

The Weekly Monitor.

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 9th, 1884.

It is an encouraging sign, that our Agricultural Societies in the County are giving the matter of sheep raising from thoroughbred stock, their earnest consideration.

Probably the other societies in the County will also move to take advantage of the Government bonus, in which case we should esteem it a favor, if the Secretary of each would place us in possession of particulars.

The steamer Dominion made an extra trip from St. John to Annapolis on Monday last.

The Rev. W. H. H. Murray will not lecture as advertised in Halifax, as he has been seized with an attack of bilious fever which of course postpones all his engagements indefinitely.

The Annapolis Co. Baptist Ministerial Conference, will hold its annual meeting at the Baptist meeting house in Bridgetown on Wednesday, 10th inst., at 10 o'clock a.m.

The new Rink receives a good patronage from the young people generally. It is open three nights out of the week, Monday, Wednesday and Saturday nights.

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Speaking of the Orangemen meetings held in opposition to those of the Irish Nationalists, now in progress in the old country, the Montreal Witness says very truthfully:

Halifax schools are estimated to cost \$78,000 for next year.

The Municipal Council convened in annual session for the year at Annapolis yesterday.

We congratulate our contemporary the Digby Courier, on its much improved typographical appearance since it has been in the hands of the present printer.

Serious floods are reported from Montreal, caused by ice obstruction on the St. Lawrence.

Our thanks are due Messrs. McAlpine & Barnes, of Halifax, for a copy of their valuable publication, "Belcher's Farmer's Almanac."

The Department of Marine and Fisheries has decided not to enforce the provisions of the new law, prohibiting the clearing of coasters without certified masters and mates, till the first of next April.

Mr. John W. Nicholson, a well-known wholesale liquor dealer of St. John, N. B., died on the 31st ult., of congestion of the brain.

A Freeport Digby County correspondent says the house of Mr. James St. John, lately deceased, was valued at \$100,000.

Ex Judge Loranger, codifier of statutes of the Province, gives his opinion that the License Act of the Dominion Parliament is ultra vires and that the Provincial Act is still in force.

Sunday, Sunday night, and Monday were the coldest periods of the season. Early on Monday morning the thermometer was said to have ranged at 10 below zero.

The Independent Forester shows that the membership before the Medical Board, of which 170 were passed and 4 rejected, making since July 741 applications with 32 rejected and 709 passed for membership.

The Postmaster General of the United States on Tuesday last week issued an order relating to postage stamps, photographs, playing cards, visiting cards, address tags, paper seals, wrappings, labels, and other advertisements, except bill heads, letter heads, envelopes and other matter of the same general character.

The Annual Meeting of the Nova Scotia Fruit Growers' Association will take place in Wilmot Hall, Wilmot, on the 15th inst., at 2 o'clock p.m.

Failures of the Year. The failures of the year are estimated to amount to \$1,000,000.

The business failures of the United States in 1883 numbered 9,184, as against 8,738 in 1882.

The Quebec Fur Trade. The fur trade in Quebec is reported to be one of the best years for many years past.

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