Local and Special News.

-Local peach orchards are supplying the Bridgetown market with excellent fruit.

ow reached \$48,000.

-The Acadia College "forward" fund has

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- A committee has been appointed to can-vas the town in the interests of the Plebiscite. M. K. PIPER. Proprietor and Publisher JOHN R. PUDSEY, Manager a large quantity of Barrel Hoops for sale low. Shaw & Lloyd. Terms: \$1.00 per annum in advance

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 24TH, 1898.

--"Capt." H. W.Cann is having a series of good times on the river with his little steam launch. -The embargo placed on the shipment of -See our New Fall Dress Good just opened. Prices lower than ever. John Lockett & Son. li Canadian live stock to Great Britain is annoying in the extreme to the cattle raisers of the upper provinces and the northwest, -Mr. Thomas Savary, of Annapolis, con-ducted the service in St. James' Church last and yet it seems impossible to better the situation. The British Board of Agricul-Sunday evening. ture is responsible for the embargo, and its -Early apples are being shipped in small quantities to the Halifax market from all points in the valley. intent is to prevent the introduction of contagious cattle diseases, particularly tubercu-losis, among the island herds. Canada has losis, among the island herds. Canada has tried in vain to convince that Board that Canadian cattle were free from disease; has offered to subject shipments to the examin-ation of a veterinary either at port of ship-iment or on arrival, but the Board has main-tained" its argument that none but dead meat is good meat. It looks like an unreas-onable opposition and evidently constitutes a protection, for the stork mixed of the stork mixed o - Rev. Abram Clements of Truro, deliver-ed an interesting address on the colored race before the Y. M. C. A. Monday evening. on, for the stock raiser of free trade Britain, as effective as any impost levied by a protective government. Mr. Long, the ident of the Board of Agriculture, was recently asked, in the House of Commons, -A pie and basket social will be held at Lake Clear, Dathousie West, on Wednesday the 31st day of August next in the after-noon. whether for the last six years there had been a case of infectious or contagious cattle disease in the Dominion of Canada, and if not, whether he would now consent to remove -Rev. H. How, of Annapolis, will preach in St. James' Church here next Sunday morning, and at St. Mary's, Belleisle, in the afternoon. the restriction upon the importation of cattle from that country into Great Britain. He could not take upon himself the responwill try of saying whether the facts were as stated in the first part of the question. With regard to the second part the law left will drive. Several horsemen from here will attend the race. no option but to secure that all animals

no option but to secure that all animals brought to Great Britain are slaughtered at the port of landing. If the Imperial Gov-erament continues to recognize the Board M.,  $2.27\frac{1}{2}$ , has also been entered. -See the Extra Value we are showing in a special line of Corsets; colors Pink and Blue only. Worth Sc. but we are selling them for 60c. Strong & Whitman. of Trade view of the matter, it is useless for Canadian shippers to expect a better market in that quarter, and they will have to make the best of the dead meat trade.

-Rev. Henry G. DeBlois, of Annapolis, G. W. P. of the Sons of Temperance, ad-dressed a mass meeting in the Academy of Music at Halifax last night on prohibition. -A movement is on foot in Colchester county to introduce a rock breaking program in the otherwise monotonous life of the county jail prisoners, and there is much to be said in favor of the plan. It was dis-cussed in the municipal council for Annapolis cussed in the municipal council for Annapolis last January, and it was stated that an -Mrs. Payson's recital in the Methodist effort was to be made to secure the neceschurch to morrow evening promises to be an unusually interesting one. The programme as printed elsewhere, is certainly very at-tractive. sary legislation at the last session of the provincial parliament, but nothing has been heard of the matter of late. We are under heard of the matter of late. We are under the impression that the general effect of a bit of hard work, in connection with a term in jail, would be wholesome indeed and our same tree. jails would have fewer inmates of that class

Jails would have fewer inmates of that class of criminals who now accept their sentences so placidly and spend their time, in well fed idleness, at the expense of the taxpayer. If the able-bodied prisoners, in jails throughout the provide a sentences when the provide th

