(Contined from first page.) Upon reading the report of H. M. Irvine, Inspector for enforcing the Canada Temper ance Act, the same was on motion received

The following is the report: The following is the report:

To the Warden and Councillors of the Municipality of the County of Annapolis;

Your Inspector appointed for the purpose of enforcing the Scott Act in and for the County of Annapolis, reports as follows:

I have made fifty-one complaints during the year which is the largest number ever made during one year since the Act came in force in the county, and it is largely due to the assistance of the temperance friends. Have obtained twenty-eight convictions and the others were lost on account of not having sufficient evidence and which has run the

ing sufficient evidence and which has run the costs up to quite a large sum.

Have tried one case for third offence against E. Y. Messenger and he paid the penalty in jail for two months; have had two cases for second offence against John Ross and A. J. Hatfield. Hatfield is now paying the penalty, in jail; Ross is still unpaid as you will see by my account. Have committed three to jail for just offences, Abbie Conn, of Springfield, Pierce of Lawrencetown, Harry Redfern of Middleton.

There still remains uncollected as per account, three hundred and seventy-seven dollars and thirty-five cents.

Annexed find Mr. Ritchie's bill and amount paid out and received. Have four cases now pending and have advanced twenty dollars for witness fees. ing sufficient evidence and which has run the

Hugh M. Irvine, License Inspector, in ac-count with the Municipality of Annapo-lis. 1897.

Paid care fare Amt. paid cases now pending Amt. printing bill To balance due council

By cash, John Ross..... By case, Harry Redfern By cash, John Ross..... By cash, Harry Redfern By cash, A J Hatfield... By cash, A J Hatfield
By cash, John Ross.
By cash, Daniel Muir.
By cash, Harry Redfern
By cash, E Langley
By cash, William Howse.
By cash, Edward S:nford
By cash, John Ross
By cash, John Ross
By cash, Daniel Muir.

\$1114 49

\$376 95 for collection of the fines not paid.

ANNAPLLIS ROYAL, Jan. 10th, 1898. H. M. IRVINE, INSPECTOR.

To J. J. RITCHIE, DR. Jany. 12.-To attendance following trials at Middleton: Queen vs. Oakes.... dueen vs. Messenger... Queen vs. Ross..... Paid hotel and railway fare. Jany. 15-To attendance following trials at Annapolis: Queen vs. Oakes....

Queen vs. Cases.
Queen vs. Messenger.
Jany. 21—To drawing information and
warrant for second offence against
John M. Ross.
Feby. 10—To attendance trial Queen
vs. Pierce

trial, Queen vs. Messenger.....
To paid railway fare and hotel...
To drawing conviction and warrant for third offence against Mes-

April 19—To attendance at Middleton April 19—To attendance at Middleton trial, Queen vs. Messenger. . . . 10 00 Paid railway fare and hotel . . . 2 40 May 13—To drawing full set of papers re Howse including information for search warrant, search warrant and declaration of forfeiture. . . . 2 50 May 22—To attendance at Granville Ferry trial, Queen vs Young . . 5 00 Paid ferry 8 June 7—To attendance at Granville Ferry, trial, Queen vs. Howse . . 5 00

June 7—To attendance at Granville
SELF Ferry, trial, Queen vs. Howse. 5 00
To paid ferry. 8
July 3—To attendance at Granville
Ferry, following trials:
Queen vs. Sanford. 5 00
To paid ferry. 8
July 9—To attendance at Granville
Ferry, following trials:
Queen vs. Sanford. 5 00

Queen vs. Sanford.... Queen vs. Palmer.... To paid ferry.....
July 24—To attendance at Granville

July 24—To attendance at Granville
Ferry, following trials:
Queen vs. Ross.
Queen vs. Ross.
Queen vs. Ross.
Queen vs. Ross.
Aug. 31—To attendance trial at Middleton, Queen vs. Ross.
To paid railway fare.
Sept. 16—To attendance at Middleton, following trials:
Queen vs. Ross.
Queen vs. Ross.
Queen vs. Redfern
To paid railway fare.

Queen vs. Ross

Queen vs. Ross.
Queen vs. Conn.
Queen vs. Conn.
Queen vs. Ross.
Queen vs. Ross.
To paid railway fare.
To paid hotel bill.
t 30—To attendance trials at Middleton, Queen vs Ross.
Queen vs Ross.
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Queen vs Ross.

