New Advertisements.

LOST

At Carleton's Corner, near Walker's Brook on Saturday, 27th ult., a trace from a double harness. Finder will confer a favor by leav-ing at the Monron office or with F. H. Johnson, Carleton's corner.

Public Notice

w. H. WEATHERSPOON, Manager. ranville Ferry, May 7th, 190j.—2i

NOTICE

John H. Hicks having this day retired from the business neretofore carried on under the name of J. H. Hicks & Sons, the said business will hereafter be conducted by the undersigned under the said firm name of J. H. Hicks & Sons.

WANTED

A Man and Woman

WARREN GUY, 2.12 1-4

Administrator's Sale

ises of EDWARD E. BENT, late of

Bentville, in the County of Anna-

polis, Farmer, deceased, on

Monday, 10th day of June, 1901,

at 2 o'clock in the afternoon,

ginning, containing five acres more or less.

FOURTH, Bounded on the north by lands of John Bent, on the east by the Dominion Atlantic Railway, on the south by lands of the estate of Asa Bent, deceased, and on the west by the Annapolis River, containing six and one-half acres more or less.

FIFTH, Beginnia.

acres more or less.

Fifth, Beginning at the river at the northeast corner of marsh formerly owned by John Pineo; thence running south sixty-four degrees east along lands of John Pineo, eighteen rods from the top of the dyke to a ditch: thence north twenty-two degrees east thirty-five rods and seven links following said ditch to a stake; thence sixty-four degrees west thirty-five rods and seven links following said ditch to a stake;

ANNIE E. BENT,

der a License granted by the Court of Pr bate for the said County of Annapolis,

The Weekly Monitor,

At Bridgetown, Annapolis Co, N. S M. K. PIPER, Proprietor and Publisher Ferms—\$1.50 per year; allowed at \$1.00 if paid strictly in advance. Postage-Prepaid to any address in Canada

WEDNESDAY, MAY 15TH, 1901.

-The recent arbitration over the wage cale of the miners in the Dominion Coal Co.'s employ discloses what may be taken condition of local coal prices made it apparstly increased profits. But the local mar ket profits in this case, according to the con upon to furnish the profit on the low price foreign contracts as well, and it is in this way that an average of profit on the operations of the company is figured up. If this is really the case the people of Nova Scotia are paying a premium on the product of Cape Breton coal areas in order to furnish cheaper coal for the markets abroad. We can ill afford to be so generous, but we are unfortunately helpless to be otherwise, unless the ent interests itself in regulating the price. The syndicate licensed a few years ago to operate large coal areas in the eastern end of the province has helped to establish may read how dearly the people of the whole province are being taxed for the prosperity hat Cape Breton is evidently enjoying. The gas and coke establishment at Everett, sociates in the Dominion Coal Co. are also with his family. deeply interested in the Everett establishnent, and it just looks as if the coal consumer in Nova Scotia was being severely squeezed between the Whitney syndicate here and the Whitney syndicate there. Cheap coal is necessary for the successful operation o the gas and coke plant, so the Mr. Whitney of Nova Scotia sells to the Mr. Whitney o Boston, cheap coal, that the latter may make a substantial profit from the gas and coke produced. The Mr. Whitney of Nova Scotia, who has helped the Mr. Whitney of Boston, needs must help himself also, so he sells coal in his own field, where he has a practical ciently high to give him a handsome profit

on his total output. We fancy such an ar-

rangement, however advantageous it may be

for the syndicate, will not long be tolerated

The parliament of the Australian Com-The parliament of the Australian Commonwealth has been opened with an amount of circumstance which throws entirely into the shade the modest birth of our own institutions. Almost like the Canadian Pacific railway, which simply started its trains without a flag or a gun, the Canadian federation came into full being without raising a ripple on the life of the people. It may be interesting to note the similarities and the difference between the constitution of the new common wealth andour own.

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By the change the separate colonies are merged into states. The parties to the agreement are: New South Wales, Victoria, Queensland, South Australia, West Australia and the Island of Tasmania, with a combined area of 2,973,076 square miles, 680,870 square miles less than the area of the Dominion of Canada, and a combined population of 3,464,677, less by a million and three quarters than that of Canada.

