Middleton.

A new building is going up near the station, to be occupied by W. J. Mulhall as a canning factory.

People are beginning to talk about the approaching municipal elections, and there is considerable conjecture as to where the right man to represent this ward is going to be found. G. C. Miller is considered by many to be the right man, but unfortunately Mr. Miller does not seem to hunger after municipal honors.

Alonzo C. Fales, who spent the summer in Dr. Miller's drug store, left on Saturday last for the United States. He will join the second years class of the Harvard Medical School.

Rev. Dr. Bradshaw has resigned the pastorate of the Nictaux Baptist Church, and it has been accepted. We shall be sorry to lose Dr. Bradshaw, as he is one of our ablest and best educated preachers.

Several car-loads of apples are being shipped this week to the English market.

C. A. Armstrong, agent of the Commercial Bank, who, with Mrs. Armstrong, returned from their wedding tour on Monday last, is receiving the congratulations of his numerous friends. They will reside at the American House for the winter.

The annual school meeting passed off very quickly on Monday evening. Rev. E. E. Locke was appointed trustee in the place of Inglis Phinney, Esq., whose term of office expired. The sum of $300 was voted for support of schools. Our present teachers have given entire satisfaction, but a feeling seemed to prevail that the time had come when one of the best male teachers available should be procured, and the probability is that G. B. McGill will be engaged as principal.

Nictaux Falls.

Of the many persons who made this locality their summer resort, none now remain except Mrs. Hill and Mrs. Rowell of Massachusetts.

The last barrel-stave and head have been sold from the lumber-yard here, and more would find a ready sale. Rain is anxiously awaited that a further supply may be furnished.

No. 1 Gravenstein and Ribston apples are in demand at $1.75 and $2.00 respectively, delivered at points on the W. & A. R. R. Messrs. Elliott and Hall are among the principal buyers.

On Wednesday last Keillor Bertaux, Esq., took his departure for Malden, Mass., where he intends to remain the winter. Mr. Bertaux has been troubled more or less, since spring, with a cough. It is hoped that the change will prove beneficial.

A few days ago, Mr. Wm. Ryar had the misfortune to lose his mare, a beast about seven years old. She took to bleeding at the nose, and in a short time dropped dead. We sympathize with Mr. Ryar in his loss.

The congregation, Sunday morning, was treated to an excellent discourse on the Power of Prayer, from John 15:7, by the Rev. Mr. Allen, who is spending his vacation at the home of his father, Mr. George Allen. The discourse was very impressive and showed that the promise "ye shall ask what ye will and it shall be done unto you" was contingent upon the first clause of the verse "If ye abide in me and my words abide in you," signifying a complete identification with Christ as inspired by his spirit and as incorporated into his body. Hence the prayer of one thus engrafted into Christ will naturally be in the interest of God's Kingdom and will be identified with his will.

Bear River.

The *Muriel* and the *V. T. H.* are again moored at their wharves here.

The regular school meetings for this place convened at the time and the places appointed and transacted the usual business. Capt. Clarence Anthony, Hillsburgh, and Thos. H. Miller, Bridgeport, were appointed in the places of E. E. Rice and T. H. Miller, respectively, retiring trustees. The same staff of teachers will be retained for the ensuing year in both schools. It is hoped that the two schools may be united into one in the near future.

The directors of the Agricultural Society here have lately been vigorously pushing forward the fencing of their nice grounds and otherwise making all necessary preparations for the exhibition for the county of Digby, which is to be held here on the 5th prox. It is hoped a large exhibit may be made. One thousand dollars has been pledged by the society to be apportioned as prizes.

Mr. W. A. Bradshaw, of Bridgetown, has just completed and last week placed in the parlor of Mrs. W. W. Clarke, another of his beautiful portraits, that of Mrs. H. H. Chute, a companion for that of Mr. Chute, painted last spring. Mr. Bradshaw, by these, has established his reputation as an artist in this town, and we bespeak for him work which will employ him for some time. He remained over but a day when here and secured seven orders, which he says will occupy his time until the close of the year.

Paradise Gleams.

Special services in the Vestry have closed for the present.