Oct 1— Queen vs Redfern ... 5 00

To paid railway fare and hotel ... 3 60

Oct 8—To attendance at Middleton following trials: Queen vs Ross ... 5 00

Queen vs Ross ... 5 00 To paid railway fare 100 to 12—To attendance at Middleton following trials, Queen vs Muir. 500 Queen vs Hatfield. 500

page) Queen vs. Young

By Cash from Mr. Irvine Recd. Payment in full, J. J. RITCHI

Ordered, That the Temperance Committee,

S. N. Jackson, Rev. S. Langille and Lambert McNayr, also J. J. Ritchie and H. M. Irvine, Ordered, That H. M. Irvine be appointed Inspector for Enforcing the Canada Temperance Act for the ensuing year at the same salary as heretofore. For: Councillors Healy, MacLean, Tupper, Bent, Clarke,

H. Balcom, Merry, Vroom and Whitman On motion adjourned. THURSDAY MORNING

All councillors present. Minutes read and approved. Ordered, That a committee consisting of Councillors J. A. Balcom, Whitman and Thomas, be appointed to look into the mat-

Council met.

ter of the jail in the town of Annapolis and Bridgetown, and if this be found practicable Assessors.
Statute Labor Lists.....

Ordered, That L. W. Elliott and A. O. 4 00 Price be the Auditors for ensuing year.

3 25 Ordered, that Councillors J. A. Balcom, Whitman and Thomas be a Committee to 12 00 revise jury lists.
51 07 The lists of office

revise jury lists.

The lists of efficers for Wards 7, 8, 12, 13, 16, 1, 6, 9, 5 and 10 were read and approved.

Councillor MacLean gave notice that at the Semi Annual Session of the Council in April next be will move the adoption of a Lighting Bear River Bridge. short and simple list of instructions for the guidance of road overseeers in discharge of their duties, unless provincial legislation covering the same ground is sooner obtained. | Walter Mills, costs Stephen-

Ordered, That 400 pamplets of the Annual pamplets of the Semi-Annual Session and that the proceedings be published in the that the proceedings be published in the costs, etc. 1896 and 1897. Notice is hereby given that at the Semi Annual meeting of this Council to be held in April next, I shall move for an order to re-

District No. 4 to be made into two districts, divided at Wm. J. Shaffner's west line; all that part to the east and north of said line to be a new district known as No. 31.

District No. 23 to be extended from the mouth of the Inglisville road, southerly to the foot of the Big Hill.

Total Forty-two Hills. To road Forty-two Hills. The short of the west lines and forty-two Hills. The short of the said in the short of t

W. J. H. BALCOM. Annapolis, January 11th, 1898. Upon reading the petition of Andrew Foster and others asking for opening of a new road starting at the Beals Corner twenty rods east of G. E. Spurr's store and continuing southward on a straight line until it

The following is the report: To the Wardens and Councillors of the Mun-

cipality of Annapolis in annual session convened:
Gentlemen: Your Committee on Statute
Labor Returns beg leave to report as follows:
We have given the Returns placed in our
hands a careful examination and are satisfied
that the statute labor is quite generally performed and in a more or less satisfactory

Labor Revo...

We have given the reco...

We have given the reco...

We have given the reco...

That the statute labor is quite generally performed and in a more or less satisfacted to. In the matter of work not performed, generally no reason legiven, such as absence etc., which leaves rooms, at least, for the supposition that the Surveyors are remiss in their duty. The committee earnestly invoke the united action of Councillors, Ward Clerks and Surveyors of Highways to correct the above named errors, which would assuredly result in more faithful labor and much more perfect returns.

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Wards are as follows:

Ward No. 1—Returns not in 8.

Ward No. 2—Returns not in 5.

Ward No. 3—Returns not in 13.

Ward No. 4—Returns not in 8.

Ward No. 5—Returns not in 8.

Ward No. 6—Returns not in 5.

Ward No. 7—Returns not in 5.

Ward No. 8—Returns not in 1.

Ward No. 11—Returns not in 4.

Ward No. 12—Returns not in 7.

Ward No. 14—Returns not in 7.

Ward No. 14—Returns not in 7.

