The Weekly Monitor.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 3rd, 1892.

Meeting of the Baptist Maritime Convention at Bridgetown.

The annual convention of the Baptist Churches of the Maritime Provinces of Canada is this year to be held with the Baptist Church of this place, commencing on Saturday, Aug 20th, and continuing in session till Tuesday evening, 23rd. There will probably be as many as four hundred persons for whom the local committee on entertainment will be expected to provide. There are within the bounds of Convention, approximately, four hundred churches. Each church is entitled to send one delegate, and this, under certain conditions, may be increased to as many as five. In addition to this, each of the eight Associations of the Maritime Provinces has the privilege of sending two of its members as its representatives in the Convention. The Faculty of Acadia University are members *ex officio*, and there are life members who have become such through having at some one time made large contributions to "Convention Fund." And, doubtless, there will be a large number of visiting brethren. With the presentation of these facts, it is certainly very evident that the entertaining committee will be severely taxed to secure accommodation for so large a number of guests. They very reasonably look for hearty and generous co-operation, that their efforts may be as satisfactory as possible.

EARLY MEETINGS.

On Thursday evening, August 18th, will commence the session of the Minister's Institute, which will continue during a portion of the following day. On Friday, the W. B. M. Union will convene for routine business and discussions. On Friday evening a meeting will be held for the purpose of organizing a Young People's Baptist Union for the Maritime Provinces. At this session delegates will be present from the B. Y. P. Societies throughout the Provinces, and also from individual churches having no society. This additional representation will greatly increase the number of visitors who will be in Bridgetown during convention week. It is confidently expected by the promoters of this B. Y. P. U. that great enthusiasm will be manifested over the subject of organization, and that the session of Friday evening will be one of the most impressive and stirring of the meetings of Convention.

W. C. T. U. at Annapolis.

The annual session of the W. C. T. U. opened at Oddfellow's Hall, Annapolis, on Wednesday last, and held different meetings till Friday noon, when the convention closed. At the Friday morning session the constitution of the Maritime Union was adopted, with the exception of a few slight changes, and the report of the committee on laying out work was also read. Among the more important features which received attention were the following resolutions, which were adopted:

1. *Whereas*, Many noted physicians, including Drs. B. W. Richardson and James Edmond of England, N. H. Davis, H. E. Greene and Felix Oswald, L. L. D., of America, declare that they have been able to treat all diseases successfully without alcohol; therefore resolved, that this convention appeal to the medical society of Nova Scotia at their next meeting, asking their sympathy and support in the effort to discourage the use of alcohol as a medicine.

2. *Whereas*, It is thought by many that the use of aerated waters is calculated to arouse a thirst for intoxicants; therefore resolved, that this convention, while not expressing any opinion on the subject, request the members of each union to ascertain the extent of the practice of drinking those beverages, collect evidence on the subject and report at the next meeting of the convention.

3. *Whereas*, The report of the royal commission, now in Halifax, will, if favorable to prohibition, give a powerful impetus to its attainment; therefore resolved, that the unions in the district be requested to do all in their power to further this result and earnestly remember them in their public and private prayers.

4. *Resolved*, That this convention express its thanks to all who have in any way contributed to the comfort and success of this gathering, the railroad and steamboat companies, owners of coaches, and particularly those who have opened their homes to entertain us.

A large number of delegates were in attendance from the unions of Annapolis, Digby, Yarmouth, Shelburne, Queens and Lunenburg counties.

Truth Stranger than Fiction.

On Monday of last week a woman giving her name as Mrs. Sturk went to the house of Mr. Alfred Late, near the mouth of the Falkland Ridge road, Springfield, and asked for something to satisfy the pangs of hunger, which was given her. She said that her husband was at work at or near Nictaux, and hearing that he was sick and not having the means to carry her through by rail, she had started from her home at Mahone Bay to walk to where he was, a distance of about 70 miles. After resting a short time she again started on her journey, and arriving at a place known as "Finger Board," near Stoddart's, she mistook the road and started on the one leading to Dalhousie East,—a public road, but one not as much travelled as formerly, and consequently a very lonely one, it being about six miles to the first house, that of Mr. John Long. On Friday, about noon, she arrived at the house of this gentleman and asked for lodgings and something to eat, saying she had eaten nothing since leaving Mr. Late's. When she arrived she was carrying in her arms, rolled up in a mantle or small shawl, an infant child that had been born to her during that time. Mrs. Sturk is now being kindly cared for by Mrs Long for the present, and will probably be able to resume her tramp in a few days, unless other relief comes to her assistance.

Savings Bank Returns.

