rev. James McLean, of Londonderry, N. S., who retires.

MINISTERIAL CONFERENCE.—The Annapolis County Baptist Ministerial and Missionary Conference will meet at the Baptist chapel, Wadeville, on Tuesday next, the 20th inst., at 10 o'clock a. m. Sessions will also be held in the afternoon at 2 o'clock, and in the evening at 7, at the latter of which a sermon will be preached. Interesting papers will be read at the sessions and matters of importance discussed.

..Mr. Tuck, would respectfully inform all persons wishing work done at the Palace R. R. Photo., Car, before it leaves, that they will do well to call immediately, as he will remove the car from this place in a few days unless business improves. Cloudy, just as good as bright weather; only call early in the day; light not so good near night. Do not put it off, delays are dangerous. 2i

— 117 horses were exhibited at the P. E. I. agricultural exhibition this year, fifty more than last.

— Our thanks are due Mr. S. Kinnear, of Middleton, for copies of Portland, Oregon, and California papers.

— Forty-two Sable Island ponies were recently sold in Halifax, at prices ranging from $10 to $45.

— Smoke the "Twins," the best 5 cent cigar in town. 1i.

—Seventeen men were terribly scalded through a boiler explosion in Pittsburg, Pa., recently. Two have died and others are not expected to recover.

—J. W. Beckwith is now paying 20 cts., cash for eggs. 1i

ST. JOHN MARKETS.—Good butter always commands high prices, notwithstanding the prevailing dullness. Prices range from 17 to 22 cts. During the week partridges have been plenty, selling at 35 cts., per pair; chickens are worth from 40 to 60 cts; turkeys, 15 to 16 cts., per lb; potatoes 40 to 60, cts., per barrel; carrots, $1 a barrel turnips 90 cts; cabbage, 50 cts., per doz. heads; fresh pork, 5 to 6 cts; squash and turnips, 1 ct., per lb; rough buckwheat, $1.80 to $1.90 per lb; socks $3 per doz.

—Something new and good, just received and for sale at Shipley's. 1 case of Condensed Coffee. 1i

BRIG C. S. PACKARD.—The wreck of brig C. S. Packard was sold by auction at Sagua, Sept. 9, for $1,500 gold and about 219,000 ft. of lumber of her cargo that was saved at $22.50 per thousand. The purchaser of the vessel intends to repair her.

HIDES.—Highest market price paid for hides in cash at T. A. Foster's. 2i

—Mr. J. A. Cogswell, formerly editor of the Kentville *Chronicle*, has not yet taken his departure from this mundane sphere we are glad to hear. A gentleman from Kentville saw Joseph in Boston since the publication of the intelligence of the latter's death, and found him to be worth a hundred dead men yet. The Cogswell reported drowned, must be another bearing the same name.

WANTED.—A second hand Stove to burn Soft Coal. Address Post Office Box 41, Bridgetown. tf

— The Methodist congregation of this town have placed a large lamp at the main entrance of Providence church, which is of great service dark nights. The other congregations would do well to follow suit, as it is almost bewildering to come out of a brilliantly lighted room into a dark night. It would be a piece of public enterprise and spirit to place a few lamps and lamp-posts in the town. The cost would not be much and the comfort would be great. The lamps would not require to be lighted on moonlight nights; and need not be kept burning later than twelve on any night.

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— Mr. Jonathan Woodbury, of Middleton, is probably the oldest Free Mason in the Province, having been made in the first lodge formed in Annapolis in 1818, sixty-seven years ago. Although in his ninety-third year, he is still hale and hearty, taking a walk to the post office every fine day. It is enjoyable to get him talking of the changes that have taken place in the valley since he can remember, and it sounds funny to hear of our grandfathers carrying their bread miles through the woods to the only available oven to get it baked.—COM.

—Runciman Randolph & Co., are now receiving New Dress Goods, Shawls, Scarfs, Clouds, Flannel, Ready Made Clothing, &c. The sale of nice ends of Dark Dress Goods is still going on, and those 10 yard pieces of Grey Cottons at very low prices. 1i

THE NICTAUX AND ATLANTIC.—The Lunenburg *Times* says: "The contract for the building of the Nictaux & Atlantic railroad which has heretofore existed between the American Railway Construction Company and the Nova Scotia, Nictaux & Atlantic Central Railway Company having expired by lapse of time and failure upon the part of the construction company to live up to their contract and complete the road within the time agreed upon, the railway company took possession of the works last week and have themselves commenced active operations on the road. We understand that the railway company are confident of their ability to complete the road."

