The Weekly Monitor.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 1st, 1885.

DARK DAYS.

The cloud of war that has appeared between the Mother country and Russia, grows, instead of diminishes, and judging by the tenor of the despatches, there is room for doubt if all that is known is laid before the public. It is earnestly to be hoped that diplomacy will yet smooth over the difficulties that have arisen. It appears to be a somewhat inauspicious time for either nation to engage in a war that will tax each to the utmost. In Russia, Nihilism has grown into huge proportions, with emissaries and influence in every grade of society. Its avowed mission is to fight and reform the despotic tyranny of the Russian government, as personified in the Czar's power, and its adherents may take the country's moment of need to strike a blow which would be decisive. England has the Egyptian trouble still apparently as far from settlement as ever; and the Irish question, around which hover the ill-omened figures of the dynamite fiends, who profess to glory in the shadows that are gathering around the mother land. It may be, that when the crisis comes, that part of the Irish party, whose manliness and chivalry keeps them a distinct body from the whole brood of secret assassins that travesty the name of "friends to Ireland"—it may be, we say, this portion of the nation that has cradled so many heroes, who in the old days held the honor of the empire dearer than their heart's blood, will sink all differences, and rally again around Old England's flag, that "has braved a thousand years, the battle and the breeze." Let us hope so at all events. If the Irish people prove that they are loyal at heart now, it will go further, we believe, to create a kindlier feeling between all classes in both countries than almost any other thing that could arise.

Outside of the Soudan and the disaffected Irish, England is by all odds in the best condition for the contest. Russia is crippled sadly by want of resources, and will have to fight a long distance from her centre of supplies. England on the other hand would be fighting in the midst of the powerful and friendly Afghan nation, and with the vast Indian Empire, with its wealth and great military strength, to draw upon whenever necessary. There are many other circumstances that are also in England's favor, consequently all things considered, the present time will probably find her as able and willing to cope with the Russian bear, as could be wished for.

England's old enemy, France, has for some time, had the appearance of gloating over the complications that have lately arisen. She has, however, got her hands full, to conquer the pig-tailed denizens of the Orient. They have proved more formidable foes than she at first anticipated.

The Dominion has also got a little war on her hands—a civil affair—in the uprising of the North West half-breeds under the leadership of Louis Reil, who ought to have been handed over to the tender mercies of the hangman long ago. This uprising is not likely to prove very serious, and although a number of men have already been killed, if prompt and vigorous measures are adopted the rebellion can no doubt be soon entirely stamped out. Want of resources leaves it without backbone.

If England and Russia should declare war, probably volunteers will be called for from these colonies, for garrison if not for active duty. That such a call would meet with a loyal response there is not a shadow of a doubt. London *Punch*, when the offer to raise troops for Egypt was made by the Dominion and by Australia, published a poem on the subject, from which we quote two stanzas:—

Look at them, look at them gaily trooping
Up to the Standard, the old, old flag!
Slips of the stock there is no up-cropping,
Talking the tongue that no tyrants gag.
Like young lions, to help the old one,
Swift of footfall, and firm of poise,
By Jove, that foeman will be a bold one
Who'll face us banded, my Boys, my Boys!

They fancy, do they, Old England's slighters,
My claws are cut, and my eyes are dim?
That he aforetime the first of fighters,
Is slow of spirit and slack of limb?
Well, well, they maybe will find their error,
And needless roaring is empty noise;
But they'll hardly strike me with abject terror
When I see you round me, my Boys, my Boys!

The poem was supplemented by the picture of the British lion standing on an eminence watching the colonial contingents marching past.

— A bill has been introduced in the local house to abolish the Probate Court and establish a new tribunal, called "the Surrogate Court," which will be presided over by the County Court judge. The registrars will continue to hold the same position in the new courts as they now hold. A great decrease, it is said, in the cost of closing up estates will be made if the bill becomes law. The judges of the present courts would be relieved of their duties and incomes at once.

—The following Judgments have been delivered in Annapolis County cases by the Court of Appeals at Halifax:—

Re-estate James Clark—Appeal from the judge of probate at Annapolis allowed as to a portion of the funds in dispute. No costs.

