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Terms: \$1.00 per annum in advance

WEDNESDAY, August 25th, 1897.

-The Massachusetts Benefit Life Asse ciation, which took over the policies of th Mutual Relief Society of Yarmouth, a few years ago, is itself in the throes of dissolution. point a receiver, and is going into liquida tion. This action was decided upon on the 17th inst, and the president says "The di rectors were forced to take this step in view ment members to the regular and extra calls levied under date of July 1, in conformity with the statutes of this commonwealth (Massachusetts)." The trustees of this as sociation are sending to their policy holders a circular explaining matters and urging them to take insurance in the New York Life Insurance Co., under a special form of policy prepared for the benefit of the mem great many people have persisted in paying their premiums into these assessment asso ciations in spite of the protests of old line companies. Now these assessment companies vive through adversities, which old time companies take quite as a matter of course, and as a sort of death-bed repentance, thi association has bequeathed the good will of its business to the New York Life, and policy holders, who have hitherto paid prem iums to these associations for nothing, may now arrange to secure insurance on a firmer and more stable basis. The tailure of the Massachusetts Benefit Life Association will affect hundreds of Nova Scotia policy holders who have paid large sums for what at one time looked like cheap insurance, but has latterly become quite expensive, and has finally left them without any insurance, many of them at such an advanced age that reinsurance in old line companies is impospolicy holders who have parted with an that it would be a difficult task to induce any one of them to take insurance on the assessment plan again, even though there are assessment companies that are now

rapidly in Nova Scotia, and we may reasonably expect the provincial legislature to take the matter in hand at the next session. Cer tainly that body could not give its attention to a more popular movement, nor one calculated to better promote the general interests of the province. Everywhere the provincial press is doing its duty in helping the matter along and its influence will do much to awaken the people to the urgent requirements of the case. The MONITOR fired the opening guns of the campaign in this pro--we modestly admit that we knew it we did not some one of our contemporaries would, but otherwise it was done in good faith and in the belief that a systematic agitation was all that was required to attain why Nova Scotia should be behind Ontario or any other province of the Dominion in respect to its road system, as it is generally recognized that any money well spent in improving roads is wisely spent. The people would submit to any reasonable tax to accomplish this object, as they would get a properties attendant upon the betterment of marketing. As it is, the tax for bad roads is one of the heaviest the farmer has to bear; every load of produce he necessary outlay of time and labor. Better days are coming, however, and the onward march of the good roads league will soon change the condition of our highways and byways. In our own county the municipal authorities have already enacted a progressive measure in line with this great movement, and they no doubt will always be ready to embrace any further practical suggestions in regard to building and maintaining good

-A very few years ago ninety per cent of the cheese consumed in the Maritime provinces was imported from Ontario, but today we find a changed condition of trade existing. Cheese and butter factories have sprung up like mushrooms in Nova Scotia New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island, and now instead of importing cheese and butter, we manufacture all that is required for home consumption and thousands of dollars worth for export. Our principal market is in England, where the quality of the maritime product is not excelled by any other manufacture. Only recently we read of a Montreal firm contracting for several thousand packages of P. E. I. cheese, and while this looks like shipping coal to Newcustle, it shows what a complete turnover has taken place since the lower provinces embarked in the cheese manufacturing industry. The people of the provinces should learn an excellent lesson from this example. learn an excellent lesson from this example. It is not only in Jairy products that we need to be rid of the necessity for importing; we snould manufacture our own carriages and farm wagons, and thus save the hundreds of thousands of dollars that are annually being drained from the provinces by the sea. Suc cessful attempts, on a small scale, have been made to compete with the Ontario carriage manufactories, and there is no valid reason why home manufacture should not win victories in the field that has so long been controlled by the older provinces. It is in the self-supporting community where prosperity abounds, and our people should wake up to the fact that instead of importing, they should, whenever possible, export, and there is great range of hitherto unchallenged possibilities in sight.

