The Weekly Monitor.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 20th, 1886.

ANNAPOLIS, S. S.,
In the Municipal Council, Annual Meeting, 1886.

Council met in the Court House, Annapolis Royal, on Tuesday, the 12th day January, A. D., 1886, at ten o'clock A. M.

Present, The Warden, Councillors, Roy, Phinney, Leonard, Vidito, Young, Pickup, Thorne, Mills, Bent, Roop, Dukeshire, Buckler.

The minutes of last semi-annual meeting were read and approved.

Ordered, That W. Y. Foster, Esq., be Treasurer of the Municipality for the ensuing year, and that the salary of said office be the same as last year.

Mr. Foster was thereupon sworn into office.

Ordered, That William M. Weatherspoon and Fred Leavitt, Esquires, be the auditors for the ensuing year.

Ordered, That Councillors Mills, Phinney, and Roop be a committee to nominate the standing committees.

The committee reports and the same is on motion adopted.

The following is the report:—

To the Warden and Councillors of the Municipality of the County of Annapolis:—

Your Committee to appoint the standing Committee beg to report as follows:—

Public Accounts and Finance—Councillors Leonard, Thorne and Pickup.

Tenders and Public Property—Councillors Vidito, Bent and Young.

Licenses—Mills, Roy and Phinney.

Roads and Bridges—Councillors Phinney, Roy, Slocumb, Leonard, Vidito, Young, Pickup, Thorne, Roop, Clark, Mills, Whitman, Bent, Beals, Roop and Dukeshire.

Assessments—Clark, Beals and Major Roop.

Lunatics—Councillors Dukeshire, Slocumb and Buckler.

Respectfully submitted,

JNO. B. MILLS,
ELIAS PHINNEY,
MAJOR C. ROOP,
Committee.

Annapolis Royal, Jan. 12th, 1886.

RECESS.

Upon reading and considering the petition of Jesse Oakes, and others, in reference to the closing of a road in Albany, the prayer thereof was on motion granted.

Upon reading and considering the petition of Mary Baker and Marilla Parker, the same was on motion referred to the committee on assessments.

Upon reading and considering the petition of G. E. Spurr, and others, in reference to closing a portion of a road in Torbrook, the same was on motion granted.

Upon reading and considering the petition of the Board of Health, of Annapolis, asking for a general vaccination; It was ordered, That the prayer thereof be not granted.

Upon reading and considering the petition of William Henshaw, asking, that Wallace A. Wright, be allowed to perform his statute labor on his own road, the prayer thereof was on motion granted. Said labor to be done under the supervision of the surveyors of highways for the district in which he resides.

Upon reading and considering the petition of Watson Vidito, and others, in reference to a road in Bear River; It is ordered, That the prayer thereof be granted and that a committee be be appointed to inquire into the propriety and necessity of said road as prayed for, and if necessary and proper to lay out the same in manner prescribed by law. *Committee*—James E. Harris, E. E. Tupper and D. I. Morse.

Ordered, That Richard J. Uniacke, Esq., prothonotary of the Supreme Court, be authorized to procure a new seal for the Supreme Court of the County of Annapolis, the design to be the same as on the old seal; the cost of the same to be paid out of contingent fund.

Ordered, That Richard J. Uniacke, Esq., be authorized to procure two suitable jury boxes for the County, the price for the same to be drawn from the contingent fund.

Ordered, That the petition in reference to a division in a road district on the Hanley Mountain road be laid over to the semi-annual meeting next ensuing.

Ordered, That the prayer of D. W. Landers, and others, asking for an alteration in the division line between Wards Nos. 1 & 2, be granted, and that the necessary papers be forwarded to the Government.

Ordered, That the prayer of the petition of Elwood Young, and others, asking for a division in road district No. 11, Ward No. 13, at the south line of Boyd McNayr's farm; It is ordered, That the prayer thereof be granted.

Ordered, That the prayer of the petition of Joseph Fader, be not granted.

Ordered, That the prayers of the petition of James P. Foster, and others, asking to extend district No. 62, in the township of Wilmot, in Ward No. 3, to the head of the breakwater at Port Lorne be granted.

Upon reading and considering the petition of Wallace Rumsey, and others, asking for a division in road district No. 74; It is ordered, That the prayer of said petition be granted, and that the portion of said district known as the Balcom road extending from the Clarence road south to William Sprowl's south line be added to road district No. 65.

Ordered, That the prayer of the petition of Henry Walker, and others, be granted.

Council adjourned.

WEDNESDAY.

Council opened at ten o'clock a. m.

Minutes of Tuesday read and adopted.

