The Weekly Monitor.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 13th, 1887.

—One by one the cherished beliefs of our forefathers are becoming weakened and shattered. From time immemorial, the moon, the Queen of the Night, has been looked upon as the planet whose influence upon the weather was supreme. It appears that this is all a delusion, and those who base their dependence upon reading the weather by the moon's changes, according, for instance, to the Herschel table, so called, will find that they have been resting upon a broken reed.

The Chicago *News* has the following article upon the subject:—

"Of all surviving pseudo-superstitions, that of the influence of the moon on the weather dies the hardest; and the belief that the (so-called) "changes" of the moon are accompanied or followed by changes in the condition of the terrestial atmosphere is still to be found among a very large number indeed of otherwise educated and enlightened people. A recent writer in *The English Mechanic* has examined the grounds of this belief, and attributes it to the weather predictions in the almanacs of the early part of the cenutry.

As to the moon "changing," one would imagine, to hear the majority of people talk, that a "change" of the moon is in some sense cognate with a conjuring trick, in which the performer, after showing that he has nothing in his hand, instantaneously produces an egg, an orange, or a live rabbit. Yet the notion of people being that the moon is always changing—.01 second before conjunction she is waning, .01 second after it she is waxing, and so throughout her monthly path. When her (celestial) longitude is identical with that of the sun she is said in the almanac to be "new"; which such longitude differs 90 degrees from the sun's toward the east she is in her "first quarter"; when they are separated by 180 degrees the moon is "full," and when she has travelled to that point in her orbit in which she is 90 degrees to the west of the sun she is said to be in her "last quarter"; in each case it being assumed that she is viewed from the earth's centre. The use of the word "change," then, in connection with her position in these four points of her orbit, is a solecism, pure and simple.

"But," people are heard to say, "as the moon influences the tides, why should it not affect the atmosphere too?" To which the immediate obvious reply is that the tides are a semi-diurnal phenomenon, so that, on this principle, the weather ought to change twice a day also—a conclusion too absurd to be entertained. Nevertheless the moon does influence the atmosphere by causing the production in it of tides so minute as, under ordinary circumstances, to be masked by other fluctuations. The existence of these atmospheric tides was first definitely established by the observations of the late Professor Daniell, but it these minute tides influenced the weather in the slightest degree it must change twice a day—a supposition too ridiculous to merit notice.

The "moon on her back" as a weather sign would appear to be a good deal like the old woman's indigo test—if the dye was pure "twould either sink or swim, she disremembered which." Mr. Forepaugh says it's a "dry moon," but in many parts of the country, and uniformly in England, the belief prevails that when the young moon is "lying on her back"—in other words, when the line joining her cusps is nearly or quite parallel to the horizon, she is "holding water," and rain will certainly follow. How either belief arose it would be idle to speculate, but the explanation of the phenomenon itself is sufficiently simple. In the outset the moon is never much more than 5 degrees either to the north or south of the ecliptic, or apparent annual path of the sun through the heavens. Now the line adjoining her cusps (the sharp points of her crescent) is always square to a great circle passing through the sun and moon. Two minutes' study of a celestial globe will show how variable is the inclination of the ecliptic to the horizon, and consequently that of the line joining the cusps of the moon also.

Finally, the most elaborate comparisons of meteorological records made in France and in England (where the Greenwich observations for forty years were carefully collated with the moon's phases during that period) have sufficed to show that no connection whatever exists between them. The solitary observable effect of the moon upon our atmosphere was believed by Sir John Herschel to be exhibited in the tendency to disappearance of cloud under the full moon, and this he attributed to the heat radiated from her surface.

—The gold resources of our province are every month becoming more apparent, as the numerous mines, that have within the past year or two been opened up, are becoming more fully developed and worked. The mines in Queens and Yarmouth Counties, from all reports, are yielding most satisfactory returns. It can, however, never be really established just what the gold capacities of our province are until deep mining is resorted to. It may be that immense wealth underlies the surface in the gold bearing districts. This, of course, never can be known until the matter is tested, and it appears to us that it would not be amiss in the government making an appropriation, to see if mother earth has not a paying amount of the precious metal stowed away below.

—The American government is placed in the unique position of having millions of dollars more money than it knows what to do with, and the money keeps pouring annually into the treasury at an increasingly faster rate than it goes out. The financial heads of the republic are now busily trying how to work out the problem of reducing the revenue, without conflicting with the powerful interests concerned, and of finding some scheme by which the surplus millions can be usefully put into circulation. Some means will doubtless be devised in the near future by which a channel for the surplus to flow through can be found, but none of the schemes yet advanced appear to find much favor. One paper advocates removing the taxes on tobacco and sugar and spirits, and in the arts, and then give bounties to sugar manufacturers.

We regret that we cannot offer our neighbors any suggestions, as we have never had any experience of its peculiar position.

