...purr, of the dismasted ... lately sold at Havana for the benefit ... concerned.

In building operations we have to report the renewal of work on George Tupper's new house and the erection of a large warehouse by Clarke Bros.

Bear River still exists, and with the opening of spring the pulse-throbs of life are as strong as ever. This renewed activity is not an awakening from sleep, but simply the result of a winter of steady work.

Those engaged in lumbering during the last few months are now, that the lakes have broken up, preparing for driving, with prospects that none will be "hung up" for want of water.

The initial steps are about completed for the amalgamation of the Bridgeport and Hillsburg school sections, after which a High School building will be erected, when we will have a school of probably six departments, taking no mean place among similar institutions of the province.

The members of the Baptist church and congregation are engaged in finishing the repairs to their church and parsonage to the extent of between one and two thousand dollars, preparatory to the induction of their new pastor, Rev. B. N. Nobles, who is expected about June 1st.

The new schr. *Citizen* was successfully launched last Wednesday, and proceeded at once on her maiden trip to St. John, between which port and Bear River she will make weekly trips. This vessel is a little beauty, of sixty tons gross tonnage, and under the energetic management of Clarke Bros. she will furnish a most efficient service.

In shipping we have to note the despatch of the schr. *Francis R. Baird*, 225 cords pulp wood, by Clarke Bros; chartered and to arrive at once. Schrs. *Etta M. Barter* and *Geo. H. Mills* whose cargoes of four to five hundred cords pulp wood are now ready on the wharves of the above named firm. Schr. *Muriel* having lately discharged a cargo of molasses at Portland, is due and will at once load lumber for Trinidad. A cable received a few days since announced the safe arrival at Cienfuegos of the barquentine *Ethel Clarke*, having made the voyage from this port in sixteen days. Brigt. *Harry* ... is loading molasses at Barbadoes for Montreal.

Inglisville Items.

Owing to mild weather our roads are improving.

We are sorry to hear of the sickness of Mr. Albert Dunn.

A number of the male inhabitants of this place are busily engaged making maple sugar.

Rev. J. T. Eaton and N. B. Dunn, lic., are conducting social services in the Baptist church of this place with favorable results.

With spring comes improvements. Mr. J. Beals and sons are improving their premises. Mr. Charles Crisp is painting his house, and Millege Beals is building an addition to his residence.

Death has visited us at the commencement of spring. Mr. Atwood Beals, who has been ill for several years, passed peacefully away, leaving a vacant place in the home circle, the church, and the social circle that cannot be filled. Although we feel that God has called him home, we wish he could have been spared longer to have comforted his father and sister, the remaining members of the family living at home. We tender them and his brothers and sister abroad our sincerest sympathy in their bereavement. Again, last Monday the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Beals went home to the one who said "Suffer the little children to come unto Me and forbid them not, for of such is the kingdom of God."

They're gathering homeward from every land
One by one! One by one!
And their weary feet touch the shining strand,
Yes, one by one!
They rest with the Saviour, they wait their crown,
Their travel-stained garments are all laid down,
They wait the white raiment the Lord shall prepare,
For all who the glory with Him shall share.

Belleisle Bits

Mr. Wm. R. Bustin is going to Clements to resume operations in the blacksmith's ... in the shop of Mr. ... Vroom.

We are pleased to learn that Mrs. Abner P. Neily, who has been very seriously indisposed for some time past, is convalescent.

Miss Phoebe A. O Singer wishes, through the columns of the MONITOR, to tender her most sincere thanks to her many friends for the kind and much appreciated donation bestowed upon her.

The District Division of Sons of Temperance met at Seymour division room (Roney's Hall) on Wednesday last. The different divisions throughout the county were well represented. Capt. George E. Corbitt and the Rev. Wm. Phillips, the expected orators of the occasion, were both absent—the former confined to his home through sickness, while the latter was filling a previous engagement. At the evening session the hall was packed, a large majority being ladies. Upon the platform were to be seen several of the old temperance veterans, such as J. W. James, of Lawrencetown; Walter Mills and C. F. Armstrong, of Granville Ferry; A. D. Parker and John W. Wade, of Seymour division; Mrs. Isaac Goodwin and G. A. Ray, of Greenleaf division, and others. Mr. A. D. Parker was chosen chairman. The choir discoursed some excellent selections, and the singing of Misses Hattie and Rena Parker was particularly pleasing. Judging by the interest manifested, the temperance body is becoming more determined than ever to effect prohibition. We wish them every success in their noble undertaking.

