WEDNESDAY, JULY 31st, 1895.

Important Notice.

How is your subscription? Will you kindly revolve this question over in your mind and ascertain if you don't owe the Montrou for a year or more. We would be pleased to give an autograph to about one thousand people during the next few weeks and would be truly thankful for the privilege of doing so.

The Crop Outlook.

From advices received from nearly every part of the county we are safe in saying that the hay crop is fully up to the average of previous years, and though there may be a slight shrinkage on old uplands, the deficiency is more than made up by the additional acreage under cultivation and the splendid yield on most of the marshes. The exceptionally fine weather for harvesting the erop has been fully taken advantage of by our farmers, and thus far the entire product has has been fully taken advantage of by our tity of cheese. farmers, and thus far the entire product has been placed in the barns in an excellent conheen placed in the barns in an excellent condition. Many of the marshes are now presenting a busy scene, and should there be no serious break occur in the delightful weather prevailing at present for the next fortnight, the crop will be about all in. We regret to learn that such, however, is not the condition of affairs in the eastern portion of the province, notably in the island of Cape Breton, as we learn that the yield is so small ast give the farmers serious alarm as to the outlook for the coming winter. Fortunately for the province at large there have been large quantities of hay carried over from last season, which will greatly tend to keep the price at the usual figures of from \$\$ to \$10 per ton.

Up to the present time all other crops in the county promise a bountiful harvest. Oats never looked finer, and barley, rye and wheat are more than up to the average; and if there is any falling off in the cereals it will be in corn, which, owing to the dry weather, has been affected to a slight degree.

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The Yarmouth races of Friday last were not largely attended, notwithstanding that the day was fine and the track in good condition. As intimated by the Monrror last week, Sir William surprised his admirers, and captured the lat prize in the 2.32 class. He was driven by Harry Lydiard and took the three straight heats. Best time 2.31, Cypsey Pilot won second money and Professor third. In the 2.45 class, Abner, owned by Dr. Jakeman, won lat, Sir Howe 2nd, and Maud G. 3rd. Best time 2.40.

Root crops of every variety are looking well, potatoes in particular giving an immense yield, while mangols, beets, parsnips, turnips, peas, beans, etc., promise more than an average yield at the present time. The

turnips, peas, beans, etc., promise more than an average yield at the present time. The only drawback to the former crop has been the pestiferous potato-bug, and where there has been any labor performed toward their extermination the ravages have been slight. The all-important crop, and the one upon which our farmers lay entirely too much weight, that of the apple, is at present very promising, and the yield throughout the valley is doubtless an excellent one. Nonpareils are exceptionally fine and abundant, and the other leading varieties, such as Gravensteins, Kings, Golden Russets and Pippins are looking finely and will reach the output of a year ago if they do not exceed it. Pears are also abundant, while plums and other the enterprising company. also abundant, while plums and other small fruits yet ungathered give promise of

an abundant harvest.

—Any of our militia officers who are anxious for fame, with the additional inducement of a good fat salary, can get just what they want by applying to the leaders of the Cuban rebellion. For the last half year or so a portion of the people of that island have been engaged in an attempt to throw off the yoke of Spain. These rebels, or whatever they may be called, appear to be deficient in men sufficiently skilled in military matters to serve as officers, so they are now seeking for such in the United States and elsewhere. They offer any one who is fit for a general a salary of \$5000 a year, with a prospect of becoming president or something of the kind after the trouble is over. To minor officers they promise proportionately liberal terms, they promise proportionately liberal terms,

There are some few trifling drawbacks connected with the affair which perhaps ought to be mentioned. The yellow fever is prevalent in the disturbed district, and this is quite likely to prove fatal in the case of one going from the north, within a couple of weeks after landing on the island. Even if he escapes the fever he is very apt to be caught by the Spanish troops, and in such an event he would be unceremoniously shot without judge or jury. Spain has 40,000 of the best troops there, commanded by her most famous general: the entire coast is most famous general; the entire coast is surance Co., etc. His residence in this city, corner Sackville and Argyle streets, 30 years guarded by war ships, and the Spanish government is determined to crush out the

No doubt we have many men among us who are amply qualified to fill those positions, whether military or political, but we would scarcely like to undertake the respon sibility of advising them to attempt the experiment. As for ourselves our ambition does not run in that direction. A five thousand dollar salary, and the honor of being president of the new Cuban republic should it become one, have no attractions for us. We prefer a quiet home life.