The government savings bank returns for the year ending June 30th, show that on that date the following amounts were on deposit at the several offices in Nova Scotia:—

Acadia Mines	$141,137.79
Amherst	212,895.20
Annapolis	228,804.89
Arichat	183,919.33
Barrington	146,258.95
Bridgewater	111,667.59
Gubyboro'	91,545.67
Halifax	2,546,565.47
Kentville	291,846.36
Liverpool	239,927.14
Lunenburg	240,254.13
Maitland	54,088.67
New Glasgow	344,847.14
Parrsboro'	86,768.59
Pictou	287,633.34
Port Hood	124,600.78
Shelburne	100,974.32
Sherbrooke	52,188.13
Sydney	311,253.15
Sydney Mines	71,563.54
Truro	321,429.94
Wallace	71,428.61
Weymouth	106,073.10
Yarmouth	608,905.39

Best Way to Ship Apples.

"Why don't Canadians take a leaf out of the Australians' book in supplying British apple markets?" said a well-known Canadian man of business the other day. "I know that the Canadian fruit comes in at a different season, and is of not quite the same class, but I believe that were Canadian exporters to send their choice apples here in smaller boxes or barrels they would do a larger trade. You may see the Australian apples at Covent Garden in 40-lb. boxes, and upon each box about 10s. is realized. A barrel of Canadian apples of the weight of 196 lbs. goes for about the same money. A man will often buy a small lot of 40 lbs. for his family use, and I fancy the Canadians would do well to consider the possibilities of meeting the demand for smaller lots which the Australian trade has shown to exist.—*Canadian Gazette.*

—There are now 20,000 men on strike in New York City, which means straitened circumstances and suffering for about 100,000 persons. Meantime their former employers are taking a holiday and enjoying themselves as they could not under other circumstances. The society for the prevention of cruelty to children should have its scope enlarged. "What fools these mortals be!"

Christain Endeavor Union at St. John.

The Christain Endeavor Maritime Union opened at St. John on Thursday last, in Centenary Church. The attendance was very large. After an hour's devotional exercises President Heartz took the chair, and the business of the Convention was gone into. Rev. G. O. Gates was chosen President. Miss Nettie Forbes was chosen chairman of the Devotional Committee.

The evening session was largely attended, when President Gates delivered an address of welcome. Several other members spoke, and Rev. Mr. Heartz paid a high tribute to St. John's noble men and women, and in behalf of 300 Endeavorers he said the Society was to do great things for God, and had already done great work. His address was a very earnest one.

On the following day a crowded building again attested the fact that Christian Endeavorers do not consider prayer a privilege to be slighted, for they spent nearly all the morning hour in that very exercise under the leadership of Miss Nettie Forbes, of Yarmouth. After breakfast Rev. A. Rogers, of Windsor, presented a paper on "How the society may help its pastor," W. B. McCoy, of Halifax, following immediately with another paper on "How the pastor may help his society." Then for an hour pastors were asked to testify to their appreciation of the merits of the society and they heartily did. Reports from delegates who attended the international convention at New York, now so famous, gave a vivid picture of the enormous gathering. "Soul winning, the ultimate aim of Christian Endeavor," was the key not only of Rev. H. W. Stewart's address, but was that of the whole convention and every delegate. "Why the church should welcome the endeavor movement," explained by the eloquent Prof. Andrews, of Sackville, showed to not a few the undoubted advantages that the Christian Endeavor society possesses over all other organizations of a so-called similar kind. But a lady, Miss Troop, of Bridgetown, N. S., read the best paper of the afternoon session, entitled "Endeavor work with juniors." She solemnly impressed the necessity of getting the very little ones on the Lord's side in their very early years, when they are in their most plastic condition.

The Endeavor "watchwords," three in number—duty (to the church), loyalty (to Christ), fellowship (one with another)—was the last subject discussed, and it was thoroughly done by Fred B. Robb, of Amherst; Prof. Kierstead, of Wolfville, and Dr. Boynton, of Boston. Dr. Boynton is an orator. In glowing terms he told his hearers that he was not urging a breach of denominational walls, but instead "we need more denominational *esprit de corps*, yet the more throughly conformed to the charitability of Jesus Christ who was—what? A Christain. I urge not a sacrifice of principle, but an addition to our life—charity."

By unanimous vote the next convention of 1893 is to be held in Halifax.

Death of Capt. J. H. Parker.