The meaning of the above is that the long litigated suit of the Bath and Clark estate, has been finally decided substantially in favor of the residuary legatees and devisees of the late James Clark. All the executors of the late Mrs. Bath get out of the property, is one-seventh of $1500, the amount for which the homestead was sold. Each side pays its own costs.

Ambrose Bent vs Alonzo Daniels.—An appeal from the judgment of the County Court judge. Judgment sustained and appeal dismissed, with costs.

Randall vs Delap.—Verdict for defendent sustained with costs.

PERSONAL.—Capt. Hopkins and Mr. Wascott, of the steamer Longfellow, lately on the Bar Harbor route, were in town last week. They are making a tour of investigation in this valley in regard to the passanger traffic, freight, etc., likely to be diverted over their line during the coming season. We understand, however, that unless the government accept the proposals made to them by the gentlemen connected with the Maine Central Railroad for the purchase of the railway lines between Halifax and Yarmouth, the Bar Harbor route will be discontinued.

—April Fool's day.

Bear River Items.

FIRE.—The barn and hog-pen of Jas. Mullen, of Bear River, were destroyed by fire, early on Tuesday morning, the 27th inst. A horse and cows were burned in it, and the barn was so badly burned it had to be shored. With difficulty, Mr. Mullen's house was saved. It was probably the work of an incendiary. No insurance.

This morning, (Monday 30th) the village was again alarmed by the cry of fire. It proved to be the dwelling house of Mr. Wateon Vidito. Mr. Vidito, who is a very industrious man, was up before daylight and led his oxen to his breakfast and started for the woods. When about half a mile from home, Mr. V. looked back, and saw fire around his kitchen chimney. He got home in time to save a part of his effects. His house was insured for about half its value.

—S. R. Lantz, Esq., of Bear River, formerly of Paradise, has purchased the Levi. Phinney farm at Wilmot, for $3,600.

Margaretville Items.

Revival services have been held for a few weeks past at Margaretville West, by the evangelist, Rev. W. J. S. Young. The meetings have been very largely attended, the most intense interest is manifested, and a general awakening has been the result. Thirteen were baptized in the waters of the bay near Margaretville pier, on Tuesday, 24th inst., and seventeen more were received for baptism at the conference on Saturday, 28th inst. Several have also been received by letter, and from other denominations.

Local and Other Matter.

— The 3rd inst., is Good Friday.

—G. B. McGill's communication next week.

—Rev. Caleb Parker, formerly stationed in this town, is the Methodist minister at Prince Albert.

— On this date last year our river was open to navigation and the schr. Ivica, Capt. Longmire, came up to the wharf. The contrast with the present season is as marked as it could well be.

— We present our readers, in this issue, with an excellent map of the seat of war in Egypt,

— James Stoddard, farmer, of Springfield, has assigned to B. Starratt Esq., of Paradise, for the benefit of his creditors.

— A "Digby Woman" sends us a short reply to Mr. Vidito's communication, but does not give us any name. We therefore have not published.

— The dairies of Gen. Gordon have arrived in London. At the end of the first volume Gen. Gordon wrote that the dairies should all belong to his sister, and that if printed they must be carefully pruned.

— Our Canadian oarsman, Hanlan, must give up the belt. In a race in Australia, on the 28th ult., with Beach he was again defeated by six lengths.

— A sleighing party from Middleton visited Bridgetown yesterday. They put up at the Grand Central, and visited the Skating Rink in the evening.

— The *Weekly Observer* is the title of a well filled and well printed venture in journalism that has just made its appearance at Harvey, Albert Co., N. B. John H. Wells is editor and proprietor. Albert County has now got two papers to fight its battles.

IMPROVEMENT.— John Lockett, Esq., merchant of this town, has been making improvements in the interior of his store, which add materially to its appearance.

—J. W. Beckwith has just received a large supply of No. 1 and 2 Spruce Shingles. For sale low for cash. 1i

—Owing to the storms, the meeting of the Annapolis Small-fruit Growers' Association has been postponed till Thursday, April 16th. The meeting will be held in the hall at Berwick station, at 2 p. m. All interested in Small Fruit Culture are cordially invited.

— The French ministry has resigned, the outcome of recent disasters to the French arms in China. At a fight at Langson the Chinese defeated the French with a loss to the latter of 1200 men.

