

Calendar for March table with days of the week and dates.

WOLFVILLE, N. S., MARCH 12, 1886.

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A quantity of editorial which was prepared for this issue has been crowded out to make room for an interesting letter from Ottawa.

OTTAWA NOTES.

DEAR ACADIAN.—If you can find space for other than the all-important classical and dignified expressions of "C. B." "J. I. B." "R. T. M." and "X." &c., allow me a line or two.

Our company at the capital appears to be good, but sometimes appearances deceive. I believe could we strip off the trappings—the stars and garters, the gorgeous apparel, the Windsor uniforms, the crinoline and the purple, we would find—

The air is full of rumor and prediction, and I think some minds of uncaresness in connection with the coming fight on the "Riel question."

There will be a grand old time at Rideau Hall to-night. I can describe it before I go.—Great bonfire—Grounds and woods full of torches and Chinese lanterns—Toboggan slides full of flying sliders—ponds full of flying skaters, but comparatively standing still—halls full of gay promenaders—dining halls full of hungry eaters—all hearts full of sport and gladness—read full of happy travellers—beds full of sleepy sleepers—morning full of—

March 6th, 1886. OTTAWA.

HOUSE-KEEPING vs BOOKS.

A knowledge of housekeeping is all very well in a woman, and is, in fact, absolutely necessary to a more or less degree; but, because her progress in that direction seems to be natural, it is no excuse for her neglecting the due development of her intellect, given her by God for a higher purpose still.

Those who think that a knowledge of books will, of course, embrace every opportunity for becoming expert housekeepers, naturally looking forward to a time when they expect to be called upon to fulfil the home duties in some one's else house.

But let us drop the mere physical comfort involved in this question, and turn our attention to the social and moral. You will probably agree with me that a large portion of the social and moral condition of the world is dependent upon her women.

What an influence for good is wielded by an educated woman, through her pen and voice! What greater source of good and happiness can be given to mankind by women than that which has been given by Frances Ridley Havergal through the numerous productions of her pen?

At this season of the year every body should take an alternative, and there is no medicine in the market that is making such wonderful cures of Liver, Kidney and Blood diseases as Dr. O. W. Norton's Blood Purifier. See advertisement.

PAST AND PRESENT.

A PAPER READ BY ER HENRY CHURMAN AT AN ENTERTAINMENT IN THE METHODIST CHURCH, LOWER HORTON, ON WEDNESDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 16TH, 1885.

The Cranes and Avey's and Hamiltons are old Horton families. James N. Crane, called Col. Crane, was a large land-owner, farmer and stock-raiser. The homestead was the old house in which his son Wm. Crane lived until it was torn down a few years ago to make room for the new one.

Has there any old fellows got mixed with the boys? If there has, take him out without making a noise.

That boy with the grave mathematical look Made believe he had written a wonderful book, And the Royal Society thought it was given by Francis Ridley Havergal through the numerous productions of her pen?

Dear Father, take care of thy children, the Boys!

SIXTY OF TYPE IN BUTTER YIELD.

One of the most interesting features in connection with the Provincial and Toronto Industrial Exhibitions this season was the Ontario Agricultural Fair, which was held in Toronto on the 24th inst.

Table showing butter yields from various Ontario Exhibitions.

CORRESPONDENCE.

[We do not hold ourselves responsible for the contents of our correspondents.]

MARKET REPORT.

Table listing market prices for various goods like Apples, Butter, Eggs, etc.

Boston Market Report.

Table listing Boston market prices for flour, wheat, and other commodities.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER Absolutely Pure. This powder never varies. A marvel of purity, strength and wholesomeness.

WOLFVILLE SKATING RINK.

Open every afternoon except Friday from 3:45 to 5:30 o'clock; and Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings, from 7:30 till 10 o'clock.

House and Orchard TO LET IN WOLFVILLE.

The House is in thorough repair, and contains 8 rooms, 4 closets and pantry, a Frost-proof Cellar containing a large milk room.

JOHNSON'S ANODYNE LINIMENT PARSONS' PURGATIVE PILLS MAKE HENS LAY CHICKEN CHOLERA.

Great Bargains! DON'T FORGET THAT H. S. DODGE In order to make room for SPRING IMPORTATIONS will sell the balance of WINTER STOCK of CLOTHING, FURS, HOSIERY, AND WOOLLENS At 20 Percent Discount.

JUST OPENING! 10 Cases of New and Fashionable Goods, also 50 pieces Hamburg Embroidery, THE BEST VALUE EVER OFFERED IN KING'S COUNTY. Kentville, February 12th, 1886.

NEW SPRING GOODS! Burpee Witter HAS JUST OPENED 2000 YARDS GINGHAMS, 1000 YARDS SHIRTINGS, Ladies' Spring Mantle Cloths, 1 Case Clothing, 1 Case Scotch and Canadian Tweeds.

WHITE AND GREY COTTONS, BROWN AND PLAID DUCKS, COTTONADES! Balance of Men's and Boys' OVERCOATS will be sold out AT COST! Oats, Butter, Eggs and Dry Apples taken in Exchange as usual.

SAVE MONEY! By ordering your Hard Coal from us you will Save Money on every ton! And by giving me your order for the Celebrated Acadia Coal you will get the Best Soft Coal in the World at a low figure and Save Money.

D. MUMFORD. W. & A. Railway Station, August 18, 1885.

Caldwell & Murray.

Clearing out balance of Winter Goods. Making room for New Spring Stock. Now is the opportunity to buy Remnants at Great Bargains.

In order to make stock-taking as light as possible, we will give very Liberal Discounts on all our winter goods from now till March 1st.

Now is the time to buy, come along and keep us busy. We guarantee to give you splendid value for your money.

WINCEYS Flaid, Checked, Plain and Twilled, selling at a very small advance on cost. FLANNELS White and Grey Shaker, Red, White and Grey All Wood.

REMNANTS OF DRESS GOODS SELLING AT COST! SACQUES, MANTLES, ULSTERS, STREET JERSEYS—A GOOD ASSORTMENT YET TO CHOOSE FROM.

WOOL GOODS Clouds, Nubias, Squares, Shawls, Jackets, Children's Suits. We will not stick at any reasonable offer for the balance of these goods.

FUR CAPES, MUFFS, CAPS, TRIMMINGS. Our customers will find it to their advantage to purchase these goods even if they have to keep them until next season.

GREY COTTON We have just received a supply of Grey Cottons from Gibson's Mill. These cottons take the lead of any manufactured in the Dominion.

Are you thinking of buying a new Carpet for the Spring? If so, come and look at ours. We are giving a discount of 10 percent on all our Carpets.

WE HAVE A SPLENDID STOCK OF BOOTS & SHOES, AYER'S OIL-TANNED LARAKINS, LADIES' FINE KID, OIL, GOAT, SWISSKID, ETC.

Produce taken in exchange for Goods—Oats, Dried Apples, Beans, Wool, Eggs etc. Wolfville, February 12th