#### Established 1873. The Weekly Monitor,

At Bridgetown, Annapolis Co., N. S.

Terms: \$1.00 per annum in advance

-The provisional directors of the Nova Scotia Apple and Produce Shipping Co. are now asking for some tangible proof of the sympathy of the Valley farmers with the project they have outlined. The company has been regularly incorporated with a capital of \$49,900, but the legislature has stipulated that before the company can operate fifty per cent. of the capital must be subscribed and twenty-five per cent. paid up. The farmers are now being asked to subscribe the necessary stock, and if this is done States. working basis at once; if it is not done, and done quickly, the promoters will be justified in assuming that the farmers are retirified. in assuming that the farmers are satisfied with the existing conditions, and the matter scheme that is proposed, for the benefit of the few and fleecing of the many, but a most feet, and fleecing of the many but a most feet, and fleecing of the practical means of securing to the fruit growers and farmers that concentration and to reduce to a minimum the expenses of transportation and marketing. The project is a safe remedy for the evils that are now sapping the profits from an industry that has will continue to develop under favorable conditions. Had it been in operation last year it is estimated, and the estimate is a servative one, that fully \$50,000 would duced transportation and commission charges, to say nothing of the advantages that would to suit the conditions of the market. The whole capital of the company would thus have been earned in a single year. Unbusiness like methods now prevail, and until better ones are substituted the true value of our orchard and farm lands will not be and its proper establishment lie the means of effecting the necessary changes in the

packing and marketing.

The promoters are men who understan ness, honorable men, and their project has been heartily approved by both and the Nova Scotia Farmers' Association: and the Nova Scotia Farmers' Association; has been sanctioned by the government and its working involves practically no risk to the co operative stock holders. Kings counwith an earnestness that shows they recognive the value of the institution, and Annapolis county farmers should do likewise. It will never do to let the scheme collapse for the want of necessary support after it has the carried thus far. The stock oan easily been carried thus far. The stock oan easily be subscribed by the Valley farmers and on city the multiplicity of its holders will depend much of the success of the company.

-The first civic election in Bridgetown surprise to many it is to be hoped that an intelligent electorate have made a wise choice. The men-who are elected are good, representative men and during their tenure best interests of the town. The MONITOR congratulates the mayor and the councillors elect upon the honors they have received at the hands of their townsmen. To them has lishing a new record for this route. been entrusted that most delicate task of Setting up the necessary civic machinery.

On the first council also devolves that most difficult of tasks, the arrangement of finance excellent contrivance for the dairy. cial matters between the county and the town. The work of the next four months dinary business routine of succeeding terms. dinary business routine of succeeding terms.

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#### Local and Special News.

-September gales are in evidence -Acadia College opens to-day for the

-The first snow squall of the

-The Behring Sea commission session at Halifax to-day.

—It is announced that neither the Dominion or Allan line steamers are to call at Halifax

Bridgetown and vicinity making quite ex-tensive purchases of early fruit. —Miss Lockett will show latest styles in patterns, bonnets and novelties after Oct. 1st. Largest stock, lowest prices.

—Nowfoundland jubilee stamps are commanding a big premium already. The issue was not a large one. —The steamship companies between the province and Boston are now selling one fare utumn excursion tickets. —Old hay is selling in Montreal at \$12.50 and \$13.00 per ton. This season's crop is quoted from \$9.50 to \$10.50.

—An order in council has been passed revoking the order putting in force the Scott Act in Charlottetown, P. E. I. -I have just received loaded shells, paper

shells, powder, shot, caps, primers, salmotwine and bush scythes. R. Shipley. —The D. A. R. are offering a \$2.00 return fare from all points between Annapolis and Auburn to Halifax and return.

—Crops are being harvested rapidly all over the country. Grain will be an average yield; potatoes are a poor crop.

-Potatoes are quoted at \$5.25 per barrel in Havans. Kings county farmers annually send thousands of barrels to that market. WANTED. -Girl or woman to wait on an elderly lady and do other light work. Address Mrs. G. J. C. White, Annapolis. 21

-Mr. E. C. Young gathered some big sunflowers last week. Two heads measured 16 and 14 inches respectively in diameter. —Important changes are soon to be made in the building belonging to the Messrs. Rug-gles, at the corner of Queen and Rink streets.

—The fruit displays at our exhibitions this Autumn are described as much below the average of other years in quality, color and —Speculators are buying up gravenstein apples at \$2.00 and \$2.25 per barrel. A large percentage of the early crop will go to the

-The Provincial Board of Health is rerecommending that everyhody should be vac-cinated, in view of the existence of small pox at Montresl and other places.

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WANTED.—A capable girl for general housework and plain cooking. Wages \$7.00 a month. Three in family. Apply to Mrs. H. E. Gillis, Annapolis.

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PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Mr. Alf. Morse has returned from a trip to New York.
Mrs. John Walker returned from Boston
on Monday.