-Quite a number of Bridgetown folk at-aded the teameeting at Port Lorne yester-DOWSETT & CO., -We have just opened 6 cases (part of our Fruit Brokers. direct importation) of Fall Goods. John Lockett & Son. li 16 America Square, London, E. C. Eng. An enort was made to secure a convic-tion against an alleged violator of the Scott Act last Monday for a second offence, but owing to a lack of evidence the case was dismissed. -An effort was made to secure a convic-Chief agents in Bridgetown: Chief agents in Bridgetown: Shafner & Piggott In New York: FARO & SIMS, 78 Lexington Avenue In Boston: CHESTER R. LAWRENCE, Fancuil Hall Market. For Ontario: B. SWENERTON, Halifax, N. S., etc. - Just received, 1 case of Essences-Lemon and Vanilla-warranted best quality. Try them. R. Shipley. -- Master Laurie Palfrey, the five-year old son of Mr. Arthur Palfrey, broke his leg below the knee last Sunday in jumping WOODILL & CO., from a carriage. **General Commission Merchants** -Do not fail to see our Shirt Waists, the balance of which we are selling at half price. Now only 19c., 39c., 59c., 79c., 89c., 99c. each. Rare Bargains, all. Strong & Whit-RECEIVERS AND JOBBERS IN ALL KINDS OF PRODUCE. Direct importers of Oranges, Lemons Sananas, etc. Merchandise of all description bought and sold on commission. CHARGES MODERATE. Correspondence solicited.

Local and other Matter

-Schools open next Monday.

-Mr. M. D. Messenger has traded his highly bred stallion Ferron 2.24½ with Mr. Norman Neily of Meadow Vale for Parch-ment, a stallion by Blackwood's Patchen, that has been owned by Mr. Neily for sever WAR -The packet Hustler came into port early Sunday morning, and the Temple Bar in the afternoon. Both brought full freights. that has been owned by all. Netly for sever-al years and has made a good record as a stock horse. We presume Mr. Messengeralso got a substantial cash bonus in the trade. ENDED! --Capt. Peter McKay, of Rothsay, N. B. formerly a resident of Bridgetown, is visit, ing friends here. Capt. McKay is an octo-genarian and claims to be the oldest tem-perance man in Nova Scotia or New Bruns-wick hering here a consistent member of wick, having been a consistent member of temperance societies for 72 years. He at-tributes his present good health and activity to non-use of either alcohol or tobacco. PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS. N. H. PHINNEY, Manager. Mr. and Mrs. C. F. DeWitt and family are

at Port Lorne. Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Grant, of St. John, are visiting in town. W. E. Roscoe, Esq., of Kentville, was in HANDSOME town last Friday. A. J. Morrison, Εεί]., of Middleton, was RESIDENCE A. J. Morrison, Exi., of Middleton, was-in town yesterday. Mr. Harry Fowler, of Kentville, spent Sunday at his home here. Miss Jessie Phillips, of Halifax, is visiting her friend Miss Bernice Kinney. Mrs. J. R. Ellioit, of Lawrencetown, is at Karsdale, Granville, for a few weeks. Miss Weare and Miss Rose Healy re-turned last week from a pleasant outing at Port Lorne. FOR SALE!

The Homestead of GEORGE B. MUR-DOCH, Esq., late of Bridgetown, is now offered for sale.

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Major General Hutton, the new comman ler of the Canadian militia, arrived at Que der of the Canadian militia, arrived at Que-bee last Saturday. Miss Ellen Begg, of Kentville, has been engaged as teacher in the Granville school for the current term. Mr. Fred V. Young, of the MONITOR, is visiting his sister, Mrs. J. S. Perry, at Beaver River Corner, Yarmouth county. Mr. A. H. Blakeby, superintendent of agencies of the Odifellows Relief Associa-tion, was in Bridgetown this week. Miss Una Cameron, daughter of Rev. John Cameron, was the guest of her friend, Miss

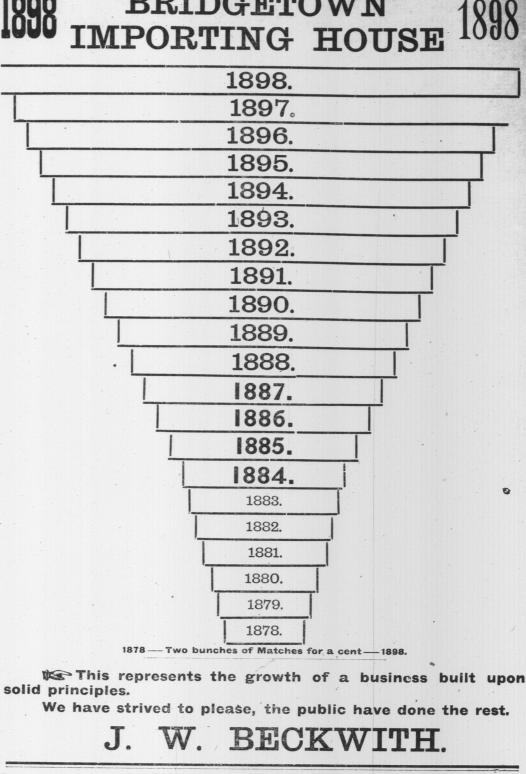
Figod Cameron, was the guest of her friend, Miss Viola M. Batton, Clarence, last week. Mrs. Sidney Foster has as guests this week, her mother, Mrs. Silas Bishop, of Annapolis, and her sister, Mary Bishop, of McIrose High-