—The Commissioners under the Water Act for this town, have secured the money necessary for the construction of our water works system. Tenders from several banks were received, and one from Messrs, James Macintosh, & Co., of Halifax. The latter was the lowest tenderer, his being 5 per cent. and 1 per cent. commissions. This was the best that could be done and was accepted. As soon as the forms of debenture can be printed and signed, the money will be deposited in the bank here, and tenders for the work of construction will be at once called for. We had hoped, and had every reason to believe, that the money could be secured for 5 per cent. interest, without commissions, but there is so much debenture stock on the market at the present that it was impossible to secure the money at a more favorable rate. The order for the pipe, hydrants, etc., will be sent to Glasgow, Scotland, to-day.

The people of this town will hail the advent of the water with rejoicing,—the present dry season is putting many to great inconvenience; wells are getting low and correspondingly unhealthy, and many persons are driven to the necessity of hauling soft water for domestic purposes generally.

—The Rev. John Cameron will conduct divine service in the open air (D. V.) on Sabbath afternoon next, at 3 p. m., at Hawthorne Place.

Local and Other Matter.

—Farmers have commenced haying.

—J. W. Beckwith has a fine lot of sawed No. 1 Pine Shingles, for sale. 1i

—Full particulars in reference to the Berwick Camp Meeting will be found in our advertising columns.

—4000 lbs. Wool wanted at Randolph's, for the Yarmouth Woollen Mills. tf

—Steamer New Brunswick, on her last trip from Boston to Annapolis, July 8th, brought 200 passengers.

—Three midshipmen of H. M. S. Canada, now at Halifax, are missing, and it is feared they were drowned from a sail boat in Bedford Basin.

—J. N. Rice, photographer, has removed to Bear River for a few weeks. Those wanting photographs, or pictures enlarged will do well to give him a call.

—The side wheel steamer "New York" will shortly replace the New Brunswick on the direct route between Annapolis and Boston. She will make her next trip, it is expected some time next week.

—The young man Millman, charged with the murder of the girl Tuplin, in P. E. I., has been committed for trial. His mother has become insane, since her son's arrest. The case looks bad for the young man, although he treats the matter very coolly. An account of the affair will be found elsewhere.

—Schr. Charlotte Crosby, Capt. Harvey, from Boston, for Digby, with salt, and schr. Ellen Louise, Capt. Merriner, from Boston, for Annapolis, with salt, were duly nominated at Digby, for the forthcoming election. Speeches were made by the candidates and by J. B. Mills, M. P., and Atty.-General Longley.

—J. W. Beckwith, has closed a contract with a leading Woollen Mill to supply them with a large quantity of GOOD Washed Wool, at figures that enable him to pay the HIGHEST price.

—The marriage of Miss Elizabeth Campbell McKeown, daughter of Rev. Andrew McKeown, D. D., to Mr. Frank Ellesworth Blaisdell, of Boston, took place last Thursday evening at the Monument Square M. E. Church, Charlestown. The ceremony was performed by the father of the bride.—*Provincialist.*

—The Boston steamer, Merrimac, was wrecked on Little Hope Island, Liverpool, in fine weather, on Saturday night last. There were about 100 passengers on board besides the crew. Fortunately no lives were lost. A portion of the crew raided the staterooms, got drunk, and acted in a disgraceful manner generally. The cargo was valued at about $10,000, partly insured.

PASSED WITH HONORS.—At the midsummer examinations of the Ontario Agricultural College, Mr. J. W. Hart, of this town, son of Rev. J. R. Hart, passed his second year course with honors in all his classes, viz., agriculture and live stock, natural science, veterinary science, English literature and political economy, mathematics and bookkeeping, and also took a prize for general proficiency, making 1321 marks out of a possible 1750. We congratulate our young friend.

—Split Shingles for sale at J. W. Beckwith's. 1i

—The summer meeting of the Nova Scotia Fruit Growers' Association will take place at Bridgetown, Friday next, the 15th inst., at 1 and 7 o'clock, p. m. Prof. Saunders, chief director of Govt. experimental farms, will address the meetings, Prof. Lawson and Smith are also expected, and subjects of general interest to fruit growers will be discussed. All are invited. The usual arrangements with the W.& A.R.R. have been made. By order, C. R. H. Starr, Secty.

—The summer holidays in our public school have commenced and the youngsters are jubilant, as a matter of course. It is a pleasure to see the enjoyment depicted in their faces at the prospect of the good times ahead. Who would not live over again the halcyon days of childhood and youth?

The principal, Mr. Brown, and Miss Hamilton, teacher of the intermediate department, will attend the Truro association, and Miss Ruggles, preceptress of the primary school, expects to leave for her home in Digby County, to day.