The main idea had in mind in the drawing up of the constitution seems to have been to interfere as little as may be with the identities of the various units. A named list of subjects is given in the bill, which is declared to comprise the jurisdiction of the federal parliament. All unenumerated powers are for the states to exercise. In its main outlines the Australian constitution may be said to have been patterned more closely after that of the United States than after our own. In this particular of the unenumerated powers, their plan is the exact reverse of ours. Under the British North America Act, the unenumerated powers are left for the Dominion to control. This may be said, perhaps, to have been in large measure due to the position taken by Sir John A. Macdonald, who hoped to live to see all legislative powers vested in the parliament of the Dominion, and the provincial legislatures wiped out of existence.

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—Mr. G. O. Gates of Truro, N. S., is in the valley filling engagements tuning pianos. Any one who wishes to secure the services of an experienced tuner of planos and organs, should, leave or send by post their orders to bridgetown or Middleton.

—Ravel's Humpty Dumpty, one of the brightest and funniest shows on the road, is billed for the Court House here next Saturday evening. The press of St. John and Halifax speak highly of the entertainment. It is mirth-provoking and clean.

While Mr. Dunn, mail carrier, was By the confederation there will be brought about absolute freedom of trade between the various colonies, or states, as they are now to be called. The parliament of the Commonwealth is directed, within two years, to frame a uniform tariff for all the states against the outside world. What form that measure will take is something that remains yet to be seen. The inhabitants of one part have been prospering under free trade; their neighbors have been strong adherents to the doctrine of protection. The most likely outcome is a middle path between the two extremes. From our point of view as Canadians the chance seems a favorable one for the negotiation of a reciprocal arrangement for a preference that would tend to build up the trade between us. Our exports to Ans. for a preference that would tend to build up the trade between us. Our exports to Australasia were, in 1896, \$518,233. In 1899 they had grown to \$1,527,810. Our purchases from them, on the other hand, have been but small. In 1896 the imports from Australasia were \$213,683. By 1899 they had grown to \$562,950. But this figure will be added to by the considerable trade which is growing up in sugar from Queensland.

Canada's Mining Fever.

Canada has had its day of mining fever, and the cost is now being reckoned, with results that will amaze people who have not paid close attention to the work of company promoters. The Montreal Star gives some figures which show the great losses that have been incurred principally through gold mining properties. It states that twenty-three mines which were among the most active in the market in the days of the speculative fever, with a capitalization of \$38,232,000 ahow a depreciation of \$30,76,600 between the highest and lowest market prices. The highest market value of the stock of these mines was \$35,190,220, while today they could be bought on the present basis of prices for \$5,804,620. Summarizing the cituation, it declares that it is safe to add that if all the mines in which Canadians have put their money during the past three or four years were taken into consideration in the same way, the sum would not be far short of \$50,000,000. This is an immense amount of money for a country like Canada to invest in one direction. Some of these mines are well known all over the country. War Eagle, for instance, which sold as high as \$3.88 was quoted the other day at 14 cents; Centre Star dropped from \$1.70 to 30 cents; Brandon and G. Crown 30 cents to 5 cents; Republic from \$1.40 to 15 cents; Payne from \$1.68 to 25 cents, and others in proportion.

The Management of the Bridgetown Driving Park are offering \$300 in purses for two races on Victoria Day, and expect to wo races on Victoria Day, and expect to wo races on Victoria Day, and expect to two races on Victoria Day, and expect to wo races on Victoria Day, and expect to support on the 24th. See advertiges day of the prospects are bright for a good day's support on the 24th. See advertiges day of the dead. The services of a caretaker are needed, and there are other with the court of the court of the season closes. The t

Local and Special News.