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PRISONERS FOR DORCHESTER. — Two prisoners were recently sentenced to penitentiary at the recent sitting of the Circuit Court, Kent Co., N. B., Joseph Burgess, 7 years for rape, and Wm. McGovern, 2 years for horse stealing and were being taken through to Dorchester, in charge of Sheriff Girouard. At Rockland they desired to visit the water closet and were allowed to do so unattended. While on this errand they crawled through the window and made their escape. They have not since been heard from.

— Runciman, Randolph & Co., have just received from Boston, one case Misses' and Women's Rubber Circulars, and Men's Rubber coats. All marked at very low prices. 3i

—One of Granville Ferry's popular young ladies, Miss Minnie McCormick, daughter of Samuel McCormick, Esq., was united in marriage to Rev. G. S. Allen, B. A., of Woodstock, N. B., on Thursday last, by Rev. F. P. Greatorex, in the Church of Holy Trinity. The Church was crowded by the many friends of the contracting parties. The presents given the bride were numerous and costly, including a gold watch and chain and a cheque for a goodly amount from her parents. The bride has many warm friends in Bridgetown, and congratulation and good wishes for her happiness and that of her husband will be numerous.

—John Lockett, has just received a Bale of Grey Cotton Sheeting in 10 yd. lengths and fully a yard wide which he is selling at the low price of 50 cts., (net cash on delivery) *only think* 10 yds., of good yard wide Grey Cotton for 50 cts. This is one of the greatest bargains ever offered in this county. 1i

—The Boston Fish Bureau, which is composed of the principal wholesale dealers and commission merchants in fish in that city has passed the following resolution: "The Boston Fish Bureau earnestly favors such an arrangement between the United States and Canada and Newfoundland, as shall include reciprocal admission free of duties or the products of the fisheries of those countries." They have also issued an address appealing to the dealers in, or consumers of fish throughout the country to aid in impressing upon congress the importance of free importation of fish from the British Provinces. This address asserts that many different kinds of fish needed for our consumption are no longer to be caught in American waters, and argues that the tariff upon Canadian fish benefits a hundred New England vessel-owners only, while it is an onerous tax upon thousands of dealers and millions of consumers throughout the country.

—Supreme Court, opened at Annapolis last Tuesday, His Lordship J. Norman Ritchie, presiding.

The suit of the Queen vs. Levi Snow, was the only criminal case. Snow's crime was one fortunately very rare in this country as only the most depraved of the human species could be guilty of such acts. Snow is about 45 years of age, a fisherman, and his home, Parker's Cove. He has a daughter about 21 years of age, who wanted to marry a man named Wier, the father objected, and to make his objections effectual tried to drown the girl. She then had him arrested upon the following charges;

1. Assault and attempted murder;
2. Rape committed upon her before she was 12 years of age;
3. Rape committed after she was 12 years of age;
4. And with maintaining incestuous relations with her. The prisoner was found "Not Guilty" on the last two charges; and guilty of the first two. The girl was the only witness called and swore that the prisoner committed the crime under the second count under threats of taking her life with an axe.

The judge in passing sentence, said the case was without precedent in the history of Nova Scotia. The extreme penalty for the rape was death. He told the prisoner that he had no desire to hurry him into eternity, and to enable him to prepare for that end to which all were hastening, he would send him to the penitentiary for life. Snow's wife appeared in court and was apparently quite unconcerned at the terrible revelation and sentence. Wade, Q. C., and Harrington, Q. C., prosecuted, and the prisoner was defended by J. M. Owen. This was the first sentence inflicted by Judge Ritchie since his accession to the bench, and it is a coincidence that his first circuit appointment should be in this his native town.

The civil suit docket was also small. The first cause tried was Croscup vs. Morse. An action of trover. Judgment for pltff. for $25. Harrington, Q. C., and E. Ruggles, Esq., for Pltff., Ritchie & Ritchie for dft.

Ray vs. Spinney. An action for a policy of life insurance. Judgment reserved. Ervin & J. J. Ritchie for pltff., Owen & Harrington for dft.

Court adjourned after these causes were tried and hearing motions.