-It has been finally decided to have a vote on the question of incorporation on the 4th of September, and bills announcing this ultimatum will be posted to-day. The matter is an important one, but the citizens have had ample time to consider the advantages and disadvantages of the scheme, and we hope to see a decisive vote polled. If Bridgetown is to be lifted into the promi-—The races to be held here to morrow ought to eclipse any speed exhibition ever held on the track. In the '25 trot it is expected that the fastest race on a provincial track this season will be put up and the than an average share of good, solid, enterprising business men, who will understand prising business men, who will understand how to regulate the affairs of the town better than a municipal council could hope to do with the interests of a broad county to safe guard. The municipal government is a good one undoubtedly, but Bridgetown is too large and populous to be classed under the regulations applied to the smaller hamlets. In advocating incorporation the MONITOR does so under the firm belief that under a civic government the various public services can be more properly managed, and that can be more properly managed, and that without any increase in taxation the town will be incalculably benefitted by a more direct application of the fund that is now raised to meet these services. The record books of the other provincial towns, less advantageously situated than Bridgetown, support this belief, and we think the majority of the ratepayers, within the district proposed to be incorporated, will be influenced by these records.

—The annual Harvest Thanksgiving Festival of the Salvation Army is to be celebratival of the Salvation Arm

Local and Special News.

-Twenty-seven teams loaded with piling ame in from the South, yesterday.

—John Lockett & Son have made a great advance on fresh Eggs and choice roll Butter. —The new Presbyterian hymnal was used ast Sunday at the Gordon Memorial Church. -Steamer Yarmouth took 1,078 crates of clueberries to Boston on Wednesday evening. -Three candidates from Middleton high chool got "B" licenses, three "C" and six

—The Annapolis County Baptist Sabbath School Convention will meet at Clarence on September 7th. -The Farmers Picnic to be held at Ayles

ford on Friday promises to be a grand affair. Several from Bridgetown will attend. -The Coast Railway Co., since the 1st aug., have carried over 1400 people, and has andled a considerable amount of local

-Mr. F. K. Robbins says 1897 will be a banner year for the Yarmouth S. S. Co. The passenger lists are large and the freights

—The Canadian yacht Glencairn won three out of the five contests for the Seawanhaka International Cup, defeating the American

- Mr. J. W. Borden, manager of the Union Bank Agency at Kentville, has been appoint-ed accountant of the Department of Militia and Defence at a salary of \$2,400. It is reported that the D. A. R. have

decided to transfer Mr. Masters from the Boston office to Halifax, making him head of the passenger transportation busin

The members of the Epworth League spent a very pleasant day at their pionic which was held on Tuesday last on the beautiful grounds of Mr. Eber Chute at Chute's Cove.

-Egbert P. Morse, of Paradise, who was

reinsman, was injured last Sturday, while taking a fast ride behind Warren Guy. The wheel of his sulky came off, and he was thrown to the ground and his leg badly hurt. The fifty-second annual meeting of the Baptist Convention of the Maritime Provin-

-The D. A. Railway's new steamer

town bicycle brigade line up some fine evening for a parade in their full strength.

There are about fifty wheels owned in town, and it is possible to easily arrange quite an

fit Life Association, to renew their insurance with the New York Life.

-Lawrencetown will soon have an excel-

-We understand that Miss Viola M. Batton, aged 13 years, daughter of R. S. Batton, of Clarence, at the recent examinations of candidates for teacher's license at Bridge

opening of the shooting season, are warned that the game laws officers intend watching them closely this season, and if any infraction of the regulations comes under their notice the case will be prosecuted vigorously. —A tramp was arrested last week for vagrancy, creating a disturbance on the street and a multiplicity of transgressions and was sentenced by Justice Cox to three months in the county jail. An examination revealed the fact that the man was mentally unbalanced and he was transferred to the county asylump.

very fast green ones with ability to go close to '30 and the race will undoubtedly be a sharp one.

Rev. E. O. Taylor, of Chicago, who preached in the Baptist, Methodist and Presbyterian churches, last Sunday and lectured in the Methodist and Baptist churches, Monday and Tuesday evenings, is a clever exponent of the principles of the cause for which he is laboring. His temperance lectures are from a scientific standpoint and his conclusions are forcible anneals, not always.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Mr. G. T. Bohaker, of Annapolis, was in Bridgetown last week.
Miss Lyda Munro is spending a few days with friends in Wolfville.
Miss Grace Healy is spending her vacation with friends at Bridgewater.
Mrs. H. C. Harris, of Bear River, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Fletcher Bent.
Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Harris, of Wolfville, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Shaw.
The Misses Cameron, daughters of Rev. John Cameron, are visiting at their father's home.

"—The Bridgetown Foundry Co. have re-cently supplied Lawrencetown and Carleton's Corner schools with a number of their excel-

-Mr. L. R. Fairn is having his lot on Granville street, at the eastern end of the town, nicely graded and will build theron

crack, the Momo. —Early apples are being shipped in small quantities to Halifax and St. John. The Valley apple crop will not exceed 150,000 barrels of marketable fruit.

—E. G. Langley has entered hls pacer, Lucille B., in the '45 race at Mahone Bay on Ssptember 2nd, and Mr. W. F. Gibbons has entered May Blossom, 2.38, in the 2.30 class.

-Mr. George Armstrong, of Middleton, has purchased H. E. Reed's grocery business in that town, and has also bought S. A. Mellor's dry goods stock and will conduct a

—The schr. V. T. H. will finish loading piling to day for Boston. This will make the ninth cargo Messrs. Neily & Kinney have shipped to that market within five weeks, and there are more \$2 follow.

successful in obtaining a Grade B certificate at the recent examinations, left on Friday last to take charge of the advanced department of the Tiverton School, Digby Co. -Mr. H. C. Lydiard, the well-known

ces was opened on Saturday, 21st inst., in the Main Street Church, St. John. About 300 delegates were present at the opening

Prince Edward, was expected to arrive at Yarmouth, yesterday, with General Manager Campbell on board. It is reported that a sister boat will be ready for the company by

—Lawrencetown will soon have an excel-lent water service. The tenders for exca-vating the reservoir, laying pipes, etc., close next Saturday. The supply will be drawn from a point on the South Mountain, a little more than a mile from the town.

town Station, made an aggregate of 556, making as high as 88 in several branches.

-Sportsmen, who are in the habit of wan-dering afield with dog and gun before the

—The Carleton Corner School Section has added another department to its school house and this will henceforth be a graded school. Mr. Albert McCormick who has filled the position of teacher in this section for several years past, will now be in charge of the advanced department and Miss Jackson, of Paradise, has been engaged to take charge of the primary.

-Two sisters of our venerable townsman, Mr. Foster Woodbury, died last Thursday at almost the same hour-Mrs. Joseph Morton at Clementsport, and Mrs. Priscilla Morton at the Old Ladies' Home at Halifax Mr. Woodbury is now the only survivor of a family of thirteen and though over ninety years of age is still quite active and enjoys good health.

conclusions are forcible appeals, not alone to sentiment but to hard common sense.

The Colt Stakes Races

Mr. R. E. Feltus, of Digby, was here last W. E. Roscoe, Esq., of Kentville, was in wn yesterday. Mr. G. T. Bohaker, of Annapolis, was in

Mr. Douglas Guest, of Yarmouth, spent Sunday with his friends at the Methodist

the Valley.
Mr. W. C. Bath returned last Saturday from a trip to Liverpool and points on the

south shore.

Mrs. A. C. Johnston, of Dartmouth, and little daughter are visiting her father, T. D. Ruggles, Esq.
Mrs. O. V. Troop and daughter, Miss
Ada, of St. John, are the guests of Mrs. W.

R. Troop, Granville.
Mr. and Mrs. Albert Willett, of Walpole,

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Mr. and Mrs. Albert Willett, of Walpole,
Mass., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Bent on Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. James Shafner were the
guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Bent on Friday and Saturday last.
Mr. Edward Primrose, of Boston, who has
been visiting his sister Mrs. J. G. H. Parker,
left on Monday for Cornwallis.
Mrs. Fraser and Miss Quirk have been
spending the past week in Weymouth, with
their sister, Mrs. George Hoyt.
Mrs. Dann and daughter, of Brooklyn,
New York, spent a few days during the week
at the home of Rev. J. R. Hart.
Mr. and Mrs. Silas Whitman and daughter
Clara, attended the Baptist Convention held
in St. John during the past week.
Miss Nellie Robbins, daughter of F. K.
Robbins of the Yarmouth Steamship Co.,
is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Reed.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles DeWitt and family,
who have been spending a fortnight in Kings

who have been spending a fortnight in Kings Co., are back again at the Grand Central. Mrs. Lizzie Carey, daughter of Mr. W. H. Ray, who has been visiting her cousin, Mrs. Fletcher Bent, of Paradise, has returned

Mrs. Fred Mayberry, of Roxbury, Mass., formerly Miss Lizzie Eagleson of this town, is at present spending a few weeks at her old home.