Rev. G. F. Mainwaring spent two weeks at Mrs. Alvin Starratt's, and has gone now to Clarence.

A Mission Band was organized last week. Mrs D. E. Freeman, president; Miss Minnie Bent, vice-president; Miss Annie Young, secretary, and Master Thomas Kinley, treasurer.

The Sabbath school is preparing for a concert on Sabbath evening next, when a good programme will be well carried out.

Miss Helen M. Starratt is visiting in Kentville, Wolfville and other places in Kings county. Mr. W. Malcolm Bent left last week for Sackville, where he purposes taking a course of studies in the university in that place. Miss Thorne, of Granville Ferry, visited Mrs. F. W. Bishop last week. Mrs. J. F. McLarren, of Argyle, is the guest of Mrs. L. C. Marshall.

The funerals of the late Mr. I. Foster on the way to Bridgetown, and of the late Mr. Sproule, met in the street between Col. Starratt's and the Starratt burial-yard where the latter was to be buried. It was considered an unusual occurrence. Rev. Mr. Vidito, who attended the former in company with Mr. Eaton, made quite a note of it, as he never knew it to happen before.

Clarence Chips.

Active preparations are now being made for a Sunday-school concert, which will be held in a few weeks. Notice will be given in due time.

Clarence Division is improving slowly. On Friday evening we had a rare treat in the shape of some music, given us by Mrs. Stanhoe of Moncton, who is visiting at Mr. Z. Wilsons. The audience was greatly pleased with the performance, and Mrs. S. received an enthusiastic *encore*, to which she responded.

The Misses Cox, of Musquodobit, are visiting at Mr. Fred Banks'. Miss Edith Vroom and Mrs. Boyce, of Deep Brook, are visiting at Mr. Alfred Marshalls. Miss Hattie Freeman, of Queens county and Miss Banks, of Mount Hope, are also visiting relatives here. Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Wood, of Torbrook, spent Sunday with friends here. We also noticed Mr. and Mrs. William Fritz, our old neighbors, now living at Middleton, among us on Sunday.

The farmers are now engaged in digging potatoes, and report a fair crop. Gravensteins and other early fruits are now being shipped to England and St. John by our enterprising apple agents, Messrs. E. J. and J. R. Elliott.

St Croix Cove.

The weather of this month has been the most beautiful of the whole season. Our farmers are busy digging their potatoes and consider the crops not up to the average

Miss Minnie Poole and Miss Lusie Hill are visiting friends in Bridgetown. Mrs. Geo. Anthony, who has been visiting her friends in Salem, after a pleasant visit returned home on Saturday.

Rev. H. S. Erb preached a very interesting sermon on Sunday last from the words "All his saints are in thy hands", found in Deut. 33 ch., v. 3.

Truth Will Prevail.

DEAR SIRS,—I have been afflicted with Chronic Rheumatism for several years, and have used numerous patent medicines without success. But by using six bottles of Burdock Blood Bitters I was entirely cured.

SARAH MARSHALL, Kingston, Ont.

Note.—I am acquainted with the above named lady and can certify to the correctness of this statement. HENRY WADE, Druggist, Kingston, Ont.

Spa Spring Chips.

Mr. Starratt Marshall is painting his cottage, which will add greatly to its appearance. Mr. R. W. Elliott has had his dwelling repainted by Mr. W. Whinyard of Lawrencetown. He is the same gentleman who painted the residence of Mr. Z. Durling this summer, and is an artist who thoroughly understands his business.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Songster, of Falmouth, have been spending a few days with her brother, J. I. Phinney. The Misses Gates, who came home to witness the marriage of their sister Edith to Mr. Edgar Drew, have returned to their homes in Boston. Mr. I. B. Dodge, of Lawrence, Mass., came on in steamer *Yarmouth* on Saturday last.

The Spa Springs Baptist Sunday-school picnic came off on Thursday last. Old and young pronounced it one of the most enjoyable they ever attended. Pine Grove Baptist Sunday-school held their annual picnic here on Saturday. As the day was fine a goodly number assembled. Their happy faces bespoke a pleasant time.

