Lawrencetown.

Don't forget school meeting the 24th.

Mr. Reginald Morse is home from Wolfville.

Rev. L. H. King has been attending the association at Digby.

Rev. C. M. Tyler is attending the conference at Bear River.

Rev. Mr. Howie occupied the Methodist pulpit last Sabbath.

Miss Clara Sprowl, of Nictaux, is the guest of Mrs. H. A. Daniels.

Road-making is on this week, and needed improvements are being made.

The weather the past week has been all that could be desired for all crops.

Miss Etta C. Durling has returned from her trip to Boston and Halifax.

Report says that the V. C. Band intend holding a strawberry social soon.

Mrs. McKay, of Stewiacke, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jefferson over Sunday.

Mr. Leslie Brown is riding an aluminum wheel, the first we have seen here.

Mr. F. W. Mansfield, of Haverhill, Mass., has been a guest at the Elm for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Darling, of Halifax, are paying a few weeks' visit at R. E. Feltus'.

Our annual school-meeting will be held next Monday evening, the 24th, at 7.30 p.m.

Quite a number from here attended the Natal Day celebration at Yarmouth on the 10th inst.

This seems to be a good town for "drummers" if we can judge from the register at the Elm House.

Strawberries have put in an appearance, and no doubt will be found on the market before this week closes.

The new road is being pushed along and no doubt that early this fall will be in condition for use.

A small band of gypsies have been in camp near town for a few days past. They will not be missed when they leave.

Mr. S. T. Jefferson has opened a general provision, grocery and flour store in the store lately occupied by Mr. Stevens.

Services for Sunday, 23rd: Baptist, 11 a.m. and 7.45 p.m.; Episcopal, 3 p.m.; Methodist, 7.30 p.m. Salvation Army this (Wednesday) evening.

If some of our American cousins could see Annapolis county as it is to-day, with its greenness and freshness, and with all of nature at her best, we feel sure that all incoming trains and steamers would be crowded, for this is *the* month of all the year that seems to have the beauty and loveliness of Nova Scotia to the front. Those who will cross the pond this summer for recreation should not fail to make our beautiful little village one of their stopping places.

Middleton.

Hon. M. H. Richey, ex-Lieut.-Governor, Mrs. Richey and daughter, have been guests at the American House for the past week.

The ladies of Holy Trinity church, Middleton, intend holding an ice cream and strawberry festival on Monday evening, 24th inst., on the grounds of Owen Wheelock, Esq. Proceeds for church purposes.

The members of the lodge of Foresters here are feeling pleased with the promptness with which their first death claim was met. The papers, giving particulars of the death of their late brother, Rufus E. Merry, were mailed to Toronto on the 30th of May, and on the 12th inst., just two weeks later, the cheque for the amount of the claim was received. The deceased brother had been a member of the order about a year, and the $1,000 insurance had cost him about $12.

On Tuesday afternoon of last week our citizens, by a vote virtually unanimous, decided to buy out the water system of the town which is now owned by a company. An act of the last session of the legislature provides the machinery whereby the purchase is to be effected. Until within the last few weeks our citizens had not the slightest intention of buying the works, but the method the company seemed determined to pursue, in providing an additional supply of water left us but one of two alternatives, either to buy the works or to turn off the water and go back to the use of wells again. Rather than to seem to deal unfairly with the company and to avoid any friction or unpleasantness, the former course was chosen. The transfer will probably take place the first of August.

Kingston Kinks.

Mrs. Dr. Bell is visiting friends in Halifax.

Miss Cohoon, of Wolfville, has secured a music class here.

Dr. Bond has been attending Mrs. A. C. VanBuskirk, and so far she is doing well.

Charlie Schofield, who has been in the States ten years, is on a visit to his parents.

The weather so far has been everything the farmer could desire. All crops are looking well.

Road work is about done. The road machine is doing beautiful work. It is at work this week in Ward 10.

The 72nd Batt., under Col. Spurr, go into camp at Wilmot the 25th. E. F. McNeil has the contract for supplying the men while in camp.

George E. Stronach, who has been station master at Woburn, Mass., for a number of years, is home on a vacation. He is stopping with his sister, Mrs. James F. Burns.

One Michael Dinn, claiming to be a deaf mute from the deaf and dumb school at St. John, has been soliciting subscriptions for a school building for that unfortunate class, and your correspondent's opinion is that he is an impostor. If so he should be widely advertised. I formed my opinion from his looks and the fact that he could not converse with his hands. By the look of his book he has succeeded very well in collections. I would suggest that everyone he visits thoroughly satisfies himself before giving, as the object, if genuine, is commendable; if otherwise Mr. Dinn should be escorted to the nearest post. I noticed that he left soon after I commenced to ask questions on my hands, none of which he attempted to answer.

