The Weekly Monitor.

BRIDGETOWN, DECEMBER 10, 1879.

PUNISHMENT OF CRIMINALS.

The increase of crime of late years in this Country, is somewhat alarming; and induces inquiry into the cause of such a darkening aspect of moral degeneracy. — Great pains in the adjustment of the criminal laws and in the graduation of punishment, have occupied the attention and exercised the wisdom of Legislators; penitentiaries have been built, and steps have been taken to increase the vigilance and effectiveness of those, to whom are officially intrusted the guardianship of communities against the perpetration of crime. It is, however, too apparent that all these measures taken, and means employed, to lessen crime, it is, nevertheless, on the increase. It is right, then, to infer that there is some defect or deficiency either in the criminal laws or in their administration.

Without going beyond the limits of our own County, we have deplorable proofs that the punishment awarded to thieves is not an adequate "terror to evil doers." Only six months have elapsed since half a dozen thieves were sent from Annapolis to the penitentiary. But we have melancholy proof that this exhibition of the law's retribution and rigor has not prevented other thieves from acts of nefarious pillage. Only last week it was our painful duty to chronicle a daring deed of theft under the very windows of our office. The thieving miscreant knew all about the punishment of the criminals that were sent hence to the penitentiary last summer, and he probably deemed the penalty of theft as a trifling matter; for, on being committed to the County gaol, he, with fool-hardy levity, remarked that he would "have comfortable quarters for the winter." It was apparent that the gaol had no terrors for him.

It is one of the better feelings of our common nature to commiserate the misfortunes and sufferings of others, although such sufferings are the result of crime. To pity our fellowmen in their calamities is humane—Christ-like. But this amiable outflow of feeling towards others in their afflictions is not identical with that sickly sympathy and morbid sentimentalizm, which would shield the guilty from the retributive penalties of the law. It is known that recently a petition, signed too by officers of the law, was forwarded to the Executive, imploring a release of some of the criminals from this County, who are in the penitentiary. The youth referred to, who is now in the gaol for the theft, described in our last issue, of course had heard how a good many respectable people cherished a sympathetic interest in justly encarcerated criminals; and, therefore, came to the conclusion, that thieving was no great crime. The petition mentioned was no doubt, either signed thoughtlessly or from mistaken notions of christian charity; but its tendency was to indirectly patronize "evil doers."

Imprisonment, in the apprehension of some people of a low moral type, is not a punishment to be greatly dreaded. A prison by them is rather regarded as an eleemosynary boarding-house than a place of penal incarceration. Something more severe—more to be feared—is required. In our last, we intimated that for the prevention of theft, the *lash* should be substituted for the prison. The pain and ignominy of a public whipping would impress the most heardened criminal with shuddering dread. This is a punishment which the culprit would not forget as soon as the wounds on his back were healed. The scars in his flesh would not outlive the bitter remembrance of their cause. An indelible impression would be made. In his malignity against Job of old, Satan evinced his knowledge of man's sensitiveness to physical suffering, when he said "skin for skin." The WHIPPING POST, no criminal would make light of, as he sometimes does of a prison.

In penitentiary discipline there is nothing reformatory. There the mere tyro in crime comes in contact with veteran offenders against law, and at the end of his prison term, he is set free, tenfold morally worse than he was when he entered upon it. He comes forth, hardened in the spirit of iniquity, and trained by his more experienced prison associates, to be a more daring and dangerous thief; but the whipping post would be a thing of dread ever before his eyes.

Extinguished Stars.

One object of such a newspaper as ours (which is designed to be an instructive family newspaper) should be to stimulate a love for reading and a taste for wholesome literature. The mere current news is of ephemeral interest, and leaves no permanent impression on the mind. Like the early dew, it is quickly dissipated. But in a judiciously conducted newspaper, there are some times to be found scraps of valuable information and rich gems of thought, which are preserved in the store house of memory. Some of our youthful readers, we fear, are so infatuated with the multitudinous works of demoralizing fiction which abound at the present day, that they neglect our best authors. At no former period has the work of book-making been more industriously pursued than in this last quarter of the nineteenth century; and yet, we have few living authors, who are contributing to the permanent literature of our language. Carlye, Emerson, Tennyson, Whittier and Longfellow are all grey-bearded men, and will soon pass from earth;—and who will succeed them as stars in the literary firmament?