-Mr. E. O. Kinney has added two ne -The taxation rate in Truro for 1901 has again been fixed at \$1.50 on the \$100. -E. B. Foster, Hampton, would like to exchange a beef cow for one giving milk. -Beeler & Peters' mill was shut down last reek on account of a break in the machinery. —It is proposed to make the King's birth-day, Nov. 9th, Thanksgiving day throughout the Dominion.

been appointed a school commissioner for Annapolis county. -Mr. Salathiel Delaney, of Lower Gran-ville has purchased the John F. Sparrow farm at Bound Hill.

-The Nova Scotia board of fire under-writers have agreed to an advance in fire in-surance rates in the province. the price of coal. The miners were not in the secret and thought that they should take south of Kingston Station.

an apprentice who is willing to learn.

Apply to, J. H. Hicks & Sons.

—The first freight was shipped over the Midland railroad on May 4th, from Truro, when the company took a car of bone meal to Princeport.

Mass., is one of the big customers of the Dominion Coal Co. abroad, and it is well known that Mr. Whitney and some of his Miss H. A. Vidito, moved here last week

—The Halifax Chronicle printed last week the portrait and a biographical sketch of our respected nongenarian, Mrs. Edward FitzRandelph. —Mr. C. T. Reagh, of Brooklyn, was in town yesterday with Warren Guy, 2,121, The horse is in splendid shape this spring, and will likely be raced later in the season. —H. Kirwin, the eye specialist will be at the Grand Central, Wednesday, May 15th, for one week. Don't fail to call if your eyes trouble you. Consultation and examination free.

The must help himself also, so he sells coal so we field, where he has a practical poly of the business, at a price sufficy high to give him a handsome profit

—The Bridgetown Electric Light Heat & Power Co, have the poles on hand for the extension of the town lighting system under

the new contract which commences not later than August 1st. —The Governor General and family will leave Ottawa next month for an extended tour through the maritime provinces, when the principal cities, towns and points of interest will be visited.

—Two enterprising Halifax men are importing a number of Angora goats from New York which will be pastured out at Windsor Junction, and if they prove a success a regular goat farm will follow. -The saw mill of Mr. Norman Mailman. - The saw mill of Mr. Avriban maintenant of Milford, was totally destroyed by fire on Thursday night, entailing a severe loss on Mr. Mailman as the machinery was nearly new and there was no insurance.

—The superintendent of streets is doing a lot of work on the streets and sidewalks in the centre of the town. The material used does not seem to be such as should be used for any permanent improvement.

—The London Imperial Moving Pictures, giving views of the funeral procession of Her late Majesty, scenes in the Boer war, the Galveston disaster, and scenes of other important and recent events, is billed to show in the Court House here on Wednesday next, May 22nd, under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A.

Every Farmer

of insect and fungus pests. The increase in the yield and quality of sprayed crops over the unsprayed is phenomenal, and the cost of the extra care is repaid an hundred fold.

business.

The America Cup Challenger.

Sir Thomas Lipton's new America cup challenger, Shamrock II., was pitted against the old challenger, Shamrock II. trial race, and the appropriations must be credited to an influential representative. Middletton gets \$3000 for an armory; Bear River \$3000 for removal of obstructions and repairs to mooring and pointing, although when running free the latter was able to hold herown in good style. Sir Thomas seems to be confident that he will not accomplish it without effort.

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PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Miss Georgie Bath returned on Saturday from New York.

Mrs. Weare, Sr., left on Saturday for a visit in the United States.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Miller, of Clarence are Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Miller, of Clarence are visiting relatives in Boston.

Mrs. Hugh Fowler of Halifax has been visiting in town for a few days.

Miss Minnie Pickels, of Boston, was the guest of Mrs. J. W. Beckwith last week.

Dr. R. Miller of Dorchester spent last week here, the guest of his sister Mrs. B. D. Neily. Mrs. Wm. Legge leaves today for New York, where she will visit her son Mr Clay-

ton Legge.
Mr. N. R. Burrows manager of the Union
Bank, returned on Monday from a short Bank, returned on Monday from a short vacation.

Mrs. John W. Fisher left last week for Wood's Harbor, Shelburne county, where she will spend the summer with her daughter, Mrs. Sears.