Clementsvale Items.

Miss Hattie Spinney, of Greenwood, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Avard Potter.

The Y.P.S.C.E. is in a flourishing condition, and we believe much good is being done.

Princeville Sewing Circle will meet at the house of Mrs. David Frazer on Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Fred P. Jones, who has been confined to her bed for several weeks with pneumonia, we are glad to report, is on the mend.

The young people of this place are making great preparations for a concert, which they anticipate giving in the near future.

The annual meeting of the trustees and congregation of the Baptist church is to take place next Tuesday afternoon.

Etta Z. Baird has been confined to the house for some weeks with lung trouble. We hope to see her out soon.

Carpenters are at work making the preliminary preparations for the erection of a dwelling-house for Mr. W. R. Chute, who proposes to build on the premises adjoining his place of business.

On Sunday evening two barns belonging to Mr. Thos. ..., and situated near this place, were totally consumed by fire. How the fire originated is a mystery. Incendiarism is suspected.

Springfield Sprinkles.

Mrs. Salina Fletcher has left this place for the U. S., where she intends staying the summer at least.

Mrs. Zenas Saunders and daughter Nellie have returned from their sojourn in Boston and vicinity, looking none the worse for their trip. We are pleased to welcome them among us again.

Mr. Hatch, of Alton, Maine, is here in the interest of land owned by Pitman and Co., and is scaling the timber that was landed on the banks of the various streams to be floated to the mills, and doing all other business in connection therewith.

The Springfield Milling and Manufacturing Company have commenced operations ... They expect to do a large business ... summer. Some needed changes and ... have been done inside the mill, and ... they are in a position to do first-class work at figures to suit the times. Work has also been resumed on the canal, which will be completed in a short time. The company expect to float in the neighborhood of two million feet of lumber through it this season.

Lower Granville Notes

Quite a number of our people have gone to the States this spring, seeking employment.

We hear that Rev. Mr. Gale will fill the Episcopal pulpits in this parish next Sabbath.

We learn that Rev. J. L. Read, on account of ill health, is not likely to assume the ... of the Baptist church in this ...

... John Brown, of Port George, and ... Marshall, of Middleton, have purchased ... *Blake* formerly owned ... Willoughby Anthony. ...

Nictaux Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Ward, of Melvin, formerly of this place, are here renewing old acquaintances.

Quite a severe snowstorm is prevailing this Tuesday morning. Already more than two inches have fallen; yet underneath are the beautiful Mayflowers in full bloom.

A missionary concert given by the Christian Endeavor Society on Sunday evening was pronounced first-class in every respect, and resulted very satisfactorily financially.

Dame Rumor says that two of our young people intend soon to ship as captain and mate upon a voyage on the matrimonial sea. May their voyage be a prosperous and happy one.

Our much esteemed citizen, Mr. R. I. Woodward, was absent a few days last week, having been summoned to the death-bed of his mother, in Cambridge, who quietly passed away in her 85th year.

Mr. Norman Beckwith, having fulfilled his engagement, as teacher, with the school directors, to their entire satisfaction, on Friday, turned his charge over to Miss Belle Wiswall who is engaged to teach out the term.

The saw-mill, under the efficient management of Mr. Edwin Berteaux, is being operated in all its departments, turning out lumber, staves and shingles. The large quantity of logs on hand will keep her buzzing for several months.

The dwelling known as the late Charles Berteaux place, now owned by our enterprising neighbor Mr. Solomon Drew, is undergoing a change in appearance by the application of the paint-brush. A little expense with a large amount of enterprise work wonders.

Middleton.

Mr. Harry Reed shipped a large lot of Nonpareils for the London market last week.

A. J. Morrison is busy making some improvements about his beautiful new premises, in the way of grading, etc.

Miss O. Eaton, sister of Mrs. G. C. Miller, who has been teaching music in New Germany during the winter, returns home today.

