Mr. and Mrs. Ellju Risteen and ramlly from Centre Clarence, were the guests of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Healy over Saturday and Sunday. Mr. R., is just home from Cambridge, Mass., for a few weeks. Mrs. Parker N. Banks gave her friends an "at Home" last Friday evening. Over 50

mal sohool at Truro, has been home spending her holidays.

Mr. Wm. K. Crisp, who is teaching at Hectanoga, Digby county, has been visiting his relatives during the holidays.

There will be an important service in the Methodist church Jan. 23rd, when a number of converts will be received into the church. The Sunday-school in this place is in a flourishing condition owing to the indefatigable efforts of Dean A. Dunn and Bro. C. Crisp.

Miss Minnie N. Dunn has just returned from Kings county, waere she went to attend the marriage of her former music taacher, Miss O'Key.

The missionary meeting in connection with the B. Y. P. U., held its monthly session Dec. 28th. Rev. L. F. Wallace was present, also Bro. Ira Hardy, of Acadia College. It was a very pleasant affair, the exercises consisting of recitations, speeches and music. A silver collection was taken for Grand Ligne mission.

Brookfield, Jan. 3rd, 1898. Scriptural Evidence for Prohibition. Editor Monitor:

DEAR SIR, I have been very sick for se eral weeks, but am now recovering. Though ill I have read the Montron quite regularly, perusing two or three times a letter in your issue of Dec. 29th, by F. P. Greatorex. Like

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J. L. M. YOUNG.
Brooklyn, Annapolis Co., N. S., Jan. 7th, '98. Church Services, Sunday, January 16th.

CHURCH OF ENGLAND.—Rev. F. P. Greatorex, Rector. In St. James, Bridgetown: Service with celebration of Holy Communion at 11: Sunday-school at 2; Evening Service at 7. In St. Mary's, Belletsle: Service at 2.30. All seats free.

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BAFTHST CHURCH.—Rev. F. M. Young, Pastor,
Bridgetown: Bible Class and Sabbath-school,
10 a.m.; Pracaching Service at 11 a.m.; Evangelistic service 7.00 p.m. B.Y.P.U. Wednesday evening at 7.30 cilock. General social
service Friday evening at 7.30. Service at
Granville Centre on Sunday atteracogn. Granville Centre on Sunday atternoon,
Gordon Memorial. Grurch.—Rev. R. S.
Whidden, Paster. Preaching service at
Bridgetown at 3.15 p. m.; Bible-class and Sunday-school at 2 p.m. Prayer Meeting Tuesday at 7.30 p.m. Preaching service at Annapolis at 11 a.m.; Bible-class and Sabbathschool at 2 p.m.; General prayer meeting at
7.30 p.m. Seats free in both churches. All
are cordially invited.

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PROVIDENCE METHODIST CHURCH.—Rev. J. Strothard, pastor; A. S. Tuttle, assistant pastor. Freaching at 11 a.m. and 320 p. nr; Monday evening at 1.30; Prayer-meeting every Wednesday evening at 7.30; Epworth League every Friday evening at 7.30; Epworth League every Tuesday at 7.30 p.m.
and 3 p.m., alternately. Prayer meeting every Tuesday at 7.30 p.m.
and 7.30 p.m. alternately. Epworth League on Tuesday and prayer meeting on Thursday at 7.30 p.m.
Mountain Mission: Preaching fortnightly, Dugling's Lake at 10.30 a.m., Hill at 2.30 p.m.
ROUND HILL.—G. J. Coulter White, pastor. Preaching service on the 1st Sunday of the month at 11 a.m., and on other Sundays at 7, p.m. Prayer-meeting Tuesday evening at 7.30 c/clck. Sunday-school after morning service, other Sundays at 2.30 p.m.
PARADISE AND CLARENCE CHCUIT.
BAPTIST CHURCH.—Rev. E. L. Steeves, pastor. Preaching service next Lord's Day at Paradise in the morning at 11; Clarence in the afternoon at 2. B. Y. P. U. at each place in the evening at 7 o'clock. Christian Culture Courses during the week as usual.

DEAR SIES,—Your MINARD'S L1NI-MENT is our remedy for sore throat, colds and all ordinary ailments. CHARLES WHOOTTEN.

Marriages. SABEAN — SALTER.— At Halifax, New Year's Day, by Rev. F. H. Almon, Adelbert Sabean, of Hampton, Annapolis County, to Sadie Salter, of Halifax.

MARSHALL—At Lawrencetown, Dec. 99th, 1897, Mrs. Jessie Marshall, aged 18 years. MILNER—At Granville Ferry, N. S.. Jan. 5th 1898, Cynthia P., relict of the late John Mil-ner, aged 77 years.