Mrs. Freeman returned on Saturday from Newcastle, where she went to be present at her father's tuneral. She was accompanied by her nephew, Master George Layte.

—The Nova Scotla board of fire underwriters have agreed to an advance in fire insurance rates in the province.

—Messrs. W. A. Kinney and F. R. Fay are on a fishing expedition to a mountain lake south of Kingston Station.

FOR SALE OR TO LET.—The Sheehan Property on Granville street. Apply to O. S. Miller, Barrister, Bridgetown. 8 tf.—Messles is epidemic in Springhill, and the schools are almost emptied. About 200 cases are reported, with several deaths.

—A meeting of the Bridgetown Cemetery Co. is called for;next|Monday evening, in the Council Chamber. See advertisement.

—WANTED: A competent machinist; also an apprentice who is willing to learn.

Apply to, J. H. Hicks & Sons.

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—A boot blacking stand, under the management of Professor William Jackson, is to be installed in Cochran's shoe store in a few days.

—The local minstrels have decided upon Monday evening, May 27th, as the date for their entertainment. Don't miss hearing them.

—The first freight was shipped over the wildland railroad on May 4th, from Trupo.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Blahop wish to thank their many friends for the kindness shown to them during the illness of their son, and for the Foral offerings from the Young Men's last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Troop, Belleisle, wish to thank their many friends, through the columns of the MONITOR, for the kindness shown them during the sad circumstances attending the illness and death of their little daughter Tucy.

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Summer Millinery Millinery Novelties, Up-to-date styles in Ready-to-

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riages, built by the Brantford Carriage Co. These goods are unexcelled, none as good in quality, workmanship or style. The best is always the cheapest. The famous "Starr" Cart

The "McCormick" Mowers and Rakes! These goods speak for themselves, obtaining the highest awards both at Paris and Chicago Expositions. tors, Seed Sowers, Bicycles.

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As an inducement

to get customers to try a pound tin of Oxford Baking Powder, we offer an Oxford Range valued at \$30.00 to the purchaser of the tin containing the number fixed as the prize winner. You may choose any number from 1 to 300. The Baking Powder is guaranteed absolutely pure and sells at 30 cents per pound.

ar Country produce taken in exchange We solicit your patronage.

BEELER & PETERS.

REGINALD J. BISHOP, Administrator May 6th, 1901. 74i

PHOTOS!

The Photo Saloon formerly run by E. J. Lumsden will be re-opened on Thursday. May 16th. I am prepared to do photographing in all its branches. Any pic ire copied or enlarged. Work first-class and at reasonable prices. Call and see Samples and get Prices.

Photographer, CRANVILLE STREET, BRIDGETOWN.

I have just returned after taking

a course in the C. B. B., and I am prepared to attend to the wants of the public in my line of profession. Professional advice free. Operations performed at a small cost. On and after Saturday, May 18th, 1001. I will be found at Cochran's Boot and Shoe Store.

Thanking you for your attention, I remain yours truly,

PROF. WM. JACKSON, K. B. B.

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N. S. Carriage Co.'s Carriages. There are none better in Canada. \$35.00 to \$85.00 Massey-Harris Farm

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Very Pretty Papers for Bedrooms at 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9 cts.

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New patterns in Unions and All-Wool Carpets at special prices. New designs in Oil Cloths and Linoleums. 1 yd., 1 1/4 yd., 1 1/2 yd.

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Heavy, Navy Blue Serge Suits, (a wonder at the \$5.00 price) Our All-Wool Gray

Tweed wears \$5.00 like iron. Neat Gray and Green Mixed Tweed \$6.50 Very Pretty Gray and

thoroughly well made, worth more money 8.00 Our price

Brown Tweed \$7.00 and separate. Prices 75c., 85c., 90c. Our Fine Navy Serge, hard finish, 95c., \$1.00 and \$1.25.

Very Fine Tweeds in natty Brown in pretty Pearl Greys, Fawns and made to sell at \$12 9.00 Our price Black Clay Worsted Suits, well in Browns, Grays and Blacks, nar-

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We put in your way the best Men's Furnishings at the least money. Here are some

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