Our citizens are greatly pleased at the prospect of the consolidation of the Windsor and Annapolis and Western Counties railways.

The small fruit industry will be especially benefitted, as in the past our growers have found great difficulty in securing through freights at reasonable rates. Then too some of us are hoping that as this is the centre of the united line and the terminus of the N. S. Central as well, it may in time be made the headquarters of the system.

Miss Steadman, President of the W. C. T. U. of the province, delivered a lecture on prohibition in Gullivan's Hall on Thursday evening last, to a fairly well filled house. Miss S. has a very pleasing and ladylike deportment on the platform and a voice and delivery of much sweetness. The lecture which was delivered from manuscript was of the usual kind, with a little advocacy of women's right added. She believes in immediate prohibition, thinks the Scott Act a "bundle of absurdities," has a pretty poor opinion of our politicians generally, and thinks the women ought to be allowed to vote, sure. As a whole, however, the address was up to the average of temperance lectures and was well appreciated by the audience.

Williamston.

Mr. Albert Schaffner, who has been studying medicine at Baltimore, paid a flying visit to his friends here Saturday, and on Monday left for Halifax.

Mr. Lindley Darland takes his departure this week for Farmington, having made arrangements to enter the store of Mr. Schaffner of that place.

Miss Stella Saunders, of Lawrencetown, has engaged quite a number of pupils in this village, to whom she will give instructions in instrumental music. Her scholars are to be congratulated on securing the assistance of so efficient a teacher.

At a meeting of the stockholders of the Williamston Cheese Factory, held last week, it was decided to run the factory this summer as usual. Mr. Asa W. Beals has been engaged to superintend the manufacture, and this alone is a guarantee of the good quality of the product. Experts claim that Williamston cheese is equal, if not superior, to the far-famed Lochaber cheese of Antigonish.

Lawrencetown.

The snow of Saturday has spoiled our roads.

The mat-making fever is giving place to an epidemic of paint and whitewash.

Our bridge is very dark, except when the moon is bright. Our townspeople sympathise with Bridgetown in the desire for some local legislation on this matter.

Miss Steadman's lecture was well appreciated. The audience was large and the collection good. Miss Steadman gave a strong plea for the franchise of women, as a lever in the great work of temperance.

N. H. Phinney, Esq., is as "busy as a bee in a tar bucket" looking after the interest of his singers for the coming musical convention. Work is already commenced on the building, which is to have a seating capacity for 5,000 people.

More apples are to be shipped from our station this week, for the English market. It is to be hoped that the returns for well packed apples will be more satisfactory to the shipper than the two last shipments proved to be.

Clarence Chips.

Spring is beginning to show signs of advancing. Just a suspicion of green is discernable on the grey earth, if one's eye does not take too broad a vision.

The woodman's axe seems to be silent. Very few "chips" to gather. In fact everybody is pursuing the even tenor of his way.

Farmers are busy pruning their orchards; some few are making fences and otherwise actively engaged. The process of mat hooking and quilting seems to be taking up the attention of the feminine portion of the community at present.

Deacon E. J. Elliott, our genial and enterprising shipper, has just completed his last shipment of apples for the English market for this season and will be able to take a much needed rest in that department. Possessing a thorough knowledge of the business, and one in whom can be placed implicit confidence, he is simply a boon to this community as well as the surrounding country.

West Paradise Jottings.

The voices of numerous frogs were heard here on the 10th instant.

Mr. and Mrs. Guilford Foster and family, of this place, contemplate a change of residence in the near future.

Mr. Busby Daniels, the noted trapper, has received some sixty-five dollars for furs caught this winter.

The school entertainment, recently held at Carleton's Corner, was a perfect success. The sum of $12.00 was realized.

Some few of the livelier steeds of this vicinity have been undergoing a rigid training, purposely for the proving of their relative speed.

Mr. Isaac Harnish moved his portable sawmill from Arthur Morse's woods to Norman Longley's property last week. It will be stationed there some six or seven weeks, sawing for different parties.

Victoriavale.

Mrs. John Ward is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Dr. Wilber, at Fall River, Mass.