Ordered, That the re numbering and divisions of road districts be now taken up.

The Council resolved itself into committee of the whole to consider the re numbering and division of said road districts. The Warden in the chair.

The Committee adjourned.

RECESS.

Upon reading and considering the petition of T. W. Outhit, and upwards of twenty others, freeholders of the County, the precept thereon addressed to Dimock Gates, John Phinney and William McNeil, as a Committee, the order of Council not confirming the report of said committee, and on motion of Councillor Mills, seconded by Councillor Pickup, the order of May term last in reference to said road was rescinded, and on motion the original report of the committee was adopted, and the road as in said petition mentioned, together with all proceedings had in pursuance of said original petition be and the same are hereby confirmed and that the said road be known hereafter as a public road in the County of Annapolis.

Upon reading and considering the petition of H. F. Vroom, and upwards of twenty others, asking for a road from the Post road in Clements to a certain burial ground in Clements, of which the Methodist Church of Canada has a deed; It is ordered, That the prayer thereof be granted, and that a committee be appointed to inquire into the propriety and necessity of said road as prayed for, and if necessary and proper to lay off the same in manner prescribed by law. *Committee*—Wm. C. Shaw, Joseph Roop, Wm. Gilliatt.

Upon reading and considering the petition of William R. Troop and William O. Foster, in reference to the road leading from the Chute road westward to the Phinney road; it is ordered, That said petitions lie on the table indefinitely.

Upon reading and considering the petition of H. F. Burns, the same was on motion referred to the committee on assessments.

Ordered, That the report of the auditing committee lie on the table till to-morrow morning.

Council adjourned.

THURSDAY.

Council met at ten o'clock a. m.

The Warden in chair.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Upon reading and considering the petition of Caleb Slocomb, et als, asking to extend the Wilkins road down to the shore or new road, a distance of about one hundred rods, It is ordered, That the prayer thereof be granted and that a committee be appointed to inquire into the propriety and necessity of said alteration as prayed for and if necessary and proper to lay off said alterations as prayed for. *Committee*—Adelbert Wilkins, George Neily and William Crawford.

Ordered, That the report of the auditors be received.

The following is the report.

To the Warden and Councillors of the Municipality of Annapolis:—

The undersigned Auditors, appointed at your annual meeting, in January 1885; beg leave to report that we were duly sworn as per affidavits hereto annexed, marked respectively, "A" and "B."

We have thoroughly examined the books and accounts of the Treasurer, for the year ending 31st December, 1885, and carefully checked the vouchers produced therefor, and find the same to be correct, and showing a balance of $690.61, in that officer's hands for year 1884, (continued) as per statement annexed marked "C," and also find a balance of $330.25 for year 1885, as per statement annexed, marked "D," both balances together amounting to $1,020 86.

It was our intention to have embodied in the report a statement of outstanding claims for year 1884, and on Friday last requested the Clerk by mail, to furnish us with a list, but on Monday evening, 11th inst., he informed us that he had not received our letter, which we extremely regret, our intention being to show how much of the balance of $670.91 if any, could be made available for the present year. We annex a copy of the letter referred to marked "I."

We annex also a statement of contingent accounts, marked "E," balance of which, amounting to $519,12 is carried to general account ("D.")

We find the sum of $1,358.36, for year 1885, not paid in on 31st December, by Collectors of Wards, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 13 and 15, as will appear by statement marked "F," annexed, which also shows a reduction of $5.08, (by authority of the Clerk) in rate roll of Ward 6.

As requested by vote of Council in May, 1885, we annex a statement (marked "G") of delinquent collectors for year 1879 to 1884 inclusive.

We have carefully examined the road and bridge service accounts for 1885, and find the same correct, and also annexed a statement of same marked "H."

We beg to call attention to the fact that of all the auctioneers, and there are quite a number doing business in this County, the Treasurer has only received one license fee ($5), and that from John I. Nixon, (see contingent account "E.") It may not be in our province to state, but we cannot in justice to ourselves as Auditors, withhold the information given us by Messrs. Edwin Gates, and F. C. Whitman, of Annapolis, who say that about April last, they paid into the County Clerk, $5 each, and received their licenses, and we hear of others doing the same, yet the Treasurer has not received these amounts. If there are auctioneers plying their vocation without license, then No. 19, of the bye laws of the Municipality should be enforced, and this should apply to truckmen, as we find no fees entered from that class. We would urge on behalf of the rate payers of this County, that it should be made imperative, that all fees whether for auctioneers, exhibitions, or other sources, and by whomsoever collected, should at once be paid over to the Treasurer, or at least before the close of each year.