— Mr. Wm. Gilpin, of Digby, a well known sportsman, died last week at the comparatively early age of 35 years. He was a gentleman of independent means and leisure, and was passionately fond of the sports afield with rod and gun. His nature was a very genial and open-hearted one and he had many friends. He was very kind to the poor and particularly so to Indians, with whom he was brought into frequent contact in his sporting expeditions. He was known far and wide among the surviving remnants of this fast disappearing tribe, and that the many kindnesses he had extended to them are highly appreciated may be surmised by the fact that some thirty or forty attended his funeral and sung a dirge at the grave, at the conclusion of the service by the officiating clergyman. One of the tribe at present camping in this vicinity when asked if he knew that Mr. Gilpin was dead, said with much emotion, "Oh, my God, Mr. Gilpin dead? Mr. Gilpin dead!" He then told how kind the deceased had been to him.

A widow and four children are left to mourn their loss.

A NEW FEATURE IN RAILROADING IN WESTERN NOVA SCOTIA.—By special arrangements entered into between the International S. S. Co., and the Nova Scotia S. S. Co. and the Western Counties Railway, a steamboat express train, in addition to the regular train, from Yarmouth to Digby, will be run on Thursdays of each week. The special train will leave Yarmouth at 12 noon, arriving in Digby at 3 p. m. This train affords passengers a direct connection without waiting at Digby, with the International steamer New Brunswick, also a direct connection with the steamer Empress, for St. John. Thus passengers leaving Yarmouth at noon Thursdays arrive in Boston, Friday evening or arrive in St. John Thursday evening, at 7.30. This arrangement can but meet the approval of the travelling public.

—The Yarmouth Agricultural Exhibition, was held last week. Several of the exhibitors were from this County. The following are those who obtained prizes:—

F. H. Willett, Tupperville,—Sweet Corn 2nd 50c; Yellow Corn, 1st $1; Potato Onions, 1st $1; Eschallots, 1st $1; Red Onions, 1st $1; Collection Apples, not over 25 varieties named, 6 each, 1st $3; doz. Baldwins, 1st $1; Colburt, 3rd 25c; Gravensteins, 2nd 50c; Hubbardson, 1st $1; Tompkins King, 2nd 50c; Nonpareil, 1st $1; Northern Spy, 2nd 50c; Pomme Gris, 3rd 25c; Ribston Pippins, 1st $1; Sweet Bough, 1st $1; Talman Sweet, 2nd 50c; Yellow Bellefleur, 1st $1; Winter Pears, 3rd 25c; Collection of Crab Apples, 25 of each sort, 1st $1; half bushel Cranberries, (cultivated) 1st $1.50.

E. F. McNeil, Melvern Square,—Doz. Alexanders, 2nd 50c; Bleinheim Pippins, 1st $1; Gravenstein, 1st $1; Pomme Gris, 2nd 50c; Ribston Pippins, 2nd 50c; Yellow Bellefleur, 2nd 50c.

Bridgetown Foundry Company.—Wheelbarrow, 2nd $1; Ploughs, Wood and Iron, 1st $2; 2nd $1; Horse Shoes, 1st $1; Hay Gutter, 2nd $1.

—A copy of a new agricultural journal called the Rural Home has been received. It is a new enterprise in the journalistic line just got under way by John Bryenton, of Kentville. It is published from the *New Star* office, and presents a fair appearance. Its table of contents is good and considerable improvement is promised in the next issue. Subscription only 50 cts. per year.

—The Grand Prize Drawing in aid of the Annapolis Brass Band came off on Tuesday evening, Oct. 6th. The following are the tickets that drew the prizes:

No. 428, Autograph Quilt, Miss Catherine Riordan, Annapolis.
139, Gold Watch, Jas. Lyons, Kentville.
184, Silver Watch, H. A. Willis, Montreal.
132, Sewing Machine, U. A. Wilbur, Portsmouth, N. H.

H. MCMULLEN, Sec'y.

SURPRISE PARTY.—On Friday last Mrs. Monaghan, one of our oldest and highly esteemed ladies, attained her 80th birthday, and as a tribute of the high esteem in which she is held by the community several of her friends celebrated the event by giving her a surprise party in the evening, which proved a very enjoyable affair. A noticeable feature of the company was that the united ages of the five eldest ladies present, amounted to 411 years. We think we but echo the sentiment of Mrs. Monaghan's numerous friends of former years in wishing her many joyous returns of her natal day, and that the evening of life may prove peaceful and happy.—*Spectator*.