Mt. Hanley.

Strawberries seem to be plenty. Look out for the festival, to be held soon.

Miss Ella M. Harold, of Ipswich, Mass., is visiting her father, Mr. James Harold.

Mr. Russell E. Brown, of Brockton, paid his many friends a flying visit one day last week.

Mr. D. H. Armstrong and wife and Mrs. Joshua S. Miller are attending the association at Digby.

Among the visitors of late may be mentioned Mr. Harry and Fletcher Hines, of Roxbury.

Mr. Milledge Best left for the "Hub" one day last week, where he intends to stop the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaiah Brown, of Hampton, were here last week visiting her mother, Mrs. Annie Brown.

Victoriavale.

The sick are all convalescent. Miss Parker is able to take short walks.

Mrs. Richmond Marshall, of Clarence, is the guest of Mrs. Robt. Starratt.

Mr. R. C. Starratt is improving his residence by a couple of coats of white paint.

Dr. and Mrs. E. A. Jones, of Mass., are the guests of her father, Mr. Wm. A. Keith.

Preaching service in the church at the Hill Sunday morning, June 23rd, at 11 o'clock.

Miss Delemer held her examination in the school room on Friday afternoon, June 14th. A large number of visitors were present and all seemed to be well satisfied that the young minds had been trained well. Miss Delemer has given good satisfaction as a teacher in this place, and her departure from here will be much regretted by her many friends.

Paradise Gleams.

Four cyclists, of Amherst, passed through on their homeward journey on Sunday.

R. I. Hart, Esq., of Halifax, called on Saturday last on his old friends, Messrs. Starratt and Bent.

Miss Mary Bent and Miss Tryphenia Inglis, of Tupperville, spent Sunday with Mrs. Marshall and family.

In the absence of the pastor Mr. W. Creelman preached at Paradise West on Sabbath afternoon.

Saturday's shower was scarcely sufficient to meet the need for domestic purposes, or for the crops which are looking fairly well.

Mrs. W. E. Starratt and Mrs. I. M. Longley were delegates to Digby to represent the Paradise branch of the Wilmot Baptist Church, and Mrs. Kinley represented the W. M. A. Society.

Williamston Whispers.

Miss Annie Bishop left the past week for Newton, Mass., to spend the summer months with her sister.

Rev. J. H. Balcom, wife and family, arrived home the past week from Baldwinville, Mass. Mrs. B intends spending the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Phineas Dixon.

The Williamston Cheese Factory Co. is doing quite an extensive business this season. The factory is under the management of the old maker, A. W. Beals.

FOSS Cures Weak Stomach and Kidney Troubles.

Western Nova Scotia Baptist Association.

[Special despatch to Halifax Herald.]

Digby, June 15.—The Western association of Nova Scotia Baptists, consisting of delegates from the Baptist churches in the five western counties of Nova Scotia, holds its annual meeting this year with the church at Digby. These churches have a membership of about 12,000, and represent a Baptist population of some 40,000. The day before the meeting of the association opens, the young people's unions, of which there are 38, carried out the programme of their annual gathering. The afternoon session opened with a prayer meeting conducted by Rev. Mr. Thomas of Chegoggin. The feature was made intensely interesting by its deep spiritual power. The meeting was then called to order by President, Rev. A. T. Dykeman, of the provincial union. An address of welcome was given by Miss Mamie Chaloner of Digby. Rev A. T. Dykeman was elected president for the ensuing year, Burton Cain vice-president, and Rev. Zenas Fash, secretary and treasurer. The reports from the unions were very encouraging.

The evening session began with a social meeting conducted by Rev. Harry King, during which the reverend gentleman gave a very imposing address on the Holy Spirit. After fine singing, the large congregation listened to a paper by Rev. H. A. Giffin, entitled

THE RELATION OF THE B. Y. P. U. TO THE LOCAL CHURCH.

The speaker desired to show that the opposition of some churches and individuals to the B. Y. P. U. is not well founded. He then proceeded to show just what the union really is, clearly proving that it is a legitimate department of church work. He considered these unions the very best places for beginning instruction in Christian doctrine.

Rev. C. B. Freeman's paper was called "culture for service." Those societies are not for entertainment. But rather for culture, that the young Christian may be prepared for the most effective service. He believed the church an army in the field close to the enemy. The young people have an important part in the work of this army. Our work is sustained by the Divine Spirit, but the Spirit does not work through the ignorant. He urged the necessity of carefully studying the Bible readers course.

