

LOCAL AND SPECIAL.

IF YOUR SUBSCRIPTION HAS EXPIRED

You will confer a favor by renewing promptly, hereby securing the reduced rate for subscriptions paid in advance.

The Minister of Militia's Cup was won in the rifle match at Bedford by Lt. Col. LeCain, of the 69th.

Poor tea is poor economy—use "Salada" and you will appreciate the excellent qualities of high-grade tea.

In order to relieve the pressure in our mechanical department, the Monitor has been issued this week in somewhat condensed form.

The Harvester's Excursion advertised for September 8th has been cancelled. No more laborers are required to harvest the crop.

Rev. H. A. Harley has been appointed managing director and secretary of the Church School for Girls Windsor, in succession to the late Dr. Hind.

The members of Olive Branch Division intend holding their annual picnic at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Rice, on Thursday, September 3rd, at five o'clock.

The Liberal political campaign opens at Sydney tomorrow, 3rd instant. Hon. W. S. Fielding, Hon. William Patterson and Premier Murray will be among the speakers.

So far as we can learn the Bridgetown boys who went west with the Harvester's Excursion succeeded in obtaining work at fair wages, but will be glad to return to old Nova Scotia when their time is up.

Mr. J. B. Stewart, Superintendent of the Boys' Institute of Industry Boston, gave an interesting and instructive "chalk talk" in the Baptist Church on Sunday evening last. Mr. Stewart is doing a noble work among the waifs and strays of Boston and the results of his labors have been wonderfully effective.

A dance was given in Lonley's Hall, Paradise, on Thursday evening last by the Misses Jackson. About seventy-five guests were present. Violin and piano furnished the music for dancing. After the serving of refreshments, in the few hours of the evening, the guests left for their respective homes, expressing their hearty enjoyment of the event's pleasure.

A number of our young people will take up higher studies this year at various centres of learning. Lemorne Juggles, Robert Roberts and Arthur Dodge will go to King's College; Frank Johnson, Miss Nettie Bishop and Miss Jennie Fellows will go to Pictou to take the "A" course at Pictou Academy. Miss Hetty Cropper will return to Acadia Seminary. The Monitor wishes them all the best of success.

A very pleasant surprise was in store for those worshipping in St. James' Church last Sunday evening in the shape of a delightful solo by Mr. Walter Kiley, of Boston. Mr. Kiley undoubtedly possesses one of the best voices heard in Bridgetown of late years and should he adhere to his present intention, viz., to continue studying with a view to a musical career, we venture to predict for him a splendid success. His voice is a rich, powerful baritone.

The annual re-union of the Paradise and Clarence W. M. A. S. will be held in the Clarence Church on Monday afternoon next at three o'clock. A number of visitors are expected, including the society at Port Lorne. The afternoon session will be conducted by Mrs. Saunders, president of the Paradise Society. In the evening a public missionary meeting will be held. This is anticipated with special interest as a number of speakers from abroad are expected to participate. A silver collection for missions will be taken during the evening.

The lecture of Professor Carruthers "The World Gone Mad," was listened to by a very appreciative audience at the Court House on Monday night. The reverend lecturer is master of the art of entertaining an audience, and his lecture, illustrating the facts and fancies with which human nature is beset and deluded, was presented in such a manner as to hold the attention with untiring interest and pleasure. This lecture will be followed by a second entertainment which will be a recital of sketches from the "Bonnie Brar Bush," presented in Scotch dialect in which Prof. Carruthers, who is a native Scotchman, excels. This will be given on Monday evening, 21st inst., and no one who appreciates refined humor and pure pathos, as contained in this masterpiece of literature, should fail to reserve the date.

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The Halifax Exhibition opens today.

Camp at Aldershot for militia practice opens on the 8th inst.

An agency for Ungar's Laundry has been opened here by J. E. Lloyd.

The road machine has been at work on our streets for some days assisting in the general cleaning up.

The H. & S. W. will put in a new siding near the Church Road for the convenience of J. H. Hicks & Sons.

The marriage takes place at Round Hill today of Miss Agnes Eugenia, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry B. Whitman, to Mr. Roy Forsythe Hardwick.

A "chapter" meeting of the rural Deacons of Annapolis will be held in Weymouth next week. A full attendance of the clergy is anticipated to take part in a most interesting programme of papers and discussions.

Mr. Henry Goldsmith, of the cabinet department, Silliker Car Works, Halifax, while at work on Friday last, had the misfortune to lose one of his fingers. He spent a few days at his home here, returning to Halifax on Wednesday.

The death occurred at the County Hospital for the insane, on the 24th inst., of Robert W. Woodbury, eldest son of the late Dr. Jonathan Woodbury, of Middleton. Acute heart trouble was the immediate cause of his death. He leaves a wife and three children and was about sixty years of age.

A third ship, D. A. R. S. S. Yarmouth, has been put in commission sailing from Yarmouth Saturday, Aug. 21st, Wednesday, 2nd, Saturday 5th, Wednesday, 9th, Saturday 12th, Wednesday, 15th, September. Two ships will consequently depart on these days after arrival of Bluenose and Express trains. On return sailings from Long Wharf, Boston, Tuesday, 1st, Friday, 4th, Tuesday, 8th, Friday, 11th, Tuesday, 15th, Friday, 18th, September, at 12 o'clock noon.

BRIDGETOWN SCHOOL.

The six departments of the public school opened Monday. Our information of last week regarding the opening proved to be incorrect. Some misunderstanding having arisen in consequence of the supposition that the teachers would attend the Teachers' Association in session this week. It was not known definitely until Principal Bustin arrived on Saturday whether the schools would open on Monday or not.

The school has been augmented by the opening of a new room in the building, which will greatly facilitate the work of the school year.

The primary department being the largest is divided, with Misses Beas Hoyt and Florence Cochran as the teachers, their classes occupying separate rooms. The next two grades are presided over by Miss Bessie Crowe, who comes from the Middleton Consolidated School. Successive grades are under the instruction of Miss Emma Graves, who devoted last year to normal training, Miss Mollie Johnson, daughter of Rev. G. F. Johnson, pastor of Providence Methodist Church, and Principal Bustin.

GOOD WORDS FOR REED'S EARTH CURE.

Mrs. Andrew Nickerson, of Charlesville, Shelburne, N. S., says: "Four months ago I fell and bruised myself badly; my sufferings were intense. Our Dr. did not help me, neither did I begin the use of Reed's Earth Cure; one twelve oz. box has cured me. I believe it to be the best remedy we have for injuries such as mine was. Some of my neighbors tell me they have been cured of acute rheumatism by using the Earth Cure."

BORN

MESSINGER—At Hampton, August 30th, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Messenger, a daughter.

MARRIED

MACK-OBERNE—At Bridgetown, Wednesday, August 26th, 1908, by Rev. E. Underwood, Harry Albro Mack to Isabel Ivola O'Berne, both of Albany Cross.

MESSINGER-CLARK—At Port Lorne, on August 28th, by Rev. G. F. Johnson, William S. Messenger, of Annapolis, to Lizzie L. Clark.

GOOD FOR BILIOUSNESS.

"I took two of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets last night, and I feel fifty per cent better than I have for weeks," says J. J. Firestone, of Allegan, Mich. "They are certainly a fine article for biliousness." For sale by W. A. WARREN, BRIDGETOWN; A. E. ATLEE, ANNAPOLIS ROYAL; AND BEAR RIVER DRUG STORE. Samples free.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. A. R. Bishop spent Sunday in Annapolis.

Mr. W. W. Chesley is confined to the house with illness.

Mrs. Gavaza, of Annapolis, is visiting Miss Angie James.

Miss Emma Johnson spent Sunday with friends in Kentville.

Miss Lottie Berry was a passenger from Boston on Saturday.

F. L. Milner, town clerk, 2055 to Truro today on business, returned on Friday.

Mrs. Harry Chute and daughter, Mina, returned on Saturday from Nictaux.

Mrs. Leander Miller and son, Warren, returned last week from Clarendon.

Mrs. W. D. Lockett and children returned from a visit to Charlottetown on Friday last.

Mrs. Richard Shipley, of Somerville, Mass., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Bird.

Miss Lu Ruelles, of Bear River, spent a few days of last week at the home of Mrs. Hettie Dodge.

Miss Blois Freeman returned to Bridgetown on Friday, after spending a week in Granville Ferry.

Professor Avarad Bishop, of Yale College, was a passenger to the Province via D. A. R. on Saturday.

Mrs. Herbert Phippin and two children, of St. John, are visiting at the home of Mrs. A. L. Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Chipman Bauckman, of Roxbury, Mass., were spending Mrs. A. M. Bauckman during last week.

Francis Grayes, eldest son of Mr. M. W. Grayes, has joined the New Brunswick Trans-Continental survey party.

Mrs. Turner has returned from a three weeks visit to Boston and Maine, accompanied by her niece, of Houlton, Maine.

Miss Emma Dargie, after a week's vacation among relatives and friends in Annapolis and Bridgetown, returned to Lynn last week.

Mrs. Major Hoffman and two children have returned home after a two weeks' visit with her mother and other relatives in Nictaux.

Mr. and Mrs. Saunders and daughter, Violet, of Torbrook Mines, were the guests of Mr. Saunders' sister, Mrs. William Manthorne, over Sunday.

Mr. H. MacAvity arrived yesterday to accompany Mrs. MacAvity and child, who have been spending the summer here, to their home in St. John.

Mrs. J. Fletcher Bent and son, and Mrs. R. Shipley attended the camping at Berwick, and were guests at the cottage of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Nichols.

Mr. Fred Kinney, of the staff of the Union Bank of Halifax, has resigned his position, with the intention of taking up a course of studies at Sackville.

Dane H. Nash, Millington, N. J., the maker of the celebrated Acme Harrow, and family, who are spending a month in the Valley, are now at Port Lorne.

Arthur Foster, of Hampton, who has been teaching recently at Falmonth, has secured the position of Mathematical instructor in Horton Collegiate Academy.

Mr. H. F. Bishop, of the head office staff of the Union Bank of Halifax, visited Bridgetown en route from New York, where he has spent his annual holidays.

Mrs. G. W. Davis, of New Jersey, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. C. W. Parker, and other relatives in Granville, left for her home on Wednesday last.

Miss Addie Chesley and friend, Miss Lillian Johnson, and Mr. Chas. Abbott, who have been guests for the summer at Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Chesley's, returned to Boston yesterday.

NEW BUSINESS LOCALS.

J. W. Beckwith is paying 22c per dozen for eggs, and 22c per pound for butter.

See advertisement of rates for D. A. R. Excursion tickets to Halifax Exhibition.

WANTED—A girl, at once, for general house work. Apply to MRS. J. WEIR.

FOR SALE—One pair cattle, three years old. Splendid workers.—W. A. HILLS, Bridgetown.

FOR SALE—A fine 3 1/2 year old mare, nicely broken. A very nice driver. Apply to FERCY BURNS.

The ladies of the Methodist Church at Dalhousie will hold a Pie Social at the Hill on Monday evening next.

LOST—Last Friday afternoon, on Queen Street, a pearl brooch in a blue bow. Finder will be rewarded by returning same to Monitor Office.

The Ladies' celebrated Northway Coats opened last week at J. W. Beckwith's, are at this early date, selling fast. Ask any ladies opinion of them who has worn one.

WANTED—Any quantity of yellow eyed beans, from 25.00 to 35.00 per bushel, according to quality.—C. L. Pigott.

TO LET—Furnished house, Granville Street East.—G. B. TIBERT.