-THE suspension of one of the French banks of Montreal last week caused intense excitement in financial circles of the upper provinces. The institution in difficu aque du People, was supposed to be one of the staunchest in the dominion, have ing assets of over nine million dollars. The rouble was caused by excessive loans to one or two manufacturing concerns in which some of the officials of the bank were interested. Rumors concerning the bank's solvency got abroad, which quickly caused a run upon it, and although the other banks of the city promptly came to its assistance with a loan of a million and a quarter of dollars, even this large amount did not prove sufficient to bide it over the panic. A committee is now investigating its condition, and there is every probability that it will resume busi ness in a short time. In any event the holder of any of these bills which may be in circulation need feel no uneasiness, as owing to the government's guarantee the bills are all right, and, if we mistake not, bear interest until redeemed at the bank, the loss, if any, falling upon the stockholders.

-THE question of woman suffrage is being so pushed to the front in the State of New York, and there seems so great a probability that it will soon be submitted to the people of the State as an amendment to the constitution that the newspapers there are calling upon the women who do not wish the ballot to speak out at once, and make their wishes known. They argue that if those who wish the franchise speak, while those who do not keep silent, it is only reasonable to expect that the men will grant it, thinking that a majority of the women are in favor of it.

This is an idea worth considering, and it might be well for those ladies in our midst who are opposed to having this responsibility thrust upon them to make known their wishes. A petition to the legislature, signed by the ladies of this county who are opposed to female suffrage, would doubtless receive a sufficient number of signatures to surprise some of the leaders of the movement in favor of it.

There was quite a large athering at Bear River on Friday last to take part in the observance of the feast of St. Ann. Services were conducted by Rev. Father Walsh in the chapel, and were largely attended by the Micmacs of the Reservation and others who annually assemble at that busy town on the occasion. In the afternoon a canoe race, oreating considerable interest, took place on the river. The day was brought to a close in a quiet and peaceful manner by all repairing to their homes at an early hour.

of Boston have been holding an indignation meeting against the Christian missions of the neighborhood. They protest that their children are rapidly being won to Christianity, and that, while the mission workers have been unable to reach the older people—of this they boast—yet by means of their schools, gymnasiums, reading rooms, boys' clubs, etc., they are able to win many of the little ones to the Gospel of the Nazarene. The number of these converts, they declare in dismay, is rapidly with interests. The Golden Rule, Boston.

—The annual Flower Service will be held in St. Mary's church, Belleisle, on Sunday afternoon next at 3 o'clock.

The government steamer Newfield arrived at Halifax from Sable Island on Sunday morning. She brought up a lot of ponies which are to be sold at auction.

Mr. O. D. Harris has begun the erection of a fine residence on College avenue, Wolf-ville, on the lot between the residences of Dr. Keirstead and J. W. Caldwell, Esq. —Mr. John Ritchie, formerly conductor on the W. & A. R., left for Boston on the 20th inst., where he hopes to obtain a posi-tion on one of the lines running out of that

—A woman's supplement to the Halifax Herald is to be issued in a few days, the entire contents of which will be especially written by women, about women and for

—Alexander H. Rice, ex-governor of Massachusetts, died at Melrose on Monday. He was an ex-congressman, an ex-mayor of Boston and had many other important public

—The next annual meeting of the Baptist Convention of the Maritime Provinces will be held with the Germain St. Baptist Church, St. John, N. B., commencing on Saturday, Aug. 24th, at 10 o'clock, a.m.