—The *Daily Times Recorder*, of Zanesville, contains the particulars of the narrow escape from drowning, of Mrs. Hector McLean, a daughter of the late Hon. W. C. Whitman, of Lawrencetown, in this county, and of the death of one of her companions. It appears that a boating party consisting of Mr. and Mrs. McLean, Misses Mary and Annie Grimes, and Mr. J. H. Andrews, were out on the river, and encountered a steamer that was towing a sand barge. The party supposed the steamer would make her landing as usual on the side of the river, opposite to where they were, but she swung sharp around when near them, and the skiff was struck by the sand barge. The remainder we give in the *Recorder's* own words:—

'Instantly there was a scene of terrible confusion. By some means Miss Annie Grimes was thrown into the barge. Mr. Andrews was thrown into the water and was caught in the suction of the boat, but by some means succeeded in getting on the barge. Mr. McLean seized Miss Mary Grimes by the arm and endeavored to draw her from the water, but the suction of the water was too strong and she was torn away from his grasp. It is thought that she suffered instant death by being crushed between the boat and barge.

Mrs. McLean was drawn under the barge and passed beneath both the barge and the Siler. She instantly realized her perilous position, and with rare presence of mind, crowded her shawl into her mouth, and but for this precaution would without doubt have lost her life.

As soon as Messrs Andrews and McLean were upon the barge they began to search for the two ladies. Mr. McLean being doubly frantic at the loss of his wife. They looked along the sides of the barge and examined the wheel of the steamer. Hope of finding either of the ladies alive had been given up when the captain of the boat found Mrs. McLean. With the assistance of seven men she was brought upon the boat, and a search was made for the body of Miss Grimes. The boat was loosened from the barge, and Mrs. McLean was conveyed to McConnelsville. She was in a very dangerous condition, but the prompt administration of restoratives relieved her, and Saturday morning she was declared out of danger. Miss Mary Grimes was not seen after she disappeared under the barge and her body was not found until about two hours had elapsed and the river had been dragged.

Her remains were conveyed to McConnelsville, and were met by the heart-broken mother who, but a short time before had bidden her daughter a cheerful good-bye.

The father of the drowned young lady, Rev. Mr. Grimes, is in very delicate health, and is at Anderson, Indiana, resting and trying to recover his health. The men on board the Siler did everything in their power to rescue those in danger, and everything that could be done to alleviate the sufferings of those so unexpectedly thrown on their care.

[By a private letter, we learn that Mrs. McLean was under water 15 minutes, the barge and boat under which she passed being together, 195 ft. long.—ED. MON.]

—My customers will kindly remember that one very essential thing in my being enabled to secure the high prices that I do for Eggs, is that the Eggs I ship have the reputation in the Boston markets, of always being fresh. In order for me to keep up this reputation it is absolutely necessary that customers should bring me their Eggs every week. Any neglect in this particular is at once detected in Boston, by consumers, as I supply a special trade and do not deal with a commission merchant. J. W. BECKWITH.

—Wire Netting, for sale at Shipley's. 1i

—A $150,000 fire occurred in the Quebec citadel, on the 7th. Twenty-six horses perished in the flames.

—Elegant Patterns in Tapestry, Union and Wool Carpets, at Randolph's.

—Great damage is reported in northern and western New Brunswick, last week from storms.

—Upland and Marsh Grass for sale by J. W. Beckwith. 1i

—S. Legg, watchmaker, has removed to Middleton, where he will be prepared to do all work in his line at reasonable rates. His stand will be in A. Beales' store.

—A quantity of Hoop Poles, for sale at J. W. Beckwith's. 1i

—Oatmeal stirred in water with sugar or molasses and ginger to taste is the best and most healthful drink for the hayfield. It is strengthening and thirst-quenching.

—Montserrat Lime Fruit Juice Sauce, received at Shipley's. 1i

DIPHTHERIA.—This dread disease has broken out in Gaspereaux. Two cases are reported, one very serious. The public schools are closed.—*K. Chronicle.*

—Fishing Rods and Baskets, for sale positively at cost, by R. Shipley. 1i

—Schr. Temple Bar, Longmire, is in port. Expects to sail for St. John, Saturday or Monday.

—W. & R. Wallace, shipbuilders and shipowners of St. John, N. B. Other shipbuilding firms are talked of.

—The July term of the County Court is now in session at Annapolis. Judge Savary, presiding.

—We expect to have the By-laws of this Municipality, as revised by the Council, bound and ready for delivery next week. The apparent delay in getting them printed after the council rises, is owing to their having to go before the Governor in Council for sanction, before being placed in the printer's hands.

—Wm. Ship, of Carleton's Corner, had a fine two year old heifer killed by a bear last week, in a pasture about ½ or ¾ of a mile from the main highway. The heifer had been dead three or four days when found. The body was only partially eaten. It is quite a long time since bears have committed depredations so near the town.