Rev. Zenas Fash presented a paper on "Personal Work." He urged the necessity of personal labor with those that are nearest to us. Our Lord and His first disciples did all their work along this line, the direct loving appeal of one man to his friends. There is no Christian who is unable to do anything. All can succeed who are willing to accept the duties that are nearest to them. Our religion must be a matter of the most important business. We should be able to most easily reach those whom we love best. If Christ is in us we can impart Him to our brethren. These well written and finely read papers were by three of our most talented young pastors. They were listened to with close attention and evidently made a deep impression.

The exercises of the first associational day began with a largely attended early morning prayer meeting. Another prayer meeting occupied the time from 9 to 10 a. m. Indeed, in these annual gatherings of the Baptists, devotional meetings are always a prominent feature. The system of worship in this denomination is such that gatherings in which all can take an individual part must always remain especially popular.

REV. J. H. FOSHAY WAS ELECTED MODERATOR,

Rev. Zenas Fash, clerk, and Rev. E. P. Coldwell, assistant clerk, J. F. Saunders, treasurer. About 200 delegates were present. The church letter indicates a healthy and vigorous state of activity; a very large number have been baptised during the year; several houses of worship have been completed: several new pastors were welcomed in a hearty manner by the moderator. Each of the new ministers responded in brief speeches. In the afternoon the subject of obituaries and Sunday schools were considered. In the evening there was a grand temperance mass meeting, addressed by leading temperance workers.

AGAINST THE LIQUOR TRAFFIC.

Digby, June 17.—The clouds which had been threatening during the forenoon, in the afternoon began to send down a gentle rain. This has come to be a regular feature of the association. But it does not have a very depressing effect upon the enthusiastic Baptists, and at the beginning of the meeting an increased attendance was present. The report on obituaries was prepared by Rev. J. H. Foshay. The only minister who was a member of this association, that has passed away during the year was Rev. John Rowe, of Chebogue. The report on denominational literature was read by Rev. B. N. Nobles. It was of a vigorous and somewhat critical character. An exhaustive discussion followed, which is likely to result in a more careful selection of Sunday school and other denominational literature, and in more loyalty in purchasing literature by Baptist churches; and also by individual members of the churches.

THE REPORT ON SUNDAY SCHOOLS

was read by W. L. Elliott. It contained a number of important recommendations, the most significant being that a Baptist Sunday school convention be established in each county. At the evening meeting the report on temperance was presented by Rev. A. F. Browne. It was of a very pronounced and definite character. Being in substance as follows:

"We earnestly recommend that all churches in this association consider themselves obligated to employ every legitimate means for the success of the temperance cause. That the utmost care be taken to secure a perfect harmony between public utterances and private action on this great subject. That our 12,000 church members be urged to solidly unite in a battle to death against the entire traffic in intoxicating liquors. And that every Baptist church have a pledge of total abstinence as a part of its covenant."

Before the writer had finished reading the report every seat in the church was occupied and the standing room began to fill up with the crowd, eager to hear what would be said on this often discussed, but always popular question. The report was spoken to by E. C. Simonson, who took for his subject:

"THE VOTING DUTY OF CHURCH MEMBERS IN THE MATTER OF PROHIBITION."

Mr. Simonson took the ground that no one would be a consistent member of a Baptist church who would vote for a candidate who was not a prohibitionist and pledged to make prohibition a leading issue, regardless of party ties.

Rev. W. H. Jenkins asked the question; "Ought a pledge of total abstinence to be a condition of membership in Baptist churches?" His answer was a very emphatic and well proven "Yes."

Rev. A. F. Browne spoke of the terrible results occasioned by liquor made in civilized countries and sent to lands whose inhabitants are counted as savages. Christian countries annually give a few thousand dollars that missionaries may be sent to the heathen, for the purpose of saving their souls, while at the same time millions of dollars are gained by Christian countries from sending the vilest of vile rum to the same heathen lands, where it annually carries off almost a million of the helpless natives. The church of God has the power to stop this terrible method of gaining money by wholesale murder. Until this power is applied by united action the church, in an important respect, remains far short of her duty.

Rev. B. H. Thomas spoke on the theme, "The royal commission—what next?" He declared the commission a great failure. It had expended a lot of the people's money and gained no good object.

THE NEXT THING MUST BE A UNITED DEMAND FOR PROHIBITION

from all members of the Christian churches.

The report, although taking the most advanced ground, was passed by a hearty and unanimous vote.