In conclusion we beg to state that we have spent much time and given our best attention in order that our work might be efficiently performed and considering that we should be fairly renumerated for our service we render herewith our bill for $40.

Respectfully submitted.

WM. M. WEATHERSPOON,
FRED LEAVITT,
Auditors.

Annapolis, January 12th, 1885.

The Municipality of Annapolis,
To W. M. Weatherspoon and F. Leavitt.

For services as Auditors on accounts, etc., for year 1885, etc...$40 00

Annapolis, N. S., Jan. 12th, 1885

"A."

I, William M. Weatherspoon, do solemnly swear that I will faithfully and impartially, to the best of my knowledge and ability, execute the office of Auditor, to which I have been appointed in this Municipality, and that I have not received and will not receive any payment, or reward, or promise of such for the exercise of any partially, or malversation, or other undue execution of said office; and that I have not, during the time preceding my appointment to the said office of auditor, and that I have not since had, and that I have not now, directly or indirectly, any share or interest whatever, in any contract or employment, with, by, or on behalf of the Municipal Corporation of Annapolis, so help me, God.

WM M. WEATHERSPOON.

Sworn to at Annapolis, in the County of Annapolis, this 7th day of January, A. D. 1886, before me,

GEO. MCLAUGHLAN, J. P.

"B."

I, Frederick Leavitt do solemnly swear, that I will faithfully and impartially, to the best of my knowledge and ability, execute the office of auditor, to which I have been appointed in this Municipality, and that I have not received, and will not receive any payment, or reward, or promise of such, for the exercise of any partiality, or malversation, or other undue execution of the said office; and that I have not during the time preceding my appointment to the said office of Auditor, and that I have not since had and that I have not now, directly or indirectly, any share or interest whatever, in any contract or employment with, by, or on behalf of the Municipal Corporation of Annapolis, so help me God.

FRED LEAVITT.

Sworn to at Annapolis, in the County of Annapolis, this 7th day of January, A. D. 1886, before me,

GEO. MCLAUGHLAN, J. P.

"C."

Municipality of Annapolis.

Statement of General Account (continued) for the year 1884, *as shown by Treasurer's Books at* 31*st December.* 1885.

Dr.

Balance in Treasurer's hands, Jan. 1st, 1885		$2,442 77
COLLECTORS		
Ward 1	$259 63	
" 5	148 01	
" 6	127 84	
" 7	271 56	
" 8	493 39	
" 9	326 05	
" 10	62 32	
" 11	93 87	
" 15	33 63	
		1,816 30
		$4,259 07

Cr.

Balance due on school purposes	$ 128 46	
Hospital for Insane	2,000 00	
Poor house account	935 85	
Sundry amounts as per presentment, 1884	504 15	
		3,568 46
Balance in hands of Treasurer		$690 61

"D."

Municipality of Annapolis.

Statement of General Account for year 1885, *as shown by Treasurer's Books at* 31*st December,* 1884.

Cr.

Insurance on court house, Bridgetown	$ 798 00	
Government loan for schools	3,089 40	
Collectors, 1885	19,300 86	
		$23,187 86

Cr.

Schools	$6,122 07	
do (loan returned)	3,089 00	
Insane asylum	2,114 37	
Mrs S A Roop	3,643 90	
Poor house acct. 1885	2,050 30	
Bal. of contingent acct.	519 12	
Municipal expenses	392 40	
Jurors	155 40	
Road damages, Victoria St	1,725 00	
Road damages, other	295 00	
Salaries, Warden	50 00	
do Clerk	350 00	
do Treasurer	275 00	
Sundry amts as per presentment, &c	2,076 05	
		22,857 61
Balance in hands of Treasurer		$330 25

"E"

Contingent Account, 1885.

Cr.

H S Piper, printing	$133 00	
Bounties, bear, $78; wild cats, $31	109 00	
Sheriff, prisoners to Dorchester	80 00	
Sheriff and constables fees attending courts, &c	63 50	
Mrs Tupper, rent of hall	11 00	
R Shipley, do	60 00	
A Burbidge, reduction in rate	4 55	
Mrs S A Roop, interest 1st Nov. to 31st Dec	16 02	
Treasurer, extra, road & bridge act	25 00	
Clerk, post cards, $8; postage and stationery $46 84	54 80	
Coroners' inquests	27 04	
Removal of lunatics	72 00	
Witness fees	18 10	
Carpeting, &c, for court house, $9 96, stove, $15 00	24 96	
F Leavitt, salary stipendiary magistrate	5 00	
J H Thorne, fencing, &c	7 50	
Warden's orders, A Vidito, $20; S E Bent, $10	30 00	
Petty charges, for exchange, postage &c, &c	24 81	
		$766 28

Dr.