Mrs. Wm. Dodge, who has been spending a few months with friends in Berwick, arrived home on Saturday last.

Rev. Mr. Howie will hold his usual service in the church on Sunday morning, April 23rd, at 11 o'clock.

Since our last writing, Mr. I. D. Reagh, one of our worthy bachelors, has stepped over the line and joined the ever-increasing band of benedicts. All wish Mr. R. and his bride many years of happiness.

Mr. and Mrs. John Warner from Melvern Square, Mr. William Young from Horton, Fred Welton from New Brunswick, Mrs. Geo. Gillis from Ontario, have been visitors to our town of late.

Paradise Gleams.

Our streets present a busy scene, with lumber and apples both going to the station.

Mr. C. Covert has commenced repairs on his house.

We are pleased to see Mr. Fred W. Leonard among us again, and hope he has come to stay.

The 24th is beginning to be the topic of conversation. Meetings for practice and making plans are being held.

Mrs. W. E. Starratt read an address last Sabbath, presented by the Sabbath-school to Mr. Z. Phinney, on his retiring from the office of superintendent, after four years of faithful service.

Have You Headache?

... is usually a symptom of ... constipation or liver com... entirely cured by B. B. B. (Burdock Blood Bitters) because this medicine ... and regulates the stomach, ... blood.

... every ache flees from Johnson's ...

Hampton.

The weather is very cold and spring is backward.

The foundation for the new wharf was laid on Monday.

Freeman Dunn has returned to Boston. Reed Farnsworth and Henry Chute have joined the schr. *Blake*, Capt. John Brown.

Your correspondent begs to thank Master Jasper Titus for a beautiful bouquet of Mayflowers.

Thomas Templeman got quite a catch of fish one day last week, which met with a ready sale at Bridgetown. They were the first of the season.

Belvidere Encampment.

It was the pleasure and privilege of Belvidere Encampment at Windsor to be favored on April 13th with an official visit from Samuel Watts, P.G.R., and Grand Patriarch of the Maritime Provinces of Canada, when a very enjoyable time was spent. After the meeting was called to order by Patriarch T. N. Patton, the grand officers, Samuel Watts, Jesse P. Smith and B. S. Knowles were announced, and the grand honors given; the degree of the Golden Rule was conferred, after which an eloquent address was delivered by Patriarch Watts in a manner pleasing and enjoyable to all. Responses were made by Patriarchs present. Patriarch W. C. Balcom tendered the regrets of Patriarch J. P. Edwards of Tawopskik Encampment who was owing to unavoidable circumstances unable to be present. Meeting closed and the brethren proceeded to the Dufferin Hotel, where a sumptuous banquet was spread by Mine Hosts G. T. Schultz and C. A. Jordan. The bill of fare says sufficient for the new proprietors.

MENU.

SOUP.
Ox Tail.
BOILED.
Leg Mutton (Caper Sauce), Turkey (Celery Sauce.)
ROASTS.
Turkey (Cranberry Sauce), Chicken, Beef (Mushroom Sauce.)
ENTRIES.
Escalloped Oysters, Lobster Salad.
COLD MEATS.
Ham, Tongue, Corned Beef.
VEGETABLES.
Potatoes, Turnips, Beets, Parsnips, Peas.
SAUCES.
Worcester, Tomato, Ketchup, Chow Chow, French Mustard, Currie, Mixed Pickles.
PASTRY.
Lemon Pudding, Lemon, Washington, Chocolate and Mince Pies, Plum Tart.
DESSERT.
Bananas, Oranges, Apples, Raisins, Nuts, Celery, Crackers and Cheese.

After the excellent dinner several toasts were given, Patriarch Jesse P. Smith being toast master.

Queen—Jesse P. Smith.
Grand Encampment—Samuel Watts.
Grand Lodge—W. C. Balcom, B. S. Knowles, T. N. Patton.
Subordinate Encampment—T. N. Patton, M. C. Smith, A. Patterson, J. B. Barnes, C. M. Dimock.
Subordinate Lodges—J. W. Sharp, F. Pentz, T. W. McKinnaly, J. P. Graham, W. H. Roach, S. Watts.
Pesequid and Edward Lodges and Belvidere Encampment—Samuel Watts, responded to by Jesse P. Smith.
Sister Socities—J. J. Dixon, Boston.
Ladies—C. M. Dimock, M. C. Smith, H. Dore, Harry Campbell, F. Parker.
Press—J. W. Woodworth (*Tribune*), S. Watts (*Carlton Sentinel.*)
Our Hosts—Schultz and Jordan.
Our Next Merry Meeting.