Farmers are gathering large quantities of Gravensteins, which are very fine, and should command high prices. Speculators are around. Plums and pears are below the average. Grapes are quite plenty and bid fair to get ripe, should Jack Frost not put in his appearance too soon. The last of the grain is being hauled to the threshing mill of A. P. Dodge. Turnips at one time bid fair for a very large crop; but owing to the dry weather, have lately seemed to stand still.

Lower Granville.

Our late pastor, Rev. W. L. Parker, is paying a visit to Bridgewater.

Mr. Arthur Bogart, who is studying at the New York College Physicians and Surgeons, made us a brief visit last week.

A Missionary Concert, in honor of Wm Carey's centennial, will be given in the Stoney Beach Baptist meeting-house on Sunday next at 3 p.m.

Mr. Robinson, son of Dr. Robinson, of Annapolis, filled the pulpit of the Methodist church last Sabbath, preaching a very interesting sermon.

Two sons of Wm. E. Armstrong, Esq., were baptised at Stoney Beach last Sabbath. Rev. Mr. Cain of Annapolis administered the ordinance.

The new engineer in the Ferry steamer *Glencoe* is giving satisfaction both to the company and the public. Now she *goes* when she goes and stops when she gets there.

A cable announces the safe arrival of the barque *Cyprus* at Rio, sixty days from New York. As this was the maiden voyage of our young friend Capt. Victor E. Young, we extend congratulations.

The sad news of the death of Mrs. George Shafner, at Newburyport, last week, has been received. Mrs. Shafner was a Miss Martin, of Granville, and very highly respected by all who knew her.

Two travelling threshing machines are visiting our barns, clearing up the grain. The old-fashioned flail is seldom heard now.

One of our promising young men, Alfred H. Armstrong, left home yesterday to attend Acadia college.

Lawrencetown.

Our indisposed residents, Mr. John Bishop and Mr. John Whitman, are doing as well as can be expected.

The Episcopal church has really taken a vigorous start. Last Sunday a school was opened and very well attended for the first.

Mr. W. H. Merry shot another bear last week. This makes the thirty-eighth this gentleman has killed. Bearing on this subject is the premium, about four dollars, which would be nearly sufficient to defray expenses, especially if the bear-skin suffered in the contact.

Mrs. Oakes, of Albany, an old lady upwards of seventy years, has finished a patch-work quilt of seventeen thousand eight hundred peices. "Go to the ant thou sluggard, consider her ways and be wise."

Mrs. Downing has gone to the Missionary association in Amherst, and will visit among her own people and friends before returning home.

Mrs. J. R. Elliott has not returned from Woodstock as soon as was expected. She is probably visiting her friends in St. John.

Mrs. Hogg, of Yarmouth, is visiting at Mr. John Hall's.

Round Hill Siftings.

Misses M. Armstrong and A. M. Tupper left for Boston on the 23rd.

Wm. Spurr is engaged in hay-pressing at the upper end of the county.

Mr. J. Armstrong and family, arrived here on the 21st, and are visiting relatives in the village.

W. E. Tupper is making daily shipments of tomatoes to the provincial markets. Success and good prices!

The annual meeting of the Round Hill School Section was held in the Schoolhouse on the afternoon of Monday the 26th.

The S. A. officers of Annapolis, held a meeting in the hall on Friday evening last. It was well attended, though Round Hill never gives very large audiences to meetings of such a nature.

Hon Geo. Whitman and wife have received a complimentary invitation to the dedicatory ceremonies of World's Fair, Oct. 21. Such are the advantages of a political life.

Tea-meeting and Concert at Melvern Sq.

A drive through the Annapolis Valley in the month of September possesses a special pleasure to the lover of beautiful scenery. But a drive in the direction of Melvern Square has especial charms. In addition to the beautiful farms and orchards at Melvern, the people are the ideal of hospitality, the young men are talented, and the young ladies beautiful. On the 21st inst. we drove several miles to attend the tea-meeting held near the Baptist meeting-house, and as usual on such occasions, the tables were ladened with cakes and pies in endless variety.

After the people had partaken of the food so bountifully provided, it was announced that a concert would be given in the Baptist Church in the evening by the Lawrencetown Quartette, led by Prof. N. H. Phinney. The house was well filled, and selection after selection elicited the warmest applause from the audience. Where each performed so well, it seems invidious to specialize.

