NEWS FROM ALL OVER THE COUNTY.

ices Sunday, May 31st, Baptist 11 a. m., Rev. Archibald; Episcopal 3 p. m., Rev. Webster; Methodist 11 a. m., Rev. Gaetz. A large number of fishermen have been here of late and more expected this week. Dr. Gow, of Halifax, form-erly of this county, was here last

Mrs. W. E. Half and clinited at spending the week at Clarence West. Mrs. W. R. Prince has been at Hali-fav visiting her mother, Mrs. Stev-ens, who has been ill. We hear that she is much improved.

among friends.
W. E. Palfrey and F. W. Steadman have returned from a fishing trip and were very successful.
H. H. Whitman, who has been south fishing, has our thanks for some fine treat.

week.

We are pleased to see our flag flying from the schoolhouse daily. This is right and we should see it more from residences.

J. Hawkesworth has been remodelling and enlarging his house by adding new bay windows.

H. H. Whitman is on a business trip to St. John this week.

Victoria Day was observed quietly here. Stores were closed, as well as the schools.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Jarvis have removed to Mt. Hope, and have purchased a farm there from Dr. Morse.
F. A. Mulhall has closed up his meat and fish market here.
At the present time of writing there is a large fire raging to the south of Mt. Hope. There is a fear that the homes of the people there will be in danger unless the wind changes or a heavy rain comes.

Mrs. Ernest Balcom and children, of Paradise, are visiting at Mrs. N. B. Dunn's.

Mr. Dexter Jarvis has purchased the farm formerly owned by Dr. L. R. Morse.

Miss. Ethel Whitman spent last week There was a large manner of the Methodist church vestry on Monday evening.

Rev. Archibald still remains in a critical condition. His three sons are

ROUND HILL.

Wedding bells will soon be heard. Mrs. A. M. Shawand daughter, Josephine, of Annapolis, spent Sunday

Miss Florence Buckler and Miss Jennie McKay, of Annapolis, spent Victoria Day with Helena Purdie.
Mrs. Andrew LeCain is visiting her daughter, Mrs. (Dr.) Primrose, at Bridgetown.
Bridgetown.
Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Healy attended Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Healy attended The Mrs. (Dr.) Primrose, at Bridgetown.
The funeral service was controlled to the church up to the end. He mad a living hope and an unfaltering trust in the Saviour. Of the original family of nine children but three survive: a brother John. of the United States, a larother Jacob, of this place and a sister, Mrs. Rice Daniels, of Lawrence-town.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Healy attended Councillor Bath's funeral at Bridgetown on Saturday last.

Mailman Bros, of Milford, moved their mill here last week, where they expect a cut of one hundred and fifty thousand feet of lumber.

Mrs. E. D. Purdie and daughter Helena, who have been visiting friends in Bridgetown returned on Thursday last.

last.

Mr. Reginald Dargie, who has been employed by Mr. F. M. Armstrong in his mill at Argyle, met with the painful misfortune of having a log roll on his ankle, badly jamming and breaking it. It will probably be some weeks before he can be out again.

A club known and gazetted as the Round Hill Civilian Rifle Association, was organized April 16th with sixty four members. The following officers were elected:—(Rev.) R. Atkinson Smith, Capt., Percy F. Banerolt, Lieut. and Sect., Edwin G. Anderson 2nd Lieut. and Treasurer, W. A. Bailey and H. B. Whitman, Committee. Their range has cost them one hundred

over Sunday.
Capt. Jos. Brinton is at home again.
Mr. and Mrs. Ldwards and children,
of Halifax, are visiting her mother,
Mrs. Freeman Brinton. laid up from a bruise on his leg received from a knot flying from the timber he was hewing; is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Sands Armstrong, of Mr. Hanley, were in the congregation on Sunday last.

Mr. William Starratt, of Wollaston, Mass., is visiting here for the present.

Mr. and Mrs. McNayr, of Lawrencetown, were the guests of Mrs. Mary Dalton on Sunday last.

PARADISE. Rev. Calder filled the pulpit appoint-Service on 31st inst. will be at 11 a.