The toasts were well responded to. The response of J. J. Dixon was listened to with rapt attention, the recitation by him, "Firing Butter," bringing forth great applause in *finis*. This was acknowledged to be one of the best spreads ever given in Windsor. The brethren dispersed after singing "Auld Lang Syne."

Gathering of Sabbath School Workers.

A very interesting, and we hope profitable, meeting of Sunday school workers assembled in the Baptist Church at Lawrencetown on the 11th inst. The afternoon session was occupied with the reading and discussion of Bro. Fred Goucher's paper, "How to Secure the Attendance of our Young Men." The essayist impressed the thought of the passage, "Train up a child in the way he should go." Parents cannot delegate this responsibility to others. There should be thorough home training, studying together the lesson. Parents must be very diligent in teaching the word of God. Rev. L. J. Tingley followed in support. Parents should say *come*, and not *go*, to the Sabbath-school. Superintendent and teachers should be suffused with the spirit of the Master. Bros. N. B. Dunn and S. N. Jackson, Deacon Dunn, Revs. F. M. Young, R. B. Kinley, W. H. Richan, C. E. Pineo, J. T. Eaton, E. E. Locke and others, further ventilated the subject, some claiming that the teacher had the greater influence over the scholar, and that it required united effort to secure the best results.

The secretary reported over 3000 scholars in the county in fifty-five Baptist schools, more than half of which are sustained throughout the year. In thirty schools reporting complete statistics 616 church members are found. Quite a number had few church members; these needed the sympathy and support of the stronger.

For want of time this report, together with those of the vice-presidents, were referred to the executive committee.

In the evening session the black-board exercise by Bro. Israel Longley, President of the Convention, received the highest commendation and far exceeded any former effort in that line witnessed by those present. The subject, "Rebuilding," was partially to represent the lesson of the past quarter. A temple was drawn upon the board and the construction explained of the two temples—temporal and spiritual—culminating in the last letter "G" and the word Glory, and illustrating the text "I will fill this house with Glory," and "Here will I give Glory," and "The Glory of the latter house shall exceed that of the former. Concluding he asked the audience to help fit in four stones, viz., [P] Prayer, [K S] Keeping the Sabbath, [R L] Reading the Law, and [P S] Power of the Spirit.

After discussion of this exercise the convention adjourned to meet at the call of the executive committee.

L. W. ELLIOTT, *Secty.*

Presentation.

The acceptance by the present curate of St. John's church, Truro, of the position of curate of Granville Ferry parish, Annapolis, has necessitated the withdrawal of the Rev. Mr Gale from our midst. This event has occasioned the members of his Ladies' Bible Class, to take advantage of it, and allow Mr. Gale an outward expression of their very sincere regards and thanks for their privilege of having him as their teacher and friend.

A presentation was made of a very feelingly expressed address signed by all members of his Bible class and accompanied with a purse of gold, to which a reply from the curate was most feelingly and happily expressed. After the gale a calm succeeded, which was taken advantage of by all present at the residence of Mrs. Holland to partake of refreshments.

We certainly voice the sentiments of all church members as well as the many friends he has made in Truro when we express our sincere regret at his removal, but wish him in all sincerity God speed.—*Truro News.*

Those Flowers.

The convicts of Charlestown State prison, in Massachusetts subscribed twenty-five dollars for flowers, to grace the bier of the late Gen. Benjamin F. Butler. Butler was preeminently the friend of the poor; and of the unfortunate. This act of those convicts indicate that even such as they are not without some delicate sensibilities. If Ben had been permitted to sit up in his coffin and look upon the stirring sight as the procession slowly moved along, it is quite probable that he would have appreciated the gift of those outcasts more than the solemn martial strains of the Dead March in Saul.

News From Honolulu.