A cable message was received last week from Saigon, India, announcing the death at that place on Monday of Capt. James H. Parker, of the bark *Tamar E. Marshall.* Captain Parker belonged to Bear River, where he leaves a wife and five children. He was a good navigator, and had been in the employ of Alpheus Marshall and Troop & Son for about twenty years. Capt. Parker was a very religious man, as well as temperate, and took great interest in church work. He had been unwell for some time, and remained at home during the last voyage of his vessel, but he thought the present voyage out east would be beneficial to his health. One of Capt. Parker's sons is mate of the Digby bark *Annie J. Marshall.*

Transfer of the C. V. R.

The Cornwallis Valley Railway has been sold to the Windsor and Annapolis. Last Tuesday a special train carried a number of the officials of both roads over the branch when a formal transfer was made, the train stopping at each station when President Sheffield of the C. V. R. gave formal possession to Resident Manager Sutherland of the W. & A. R. After the ceremony was complete an informal reception was held in Canning and the usual toasting and speeches indulged in.

Flower Service.

The service next Sunday afternoon in St. Mary's Church, Belleisle, will be a "Flower Service." The children of the Sunday-school will form in procession and enter the church singing "Onward Christain Soldiers." Each child will carry a bunch of flowers which, during the service, will be taken up to the chancel and formed by two ladies into a cross. The sermon will be addressed to children and the offertory will be for Sunday-school expenses. A similar service will be held in St. James', Bridgetown, on the last Sunday in August.

Annapolis Wants Incorporation.

At the public meeting held in the Court House at Annapolis last Friday to discuss the incoporation of the town, a motion declaring it to be in the best interests to become incorporated was carried unanimously. A committee of three was subsequently appointed to procure data relating to the same and have it printed for general information, and also to prepare a petition for signatures asking the sheriff to hold a poll for voting on the same at an early date. The question of sewerage is dropped for the present, as it might militate against incorporation.

Card of Thanks.

I take this opportunity of extending my hearty thanks to all who came so nobly to my assistance in helping me to erect a barn to take the place of the one burned on the 25th ult. The assistance came in the shape of labor, money and material. To those who supplied material, I especially thank Messrs. E. D. Davison & Sons.

Yours truly, H. O. WHITMAN.

—It is with deep regret that we record the death of Mrs. Easson, widow of our late highly-esteemed townsman, Alex. Easson, Esq., which sad event occurred on the 28th of July at the residence of her mother, Mrs. B. Ansley, St. John, N. B. For many years afflicted with some form of throat and lung weakness which rendered her health a source of anxiety to herself and friends, she hoped to derive benefit from change of air, and last year removed to her former home in St. John. After weary months of suffering and pain, endured with truly christian patience and resignation, she welcomed death as a happy release from earthly sorrows, with perfect trust in the promises of eternal rest and happiness. During the years passed among us she had endeared herself to all by her affectionate and generous disposition; and her many friends in the community learned with sorrow of her death. She leaves two young daughters, a step-son, a widowed mother, sister and brother, to mourn their loss. To them, and her many relatives and friends, we extend our heartfelt sympathy.

—The Right Rev. Bishop Kingdom, the Coadjutor Bishop of Fredericton, paid our town a visit on Monday last. He put up at the Grand Central Hotel, but was entertained to tea by W. M. Forsyth, Esq. On Tuesday, after an early dinner at the residence of the Rector, he left by the noon train for Digby where he is spending a few weeks.

—The Rev. F. P. Greatorex has had to make a slight alteration in regard to the order of his services, as the service at Belleisle church was clashing with another service in the neighborhood. He will, therefore, not be able to have service at Young's Cove until Sunday August 14th instead of next Sunday as announced.

—The Rev. Gilbert Bent, of North Reading, Mass., and Mr. Israel Bent, of Lowell, Mass., after an absence of a number of years, are enjoying a visit in their native county among their numerous friends and relatives. They are at present the guests of their sister, Mrs. Israel Miller, of this town.

—Fruit men report that the crop of apples in Ontario will be of higher quality than last year though probably not quite so large. Small fruits generally are light.

—Don't physic and physic to cure Indigestion. K. D. C. is not a physic. It cleanses and strengthens the stomach without weakening and destroying the tissues. Try K. D. C. 18

—No child will refuse to take McLean's Worm Syrup, pleasant and effectual.

—Miss Nellie McGivern is visiting relatives at Berwick.

Local and Other Matter.

—Washburn's circus is to appear at Annapolis to-morrow, 4th.

—About thirty American visitors are summering at Deep Brook and its immediate neighborhood.

—The Chief Justice, on the 26th ult., granted an injunction restraining the municipality of Lunenburg from erecting a Court House at Bridgewater.

—The Sunday school scholars of the Ferry held their annual picnic at Goat Island on Wednesday last, and had an enjoyable time.