Old men of literary taste and tendencies, with whom we sometimes come in contact, enthusiastically speak of the cotemporary authors who were living half a century ago, and who formed a galaxy of intellectual splendor. The value of their works were legitimately stamped with the impress of genius. They greatly increased the bulk, and added to the richness of British classical literature. The most distinguished of the worthies referred to were Rogers, Campbell, Scott, Southey, Byron, Wordsworth, Moore, Macauley, and Coleridge. They eclipsed all their English predecessors, except Milton, Bacon, Shakspeare, Gray and Goldsmith—and perhaps Pope. All, however, have "gone the way of all the earth." Byron died in 1822—Scott, in 1832—Campbell, in 1844—Moore, in 1852—Words worth, in 1850—Macauley, still later. Rogers outlived all his early cotemporaries, and was a nonegenarian some years before he died.

The early part of our century was indeed distinguished for cotemporaneous genius and literary fruitfulness. A more brilliant constellation of gifted minds never brightened the literature of any age. The works of some of them are as undying as those of Homer. We fear, however, that the mass of our youthful readers, leave the books of such authors unperused, preferring the morbid sentimentalism of such volumes of fiction as are every day being thrown from the Press, in which there is nothing to enlighten and invigorate the mind, or improve the taste.

IMPORTANT NOTICE.—We don't want those of our subscribers who always aim to keep their paper paid for, and are the joy of the printers' heart, to read any further than this paragraph; but the rest, we invite to keep right on. We have rendered the accounts of a number of our subscribers who are in arrears several times, but as yet have received no response except from a few. Now, friends, this is not right. In the first place, you are keeping us back from doing what we are striving to do, i. e., enlarge and give you a paper that will stand a chance of competition with the dollar weeklies; of course we do n t mean in quantity of reading, but in freshness of contents, and extended *local* news, which you *can't* get in these weeklies; in the second place, a little attention on your part would save a great deal of trouble to say nothing of expense necessarily entailed by collecting personally. If you cannot pay the whole amount due, send part. We trust that these few words will bring to those of our subscribers for whom it is meant a sense of their duty.

LOCAL AND GENERAL EDITORIAL ITEMS.

— Afghanistan has probably seen the last of its Ameers.

—A snug property is offered for sale in Farmington. See adv.

The Inebriates Home of Halifax is going to put up shutters.

—Just consult our advertising columns if you want to have a good time Christmas.

— There appears to be a more cordial understanding between the Courts of Berlin and St. Petersburg.

Correspondence and Bare Ball meeting received too late for this issue will appear in our next.

— *Blackwood*, the editor of the Edinburgh Magazine, bearing his name, is dead.

— The Yarmouth fog whistle on Cape Forchu is being repaired and will not sound until further notice.

— It is said the Dominion Parliament will be called for despatch of business the 2nd week in February.

— Mr. D. Banks McKenzie appears to be laboring vigorously for the promotion of the temperance cause in Halifax.

— Telegrams announce very cold weather in Great Britain last week. Here the atmosphere was abnormally mild.

— While the Czar was on his way to Moscow, an attempt on his life was recently made by the explosion of combustible matter on a railway train.

— It is rumoured in Persian circles, that Gambetta, the ablest perhaps of living French statesmen, will shortly come into power.

— The Brooklyn Tabernacle Church, of which Talmage is pastor, is about to sever its connection with the Presbyterian denomination.

—Mr. John Parker of Halifax has been awarded the contract for supplying meat to the army and navy for the ensuing year.

— The sitting of the County Court last week, drew quite a number of strange people into Bridgetown. They consisted principally of lawyers, litigants, witnesses, and idle spectators of judicial proceedings. This temporary increase of our population caused quite a ripple on the surface of affairs in our quiet little town. "Where the carcass is, there will the eagles be gathered."

— W. M. McVicar, A. M., of Woodlands, Wilmot, has succeeded to the position in the Academy vacated by Dr. Hall's acceptance of the English Department in the Normal School. Mr. McVicar is an excellent teacher and a thorough disciplinarian. We feel assured that the success, which has heretofore attended him, will be continued in his present work; and trust that he may have a long and prosperous connection with our Institutions.—*Acadia Athenæum.*

— A rag-picker recently died in Jersey City, U. S., and left a small fortune of $18,000 bequeathed to Queen Victoria. His professed heirs are contesting the will.