Sunday proved to be a day of absolutely perfect weather from morning until night. The beautiful scenery about Digby never looked more charming, and a great throng of visitors came from every direction to attend the meetings. The event of the day was a sermon in the morning by Rev. Dr. Morse, of Digby Neck, who has occupied one pastorate for the long period of 54 years, and is still strong and vigorous and one of the best preachers in these provinces. The sermon was at once eloquent and profound. The Sunday school meeting was addressed by Rev. J. G. C. White, Rev. Trueman Bishop and S. Jackson. The speakers at the afternoon missionay meeting were Rev. J. H. King, Rev. Mr. Grenier, French missionary, Rev. S. McC. Black, editor of the *Messenger and Visitor*, and Rev. Dr. Boggs, of Wolfville. Mrs. Grenier also made an address.

DESCRIBING THE RECENT RIOTS IN THE PROVINCE OF QUEBEC.

In the evening, a congregation much too large for comfort, listened to the carefully prepared report on missions by Rev. W. H. Jenkins, which was followed by powerful speeches by Rev. A. Cohoon, Rev. J. W. Manning and Rev. Dr. Boggs. The address of Boggs, who is a returned missionary, proved to be among the finest of this association, which has produced more displays of real oratory than any like gathering for several years. Fifty clergymen were present and most of them on Sunday were scattered through the surrounding country, preaching in the Baptist and also the churches of other denominations.

At this morning's session, the circular letter written by Rev. F. H. Beals, was read by Rev. John Goucher. The letter proved to be an able and timely document, being mainly a reply to what the writer concluded the church letters were likely to contain. The writer evidently has the true journalistic instinct. He could not have done better had he read each of the individual church letters.

The associational sermon was preached by Rev. E. E. Locke, of Middleton, an eloquent and powerful discourse, listened to with rapt attention, from Ps. 43.

Following is a list of the delegates belonging to this county in attendance:

David Armstrong, Mount Hanley.
Mrs. J. Miller and friend, Mount Hanley.
Bayard Marshall, Mount Hanley.
William Armstrong, Granville.
Rev. W. H. Jenkins and wife, Granville.
William Mussels, Granville.
Edwin Ryder, Granville.
Benjamin Shaffner, Granville.
J. L. Brown and wife, Torbrook.
Rev. J. W. Brown and wife, Nictaux.
R. H. Parker and wife, Nictaux.
Rev. E. P. Coldwell and wife, Port Lorne.
Rev. F. M. Young, Bridgetown.
W. A. Craig and wife, Bridgetown.
Chas. Rumsey and wife, Bridgetown.
Deacon Benj. Miller, Bridgetown.
Mrs. B. D. Neily, Bridgetown.
Valentine Eaton and wife, Granville Centre.
Rev. E. E. Locke, Middleton.
Edwin Dodge, Middleton.
James A. Gates, Middleton.
Deacon S. F. Roop, Middleton.
Rev. J. T. Eaton and wife, Clementsport.
L. W. Elliott, Clarence.
E. J. Elliott, Clarence.
Mrs. A. Marshall, Clarence.
Alfred Wilson and wife, Clarence.
S. N. Jackson and wife, Clarence.
Joshua Ray, Clarence.
Rev. Mr. Kinley and wife, Paradise.
Deacon J. Longley, Paradise.
Mrs. W. E. Starratt, Paradise.
W. H. Goucher, Melvern Square.
Shippy Spurr, Melvern Square.
Rev. S. Langille, Clementsvale.
Joseph Potter and wife, Clementsvale.
C. W. Saunders, Dalhousie East.
T. A. Wilson, Dalhousie East.
S. Saunders, Springfield.
N. P. Whitman, New Albany.
Rev. J. G. C. White and wife, Annapolis.

Upper Granville.

Delightful weather.

Summer visitors have commenced to arrive.

The road machine done good work here last week.

Mr. Frank Rand, of London, visited at P. L. Chesley's last week.

Mrs. Sadie Walker is home after a two weeks visit at Lawrencetown.

All of the larger dairies are sending their milk to the cheese factory at Bridgetown.

Mr. Arthur Clarke, of California, is expected here to-day. Mr. Clarke is a native of Scotland, but for the last ten years has been ranching in California, and is now doing "Beautiful Nova Scotia."

A short time ago Russell Cropley, Esq., had a very narrow escape from being killed. While driving a spirited horse, one of the shafts dropped, frightening the animal and causing it to run away, throwing Mr. C. to the ground and entirely demolishing the carriage. Fortunately neither man nor beast were hurt.

Crops of all kinds are looking finely and will be fully two weeks earlier than usual. Upland grass will be ready for cutting July 1st, and we have been shown potatoes in blossom. Wild strawberries are ripening fast and will be plentiful. Apples seem to be setting fairly well, but it is too soon to judge of the crop. The horn-fly is beginning its ravages, and now is the time to use the "ounce of prevention."