—Geo. Murdoch, Esq., intends to make extensive alterations in the building partially damaged by the fire of a few weeks ago. The building is to be raised up some three feet, a new front with large windows put in and other alterations made. Workmen are now busily engaged.

—The Chesley and Troop marshes, in Granville have suffered considerably by the depredations of the army worm. Our informant states that the crop on the Chesley marsh is practically destroyed, and that on some four or five acres of the other marsh.

—Hazen Jones, son of Eleazor Jones, while sailing down the Weymouth river from Weymouth Bridge towards Edinboro in a sail boat on Wednesday last, accompanied by Evelyn Wier from Boston, was accidentally thrown from the boat into the river by the jibing of the sail while standing forward near bow. The accident occurred about 300 yards from a vessel lying at the wharf. The young man arose but once to the surface. The body was discovered a few hours afterwards. Hazen Jones was about 19 years of age and was living with his parents at Edinboro.—*Courier.*

—Mr. C. F. Nevens, of Concord, Mass., writes us as follows under date of July 4th:—

"During last week we had the warmest weather here that we ever knew. I have two men in my employ at haying, that narrowly escaped being sun struck. They lay on the ground some time unable to move, so exhausted from the heat on Friday, but are now doing well. Their names are Milledge Daniels and Alonzo Foster, and they say they are from Paradise, N. S.

—*Provincialist*: Our fellow-countrymen sympathize deeply with their their American-born brethren in the celebration of "the glorious Fourth," and they enter heartily into the work of celebrating. How much of an American celebration was that on Monday? John E. Fitzgerald delivered the oration, Mayor O'Brien presided; J. Keating read the declaration of Independence. The grand finale of the fireworks was a piece showing Mayor O'Brien, Alderman Donovan, and Mr. Barry. These all came over in the Mayflower *via* Cork.

—The following from the Clyde *Mail*, Kansas, relates to a son of Mr. John Randolph, formerly of this town:—

"J. F. Randolph has accepted the position of general agent for the Security and Investment Company, with headquarters at Cawker City, Kansas. He will leave for that city on the 5th, but for the present his family will remain at Clyde. We are sorry to see Mr. Randolph depart from our city, as he is one of our most enterprising and pushing business men—always ready to do anything for the advancement of his city. In him Cawker will gain a valuable citizen. Mr. R. is largely interested in real estate here, of which he will not dispose, as he has faith in Clyde's future prosperity.

—The *Herald* says: "John S. Townsend, of the well-known firm of J. S. Townsend & Co., wholesale fruit brokers, Monument yard, London, in company with Joseph Seeton, of this city, has just returned from a trip through the Annapolis valley, looking after the interests of the former firm in reference to the apple trade of Kings and Annapolis counties. Mr. Townsend expressed himself as much pleased with the appearance of the farms in the valley. He thinks that there is yet a great future for Nova Scotia in the apple trade. He says that of the hundreds of shipments of apples that he has received from various parts of the world within the past few years, Nova Scotia apples for quality have far exceeded all others. He says that the European market will always supply an unlimited demand for first-class fruit, and the farmers through the valley need not hesitate to set out more orchards. He says the reports from various sections through which he passed would show that the apple crop will be even larger than last year.

Nictaux Items.

The Rev. J. Clark is still unable to attend to his pulpit duties through his recent accident. Rev. W. Allen, of Carlton, N. B., occupied the pulpit on Sunday last.

Mr. Thomas Banks and wife celebrat- their golden wedding on Monday, receiving the warmest congratulations of a numerous circle of friends, a sum of money and other tokens of good will. Altogether, a most delightful day was enjoyed which will long be remembered.

A wedding of peculiar interest took place at Torbrook, on Wednesday, the 6th inst. The happy couple being Mr. Geo. W. Wheelock, and Miss Annie B., daughter of John Brown, Esq. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. Clark, assisted by the Rev. Sidney Welton, of Sussex. Among the numerous guests was Dr. Bradley Welton, of New York. There were many valuable presents. The Middleton Brass Band was in attendance and discoursed sweet music through the evening.

P. E. I. Girl Murder.

The following are the particulars of the murder of Miss Tuplin, at Margate, P. E. I. On the evening of the 28th June, a daughter of John Tuplin, left her father's house about 9 o'clock. She had thin slippers on her feet, had nothing on her head, and was clad in a thin cotton dress. She had told some members of the family that she had an appointment that night with a young man named William Millman, by whom she alleged she had been led astray. That was the last seen of her alive. As she did not return home on Thursday morning, searching parties were at once organized and they scoured the neighboring woods without success. On Friday it was suggested that it would be well to search Eel creek, a branch of the Southwest river, which flows about a mile from the residence of the girl's parents. On Saturday the search was renewed. Mr. Thomas Cameron, while resting on the bank, found thereon a white cotton handkerchief with the letter M. worked on it. This handkerchief was identified by her mother as the property of the missing girl. This strengthened the suspicion of the searchers that the body of the young girl was not was not far off—probably in the river. They continued dragging all day on Sunday; but, as on the previous days, without success. On Monday morning the search was continued. Between two and three o'clock in the afternoon the body of the missing girl was found.