— Perhaps we are less prophetic than Vennor—the weather-wise oracle; but we venture to predict that there will be quite a slaughter in the poultry yards before Christmas.

— There can be little doubt that Mormons are secretly urging the savage Utes to deeds of rapine and cruelty to the whites in new settlements of the "Far West."

—Astronomical observations are now the order. Crowds of would-be star-gazers may be seen gathered around the Rev. Mr. Warren's recent purchase every fine night.

AGRICULTURAL MEETING.—The Bridgetown Agricultural Society met as per notice, at Buckler's Hotel on the 2nd inst., Nothing of importance transpired—only the usual routine business.

Small pox is yet prevailing in St. John, N. B., a young man named Kane died on Sunday last of this disease. Several deaths are reported in the same family from contagion.

SOCIABLE.—A sociable will be held at the residence of Mr. W. W. Saunders, Bridgetown, on Tuesday evening, Dec. 15th, weather permitting, if not, next fine evening. Proceeds to go towards paying off debt on Baptist parsonage.

— Landry's Musical Monthly for December contains three select pieces of music, 'The King's Highway,' 'The Turkish Patrol Reveillie,' and 'Joyous Farmer,' with its usual collection of choice musical items.

— The aldermanic wisdom of our provincial capital contemplates the funding of the city debt. We hope that the board of Incorporation in this County will never incur a debt to be funded.

— There are good indications of improvement in the aspect of the lumbering business in the Upper Provinces. We presume that lumbermen in our own Province are neither wholly disheartened nor idle.

— Leap year is at hand, and we have no doubt that some people, of the feminine gender, will endeavor to make the most of it. It confers a quadrennial privilege which we presume will be modestly exercised.

— $5,000 premium is offered by the the Humane Society of the U. S. for the best stock car. Mr. Thos. Clarke has invented one which he believes will take the premium. Patents have been applied for in U. S. and D. C.

— Don't forget to put the name of the State on every letter, package or bundle of papers you send to the neighboring republic. If you don't, they will never reach their destination, but be sent to the Dead Letter Office and destroyed.

The Lunenburg *Progress* shows that it is advancing by giving up the patent outside it so long flourished under. The whole paper is now printed at home The patent outside business does not seem to succeed with our provincial press, in spite of the flowery language of the concern that supplies them.

— The stockholders of the great exhibition building at Philadelphia have offered its use to both political parties in the United States, to hold therein their conventions next year. A holier building than the one referred to at one time was denounced as "a den of thieves."

— Late telegrams inform us that smuggling, to an enormous extent, is carried on all along the southern frontier of the Dominion. This illicit system of trade is not only ruinous to the interests of legitimate traffic and the revenue, but is an engine of commercial demoralization.

— The colored people in the Mississippi countryare now enjoying the most prosperous time that they have experienced since the war. They are earning on an average $10 a week at cotton picking. The roustabouts on the steamers get $70 a month and boarded, and levee hands get from 25 to 40 cents an hour, according to pressure.

— The Granville Ferry Methodist Church, recently built, will be dedicated, and formally opened for Divine worship next Sunday. The opening sermon will be preached (D. V.) by the President of the Conference, Rev. S. F. Heustis; the afternoon sermon by Rev. Caleb Parker; the evening, by Rev. A. W. Nicholson.

PORT GEORGE.—A singing school has been established here by Prof. Spinney with a membership of forty-five. A concert was given by them on the 26th ult., which was well patronized and was really enjoyable. A fair sum was realized. The charity that dwelleth in the Professor's heart, is shown by his giving the whole proceeds to Mr. Isaac Smith, a sufferer by fire.

— It is to be hoped that the present session of the United States Congress will be less turbulent than the last. The struggle for party ascendancy in a legislature is a serious interference with legitimate business. President Hayes' term of office is not so pleasant as was that of some of his predecessors. "Uneasy is the head that wears a crown."

— The Montague Gold Mines have been sold for $50,000 to a gentleman, named E. F. Couch, of Newburyport, Mass. He has associated himself with several other gentleman from the United States and they intend erecting a new crusher, and push forward the development of this rich mine with energy.