New York, April 17.—In a letter from Honolulu, dated April 8th, Charles Nordhoff, the *Herald* correspondent says: "The 50,000 natives and all the proper age, able to read and write and brought up under American missionary training are with very few exceptions opposed to annexation. Against these are 1928 Americans, most of whom want annexation. The provisional government is slowly losing adherents. The queen's influence is expected to maintain order. No lawless outbreaks are feared.

Cholera Reported at Winnipeg.

St. Paul, Minn., April 17.—It is reported that several cases of cholera exist among a lot of immigrants from Southern Russia who have come through to Winnipeg where they are now in quarantine. The immigrants were destined for the U. S., and but for the prompt intervention of the Winnipeg authorities, would have crossed over to North Dakota.

—English Spavin Liniment removes all hard, soft or calloused Lumps and Blemishes from horses, Blood Spavin, Curbs, Splints, Ring Bone, Sweeney, Stifles, Sprains, Sore and Swollen Throat, Coughs, etc. Save $50 by use of one bottle. Warranted by deBlois & Primrose.

The W. & A. Railway ... Western Counties

AND WILL SOON OPERATE THE WHOLE LINE FROM HALIFAX TO YARMOUTH UNDER THE NAME OF THE DOMINION ATLANTIC RAILWAY.

The twenty years' dream of the people of western Nova Scotia is just about to be realized, viz., a through railway from Halifax, to Yarmouth, under one enterprising and energetic management.

No part of Canada has suffered so much on account of the insufficient and unsatisfactory railway communication and connection, as have Halifax and the western counties of Nova Scotia. For half a score of years it was a series of vexations to the travelling and commercial public. Who does not remember when there were four breaks in the 217 mile trip from Halifax to Yarmouth? When one fare had to be paid from Halifax to Windsor, with a change of cars to the W. & A. road and a new ticket to Annapolis. At that point the missing link was staged to Digby, over roads never to be forgotten after once travelled, or the trip down the basin made in a little tug boat. Then the fourth ticket was purchased and change of cars made by taking the Western Counties to Yarmouth!

It was no wonder that the trade of the Western Counties with Halifax was diverted to other centres!

The checkered history of the Western Counties railway is well known to readers of the *Halifax Herald*, and the recent events by which, under the judgment of the highest court of the empire, the road passed into control of a syndicate of English capitalists, is not unfamiliar.

REVOLUTIONIZING THE W. AND A.

The management of the Windsor & Annapolis railway has been revolutionized within two or three years, dating from the appointment of Mr. Campbell as general manager. Mr. Campbell is a railway man of liberal views, of clear insight into the possibilities of the development of travel and traffic over his road, with unbounded faith in his route and the country; and had the requisite enterprise and energy to secure the business that only awaited facilties for handling it. Within the brief period of his management he has transformed the old W. & A. into the popular "Land of Evangeline route," and equipped it with the "Flying Bluenose," one of the most magnificent of Canada's fast trains. The roadbed and rolling stock have been greatly improved, new stations erected, the road popularized, and traffic and travel greatly developed.

Not content with the good work accomplished in this line, Mr. Campbell has also pursued an aggressive policy in regard to absorbing other lines. Last year the Cornwallis Valley railway, running from Kentville to Kingsport, became part of the Windsor & Annapolis system. Immediately after assuming the management of the road, Mr. Campbell realized the importance and advantage of amalgamating with the Western Counties and operating the through line from Halifax to Yarmouth under one progressive management. The completion of the "missing link" and the final settlement of the litigation between the Western Counties and the English syndicate increased his hopes in that direction, and from that time he spared no effort to carry his ideas to a successful issue.

GENERAL MANAGER CAMPBELL ANNOUNCES THE GOOD NEWS.

The general manager arrived from Europe a day or two ago. Interviewed by a *Herald* reporter yesterday, he admitted that his company had succeeded in coming to an arrangement with the new owners of the Western Counties railway for acquiring that road, and consolidating a thorough line from Halifax to Yarmouth under one management.

"The capital of the new company," continued Mr. Campbell, "will be $5,000,000,—ample for the acquisition of the Western counties, and the placing of the whole line in first class condition."

"You will change the name?"