—Dr. C. S. Marshall, who has been adding to his store of medical knowledge at Chicago, has again turned up hale and hearty—at Mill Village after an absence of nearly a year.

—Owing to some misunderstanding between the government and Messrs. O'Neill & Campbell, late contractors on the "missing link," it has been found necessary to re-measure a large portion of the work.

—G. A. Parker, formerly manager of the Cornwallis Valley Railway, will go into the employ of the Windsor & Annapolis. He has rented B. H. Dodge's new house and will move to Kentville.

—It is stated the Prince of Wales will visit Canada next year, and make a trip to the Pacific coast over the Canadian Pacific Railway, visiting the Chicago Fair *en route.*

—The *Belfast Age* says that this is the season of the year when the farmer goes out to examine the mowing machine and comes into the house with two fingers missing and reports to his wife that the cutter bar is all right.

—The Rev. W. H. heartz has been able to dispense with the crutches on which he had to lean heavily at the Lunenburg Conference, and will, after a short rest at Charlottetown, enter upon his ministerial duties at Yarmouth.

—Ex-Mayor Clarke, of Toronto, one of the members of the Prohibition commission (so-called), says the license law of this province is the best he has ever examined, but the manner in which it is being violated in Halifax is deplorable.

—G. H. Mackinlay, late station agent of the Windsor & Annapolis Railway at Richmond, was presented with a complimentary address and a handsome medal clock on the eve of his retirement by station agents and clerks of the line.

—Harlan P. Shaw, teacher of mineralogy in the State Normal School at Bridgewater, Mass., is now making his parents in King's county a visit, as well as making a collection of mineral specimens of this province for that school.

—Dr. Trotter, of McMaster Hall, Toronto, and family, are spending their vacation at Canning, and are visiting friends at Berwick, Somerset, Weston and Williamston, and will attend the Baptist Convention at Bridgetown next month.

—The body of what is supposed to have been an officer of the ill-fated ship *Peter Stuart*, which was wrecked off Yarmouth some two weeks since, was found last Wednesday on a marsh at Rossway, about nine miles from Digby.

—The International S. S. Co. are issuing excursion tickets until Sept. 1st, from Boston to Annapolis and return $5.50. A large number of American tourists are taking advantage of this low fare, and are arriving daily by S. S. *City of Monticello.*

—The last *Canadian Gazette* contains the following appointment:—"69th 1st Annapolis Battalion of Infantry, N. S.—No. 9 Company Clementsport.—To be 2nd Lieutenant, provisionally: Sergeant Jesse Oakes Harris, R. S. I. (1st B.), *vice*, W. Purdy, promoted.

—Boston *Journal:* We must look this year to Nova Scotia, Maine and California for apples. In the great apple belt of western New York, the prospect of the crop is discouraging, and ir is said that the situation is still worse in Missouri, Kansas, Arkansas, Ohio and Michigan.

—The Digby artillery team which carried off the trophy in the competition at Quebec last year, passed through here by train on Monday to take part in the tournament now being held at Halifax. Major Daley accompanied the boys, who were in charge of Lieut. Frank L. Bacon.

YARMOUTH TELEPHONE CO.—The tenth annual meeting of the shareholders of this company was held on Wednesday last. The Directors' report, recommending the payment of the dividend of ten per cent., and the reservation of the balance of the profits towards rebuilding the lines, was adopted.

—Dr. Morgan, dentist, will be at his rooms over *Monitor* office from August 8th until Aug. 13th, and will be prepared to do all kinds of dental work. Gold and Porcelain Crowns adjusted to roots in the mouth, at moderate prices; also Bridge work and painless extracting. Please call early in the week and get clear of the rush.

—Camp Meeting opens at Berwick tomorrow, Aug. 4th. Amongst those expected to be present are the following clergy: —Brethren Ryan, Craig, Taylor, Teasdale, W. C. Brown, Coffin, A. S. Tuttle, J. Hale, J. R. and Mrs. Downing, F. Woodbury, Hickey, Borden, Wright, McArthur, Leonard, Bowen and others.

—T. S. Whitman, Esq., of Annapolis, seems to have struck it rich in his new fish drying process, as already large quantities of cod are being sent from New York and elsewhere to be cured and dried. The process seems to be new, novel, and satisfactory and gives employment to a large force of men.

—Do not begin to advertise unless it be the intention to stick to it for three months at least. The first month will tell the people that the advertiser is somewhere; the second month, that he is doing business and has something to sell; the third month, that he is worth calling upon. If it be expected that a single month's advertising will do any real good, somebody is mistaken excepting exceptional exceptions.