The young ladies of this place have now a sewing circle in good running order, which meets every Wednesday night. Last Wednesday night the circle met at Mrs. Delancy Gesner's, and, as usual, after the work for the evening was laid by, a good time was indulged in by all present. Next place of meeting is at Mrs. I. Longley's, Wednesday evening, June 19th.

COMPLAINTS.—The man Patrick Fidget is still at large and is a constant source of annoyance to many of the inhabitants.

The railing over the Chesley aboiteaux has never been completed, and the wonder is that some one has not been killed.

Where is our road-master? and why has last year's roadwork never been completed?

Part of the Felch aboiteaux has gone out, leaving scarcely room for one team to get by, and as it has been in that condition for a long while it is high time it was looked after.

We hope the proper authorities will take notice of the above complaints and do their duty immediately.

Hampton.

Capt. T. W. Templeman returned on Saturday last from Moncton, having sold some 250 half bbls. of herring, and sailed again for St. John to sell the remainder of his cargo and refit for another voyage. Mrs. Templeman is not gaining in health very much.

Our Sabbath-school concert was a decided success. Our school teacher deserves great praise for her energy and the manner in which it was arranged. The young folks deserve great praise for the able manner in which they performed their several parts, and if any part could be selected as par excellence it was a solo, very finely rendered, by Master Elvin Hall. The Rev. H. Achilles was present and conducted the opening service, and gave a very interesting speech at the close. Bro. Robert Chute made some very pleasing and interesting remarks. The goodly sum of four dollars was collected for mission purposes.

What might have been a fatal accident occurred here last Thursday. As Mrs. James Marshall and two daughters from Clarence were driving down the Shore road, some way, quite unexplainable, the horse stopped suddenly and fell, causing the waggon and its occupants to be thrown forward over the horse's head, which motion scattered them promiscuously amongst the rocks. Mrs. M. was badly cut about the head and face, one of the daughters received bruises on the knees, and the other escaped with a hurt in one side. Fortunately no bones were broken. They were at once conveyed to the home of Mr. Thomas Burton where every needful assistance was rendered. Mrs. M. was not able to be moved until Sunday.

Lower Granville Notes.

Mr. Frank Jones, of Boston, made his friends here a brief visit last week.

Mrs. Lawrence Delap and Miss Annie W. Robbiee have gone to Boston to make a visit.

We regret to hear that Mr. Joseph Haynes, post master at Victoria Beach, is in poor health.

Quite a number of our folks went over to Digby on Sunday to take in the Baptist Association.

Wm. J. Croscup, Esq., and wife, of Berwick, spent a few days this week with friends and relatives here.

The Rev. Mr. Jenkins administered the rite of baptism to four candidates at the Anthony wharf on Sabbath last.

Several of our neighbors drove up to Stoney Beach on Thursday evening to hear a Mr. Isidor of Halifax, who was billed to lecture on "Single Tax," but the orator did not show up.

Leather Still on the Rise.

The Montreal Trade Bulletin of June 8 says: A lot of 100 sides of slaughter sole sold yesterday at 28c., being an advance of 2c. on former quotations, with holders now firm at 30c. Ontario splits have been placed at 28c., showing a further rise, and sellers now ask 30c. England is still asking for sole leather, the following being received here from a large firm. "Cable anything you have to offer." A further advance has taken place in green hides in this market, and a cable just received from the River Platte quotes a further advance in South American hides.

I CURED A HORSE of the mange with MINARD'S LINIMENT.
Dalhousie. CHRISTOPHER SAUNDERS.

I CURED A HORSE, badly torn by a pitch fork with MINARD'S LINIMENT.
St. Peters, C. B. EDWARD LINLIEY.

I CURED A HORSE of a bad swelling with MINARD'S LINIMENT.
Bathurst, N. B. THOS. W. PAYNE.

Births.

JOHNSON.—At Middleton, June 8th, to Captain and Mrs. W. E. Johnson, a daughter.

WHITMAN.—At Rosette, June 12th, the wife of Mr. Isaac Whitman, of twins—boy and girl.

PARKER.—At Bellisle, June 17th, the wife of Israel Parker, of a daughter.

Deaths.

McCARTY.—At Annapolis, June 11th, of whooping cough, Minnie M., eldest daughter of John and Lizzie McCarty, aged 9 years.

MERRITT.—At Clementsport, June 7th, at the home of her son, Alonzo Merritt, Esq., Eliza, widow of the late William Merritt aged 86 years.

McDONALD.—At Danvers, Mass., on June 12th, Sarah Sancton, wife of Robert D. McDonald.

Correspondence.

We do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions of our correspondents.