DALHOUSIE COPPER MINE.—An agent in the interest of this mine was in town last week, soliciting our merchants and monied men to take shares with partial success. He had with him several specimens, rich in gold, silver and copper. Many shares were taken in Yarmouth, we understand. The agent says they have reached a depth of 85 ft. and the lead is constantly growing richer.

Sugar—5d. per cwt. is reported advance on Sugar up to latest accounts.

Flour—Market inactive. Holders firm at outside figures in the Toronto market. Quotations range from fine flour at $5.10 to Superior Extra at $6.10.

Meal—Ontario Oatmeal is more active at $4.60 to $4.70 per bbl; Cornmeal, $2.90.

SUM SNAX.—Perhaps some of our readers may have observed a short time ago a paragraph in the MONITOR, clipped from an exchange, about a nest of snakes. J. B. Fellows, Esq., of Granville, showed us a similar nest which he found while ploughing last week. The nest was about 5 inches below the surface of the ground, some 16 inches deep and Mr. Fellows counted in it 117 snakes varying in size from four to eight inches. He observed them first sticking to the point of the plough, when quite a distance from the nest, so that the total number of the nest must have exceeded 117 considerably.

LECTURE.—Those who did not attend the lecture last week in the Court House, delivered by the Rev. W. H. Warren, on the "Wonders of the Heavens," missed a treat. The audience was very good, considering the inclement night; but small in comparison to what it should have been, for our townspeople should always endeavour to give their countenance to instructive lecture like the one mentioned, as by doing so it offers an inducement for efforts that will be a source of profit and interest through the coming winter season. The Rev. lecturer proceeded first to give an account of the telescope from its first discovery to the present day, and described the manner of working, the power of the lenses, etc., of the one recently purchased by him in Boston, of which a description was given in our last. He then gave a very interesting account of the heavenly bodies, of their size, position, distance from us, etc., besides enlarging at length upon matters in the same connection, showing himself possessed of a varied astronomical knowledge. The whole lecture throughout being delivered in the Rev. gentleman's terse, clear style made it readily understood and very instructive. Several gentlemen present made appropriate remarks at the close. We hope Mr. Warren may be induced to give us similar treats this winter.

New Advertisements.

VICTORIA HALL!

Tea Meeting! Fancy Sale! & Entertainment!

The Ladies of St. James' Church Bridgetown purpose holding a Tea Meeting and Fancy Sale on

Tuesday, 30th Inst.,

in Victoria Hall.—A first class tea will be spread at 6 o'clock, after which a number of useful and fancy articles will be offered for sale. At 8 o'clock an Entertainment will be given by some talented and well known amateurs, consisting of a laughable Farce entitled

"Woman's Rights Convention,"

and an amusing

CHARADE

will be acted. Lively and attractive Music will be performed between scenes. As an unusually low charge is made, all will avail themselves of the opportunity to pass an agreeable evening.

Admission to Tea and Entertainment, 30c.

Doors open at o'clock. 2it36

FOR SALE.

That

Valuable Property

SITUATED south of the Post Road at Farmington, in the township of Wilmot, about a mile from the Railway Station, formerly the residence of the late Walter Welton, deceased, consisting of thirty acres of Land, in a

HIGH STATE OF CULTIVATION

A new and very commodious

Dwelling House,

with a Barn and convenient Outbuildings attached, all in good condition.

A portion of the land consists of INTERVALE on the north side of the Annapolis River.

The premises contain two good wells of water; a very valuable young

ORCHARD AND A NURSERY.

The above is one of the most desirable residences in Wilmot, and will be sold at a bargain. TERMS EASY. For particulars apply to Henry Parker near the premises, or to either of the undersigned at Kingston Village.

GEORGE MUNROE, A. P. WELTON, } Executors.

Farmington, Wilmot, Dec. 8th, '79 13it47

LOST, STRAYED or STOLEN

FROM the Subscriber's premises, about six weeks ago, a four year old OX — spotted red and white. Marks, a slit in the right ear, half penny under the left. Any person giving information that will lead to the recovery of the said ox will be suitably rewarded.

JOHN MURDOCH.

Bridgetown, Dec. 10th, 1879. 2it36pd

SANTA CLAUS IS COMING!