— Just received at Willis'. Ham Bologna and Beef Bologna, which will be sold at a small advance on cost, also fresh Sausages and the last lot of those cheap Oranges. Fruit is on the move. 1i

— The Hectanooga Steam Saw Mill, Yarmouth, owned by Messrs. Bill Trader & Co., has been destroyed by fire. This was the largest steam saw shingle, lumber and deal mill in Western Nova Scotia. About one hundred men were employed altogether, and a large business done. All the deals shipped from Yarmouth were manufactured at this mill which also furnished a very large quantity of freight to the Western counties railway. The disaster will be a severe one to that section of the country.

—John Lockett is now opening his Spring Stock of Ready Made Clothing, Gents' Hats, Ties, Collars, &c., Park's Check Shirting and Gingham, also a fine assortment of Cretonnes with Fringes to match.

— In the Local House a lengthy discussion took place last week in relation to a motion for a repeal of the union moved by Mr. Fraser. An amendment was moved by Hon. Mr. Fielding which was in effect to first concentrate all energies upon the Dominion Govt., to secure more satisfactory terms before making the question of repeal a final one. An amendment to the amendment was moved by the leader of the opposition, to dissolve the House and submit the question of repeal to the people at the polls. The vote on the latter was lost by 11 to 22; the question as amended by the Hon. Prov. Secty. was carried by a vote of 20 to 13.

SUFFOCATING IN NOVA SCOTIA.—Messrs. Maclaren and Bonnes, customs detectives, are making things pretty warm for aggressors of the customs laws across the bay, says the St. John *Globe*. Messrs. Pickles & Mills, of Annapolis, a few days ago paid $1,000 into the Dominion treasury for procuring goods illegally in Portland, owned by the same parties, also paid a fine of $800. Schr. Levose, which recently arrived at Annapolis from Boston has been seized for smuggling. Several schooners at Bear River are also held by the government until their owners give an account of their mode of doing business. It is reported that a number of small vessels have been offered for sale by parties who are afraid of their past actions being brought to light.

—The Bangor *Whig* says:—

We are authorized by F. H. Clergue to state that the Halifax despatch relating to the alleged connection of the Maine Central Railroad with the plan for the completion of the railways of the Western Nova Scotia is incorrect in almost every particular. The Maine Central Company have no interest in the matter, except such as may result in a business way from the proposed connection. The fact that the proposal has been made to the government of Nova Scotia by a syndicate in which are several gentlemen who are interested in the Maine Central Railroad may account for the statement in the Halifax despatch.

BRONCHITIS.—Dr. H. D. Ruggles of Weymouth, writes: "In a case of chronic Chronic Bronchitis, which baffled the usual treatment in such cases, Dr. Prosser's Emulsion acted like a charm, and ascribe the recovery entirely to the use of it. I have also found it to be a valuable remedy in Consumption and other wasting diseases."

CONTEMPORANEOUS NOTES.

"Not the American Way."

Probably no unphysical argument used to genuine dynamiters would prove to have any powerful effect. Words may not be entirely misapplied when addressed to certain American politicians who seem at times to favor in their attitude toward dynamiters themselves, the aiders and abettors of dynamiters, or the sentimental sympathizers with such outlaws. The reason for hesitation is generally obvious. It is a question of political votes—of personal or of party success.

Still, there is one thing to be said to the doubting and hesitating politicians. Gentlemen you are making a mistake. To use an expression made use of, we believe, by General Law years ago in regard to a very different question, dynamiting is "*not the American way!*" The methods of the assassin, of the sneaking and cowardly murderer, are not, and never will be popular in this country. It is true that two of our Presidents have met their deaths at the hands of the illegal taker of life, but there was no popular support to either mad or murderous act. Lynch-law, on our borders especially, has had too much vogue, but this is decreasing; and there is a long distance between lynching a villain who it is feared may escape justice, and the dastardly and reckless use of explosives, where invaluable works of art, and innocent men, women, and children, together with the supposed "oppressor," are confounded in a common destruction.