—Through carelessness, I made a misstatement in the MONITOR of 30th ult, I said Hartford would be present at the races, but should have said Rampart, the stallion owned by C. R. Bill at present. The fact that Hartford was formerly owned by C. R. Bill, accounts for the *lapsus calami*. HASH.

Oxen for Sale.

People say I have the best oven mated and

Handsomest Pair of Oxen

within fifty miles.

FIVE YEARS OLD Last Spring

now for sale and can be seen at my farm in Springfield. Price

$100 CASH.

WM. WARWIC.

Springfield, Oct. 13th, '85. 1i

New Advertisements.

BUCKTHORN

Steel Wire Fencing.

The CHEAPEST and BEST FENCING in the Market.

The BUCKTHORN has received the GOLD MEDAL and first prize over all other Fencings.

Farmers will find it to their advantage to use this Superior Fencing.
Send for Circular and Prices.

Chipman Brothers,

General Agents for Buckthorn Fencing, HALIFAX, N. S.

October 12th, '85. 4i

Oxen for Sale!

THERE will be sold at Public Auction in Bridgetown, at the head of Queen St., on

Saturday, Oct. 17th,

at 2 o'clock p. m.,

TWO YOKE OF OXEN,

age 5 and 6 years, in good flesh; over 6½ feet.
TERMS.—Nine months' credit with approved security or 2 per cent. discount for cash.

W. FOWLER,
Auctioneer.

Oct. 13th '85. 1ipd

Educational Notice!

NOTICE is hereby given that in accordance with Circular, issued by Council of Public Instruction, the entrance examination for admission to the Annapolis County Academy, begins on the 28th inst., in the High School Room of said Academy, when all applicants, throughout the County must present themselves for examination.

The examination embraces the following subjects, viz:—1. Grammar and Analysis; 2. British and Canadian History; 3. Geography; 4. Arithmetic, with a few questions in the fundamental rules of Algebra.

AUG. FULLERTON,
Secty. B. S. Trustees.
Annapolis Academy.
2721

Concert!

A MUSICAL ENTERTAINMENT will be held in the BAPTIST CHURCH, at

PARADISE,

—ON—

Wednesday Evening, 21st Oct.,

for the purpose of raising funds to clear the debt on Church Organ.

A rare treat will be offered to the lovers of music, as the BRIDGETOWN BAND will be in attendance, and other features of interest will be introduced.

Concert to commence at 7½ p. m.
Admission, 15cts. Children 10 cts.

Paradise, Oct 14th, '85. 1i

FURNITURE FOR SALE.

A New Queen Anne Parlor Suit, hair Cloth, never been used.
A new Tapestry Carpet.
Hemp Stair, Hall and Bedroom Carpet.
A number of other HOUSEHOLD articles.
Apply to this Office for further information.

Bridgetown, Sept. 14th, 1885. tf.

NOTICE OF ASSIGNMENT!

Whereas

James M. Dunn,

of Port Lorne, in the County of Annapolis, having by Deed of Assignment, bearing date the 2nd day of October, A. D., 1885, assigned to me all his personal assets and effects in trust, first to pay all expenses connected with said assignment, then to apply the residue toward the payment of the claims of such of his creditors as shall execute the said deed of assignment, within three months from the date thereof

Notice is hereby given that the said deed of assignment is recorded and filed in the office of the registrar of deeds for the County of Annapolis and a duplicate thereof lies at the residence of the undersigned, where parties interested in the assignment may inspect the same.

Creditors failing to execute the same within the time named will not be entitled to any benefit therunder.

All persons indebted to said James M. Dunn, are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

JOSEPH H. GRAVES,
ASSIGNEE.

Granville, Oct. 7th, 1885. 3m.

BIG

Discounts

—AND—

LOW PRICES

THIS MONTH,

—AT—

STEVENS' GENERAL STORE,

LAWRENCETOWN.

See Handbill for particulars.

Tenders!

Tenders will be received up to noon on

Saturday, 7th day of October,

inst., for the purchase of the

LOT OF LAND,

on which the Court House, in Bridgetown, originally stood. If the tenders are not satisfactory to the undersigned committee, the said property will be offered for sale at public auction on the day.

By order of the
COMMITTEE ON TENDERS AND PUBLIC PROPERTY.

THE

School of Agriculture,

IN CONNECTION WITH

PROVINCIAL NORMAL SCHOOL, TRURO.