W. J. H. BALCOM.
A. D. THOMAS.
JOSHUA J. BUCKLER. Ordered, That \$4.00 each be allowed Wallace Young, Lloyd Brooks and Alexander Fraser for services as Revisor for year 1897 in addition to amounts allowed them Upon reading the report of the Committee on Assessments the same was on motion re-

The following is the report: To the Municipal Council of the Municipality of Annapolis:

We, your Committee on Assessments, beg

The following is the report:

Sanford 500 Queen vs Sanford 500
Oct 29—To attendance at Granville
Ferry, following trials:
Queen vs Sanford 500
Queen vs Sanford 500
Oct 30—To attendance at Middleton
Queen vs Sanford 500
Oct 30—To attendance at Middleton
Queen vs Sanford 500
Oct 30—To attendance at Middleton
Queen vs Hatfield 100
Paid railway fare and hotel 180
Nov. 19—To drawing conviction and warrant against Hatfield for second offence 500
Dec. 16—To attendance at Middleton
trial, Queen vs Ross 100
Paid railway fare 140
Paid railway fare 150
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Paid for copy bill of sale Hatfield 100
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Paid roilway fare 150
Paid for copy bill of sale Hatfield 150
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Paid for copy bill of sale Hatfield 150
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We desire again to call the attention of the councillors and assessors in the the differ-ent wards to the unsatisfactory condition of the assessment rolls, especially in Wards 4, 5, 6 and 10. The amounts for which we have been compelled to relieve the collectors 5, 6 and 10. The amounts for which we seen compelled to relieve the collectors in these wards are composed largely of poll taxes levied upon persons who have been out of the ward or county for years, and we would recommend that the councillors confer with the assessors especially in regard to this evil that it may be overcome in the future.

> I. J. WHITMAN. G. H. VROOM. Ordered, That E. E. McDormand, Judson Balcom and James H. Thorne be the Revising Assessors for the ensuing year. Upon reading the report of the Committee on Finance the same was on motion received

and adopted after striking out the item "Clarke Bros., repairs Bear River bridge, \$24.57. The following is the report: Pickup, Thomas, J. A. Balcom, Buckler and To the Warden and Councillors in Session Cronin. Against : Councillors Fitch, W. J.

convened:
Your Finance Committee beg to report that
they have examined all bills, papers, accounts, etc., placed in their hands for the
year 1897, which are herewith attached and
we now submit Percentages 1, 2007 we now submit Presentment for 1897.

Amount of Presentment for 1897 is \$16, 527.40.
All of which is respectfully submitted.
S. W. W. PICKUP,
WM. C. HEALY,
W. G. CLARKE.
Annapolis, January 12th, 1898.

Support of Poor.
R. J. Uniacke, Clerk of Crown.
Miles McMillan, salary pd. quar.
Collecting Presentment.
Insane Asylum

\$19,527 40

-Minard's Liuiment Cures Dandruff. Miscellaneous Bills. Annual meeting of this Council to be held in April next, I shall move for an order to rearrange certain highway labour districts in Ward 12 as follows:

District No. 4 to be made into two districts, divided at Wm. J. Shaffner's west line; all that part to the east and north of the state of

1 00 1 00 the foot of the Big Hill.

That part of the Neily road, so-called, from its junction with District No. 7 to the bridge next south of Nigger Hill, including said bridge, to be added to said District No. 7.

That part of the said Neily road from the above mentioned bridge to District No. 23, to be added to District No. 22.

District No. 25 to extend from a point opposite Solomon Drew's south line the usual course of said district to W. J. H. Balcom's residence, also from where it joins No. 21 at the foot of the mountain, over and including the new piece of road built by the Railway Co., thence southerly to the Cleaveland school house.

W. J. H. Balcom.

Witneas, JM Goucher. 2 25

J. E. Oakes, costs Queen vs

Morrisey and stipend. 3 50

Arthur Gates, laying out Vault road. 2 00 2 00

D. Mouthit, laying out Vault road. 2 00 2 00

Walter Mills, stipendiary fees for 1893, '94, '95 '96, '97. 5 00 5 00

W. V. Vroom, stipendiary fees for 1895, '96, '97. 3 00 3 00

W. V. Vroom, warrants, costs, Queen vs G. W. Dukeshire. 2 40 2 40

E. Gates, sheriff's bill. 60 00 60 00 Walter Mills, stipendiary fees
for 1893, '94, '95 '96, '97... 5 00 5 00
W V Vroom, stipendiary fees
for 1895, '96, '97... 3 00 3 00
W V Vroom, warrants, costs,
Queen vs G W Dukeshire. 2 40 2 40
Hector McLean, Committee
on Tenders and Public Property.... 36 00 28 00

Henry O Walker, Com. alteration Phinney road...... Reuben Dodge, Com. on Phinney road..... Ebenezer Bent, Com. on Phinney Road....