—Hot weather has prevailed throughout the States of late. On Sunday, 21st inst., the thermometer registered in New York 99; Baltimore 96; Rochester 90. Several per-sons died from sunstroke, and many were

—In our advertising column will be found a notice of the annual competition of the Annapolis County Rifle Association. In addition to the money prizes, we learn that the Mills Cap, donated by John B. Mills, M.P., also a silver and bronze medal will be competed for.

ry are invaded by vast numbers of caterpillars, which have done great damage to the trees. Beautiful shade and ornamental trees have been stripped of their foliage and are as bare as in winter. People are at a less what to do in order to get rid of the pests.

room. All who are interested in the wel-fare of St. James' church are requested to attend, as a general expression of opinion is desired upon the question.

thence start on a round of the principal cities and towns of the two conferences. —The excursion of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers on the Prince Rupert on Aug. 5th will probably take away from this city the largest crowd that ever crossed the bay in one day, says the St. John Sun. Fare for the round trip is one dollar to Dignary and Anapolis twenty five cents extra

by, and Annapolis, twenty five cents extra. Those who wish to go to Annapolis get on board the train at Digby.

—The Pan-American Congress held last week in Toronto has attracted some attention. Archbishop Ireland promised to be present but failed, which gave rise to some remarks. A joint missionary meeting of Roman Catholics and Protestants was held and was largely attended. Protestants and Roman Catholics worshipped the Lord together.

senger train leaves Annapolis every morning connecting with *Prince Rupert* at Digby a 10.15 for St. John, and will leave Digby for 10.15 for St. John, and will feave Digby for Annapolis every evening on arrival of Prince Rupert. This will give a double daily service between St. John and Annapolis, and excursion tickets at low fare of \$2 will be issued, good to return the same or the following day. CALL EXTENDED .- Rev. J. Haddon Bal-CALL EXTENDED.—Rev. J. Haddon Balcom, who has been doing excellent and much appreciated pastoral work in charge of a parish in the state of Massachusetts, has received a unanimous call to the First Baptist Church of Winthrop, Mass., at a salary of \$1200 per year. This testimony to his worth and usefulness will be learned with pleasure by his many friends in this vicinity.

—The Cosgrove Company gave a second entertainment in the Court House on Monday evening, under the auspices of the 69th band. The audience was a fair one—much better than might have been anticipated, from the fact that they performed here only two weeks ago. The programme, almost entirely musical, contains a number of pleasing features, one or two of the songs being up to date and rendered in excellent style.

LUMBER CONTRACT. - Christopher Jack LUMBER CONTRACT.—Christopher Jackson, of Dalhousie, has recently contracted with the Paradise Lumber Company for carrying on their lumbering operations on the Paradise stream and tributaries, and will soon begin making ready for the fall and winter work. He will employ a large force of men and cut from a million to a million and a half yearly. It is expected that a drive of several thousand logs will be brought to the mill this fall.

—Information was received here yester-day announcing the death of Mrs. Miller, relict of the late William Miller, former residents of Wilmot, and who for a short time resided in this town with her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Litbgow. The deceased was a sister of our esteemed townswoman, Mrs. Samuel Neily, who will have the deep sympathy of her many friends in the loss sustained. The death occurred in Boston on Friday last, and the remains were interred in that ofty.

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—There was a lively runaway in town on Tuesday evening, says the Shelburne Budget. While Mr. Hastings Freeman was driving down the Kirk hill a ring in the britchen broke and the horse becoming frightened dashed down the street at a furious pace. Mr. Freeman thinking the harbor did not look inviting, jumped clear of the carriage as it ran on the sidewalk, just before Water street was reached, and landed on the fence. The horse turned into Water street and Mrs. Vail who was riding her bicycle narrowly escaped being run over. The runaway animal was captured by some colored lade after it turned into the back streets, but not before the carriage was considerably damaged.

means.

The principle upon which the School is conducted, is, to unite recreation and study, to prove the theory of books, by actual observation and experiment, to analyze and then construct theories and rules.

It has been the means of giving an impulse to scientific teaching in proper channels of method, which is having its legitimate results in the the leading schools of the Provinces.

vinces.

It has been a success in the previous years, and should it take the form as proposed, must have still greater success in the years

A Canadian Anniversary. be held with the Germain St. Baptist Church, St. John, N. B., commencing on Saturday, Aug. 24th, at 10 o'clock, a.m.