The body was found in about 4½ feet of water. Around the waist was tied a rope, attached to which was a large stone. Neighboring, it is calculated, some pounds, the neighborhood of the rope about a foot from was tied. The body was partly decomposed and much swollen when taken from the water. There were no marks of violence about the body. But on the head back of the ear, the skin and flesh were lacerated. In this lacerated spot, indenting the bone slightly, a revolver bullet was found, flattened out into the shape of a button when it had struck against the bone. About two inches above this spot and back of the ear there was a bullet hole entering the head.

It was a heartrending spectacle to see the corpse of the young girl, with a ponderous stone tied to her waist and the horrible wounds in her head, being dragged ashore. The stone weighs over 100 pounds. It is now thought that more than one is implicated in the affair. Two arrests have been made—Millman and one Bryenion. The mother of the unfortunate girl gives the following version of the affair: A brother of Miss Tuplin died on Sunday of consumption. That night Bryenton and his wife visited the family. Bryenton went up stairs, leaving his wife below. He whispered to Miss Tuplin that his wife wanted her down stairs. The girl dressed and went down, and Mrs. Bryenton told her that Millman wanted her outside. She and Millman had a hasty conversation, after which the girl returned. She told one of her married sisters that Millman was going to make final arrangements for their marriage on Tuesday night. He had said that two men were waiting for him up the road and that he was in a hurry. She cautioned her sister to say nothing of it to her parents. On Tuesday afternoon her brother was buried. After the funeral she returned, put on a cotton dress and did some work till about 9 o'clock, when she slipped out to meet her betrayer. That was the last seen of her alive. As the night wore on her friends became uneasy and started on a search with the result already known. The corpse was found on Monday, about twenty feet from a deep boiling spring in the centre of the river, where it was probably intended to drop the body. In the darkness the place was missed. Had she fallen there her body would probably have never been discovered. Millman returned on Monday night from Charlottetown, where he engaged counsel. He jumped off the train outside of Kensington and took a back road home. At the station a large crowd had gathered to secure him, but were thus eluded. He was very cool and collected on Tuesday morning when he was arrested in bed. Many advocated lynching him, so sure were they of his guilt. He and Bryenton had been noticed frequently together, in close conversation, of late. The inquest took place before two justices of the peace. The excitement is intense. Hundreds attended the inquest, when the jury brought in a verdict of "shot and killed by a party or parties unknown." Millman was committed for trial.

Search for Sunken Treasures.

WILMINGTON, Del., July 2.—The schr. W. P. Orr arrived at the Delaware Breakwater to-day, and at once began an attempt to locate the British sloop-of-war Debrook, which was sunk with $10,000,000 on board toward the close of the last century in an engagement with an American vessel. At the time that the Debrook was sunk she was returning to England from South America, where she had captured three Spanish vessels laden with gold and silver bullions. She was forced to put into Lewes for water, and on her way out to sea again, met an American vessel, was forced to give battle, and was sunk.

The pilot abroad of the Debrook, Samuel McCracken, knew of the immense wealth which she contained and located her, so that he would be able to find, when he wished, the place where she sank.

For years the McCracken family have kept the secret. Two years ago when the International Submarine Company was formed, a grandson of old Pilot McCracken divulged the secret to the company. A visit was made to the locality where the wreck is, last fall, but the company were unable to make any headway through lack of proper appliances.

The schr. W. P. Orr has been fitted up with wrecking machinery, including powerful sand pumps for the divers. She carries a crew of twelve men and has enough supplies to do her until next fall, when the company expect to get through with its work. Two divers, Charles F. Bederick and Harry Dwyer, are in the searching party. The work will be done under the direction of C. F. Pike, of Philadelphia, who is an expert. The expenses of the whole expedition have been borne by Dr. Seth Pancoast, of Philadelphia, who is deeply interested in the International Submarine Company.

The company has secured the consent of the United States government to find the money provided ten per cent. of the earnings are paid into the treasury.

—The Lawn Party given by the ladies of Providence Church, of this town, on the grounds of the Parsonage last evening, was one of the pleasantest affairs of the season. The tea tables were most invitingly spread with all manner of good things, including strawberries and cream. Under a tent in another part of the grounds, were displayed a tasteful collection of flowers and a number of interesting Bermudian curiosities collected by Rev. Mr. Angwin, when stationed there. A refreshment table was also under this tent, and was plentifully supplied with ice creams, strawberries and cream and other delicacies. The grounds are peculiarly well adapted for such an occasion. The Bridgetown Band, was in attendance and as usual discoursed excellent music. After eight o'clock the grounds were lighted up with a number of torches and lanterns, and presented a very pretty appearance. We did not learn the amount realized.