Prof. Phinney, so well and popularly known, seems especially adapted to developing and improving the taste of the people in good music. His voice and manner in conducting musical recitals renders him one of the most popular of leaders.

Mr. Franks and his two daughters are indeed a musical family. The musical talent of father seems to have been inherited and improved by the daughters. We hope that the public may have an opportunity of hearing this quartette again.

The selections were all excellent, but the following were especially worthy of mention: "The Twilight Falls," alto solo; "O Lord, how excellent is Thy Name," quartette; "When the Tide comes in." Solo, Miss Franks. "Tired."

The recitals by Miss McGee, the talented elocutionist, were especially appreciated.

A few remarks from Col. Spurr, Prof. Phinney, and Dr. Hail, closed an evening that will remain with many in that audience as the memory of a sweet dream.

Victoriavale.

Mr. A. Chesley is having some improvements made in the interior of his residence.

The next meeting of the Knitting Circle is put down for Saturday evening, Oct. 1st, at the home of Mrs. Geo. W. Bowlby.

Apple-parings are all the rage just now. Among the visitors are to be found Mrs. T. B. Bohaker of Annapolis, who is staying at her sister's, Mrs. A. B. Gates; Rev. W. E Wallace, of Denver, Colorado; Col. F. W. Young and sister, of Lawrence, Mass., and Dr. A. H. Mahoney, of St. John.

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LETTER FROM BOSTON.

A MELANGE OF THE WEEK'S NEWS.

THE GRAND ARMY PARADE—POLITICAL OUTLOOK—TRADE NOTES—TRAIN ROBBERY—MUSICAL CRAZE—A PHASE OF BURGLARY—A WESTERN SPECIMEN BRICK—GREAT BRITAIN IN THE EAST—CRICKETING, ETC., ETC.

BOSTON, MASS., Sept. 22nd, 1892.

This week the Grand Army of the Republic, or the veterans of the Union army who fought in the late civil war, are having "high jinks" in Washington, it being their 27th annual celebration of the close of hostilities. It has been an immense success, there being men from all the States to the number of 60,000, of which Massachusetts contributed 9,200 to the marching column, while the spectators numbered over half a million.

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At present politics are "working." Each side is confident. The Republicans assume to be quite confident of the re-election of President Harrison, notwithstanding the protection doctrine and the McKinley tariff bill, though there are a great many of the rank-and-file who are not at all pleased that the able Vice-President (Morton) should be thrust aside to make way for Whitelaw Reid, a political experiment, who was for a short time Minister to France, and who is the editor of the New York *Tribune*. Mr. Reid is in bad odor among the workingmen owing to his "cutting down" attitude to his employes, even if he *has* repented at the eleventh hour. Owing to the lamentable illness of Mrs. Harrison, the present campaign has been free from personal bitterness on the part of the President's opponents. The Democrats have nominated ex-president Cleveland for the presidency, and are confident of his election. As almost everybody knows, he is committed to tariff reform, a doctrine of which he is indeed the apostle. Long previous to his elevation to the presidency, when he was Governor of the State of New York, he was loud in his denunciation of all tariffs or taxation, except for the purpose of revenue alone—not one cent more than was necessary to carry on the government of the country. Taking this strong position, he at once became popular with the masses, the result being his election as President by a great majority. Owing to party splits and other manœuvers, he failed of re-election, but since that time his bold theories have borne fruit to such an extent as to make it possible for Massachusetts (a hitherto ultra Republican state) to elect a Democratic Governor (William Russell), a young Cambridge lawyer, who has held the reins of government for two years, and bids fair to be re-elected this fall. In fact, the Democrats have been strangely fortunate all over the country, and have succeeded in electing some unusually strong men for the highest places, Gov. Flower, of New York, being notably prominent.