—At the W. C. T. U. convention at Annapolis, Miss Steadman, of Mill Village, was elected president; Mrs. N. C. Roner, of Yarmouth, recording secretary; Mrs. Judge Desbrisay, of Bridgewater, corresponding secretary; and Mrs. Elliott, of Lawrencetown, treasurer. Mrs. Raymond and Mrs. Clittick, of Hantsport, were elected members of the executive.

—Schr. *Tiger*, Capt. Isaac Goodwin, from Victoria, C. B., for Annapolis, with a cargo of coal for Capt. Geo. E. Corbitt, struck on the northern point of Ellenwood's Island on Friday night 23rd ult., during a dense fog, and has become a total wreck. Crew saved. The *Tiger* was a schooner of 57 tons register, built in 1888 (being formerly the *Lynx*) and was owned by Mr. Joseph R. Rogers and the master. The vessel is insured for $1000. The cargo is all insured.

—We were slightly in error in our reference to Mr. M. H. Clarke,—the author of the beautiful poem published on our third page,—in stating that he was now earning his living by the exclusive use of his pen, as the following letter will show:

DEAR SIR,—You have my sincere thanks for your kindly notice as to my success in winning the prize, but you have been misinformed on one point. While I have contributed to the columns of the *Waverly* and other Boston and New York papers as you stated, it is not as yet my means of livelihood. I write for the press in the hours of leisure from other employment, though I hope that at some time in the near future journalism will be my sole occupation. Yours truly, M. H. CLARKE.

—From different reports lately noticed in the provincial press, it would seem to be an easier matter to raise funds for the relief of the St. John's sufferers, than it is to organize satisfactory committees for their distribution. Captain Hawkins, of the steamer *Havana*, who arrived at Halifax from there last week, says that as far as he could ascertain no organized system of distribution has as yet been arranged by the committee having charge of the relief of the sufferers by the recent fire. Three members of the committee have resigned owing to the discord prevailing among the members. Militia and sailors parade the streets to maintain order and prevent incendiarism which has been attempted and for which several persons are now imprisoned. Fully 7,000 people are encamped in indiscribable confusion in a large field. There is no want of clothing or food. The coming fall and winter, however, will it is feared realize the famine that succeeds the feast.

—Good Fresh Bread at G. H. Dixon's.

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—Have you seen those $1.00 Ladies' Kid Boots at J. W. Beckwith's. 11

—Mrs. Frank Scott left for Halifax on Wednesday last, where she is enjoying a few days rest among friends.

—J. W. Beckwith has not paid less than 18c. per lb. for Good Butter this year. He wants any quantity of Eggs and Butter. 1

—Mr. and Mrs. David Vincent and daughter May, of St. John, are enjoying a vacation at the home of Capt. Hugh and Mrs. Fraser, Queen Street.

—Miss Knodell, of St John, arrived here last week from Bridgewater, and is visiting at the home of her relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hoyt.

—The purchase of the Royal Hotel by Carman O'Dell, of Annapolis, mentioned in our last issue, is now completed. Mr. O'Dell takes possession October 1st.

—Mrs. James M. Pidgeon and daughter, of New York, and Miss Blanche Everett, of Boston, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Abner Bauckman.

—Mr. J. E. Barteaux, engaged in teaching at Port Maitland, Yarmouth County, is spending his vacation at his home, Nictaux, having arrived there on Saturday last

—J. W. Beckwith's large and magnificent stock of Ladies' German Jackets for fall are now on the way and will arrive in a few days. An inspection will convince that they excel all previous importations.

—Every person is talking of the bargains at J. W. Beckwith's great discount sale of Summer Dry Goods. They must be cleared in order to make room for his immense Fall Stock. His early fall goods are already beginning to arrive. 11

—Mr. Rupert Taylor, proprietor of the new drug store, opened his place for business yesterday, and celebrated the occasion by furnishing all callers with a delicious draught of cool soda, with flavoring to suit the taste.

—It will be seen by reading the report of the C. E. Union, elsewhere in our columns, that Miss Fannie Troop, our talented and esteemed young citizen, has won for herself the honor of reading the best paper listened to during the session.

—Mr. Chas. Easson, teller in the bank of Nova Scotia at North Sydney, spent a portion of the past week among his many personal friends in town, on his return trip from St. John, where he had been called to the bedside of his mother, whose sad death has since transpired.

—Frank Morse, eldest son of L. R. Morse, Esq., inspector of schools, arrived in town on Saturday on his "noiseless vehicle" from Digby. The distance is thirty-five miles, and was easily covered in five hours, with a rest of half an hour at Annapolis.

