The Weekly Monitor,

At Bridgetown, Annapolis Co, N. S.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 6TH, 1900.

ago that the British flag was flying over Pretoria, and many celebrations were held mature. The divisions of the British army have been actively engaged in clearing the field of detachments of the enemy and gradually drawing their net closer around the Transvaal capital. It was expected that a great defence would be made at this point, as the city is strongly fortified, but the burghers have evidently lost their nerve, as the news that Roberts had entered the city The whole campaign, since the British troops has been a triumphal march, with no attempt burghers suffer in comparison with the Mafeking, with but small British garrisons, their title to any great fighting prowess. Their fighting in the early stages of the campaign was all done from practically impreg-nable shelters, and since the first great on the run. The pity of it is that so many of our brave fellows have been sacrificed in the subjugation of foemen unworthy of their steel. However, the war may now be considered as over, and it is unlikely that the Dutch in South Africa will ever again be given a favorable opportunity of striking at on the run. The pity of it is that so many given a favorable opportunity of striking at British supremacy. The British cause is now very generally acknowledged to be a Kentville.

-The fisheries question, in which this vince is so much interested, was discussed in the federal parliament the other day, and that the ownership of the fish of the ocean The recent decision of the Privy Council did not clear up this point, and it is now proposed more definite decision. The Minister stated agree on the form of the case to be submitted.
One of the representatives, of Nova Scotia probably, wants to include in the case the question as to whether the provinces shall share in the award of \$4,500,000 paid by the United States, and out of which the fishery bounty is annually paid. The matter is the submitted of the case the provinces in the same to the form of the case to be submitted.

—Mr. Minard Graves is running his vine gar plant to its full capacity, and is turning out eighty gallons of prime cider vinegar visiting her brother, Mr. A. C. Johnston, who has been distinguished by a St. John firm. bounty is annually paid. The matter is is being done. A proposition from one of the maritime provinces that the Dominion should acquire its fisheries by legislation, collect the revenues, and pay the province a certain sum annually will not be considered antil the Privy Council has finally determind what the holdings really are.

The District Convention of the Method, and will make their home here, occupying Mrs. Marsh's residence on the corner of Park and Rectory streets.

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—E. Blackadder, agent of the Grand Division of Nova Scotia, assisted by E. H. Armstrong, P. G. W. A., of Granville Ferry organized Port Royal division in the town of that is being made by the respective commissions to arrange a succession. The Nova Scotia commissioners have had such disastrous experience with wet weather that they seem determined to try an earlier show, and so they practically usurp the dates that St. John has hitherto held for show days. If both exhibitions are brought on a the same time, the divided attraction will have a disastrous effect on the receipts, and it would be wiser for one of the commissions to risk the weather of late September. It seems to us that the better way for Nova sectia, assisted by E. H. Armstrong, P. G. W. A., of Granville Ferry organized Port Royal division in the town of Armstrong, P. G. W. A., of Granville Ferry organized Port Royal division in the town of Amopolis, with 34 charter members on Monday evening, June 4th.

—Rev. A. H. C. Morse preached in the Baptist church last Sunday morning and decleivered an address before the Y. M. C. A. in the afternoon. He will return in a few delivered an address before the Y. M. C. A. in the afternoon. He will return in a few delivered an address before the Y. M. C. A. in the afternoon. He will return in a few delivered an address before the Y. M. C. A. in the afternoon. He will return in a few delivered an address before the Y. M. C. A. in the afternoon, N. Y.

—A meeting of the Liberals of Polling Section No. 3 will take place at the residence of John Hall, Lawrencetown, on Wednesday, June 11th, at 8 o'clock p.m., to appoint the portraits of the mayors of Nova Scotia towns, accompanied by brief descriptive parcage. Mayor Ruggles, Mayor Of Bridgetown.

The Morning Chronicle is publishing the portraits of the mayors of Nova Scotia towns, accompanied by prief descriptive parcage. Mayor Of Bridgetown, and th would be wiser for one of the commissions to risk the weather of late September. It seems to us that the better way for Nova Scotia and New Brunswick to settle such a difficulty to the satisfaction of exhibitors and the general public would be to arrange for the holding of these provincial fairs on alternate syears. Such a course would unalternate syears the receipts of the provincial fairs on the second of the pleasure and interest of the flag-raising and other patricular to the fla well as the annual show, and the object would be fully as effective. If, in the odd year, any of the counties should feel like a local exhibition, an excellent opportunity well offer for using the old county exhibition buildings for the revival of a class of agricultural shows that in the years gone by proved both popular and successful.