Fines, J L Cox, J P	21 00	
Fines, W Carlton, J P	13 00	
Fines, S McCormick, stipendiary magistrate	61 99	
Fines, R Harris, stip mag $101; less, retained for going to B'town, $1 00	100 00	
Fines, F Leavitt, stip mag	19 67	
Auctioneer's licenses, John I Nixon	5 00	
Exhibition license, John B Mills	22 00	
Exhibition license, clerk, Guy family	4 50	
		247 16
Balance to general account		$519 12

"I" [Copy.]

Annapolis, N.S.,
January 8th, 1886.

J. G. H. Parker, Esq., Municipal Clerk, Bridgetown.

DEAR SIR,—

Please send us by return mail a list of unpaid claims against the Municipality, as per the presentment of 1884, if any. We omitted to mention this yesterday while in your office. It is very important that we should have this information to complete our report. Do not fail to send this by to-morrow's mail. Also, please let us have a list of auctioneers to whom were granted licenses during the year 1885. Also, truckman, etc., if any.

Yours truly,

(Sgd.) W. M. WEATHERSPOON,
FRED LEAVITT.
Auditors.

Ordered, That the fire district of Annapolis be allowed to assess itself in the sum of five hundred dollars.

Ordered, That the bounds of the Annapolis fire district be altered as follows—the south bounds to be to the mile corner instead of to Woodlawn Cemetery road, the other bounds to remain as formerly recorded.

Ordered, That Councillor Vidito be authorized to tender for the material necessary to build the Chute Brook Bridge at Hampton, said material to be provided this winter.

RECESS.

Resolved, That through the neglect of public officers qualifying themselves to the different offices they are appointed to by this Municipality, and as it requires considerable trouble for justices to write the form of oath now used it is ordered that the clerk be authorized to get one thousand copies printed of said oath and a number sent to the councillors representing the different Wards of the County.

Moved by Councillor James H. Thorne, second by Elias Phinney.

Resolved as follows:

Whereas, the bridge at Melvern Square, in Ward No. 1, is now in a very unsafe condition, and the Municipality is in danger of being put to an expense for damage in case of accident.

Therefore Resolved, That the above named bridge be put under the Bridge Act.

Moved by Councillor Roy, seconded by Elias Phinney.

Ordered, That the Bridge over the Nictaux River called the Eager Bridge be placed under the operation of the Bridge Act.

ELIAS BEALS.
MAJOR C. ROOP.

RECESS.

After Recess. Ordered, That the matter of the removal of Miss Zeruah Long to the Alms House be left entirely with the committee on Tenders and Public Property.

Upon reading and considering the petition of Simon Riley, and others, in reference to the measurement of laths, It is ordered, That the prayer thereof be granted.

Upon reading and considering the petition of R. J. Harris, et als, asking leave to have the sum of $15.00 appropriated from the allotment of road moneys to Ward No. 10, applied toward keeping up the dyke on the south side of Allen's Creek, the prayer thereof was was on motion granted.

Ordered, That the Clerk of the Municipality, be directed to communicate with the government and request them to adopt such means as will lead to the establishment of the boundary line between Granville and Wilmot township.

Council adjourned.

FRIDAY.

Council met at ten a. m.

The Warden in chair.

Ordered, That the Postal Cards ordered to be printed at the last May meeting be printed in connection with the list of County and Town Officers.

Upon reading and considering the petition of Major A. Messenger, and others, asking for a division in road district No. 9, old division in Ward No. 11, said division to be made by dividing the same at or about Donald Messenger's east line, or in the middle of said district; It was upon motion ordered, That the prayer of said petition be granted.

The following is the report of the committee appointed to re-number the road districts.

The committee in re-numbering the road districts beg leave to report as follows, that the re-numbering by each respective Councillor in his list of road surveyors be adopted.

JAMES P. ROOP,
Chairman.

Upon motion the report was adopted.

Ordered, That the road leading from the Hessian line road and intersecting the post road leading to Clementsport, known as the VanBuskirk Road, be a road district.

Ordered, That the road leading from Trimper's Mill in Ward 9, to where it intersects the Potter road be a road district.

Ordered, That the portion of road leading from I. D. Vroom's wharf to where it intersects main street, Bear River, be added to district No. 26.

Ordered, That D. I. Morse of Bear River, be a Stipendiary Magistrate in addition to the present Stipendiary and W. V. Vroom, of Clementsport, for police district, No. 3.