Mr. D'Arcy and wife, of Boston, are guests at the Grand Central.
Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Ansley, of Kentville, are visiting at Mr. Frank Prav's.
Miss Mabel Nickerson, of Annapolis, is visiting her friend Mrs. H. R. Shaw.
Miss Ryan, of Halifax, was the guest of Mrs. H. Ruggles for a few days last week.
Miss Susie Bates, of Lequille, spent Sunday with her friend, Miss Flo Williams.
Mr. Mansfield, traveller for Smith & Patterson, of Boston, was in town last week.
Mrs. James Primrose and Miss Le Cain returned from their Boston trip on Saturday last.

Miss Lyda Munroe spent a few days during the past week with friends at Margaret Mrs. Wier, the Misses Wier and Master [arold Wier left on Monday for a week's

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Mr. Louis Phalen, one of the Monitors's 'typos,' is taking in the exhibition at Halifax this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Winchester, of Lowell, Mass., spent part of Saturday last with Mrs. Warnford Dodge.

Misses Sadie and Katherine Pratt, who have been visiting friends in St. John, returned on Friday.

Mr. Hugh A. MacPhail, of Wercester, Mass., has been spending a week with Bridgetewn friends.

Messrs. F. R. Fay, E. A. Craig and T. A. Foster, who have been on a trip to the "Hub" returned last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. B. Graham, of Truro, have been spending part of their honeymoon with Rev. R. S. Whidden at the Masse.

Miss Bertha Ruggles, of Barton, Digby Co., has been a visitor the past week at the home of her friend, Miss Lyle McCormick.

Miss Sadie Durkee, M. A., of Digby has been offered and accepted the chair of Latin and English in Jackson College, Jackson, Miss.

Mr. Hector MaoLean was in Halifax,

An Annapolis County Missionary. REV. Z. C. BEALS GIVES HIS VIEWS ON THE

The Ray. Z. C. Beals, superintendent of the Christian and Missionary Alliance of Central China, is in Montreal on a visit. He is a Canadian, being a native of Clementsport, N. S., and has been in China since 1891. He is accompanied on his present visit to Canada by his wife and family, his two daughters having commenced their studies in Terroptic One of them is studying two daughters having commenced their stud-ies in Toronto. One of them is studying medicine and the other is attending Moulton College. Mr. and Mrs. Beals will remain in Canada until spring, when they will re-turn to China.

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—The reliew of the second encampment of militia, comprising the 69th, 75th and 78th battalions, took place at Aldershot, on Finday last. The foor unsuccessful candidates were handicapped seriously in the race, by being all Liberals and not enough of them to make a ticket. The contest for the mayoralty was not so close as was generally expected. The vote was a solower remarked in every conceivable to increase the height of the ceiling; the stone properties of the stone of which was a large work and is and every conscievable to increase the height of the ceiling; the stone properties of the stone of which was a large work and selling; the stone properties of the stone of

The evangelistic services conducted by Messrs. Hunter and Crossley have been continued since our last issue with deepening and growing interest. At the children's service held in the Methodist church on Friday afterneon the children were not only entertained, but evidently deeply impressed. Sunday the weather was delightful and many of the people out of the surrounding country as far as Middleton came to attend the services.

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In the morning Rev. H. I. Crossley preached in the Baptist church on "How to search the Scripture," and Rev. J. E. Hunter preached in the Methodist church, speaking from Gen. vii. I., "Come thou and all thy house into the ark."

### FALL **MILLINERY**

New lot of Fall Walking Hats and Sailors also the very latest novelties in American hats and the most fashionable shades of vel-

O. T. DANIELS, of Bridgetown, Annapolis
County, Solicitor for Plaintiff.

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DEAR EDITOR,—Permit me, through the columns of your valuable paper, to cordially thank those ladies and gentlemen who so kindly voted for me at the late civic election, placing me at the head of the poll, with a majority of thirty-five votes.

I may say that my majority was much larger than I had dared to expect. I shall earnestly endsavor to fulfill the pledges made in my card two weeks ago. Bridgetown, Sept. 28th, 1897.

PROPERTY FOR SALE.

That, valuable Property, situated on the corner of Court and Water Streats. Formerly owned by Capt. John Longmire. Apply to CAPT, E. P. RAYMOND, Granville Street.

**EXECUTOR'S NOTICE!** ALL persons having legal demands agains the estate of EMILY MESSENGER, lat of Centreville, in the County of Annapolis, de MANLEY BENSON, Executor Bridgetown, August 25th, 1897.—22 tf

Hall, Bridgetown, on Saturday October 9th, at 2 p.m.

A. OWEN PRICE, SEC'Y.

NOTICE A special general meeting of the Shareholders of the Bridgetown Cheese and Butter Company, Limited, for considering and sanctioning bye-law No. 2 (passed by the Directors, Sept. 18th, 1897), for the increase of the Capital Stock of the Company from the sum of two thousand dollars to the sum of four thousand dollars, by the issue of four hundred shares of new stock of five dollars each, will be held at Victoria Hall, Bridgetown, on Saturday.