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agricultural shows that in the years gone by proved both popular and successful.

—To those who are watching the development of the temperance movement in Canada, it must be apparent that a new and lively energy is characterizing the work. In Manitoba a bill intended to be prohibitive, in so far as a provincial law can prohibit, has been framed, with the sanction of the premier, and in Prince Edward Island similar work is being done. Evidently the plebiscite was not entirely useless, since it is the strength of the provincial vote that has moved these governments to a recognition of a new influence that is bound to predominate in the naming of legislators. In the federal arenals also an agitation is being promoted that will in the near future, swamp the ordinary questions of party politics. The temperance people of Canada have the numerical strength to masks and unmake governments at their will, and it must not be supposed that because all this power has been practically wasted in the past, for want of proper direction, that it will be in the future. We vent of prize and or loan, and yet this is the kind of grant, intending purchases would do well to consult 103i and or loan, the tender of J. Albert MacDonald, Marysville, Wedeneday eventing, May 23rd, when the numerical accomplished a task upon which he has been at work for the lagt month. He has been at work for the lagt month. He has make a provincial law can prohibit, has been from the variety team while in college, has just accomplished a task upon which he has been at work for the lagt month. He has a provincial law can prohibit, has been from the variety of the lagt month. He has past of the last month. He has past of th will, and it must not be supposed that because all this power has been practically wasted in the past, for want of proper direction, that it will be in the future. We venture to predict that this temperance sentiment, that has been a plaything of politicians, will surprise those who have hitherto reddict as any in the supposed sea. Hitherto

Local and Special News.

-Tin, plumbing and furnace work a spec alty. Bridgetown Foundry Co., Ltd.

—Otty Burrill has purchased a large, good looking draft horse from F. M. Arm-strong of Round Hill.

COMING.—Mr. J. U. Logie, optician, from Bangor, Maine, will be at J. E. Sancton's store on the 15th and 16th insts. 11 2i Our tinshop is under charge of a competent mechanic, and all work guaranteed.
 Bridgetown Foundry Co., Ltd. -Mr. David M. Soloan has been appointed principal of the provincial Normal School, Truro, in succession to Mr. J. B. Calkin, who

ree State and the Transvasi, mphal march, with no attempt the allied troops to offer detance. As fighting men, the suit by the magistrate, and sentenced to two months' imprisonment.

| An Amherst boy was recently arrested to pay all costs of the suit by the magistrate, and sentenced to two months' imprisonment. with the ritish troops. Ladysmith, Kimberley and lafeking, with but small British garrisons, tayly held out against the besiegers for a certainly enjoying a shipbuilding boom.

Workmen are now engaged in the new shippard making preparations for the continuity general effort to destroy the pests struction of another schooner. Bridgetown with them as in former years. —Persons are warned against using bicycles on the sidewalks of the town. Any such misconduct noticed after publication of this notice will be punished.

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—The town treasury this year is overflowing with funds. Up to date, taxes to the extent of \$2000 in excess of last year's collection for a corresponding period, have been paid in.

—Rev. J. B. and Mrs. Giles have the sympathy of a wide circle of friends in their sad loss by the death of their infant daughter, following so closely upon the death of the eldest daughter, Ninita, which occurred only a few weeks since.

just one, and a British victory means much for the liberty and the prosperity of the people who have been oppressed under the Boer rule.

—Rev. G. Osborne Troop has resigned the rectorship of St. Martin's church, Montreal, swing to the refusal of the finance committee to make the pews free. His resignation is to take effect of October. —The bill respecting the Merchants' Bank of Halifax changing its name to that of the Royal Bank of Canade, has been passed by the House of Commons and the Senate, and now awaits the royal sanction.