"Oh, yes. There's a good deal in a name. We propose to drop both the old names and adopt one identified with the whole province. The road will run from sea to sea—from the Atlantic to the Bay of Fundy; and we shall call it the Dominion Atlantic railway. The trunk line will be 217 miles, which with branches will give us a road of 235 miles. We are still making improvements on the W. & A., improving its road bed, and equipping it with new passenger coaches and improved locomotive power. We shall place the whole line to Yarmouth in first-class condition, relay the Western counties with steel rails, replace its wooden bridges with iron structures and thoroughly equip it with rolling stock.

THE FLYING BLUENOSE,

which was so popular on the W. & A. during the last two seasons, and which attracted such a large travel over the road, will now run through from Halifax to Yarmouth, where we shall make close connection with the daily (or almost daily) boat for Boston, affording rapid transit to passengers for all New England and western Canadian points. We regard Boston as the natural terminus of our system, and we shall, of course, aim to make the land of Evangeline the speediest and most popular route from Nova Scotia to the New England states. The trip will be provided between land and water by fast train and fast steamer; and the beauties of the land of Evangeline will be united with the bracing sea air."

"When do you take possession of the Western Counties?"

"As soon as the legislative formalities are obtained. We hope to be in control by the 1st of June, in time for the season's traffic."—*Halifax Herald.*

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Cyclone in Missouri.

A terrible cyclone passed through the state of Missouri on Wednesday afternoon, carrying destruction on its track, killing 6 persons and wounding a large number. Besides the places enumerated the town of Robinson, Mississippi, was swept away and all the stores were burned. The night operator's wife and several negroes were killed. Only two houses are left standing. At Yipsilanti, Michigan, heavy damage was found in the business section, almost all the buildings and several residences being demolished. A number of persons were injured. At Kansas City 15 persons were killed and many injured.

C. C. RICHARDS & Co.:

Gents,—My daughter was apparently at the point of death with that terrible disease diphtheria. All remedies had failed; but MINARD'S LININENT cured her; and I would earnestly recommend it to all who may be in need of a good family medicine.

JOHN D. BOUTILIER.

French Village.

Dr. Graves Goes Free.

Denver, Col., April 16.—Dr. Thatcher Graves, who was convicted of the murder of Mrs. Barnaby, of Providence, R. I., will go free. The county commissioners yesterday refused to appropriate funds to defray the expenses of witnesses for a new trial, who are now in the east. The district attorney says he has no money to proceed with a new trial. John Conrad, son-in-law of Mrs. Barnaby, says he will have nothing more to do with the prosecution of Graves.

Lived 77 days Without Food.

South Bethlehem, Pa., April 15.—Dennis Mulhearn, a blast-furnace workman, died to-day in the county almshouse, after having gone without food for seventy-seven days. Death was caused by starvation. Mulhearn's wife and family left him a year ago and grief caused him to lose his mind. He refused all food and had wasted to a mere skeleton.

The Wonderful Campania.

London, April 16.—The new Cunarder *Campania* to-day developed the wonderful speed of 27 miles an hour on her trial trip.

—Itch on human and horse and all animals cured in 30 minutes by Woolford's Sanitary Lotion. Warranted by deBlois & Primrose.

Relief and Cure.

SIRS,—I have used Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam for coughs and colds, and it gives relief in a few hours and always results in a cure. I would not be without it. MRS. ALFRED VICE, Berlin, Ont.

Services for Sunday, April 23rd.

CHURCH OF ENGLAND.—Rev. F. P. Greatorex, Rector. In St. James', Bridgetown: Services at 3 and 7.30 p.m. Meeting of St. James' Circle of the King's Daughters on Friday evening at 7, at the residence of Mrs. Ansley. Service with celebration of Holy Communion in St. Mary's, Bellisle, at 10.30. Seats free in both churches.

BAPTIST CHURCH.—Rev. F. M. Young, Ph. B., Pastor. Bridgetown: Bible Class and Sabbath School, 10 a.m.; Preaching Service, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Prayer meeting on Tuesday day, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings, and Wednesday afternoon. Service at Wadeville, Sunday afternoon at 3.