Rev. R. J. Colpitts, who has been visiting his classmate, Mr. W. H. Longley, gave an interesting address before the B. Y. P. U. on Sunday before the B. Y. P. C. on Sunday evening, 24th inst. A meeting of the Agricultural Soci-ety will be held on Thursday evening, 28th, at 8 p. m. The members are re-quested to attend this meeting as some Miss Myrtle Starratt, of Morden, The fire on the South Mountain is till burning and threatens to ravage the fine wood and timber lots owned by the residents of the south side of

HAMPTON. Mr. Andrew Bogart, of New York, crived here on Saturday last and is rrived here on Saturday last and is aking his home with his uncle, Mr. ohn B. Templeman. Arthur Hall, of Brockton, is visiting dley Brinton has gone to St. m. to ship.

illie Mitchell has gone to Boston
try his luck in the land of Uncle
n.

veral of our fishermen have caught
e fine halibut lately.

bisters are quite plenty and prices
ruling high, count lobsters being
h fifteen cents apiece.

M. K. Elliott, of Lequille, has been
at home for a few days.

Miss Etta Elliott, of Middleton, was
at home over Sunday.

Mr. N. B. Foster has a pair of fat
three year old steens that are considered to be the best in the county.

Miss Florence Boland is spending a
week in Yarmouth.

BEAR RIVER. (Telephone.)

m., Rev. Archibald; Episcopal L., Rev. Webster; Methodist 11 a. ev. Gaetz.
J. B. Hall is spending a few here.
(Rev.) Lew Wallace, of New is spending a few weeks as the of her mother.

Nellie Morse has returned to to resume her duties and as an urse.

G. C. Lew was a companied as far as Yarmouth by Mr. Miler.

The property of the pro

Mr. Miller.

Dr. and Mrs. L. J. Lovett are receiving the congratulations of their friends on the birth of a little daughter on Saturday the 16th inst.

Mrs. W. A. DeLap, of Lower Granville, accempanied her husband, Capt. DeLap from Annapolis in the schoooner V. T. H., and has been visiting friends here.

The marriage of Miss Josephine Crou.e., database of Mr. Wallace Crouse, and Dr. Stanley B. McGregor, takes place at Smith's Cove to-day. Fire has been menacing Messrs. Clarke Bros. & Miller's lumber at Sundown this week. A crowd of men were on hand yesterday to fight it.

Mrs. Fleet with her family is enjoying a visit from her daughter, Mrs. Boody and her husband, C. F. Boody, of Boston, Mass. They arrived a week ago. ago.
Foster's wharf at the rear of the Clifton House, has been new topped, and other repairs made preparatory to being used by Clarke Bros. for the shipment of their lumber.
Miss May Dunn left for Hantsport Saturday, where she will finish out the term for one of the teachers tof the Hantsport school, of which Mr. W. J. Shields is principal. Shields is principal.

The death of Rev. Warren L. Parker, which occurred at his home in Hill Grove, Digby County, at 3 o'clock Wednesday morning after a short, but painful illness. The deceased was born in Nictaux, Annapolis County, June 9th, 1828, and had therefore nearly reached his seventy-fifth birthday.

Owing to the dry weather the forest fires are still raging.

Mr. Zebulon Durling, who injured his knee while at work on the reservoir, is slowly improving.

Miss Ida Banks gave a birthday party on the 23rd, at which were a number of her young friends who celebrated her eleventh anniversary.

Mrs. Ernest Balcom and children, of Paradise, are visiting at Mrs. N. B. Dunn's.

Lawrencetown.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Beals are visiting their daughter, Mrs. H. Bowles, of Centreville, Kings Co.

Mr. Caleb Beals, for many years a Mr. Caleb Beals, for many years a well-known and respected citizen of Inglisville, died on May 13th at the age of 72. He was the son of Elijah Beals of this vicinity. He married Eliza, daughter of Benjamin Whitman, by whom he had four sons, Messrs. Henry, Milledge, Arthur and Benjamin, and one daughter, Mrs. William Balcom of Clarence, all of whom survive him. For many years he showed signs of failing health. The effect of the malady became gradually more apparent. Though he suffered long and severely yet we heard not one complaint. He bore it bravely and patiently un-

town. The funeral service was conducted by Rev. Joseph Gaetz, who spoke beautifully from the words, "And in their mouth was found no guile; for they are without fault before the throne of God." His body was inerred in the Whitman cemetery.

Miss Lalla Gardiner, of Bridgetown, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Grimm during the first of the week.
Mr. Clinton Roop, of Bridgewater, spent the 25th at his home.