Let the question once be brought to an issue in our American communities, and the politician who hesitated to denounce dynamite, and all that goes with it,—all cowardly and conscienceless attempts to settle either public or private questions by means of private and secret violence,—such a man is lost—He will find too late that his defence to an unreasoning, brutal and restricted sentiment has brought him into contact with the great, sound, uncowardly, law-abiding sentiment of the people of these United States.—"*Topics of the Time,*" *The Century for April.*

—We have had a full share of snow for the last few weeks—enough to justify us in taking all available comfort out of Joseph Cook's dictum that there never has been a great energetic and white people in a land on which the snow never falls. Where snow does not fall, we are told, the white race deteriorates. We hope it is not too much to say that within certain limits the more snow the sturdier the race. In the warm snowless regions the brown and black races thrive; and there they should be allowed full scope. Only, they seem to be in permanent need of white leadership. The white rules the bronze, and the bronze the black. The men who live under an average annual temperature of 50° rule those who live under 75°. Let us be patient and thankful then amid our great snow storms and try to fit ourselves to be a ruling race.—*Presby. Witness.*

—The Mahdi of the prairie has, after fifteen years of conventual maceration and laceration, come forth mighty in spirit and fat in person to lead the hosts of the wilderness against civilization generally. The season must have been a long and hungry one for the Indians, and there is of course always danger with untutored people in that condition, with venemous adventurers to excite them. Reil rewards civilization for not hanging him by acting the fire-brand.—*Montreal Witness.*

— Mrs. Reynolds would intimate to the public that she has a fresh and good supply of Pressed Beef, Sausages and Bologna, just received. Bread, Confectionery, Jellies, Syrups, Crackers, Coffee, etc., constantly on hand. All goods fresh and nice. 1i.

— Mr. W. R. Mathews, of Middleton, writes as follows:—

There may not be many human fossils circulating around your waste basket, yet there may be some of your readers who are interested in curios. To such I would say. Brethern, I have in my coin collection, a silver medal, six inches in circumference, struck to commemorate the reign and death of King William the IV. The profile side has "His Most Gracious Majesty, William IV," and the reverse a funeral urn with three allegorical figures, and the legend, "Beloved, Revered, Lamented. Born Aug. 23rd, 1765." The medal is in as good condition as could be expected, having out of the great St. John fire, which took the ring out of it. Since then it has passed through the hands of several vandals, who have whittled it to see if it was good silver, and which looks like a warrior taking his shield all his scars around him. I offer the belt in this matter, and if any one in the Maritime Provinces can take it, I challenge him to do it.

— J. W. Beckwith's 15c and 18c Dress Goods are extra value. 1i

— Harper's Magazine for April is a brilliant number, with sixty-eight illustrations and an unusual variety of exceedingly interest reading-matter.

The frontispiece of the Number is a characteristic portrait of Abraham Lincoln, from a photograph taken before he became President.

The most important of the illustrated articles is a personal sketch of the Prince of Wales by William Howard Russell, superbly illustrated from drawings by R. Caton Woodville, A. C. Corbould, Sidney P. Hall and others.

The long-promised series of Baltic Sketches by F. D. Millet is begun in this Number, with drawings by the author and R. Swain Gifford.

Jane Allen contributes a humorous article entitled "Too Much Momentum," there is a very curious and interesting short tale by Annie Trumbull Slosson, entitled "How Faith Came and Went."

In the Editor's *Easy Chair*, Mr. George William Curtis discusses German Opera in New York (with a fitting tribute to the Damrosch), General Gordon and his trouble, the Memoirs of Grant, the Washington Monument, and Civil Service Reform in its relations to political reform. Sold by Buckley & Co., newsdealers, news dealers, etc., Halifax.

Paradise.

The entertainment business has been very lively in Paradise during the past week. A series of orations on genius, education, etc., were delivered by Mr. Peters. Your correspondent not being able to attend these, can not say more than that the lecturers are well spoken of. Mr. D. W. Campbell finished up the week on Saturday evening with his views of London, which were "viewed" by a crowded audience. All present were fully satisfied that they had got their money's worth, in seeing some of the gorgeous magnificence of the palaces, parks, tombs, and other wonders of the great city.