ALVENIA MURDOCH, Executrices BESSIE B. MURDOCH, Bridgetown, July 26th, 1898. 19 2i

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Apples a Speciality ! New Advertisements. 'EA Meeting The ladies of the DALHOUSIE BAPTIST CHURCH will hold a Tea-Meeting at the HILL on the grounds near the church on Thursday, Aug. 25th The public are cordially invited to attend. Proceeds to pay a small debt remaining on he church building. Meals served from roon to 8 o'clock. Tea=Meeting! The ladies of the New Albany Baptist Church purpose (D.V.) holding a Tea-Meeting at or near the Church on WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 24th. 265 BARRINGTON ST. Proceeds go in payment of debt on the HALIFAX, N. S. Tea, 35c.; children under 12 years, 20c. ar If the day should prove stormy come he first fine day following. New Albany, Aug. 8th, 1899. 21 2i FOR\_\_\_\_ are now selling our third carload of BUGGIES ON SPECIAL TERMS AND BARGAINS to make room SUMMER \_\_\_\_.AND\_\_\_\_ Pianos, Organs and Sew-ing Machines on very easy terms. Write for price lists. AUTUMN TRADE: SIX CASES sists of six

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WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 24, 1898.

BRIDGETOWN

the able-bodied prisoners, in jails throughout the province, were all forced to work, their labor could be turned to great public benefit and the heavy expense that is now attached to those institutions would be practically done away with. Would it not be prac-ticable to make these men perform much needed labor on our public highways? If such an arrangement could be effected the solu-tion of the good roads problem in Nova Šocia would be an easy matter, unless in deed the entroced labor should have the effect of greatly lessening the number of oriminals; but, in either case, the province would be a substantial gainer. We venture

would be a substantial gainer. We venture to say that the plan is entirely feasible, and 

of the measure is the better gauged when it is remembered that Ireland has been freely given what she has long contended for, placing local self government, with all the rights and apparatus enjoyed by Great Britain, in the hands of her people. The Imperial government went a step further and contributed \$3,600,000 in relief of the and contributed \$3,600,000 in relief of the

-- The ease with which Canadian yacht

Port Lorne.

Mr. Edward W. Rice, of Bridgetown, has just received a letter from his brother William, who is a member of Company Å, 2nd Regt Mass Volunteers and was in the fighting before Santiago, and we give a few interesting quotations:

-The late session of the Imperial Government was productive of no startling legislation though several measures of great importance and interest were passed. Perhaps the most important was the Irish local government. Which virtually kills further home rule agitation, as it is broad enough in its concesions to place Ireland on a level with Great Britain in all matters of ordinary self government. The legislation was effected quietly and but little comment has been made on it by the press though the cause of the home rulers was agitated by the

has been made on it by the press though the cause of the home rulers was agitated by the press of nearly every country when it was attempted to force that bill through parlia-ment. The present act is a strictly govern-ment measure for which the home rule con-tingent can take no credit. The importance of the measure is the better gauged when it is remembered that Ireland has here fourther.

erty, 12,000 of them, while our army neid som more at the rear. We were all tired out and half of us were sick and thought to get a little sleep. About To o'clock the sentry fired a shot which arouse the whole camp. The Spaniards were making a night attack. After a sharp attack they wer repuised with small loss to our troops. We had repulsed with small loss to our troops. We had a gatling gun in working order and it did fear-ful execution. About 809 Spaniards in their white uniforms were lying dead or wounded on the ground after this attack. Our men wore brown uniforms. The transports are being made ready now and I hope before snow flies to be home. If nothing happens we will go to long Island for a few weeks to recuperate. When they get me away from home again they will know it. I am well now. Yours etc.

and contributed \$3,600,000 in relief of the current year's taxation. Surely Irishmen have had a practical exibilition of the friendliness of their so called oppressors, and it is to be hoped that any abuse of the lately granted privileges will be carefully avoided. —The ease with which Canadian yacht

Yours, etc., WM. N. RICE.