To the Editor of the Monitor:

DEAR SIR,—An article over the signature of J. Gaetz in your last issue seems to call for some answer from me. In answer to the first part of his article I wish to call his attention to the *Messenger and Visitor* under date of April 24th, in which he will find a short article from me, from which I make the following extract, viz: "We have lately held a few special services at Torbrook where Rev. Mr. Gates, Methodist, has been for some time engaged in special work. On Sunday April 7th, it was my privilege to baptize a brother there, and on Sunday April 14th two more believing ones followed their Saviour in the same sacred ordinance." I considered that statement a sufficient recognition of any human instrumentality in connection with the Lord's work. Surely he would not have me say that the work of grace proceeded from him. I did not even consider it necessary to repeat that statement in my subsequent articles to the same paper.

It is true that the Baptists shared largely in that work, and also bear testimony to the blessings which they received. They were then without a pastor, and harmony did prevail while they remained in his services as helpers. When they secured a pastor of their own, and having been informed by Bro. Gaetz that his special work was about to be concluded, they began work in their own church, he suddenly became conscious of a lack of harmony. So far as I am able to judge the exact point of time when the uneasiness began, was at a baptismal service, when, according to the custom of Baptist ministers, a few passages from the Bible were read showing our reasons for believing that immersion is the baptism taught in the New Testament, and asked the people to judge for themselves whether we are right in our belief. The reading of those passages, repeated on a subsequent occasion, with the addition of giving the definition of the Greek word "baptizo" from a few standard lexicons has fallen like a bomb-shell in some quarters, and since then the air has been decidedly smoky from the discharge of great and small guns.

Concerning the brother who I reported in our denominational paper as having changed his church relations, I may say that it is customary among all denominations to report the progress of the Lord's cause, along the lines on which they are laboring, in their respective denominational papers. If secular papers choose to copy such items we take no responsibility for their appearance there, nor do we consider that any rights are thereby violated. I believe that when Methodist ministers have such things to report they have no scruples against sending them to the *Wesleyan*.

The plain intimation which he has made public in his article, that the brother in question has not sufficient intelligence to judge of his christian duty from a study of the word, denies him liberty of conscience, and is not only uncharitable and ungentlemanly, but un-Christ-like and unscriptural, for which he owes him a humble apology. It is not necessary to have a college training in order to study the Bible with great profit. See Isa. xxxv: 8; see also Prov. xxix: 20.

Our brother should be credited with a great deal of grace, for he has borne with Christian patience much abuse for the step which he has been led to take.

Yours etc., J. W. BROWN.

Nictaux, June 14th, 1895.

FOSS cures Billiousness and Headache.

Church Services, Sunday, June 23rd.

CHURCH OF ENGLAND.—Rev. F. P. Greatorex, Rector. In St. James, Bridgetown: Service with celebration of Holy Communion at 10.30. Sunday-school at 2. Evening prayer and sermon at 7.30. On Wednesday evening service at 7.30. Friday evening Communicants class. In St. Mary's, Belleisle: Service at 3; also on Thursday at 7.30. Seats free in both churches.

BAPTIST CHURCH.—Rev. F. M. Young, Ph. B., Pastor; C. W. Rose, assistant pastor. Bridgetown: Bible Class and Sabbath-school 10 a.m.; Preaching service, 11 a.m.; Evangelistic service 7.30 p.m. B. Y. P. U. Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. General social service Friday evening at 7.30. Services at Granville Centre and Centreville every Sabbath, morning and evening.

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 at 7.30, and Sunday morning at 10 o'clock; Granville every Tuesday evening; Bentville every Thursday evening.

GORDON MEMORIAL CHURCH.—Rev. R. S. Whidden, Pastor. Service at 3.15 o'clock. Bible-class and Sunday-school at 2 p.m. Meeting Tuesday at 7.30 p.m. Service at Annapolis at 11 a.m.; Bible-class and Sabbath-school at 2 p.m. General prayer-meeting at 7.30. Seats free in both churches. All are cordially invited.

ROUND HILL.—Rev. G. J. Coulter White, pastor. Preaching service on 1st and 3rd Sunday of month at 11 a.m., and on the 2nd, 4th and 5th Sundays at 7 p.m. Prayer-meeting Tuesday evening at 7.30 o'clock.

SPRINGFIELD CIRCUIT.

REV. J. WEBB, S.T.B., Pastor. Springfield in the morning, Falkland Ridge in the afternoon, and Dalhousie in the evening.

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1895 LETTER A. No. 548.

IN THE SUPREME COURT.

BETWEEN

DANIEL CLARK, - - - *Plaintiff.*

—AND—

DANIEL BISHOP, - - - *Defendant.*

To be sold at public auction by the sheriff of the county of Annapolis, or his deputy, at the Court House in Bridgetown, in said county of Annapolis, on

Saturday, the 13th day of July, A.D. 1895.