Ordered, That Councillor Clark be substituted for Councillor Slocumb on the committee on insane.

Ordered, That George Wells, Senior, be put on the committee to lay out the road from Virginia to Greywood in place of Charles Ditmars to act with Edward Barteaux, Junior, and Ezekiel Banks.

The report of the committee on assessment was read and on motion the same was accepted.

A communication was read from Fred T. Congdon, Secretary of Commissioners, Nova Scotia Gov't., respecting assessment, Whereupon it was ordered, That a committee be appointed in accordance with the suggestion of said Commission to report upon the said question to the government. *Committee.*—Councillors Pickup, Leonard, and Phinney.

The following is the report of the committee.

Your Committee appointed to report on the purposed assessment law beg leave to report that the limited time at our disposal precludes our giving it the consideration the question demands.

While we consider that some change should be made in the present Assessment

(*Continued on next page.*)

LECTURE COURSE.—We again call attention to the lecture by the Rev. S. B. Dunn, in the Methodist Church, on tomorrow (Thursday) the 21st inst. Subject, "A Locomotive on Legs." Mr. Dunn, is well known as a popular speaker, and we have heard the above lecture highly recommended by several who have listened to it. Rev. J. A. Rogers, is expected to deliver the third lecture of the course on Feb. 16th.

—Ayer's Sarsaparilla is the most potent blood purifier, and a fountain of health and strength. Be wise in time. All baneful infections are promptly removed by this unequalled alterative.

"F". Statement for 1885, showing Amount of Rate Roll of each Ward, with Name of Collectors, and amount collected, uncollected, comm's, &c.

Ward.	Rate Roll.	Collector's Name.	Collected.	Commission.	Uncollect.
1	$ 2044 25	Judson Balcom	$ 1967 59	$ 76 66	$
2	1827 20	do.	1781 52	45 68	
3	1876 59	do.	1829 68	46 91	
4	1835 17	Rupert Parker	1643 00	41 29	150 88
5	1551 22	do.	1520 60	38 78	132 54
6	*1836 57	Chas E Troop	1760 00	45 91	30 66
7	614 83	Joseph Crosup	415 00	30 74	169 09
8	1153 16	W E Ruggles	1043 26	74 96	34 94
9	1100 29	Bernard C Clark	698 62	55 00	346 67
10	3043 21	H F Burns	2839 01	182 59	21 61
11	1705 05	W A Kinney	1296 68	25 58	387 79
12	1869 68	Judson Balcom	1827 61	42 07	
13	530 38	Robt Stoddard	404 91	37 12	88 35
14	258 29	B Dukeshire	235 46	23 83	
15	198 20	W A Kinney	181 52	15 85	83
	$21444 19		$19300 86		$1358 36

* $5 08 reduction by authority of Clerk, making the total of rate roll, $21,449.27.

"H". Municipality of Annapolis—Statement of Road and Bridge Service, 1885.

Ward.	Balance from 1884.	Allotment.	Special.	Advances by Wardens.	Total.	Expended.	Not Expended.	Overdrawn
1	$ 37 98	$ 493 79	$	$ 25 00	$ 556 77	$ 557 44	$	$ 67
2		386 79			386 79	361 75	25 04	
3	41 60	370 79	75 00	45 00	532 39	529 46	2 93	
4	7 64	317 79			325 43	320 00	5 43	
5	167 02	272 79	50 00		489 81	477 20	12 61	
6	48 19	272 79			320 98	289 97	31 01	
7		292 79	50 00		322 79	323 48		69
8	63 49	372 79	30 00		466 28	392 24	74 04	
9	3 13	387 79	60 00		450 92	450 00	92	
10		638 79	75 00		713 79	678 23	35 56	
11	26 52	277 79			304 31	240 00	64 31	
12		382 79			382 79	384 48		1 69
13	13	529 79			529 92	536 50		6 58
14	90	637 79			638 69	633 00	5 69	
15	13 30	467 90			481 20	481 20		
*V. B.			84 00		84 00	63 00	21 00	
	$409 90	$6082 96	$424 00	$70 00	$6986 86	$6717 95	$278 54	$9 63

*Victoria Bridge.

"G". Statement showing Amounts due from Delinquent Collectors for years 1879 to 1884, inclusive.