— The threaded 4th of February and 4th of March have passed without the disaster that was feared by some—from 50 to 75 per cent. of the paper maturing being met, and the manner in which these usually trying periods have passed inspires many with fresh hope for the future. It must be understood, however, that payments and the general course of business are now more widely spread over the twelve months of the year, and those two months are not of the same importance as formerly in determining the state of trade.—*Dominion Dry Goods Review.*

Fresh Fish every Friday morning at Willis'. 1i

Fine Cut Chewing Tobacco, Cigars, Snuff, Pipes, Matches, Soap, Candles, Starch, Blue, Baking Powder, Spices, Extracts, Soda, Cream Tartar, Pickles, Sauces, Preserves, Canned Goods, Confectionery, Nuts, Raisins, Figs, Prunes, Currants, Citron, Peels, Oranges, Lemons, Apples, Potatoes, Onions, Turnips, Carrots, Cranberries, Butter, Eggs, Cheese, Lard, Hams, Shoulders, Tongues, Smoked Herrings, Pickled Herrings, Salmon, Cod, Haddock, Hake, Pollock, Molasses, Syrup, Sugars, Teas, Coffees, Flour, Meal, Oatmeal, Cornmeal, Middlings, Feed, Corn, Oats, Hay, Straw, Kerosene Oil, Paints, Oils, Varnish, Glass, Putty, Nails, Spikes, Axes, Hammers, Saws, Files, Rasps, Hinges, Screws, Locks, Knobs, Window Fastenings, Stoves, Tinware, Woodenware, Brooms, Brushes, Washboards, Buckets, Tubs, Churns, Carpet Sweepers, Mincers, Lanterns, Lamp Burners, Chimneys, Wicks, Oilcloth, Linoleum, Carpet Lining, Cut Nails, Spikes, Shingles, Clapboards, Scantling, Boards, Pickets, Lime, Cement, Fire Brick, Fire Clay, Plaster, Sand, Paper, Twine, Cordage, Oakum, Tobacco Twine, Grain Bags, Potato Bags, Wool Bags, Paper Bags, Tobacco Boxes, Candy Pails, Tubs, Washtubs, Pails, Stone Jugs, Crocks, Churns, Milk Pans, Butter Tubs, Coffee Mills, Grindstones, Scythes, Snaths, Rakes, Forks, Hoes, Shovels, Spades, Manure Forks, Root Hooks, Horse Nails, Horse Shoes, Mats, Matches, Shoe Pegs, Wooden Bowls, Tacks, Powder, Shot, Lead, Caps, Tobacco, Cigars, Snuff, Candies, Nuts, Raisins, Figs, Oranges, Lemons, Apples, Potatoes, Onions, Turnips, Carrots, Cranberries, Butter, Eggs, Cheese, Lard, Hams, Shoulders, Tongues, Smoked Herrings, Pickled Herrings, Salmon, Cod, Haddock, Hake, Pollock, Molasses, Syrup, Sugars, Teas, Coffees, Flour, Meal, Oatmeal, Cornmeal, Middlings, Feed, Corn, Oats, Hay, Straw, Kerosene Oil, Paints, Oils, Varnish, Glass, Putty, Nails, Spikes, Axes, Hammers, Saws, Files, Rasps, Hinges, Screws, Locks, Knobs, Window Fastenings, Stoves, Tinware, Woodenware, Brooms, Brushes, Washboards, Buckets, Tubs, Churns, Carpet Sweepers, Mincers, Lanterns, Lamp Burners, Chimneys, Wicks, Oilcloth, Linoleum, Carpet Lining, Cut Nails, Spikes, Shingles, Clapboards, Scantling, Boards, Pickets, Lime, Cement, Fire Brick, Fire Clay, Plaster, Sand, Paper, Twine, Cordage, Oakum, Tobacco Twine, Grain Bags, Potato Bags, Wool Bags, Paper Bags, Tobacco Boxes, Candy Pails, Tubs, Washtubs, Pails, Stone Jugs, Crocks, Churns, Milk Pans, Butter Tubs, Coffee Mills, Grindstones, Scythes, Snaths, Rakes, Forks, Hoes, Shovels, Spades, Manure Forks, Root Hooks, Horse Nails, Horse Shoes, Mats, Matches, Shoe Pegs, Wooden Bowls, Tacks, Powder, Shot, Lead, Caps, Tobacco, Cigars, Snuff, Candies.

All of which will be found at the lowest cash prices at the sign of the Big Boot, Middleton. 1i

A Letter from Messrs. Delong and Seaman of Boston, relative to Bear River Seizures.