Clark Bros, repairs Bear River bridge (struck out by order of Council... D I Morse, stipendiary fees, 1896, 1897. Harry W Purdy, tending Bear River bridge, 1897. W W Dodge, laying out road A D Thomas, services as per bill, 1897.

Land Damages and Fencing.

David Milner, land damage.... Leander Elliott, making 254 rods fence on Clarence Road..... 76 20 \$96.20

Ward.

1 - Inglis Banks...
D M Outhit...
2 - J O Neily.
John H Charlton
3 - Ruben Durling.
Enoch Grant...
4 - Robert Bath.
Georgal Profess \$11 00 Campbell Willett...
6-William VanBlarcom
Burton Eaton...
7-John Robblee
Edwin Ryder
8-William V Spans 8-William V Spurr Walter Purdy. 9-W D Long. Fred Millett. 10-B G Fairn. Charles Dargie

Revisors, 1897.

Statute Labor Returns, 1897 -E H Porter, 10 lists ars. 17 lists. 8—Charles Ditmars, 17 lists.

9—D I Morse, 28 lists.

10—John Hoyt, 28 and 2 1896 lists.

11—Watson Kinney, 13 lists.

12—Thomas R Charlton, 29 lists.

13—Edwin C Merry, 6 lists.

13—Elwood Young, 14 lists.

14—E N Rowter, 18 lists.

15—James Hannam, 12 lists.

16—Timothy E Banks, 19 lists.

881 25 Ordered, That the bill of Fred Leavitt for \$6 00 for fitting up vault be deferred to

April session.

Resolved, That the Committee appointed to settle with the Incorporated towns of Bridgetown and Annapolis Royal be authorised to take such steps as would lead to an equitable distribution of the special Bank Charges in this Municipality. Ordered, Upon reading the report of Councillor Healy upon the rights of Angus Mitchell the same was on motion received and adopted.

and adopted.

To Municipality of Annapolis:

As I was appointed to look the matter up against one Angus Mitchell as a squatter on the public highway, I would beg leave to report that I have looked the matter up quite thoroughly and find by old men of the ward that there was some change from theold road for the new one. I cannot find out for a certainty but do not think the county would be justified or have the authority to remove him till further light on the matter.

Yours truly,

Minutes read and approved. On motion adjourned sine die. O. T. DANIELS, MUNICIPAL CLERK

Annapolis Royal, January 13, 1898.

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ALVENA MURDOCH, Executrices. Bridgetown, Oct. 18th, 1897. 30 3m Direct Evidence

S. S. RUGGLES, E. RUGGLES, H. RUGGLES, BRIDGETOWN, N. S., Sept. 14th, 1897. 26, 6m Thirty-one people were killed and over one hundred injured by the falling of the floor in the city hall, at London, Ont., on the 3rd, where twenty five hundred people had crowded to hear the result of the civic elections. A. STANLEY BANKS.

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We take this opportunity of thanking those who have entrusted their work to our care, and we would ask for a continuance of their favors.

ETWE are ready for 1896 business, and have just added to our plant a New Dry House with all the latest imprevements in a HOT BLAST DRY KILN, so that we can dry out green lumber in six days. We can now supply

ory Lumber, Sheathing, Flooring, Mouldings of all kinds, Wood Mantles, Counters, Store and Church Fittings, Sashes, Doors, and Factory work of every description at short notice Plans, Specifications and Estimates can be had of us at small cost. 23 We have just received direct from British Columbia one carload B. C. Cedar, and in the way Whitewood and Quartered Oak. in the way Whitewood and Quartered Oak.

On hand: Shingles, Cispboards, Lime, Cement, Plaster, Hair, Laths, Qualities, but the affections can only be fixed

The Mousehold.

Everyone [is fascinated with the truly beautiful plant. Its fragrance is delightful. It can be grown as a pot plant or in the flower garden. This plant resents shade and poor soil. It will not grow under trees or behind plants in the window. Take a cutting at any season of the year, put it is sandy loam, keep it in a temperature of fifty degrees or more, and it at once starts a luxuriant growth. The red spider has a passion for this plant, and to keep him in check the plant should be dipped in clean, cold water every day. Re-pot as the roots fill the pot, pinch out each tip of branches as soon as they are four inches long, and in a short time you have a fine plant full of blossoming branches. Many house plants bloom best when pot bound, but the heliotrope is an exception; It must have an abundance of root room. Another fact not general known is that they can be kept for years i attention is given to pruning, renewing the soil and repotting. the first point in prun-ing an old plant is to use the knife freely, cut every branch off to within four inches of the soil, let the branches grow four inches and then pinch out the top of them. Persever in this treatment until you have a symmetrical plant wieh a large, blossoming surface. Careful watering when cut back will insure abundant and continuous winter oloom. If this plant is allowed to dry out the leaves will turn black and no amount of care will make a healthy plant of it. Throw