—Mr. E. J. Armstrong and Dr. J. M. Smith, both of St. John, arrived in town on Tuesday last, and are registered at the Grand Central. Mr. Armstrong is conducting a large job printing establishment in that city while Dr. Smith is one of the leading dentists.

PROPERTY TRANSFER.—Since our last issue the property belonging to and occupied by Mr. Watson Kinney, situate at Carleton's Corner, has changed hands, the purchaser being Mr. John L. Marshall. Mr. and Mrs. Marshall will not occupy their new dwelling till the ensuing spring. We understand that it is the intention of Mr. Kinney to either buy or rent a house nearer the town.

KILLED BY LIGHTNING.—A valuable mare belonging to Mr. Robert Bath, of Granville, was killed by lightning in a pasture on the North Mountain during the storm of the 25th ult. When discovered it was found that one of the animal's legs had been broken and that there was a small deep hole in the head near the ear. Mr. B. has been quite unfortunate in raising horses, this making the third one he has lost within a period of five years.

—*Land and Water* says the report of the engagement of the Duke of York, son of the Prince of Wales, and heir presumptive to the British throne, and Princess Victoria of Scheleswig-Holstein, is untrue. The paper further states that the bethrothal of the Duke to Princess May, daughter of the Duke of Teck, who was bethrothed to the Duke of Clarence and Avondale at the time of the latter's death, will be officially announced soon.

—The staff of men engaged in putting up the main wires of the Valley Telephone line, under the supervision of Mr. Geo. Robinson, reached here on Monday, and proceeded westward yesterday afternoon. Connection was made with Middleton, and the service afforded every satisfaction, as the ticking of a watch between the two places, a distance of fifteen miles, could be distinctly heard. Manager Balcom is on the ground, and is using every endeavor to forward the work along.

—The cause of Tupper vs. International Brick and Tile Company, is now being tried here by His Honor Judge Johnston, of Halifax, as Judge Savary was unable to try the same owing to illness, and designated Judge Johnson to act under the Statute. Yesterday was consumed in hearing part of the plaintiff's case. Messrs. Daniels and Roscoe are acting for the plaintiff, and Messrs. Ritchie and Ervin for the defendants. The action was brought to recover a balance on lumber sold the defdts.

BEATS THE RECORD.—The Inman line steamer *City of Paris*, Captain Frederick Watkins, which left Liverpool on July 20 and Queenstown 21, arrived at New York last Wednesday morning, having completed the passage from Daunt's Rock to Sandy Hook lightship in 5 days 15 hours and 58 minutes, beating the White Star liner *Teutonic*, which held the record made in August last of 5 days 16 hours and 31 minutes by 33 minutes.

A QUICK TRIP.—That Captain John Longmire, of the schr. *Temple Bar* is a hustler, has been an established fact in this community for some years past, but few of his friends would have believed that he could have made the trip from Bridgetown to St. John and return in the exceedingly short time in which the last one was accomplished. The *Temple Bar* sailed from her wharf here on Wednesday afternoon last with the wind dead ahead, made the trip to St. John, and was back again on Sunday evening with a full freight.

SHOT HIS NEIGHBORS OX.—Mr. Jeremiah Woodberry, of Bear River, was tried before Stependiary Holdsworth at Digby on Friday last for shooting an ox belonging to a neighbor named Vernon Woodberry. It appears that Woodberry has for some time past been in the habit of reducing the live stock of his neighbors in this peculiar manner, but till the present instance no sufficient evidence to warrant his arrest could be found. After examination of several witnesses, his honor remanded him to jail, to await trial before the supreme court in September next. Bail was fixed at $1,000, but Woodberry was unable to find sureties.

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE FOR SALE!

The subscriber is authorized to sell at

PUBLIC AUCTION,

at the residence of the late MRS. ALEXANDER EASSON, on

FRIDAY, AUGUST 5th,

at 2 o'clock, p.m., the following Household Effects:

1 Bedroom Suite, complete.
1 Parlor Suite, complete.
3 Good Bureaus.
2 Carpets, 1 Cooking Stove,
Bedsteads, Chairs, Tables, and many other Household Articles.

☞ Sale Positive. J. B. REED.

W. A. FOWLER, *Auctioneer.*
Bridgetown, August 2nd, 1892. 18 1i

BLACKSMITHING.

Notice to the Public!

The subscriber having recently purchased from MR. FORREST CONNELL his blacksmith shop and business, begs to notify the public that he will carry on the same in all lines at the old stand, and would most respectfully request the patronage so generously bestowed to Mr. C. in the past.

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Horse and Ox Shoeing

Carefully Executed and ALL KINDS of REPAIRING, etc., will receive prompt attention. Respectfully,

18 5i W. W. GORMLEY.