New Advertisements.

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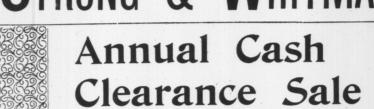
THIRD.—We will give 20 p. c. cash discount on all lines of DRESS GOODS.

SECOND.-We will clean out a job lot of MEN'S and BOY'S OVERCOATS at about half price.

Please note that the 20 per cent Cash Discount we are offering off our Goods reduces a dollar article to 80c; 80c. goods to 60c., and so on. We have not time this week to enumerate, but please call and see the goods and get prices.

WE wish all our friends and customers "A Happy and Prosperous New Year," and thank them most heartily for their liberal patronage during the year just closed.

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Be sure that you get some of the bargains offered, for they are genuine. We never misrepresent either as to quantity or quality. We now endeavor to engage your kind attention to the following low lines, and we feel sure that you will find it to your advantage to peruse our mark down carefully. We start with a line of Fancy Plaid Goods suitable for Ladies' Waists and Children's Dresses.

20 pieces FANCY PLAID GOODS. 20 pieces.

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FURS. (only) Ladies' Fur Coats away below cost to clear \$13.00 Astrachan Jacket, \$44 00. Reduced to \$33.00 This is No. 1 quality.

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\$12.00 Persian Lamb and Chinchilla. - Now only \$8 25 \$13.50 Copper Lynx, very stylish. - " 9 50 \$9.50 Electric Seal, very stylish. - " 6 25 \$13.75 Electric Seal, Alaska Sable tail trimmings. " 9 50 Lower than the lowest. Highest grade of material and perfect fitting garments.

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PLAIN BLACK FEATHER BUFFS. LIGHT FANCY FEATHER RUFFS. Colors: White, Cream, Pink, Blue, Gold and Tabac. Former price, each \$1.00 . Reduced to 65c

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As we have not space to enumerate our large and varied stock, we wish to call your attentiou to the fact that the discounts we are offering apply to all lines of Winter Goods, and intending purchasers would do well to look at our values before buying, as we are confident

WHITMAN STRONG

DON'T FORGET

to give MISS LECAIN a call before purchasing elsewhere, as her goods will be marked down to suit the times.

BIMMED HATS, former price \$1.50, now selling at \$1.16. \$2.50 now selling at \$2.10. \$6.00 now selling at \$4.97.

Monday from now until edical Hall Block, Bridgetown.

Premiums!

W. E. PALFREY Xmas Poultry

Will offer this year as Premiums

One Banquet Lamp. One Large Picture and Easel, One Lady's Ostrich Feather Collar.

Anyone purchasing for cash one dollars worth of goods during December will be entitled to a ticket. The premium will be numbered by a party in St. John, Jan. 1st, and numbers sent to our Postmaster who will deliver same to parties holding right ticket.

New Advertisements

To Our Customers:

We have decided to make a radical change in our business, beginning with the lst day of November, 1897. litherto we have kept long-standing accounts on our books, and some have become bad debrs, and are consequently lost. Merchants who do a credit business have to add a sufficient profit to their prices to cover

We propose on and after the 1st of November to sell all our goods for the prices marked opposite them in our circulars, which we will place in the hands of our customers at once. These circulars will be replaced

om time to time as prices change. We also wish to state that we are lesirous of purchasing all kinds of farm produce, for which we are paying highest prices. All produce will e paid for either in goods or cash at the time it is delivered, so that there will be no balance standing over either one way or the other. In return for this we require you

this you will get your **GROCERIES FOR MUCH LESS** THAN EVER BEFORE.

not to ask us for credit. By doing

and you will have a sure market for all your farm produce.

On the other hand we will have no bad bills and no large profits. Such an arrangement we think will give In regard to our boot and shoe de partment, we wish to state that the

ame system will apply; that is A Discount of 15 per cent on present prices. In conclusion we ask you to ook carefully through our circular, which will be in your hands in a few

will save in a month's bill of goods if you purchase at our reduced prices. We think there is money in Yours fai hfully,

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On hand and for sale at bottom prices, the fol-

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NOTICE!

The business known as THE HICKS & SANCTON MANUFAC-TURING COMPANY has this day terminated by Harry S. Sancton selling out his interest to John H. Hicks, who will now carry on the business in his

own name. JOHN H. HICKS. HARRY S. SANCTON. Bridgetown, N. S., Sept. 2rd, 1897.

LIVERY BUSINESS FOR SALE

The subscriber, owing to ill-health, has decided to offer for sale his Livery and Trucking business in Bridgetown.

This is one of the most paying investments in this Valley, and to the right party offers an inducement that one seldom meets For further information apply to

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