THERE will be a CHRISTMAS TREE in BAPTIST CHURCH at Pine Grove, on TUESDAY, DECEMBER 23rd. at which will be for sale a Great Variety of Useful and Fancy Articles.

Tea and Refreshments, consisting of all the delicacies of the season will be provided.

Doors open 5 p. m. Admission 10 cts. Tea only 25 cents.

If Tuesday evening should be stormy it will be postponed to Wednesday evening.

In behalf of the Committee,

2it34pd J. H. ROBBINS.

DRY GOODS

RECEIVED NOV. 21st.

CARDINAL Silk Velvet, Navy Blue Velvet, Navy Blue French Merinos, Colored Trimming Satins.

Blk. dble faced Satin Ribbons, Colored Silk Ribbon, Plain Colored Lute Ribbons, Embossed Velveteens, Ladies' Black French Beaver Hats.

Ladies' Merino Vests, low neck, short sleeves, Mens' Real Shetland Scotch Shirts and Drawers, Canadian Ribbed Shirts and Drawers.

Childrens' Knit Wool Mittens, Alpaca and Dagmar Umbrellas, Mens' Cheverette Gloves, Peacock Fingering Yarn.

Victoria Yarn, Prussian Yarn, Cloak Clasps, Black Silk Cords, Wrapping Twine, Linen Floss, all kinds of Thread, Pins, Piping, Braid, &c, &c.

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St. John, N. B.

New Advertisements.

Received from United States.

HORSE BLANKETS, BUFFALO ROBES, Cotton Flannels, &c

Received Ex. Caspian.

4 Pckgs. containing

Diagonal Worsted Coatings,

Broadcloths & Doeskins,

LUSTRES, FRILLINGS, ETC.

T. R. JONES & CO

St. John, N. B. Dec. '79

ANNAPOLIS, SS,

In the Supreme Court, 1879,

IN EQUITY.

CAUSE: Thomas W. Chesley, pltff. vs. Avard Pool, Milledge Chute and Anzonette Pool, Defdts.

TO BE SOLD AT

Public Auction

in front of Buckler's Hotel, in Bridgetown, in the County of Annapolis, on

Saturday, 15th January, next,

at two o'clock in the afternoon.

By a Master of this Honorable Court, pursuant to an order of forclosure and sale made on the above cause by His Honor the Judge in Equity, on the 1st day of December, inst, the following described mortgages, lands and premises, unless the amount of principal and interest due upon the mortgage in question, in this suit, together with pltff.'s cost is paid to the pltff. or to said Master previous to said bond: be sold as aforesaid, viz:

ALL the defdt.'s right, title, and interest, in that certain farm tract of

LAND AND PREMISES,

situate in Granville, and in occupation by the defdt. and bounded as follows:—Beginning by the west line of Chas. Parker's land, by the north-east corner of lands owned by William Clarke, and running westerly along the northern line of William Clarke's and Abner Bath's Fellows lots, the distance of forty-five rods, or till reaching the eastern line of the Bath homestead farm, thence northward along the eastern line of the Bath homestead farm, crossing the New Dominion road and onward to the top of the mountain, to the south-west corner of lands owned by Charles Parker, thence easterly along the southern line of said lands owned by Charles Parker, the distance of forty-four rods, to the western line of the George Fellows' homestead farm, thence southward along the eastern line of Charles Parker's farm, to the place of beginning, containing one hundred acres more or less.

TERMS OF SALE:

Ten per cent. of the purchase money to be paid down by the purchaser at the sale, and the remainder upon delivery of the deed.

T. W. CHESLEY, Pltff., in person.

Bridgetown, December 6th, '79. 6it40

GOLDEN OPPORTUNITY!! Positively No Humbug!

NO CAPITAL REQUIRED.

MONEY made during the winter months at home. Male or female; no peddling; nice business; sure pay; don't interfere with other business; suits anyone; can't explain here; send a three cent stamp and you will get a beautiful specimen of silver ore from one of our gold mines, by mail, free, and full particulars of business. Address HOME MIRROR, Longmont, Colorado. 2it36

1879. CHRISTMAS. 1879.

Bridgetown Jewelry Store

ESTABLISHED IN 1859.

Has now in stock a large assortment of

Beautiful Presents

—for—

XMAS. AND NEW YEARS, VIZ:

Watches, Clocks, Spoons, Forks, Cake Baskets, Butter Dishes, Castors, Brooches, Ear Rings, Sets Jewelry, Finger Rings, Napkin Rings, &c. &c.