But it would be a great mistake to suppose that the Democrats accomplished all these things unaided. They never could; they did not have the numbers sufficient. They were, however, aided by strong cohorts of dissatisfied Republicans, who, seeing their own party, in the "swelled-headism" of previous and prolonged success, governing the country in a reckless and extravagant manner, resolved to teach it a lesson, and save the country at the same time. Accordingly they joined forces with the Democrats, and elected Grover Cleveland as President, and have never since repented of their action, as is proved by their energetic backing of Democratic nominees ever since. For this they have been called "Mugwumps" by the Republicans ever since, though their action was nothing more than an illustration of the intelligent use of the ballot—measures first, men afterward. They do not agree with Sir Joseph Porter, K.C.B., who said: "I always voted at my party's call, and never thought of thinking for myself at all." At any rate, they propose to "repeat the dose" this fall; and, as both sides are determined and confident, we may expect a lively and energetic campaign up to November. The third party (or Grangers), so-called, and the Prohibitionists, do not count in presidential years, so very little notice will be taken of their actions.

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The outlook for trade just now is excellent, although it used to be held that presidential year was always bad for business, because business men were cautious about their ventures till the question of the new government and its policy was settled; also that because the masses were so interested in politics they would allow no other considerations to divert their attention. But as it may, business here and in New York is flourishing, and when you say that you may depend it is so all over the country. Many wholesale business houses in Boston keep their clerks and other employes engaged after hours at this time.

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But the affair of Carnegie's Homestead Mill is not yet over, for a dispatch comes to-day, saying that there has been a hearing in the case of Hugh O'Donnell, the leader of the strikers there, who is accused of complicity in the murder of Pinkerton Detective Klein. Notwithstanding the able defence of his lawyer, he was committed to jail.

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Next comes another phase of a very common experience in the United States nowadays. It appears that one million dollars were shipped to Boston by the Mexican Central Railroad Company over the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe railroad, on an ordinary passenger train, with the usual baggage and freight cars attached. A gang of robbers got wind of the affair, and determined to secure that "loodle." They selected a point on the railroad where there was a sharp curve with a steep embankment, and removing the bolts opened the rails, so as to switch the train into the yawning abyss, 80 feet deep. The train came along, plunged to its doom, and in a moment the engine and thirteen cars were a mass of splinters, wheels and debris, while to add to the horror, the escaping steam literally cooked five persons and fearfully scalded twenty others. The treasure box was buried so deeply under the ruin that it was almost impossible to recover it, so that the miscreants who accomplished the dastardly deed had nothing for their reward except the accomplishment of an awful and cowardly wholesale murder.

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There is a sort of musical craze at present in this city. An organization known as the Boston Symphony Orchestra, composed almost entirely of Germans, has been giving winter season concerts for some years past. Its forte is classical music, with the works of the modern continental masters added. Of course there are many who understand and admire the style of music, but there are also infinitely more who do not. Many of the former unluckily are either poor, or, at the best, people of moderate means, while of the latter it is safe to say they largely embrace in their ranks the vast body of the *nouveau richesse*, or, as we bluntly put it, "the shoddy aristocracy." Now, among the latter it has got to be "the proper caper" to affect a wild enthusiasm over the divine art. Those who could not tell whether a piece was written in the key of M or of X, roll their eyes with a beatified expression when a Beethoven Sonata or the "Fifth Nocturne" is alluded. Well, so determined are these people to be on hand to display their grand toilets and flashing diamonds that there has been a tremendous rush for seats, so that the management, seeing a fine chance to make a harvest, decided to auction the seats, with the result that the premiums bid have put some of the best seats up to $19.50 a ticket for each performance, and as there will be twenty performances, the total cost for this seat will be $390. And yet in many places little children are crying for bread. The seats for the daytime rehearsals which used to sell for 25 cents to 50 cents each ticket, have been run up to $6 each (under the galleries and next the wall). What chance have the common people in this instance? And all to hear a band, which, on the whole, is inferior to the band of "H. M. Leicestershire" regiment stationed at Halifax.