Try our White Coat Flour at \$5.50 per barrel.—J. I. Foster.

You will find a large stock of Gem Jars and the Central Grocery.—J. E. Lloyd.

Bridgetown Factory Cheese is giving splendid satisfaction. Encourage the industry by sending a greater supply of milk.—J. E. Lloyd.

Let us re-cover and repair your old pieces of Furniture before the roads in Annapolis are at their best and free of charge.—J. H. HICKE & SONS.

Beginning September 1st, for balance of year, we will give our customers a Rebate Check on every 10-cent cash purchase of any goods in our store. This check is worth one cent. These will be taken as cash for any goods except groceries. Ten checks will be the smallest number redeemed.—W. W. CHESLEY.

DOMINION ATLANTIC EXCURSIONS TO HALIFAX EXHIBITION.

For Halifax Exhibition, Dominion Atlantic Railway will issue Excursion Return Tickets from Tuesday 1st, to Thursday, 10th, good returning to and including Friday, 11th September. First Class fare for the round trip from all Stations, Annapolis Royal and East.

For Thursday, September 3rd, the undermentioned very low rate will apply, good going by regular trains (Train No. 96 starting from Annapolis this date at 4.00 a. m.) and return by special leaving Halifax 11.00 p. m. same day. Annapolis Royal to Lawrenceton, \$2.25. Middleton P. GIPKINS, General Manager.

FOR SALE. One new single-seated riding wagon. At a bargain. Apply to ARCH KINNEY.

FOR SALE OR RENT. Large commodious house, and lot at Paradise Corner. All necessary outbuildings, small orchard, and good well of water at door. For particulars apply to HERBERT GILLIS.

TEACHER WANTED. At Arlington Section No. 13, for the ensuing year. Apply at once to JOSEPH MARSHALL, Secretary. Arlington, August 18th, 1908.

FOR SALE. 1 pair Oxen, 5 years old. 1 pair Steer Calves. 1 set single Bob Sleds. CHARLES B. BALCOM. Paradise, August 26th.

LABOR DAY. SEPTEMBER 7TH, 1908. The Halifax and South Western Railway will issue round trip tickets between all stations on September 4th, 5th, and 7th, 1908, at one way fare, good to return September 8th, 1908. P. MOONEY, G. P. A.

Public Auction. To be sold at Public Auction on the premises of the subscriber at Carleton's Corner on Saturday the 19th day of September next, at 2 o'clock p. m., the household furniture—BEDS, BEDDING, TABLES, CHAIRS, DISHES, ETC., ETC., ORGAN, SEWING MACHINE, PICTURES, and other things too numerous to mention. TERMS—Under \$5.00 cash; above \$5.00 approved joint note on 3 months. RUSSELL CROPLEY, Administrator of the estate of Bertha Cropley.

MID-SUMMER CLEARANCE SALE

The Mid-Summer Clearance sale of our big stock will commence on Friday next, July 17th and continue four weeks. We find that we have purchased too heavily on certain lines of goods, but in this respect means gain to our customers. To give you the advantage of buying at lowest possible cost, we cut out middle men whenever it can be done and every extra expense, consequently you can make no mistake in purchasing from us. Friday next will open up money-saving possibilities.

Table with columns for Ladies' Dress Skirts, Ladies' Coats, Ladies' Dress Goods, and Corsets. Lists various items and their prices, including reductions.

It would take too much space to describe our great sale of bargains, therefore we will just state that we will give 20 p. c. off the dollar during this sale for all other lines of goods.

J. W. BECKWITH

GREAT VALUES IN UPHOLSTERED FURNITURE

For the remainder of August, we will give TWENTY PER CENT OFF our PARLOR SUITES, COUCHES, LOUNGES AND ALL UPHOLSTERED FURNITURE. These goods are NEW and BRIGHT, having been on our floors less than three weeks.

REMEMBER THE TIME Till the end of AUGUST ONLY.

J. H. HICKS & SONS

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