WILL OPEN ON

Wednesday, Nov. 4th.

CIRCULAR containing information as to conditions of admission, course of study, &c., may be obtained on application to the undersigned, or to the Principal of the Normal School, Truro.

DAVID ALLISON,
Superintendent of Education.

Education Office, Sept. 25th, 1885. 2621.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

LARGER IMPORTATIONS

Than Ever of Fall & Winter Goods!

THE FINEST LINE OF

BLACK DRESS GOODS,

In Empress Cashmeres, Jersey Tricots, Velvet Finish Cashmeres and Merinos. The newest make in English Dress Goods.

All Wool Serges, Beiges, Dress Flannels, Ottoman,

In all the Leading Makes and Shades of DRESS GOODS.

24 Boxes Silk Finish Velveteens, in all the Fashionable Shades.

WHITE, GREY, BLUE, AND SCARLET FLANNELS.

Please send for samples and prices of these Goods to convince that they are the best value I have ever offered.

COTTON FLANNELS, the best value in the market.

Ladies' Jerseys, Children's Jersey Dresses, Children's Wool Goods, Bonnets, Hats, and Tam O' Shanters.

Ladies' & Gents' Cardigan Jackets,
LADIES' UNDERVESTS
—AND—
UNDERSKIRTS.
Wool Squares, Shawls, Clouds, Hosiery, Etc., Etc.
A large stock of those
ALL WOOL SHAWLS,
which gave such excellent satisfaction last year.
As usual I have a fine assortment of
Redingote, Ulster & Sacque Cloths,
—AND—
Children's Cloakings.
Headquarters for Best Quality of
Josephine Kid Gloves,
from 2 to 6 buttons, also Gloves in CASHMERE, WOOL, LOUISE, HABIT GAUNTLETS, etc.

Large Stock Comfortables; all prices.
WELFORD YARNS,
Mikado Frilling, the newest makes.
SILK HANDKERCHIEFS.
Hercules Braid, all widths.

Furs! Furs!
LADIES' AND GENTS' FUR CAPS.
LADIES' FUR TIPPETS AND MUFFS, best quality.
LADIES' DOGSKIN SACKS, all sizes.
FUR TRIMMINGS, all widths.

Mens' Suitings.
PERFECT FITTING
Dress OVERCOATS,
The best value I have ever offered.

The above does not commence to enumerate one quarter of my large and complete stock, therefore customers and the public generally, must not think their selection will be limited. All are requested to call and prove for themselves, that in my store the most critical taste can be satisfied. No trouble to show goods.

J. W. Beckwith.

THE ATTENTION —of— BUILDERS,

is called to Stock of

WINDOW GLASS,

that is arriving this week, in large quantities. Having bought at a

VERY LOW FIGURE

will be sold at prices that are

EQUAL, IF NOT BETTER,

than can be obtained in the County.

Richard Shipley,

Bridgetown, Oct, 6th, '85.

Now is the Time to Insure!

LOW RATES. SOLID COMPANY.

Lancashire Insurance Company,

CAPITAL, - - £3,000,000 Sterling.
RESERVE FUND, £904,000 Sterling.

FIRE!

Risks taken in the above staunch Company at low rates.

JOHN P. MURDOCH, Agent.

Bridgetown, Sept. 28th. tf

HARDWARE!

Hardware!

OUR stock is moving off rapidly, but to facilitate a clearance we will to CASH PURCHASERS offer the following inducements.

AMERICAN SHOVELS
Round or Square Pts. 60c each.
Ditto Solid Cast Steel, Rd. or Sq. Pts. 85c. each.

AMERICAN MANURE FORKS,
4 pro., 70c each.
Ditto Blue Finish, 60c each,

GLASS, Best Quality
10 x 8....$2.00 per 50 feet box.
12 x 9.... 2.00 " " "
12 x 10.... 2.00 " " "
Other sizes pro rata.

Cut Nails—10dy.....$2.65 per keg
do. do. —4dy..... 3.15 "

London Lead No. 1.
$6.50 per 100 lbs.

THE CELEBRATED
New York Enamel Paint.
now reduced to $1.50 per gallon.

American Framed Wood Saws, good Cast Steel Blades 60c.

AMERICAN MORTISE LOCKS,
3½ in. $1.90 per doz.

SPECIAL NOTICE!