—Mr. Hinkle Congdon, well known in Halifax, died at Sackville, N. B., last Friday evening, in his 69th year. He was inspector of schools in Halifax. F. T. Congdon and Frank Congdon, barristers, are his sons.

BEATING THE RECORD.—Steamer Yarmouth left Yarmouth wharf, Wednesday, at 8.15 p.m. for Boston, discharged her cargo, landed her passengers, and arrived back at 7.45 Friday morning, with 216 passengers.

—Mesers. A. E. Roach of North Kingston, and G. C. Power of Somerset, have entered into partnership as general merchants, and are doing business at Kingston Station in the store lately occupied by Geo. Armstrong, Esq.

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—Messrs. D. R. & C. F. Eaton, of Eaton-ville, Cornwallis, have contracted to build a bark for New York parties. She will be engaged as a trader between New York and Greenland, and will be sheathed forward with iron plates.

—A party of some seventy excursionists from Bellows Falls, Vt., passed up the line of the D. A. R. on Saturday last. Tourist travel is on the boom and several thousands will view Evangeline's land before the close of the month of August.

—Hot weather has prevailed throughout world must be an advantage to her. It is to be hoped that the anniversary will be a grand success.

Bright Crop Prospects.

That the crop prospects of Manitoba and the North-West are excellent is amply demonstrated by reports from the agents of the Canadian Pacific Railway. They were telegraphed the other day to Mr. Whyte, superintendent. In every instance the reports are of an encouraging nature, and give promise of an abundant harvest. Farmers are inhibitant over the prespects and only anxious in the prospects and only anxious mise of an abundant harvest. Farmers are jubilant over the prospects and only anxious about the supply of harvest hands.

The C. P. R. agents throughout the maritime provinces have received actual applications for two thousand harvest hands. The company will begin to run harvest excursions next month. Three thousand harvest hands from eastern Canada are wanted. They will get ready employment at highest They will get ready employment at higher

board.

Last Sabbath Dr. Lowry preached. Onr Pastor, Rev. L. J. Tingley, and Mr. Pike were present taking part in the service.

Patterson Foster, Myrtle Phinney, Master Walter Phinney and little Lizzie Cropley arrived here on Tuesday, 23rd, from the States. There also arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Israel Banks, on the same day, a reversely bor. a very small boy.

-A brick building, to be used as a Roma Catholic theological seminary, will soon be finished at Halifax, at a cost of \$40,000, exclusive of the site. The teachers are coming from France. There will not be more than four teachers this year, but the staff will be increased as circumstances warrant. Twelve iour teachers this year, but the staff will be increased as circumstances warrant. Twelve students are expected from France this month. The teachers will be of the order of the Eudist Fathers, or the Congregation of Jesus and Mary, as it is called in France. They have already one college (St. Ann's), at Church Point, Digby. The seminary will accommodate forty students.

Foss cures Billiousness and Headache.

Teacher Wanted! Wanted for School Section No. 2, Young's Cove, Annapolis West, a grade C or D teacher. For particulars, address WILLIAM HOGAN, Secretary. Young's Mountain, July 30th, 1895. 183i

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New Advertisements.

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ANNAPOLIS COUNTY ASSOCIATION

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Ogilvie's Diamond D, best Manitoba, \$5.75
Ocean Ontario's Patent, - - 5.40
Corn Meal, - - 3.25
Feed Flour, - - 1.50
Cracked Wheat, - - 1.60
Middlings, - - 1.35
Cotton Seed Meal, - - 1.45

JOSEPH I. FOSTER. GRANVILLE STREET. Bridgetown, Aug. 1st, 1895.

New Note Paper and Envelopes, Writing Pads, Blotters, Legal Paper,

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Fresh Confectionery AND FRUIT On SATURDAY,

Don't Forget the Ice Gream Every WEDNESDAY and SATUR-DAY afternoon and evening at MRS. MARSHALL'S.

Paradise Corner.

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will soon be making itself felt in Canada, and that you may be protected against its chilling

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fact that they have made every arrangement for your doing so in the way of

Within the next few days, in addition to the stock now in warehouse we will be in a position to offer large quantities of both

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Summer Goods

to clear. We MUST make room for our

for the fall trade, which will begin to arrive in September.