Ward.	1879. Collector.	Amt	1880. Collector.	Amt.	1881. Collector.	Amt.	1882. Collector.	Amt.	1883. Collector.	Amt.	1884. Collector.	Amt
1	P Bowlby	$ 48 96	Henry Gates	$ 75 90	J Banks	$ 27 44	E F McNeil	$ 59 36	R E Spinney	$ 89 98	—	
2	E C Marshall	54 74	E C Marshall	92 01	J P Foster	63 82	J P Foster	23 82				
3	J Balcom	20 21	Jno Balcom	31 26	J Balcom	8 90	J Balcom	7 33				
4	D Bath	115 22	Gilbt. Hill	57 91	G Hill	216 94	L M Stone	64 64			SJ Parker,	87c
5	E Troop		G Willett	15 84	C Willett	14 91	O Willett					
6	A L Bath	92 80	J R Hall	12 54	J McCormick	17 77	J R Hall	9 00	J McCormick	18 75		
7	Jas Clark	12 96	B W Shaffner,	14 15	Jas Clark	24 98	Jas Clark	26 92				
8	W E Ruggles	22 30	J Henshaw	20 53	W E Ruggles,	10 94	W E Ruggles	14 33	W E Ruggles	31 34		
9	W Trimper	113 11	R Sanford	7 12	W O Wright,	302 67	R Sanford	10 24				
10	E Bertaux	112 43	Geo Wells	75 89	H F Burns	45 27	H F Burns	76 24	H F Burns	9 18		
11	M Daniels	19 06	D J Morse	47 60	M Morse	32 27	M P Daniels,	17 06				
12	R Randolph,	23 82	B Jarvis	53 32	O Bertaux	47 89	W H Balcom,					
13	Chs Whitman	41 23	O McNayr	11 09	J P Grimm	6 34	J C Grimm	15 10	J G Grimm	24 00		
14	Jas Kempton	168 26	John Lewis	30 62	A Ward	40 81	W McBride	9 52	B Dukeshire,	9 72		
15	Geo Dargie	20 71	R Kelly	8 45	R Kelly	4 48	R Kelly	7 04	J Buckler	24 30		
		$865 80		$554 16		$865 18		$340 60		$207 77		87c

Total Amount.....$2,834 38

New Advertisements

AUCTION SALES!

The subscriber will attend

AUCTION SALES,

throughout Wilmot Township, as Auctioneer.

TERMS.—$2.00 per day.

F. L. MURPHY,
Licensed Auctioneer.

South Farmington, Jan. 19th, '86 4ltf.

NOTICE!

TO be sold at auction on MONDAY, February 1st, at 1 p. m., at BELL FARM, near BRIDGETOWN,

25 or 30 Tons of MARSH HAY,

Terms made known on day of Sale.

Jan. 19th, '86. 2it43.

NEW

Furniture Store!

I WISH to inform the public in general, that I have opened a FURNITURE STORE, at

SOUTH FARMINGTON,

where they will find a full line of FURNITURE at BOTTOM PRICES. By strict attention to business and low prices, I hope to receive a part of the public patronage. Call and inspect before buying elsewhere. Produce taken in exchange at CASH PRICES,

F. L. MURPHY,
So. Farmington, Wilmot.

STOVES! STOVES!

Norwood, Elevated Oven, "Wood."
Niagara, " " "
Waterloo, " " "
Milton Cook, Square Oven, "
Elmwood, Parlor Cook, "

—ALSO—

HOLLOW WARE

for the above, to sell Singly or in Sets, apart from the Stoves. The above are made by the Milton Foundry, Yarmouth, N. S. For sale at FOUNDRY PRICES, by

F. L. MURPHY.

Jan. 19th, 1886. 4l 3m.

STRAYED.

INTO the flock of the subscriber, five Sheep about the 20th of December last. These sheep are all marked differently, and apparently came from different flocks. Owner can have same by proving property and paying expenses.

JOSEPH STIRK.

Arlington, Jan. 11th, '86. 4lt44pd.

JUST RECEIVED

—AT—

W. J. StClair's,

—FOUR CASES OF—

BOOTS & SHOES,

Something new. Ladies would do well to call and see them before going elsewhere. Also:

Grey Cottons,

Men's Clothing, etc.,

Which will be sold very cheap for Cash or exchanged for Country Produce.

WANTED!

500 Bbls. Potatoes,

—AND—

2 TONS DRIED APPLES.

Bridgetown, Jan. 5th, '85. 39 1y.

Farm for Sale!

THE subscriber offers the property formerly owned by Israel Foster, one and one-half miles from Bridgetown. There is a good Dwelling House, with a cellar under the whole house, a large Barn, new Carriage House and other buildings. Three wells of water. It contains 65 acres more or less. Cuts from 16 to 20 tons of good upland Hay. Has a young orchard of Apple, Pear and Plum trees, just beginning to bear. About 20 acres are in Wood and Fencing.