This is no claptrap advertisement, the Entire Stock must be sold *regardless of Cost*. The largest stock of *Hardware* to select from outside of the cities, so come and see us or write for prices.

BESSONETT & WILSON,

P. S.—Enquiries for prices by mail are answered same day.

PACKAGE of Comic Pictures and our Big Catalogue for 2c and this slip.
A. W. KINNEY, Yarmouth, N. S.

W. W. Saunders,

Is now daily receiving instalments of his importations for

FALL
—AND—
Winter Trade
Already Arrived,

An assortment of CLOTHS for Gentleman's and Ladies' wear,

Grey, Scarlet and White Flannel,
German Wool Shawls,
Ladies' Jersey Sacques,
Ladies' & Misses' Fascinators,
Children's Wool Caps,
Hosiery of all Kinds,
Yarmouth Yarns in all Colors, Etc., Etc.

BEST GROCERIES,
always on hand.
GRANITE,
Crockery, China & Earthen Ware,
in good assortment of useful articles.

BOOTS & SHOES,
of all kinds. An excellent assortment of
HARDWARE,
Also on hand.
Bridgetown, Sept. 22nd '85'

HARNESSES! HARNESSES!
Coarse Boots,
Knee Boots,
English Uppers, Fitted,
English & Balmoral Shoe Findings,
Horse Rugs,
Lap Robes.
Harness Mountings, &c.
LEATHER,
of all descriptions.
SOLE LEATHER,
WAX UPPER,
GRAIN POLISHED,
BUFF,
SPLITS, ETC.
offered low for good credit or cash.
Wanted
HIDES! HIDES!
—ALSO—
HEMLOCK BARK!

GEORGE MURDOCK,

P. S.—A good Harness Maker could find steady employment by applying to subscriber.

Sept. 1st, '85.

The usual Large and Varied Stock of ENGLISH, SCOTCH, CANADIAN TWEEDS & ENGLIS WORSTEDS, for Fall Orders is now open at

JOHN H. FISHER'S,
BLUE STORE.

GREAT BARGAINS!

NOTWITHSTANDING the exceptionally low prices at which the subscriber is at present selling all lines of goods, during the months of August and September he will sell all lines of

Dry Goods,
Boots & Shoes,
Glass, Earthen & Tinware;

of which owing to his purchase of the entire Stock from the store of J. E. Elliott he has a large variety—at 10 per cent. below his present prices,

FOR CASH,

as he is compelled to make room for

Fall & Winter Goods,

which are constantly coming in. Constantly on hand,

Flour, Meal & Groceries,

which we are selling as low as can be purchased in the country.
Goods shown at all times with pleasure.

C. S. PHINNEY.

Paradise, Aug. 19th '85.

H. H. BANKS,

Commission Agent and Auctioneer of Country Produce,

COLONIAL MARKET, HALIFAX, N. S.

If you wish to realize higher market prices in cash for Apples, Potatoes, Plums, Pears, Butter, Cheese, Eggs and other Produce.

CONSIGN TO THE ABOVE ADDRESS.

I buy no goods on my own account, thus giving my whole attention to consignments. Consigners will be kept well posted in market prices.

Halifax, Aug. 17th, '85 19 5mos.

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CHEAP
Feeding Flour
—ALSO—
"Crown of Gold,"
that popular brand of Flour.

Waggons and Harnesses
A SECOND-HAND
SULKY HAY RAKE,
will be sold very low.

B. STARRATT.

Paradise, 13th July '85.

SAMUEL LEGG,
Watch and Clock Maker.
—IN—
Murdoch's Block.
Also Agent for the
HARTFORD LIFE
—AND—
ANNUITY INSURANCE CO.
Of Hartford, Conn.

Bridgetown, July 1, '85.

Burdock BLOOD BITTERS.

WILL CURE OR RELIEVE
BILIOUSNESS, DYSPEPSIA, INDIGESTION, JAUNDICE, ERYSIPELAS, SALT RHEUM, HEARTBURN, HEADACHE, DIZZINESS, DROPSY, FLUTTERING OF THE HEART, ACIDITY OF THE STOMACH, DRYNESS OF THE SKIN,
And every species of disease arising from disordered LIVER, KIDNEYS, STOMACH, BOWELS OR BLOOD.

T. MILBURN & CO., Proprietors, TORONTO.

50 LOVELY Chromo Cards, with name and a prize, for 10c and this slip
A. W. KINNEY, Yarmouth, N. S.