it out and start a new one. They are very tender and a light frost is death to them. and the stoutness is a sign of good health Flabbiness shows poor nutrition and want of exercise. Stout persons need to get a good deal of fresh air and as much exercise as they can take without injury. Arm exercise is particularly useful. Bread and N. B.—Having purchased the Stock and Trade from Mr. O. Whitman, parties ordering anything in the above line can rely on having their orders filled at short notice. on meat, green vegetables, fruit and cereals, with toast and graham bread. Green tea, or Oolong, Japan, or so-called natural tea are not apt to do any one any good, but pure, mild teas, as those from India, and coffee, may be taken by stout persons who feel no energy, if they are inclined to sleep. Sugar is very fattening to some persons. Unless fat is really burdensome it is folly to meddle with it, as it is natural to many constitutions, and the effort to reduce it often tells upon the digestion and the nerves, making e cheerful stout, face change to a long,

sharp, or irritable appearance far less comely.

After the first frost take some strong cord or willows and tie the branches of your plants together and after this is done lay them flat upon the ground. Take half of a barrel hoor, and point the ends and press this into the ground so as to keep your plants down close to the ground. After this depth of six or eight inches and over this place a quantity of leaves, straw, or anybut remember do not put on the latter unti the weather gets quite cold or you will be comes take off this covering as soon as the weather gets warm, not the soil, a little at a time, and when all danger of frost has passed expose your roses very gradually to the light. When taken up prune back all the branches in the proper way and give the

plants a good manuring as the soil is dug.

Do You Ever Think? Do you ever think what a difference it would make in the home atmosphere if people spoke first all the pleasant truths they could hink of instead of all the unpleasant ones? Do you ever think that a man or woman ay sometimes be popular and yet not pow-

Do you ever think how much less often you would be puzzled as to what to do next if you acted upon the old motto "Doe ye nexte thinge ?" Do you ever think that sometimes the retful little ones would be restored to good emper, not by more play, they have already

had too much make believe, but by a little real work? The writer saw the other day an active little four-year old boy who seemed to be no happier "playing horse" than he was "helping mamma" by polishing spoons. And he did them well to. -The very newest rain cloak is of craven ette, made in the form of a Newmarket. or mewhat approaching that in shape. Its distinguishing feature is the new idea in regard to the cutting of it. The pleated sleeve is room in the armhole without spoiling the shape of the garment. Another advantage is the crescent shaped pocket one on either side, which is so arranged that a slit above the pocket allows the wearer to pass her

hand through and hold up her dress. Every woman knows what a comfort that will be.

The coat is very stylish, with turned-over

revere in the front and a high, rolled-over

collar. The back is drawn into the figure with a belt strap and the whole style of the wrap is excellent, with none of the disfigur--It is the woman who has the courage to 1.00 ate the copy may be. Let every woman dare .85 to be herself, develop her own individuality, .50 not blindly copy some other woman, whom, it may be her husband happens to admire. Let her think for herself and express her own bined with that nameless something called manner, is the most potent weapon in the possession of the sex. A good woman's laugh is better than medicine, A well-told story is as welcome as a sunbeam in a sick room. Learn to keep your own troubles to yourself. The world is too busy to care for

> Tears do well enough in novels, but they are -A good story is told of two Irishmen, members of the famous old Sixty-ninth Regi-ment of New York, which distinguished itelf so much in the late war. They were having a pretty jolly time; and, after getting well warmed up, Patrick says: "Jimmy, we must give a toast to the old

your ills and sorrows. Don't constantly cry.

Sixty-ninth." 'And sure Patrick, we must, and here e goes; "Here is to the glorious old Sixty ninth, the last to go into bactle and e first to leave." "Ah, no Jimmy, that is not good, that

will never do. I will give one; " Here is to he glorious old Sixty ninth, equal to none.' —The newly published biography of Queen Victoria points out that within the past fifteen years she has taken singing lessons from Tosti and drawing from Leitch. Since the education of so many private girls is "finished" at eighteen, perhaps it is only queens who profit from instruction after the age of sixty.

-If you have built castles in the air, your work need not be lost; that is where they

SPRUCE AND PINE LUMBER, and retained by those that are real.