—Sheet Lead and Lead Pipe, for sale at Shipley's. 1i

—Those who wish to get rid of Maritime Bank Bills should call at once upon J. W. Beckwith, as he cannot guarantee to accept them longer than the 23rd inst. 1i

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—Situated two miles from—

BRIDGETOWN,

AND contains about 600 acres, 67 rods wide and extending 4½ miles from the Annapolis river;

Fine Young Orchard in Bearing;

Good Buildings; Fine Pasture; 9 acres Dyke Marsh; Timber and Hard Wood in abundance. Apply to

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Bridgetown, July 11th, '87. tf

New Advertisements.

BERWICK CAMP MEETING!

THE annual meetings will be held on the well known grounds at Berwick, from

WEDNESDAY, 27th July,

—: UNTIL :—

THURSDAY, 4th August.

The Rev. Joseph Gaetz, President of the Nova Scotia Conference of the Methodist Church is expected to be present, and many leading ministers and well known evangelistic workers. Additional accomodation has been provided for special meetings. Arrangements have been made for services in the interests of

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church.—On Monday, 1st August, when a sermon will be preached by the Rev. Wm. Ainley, and a Woman's Meeting conducted by officers and members of the Nova Scotia branch of the Society.

The Nova Scotia Association for the Promotion of Holiness.—On Tuesday, 2nd August, when a sermon will be preached by Rev. James Strathard, and a meeting held at which the special claim of the Association will be presented.

The Children's Day.—On Wednesday, 3rd August, when a sermon will be preached by Rev. S. B. Dunn, and a meeting for children will be conducted by H. Woodbury, Esq., of Halifax.

Temperance.—On Thursday, 4th August, when a sermon will be preached by Rev. ——, and a mass meeting held, to be addressed by Jonathan Parsons, Esq., of Halifax, representative of the Grand Division of the Sons of Temperance, —— representative of the United Order of Good Templars, —— representative of the W. C. T. U.

Special arrangements have been made with the W. & A. Railway for the day. Return tickets will be issued from all stations for **ONE FIRST CLASS FARE**, good to return on Friday, the 5th. Trains will arrive at Berwick from Annapolis and intermediate stations at 9.30 a. m., and leave at 4 o'clock p. m., railway time.

Boarding Tent.—In the Dining Room, Breakfast and Tea will be served at 25 cents each, and Dinner at 35 cents. Special terms for persons boarding by the week. In the Restaurant, refreshments may be obtained at moderate rates on the European plan. Persons desiring meals in the Dining Room on Sabbath must furnish themselves with tickets not later than Saturday night, as provisions will only be made for those holding tickets. The restaurant will be positively closed for the Sabbath.

Admission to Grounds.—Season Tickets (admitting the bearer to all the services) 25 cents. Single entrance, 5 cents. On Sabbath the ticket office being closed, persons who have not been able to obtain tickets will be admitted between the services on payment of 5 cents at the gate.

Railway.—The W. & A. By., will issue First Class Return Tickets for one fare, and one-third from all stations on this line from Thursday 26th July, until Tuesday 2nd, August, good to return until Friday 5th August.

A Mill for the Public

—The firm of—

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Persons bringing logs can have their lumber to take home with them.

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500 CORDS STAVE WOOD,

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We have added a New Thresher,

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which will be in operation during the coming season.

BOWLBY, BALCOM & CO.

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Highest Prices Paid for Eggs.

I keep at the store in Williamston the same assortment of goods and sell at same prices.

J. L. MORSE,

Upper Clarence.

June 30th, 1887. tf

DISSOLUTION!

THE Co-partnership heretofore existing between JOHN A. BROWN, of Lawrencetown, and HIRAM BELKNAP, of Marlboro, Mass., is this day dissolved by mutual consent, said Hiram Belknap retiring from the firm. All debts due the said firm will be collected by said John A. Brown, and all liabilities of the firm are assumed by him.

The milling property of the above firm is transferred to

The Lawrencetown Milling & Manfg. Co., for whom we bespeak a liberal patronage.

JOHN A BROWN,
HIRAM BELKNAP,

Lawrencetown, June 27th, 1887. 3it15

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

J. W. BECKWITH.

250 Pcs. DRESS GOODS

in all the leading MAKES and SHADES.

75 Pcs. WHITE BRILLIANTS, PIQUES and MUSLINS.

SILKS AND SATINS A SPECIALTY,

SATIN LUXORE, SATIN DeLYON, SATIN MERVEILLIEUX, SATIN RHADAME, AND GROS GRAIN SILKS.