These goods have been bought in the very best market and are selling at low prices than ever before offered.

JOHN E. SANGSTON.

N. B.—WATCHES, CLOCKS and JEWELRY, repaired at short notice. All work WARRANTED.

Strayed into the Subscriber's Premises,

On the 16th of last May a RED YEARLING HEIFER. The owner can have the same by proving property and paying expenses.

ISRAEL POOLE.

St. Croix Cove, Dec. 2d, 1879. tf

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the delinquent tax payers on Pews in Providence Church (Methodist) that unless the taxes are paid before the 1st Jany. 1880, thereafter steps will be made for sale of Pews to meet the arrearages.

n28 tf By ORDER OF TRUSTEES.

New Advertisements.

Agents Wanted.

To Canvass for the sale of a

First-Class SUPERPHOSPHATE

Only active men who will thoroughly travel and canvass their districts, and who can furnish good security need apply. In applying state district wanted. Address

SUPERPHOSPHATE, HALIFAX.

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Administrators' Sale

To be sold at

Public Auction,

at Thorne's Corner, so called, in Bridgetown in the County of Annapolis, on

TUESDAY, 6TH DAY JANUARY, A. D., 1880,

at eleven o'clock, a. m.,

under license therefor from the Court of Probate for said County of Annapolis.

All the right, title, and interest of the Rev. James Robertson, L. L. D., late of Middleton, in the said County, deceased, who died intestate, in, to, and out of, all that certain lot and premises, with the Dwelling House and shop thereon, situated, lying and being in Bridgetown, aforesaid, bounded as follows:—On the North by a brook and lands of T. D. Ruggles, Esq., on the East by a Public Lane, on the West by lands of George Murdoch, Esq., and on the South by Granville Street.

TERMS—Ten per cent deposit;—remainder on delivery of deed.

MARIA ROBERTSON, Admrx.
JAMES C. ROBERTSON Admrs.

Dec. 1st 1879.

Administrator's Notice.

ALL persons having any legal demands against the estate of CAPT. JAMES ROY, late of Port George, deceased, are requested to render the duly attested within six months from the date hereof and all persons owing said estate will please make immediate payment to

G. B. REED, Port George,
or JOHN ROY, Margaretville.
Administrators.

Margaretville, Dec. 3rd, 1879. 13i t46

MONEY! TO LEND!

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A. W. CORBITT, Presdt.
W. HALIBURTON, Secty.

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Christmas At Middleton.

The Subscriber has received a supply of SPICES, RAISINS, CURRANTS, LEMONS ORANGES, CITRON, NUTS, DATES, CONFECTIONERY, BROWN AND GRANULATED SUGAR, SYRUPS, BAKING SODA, CREAM TARTAR, BAKING POWDER, GELETINE AND ESSENCES, ETC. ETC.

Also some nice Christmas Cards.

We intend to keep Christmas at Middleton, if they don't anywhere else.

3it36 H. CROSSKILL.

FLOUR! FLOUR!

75 BBLS. Choice Flour;
20 bbls. Choice Kiln Dried CORN MEAL.

For sale low by

dec2 W. M. TUPPER.

TO LET!

A LARGE HALL AND TWO OFFICES over the London House.

Possession given immediately.

Also—THE STORE and DWELLING HOUSE adjoining. Possession given 1st May next.

dec2 3it36 MINER TUPPER.

NOTICE!

ALL Persons indebted to the subscriber, either by Book Accounts or Interest, and all Notes under $300.00, overdue, to pay the same on or before the 1st day of January next, 1880.

MINER TUPPER.

Bridgetown, Nov. 2nd, 1879. pd 3it36

FOUND!

At J. W. Tomlinson's

Lawrencetown, a Large Stock of

FANCY GOODS,

SUITABLE FOR CHRISTMAS PRESENTS,

Consisting of Ladies Sets, Gold and Plated Rings, Dog Buttons, Shirt Studs, Watch-Chains, Silver Napkin Rings, &c. TOYS—the Largest Stock of Toys in Town. Christmas Confectionery in all the latest novelties. The above, with my general Assortment of Dry Goods, Groceries, I will sell as low for CASH as can be bought in the County.