Apple Crop Report.







	J.	W. BECKWITH.
EXTRA VALUE!		33333336666666666666666666666666666666
Men's Heavy Grain Boots, "Fine Boots, "Dongola Boots, Boys' and Youths' Heavy Grain Boots, Boys' and Youths' Fine Boots,	STRONG & WHITMAN'S	
Ladies' Lace Leather Boots, "Button Leather Boots, "Kid Button Boots, "Kid Shoes,	Annual Mid-Summer	
Misses' Lace Boots, Misses' Button Boots,		
BOTTOM	low prices ma	nd we are offering the following lots at the <b>ridiculous</b> rked below, as we are bound to clear out these lines.
PRICES.	Lot 1. S	HIRT WAISTS! Lot 1.
Bridgetown, August 17th, 1898.		eason's goods, and are made up of the finest materials.
for Sale!	60e. Waist, 90e., 95e. and 9 \$1.10 and \$1.20 \$1.25, \$1.30 an \$1.39, \$1.45, \$1	0 Wai•t, " " <b>79c.</b> " d \$1.35 Waist, " " <b>89c.</b> "
JOHN H. FISHER.		the best, and these goods are bound to go at these prices.
EDWIN L. FISHER, Annapolis.	Lot 2.	WRAPPERS! Lot 2.
	These are all the late the fits are perfect, and the	st styles and are made up of Medium and Dark Print Cottons; sewing the best, in fact we can guarantee them in every way.
	Our S5c. Wrappers,	
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DRIVING PARK CO.,		ade, and the styles are perfect. Only a few left, and they are
Bridgetown Driving Track on the following program: <b>FURSE \$150.00</b> 8. W. BLIGH H D. NICHOLS	<ul> <li>Dury 125 and 1.30 Cape, -</li> <li>Beduced to only 59c each</li> <li>Our 1.25 and 1.30 Cape, -</li> <li>Our 2.25 Cape—one only -</li> <li>Our 2.25 Cape—one only -</li> <li>Our 4.99 Cape—one only -</li> <li>We have also a nice line of the following, viz: Ladies' Straw Sailor Hats, Plain and Fancy</li> <li>Muslins, Plain and Fancy Silk Sunshades, Print Cottons, &amp;c, all of which</li> <li>are reduced in proportion.</li> </ul>	
N. R. NELLY GEO, WOOD E. P. EOWLES W. F. GIBBONS JOHN HALL ctors have decided to offer a purse of \$100 for Friday, August 26. Six enter, four to start.		
een race will be substituted for trotters only, and 10 per cent. A horse distancing the field o govern.	STRON	G & WHITMAN.
O. S. MILLER, Secretary.	SPRING LAMB,	BRIDGETOWN
	MUTTON, SALMON, SHAD,	Boot & Shoe Store
GOODS!	DRY and PICKLED FISH, BEEF,	A Full Line of Bicycle Leggings Button and Lace fronts
In <b>Canned Goods</b> we show the largest stock in town. We have Canned Corn, Peas, String Beans, Tomatoes, Pumpkin, Strawberries, Apples, Crab Ap- ples, Pears, Peaches, Pineapple,	HAM and BACON, VEGETABLES of all kinds, 	PRICE, 85c. DRESSING DEPARTMENT COMPLETE! "A. D. C. Tan Combination," "A. D. C. Ox Blood Combination," "A. D. C. Chocolate Combination,"
Blueberries. We have Canned Sardines, Kippered Herring, Kip- perettes, Finnan Haddie, Salmon, Lobster, Clams, Scallops, Oysters, Corn Beef, Sliced Bacon, Chicken, Deviled Ham, Potted Ham, Ox	FARM FOR SALE! The subscriber offers for sale his valuable farm situated 24 miles from Bridgetown.	Box Calf Dressing, Congo Waterproof Dressing, Boulevard 10c. Dressing, Diamond Finish in large and small bottles,
Tongue, Lunch Tongue, Van Camp's Tomato, Soup, Pork and Beans, Macaroni and Cheese, etc.	This is an Al hay farm, two large orchards, one small plum orchard, good pasture and wood land. House and outbuildings in good order. About two-thirds purchase money can remain on mortgage. Apply to	Day & Martin's Paste Blacking in large boxes.
LLOYD.	W. M. SCOTT. Bridgetown, May 2nd, 1893. 51 tf	MURDOCH'S BLOCK. GRANVILLE STREFT. E. A. COCHRAN.