GORDON MEMORIAL CHURCH.—Rev. R. S. Whidden, Pastor. Service at 3.15 o'clock. Meeting of Junior Endeavor Society, at 11 a.m. Bible Class and Sunday-school at 2 p.m. Meeting of the Y. P. S. C. E. Tuesday, at 8 o'clock p.m. Service at Annapolis at 11 a.m.; Bible class and Sunday-school at 2 p.m.; Ladies Prayer Meeting, Wednesday, at 7 p.m.; General prayer-meeting at 7.30. Seats free in both churches. Citizens and strangers are cordially invited.

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; Granville every Tuesday evening; Bentville every Thursday evening.

LAWRENCETOWN CIRCUIT.

METHODIST CHURCH.—Rev. J. R. Downing, Pastor: Inglisville, 11 a.m.; Lawrencetown, 3 p.m.; Williamston, 7 p.m. Alpena, Friday evening; North Albany, Saturday evening.

MIDDLETON CIRCUIT.

PINE GROVE BAPTIST CHURCH: Rev. E. E. Locke, pastor. Public worship at Pine Grove at 11 a.m., Bible Class and Sabbath-school at 10 a.m.; Port George at 3 p.m.; and at Brooklyn at 7.30 p.m. Prayer meeting at Pine Grove on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. Covenant and business meeting at Pine Grove on Saturday at 2 p.m.

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Births.

LONGLEY.—At Granville, on Sunday, 16th inst., to Mr. and Mrs. Israel Longley, a daughter.

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RHODES.—At Granville Ferry, on the 15th inst., to Mr. and Mrs. James H. Rhodes, a son.

SLOCOMB.—At Middleton, on the 12th inst., to Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Slocomb, a son.

NICHOLS.—At Nictaux West, on the 12th inst., to Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Nichols, a son.

QUINLAN.—At Victoria, on the 12th inst., to Mr. and Mrs. John Quinlan, a son.

COLEMAN.—At Nictaux, on the 15th inst., to Mr. and Mrs. Barry Coleman, a son

Marriages.

DURLING—REISE.—At the Baptist Parsonage, 8th inst., by Rev. F. M. Young, Lorenzo Durling, of Port George, to Etta May Reise, of Granville.

Deaths.

JEFFERSON.—At Clementsvale, April 7th, Jas. Jefferson, aged 70 years.

McCORMICK.—At Annapolis Royal, on Thursday morning, 13th inst., after a short illness, the infant daughter of Walter and Eva McCormick, aged 7 months.

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AND

GEORGE DANIELS, Defendant.

To be sold at public auction by Weston A. Fowler, Esq., a coroner in and for the county of Annapolis, at the Court House in Bridgetown, in the county of Annapolis, on

Saturday, the 13th day of May,

A. D. 1893, at twelve o'clock noon, pursuant to an order of foreclosure and sale made herein, dated the 11th day of April, A. D. 1893, unless before the day of sale the amount due on the mortgages sought to be foreclosed herein and costs are paid to the Plaintiffs or their solicitor or into Court,—

All the estate, right, title, interest and equity of redemption of the above named defendant George Daniels, and which he and Sarah Daniels, his wife, had therein at the time they made the several mortgages foreclosed in this action, of in and to all those certain lots, tracts, pieces or parcels of land and premises, situate lying and being in the township of Annapolis, bounded and described as follows:—

Commencing at the Annapolis River and northwest of lands owned by Samuel Bishop; thence running west the course of the said river twenty rods; thence south the true course of the said lines fourteen rods south of the highway; thence west five rods; thence south the true course of the lines till it strikes lands in possession of Marsden Taylor; thence east along the said lines till it strikes lands owned by the said Samuel Bishop; thence north the true course of the lines to the place of beginning, containing one hundred acres more or less. Also beginning on the south bank of the Annapolis River at the northwest corner of lands in possession of George Daniels; thence west along the said river eight rods; thence south the true course of the lines of the main Annapolis highway; thence eastwardly along the north side of said highway eight rods to the west line of lands of the said George Daniels; thence northerly along the said line to the place of beginning, containing five acres, more or less, together with the buildings, ways, privileges and appurtenances to the same belonging or in any wise appertaining.

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