There is a quantity of Hay which will be sold with the farm.

Terms moderate. For further information apply to

T. D. RUGGLES & SONS,
Barristers, Bridgetown,

or to the subscriber.

W. T. CANNING,
Oxford Mills, Ontario.

Jan. 13th, '86. n40 2m.

THIS WEEK

—AT THE—

NEW GROCERY!

FLOUR. 150 bbls. Choice Patent, Kent Mills, White Dove, Acadian Goldies Star, Burns' Best.

MEAL. 50 bbls Am. Kiln Dried Corn Meal and Feeding Flour.

OATMEAL. 10 bbls. Tilsonburg Oatmeal, for family use, all of which will be sold at a very low figure.

MOLASSES. First class Molasses which is always carefully selected and best in the market.

OIL. Very best American Water White Oil.

SUGARS. Granulated and Refined a specialty.

TEA from 25 cents to 40 cents. A first class article.

SOAP. 20 boxes Laundry, Dengman's, Electric, Surprise, Linen Towel & Toilet.

CONFECTIONERY, ETC. A superior lot of assorted Confectionery. 80 boxes Rankin's Biscuit. 20 boxes Raisins, London Layers, Valencia, Sultana, Vostezza Currants, Prunes, Candied Peel, Flavoring Extracts, and everything usually kept in a first class Grocery.

Thompson & Shaffner.

Bridgetown. Jan. 13th, '85.

NEW

—AND—

Seasonable Goods!

In addition to my already very complete stock of

DRY GOODS, ETC.,

I have taken in a very nice line of

READY-MADE CLOTHING,

in Tweed. Diagonals, Etc.

OVERSHOES & RUBBERS.

A full stock of Men's and Women's Overboots and Rubbers, at special low prices.

SLEIGH ROBES.

Will sell the balance in stock at reduced prices to close them out.

Just opened this week, 5 cases GENERAL DRY GOODS.

J. H. CHUTE,

Middleton, Jan. 13th, '85. 40 1y.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

1885-'86.

TO MY PATRONS AND FRIENDS AND THE PUBLIC GENERALLY:—

I beg to tender you my cordial thanks for the patronage extended to me during the year 1885.

Notwithstanding low prices and the continued depression in all branches of business, I am happy to be able to state, that I have never had a better year's trade. In fact, all departments of my business show a steady and healthy increase of sales. It is a source of much satisfaction to myself, as it shows that the efforts I have put forth to keep a thoroughly assorted stock of the best and most reliable goods, are appreciated.

We are now about entering upon another year, and I trust that our pleasant relations may be still continued. On my part it shall be my constant aim, to so watch the markets that I may be able to keep in stock the choicest goods in large variety at the lowest possible prices. Close attention to the tastes and requirements of my customers has enabled me always to buy with judgment, and I shall continue to exercise in the future the same care.

Trusting that the coming year may be one of peace and prosperity to you all,

I remain,

Yours respectfully,

J. W. Beckwith.

R. D. BEALS,

NICTAUX FALLS,

—DEALS IN—

BOOTS & SHOES

SNOW EXCLUDERS,
SNOW PACKS,
RUBBERS.

DRY GOODS,

GLASS WARE,
CROCKERYWARE,
HARDWARE,
SHIRTS & DRAWERS,
OVERALLS.

XMAS CANDIES,

Raisins, Currants, Oranges, Nuts, Toys, Etc.

Marked Down Goods:

Men's Reefers, from $8 to $5

Balance of

LADIES' WINTER HATS, at Cost.

—ALSO—

FLOUR. MEAL, FISH and OATS, at Bottom Prices.

Nictaux Falls, Dec. 22nd, '85. 37 1y

Cash Store.

THE subscriber having leased the store next door to J. W. WHITMAN'S, will sell at BOTTOM PRICES,

FLOUR, MEAL,
GROCERIES, SPICES,

Buffalo Robes,
Goat Skins,
Horse Rugs,
Surcingles,
Curry Combs,
Whips and Bells.

Balance of stock in

Silverware,

at Wholesale Prices.

Please do not ask for credit, and save us the trouble of saying

NO.

N. H. PHINNEY.

N. B.—Agent for the celebrated Charter Oak Cook Stove.

Lawrencetown, Dec. 2'th, 1885. n38tf.

Off it Goes.

I have bought out the entire stock of

R. D. MACDONALD,

AND WILL CONTINUE TO SELL

ALL THE GOODS,

—AT—

AUCTION PRICES,

NOW IS THE TIME TO BEAT POOR TIMES.

—AUCTION ON—

SATURDAY,

DAY AFTER CHRISTMAS.