AT TWO O'CLOCK IN THE AFTERNOON,

Pursuant to an order of foreclosure and sale made herein and dated the 7th day of May, A.D. 1895, unless before the day of sale the amount due and costs are paid to the plaintiff, Daniel Clark, or into court, all the estate, right, title, interest and equity of redemption of the said defendant and which the said defendant, the mortgagor, had herein at the time he made the mortgage herein foreclosed, and of all persons claiming or entitled by, through or under the said defendant, or the said Daniel Bishop, of, in and to all that certain piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in Centreville, in the County and Township of Annapolis, bounded and described as follows:—

Beginning on the main post road by lands of Benjamin Brooks and following said lands ten rods the course of the lines southwardly; thence eastwardly across said lands eleven rods and fourteen feet; thence northwardly ten rods to the main post road aforesaid; thence westwardly along said road thirteen rods and nine feet to the place of beginning, the same being that lot of land formerly owned by Elizabeth Stephens, now Mrs. Elizabeth Caldwell.

TERMS:—Ten per cent deposit at time of sale, remainder on delivery of the deed.

J. AVARD MORSE,
High Sheriff of Annapolis County

OLIVER S. MILLER, *Solicitor for Plaintiff.*
June 4th—10 5i

1895.
IN THE SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the petition of TIMOTHY D. RUGGLES for the foreclosure and sale of certain lands and premises conveyed by way of mortgages by HARDING SPINNEY and SAMUEL SPINNEY, late of Wilmot, in the County of Annapolis, deceased.

To be sold at Public Auction at the Court House, in Bridgetown, in the County of Annapolis, by the sheriff of the County of Annapolis, or his deputy, on

Saturday, the 6th day of July, 1895,

AT 11 O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON,

Pursuant to an order of foreclosure and sale made herein and dated the 28th day of May, 1895, unless before the day of sale the amount due to the said petitioner, with costs, be paid to him or his solicitor;

All the estate, right, title, interest and equity of redemption of Rachel Lear Spinney and Norval B. Spinney, appointed defendants herein, and of all persons claiming or entitled by, from or under the said late Harding Spinney, in and to the lands and premises described as follows:—

All that certain tract or parcel of land and premises situate lying and being in Wilmot, aforesaid, bounded and described as follows:—

Beginning at a stake and stones set at the south-east corner of land owned and occupied by John Crocker; thence running southerly along the west side of land formerly owned by Timothy Banks until it comes to land deeded to George Spinney; thence westerly by said Spinney twenty rods to his north-west corner; thence southerly by said Spinney forty rods or until it comes to land formerly owned by Robert Eaton; thence westerly by said Eaton sixty rods to a stake and stones; thence northerly the course of the lines until it comes to lands owned by John Crocker; thence easterly by said Crocker's eighty rods to the place of beginning, containing by estimation one hundred and fifty acres, more or less, together with all and singular the appurtenances thereto belonging or in anywise appertaining.

TERMS:—Ten per cent deposit at time of sale, remainder on delivery of deed.

J. AVARD MORSE,
High Sheriff of Annapolis County.

E. RUGGLES, *Solicitor of Petitioner.*
Bridgetown, May 28th, 1895. 10 5i

New Advertisements.

That Tired Feeling

Means danger. It is a serious condition and will lead to disastrous results if it is not overcome at once. It is a sure sign that the blood is impoverished and impure. The best remedy is

HOOD'S Sarsaparilla

Which makes rich, red blood, and thus gives strength and elasticity to the muscles, vigor to the brain and health and vitality to every part of the body. Hood's Sarsaparilla positively

Makes the Weak Strong

"I have used six bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla as a general tonic and have enjoyed the best of health. Although I had a strain of work I have had no sick spells for many months and no lost time, so I am doubly repaid." THOMAS S. HILL, 261 Brussells St., St. John, New Brunswick.

Hood's Sarsaparilla Is the Only True Blood Purifier

Prominently in the public eye.

Hood's Pills cure habitual constipation. Price 25c. per box.

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If you want to see some pretty Print and Lawn Wrappers and Blouses, and Duck Suits, go to MRS. WOODBURY'S. She has Wrappers in price from $1.35 to $1.80; Blouses, 55c. to $1.00; Duck Suits at $1.95, and some very pretty Capes and Sacques.

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If you want Scythes, Forks, Hoes and other Farming Tools away down in price, Mrs. Woodbury's is the place to buy. Prices are much lower than last year, and quality first-class.

Any of these goods will be exchanged for Washed Wool at 25c. per lb., or 10½ off for cash.

MRS. WOODBURY.

Kingston, June 12th, 1895.

NEW Dress Goods —AT— Runciman, Randolph, & Co's.