New Advertisements.

AUCTION!

Executor's Sale of Personal Property.

At Public Auction, at the farm formerly owned by Charles B. Whitman, late of Tupperville, in the County of Annapolis, on

Thursday, 25th of August

next, at ONE O'CLOCK in the afternoon, the ollowing stock:

6 milch cows, 3 heifers 3 years old, 5 heifers 2 years old, 2 steers 2 years old, 13 sheep, 1 horse, etc., etc. Also all the farm implements (nearly new), Ox Waggons, Carts, Mowing Machine, Horse Rake, Pitching Fork, Ploughs, Shovels, Spades, Root Cutters, Cultivators, Harrows, Hay and Manure Forks, Garden and Hay Rakes, Hoes, Hacks, Hay Cutter, Sleds, Riding Waggons, Single and Double Harness, Riding Saddle, Log and Draft Chains, Grind Stone, Scythes and Snaths, Plevie and one-third interest in hay press, etc., etc. Also a lot of Household Furniture—one superior Piano, Parlour, Bedroom, and Kitchen furniture, Crockeryware and Glassware, Silver Table, Tea and Desert Spoons, Cake Basket (plated) etc., etc. Ice Chest, Bureaus, Desks, Lounges, Sofas, and a lot of choice pictures, lot of books and a variety of other articles usually found about a well furnished dwelling house and farm. Also, if not sold before the time named for the sale of the personal property, the farm will on that day be offered at Public Auction. It comprises upwards of 700 acres of land, 40 acres of which are in a good state of cultivation, cuts annually upwards of 100 tons of hay, has 34 acres valuable dyked marsh, 400 apple trees producing annually about 300 barrels of apples. There is on the premises one large two-story dwelling-house, four barns and other outbuildings all in good order. The farm will be offered as a whole or in lots as may be found most desirable at time of sale.

TERMS OF SALE for personal property cash. For the real estate a portion may remain on mortgage if desired.

GEO. WHITMAN, *Executor.*
M. E. WHITMAN, *Executrix.*

Tupperville, Annapolis County.
26th July, A.D. 1892. 18 2i

Administrators Notice.

All persons having legal demands against the estate of JOHN W. ACKER, late of Nictaux Falls, in the county of Annapolis, farmer, deceased, are requested to render the same duly attested within twelve months from the date hereof; and all persons indebted to said estate are hereby requested to make immediate payment to

WM. J. H. BALCOM,
Administrator.

Nictaux Falls, August 1st, 1892. 18 6m

WATCH THIS SPACE.

IT IS RESERVED FOR THE "AD" OF

GRODER'S BOTANIC DYSPEPSIA SYRUP,

KNOWN AS

"The Leading Dyspepsia Cure —OF— The World!"

Sold Under an Absolute Guarantee.

SOON TO BE MANUFACTURED IN ST. JOHN, N. B.

—BY THE—

GRODER DYSPEPSIA CURE COMPANY. (LIMITED).

1891. Letter B. No. 397.

IN THE COUNTY COURT!

DISTRICT No. 3.

Between

TIMOTHY D. RUGGLES & SONS, Plaintiffs, and ROBERT EARLY, Defendant.

To be sold at Public Auction by the sheriff of the County of Annapolis or his deputy, in front of the COURT HOUSE at BRIDGETOWN, in the county of Annapolis, on

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 3rd, A.D. 1892,

at Eleven O'Clock, a.m.

All the estate, right, title, interest, claim and demand of the above-named defendant at the time of the recording of the said judgment or since, of into or out of all the following piece or parcel of

LAND

and premises situate, lying and being at Margaretville, in the township of Wilmot, in the county of Annapolis, bounded and described as follows:

On the north by Seaman street (so-called); on the east by the road leading to John Watson's farm; on the south by the road leading to John Watson's farm; on the west by the school-house lands, Halliburton lands, Baptist meeting-house and lands owned by Harding Baker and Simeon Baker and others, together with the buildings, privileges and appurtenances thereto belonging, the same having been levied upon under an execution issued on a judgment in the above cause, duly registered for more than one year.

Terms—Ten per cent. deposit at time of sale; remainder on delivery of deed.

J. AVARD MORSE,
High Sheriff.

H. RUGGLES, Solicitor for Plaintiff.
Bridgetown, July 27th, A.D. 1892. 18 5i

HARD COAL TO ARRIVE!

The Schooner *Jeanie* is now on her way to this port with a cargo of

CHESTNUT, STOVE, EGG or FURNACE

COAL!