(*To the Editor of the Monitor.*)

DEAR SIR:—

Our attention has been called to an item from your paper relative to customs seizures at Bear River, in which it is stated that the detectives were enabled to make the seizures by being accommodated to a free use of our books in Boston, learning from them the quantities and nature of goods shipped by us to our customers in the Provinces, and from which your readers would be lead to imagine that we had opened our books for the inspection of these parties. We wish to state, that the information was procured by a detective named McLaren, who bribed our invoice clerk into letting him into our office at night, and while there, helped himself to our blank invoices and bills of lading. By promises of one-third of all fines and hush-money he could raise or scare out of our customers, and by giving him some money as an earnest of his intentions, he induced the clerk to fix up some invoices for him to work on; provided with which, and with the blank papers mentioned above he started off on his contemptible scheme.

We fail to see how such despicable means can be called accommodation or free use, and to set us right before your readers, we would request you to kindly insert the correction in your next issue.

Yours very truly,
DELONG & SEAMAN.

Boston, March 21st, 1885.

—A large and influential Society of persons connected with the Church of England has been formed to promote emigration to Manitoba. The emigrants will be settled near each other and their religious interests will be looked after by the Society for the Propagation of the Gospel.

The April Century.

In the April number of the Century Admiral David D. Porter, contributes to the War Series a striking paper on "The Opening of the Mississippi." While Admiral Farragut led the men-of-war past the New Orleans forts, Porter paved the way for and supported the attack with the Mortar-Fleet. At the beginning of his paper Admiral Porter speaks of the War of the Rebellion, with the acception of the fall of Richmond." He writes from the knowledge of the secret history of the campaign and has made graphic discriptions of the many stirring incidents which befell the fleet in its memorable battle with Forts Jackson and St. Philip. Accompanying the article are several portraits, maps, and pictures of incidents.

Theodore Roosevelt contributes paper, on "Phases of State Legislation," in which he reveals the dark side of the legislative picture, the methods of the lobby, and the perils which beset legislators. Of an instructive and amusing character are the anecdotes and incidents of legislative experience which enliven the paper.

A reply to Mr. Cable's recent paper on "The Freedman's Case in Equity" is contributed by Henry W. Gardy, of the "Atlanta Constitution," who writes under the suggestive title "In Plain Black and White."

"A Florentine Mosiac," Mr. Howell's second illustrated paper on Florence, is the opening article in the magazine, a reproduction of Mr. Pennell's etching of the Ponte Vecchio being the frontispiece.

Eugene V. Smalley, who has contributed to the Century several articles on "The New Northwest," describes his journey "From Puget Sound to the Upper Columbia."

The fiction of the number is led by Mr. Howell's, "Rise of Stephen Lapham, authors masterpiece. All other departments Most persons think this serial is to be the of this superb magazine are well sustained. The Century Publishing & Co., New York, N. Y.

—Mrs. Russell, of the Revere House, having purchased the largest amount from me has received the 15 lbs. of granulated sugar which was offered as a premium last month.

CHAS. J. WILLIS. 1i

—The many friends of "Fred" the Frenchman Stallion, now in possession of A. C. Vanbuskirk, Kingston, will be pleased to learn that he is recovering from the injury to his ankle, last autumn, by stepping on the sharp point of a large rock on the Saunders road. He is in excellent condition and looks finely, and will be ready for service. He is for sale, and in the right man's hands, money can be made with him. He is the only Stallion of old Flying Frenchman's get now in the Prov ince. If not sold, he will stand for service either in Queens or Annapolis Counties. 1i.

VALUABLE FARM FOR SALE!

The subscriber offers at Private Sale his Farm, situated within one mile of Bridgetown. The Property consists of about 175 acres of land with a young Orchard of 250 apple trees, which produces 200 bbls. and many of the trees just beginning to bear. There are also Pear, Plum and Cherry Trees. Farm cuts hay to winter 25 to 30 head of cattle. The tillage land is superior, and a large portion is underdrained. There is good pasture, with an abundance of wood and fencing. The buildings are all new. The whole will be sold with Stock and Farming utensils if required.

TERMS EASY, as a large portion of purchase money may remain on mortgage.

O. F. RUFFEE.

Bridgetown, March 30th, 1885 n&1tf

SHERIFF'S SALE!