Among visitors in town on Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Phinney and children, of Lawrencetown, at Mr.

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and children, of Lawrencetown, at Mr.
W. L. Saunders'; Miss Ina Prince, of
Lunenburg, at Mr. C. L. Davis'; Mr.
Alfred Charlton, of Port Lorne, at Mr.
William Charlton's.
Mr. Richard Grimm, of Yarmouth, is

2nd Lieut. and Treasurer, W. A. Bailey and H. B. Whitman, Committee.
Their range has cost them one hundred and fifty dollars and Major LeCain of the 69th says that when completed it will be one of the finest in the province. The secretary has already received the rifles and ammunition for the association. The range will be opened for shooting on Saturday afternoon, May 30th.

PORT LORNE.

Services for Sunday, May 31st, Hampton, 10.30 a. m., Port Lorne, 7 p, m.

Miss Alma Sabean, teacher at Phinney Cove, was visiting friends here

LOWER GRANVILLE:

Mr. James Johnson has purchased pending the winter in Savannah, Ga., with her sons returned home on Fri-

meumonia.

Capt. C. H. Ryder is having a welling house constructed.

Mrs. Lucy Peek and her little child are suffering from an attack of la grippe.
Schooner Genesta, Capt. Holmes, arrived from Boston on Sunday evening.

BELLEISLE. Mrs. (Rev.) William H. Crowell, o George Gesner, son of John B. Gesner, injured his hand very badly last week at the saw mill. A piece of timber fell on it.

We are very sorry to know that Councillor L. D. Gesner is confined to his home, very seriously indisposed and has been for some weeks past. We indeed hope to hear of a change for the better in the case soon.

Mrs. Watson Kent, of Bentville, recently made a short visit to her siscently made a short visit to her sis-ter, Mrs. Alexander Fraser.

UPPER CLARENCE. Miss Martha Beals, of Boston, miss martha feals, of Boston, is spending a few weeks at home.

Rev. E. C. Calder, of P. E. I., preached in the church on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Woodbury, of Kingston, spent Sunday at G. H. Jackson's.

M. R. Elliott, of Lequille, has been at home for a few days. Bridgetown Amateur Theatricals.

The performance of the comedy-drama, Messmates, by the Bridgetown Amateur Dramatic Club was given on Friday night at the Court House and though not as largely attended as some recent local entertriments have been, a fair sized audience, representative of the best social element of the town, rewarded the youthful amateurs for their efforts to entertain and amuse, while those who missed the performance missed one of the best entertainments ever put on the stage of the Bridgetown Court House, not excepting the rare appearances of the better class of travelling companies that favor us. The performance was bright, witty, refined and inspiring, conveying wholesome moral teachings, without pedantry or affectation, and affording in its comedy element the keenest amusement without vulgarity. This was a design kept strictly in view in the preparation of the play.

Musical selections were introduced and parts of the dialogue eliminated, which added to the artistic finish of the performance, and its suitability to the performance, on the first suitability to the performance, and it

it was taken by Mr. Payzant with an ease and a degree of power in expressing the emotional and somewhat tragic elements of the role, which, considering his unfamiliarity with stage performance, were a complete surprise to his friends. The part of the Cap-tain of the Seabright was taken by Mr. F. B. McDaniel with a confident Mr. E. B. McDaniel with a confident and manly bearing well suited to the character. His somewhat lengthy peeches were admirably delivered, holding the close attention of the audience. Mr. Cecil Lloyd as the owner of the Seabright established at once a claim to a creditable rank in the comedian role. His perfect self-possession and droll manner greatly pleased and amused the audience, and the nonchalant and happy fashion in which he made three successive proposals of marriage to three different ladies was exceedingly funny.

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Mr. Harry Bishop as the stowaway had a difficult and exacting role, which had been carefully prepared. His make up was excellent and his disguise to the last was admirably suspained. A distinctions of enumeration guise to the last was admirably sustained. A distinctness of enunciation was noticeable in his speeches which were of much dramatic interest.

Misa Madge Morse, who is a favorite amateur performer with Bridgetown audiences, won new laurels in the part of "Aunt Arabella." A keen sense of the ludicrous and the capability of a complete absorption in her part, always wins the most gratifying expressions of appreciation from her audiences.

iences.

Miss Carolyn Piper, as Polly, the captain's jolly little daughter, and Mr. G. B. McCalfum, as the irrepressible reddy, "bound to be a sailor boy, or die, by jingo." at once captivated the audience with their sprightly and juvenile ways, and the thorny path of Teddy's lovemaking created much diversion, while winning a sympathetic interest. interest.

Miss Nellie Hoyt, as Grace Morgan, the millionaire's daughter, enacted the role with grace and dignity, and Miss Lyda Munro as Phyllis, her maid, was quite picturesque in her make-up as a bright mulatio girl and was a good foil for her devoted ad-mirer, Crumbs. Mr. Herman Young as Crumbs, the colored steward, was in-

expressibly funny and peals of laugh-ter greeted his every utterance. Mr. Young would be hard to excel in negro comedy. The duet, "Under the Bamboo Tree" the church up to the end. He had | by Phyllis and Crumbs was a much ry Phylins and Orumos was a mich oppreciated feature and several choruses added to the effectiveness of the play, as well as brief strains of music introduced in certain scenes, Miss

The best is not too provide the play of the play of the play of the provided in the play of the play of the provided in the play of th Katherine Piper acceptably acting as accompanist. Though the proceeds of the entertainment, about \$35.00, barely covered the expenses, yet as the performance gave a very enjoyable evenperformance gave a very enjoyable even-ing to many and the performers have the memory of numerous winter even-ings pleasantly spent, they feel a cer-tain degree of satisfaction in the re-sults. The suggestion to repeat the

> onsideration. Re-Organization of the Y. M. C. A.

performance at a later date is under

At a general business meeting the Association held last Thursday evening, the following were appointed a Board of Directors. Dr. M. E. Armstrong, E. A. Hicks, Wm. Hills, W. A. Chesley, F. L. Milner, R. J. Messenger, Albert Morse, O. T. Daniels, W. D. Lockett, B. D. Neily, Chas. Hoyt and F. V. Young. H. J. Crowe was appointed honorary member of the board. The first meeting of the newly approximate the first meeting the first meet pointed honorary member of the board.

The first meeting of the newly appointed Board was held in the parlors of the Association on Monday evening, 25th inst. The meeting was called to order by Secretary Archibald. Dr. Armstrong led in prayer. Those present were: Dr. Armstrong, Albert Morse, B. D. Neily, Fred Young, W. A. Chesley and Charles Hoyt.

The following officers were elected: President, Dr. Armstrong; Vice-president, Fred Young; Secretary, W. A. Chesley; Treasurer, Albert Morse.

The term of office for the different members of the board were arranged as follows: follows:
For one year, R. J. Messenger, Wm.
Hills, B. D. Neily, O. T. Daniels.
For two years, Dr. Armstrong, Chas.
Hoyt, W. A. Chesley and W. D. Lock-

For three years, Edward Hicks, Albert Morse, Fred Young, F. L. Milner.
Rev. Davidson and B. D. Neily we appointed to serve on County Committee. Meeting adjourned. Opening of the New School House.

At a meeting of the School Board held yesterday it was decided to add a new department to the public school next term. This addition involves an increase in the teaching staff, and the services of two new teachers are to for the room now instructed by one for the room now instructed by Mr. Brown.

The new school building will be opened next Tuesday and Superintendent MacKay, Attorney-General Longlet, and T. B. Kidner are expected to be and T. B. Kidner are expected to be present to address the pupils in the afternoon and the general public in the Court House in the evening.

The public examinations will also be held anext week as follows: Primary, Tuesday, Commissioners Fay and Armstrong; Intermediate, Wednesday, Commissioners Shafner and Hoyt; Preparatory, Thursday, Commissioners Neily and Fay; Advanced, Friday, Full Board.

Dairying in Nova Scotia.

Mr. F. M. Logan, Government In-spector of creameries, who is in the City, stated to the Chronicle yester-day that there are 35 creameries and cheese factories in operation in Nova day that there are 35 creameries and cheese factories in operation in Nova Scotia this season. Steady progress is being made, but the farmers of this province have not yet thoroughly realized the great importance of the dairying industry. According to the census returns the total output of our creameries is only \$100,000 worth a year, which is not sufficient to supply the local markets. Ontario, on the other hand, exports \$15,000,000, in addition to supplying the home demand. Nova Scotia which he considers better adapted for dairying than Ontario, adapted for dairying than Ontario, should produce for export at least \$3,000,000 worth.

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