MOURNING GOODS A SPECIALTY.

30 pcs. Seersuckers. 100 pcs. Oriental Laces, From 1 inch to 1-2 yard in width.
100 pcs. Hamburgs, frm 1-2 inch to 11-2 yards wide.

All Over Embroidery and Lace Flouncings.

100 Boxes Silk, Lisle, Taffeta and Cotton Gloves.

75 BOXES SUNSHADES, IN THE MOST FASHIONABLE DESIGNS.

100 Boxes CORSETS, COMPRISING THE BEST AMERICAN AND CANADIAN MAKES.

10 Boxes Ladies' Jerseys, Plain, Beaded and Braided,

BEADED FRONTS AND BEADED LACES,
LACE CURTAINS BY THE SET AND YARD.

HATS. Headquarters for the Latest and Best Styles of English, American and Canadian Fur, Wool and Straw Hats. HATS.

MEN'S WEAR OF ALL KINDS!

FULL ASSORTMENT OF BOOTS AND SHOES ALWAYS KEPT IN STOCK.

NONE BUT THE BEST GROCERIES SOLD.

J. W. BECKWITH.

CAUTION!

ALL persons are hereby cautioned against negotiating a note made by SARAH A. HALL in favor of CHARLES C. MOIR, for $100. Dated December 19th, 1885, as said note was fraudulently obtained and no consideration was received for the same.

SARAH A. HALL,

Middleton, June 29th, 1887. 3it4

NOTICE!

NOTICE is hereby given that the amended By-Laws, of the Municipality of the County of Annapolis, passed at the semi annual Session, 1887, and published in the Proceedings of Council were approved by His Honor the Lieutenant Governor-in-council, on the 30th day of May, 1887.

O. T. DANIELS.
Municipal Clerk.

Bridgetown, July 12th, 1887.

Oh, Read This!

IF you are subject to any of the following complaints: Cramps, Diarrhoea, Cholera, Sore Throat, Diphtheria, Rheumatism, Stiffness in the Joints, Colds, Sudden Chills, Toothache, Chilblains, etc., use

SEAVEY'S EAST INDIA LINIMENT.

Which is acknowledged by all who have used it to be

THE BEST REMEDY

for the above diseases.

"Having used Seavey's East India Liniment, I can truthfully say, it effects a cure when all others fail. It is the best family remedy I ever had in my house."

JOHNSON DOWNIE,

Evergreen, Feby. 14th, 1887.

Sold by dealers and druggists.

Price 25 Cents.

ANNAPOLIS WOOLLEN MILLS!

ANNAPOLIS, N. S.

OWING to a series of circumstances, too numerous to mention in this advertisement, we have abandoned the old Woollen Mill at Lequille, and are now building a new one about a quarter of a mile further up the stream. This new mill we expect to have running about July 1st. We will then be in a position to attend to our usual

Custom Carding and Cloth Fulling,

as well as to supply our customers with a larger and better assortment of

UNION AND ALL-WOOL

Cloths, Flannels, Blankets, YARNS, ETC.,

Our Agents, Prices, Terms, etc., will remain unchanged.

Parties wishing to Exchange Wool for Cloth, need not wait for the New Mill to commence operations, as we have kept over a few thousand yards of Cloth for this purpose.

In order to better carry on this enterprise, we have entered into co-partnership to be known by the name of

SNOW & CARR,

We have also bought a complete set of very superior MACHINERY, and will have greatly increased facilities, thus putting ourselves in a much better position to attend to the wants and wishes of our customers.

HARRY A. SNOW,
JOHN CARR, jr.,

Annapolis, April 17th, 1887. tf

ANOTHER SPECIALTY

—AT—

SHIPLEY'S!

Haying Tools,

— consisting of—

SCYTHES, SNATHS, STONES, RAKES and FORKS.

The Latest and Newest Shapes

—: AT :—

BOTTOM PRICES.

A LARGE STOCK to select from.

RICHARD SHIPLEY

BRIDGETOWN Central Grocery.

—Full assortment—

Very Best GROCERIES

—in the Market.—

FLOUR, MEAL AND FEED

CONSTANTLY ON HAND.

OUR MOTTO:

"Best Goods at Lowest Prices."

TEA MEETINGS & BAZAARS

—supplied with—

Confectionery, Etc.,

at Wholesale Prices.

ALL goods delivered in the town free of charge.

Thompson & Shaffner.

Queen Street, Bridgetown.

A COMPLETE STOCK

—OF—

Sprng and Summer Millinery!

Staple and Fancy

DRY GOODS,

in all the LATEST STYLES,

—AT—

Remarkably LOW PRICES,

JUST OPENED.

Ready Made Millinery,

Orders Promptly Attended to.

EGGS WANTED!