DOMINION ATLANTIC RAILW'Y SPECIAL

**EXCURSION** To Halifax!

THURSDAY, Sept. 30th, 1897

EXCURSION RETURN TICKETS at the following low fares will be issued only from stations between Annapolis and Coldbrook to Halifax, on Thursday, Sept. 30th, 1897, good to return on date of issue only. FARES: From ANNAPOLIS
To AUBURN, \$2.00 m AYLESFORD To COLDBROOK, 1.50

A Special Train

9	will run as follows:	
	Leave ANNAPOLIS	5.20 a.m
d	" ROUNDHILL	5.53 a.m
g	BRIDGETOWN	6.00 a.m
n	PARADISE	6.12 a.m
h	" LAWRENCETOWN	6.19 a.m
n	" WILMOT	6.42 a.m
•	" KINGSTON	6.49 a.m
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=		7.08 a.m
	BERWICK.	7.28 a.m
	" CAMBRIDGE	7.33 a.m
=	" COLDEROOK	7 38 a m
	Arr. KENTVILLE	17.50 a.m
	Arriving at Halifax at 10.40 s	

W. R. CAMPBELL, Sheriff's Sale.

IN THE SUPREME COURT,

THE SUPPLY.

FEVEN I. JOHNSTON HUNT.

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High Sheriff of Annapolis Con-

### the Crowd — то —

CROWE & PARKER'S

and a full assortment of Staple and Fancy Groceries. As a special inducement jus now we are giving away free with



Mahogany Finished Table, Perfection Elevating Clothes Bars, Lawn, Camp or Outing Chair, Sett Jubilee Carvers, Sett Victor Bread, Cake and Paring Knives, Lander's "Ætna" Bread Knife.

TEA!

choice of the following:-

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

## CASH SALE!

### Blouse Waists, Capes & Straw Sailor Hats.

Until sold out we offer the balance of the above mentioned lines at the following low figures, viz.:

BLOUSE WAISTS

Extra Value for 75c. and 85c. Marked for this sale only 60c Marked for this sale only 75c Extra Value for 98c., \$1.00, and \$1.05, Marked for this sale only 85c Extra Value for \$1.10 and \$1.20, -Choice of the lot for only \$1.00 Extra Value for \$1 25 to \$1.50,

Ladies' and Misses' Cloth Capes.

Colorings: Black, Navy, Brown, Fawns, Tans, Tabac and Red. These goods are all extra values at regular prices, but at the reduced prices are "snaps" for anybody

iring	one.		Ü				
Our	95c. C	Cape,	-	-	-	-	Marked for this sale at 70c each
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	1.95					-	Marked for this sale at 1.40 each
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LADIES' AND MISSES' SAILOR STRAW HATS.

We have still a nice variety, comprising White, Black, Navy, Brown and mixed effects, from 20c. to \$1.50 each.

All to close out at a Great Reduction. STRONG & WHITMAN.

# GRAND CASH SALE!

### PRINTS, SEERSUCKER and FLANNELETTE GOODS

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10	pieces	LIGHT	AND D	ARK	PRIN	TS,	-,-		-	7c.	5c.
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25			NET.ETT		NCY	STE	RIPES.	32-in.	wide,	10c.	700

## MEN'S SHIRTS

5 dozen Men's Negligee Shirts, attached Collars and Cuffs, 5 dozen Men's Regetta Shirts, 2 Collars and 2 Cuffs separate,

65c.

Several lines of Dress Goods, Capes, Gloves, Parasols, Hose, Waists, etc.,

which will be closed out at very low prices to make room for New Fall Goods.

JOHN LOCKETT & SON.



Call and examine my large selection of Stoves from \$2.50 up. A full line of Kitchen Furnishings in stock. Pluming and Furnace Work a specialty.

R. A. CROWE.

BRIDGETOWN

Has now a complete stock of Fall and

Winter Goods. MEN'S DEPARTMENT MEN'S AMHERST LEG BOOTS in Kip, Grain, Cow Hide and Split; all Amherst manu facture; with a full line of Men's Fine Goods of the Ames, Holden & Co. manufacture. These goods are the best goods manufactured in Canada to-day.

GAITERS, six different styles of high cut and low cut finish, very stylish.

All colors.

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Laces and Buttons, all colors.

Dressing and Blacking, all best quality.

Wool insoles for Men, Women and Children. Cork Soles and Leather Soles.

MURDOCH'S BLOCK. LADIES' DEPARTMENT

GRANVILLE STREET. E. A. COCHRAN. 2441

IN THE COUNTY COURT, For the District No. 3,

WILLIAM D. SHEEHAN, - Plaintiff, AUSTIN A. RICE, an absent or absconding To be sold at PUBLIC AUCTION by the Sheriff of the County of Annapois, or his Deputy, at the Court House, in Bridgetown, on

TERMS OF SALE: Ten per cent deposit at ime of sale, remainder on delivery of deed. EDWIN GATES.

Bridgetown, N. S., Sept. 11th, 1897.-25 5i **PUBLIC AUCTION!** 

. L. MILNER, Solicitor of the Plaintiff.

High Sheriff of the County of Annapolis.

Sale Positive & without reserve. To be sold at Public Auction on the premises of ELIAS HENNIGAR TUPPER, at Tupper-ville in the County of Annapolis. on Saturday, the 2nd day of October next, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, the following valuable Stock and Per-sonal Property: