

## LOCAL AND SPECIAL

The skating rink opened for the season on Saturday night.

A story from the pen of Mrs. Sarah J. H. Healy will appear in next issue.

The ice stuck and held fast in the river on Thursday night, the 28th ult for the first time this season.

Purple pansies bloomed in the garden of Mrs. I. B. Freeman on Dec. 28th with summerlike freshness.

S. B. Chute, Berwick, so it is reported, has been offered for his orchard property \$100,000 by an English syndicate.

The dedicatory services of the new Methodist church at Annapolis, a splendid brick structure, took place last Sunday.

A sketch of the industrial progress of Bridgetown for the year just closed will appear in next issue of the Monitor-Sentinel.

The Royal Hotel at Wolfville, which changed hands during the past year, has again been taken charge of by Mr. and Mrs. Beckwith.

The Boston recently took a cargo of 1021 crates of live lobsters from Yarmouth to Boston which sold at \$16 for large and \$10 for medium.

The children of St. James' Sunday school and congregation are to have a New Year magic lantern party this (Wednesday) evening in their school room at seven o'clock.

In view of the approaching week of prayer the services in the churches on Sunday evening will be preparatory to the meetings. The pastors of the churches will preach on the subject of Prayer.

Mr. Harry Dickie and family leave for Bridgetown within the next few days; They leave a host of friends who sincerely regret their departure. Says the Berwick correspondent of the Kentville Chronicle.

The three scows which drifted ashore at Hampton during the storm of October 6th have been inspected by Deputy-Supt. of dredging, J. L. McMurray. Two were condemned, the other is to be sent to St. John for repairs.

The several students of Bridgetown at the various colleges, including Misses Bishop, Cochrane, Lloyd, Chute, and Messrs Craig, Graves, Salter, Phinney and Ruggles, enjoyed the holidays at their respective homes here.

Owing to alterations being made in the Nickel Theatre, for the present, and until further notice, the management will show on three nights per week only, viz: Monday, Thursday and Saturday. Complete change of pictures each night.

Kenneth Dodge, while travelling recently in the vicinity of Berwick where scarlet fever is epidemic, contracted a mild type of that disease, and is ill at his home here. The town authorities promptly quarantined the house to prevent contagion.

R. J. Messenger, president of the N. S. Fruit Growers' Association, is spending the week in Truro, where he is lecturing for classes at the Agricultural College. An increasing number of students are taking advantage of the various courses. Every farmer should have at least one son or daughter, who would profit by such instruction.

A Halifax despatch says:—Grove Presbyterian church, Halifax has decided to call Rev. J. W. Cranford, of Windsor, to fill the vacancy caused by Rev. J. P. Dugan's removal to Bridgetown. It is a coincidence that Mrs. Cranford is a sister of Mrs. Dugan, both being sisters of Professor MacGregor, of the University of Edinburgh.

Mr. W. H. Morse, business teacher of the Acadia Business School, a department of Horton Collegiate Academy, was again remembered at the Christmas closing by the class presenting him with a suitably engraved gold watch, fob. Mr. Morse is a thorough and painstaking teacher and qualified for the position he fills. We congratulate him on the place he has won in the estimation of the students.—Acadian.

Chief of police Davis at Kentville on Sunday arrested a man called George Walsh, who was wanted on a charge of assault at Brickton. Walsh denied the charge, but was lodged in jail at Kentville and on Tuesday was brought to Bridgetown for a preliminary trial. Mr. Norman Burbridge and wife are the plaintiffs in the case. A brutal attack was made upon Mrs. Burbridge while she was at home in the afternoon alone, with only an infant in her arms, and the full penalty of the law should be executed.

## PERSONAL

Mrs. George Taylor is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. Ruggles.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Turner spent New Year's Day in Annapolis.

Miss Angie James has returned from an extended visit with friends in Halifax.

Miss Hattie Jost has gone to New York for a special course in missionary training.

Mrs. John MacDonald is visiting her mother, Mrs. Forsyth, who has been quite ill.

Mrs. X. Skinner and Miss Lottie West, of Aylesford, are guests of Miss Ina Durling.

Mr. J. M. Fulmer arrived from Moncton, N. B., to spend Christmas here with his family.

Sheriff and Mrs. Rockwell, of Kentville made a holiday visit to their daughter, Mrs. Fowler.

Town Clerk Carroll and Mrs. Carroll of Kentville were holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Reed.

Misses Alice and Hazel Harris, of Bear River were guests of Mrs. Forrest Connell over the holidays.

Misses Mary and Marguerite Palfrey went to Lawrencetown yesterday to visit their aunt, Mrs. Walter Palfrey.

Jacob E. Whitman, our former townsman, has been appointed deputy Commissioner of Crown Lands for the Province.

Dr. W. H. Beckwith, Mrs. Beckwith and Charlie were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Beckwith over the New Year.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Bowles of Grafton and little daughter were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Chesley over Christmas.

Mr. Frank Dodge has secured the position of commercial traveller for the well-known firm of Hall and Fairweather, St. John.

Rev. A. N. Marshall has returned to Winnipeg, accompanied by his little daughter, who has been the guest of her grandparents.

The many friends of Dr. L. R. Morse will be pleased to learn he will return to Lawrencetown this month to attend to his practice.

The Misses May and Almada Jackson have been spending the holidays with their parents at Carleton's Corner. The latter returned to Melvern Square yesterday.

Dr. L. St. Clair Saunders arrived from Calgary on a holiday visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Saunders, Lawrencetown. Returning, he was accompanied to his western home by his father.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Nelly went to Lawrencetown on Saturday, where they spent an enjoyable holiday visit with their former pastor, Rev. H. G. Mellick, and his estimable wife. Rev. Mr. Mellick was a former pastor of the Baptist church in Regina, of which Mr. and Mrs. Nelly are members and the reunion was mutually happy.

## NOTICE.

The "after-the-holidays" rush has compelled us to hold over some important advertising matter, which will appear in next week's issue and will be of great interest to our local readers. Strong and Whitman and C. B. Longmire will offer some attractive bargains in their special lines.

## EASTERN STEAMSHIP MERGER COMPLETED.

Three Large Companies Now Consolidated into One Corporation.

Boston, Jan. 1.—The consolidation of the Eastern, Metropolitan and Maine Steamship Companies into one corporation, became effected today, no protests being made by Mayor Fitzgerald and others. The properties are now owned by the Eastern Steamship Corporation.

President Calvin Austin has appointed O. H. Taylor, passenger traffic manager of all the properties and George W. Sterling, freight traffic manager.

A drowning accident from skating through thin ice occurred near Lunenburg on New Year's night. Kenneth Wentzel who was skating on Wentzel's Lake with a number of other youths broke through and was drowned before his companions could rescue him.

The tragic death of a Dartmouth young man, Wilbert P. Newcombe, well-known as a commercial traveller took place on the afternoon of New Year's Day in the woods near his home, while shooting with a party of friends. While separated from his friends his gun was discharged partially blowing off the unfortunate young man's head. It is thought that in crossing a stream he slipped and fell thus discharging his gun. He was at home on a holiday visit to his mother who is a widow.

**Shiloh's Cure**  
quickly stops coughs, cures colds, heals the throat and lungs. 25 cents.

## THE TRAVELLER'S LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF CANADA

Authorized Capital - \$1,000,000  
HEAD OFFICE  
69 Notre Dame Street West  
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Most liberal policy on the market.

The only Canadian Life Company protecting against total disability by guaranteeing to continue the policy in full force and effect without cost to the insured.

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H. L. COLE, Kentville  
Local Agent, E. P. COLDWELL

## NURSERY STOCK

Before ordering trees write us for our Catalogue and prices or see our nearest agent. We are the largest growers of trees in Canada. Full line of Apples, Peach, Pear, Cherry and Plum trees. Our trees are noted for fine root system and largest limb growth. Our nurseries are patronized by the largest and most progressive growers of Canada. Write for agency.

BROWN BROS. CO. NURSERYMEN, Limited.  
Brown's Nurseries, Welland Co., Ontario.

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ALL HATS**  
Trimmed or Untrimmed  
—AT—  
**Misses  
Dearness & Phalen**

**Cut Out** and mail us this ad. with \$5.00 and we will send you by freight, one Golden Oak Bedstead, with woven wire Spring, and soft-top Mattress to fit. All 4 ft. wide by 6 ft. long. Illustrated Furniture Catalogue FREE. Read our next ad.

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## TOWN OF BRIDGETOWN

## STREET NOTICE.

The attention of the residents and store-keepers of the town are hereby specially directed, to the following By-Law of the Town and I am instructed by the Committee on streets to give notice that in future all persons found breaking the same will be proceeded against without notice, by the policeman.

The Street Committee are trying to improve the appearance of the town by improving the streets, and the chairman has been spending a lot of time superintending the work but certain persons will insist upon throwing rubbish on the streets which is very unsightly, and the Committee are determined to stop it.

The following is the By-Law, Sec. "No person shall deposit ashes, garbage or rubbish on any road, street, lane, sidewalk or other public place in the Town."  
"Any person who shall violate the foregoing by-law shall forfeit and pay to the Town of Bridgetown the sum of two dollars for each such offence, and in default of payment thereof shall be liable to be imprisoned in the common gaol for a period not exceeding twenty days."

By order of Street Committee.  
H. RUGGLES, Town Clerk.  
Dated December 18th, 2 ins.

## Classified ADVERTISEMENTS

TRANSIENT RATES: 10c. a line; Three consecutive issues will be charged as two. Minimum charge, 25c.

## Business Notices

CATTLE advertised last week still for sale by T.A. NEILY, Bridgetown

Dr V.D. Shaffner will be in his dental office at Lawrencetown until January 15th.

Mrs. Turner is offering GREAT BARGAINS to clear stock at Masonic Building.

When looking for NICE CHOCOLATES go to MRS. TURNER'S.

## NOTICE

HAIR WORK DONE at Round Hill. Will make combings or cut hair into Puffs, Transformations, and Switches. Terms moderate. Satisfaction guaranteed. Mail orders promptly attended to. Address: MISS GEORGINA BANCROFT, Round Hill, Anns. Co.

Good CREAM, 2 lbs., 25c., at MRS. T. A. NEILY, the

## For Sale

MILL MACHINERY FOR SALE. One return tubular boiler, 45 h.p., (brick set) one Leonard clipper engine, 35 h.p., Rotary, Head Turner, Saws and Beltlog, etc. Machinery to equip an up-to-date mill. Also one 10 h.p. prairie Thresher. Apply to N. I. DANIELS, N. E. DANIELS, West Paradise, Dec. 25th 2 ins.

DESIRABLE MILL PROPERTY. A good up-to-date Steam Saw Mill with rotary and stave and heading machinery in good condition. Included with said property house and barn close to mill. For particulars address owner on premises. G. W. LANTZ, Tupperville, Nov. 27th, 2 mos.

## Butter Wrappers

## Best German Parchment

An increasing number of customers among our farmer constituency are giving us their orders for printed butter wrappers.

If you make good butter you will profit if the purchaser recognizes your package by the imprint on the wrapper.

## Send us a Trial Order

## Printed Butter Wrappers

500 sheets, 2 lb. size 2.50  
1000 " 2 " " 3.25

500 sheets, 1 lb. size 2.00  
1000 " 1 " " 2.50

## Unprinted Parchment

250 sheets, 2 lb. size .50  
600 " 2 " " 1.00  
1000 " 2 " " 1.50

300 sheets, 1 lb. size .50  
800 " 1 " " 1.00  
1000 " 1 " " 1.25

**Fishing For Dollars**  
Are you satisfied with the catch?  
Are you using the best bait?  
Classified Want Ads in this paper bring results.

Mexico was shaken by an earthquake. A few flimsy Mexican buildings were thrown, telegraph, telephone and electric wires were snapped and for a while the city was without light and electric power.

Minard's Liniment cures Diphtheria.

WE wish our friends and customers a happy and prosperous New Year and thank them most heartily for their valued and liberal patronage during the year 1911 which has increased our business beyond all previous records.

**J. W. BECKWITH.**

For  
**Typewriter Satisfaction**  
Buy An  
**L.C. Smith & Bros. Typewriter.**

Ball-bearings at every wearing point,—650 in all. Anti-friction roller-bearings to insure easy-action,—over 50.

Resulting in the durability, and easy action, for which this machine is famous. Get our X-Ray Booklet.

**SOULIS-NEWSOME**  
**Typewriter Co., Ltd.**  
HALIFAX : ST. JOHN.

Minard's Liniment Cures Garget in Cows.

One and all we tender our Sincere Good Wishes for a Happy New Year.

**Gilbert E. Hartt**

WE wish to thank our many patrons for favors during the year now drawing to a close and extend our Best Wishes for Health and increased Prosperity in 1912.

**C. L. PIGGOTT, QUEEN STREET.**

**ALL GOOD WISHES  
—FOR—  
THE NEW YEAR.**

WE thank you for your support during the year of 1911—which has been the best since our incorporation. We solicit your continued patronage, and good will for 1912, and assure you of our careful attention at all times.

Yours faithfully,  
**EDWARD A. HICKS,  
HENRY B. HICKS.**

**J. H. HICKS & SONS**