TO be sold at Public Auction by the Sheriff of the County of Annapolis or his deputy, at BRIDGETOWN, in front of Glencross' Hotel, on

Monday, April 6th inst.

at 3 o'clock p. m., the following:—

1 Horse, 6 years old; 1 mare, about 8 years old; 1 yoke Oxen; 1 pair two year old Steers; 1 Heifer; 7 Sheep. The same being taken under an execution.

TERMS,—Cash,

J AVARD MORSE,
High Sheriff.

Bridgetown, March 31st, '85. 1i.

NOTICE.

A GRAND MUSICAL CONCERT

will be given at INGLESVILLE, in the Baptist Church, by the

Inglesville Singing Class,

—ON—

Thursday Eve., 9th April.

Doors open at 7 p. m. Admission 10c. for children; 15c. for adults. A good programme.

J. E. SANFORD, Manager.

If above evening proves stormy, the next fine evening.

THE Subscriber will sell at Public Auction, on SATURDAY, APRIL 4th at 2 p. m., on his premises at PARADISE, the following Stock:—

1 yoke 5 year old Oxen; 1 Horse; 5 Cows, with calf; 1 Heifer, in calf. Also: 150 bus. Potatoes; a quantity of Buckwheat and Oats; 1 set Double Harness; a quantity of Hay.

TERMS OF SALE.—9 months credit, with approved security, with interest at 6 per cent.

ISAAC LONGLEY.

Executor's Notice!

ALL persons having any legal claims against the estate of the late MRS. SAMUEL WHEELOCK, of Torbrook, deceased, are requested to render the same, duly attested to, within three months from the date hereof, and all persons indebted to said estate will make immediate payment to

EDWARD BARTEAUX,
Executor.

Torbrook, March, 31st, 1885. 3mospd.

New Advertisements.

APRIL 1ST, 1885.

WILLIS

Has Just Received,

Prunes, London Layer Raisins,
Dates, Rankine's Biscuit,
Maple Candy, Choice Teas,
Oranges, Choice Coffee,
Worcestshire Sauce,
Tomato Catsup,
Picallilly,
Chow Chow,
Mixed Pickles,
Potted Beef, Ham, Chicken, Tongue
" Turkey, Deviled Tongue,
" Chicken, " Ham,
" Ham, Beef Bologna,
" Tongue, Ham Bologna,
Spiced Bacon,
Pressed Meat,
Assorted Spices,
Fresh Sausages,
Assorted Confectionery,

CANNED GOODS.

Cherries, French Sardines,
Green Peas, Roast Turkey,
String Beans, Roast Chicken,
Tomatoes, Roast Mutton,
Peaches, Soup & Bouilli,
Pine Apples, Salmon,
Blueberries, Oysters,
Lobster.
Corn Meal,
Oatmeal,
Butter,
Flour,
Potatoes,

and all Goods usually kept in a first-class Provision Store.

The Public will find my Goods and Prices compare favorably with those of other dealers.

Water St. Grocery.

Bridgetown, April 1st, 1885. 1y.

A SPLENDID ASSORTMENT —OF— STAPLE —AND— FANCY Dry Goods,

Arriving Weekly,

—AT—

L. C. Wheelock's.

Lawrencetown, April 1st, '85.

Marbleine.

Just Received:

A large variety of Colors of above

Wall Tint,

GENERALLY CONCEDED TO BE SUPERIOR TO ALABASTINE.

Presents a beautiful appearance in a room.

Call and inspect Color Card.

For Sale by

Richard Shipley

NOTICE!

I AM now ready to receive in Spring Orders, having this day opened a large assortment of

ENGLISH, SCOTCH AND CANADIAN TWEEDS IN ALL FASHIONABLE SHADES AND PATTERNS.

JOHN H. FISHER,
BLUE STORE.

Straw Hats!

Wanted between now and the first May

500 Doz. Mens' Straw Hats,

LARGE RIMS.

ALSO:

2,000 DOZ. EGGS,

Price this Week, 18cts Doz.

JOHN LOCKETT.

Bridgetown, April 1st, '85. 1i.

ROOM PAPER!

Just arrived

2000 Rolls Room Paper,

GOOD PATTERNS, NEW STYLES.

Prices from 5 to 75 cents.

1000 ROLLS,

On hand of last years' importation, at

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