Our stock of Ladies' Fall Jackets and Mantles will far surpass any previous importations by us. If those who contemplate purchasing will favor us with their names we will forward two or three (free of expense) for inspection on arrival.

Fruit Jars! Great Discounts on Carpets, Sunshades, Ready-made Clothing, Dress Goods, etc., etc., at this clearance sale.

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For the month of August JOHN LOCKETT & SON will give you a liberal discount on the

We have just received 11 half-chests of that Choice English Breakfast Tea, same as

WANTED! Clean Washed Wool. We have advanced the price for STRICTLY CHOICE BUTTER to 17 cents, and Fresh Eggs to 13 cts. per doz.

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J. R. ELLIOTT.

MARY ELIZA ARMSTRONG. RITCHIE, Proctor for Estate. lis Royal, July 18th, 1895.

CANADA'S

INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION. 1895. Sept. 24th to Oct. 4th.

THE Exhibition Association of the City and County of St. John, N. B., will open their Fair on their largely extended Fair Grounds St. John, N. B.,

NEW BUILDINGS re in course of construction for the accompation of Live Stock, and the Exhibition of Farm and Dairy Products. Our exhibits will include Live Stock, Agricultural and Horticultural Products, Machinery and Manufactures, Fine Arts, etc.

Cash Prizes are offered in the Live Stock, Agricultural and Horticul-ural Departments. Special Fares will be arranged with Railways and Steamers for freight and passengers. Intending exhibitors should apply at once for Forms of Entry.

CHAS. A. EVERETT, Managing Director TEACHER WANTED!

A SECOND-CLASS TEACHER, male or female, wanted at Durling Lake School Section, No. 44, for one-quarter term.

Apply to ROBT. McGHLL.

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To be sold at public auction by the Sheriff of ne county of Annapolis or his Deputy, at the ourt House in Bridgetown, County of Anna-Tuesday, 6th day of August, A. D. 1895.

having been levied upon under writs of Execu-tions issued upon judgments in the above ac-tions duly recorded in the Registry of Deeds at Bridgetown for upwards of one year. Terms—Ten per cent deposit at time of sale; emainder on delivery of deed. J. AVARD MORSE, Sheriff of Annapolis Cou JOHN W. OUSELEY, Solicitor of Plaintiff. Sheriff's Office, June 11th, 1895. 13 5i

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Men's Shirts, Boots and Shoes.

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Rine Association Meeting.

The Annapolis Co. Rifle Association held their annual meeting at Lawrencetown, on Monday evening, the 29th inst. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Lieut. Col. Spurr; Secretary, Capt. L. W. Elliott; Council, Adjt. Charlton, Capt. LeCain, Lieut. Pitch, Capt. G. Morse, Lieut. F. Morse, Lieut. M. Parker. The annual firing will be held on the Paradise Range on the 9th and 10th of August. The cup presented by J. B. Mills, M. P., will be offered as first prize in the 1st competition.

Local and Special News. -The schr. Temple Bar arrived on Sunday

letters. Will finder please communicate with F. H. Frisbee, Paradise. 18 li

—Best White Rose, Water White Oil, selling at 19c. by the cask, at Geo. E. Corbitt's, Annapolis. -The Methodistand Presbyterian Sunday-schools at Granville Ferry joined in a picnic to Lower Granville on Tuesday, 23rd.

This section of country was visited by light showers on Sunday last. Thus far this season we have escaped thunder and lightning altogether.

Visiting the Creameries

As issued by the Dominion Atlantic Railway Company, is a book containing nearly a hundred pages, every page of which is re-plete with useful information, told in a most interesting manuse.

Death of Andrew M. Unlacke.

The news of the death of Andrew M. Uniacke, which took place at Dover, England, Friday morning, was received here with general regret. The deceased was one of our

ago, was one of our greatest social resorts. All the great parties of the army and navy, etc., were held there. Decesed was 85 years old.—Hz. Chronicle. Quick Pleasure Trip. On Monday last Dr. Freeman, of this town, taking advantage of an excursion trip, drove to Annapolis and took the train for Digby, where he had a short time to look around that picturesque town, and then boarded the D. A. R's new and beautiful sleamer Prince Rupert, bound for St. John, where she arrived in about two and a-half hours. In less than half an hour she again put to sea on her return to Digby, where she arrived in quick time. The Dr. then took the train for Annapolis, and upon arrival there started for Bridgetown by the team he drove down and arrived home at about 9 p. m. The Dr. can have it to say that he is the first of our townsmen to take the run to St. John and back on the same day. Truly this is an age of progress. On Monday last Dr. Freeman, of this town

The Masonic Excursion.

Under the most favorable circumstances the excursion given by Rothsay Lodge started away from the pier this morning at eight o'clock on board the schr. Temple Bar in two of tug Clipper. The excursionists numbered between seventy-five and a hundred, and included brethren of the fraternity and lady friends from Middleton, Lawrencetown and Paradise. Capt. Longmire had the Temple Bar gaily decorated with bunting, and over the deck was suspended an awning sufficiently large to protect all from the sun's rays. The 69th Batt. band furnish the music for the trip. The party are due to return here The 19th Batt, band turned the music for the trip. The party are due to return here at 8 o'clock this evening, and the delightful scenery of the Annapolis river towards close of sunset, together with the other pleasures of the day, will be heartily appreciated by

Sudden Death at springheid.

Mr. James Jefferson, a resident of Lake Pleasant, Springfield, died very suddenly at his residence last Saturday evening, the result, it is supposed, of internal hemorrhage. For some months past he has been in a slow decline, though nothing of a serious nature was apprehended. He partook of his tea as usual on the evening of his death, but some two hours later was seized with an ill turn from which he never rallied. Mr. Jefferson was between sixty and sixty-five years of age, was highly respected and his untimely death is mourned by a widow and grown-up family of four sons and three daughters, besides a large circle of relatives and friends.

Summer School of Science. This school, started a few years ago by some of our leading educationists to fill real want, caused by the introduction of more of the sciences in our common school course, has just completed a very successful season.

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It has become inter-provincial, the different lecturers being selected from the three Maritime Provinces, and the students coming from these same provinces, although the larger number are Nova Scotians.

Besides the usual sciences there have been added subjects which are quite as important, music, civics and kindergarten work. The session just closed was held in the County Academy, Amherst, a building magnificent in proportions and elaborate in furnishing, the pride of Cumberland county.

The season of the year prevents many teachers from attending, lack of funds hinders others, while indifference and a preconceived idea that anything out of the usual routine is a "fad" deters a greater number. In order to adapt the school to all, it was decided to locate it permanently at Parrsboro, as it was the most central for the provinces and is beautiful for situation, and from a scientific point of view unmatched in its richness of mineral specimens and geological formations.

It is proposed to form a joint stock company with a capital of \$4000, erect a building or buildings, suitable for lodgings and class rooms, board the teachers at a reasonable price, and rent the rooms during the remainder of the year.

Should this project prove successful, a large number of teachers will attend, for the heat of the Upper Provinces will give a number not otherwise reached, and the novelty and charm of a community of this kind is certain to attract even those of limited means.

The principle upon which the School is

—Miss Emily M. Estey, a school teacher at Prince William, N. B., was drowned in the Magaguadavic lake, on Tuesday morning whilst bathing, in company with two daughters of Rev. Wm. Ross.

overcome with the heat and were removed

Dr. and Mrs. deBlois and Mr. and Mrs. Jas. deWitt enjoyed a fishing excursion to Elbow Lake last week. About forty fish were the result of the united catch, the large-

Rev. John Potts, D. D., Methodist General Secretary of Education, is about to pay a visit to the Maritime Provinces in the interest of his work. He will preach at Charlottetown, P. E. I., on Sunday, Sept. 8th, commencing his work there, and will

-Commencing last Monday a special pas-

balance of Summer Goods at greatly reduced prices. Try our new Dulse, very fine. 10 yds. Good Grey Cotton, 35 inches Wide, 35c.

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