—AT—

HIGHEST MARKET PRICES,

—FOR—

CASH OR TRADE.

L. C. WHEELOCK.

May 9th, 1887.

Save the Natural Teeth.

J. W. CROSSKILL, Operative Surgeon Dentist, office up stairs over the BLEB STORE of Mr. J. H. FISHER, Granville St. All the various filling materials used in Filling the Teeth, and the most difficult and apparently hopeless cases treated successfully. Fees moderate and may be known on application. Unquestionable references when required.

Bridgetown, May 4th, '87. tf

CARD!

MAILS

Lawrencetown to Bridgewater!

THE subscriber having the above mail is prepared to

CARRY PASSENGERS AND FREIGHT

in first-class style

Mails leave Lawrencetown, Monday and Thursday at 7 a. m.

FARES.—$4.00 each way; Extras furnished on any other day for $5.00 each.

C. W. PHINNEY,
Contractor.

N. B.—Any information given by J. W. James, P. M., Lawrencetown.

Lawrencetown, May 3rd, '86. 6m.

IF YOU WANT

THE LATEST STYLE

American HAT!

—: OR :—

Fine Boot or Shoe,

—go to—

A. J. MORRISON'S.

If You Want a Complete Suit of

Furnishings or Ready Made Clothing

—go to—

A. J. MORRISON'S

IF YOU WANT A

Perfectly Fitting SUIT

Made to Order, at Bottom Prices,

—go to—

A. J. MORRISON'S,

Middleton, May 20th, '87.

HURRAH!

Having purchased the staunch schooner

'TEMPLE BAR!'

I WILL sail her as a packet between Bridgetown and St. John for the remainder of the season.

Freight handled with care as usual.

Lime and Salt always on Hand; for Sale Low.

Apply to J. H. LONGMIRE,

Bridgetown, June 21st, 1887. tf

THE GREAT CHANCE FOR HORSE BREEDERS.

TOMANO!

(REGISTERED.)

Bay Horse, 15 1-4 Hands High, Star, off Hind Heel White; bred by

R. B. CONKLIN,

Sound View Stock Farm,

GREENPORT, L. I., N. Y.,

—BY—

WEDGEWOOD,

RECORD: 2.19.

Recently Sold for $25,000.

1st dam, Dosmea, by Homer.
2nd dam, Suffolk, by Abdallah, [Conklin's.]
3rd dam, Daughter of Telegraph.
Wedgewood - - by Belmont.
Homer - by Hambletonian, 10.
Telegraph - by Burr's Napoleon.

SPEED ELEMENTS.

Wedgewood, record 2:19, sire of TOMANO, sold for the princely sum of $25.000, sired Connaught, 2:24; Nugget, 2:26¾;—now owned by Forest City farm where they stand at $50.00 and $100 00, respectively—also sire of Ulva, 2:27; Favonia, 2:27¾.

Belmont, grandsire of TOMANO, got Nutwood, 2:18¾,—now stands for $350.00 for the season—; Wedgewood, 2:19; Viking, 2:20¼; Dick Moore, 2:22; Nil Desperandum, 2:24; and 10 others in the 2:30 list,

Conklin's Abdallah got Rarus, 2:13¼.

Telegraph got the dam of Rarus.

Alexander's Abdallah got Goldsmith Maid, 2:14; Rosalind, 2:21¼; and three others in the 2:30 list.

Mambrino Chief got Lady Thorne, 2:18¼; Woodford Mambrino, 2:21¼; and 4 others in the 2:30 list; while his daughters threw Director, 2:17; Piedmont, 2:17¼; and 17 others in the 2:30 list.

Rysdyk's Hambletonian is the sire of 29 trotters in the 2:30 list, including Dexter, 2:17¼; Nettie, 2:18; Orange Girl, 2:20; Jay Gould, 2:21¼; Artillery, 2:21¼; George Wilkes, 2:22, etc., and his sons, daughters, grandsons, granddaughters, great-great-grandsons and daughters all produce trotters.

TOMANO is a magnificent looking horse, perfectly sound in all respects. Although but 5 years old and never trained he can now show a 40 clip.

If sufficient mares offer, TOMANO will visit this County and Kings during the present season. Breeders are advised to communicate at once with the undersigned. Such an opportunity to breed trotters seldom occurs.

TERMS:

$20 for the season, with privilege of offers below stated, or $10 cash without privilege of offers.

Mares not proving in foal can be returned the following season free if not parted with and stallion still in my possession.

Season to close August 30th, 1887.

Service fee due at time of service, to be settled by note.

Look at These Offers.

Any owner of a son or daughter of TOMANO will be entitled to $100.00 in cash or an equivalent in service fees as he may elect, when he may give such animal a *bona fide* record in a race of 2:30 or better, provided TOMANO is living at the time the said record is made.

I will also give to the owner of the fastest colt