—o—

As the prices are sure to advance each month as the season gets late, the subscriber concludes to ORDER NOW, finding a vessel to come direct to our port.

—o—

Parties desiring Coal will please leave their orders at

H. Fraser's Hardware Store.

☞ *Vessel sure to arrive this week if all well.*

J. W. BECKWITH.

SUMMER CLEARANCE SALE!

GREAT CLEARANCE CASH SALE

OF ALL LINES OF

SUMMER GOODS

Which Must Be Disposed of

REGARDLESS OF COST,

To Make Room for my Fall Importations.

TWENTY PER CENT DISCOUNT

—ON ALL LINES OF—

Summer Dress Goods,

In Single and Double Widths,

Hamburg Flouncings, Muslins, Challies, ETC., ETC., ETC.

Special Bargains

IN THE FOLLOWING:

Ladies Cloth, Beaded, and Lace

SHOULDER CAPES

Reduced from $5.25 to $3.50. $4.25 to $3.00. $2.50 to $1.50.

Ladies' Summer Jackets reduced from $6.00 to $4.00. $4.50 to $3.00. $3.00 to $2.00. $1.25 to 75 cents.

JOB LOT OF SUNSHADES

REDUCED FROM

$1.75 and 1.50 to 75c. 95c. to 50c. 50c. to 25c.

25 per cent. discount on all the higher grades ranging in price up to $4.50.

My Entire Stock of

Summer Millinery

WILL BE DISPOSED OF

At Less than Half Price.

JOB LOT OF CORSETS

Reduced from 75 cents to 50 cents to clear.

Mens' and Boys' STRAW HATS,

50 and 75 cents, reduced to 25 cents.

Mens' Regatta Shirts,

With 3 Collars and 1 pair Cuffs, extra value, at $1.25 and $1.50, reduced to 75 cents.

A great many EXTRA BARGAINS will be found in my large stock of

BOOTS, SHOES, and CLOTHING.

LOTS OF EXCEPTIONAL BARGAINS,

too numerous to mention, will be found in

THIS CLEARANCE SALE.

J. W. BECKWITH.

Steel Nails,

WINDOW GLASS,

Locks, Knobs,

HINGES and SCREWS,

DRY AND TARRED PAPER!

WITH

A Full and Complete Stock

—OF—

SHELF HARDWARE

AND

OTHER GOODS

Richard Shipley.

CLEARING OUT!

Haying Tools

ALMOST GIVEN AWAY.

PRESERVING JARS

AND KETTLES, all sizes, very low.

SUGARS CHEAP.

BIG DROP ON

Dress Goods

TO CLOSE OUT LOT.

This is the place to buy

CROCKERYWARE AND GLASSWARE.

Home and Picnic Parties

supplied with best FRUIT, BISCUITS and CANNED GOODS.

J. W. WHITMAN.

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PRACTICAL WATCHMAKER and JEWELLER

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REPAIRING punctually and thoroughly attended to, and satisfaction in all cases guaranteed. I have constantly on hand complete lines of Watches, Clocks and Jewelry.

STAVE MACHINE FOR SALE!

The subscriber offers his Cylinder Stave Machine and Jointer for sale at a bargain.

WINCHESTER DANIELS.

Bridgetown, July 18th, 1892. 16 5i

SHAFNER & NEILY

Take pleasure in announcing to their many patrons and the public in general that having now thoroughly renovated and refurnished their store they are in a position to offer their large and varied stock of

GROCERIES,

FRUIT & PROVISIONS,

AT PRICES THAT CANNOT FAIL TO SUIT ALL.

In said goods we renew our stock weekly, so that all our lines are Fresh and New.

TEA. TEA.

We have a large consignment of Tea, of superior qualitys direct from London, which is giving splendid satisfaction, and will be pleased to

GIVE SAMPLES TO ANY WISHING TO TRY.

A liberal Discount on job lots.

FLOUR, FEED, ETC.

We are making a specialty of Flour, Oat Meal, Corn Meal, Feed Stuffs, Etc. Having made arrangements with millers' agents and shippers in Boston, we are satisfied we can sell, wholesale or retail, at prices that, under our present arrangements, no other dealer in the county can afford to compete with, as these goods are brought here by our own packet, the schooner *Genius*, which will ply the coming season between here and Boston.

Glass, Earthenware, Etc.

We have a large and finely assorted stock in this line, to which we invite inspection, as we are selling way down fine.

Our customers and the public generally will find that in the Staple Goods referred to we will give bargains such as,—under our present arrangements, —no other dealers in the country can afford to compete with.

Give us a trial and be convinced.

SHAFNER & NEILY.

Bridgetown, April 5th, 1892.