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Speaking of music, Lizzie Collins and her "Ta-ra-ra" has arrived in New York from England, and the New Yorkers are nearly crazy over her. She sang and danced the other evening at the Standard Theatre, in that city, before a very modish audience, who, as usual, when any new "freak" appears, packed the house. Her American debut was an instant success. She is the English concert hall comic singer who introduced that now "done-to-death" ditty, "Ta-ra-ra-boom-de-rae," which title, it will be seen at a glance, is an imitation of the opening notes of a quick march on a brass band, "Ta-ra-ra" being the flourish of the cornet, "boom" the big drum, and "de rae" the snare or side drum. Making a fortune in England, she went over to France to recuperate her health, and while there her death was reported; but not so, for she "bobbed up serenely" the other day in New York harbor as one of the passengers on the quarantined steamer *Normania*, who were prevented from landing at Fire Island by the excited inhabitants, for fear of their bringing cholera ashore. In the skirmishing endeavor to land, she "got back at them" thus: "Shame on you! ye who call yourselves Americans!" She made a mistake. She should rather have sung them her song, when she and all of her shipmates might have landed and met with a royal reception. She is a wonderfully versatile person, being a pantomimist, clown, contortionist and tumbler, at least the New York papers say she so conducts herself while rendering her pet musical *morceau*.

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Speaking of the cholera, thank God the fearful visitor has not as yet visited Boston, although the European steamers are arriving every day. Great Britain having established such stringent rules regarding the scourge coming there from the Continent, vessels arriving here from the United Kingdom are found with clean bills of health, so that between that fact and the unceasing vigilance of Boston's Board of health, we are entirely free from all epidemics. But all this does not prevent people from growing excited over every case of stomachache, colic and the like, which fear instantly magnifies into cholera. A dose or two of the customary simples soon rectifies the mistake and everybody breathes freer. England is the only country after all where the doctors know their business. There, instead of waiting till they are attacked, they forestall the disease by inoculation, which has proved to be very efficacious. Germany is too stuffy with national conceit, and has too many Doctors Bergmann.

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A singular affair occurred in a suburb of St. Louis, Missouri, the other night. There had been so many burglaries in the neighborhood that the citizens resolved to arm for protection. A wool merchant named Warner bought a double-barrelled gun and loaded it with a heavy charge of buckshot, carrying it to his bedroom. In the night time, hearing a noise in the house, he took his gun, and peering over the bannisters saw below in the hall a man moving about with a candle in his hand. Taking aim, Mr. Warner fired both barrels, and the man dropped, but struggling to his feet managed to escape by the front door, outside which he was heard to hail some others who were quietly waiting for him. Two shots were then heard in quick succession, followed by the sound of wagon wheels retreating. This firing aroused the neighbors who were quickly on the scene, when they found a man dead with a large hole blown through his stomach, and a smaller hole through his skull. The dead man, or burglar, proved to be one of the neighbors. On the coroner viewing the body he pronounced the stomach wound as having been made by Warner's buckshot, while the head wound was caused by a revolver bullet. The decision arrived at was that the whole gang who had been marauding the vicinity for some time were their most intimate acquaintances, that the parties in the team, fearful that the burglar, when shot by Mr. Warner, was merely wounded, and who, when captured and questioned, would unveil the whole plot, finished him with a pistol shot, believing that "dead men tell no tales."

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Another "freak." Montana will send her exhibit to the World's fair in the shape of a statue of solid silver, eight feet in height, value $50,000, and standing upon a pedestal of solid gold worth $250,000, the whole representing Justice standing on the globe, the model for the same being no less than Ada Rehan, the actress.

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A cricket-team from Ireland arrived in this country a short time since, and played with varying success. They were called the "Gentlemen of Ireland." While playing with the "All New York" team the other day, the New York ran up 389 runs. This left the Irishmen to get, in order to win, 203 runs; but, as everybody knows, Irishmen at home are great wielders of the stick, so the "gentlemen" went in with a will and batted out a victory, with four wickets to spare.

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Great Britain has ascertained that, in the event of complications with Russia in the East she can depend on the Canadian Pacific railway to transport troops across the American continent at the rate of 12,000 men a day, or as fast as the mother country can send them; thus, in 12 days—or the length of an old-time trip of an Atlantic steamer—she can mass 144,000 men at Esquimault, and in 12 days more land them close to her East Indian system of railways, for rapid transit up-country. By this means she will be able to confront Russia at any point with an overwhelming number of splendidly equipped white troops, not mentioning the untold numbers of her Indian contingents, all under that redoubtable and *practical* soldier, Lord Roberts of Candahar. He is known as "Fighting Bob" by his admiring soldiers, a title he acquired by his deeds in Afghanistan, when he made the astonishing march of 300 miles in 20 days to Candahar, and defeated the enemy with great slaughter. He is 60 years old, but is as nimble as a cricket.