Begining at 2 o'clock sharp.

Don't be late, as the best bargains always go at the first of a sale.

Don't forget to come and see the Big Sale, and keep on coming.

George Armstrong.

Dec. 21st, 1885. no27tf.

FARM FOR SALE.

THE subscriber offers for sale his fine Farm situated in HAVELOCK, Annapolis Co. It consists of 75 acres, about 35 of which are tillage, remainder in pasture and woodland. A small orchard is on the place. Cuts about 20 tons of good hay. Soil good and easily cultivated. A saw-mill is on the place and a barn. The cellar of a house is dug and stoned, and the frame is on the ground ready to be put up. Will be sold reasonable.

TERMS.—Half purchase money down, remainder may remain on mortgage.

ANDREW BOLSOR, 2nd.

Havelock, Dec. 1884.

P. S.—Stock will be sold with Farm if required.

Hard Coal!

NOW IN WAREHOUSE:

20 TONS HARD COAL,

STOVE SIZES,

For Sale Cheap,

APPLY TO

Geo. E. Corbitt,

Annapolis, Nov. 3, '85. tf Agent.

Now is the Time to Insure!

LOW RATES. SOLID COMPANY.

Lancashire Insurance Company,

CAPITAL, - - £3,000,000 Sterling.
RESERVE FUND. £904,000 Sterling.

FIRE!

Risks taken in the above staunch Company at low rates.

JOHN P. MURDOCH, Agent.

Bridgetown, Sept. 28th. tf

NEW GOODS!

—: AT :—

RUNCIMAN, RANDOLPH & CO'S.

WE HAVE RECEIVED OUR STOCK OF

Staple & Fancy Dry Goods.

SHAWLS,

Misses & Ladies' Rubber Gossamers,

LADIES' CLOUDS,
WOOL HOSIERY,
SCARFS.

MEN'S HATS,
CAPS,
TIES & BRACES,

READY-MADE CLOTHING,

HORSE RUGS,
BLANKETS.

SLEIGH ROBES, ETC., ETC.

VACCINATION

Is really essential. It is equally so, to Buy your Goods where you can get the BEST VALUE for your Money. The Place to do that is at

MORRISON'S the TAILOR

MIDDLETON, N. S.,

WHERE YOU CAN GET ALL KINDS OF

CLOTHS, and the Very Best of TRIMMINGS,

MADE UP IN PERFECT STYLE AND FIT.

HE ALSO KEEPS EVERYTHING YOU WANT TO WEAR.

Dress Shirts, Colored Shirts, Collars, Neckties, Silk Handkerchiefs, Mufflers, Gloves, Braces, Men's & Boy's Hats & Caps, in Cloth and Fur, American Rubber Goods, Snow Excluders, Arctics, &c., at Bottom Prices.

A. J. MORRISON, Merchant Tailor, MIDDLETON, N. S.

NEW STORE!

THE subscriber has removed to the place formerly occupied by EDWARD M. M. BEALS, at the SOUTH MOUNTAIN ROAD, where he will keep on hand a general assortment of GOODS at Lowest Cash Prices.

GROCERIES,
DRY GOODS,
FLOUR, MEAL, ETC.

First Class Flour, $5.80 CASH.

HALIFAX REFINED SUGAR.

15 lbs. for $1.00, and all other goods accordingly.

NO CREDIT.

WANTED.—Good Butter, Oats and Eggs, Highest Prices paid.

T. G. BISHOP.

South Williamston, Jan 11th, '86. 40tf.

NOTICE.

Pictures and Framing in variety,
Christmas Cards,
And Fancy Goods.

I am also selling the Celebrated Raymond Sewing Machine

JOHN Z. BENT.

Bridgetown, Dec. 1885.

CORN IN EGYPT!

Roop & Shaw

Beg to notify the public generally that they always keep or hand an assortment of

CARRIAGES

of the latest styles, made from

First Class Stock,

which will be sold on easy terms and reasonable prices.

Middleton, April 20th, 1885. n2tf.

FOR CHRISTMAS

AND WEDDINGS.

THE subscriber has received from England his autumn supply of

EARTHEN & CHINA WARE,

in which are Tea Sets varying in price from $1.80 to $13.50. Also, Dinner and Toilet Sets, Jugs, Home, Ceres, and Square shapes, Plates, Dishes, Bowls, Butter Coolers, Extra Cups and Saucers, Moustache do., with a variety of other articles too tedious to mention; all of which I offer at my usual low prices.

Oats and Good Butter taken in exchange.

G. F. BONNETT.

Bridgetown, Dec., 1885. n36tf