Latest Styles and Colors in 6-4 Plain and Fancy Dress Goods, 6-4 Black Ottomans.

Very Handsome Patterns in ENGLISH and CANADIAN PRINTS.

White Fancy Muslins.

6-4 Colored Mantle Cloths, 6-4 Black Mantle Cloths.

Women's and Misses' Cotton Hosiery, Women's Silk Gloves.

NEW TWEEDS AND CLOTHS

FOR MEN AND BOYS SUITS.

Gents' Ties, Braces and Shirts, Gents' Underclothing, Gents' Coats, Vests and Pants.

CARPETS —AND— Floor Oil Cloths

AT VERY LOW PRICES THIS SEASON.

We call particular attention to our stock of

Men's Boots and Shoes, Women's Boots and Shoes, Children's Boots and Shoes.

Bridgetown, N. S., May 29th, 1895.

I AM SELLING PAINT, OIL,

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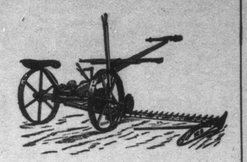

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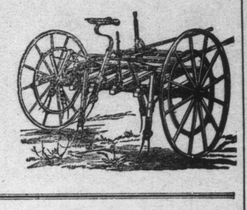

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If you do, call at the old stand of J. B. REED & SONS, where you can inspect an immense and comprehensive stock of Furniture, and where you will be convinced that a little money will go far towards furnishing your house in all the latest, handsomest, and most approved designs.

I wish to call your attention to some of the leading lines, as below:—

Hardwood Bedroom Suites in Elm, 7 pieces, from -	$18.00 to $38.00
Hardwood Bedroom Suites in Oak, from - -	$28.00 to $65.00
Parlor Suites in Plush, Brocatelle and Silk Tapestries,	$30.00 to $110.00
Sideboards in Elm and Ash, for -	$12.00, $18.00, $22.00, $25.00
Sideboards in Oak, for - - - -	$25.00, $32.00, $45.00

All other lines at equally reasonable rates.

I am also selling a fine line of CARPETS at Halifax prices.

H. S. REED.

GRANVILLE STREET, - - - BRIDGETOWN.

SPRING OPENING —OF— New and Seasonable Goods —AT— STRONG & WHITMAN'S

Embracing all the Latest Novelties of the season!

Dress Goods and Trimmings, Mantles and Mantle Cloths, Wool Challies, Cotton Challies, Printed Lawns, Printed Cottons (over 200 different patterns to select from), Cheviots, Fibre for Skirt Linings, Fibre Canvass for the large sleeves.

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Carpets (Tapestry, All-Wool, Union and Hemp); Art Muslins, Art Sateens, Lace Curtains, Curtain Poles, Drapery Hooks, Shades, Blinds, Reversible Cretonnes for Curtains and Portieres. 5 bales Room Paper from 5c. upward.

GENTS' FURNISHINGS.

Children's and Men's Suits (extra value), Hats, Caps, Shirts and Ties in great variety and low prices.

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Our Spring Opening

BRINGS A COMPLETE RANGE OF

Carpets, Mattings, Dress Goods, Table Linens,

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WINDOW SHADES, - CURTAIN POLES,

Lace Curtains, Portiers, and Window Damasks.

Boots and Shoes! A specially fine and well assorted Stock.

Our Millinery Department will be under the management of our popular Milliner, MISS M. SMITH, assisted, as usual, by competent help, and the stock complete.

Having enlarged the store, and bought to fill it, we will show one of the best stocks in the county, and it will pay you to examine before making your spring purchases.

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ANOTHER FIRE

Insurance Company has opened an Agency in this town.

The "QUEEN,"

so favorably known for prompt and liberal settlement of loss, has appointed

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as their Agent, and he is prepared to accept applications on all classes of property at LOWEST CURRENT RATES. The Queen is backed by $40,000,000 of British capital, and does the largest business in the Province.

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Elegant Tweed Suits, - - $16.00
Beautiful Black Worsted Dress Suits, 20.00
Largest Stock in the County to select from.

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4-inch, 6-inch. Also Bends, Traps, Y's and T's.

AMERICAN KEROSENE OIL.

White Rose, Water White, } 21½ cts. per gal.

Barrels free.

Shepp's Improved Cocoanut.

5 cent Packages, per doz., - 40c.
¼-lb. package, per lb., - - 30c.
½-lb. Package, per lb., - - 28c.

Put up assorted in 15-lb. case.

GEO. E. CORBITT

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Just now is your chance to select from samples, a Carpet in Union, All-Wool or Tapestry,

Cheaper than the Cheapest!

Orders taken for about two weeks. Do not buy until you first give me a call.

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