From Dec. 20th to 30th, I will sell for CASH, at small advance on Cost.

Dec1'79 J. W. TOMLINSON.

LAST CHANCE FOR Bargains!

WE have disposed of our business here, and can only offer bargains for the remainder of the month.

Our customers will please take particular notice of this fact, and we invite the public at large

To Buy their Winter Supplies

NOW!

While it is possible to

Save Money by doing so.

Everyone satisfied as to prices, and no shoddy or auction goods in stock.

J. HENRY SMITH & CO.

Middleton, Dec. 3rd, '79.

New Advertisements.

NEW JEWELRY & FANCY STORE!

E. C. LOCKETT

Has now completed his selection of Goods for the coming

HOLIDAY SEASON!

In the Jewelry Department,

will be found a good essortment of

English, Waltham, & Swiss Watches!

of the LATEST STYLES, Key and Stem Winders,

Ladies' Gold Hunting Watches,

A Choice Assortment of

RINGS,

Comprising:

WEDDING, BAND STONE & FANCY,

A Beautiful Lot of

SILVER JEWELRY!

Consisting of Ladies' Sets, Ear-Rings, &c. Also a variety of

PLATED SETS!!

EAR-RINGS, CUFF BUTTONS, CUFF PINS, NECK AND OPERA CHAINS, &c.

GENTLEMENS'

Gold, Silver & Plated Chains

In the JET DEPARTMENT, will be found Chains, Sets and Ear-Rings.

IN THE

CLOCK DEPARTMENT

will be found a number of Plain and Ornamental Clocks, suitable for parlor or kitchen.

In the SILVER Department

will be found

Cake Baskets, Butter Coolers, Silver Castors & Cruets, Pickle Dishes, Napkin Rings, Silver Dinner, Tea and Dessert Knives, Table and Dessert Spoons, &c.

In addition to the above will be found one of the best selected stocks of

FANCY GOODS,

suitable for CHRISTMAS PRESENTS ever offered by any house in Bridgetown. among other things will be found

China and Wax Dolls, Parlor Games, Playing Cards, Mustache Cups, Vases, China Sets, Wallets, Hair Brushes, Combs, Boxes Stationery, in fact everything that constitutes a leporitory for Santa Clau's requirements.

A quantity of Concertinas at prices LOWER than the LOWEST.

Clocks, Watches and Jewelry Repaired and Warranted.

E. C. LOCKETT.

Bridgetown, Nov. 26, '79. 6m

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Liberal Courses of Study.

SPECIAL ATTENTION PAID TO TEACHERS' COURSE.

Room, Board, Fire, Light, and Plain Washing, $2.00 per week.

For particulars, address for Circular,

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Lequille Mills,

Annapolis, N. S.

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EVERY Farmer is aware that Homespun when Fulled is Warmer, More Durable, and Much Improved in Appearance, but it requires to be woven evenly and Stout, and not less than one yard wide.

The Subscribers have prepared, at considerable expense, all the necessary machinery for the

Fulling, Dyeing, and Dressing Business,

and having two sets of Machinery in operation, are prepared to execute all orders with despatch, and have appointed the following Agents to receive and forward Cloth for Fulling to us, it being returned through their hands:

W. A. Piggott, Granville Ferry, Fred. Crosskill, Bridgetown, J. W. Tomlinson, Lawrencetown, E. Cumminger, Wilmot, T. R. Harris, Aylesford, E. A. Forsyth, Port Williams, H. E. Jefferson, Berwick, Daniel Cox, Canning, Letteney Bros., Digby, C. H. Jones, Weymouth, Geo. Middlemas, Caledonia.

TERMS:—Fulling, Dyeing and Dressing All Wool Cloth, Black, 20 cts.; Brown, 23 cts. per yard. Fulling, Dyeing and Dressing Cotton and Wool, 22 cts. per yard. Fulling and Dressing, 13 cts. per yard. Dressing, 5 cts. per yard.

Persons sending Cloth will be required to pay one half the expense of transportation.

F. C. Snow & Son,

Annapolis, August 25th, '79. 22tf

SPECIAL INDUCEMENT.

The Subscriber will give

6c. per pound for Beef Hides

GEO. MURDOCH.

Nov. 19th, 1879. 9i t37