—The steamer Prince Edward now makes a round trip daily, Sunday excepted, be-tween St. John and Digby. An express train of the D. A. R. gives a daily service between Annapolis and Digby. The schoolhouse, hall, and seven other building were destroyed at Jordan Bay, Shelburne County, last week, by forest fires. Fourteen buildings were burned at Port Hilford, Cumberland county, from the same

garded it as entirely purposeless. Hitherto it has never been an important issue in either federal or provincial elections, but it surely will be hereafter, or the temperance people will deserve to be called the playthings of their servants.

The Seal Skin Law.

Intered today.

—Truro News: C. L. Marsh, Esq., Nutby, has sold his farm to Mr. Alexander Lynch, his neighbor, and will reside hereafter in Bridgetown. Mr. Marsh went today by early train to his new home. We all very much regret the loss of such a good citizen from Colchester. He has for many years been one of our prominent county mep, and one of our best informed and well read Justices of the Peace.

The Attorney General of the United States has rendered an opinion in the case of C. E. Pearson, of Canada, who was arrested and tried some time ago for attempting to smuggle a seal skin coat into the United States. The case seemed very clear against Pearson but he was nevertheless acquitted by the jury and then filed a claim for the restoration of the coat. This was refused and the case referred to the Attorney General, who has decided that the fact that Pearson was acquitted in a crimical suit has no restrict on the coat of the cider had no difficulty in securing payment from the self exposed robbers.

General, who has decided that the lact that he had no intention of samugaling and the market he tariff laws, and he unless he can prove affirmatively that he had no intention of smuggling, the coar must be destroyed.

Trinidad's Mistake.

Ottawa, June 4.—Edgar Tripp, Canada's commercial agent at Trinidad, writes to the department here in regard to the proposed threaty which the island intends making with the United States. Mr. Tripp is of the opinion that in rejecting Canada's offer that of the United States Trinidad has made a great mistake and has selzed at the shadow instead of the substance, because it is not likely the United States Senate will ratify the treaty.

Local and Special News. -Messrs. R. A. Crowe, and Horace Bishop are angling for big fish at Lake Alma.

—Send your tin work to the Foundry and get a workmanlike job. —William Gibson, a prominent farmer of Gibson's Lake, West Dalhousie, died last Sunday morning. -Mr. Warren Steele will address a meeting for men only, in the Y. M. C. A. hall, next Sunday afternoon at 3 30

—We are prepared to do all kinds of plumbing, tin and furnace work. Give us a call. Bridgetown Foundry Co., Ltd. 1i -Mr. Laister Strothard is again at the accountant's desk in the Union Bank here, after several months at the Wolfville agency.

-W. W. Wade has been appointed to the vacancy in the shipping masters' office at Bear River, caused by the death of Albert Harris:

—Messrs. Hutchison & Huestls, of Providence, R. I., are making their annual visit to Bridgetown to attend the meeting of the International Brick and Tile Co.

-Colonel Richard Hebden O'Grady Haley C. B., and of the distinguished service order b. B., and of the distinguished service order, has been appointed major general commanding the Canadian militia to succeed General Hutton. Col. Haley is sixty years of age and is on retired pay. He got his commission in 1858. His name was submitted by the imperial authorities to the Canadian government.

Mrs. Gordon, of Fredericton, is the guest of her her daughter here, Mrs. A. C. Jewett. Mrs. R. S. McCormick, of Digby, and her sister, Miss Smith, are guests of Miss Angie James.

(Mr. and Mrs. Jewett have taken up the

—You will get heaping measure for ever dollar you invest in Union Blend Tea. New Advertisements.

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Also for Beef per lb. & per quarter from July 2nd to Jan. 1, 1961.

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Dry and Tarred Sheathing Paper, Wire Nails,

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Millinery, Room Paper, Dress Goods,

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We invite inspection of our immense stock on both floors. J. W. BECKWITH

We have been receiving New Goods almost daily for the past two months, and our Spring Stock is now about complete.

We believe we now have the best assortment of goods that we have ever shown.

did values in black and colored Cashmeres,
Poplins and Serges.

In Fancy Blacks we show some beautiful
effects in Silk and Wool Goods, ranging
from 75c to \$1 25 a yard.

We also have the celebrated Monoton
Homespuns in plain and fancy colors, so
popular now for Ladies' Suits, Skirts, etc.,
54 inches wide, \$1.00 and \$1.40 a yard.

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