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A negro preacher, named Morgan arrived at Oklahama from Memphis the other day, and gave an example of "hustling" that surprised even Oklahama. Before night the next day after his arrival he secured a lot, broke ground and began the erection of a church. Five days later he preached in the same church, a neat frame structure, provided with seats for 300 people, finished and paid for. The next day he started for Memphis to get his congregation which is to come as a colony.

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To-day, the 22nd inst., being the 100th anniversary of the proclamation of the French republic, President Carnot pardoned a number of offenders against the majesty of the law, among those being Edward Parker Deacon, the Boston man, who some time since slew his wife's paramour at Marseilles.

Services for Sunday, October 2nd.

CHURCH OF ENGLAND.—Rev. F. P. Greatorex, Rector. St. James', Bridgetown. Sunday-school and Young Men's Bible Class at 9.45; Service with Holy Communion at 11. Evening Prayer and sermon 7 p.m. Service on Wednesday evening at 7.30. Communicants class on Friday evening at 7.30. St. Mary's, Belleisle, Service at 3 p.m., and on Thursday evening at 7.30. Seats free in both churches.

BAPTIST CHURCH.—Rev. F. M. Young, Ph. B., Pastor. Bridgetown: Bible Class and Sabbath School, 10 a.m.; Preaching Service, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Prayer meeting at Bridgetown Tuesday and Friday evenings. Service at Wadeville 3 p.m. Missionary Concert at Bridgetown, Sunday evening. Conference at Bridgetown on Saturday afternoon.

GORDON MEMORIAL CHURCH.—Rev. R. S. Whidden, Pastor. Service at 3.30 o'clock. Meeting of Junior Endeavor Society, at 11 a.m. Bible Class and Sunday-school at 2 p.m. Meeting of the Y. P. S. C. E. Tuesday, at 8 o'clock p.m. Service at Annapolis at 11 a.m.; Bible class and Sunday-school at 2 p.m.; Ladies' Prayer Meeting, Wednesday, at 7 p.m.; General prayer-meeting at 7.30. Seats free in both churches. Citizens and strangers are cordially invited.

PROVIDENCE METHODIST CHURCH.—Rev. J. B. Giles, pastor. Preaching services: Bridgetown every Sunday evening; Granville and Bentville every Sunday morning and afternoon, alternately. Prayer-meetings: Bridgetown every Wednesday evening; Granville every Tuesday evening; Bentville every Thursday evening.

MIDDLETON CIRCUIT.

PINE GROVE BAPTIST CHURCH: Rev. E. E. Locke, pastor. Preaching at Port George at 11 a.m.; Spa Springs at 3 p.m. Covenant meeting at Port George, on Saturday, Oct. 1st, at 3 p.m. Prayer meeting at Pine Grove, on Thursday evening, at 7.30. Rev. Mr. Thompson, Presbyterian pastor at Middleton, will preach his farewell sermon in the Pine Grove Church on Sabbath evening, Oct. 2nd, at 7 p.m.

LAWRENCETOWN.

METHODIST CHURCH.—Rev. J. R. Downing, pastor. Lawrencetown, 11 a.m.; Brooklyn, 3 p.m.; Port George, 7 p.m.

Births.

SANFORD.—At Williamston, Sept. 24th, 1892 to the wife of James Sanford, a son.

Deaths.

CHUTE.—At Bridgetown, on the 24th inst., of consumption, Martha, daughter of the late Nathan Chute, aged — years.

SABEANS.—At Port Lorne, on Sunday, 25th inst., James Sabeans, aged 103 years, 11 mos.

SIMMS.—At Hampton, on Sunday 25th inst., after a two months' illness, William Simms (colored), aged 74 years.

CHASE.—At East Portland, Oregon, U. S. A., on the 14th inst., of pneumonia and congestive chills, Carleto Chase, aged 20 years and 2 months.

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