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Mr. and Mrs. Batting, nee Miss Emma Munro, of Malden, Mass., who have been spending a week with W. H. MacKenzie, return home to-day via Halifax.

Mr. Benj. A. Lockhart, a Boston lawyer, formerly of Lockhartville, Kings Co., was here last week en route for his old home. He is making the trip on his wheel.

Mrs. R. S. McCormick, who has been spending several weeks in Halifax, returned on Thursday last and on Saturday following left for Digby, where she will in future reside.

Mrs. Fred Primrose and children are guests at the home of Mr. J. G. H. Parker, Dr. Primrose having left on Monday for Halifax, where it is now his intention to take up his residence permanently in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Colbath and daughters, of Dover, N. H., and Mrs. M. L. Nutter, of Everett, Mass., left yesterday for their respective homes. Mrs. A. E. Hatch accompanied them and will visit her daughter, Mrs. Colbath, for a few weeks.

Mr. Murray Chute, after a month's visit with his account March Mrs.

ter, Mrs. Colbath, for a few weeks.

Mr. Murray Chute, after a month's visit
with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jarvis Chute,
left on Wednesday last for Boston, to resume
his duties under the employ of the West End
Car company. His brother, Mr. Burpee
Chute, in the employ of the same company,
having also spent a month with his relatives,
returned yesterday, his wife and children
remaining here for a few weeks longer.

Tea-Meeting at Lake Clear. The tea-meeting at Lake Clear, Dalhousie West, on the 18th inst., in aid of the building fund of the new Episcopal Church at that place, proved to be a great success, the gross amount realized being about two hundred and twenty five dollars. Tables were laid in the new church building, and fairly groaned under the weight and abundance of good things spread thereon to refresh the inner man; flowers and decorations lent their charm to the scene. Vigorous appetites abarpened by the journey and fresh air enabled visitors to thoroughly enjoy a most substantial and excellent repast.

The eleceased was 24 years old and went to Lynn when quite a small boy. He was a brother of Mr. Fred Walker, formerly of Lawrencetown.

—Mr. F. L. Milner, the local agent of the New York Life Insurance Co., has received application blanks, rates, etc., for the policy holders of the defunct Massachusetts Benefit Life Association, to renew their insur-

nce with the New York Life.

—The Minister of Militia has issued an order that all railways shall carry troops, stores, etc., at certain fixed rates. This is a step that will effect a saving of some \$20,000 per year to the country but will constitute an unpleasant job for the railway.

—The Bridgetown schools re-opened on Monday with 45 pupils in the advanced department, 25 in the preparavory, 46 in the intermediate and 40 in the primary. Miss Manthorne has charge of the department taught by Miss Spurr last term.

—Lawrencetown will scon have an execution of the sold of the Church of England in Canada. Rev. Rural Dean deligible the state of the country at his sent own the pretty lake. The country at this particular spot is very pretty and in many ways attractive as a resort for picnickers and social gatherings; there is a wealth of green fields, trees, groves and lake scenery. The old church standing on a slight eminence just across the street in this country, erected for the use of the original settlers and social gatherings; there is a wealth of green fields, trees, groves and lake scenery. The old church standing on a slight eminence just across the street hourch of the original settlers and social gatherings; there is a wealth of green fields, trees, groves and lake scenery. The old church standing on a slight eminence just across the street is a wealth of green fields, trees, groves and lake scenery. The old church standing on a slight eminence just across the street is a wealth of green fields, trees, groves and lake scenery. The old church standing on a slight eminence just across the street is a wealth of green fields, trees, groves and lake scenery. The old church standing on a slight eminence just across the street is a wealth of green fields, trees, groves and lake scenery. The old church standing on a slight eminence just across the street is a wealth of green fields, trees, groves and lake scenery. The old church standing on a slight eminence just across the street is a wealth of green fields, tree ministered to by priests of the Church of England in Canada. Rev. Rural Dean de-Blois is the present Rector and William

Interdenominational County Sunday School

The 24th annual meeting of this association The 24th annual meeting of this association will be held (D. V.) at Granville Ferry on Tuesday, Sept. 14th, commencing at 9 30 a.m. The executive have arranged a program which they believe will be practical, interesting and profitable, and cordially invite all in the county who are interested in S. S. work to attend. Delegates who send their names one week before the meeting to H. M. Irvine will be provided with entertainment. A printed blank for report on a post card, a copy of the program and a circular from the Provincial S. S. Association have been mailed to each Sunday School in the county. If any school has not received the county. If any school has not received a copy another will be mailed immediately on application to the County Secretary As this organization is affiliated with the As this organization is affiliated with the International S. S. Convention, which compiles S. S. statistics for the whole world, it is necessary—to secure correct figures—that every school fill out the report and mail to the County Secretary. We believe that it is to their interest denomination will receive full credit for S. S. work done. Therefore we earnestly request that every person receiving the blank will fill it out and mail it at once, not waiting for a more convenient it at once, not waiting for a more convenient season. As this will cost nothing but a few

season. As this will cost nothing but a few scratches of the pen we are convinced that few if any will refuse, even if they don't wish to recognize the Convention in any other way. This Convention aims to place within the reach of every S. S. worker in the county the best methods of work tested by prominent S. S. men.

In behalf of the Executive Committee,

C. F. ARMSTRONG, Cor. Secty.
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There was a quiet, pretty wedding in Providence Methodist Church on the evening of Wednesday, Aug. 18th, when Miss Hattie, eldest daughter of Mr. Warnford Dodge of this town was united in marriage to Mr. Joseph Chitley of St. John, N. B. The bride was attired in cream cashmere trimmed with tulle, and was attended by her sister Miss Cora who looked very pretty in a dress of pink cashmere trimmed with pink ribbon. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. H. Strothard. The church had been prettily decorated for the occasion with flowers under the direction of Mrs. N. E. Chute. After the ceremony a number of the friends of the bride and groom repaired to the home of the bride's parents where light refreshments were served.

Mr. W. D. Lockett, one of our most prominent young merchants, left on Monday for Charlottetown, P. E. I., where he will participate to day in a happy event, in consequence of which he will return a Benedict, Miss Ada Lawson, of Charlottetown, becoming his bride. Miss Lawson is well and favorably known in Bridgetown, having visited here last summer. The congratulations and best wishes of our townspeople in general are extended.

—The shipments of coal from the several colleries of the Dominion Coal Coy., for July amounted to no less than 173,000 tons, the the largest output so far.

The three and four year old races of the

The three and four year old races of the maritime colt stakes were trotted at Amherst Wednesday afternoon. In the first the starters were Wilmont, owned by J. A. Leaman, Halifax; Lina Bell, owned by Dr. Jolioceur, Quebec; and Hazen Gay, owned by J. R. Lamy, Amherst. The first heat was taken by Lina Bell, but Wilmont won the second and third heate and the race; best time 2.30. This lowers the three year old record, the best previous time being 2.31.

The four year old starters were Virginia J., Button, Flashlight and Nora Nelson. The first heat was Button's in 2 26 3-4, but Flashlight took the three succeeding heats. Virginia J. took second and Button third.

The 3 minute stakes, the 2.45 pace, and the 2.30 trot were pulled of on Thursday. Below is the summary.

Three minute stake, \$227.75; mile heats, Below is the summary.

Three minute stake, \$227.75; mile heats, three in five, Simon, W. J. McLeod, Summerside, distanced; Mary Lee, J. F. Watson, St. John, 4, 3, distanced; Ben Prophet, W. Bradley, Monoton, distanced; Abbie L., Captain Lawrence, Maitland, 3 distanced; Sharon, C. J. Ward, St. John, 2, 2, 2; Alix T., John McCoy, Fredericton, 1, 1, 1. Time 2, 30, 20, 20, 20, 20

Sharon, C. J. Ward, St. John, 2, 2, 2; Alix T., John McCoy, Fredericton, 1, 1, 1. Time, 2.30, 2.29 3-4, 2.28 3-4.

2.45 Pace.—Stake, \$213 75; mile heats, three in five—1st, Curtis T., W. C. Trenholm, Port Elgin, 1, 1, 1; 2nd, Minnie Warren, P. Carroll, Truro. 2, 2, 2; 3rd, Darkey, J. A. Leaman & Co., Halifax, 3, 3, 3; 4th, Kitty Clyde, J. F. Watson, St. John, 4, dis.; 5th, Annie T., John McCoy, Fredericton dis.; time, 2.32, 2.35 1-2, 2.29 3-4.

2.30 Class.—Ajalon, jr., 2.30; blk. 8., by Ajalon, James Nass, Lunepburg, 3, 4, 8; Orion, 2.34, b.g., by Peter Blair, W. G. Calhoun, Amherst, 4, 3, 3; Mary Mack, 2.30, by Dean Swift, J. F. Watson, St. John, 2, 2, 2; Adrienne, 2.30, b. m., by Allie Clay, Dr. Jolicoeur, Quebec, 8, 8, 6; Kickapoo, 2.29 1-4, b. s., by Preceptor, J. R. Lamy, Amherst, 7, 7, 5; Loafer 2.30, b. g., by French Lion, P. Carroll, Truro, 5, 6, 4; Calcandre, b. s., by Turner, John McCoy, Fredericton, 1, 1, 1; Bijou, 2.30, b. g., by Administrator, W. A. Henderson, Sussex, 6, 5, 7; time, 2.25, 25 1-4, 26 1-4.

—There were thirty-one business failures reported in the Dominion last week, against thirty-five in the corresponding week a year

-Forest residence and grounds in Bedford Basin, Halifax Co., have been sold to John S. Middlemore, of Birmingham, England, for a receiving home for immigrant children.

—Geo. Munroe, the millionaire publisher of New York, and J. R. Caryell, the author, are spending some weeks visiting Cape Bre-ton, whipping the fishing pools in Inverness

churches in Nova Scotia and New Brunswick will meet to day in Amherst. Bishop Grant, of Philadelphia, will preside. The session is likely to last for one week.

—An extraordinary find of gold was made last Thursday in the old Simon Kaye mine at Montsgue. One shot will realize \$1,200. One piece of quartz was two-thirds gold, worth three hundred dollars. The find has created a sensation. The lead is only seventeen feet from the surface. —Sir Louis Davies, the Canadian Minister of Marine, last week addressed the Canadian section of the London chamber of commerce

on the commercial relations between Canada and the British empire. He warned investors and intending emigrants against the Klondyke cr. ze. —A number of fruit growers arrived in the city yesterday from Falmouth, Wolfville, Berwick and Annapolis. They report at this date a careful estimate of crops as folows: Apples, not more than one fourth plums, under a quarter and chiefly in one variety, and, like strawberries, their market season will be exceedingly short; pear average. - Halifax Chronicle.

New Advertisements.

NOTICE

ALL COUNTY RATES in Wards 4 and 5 remaining unpaid by September 15th will be collected by process of law. ELIAS MESSENGER, August 25th, 1897.-1i

CAUTION! having and network of the Note of Hand for Sixty Nine Dollars payable to the Wrought Iron Range Company and purporting to be signed by me, as no value was given therefor, and it was not signed by me or with my authority.

LEMUEL MESSENGER. EXECUTOR'S NOTICE! ALL persons having legal demands against the estate of EMILY MESSENGER, late MANLEY BENSON F

# My New

Ladies' Undervests from 16c to Gents' Underwear.

Blankets, Hosiery, Gloves, and many other things Also just arriving a case of Ready-made Clothing which will be sold low.

Ladies' Wrapperette Goods,

other case of Mahogany and Oak Clocks at \$3.00. They must be seen to be appreciated, and another lot of Tinware, 14 pieces for \$1.00. Give me a call.

Yours for business MRS. WOODBURY. New Advertisements

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NOTICE THE DELINQUENT RATEPAYERS of PARADISE SCHOOL SECTION, No. 28, will please take notice that all school Taxes remaining unpaid after the 1st day of September next, will be left for collection.

To Farm Owners in Nova Scotia. WANTED!

LAWRENCETOWN Water Works Tenders for Construction.

TENDERS for excavating reservoir and constructing dam, trenching, hauling and laying pipe and back filling for the Lawrencetown Water System System will be received by the Secretary until 2 o'cleck. p.m., on Saturday, August 28th, 1897, form of contract, plans and specifications to be seen at the office of the Secretary.

The Commissioners do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.

N. H. PHINNEY, JOHN HALL, J. N. MORGAN, J. N. MORGAN, Secty. and Treasu Lawrencetown, August 17th, 1897. THE

CHEESE MARKET

Advancing!

You can keep up the flow of milk by feeding your cows a little Bran.

It will pay you to do it.

We have a carload now due which we will sell away down from the car for

Don't fail to get our E. E. & SCHAFFNER.

High-class Family::

Grocers:: Meats, Fish, Fruits,

Vegetables Tea, Coffee, Chocolate, Cocoa and Broma we handle the best that money

can buy. Orange Cider on draught, Lime Juice, Fruit Syrups, Maple Syrup,

Ginger Syrup. Pure Gold Essences and strictly Pure Spices.

American Sweet and Sou Pickles in bulk. Fresh Fruits, Vegetables, Tam-irands, Biscuits, Confec-

tionery, Nuts, etc.

CROWE & PARKER.



Thursday, Aug. 26th, 1897

Entries for 2.50 Class, Trot and Pace. - Purse, \$150.00 ....E. P. BOWLES, Wolfville
.T. B. MESSENGER, Wolfville
.W. D. SHEEHAN, Bridgetown
.FRANK FOWLER, Bridgetown
.JOHN HALL, Lawrencetown
.J. A. LEAMAN & CO., Halifax
Z. S. BANKS, South Farmington Z. S. BANKS, South Farmington
J. D. ANSLEY, Kentville
ARTHUR MARSHALL, Clarence

J. R. PUDSEY, Secty.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

ON ALL LINES OF

Summer Goods! It would take up too much space to attempt to enumerate the

large variety of goods embodied in this great discount sale. REMEMBER 75c. will purchase \$1.00 worth of goods,

the original prices of which were extremely low. Our prices and values this year have been convincing to our customers what prompt pay will do in meeting foreign competition. Our Ladies' Blouse Waists were acknowledged to be

the best make and values in the trade. Nevertheless, we will include the balance on hand in this discount sale. \$1.00 Blouse Waists. 75c Blouse Waists, Reduced to 56c 67c Blouse Waists, Reduced to 50c

A few Ladies' Capes, extra quality, reduced to just half price. Dress Goods, Challies, etc., etc., 75e. on the \$1.00.

Special Discount on Ready-made

Clothing and Carpets. \$1.00 Carpets reduced to 75c 75c. Carpets reduced to 56c., and so on down to 15c per yd

Lace Curtains from 35c.

Extra Value for \$1 25 to \$1 50

A few Blouse Waists,

## 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, Extra Value for \$1.10 and \$1.20, -

Marked for this safe only 85c

Choice of the lot for only \$1.00

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

Our 95c. Cape, Marked for this sale at 70c each Our \$1.25 Cape, -Marked for this sale at 95c each Our 1.30 Cape, -Marked for this sale at \$1.00 aach Our 1.50 Cape, -Marked for this sale at 1.15 each Our 1.80 Cape, -Marked for this sale at 1.30 each Our 1.95 Cape, -Marked for this sale at 1.40 each Our 2.05 Cape, -Marked for this sale at 1.50 each Our 3.35 Cape, Marked for this sale at 2.50 each

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

### GRAND RACE MEETING PRINTS, SEERSUCKER and FLANNELETTE GOODS

	pieces	LIGHT	AND DA	RK PRINT		-		Former Price.	Reduced to
23	"	"	66	**	-	-	-	9c.	70
23	"	"	66	66		-	-	10c.	7½c
21	"	46	"	. "	-	-	-	14c.	10c
3	"	SEERS	UCKER,	-			-	8c.	60
25	14	FLANN	ELETTE	FANCY S	TRIPES	, 32-in.	wide,	10c.	7½c

## SHIRTS

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

Several lines of Dress Goods, Capes, Gloves, Parasols, Hose, Waists, etc., ~ which will be closed out at very low prices to make room for

JOHN LOCKETT & SEN.