Lawrencetown.

Rev. J. Gaetz preached at the Methodist Church last Sunday evening.

We are glad to see Mr. Duncan about again after so long a siege with rheumatism.

Rev. R. O. Morse officiated at the Baptist Church on the 6th, and Rev. L. Wallace on the 13th.

Mrs. B. Prince was taken suddenly and seriously ill last week, but is reported convalescent.

Mr. J. H. Whitman, who since last fall has been a martyr to sciatica, we are pleased to note is better.

Nelson Division entertained about thirty from Olive Branch Division last Saturday evening. We trust that all spent a pleasant hour.

Last Wednesday Miss Estella Saunders went to Kentville to visit her brother, Dr. L. StC. Saunders, and expected to attend the Sousa concert.

Last Saturday afternoon Belmont Wilkes and Maud M. tried their paces through town. Both, I hear, have entered for the races at St. John on the 22nd inst.

Dr. Schaffner is expected to deliver the second class lecture on the Physiology and Hygiene of the Voice next Saturday afternoon. Subject, "From Lungs to Larynx, inclusive."

Enœenia exercises of King's college are in progress this week. Should your correspondent attend either these or the meeting of the Royal Society of Canada at Halifax, he will forward notes of the same.

Mr. and Mrs. Oswald, Messrs. Elvin Schaffner and H. H. Whitman took the afternoon express for Kentville to hear Sousa's Band, and returned by a midnight special. They report a good concert, but not quite what they were led to expect.

A Jubilee service at the Church of England has been announced for 3 p. m., on the 20th inst. Hymns for use during '97, dedicated by special permission to Her Imperial Majesty, have been received by the Rector, and will be sung, with a Te Deum at the close.

We hear rumors of a cafe chantant to be given by the Methodists the 1st of July. At present we have no general auditorium worthy of the name; and this, we are told, must account for certain late disappointments in the matter of secular entertainments.

Last Saturday afternoon a few of the more advanced of Miss Manning's class in vocal and instrumental music gave their first monthly recital at the residence of Mrs. J. R. Elliott. They were assisted by Miss Manning. Owing to a pre-engagement your correspondent was not present; but he is pleased to record that, under the circumstances—as a piano could not be got into Temperance Hall, and so forth—it was a reasonably creditable performance.

Melvern News.

Mrs. E. C. Phinney attended the closing exercises at Acadia.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Slocomb, of Brooklyn, spent Sunday with friends here.

Mrs. Davis, of Boston, has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. E. C. Phinney.

We are glad to know that Mrs. Abner Phinney, who has been severely ill, is convalescent.

Rev. Mr. Manning, Sec. Foreign Mission Board, occupied the Baptist pulpit on Sunday evening, June 6th.

The ladies of Methodist Church purpose holding an ice cream social, at the residence of Mrs. Samuel L. Tilley, this evening.

The measles still linger with us, there having been nearly seventy cases up to date, some of which have been of a serious type.

Rev. Mr. Parry and H. O. Dodge will represent the Baptist church of this place at the association at Milton. Mr. Dodge being the representative of the B. Y. P. U.

We find our light sandy soil to be a great boon this season, giving us a decided advantage over our neighbors in the heavier lands. We have been able to get our crops in with little difficulty and they begin to look thrifty.

A meeting to raise the minister's salary, was held by the ladies of the Methodist Church at the residence of Mr. J. Frederick McNeil on Wednesday evening of last week, which was very successful. The required amount was obtained.

South Williamston.

Master Carman Bishop is ill with pneumonia.

Byron Morse made a business trip to Liverpool recently.

Rev. R. O. Morse and family are visiting at C. K. Morse's.

Mrs. M. C. Beals, of Bear River, is visiting at Mr. Jacob Beals'.

Our school teacher, Miss Bishop, has a handsome new Kenwood bicycle.

Avard L. Bishop, who is at present teaching at Clarence, was home over Sunday.

Our local merchant reports business good, Miss Mina Beals being employed as assistant.

The members of Nelson Division, of this section, enjoyed a very pleasant evening at Nelson Division Saturday evening, when Olive Branch Division paid a fraternal visit. There were 100 people present.

The Williamston Cheese factory under the management of Robt. McCallum, of Noel, Hants Co., with L. Beals as assistant, is doing a rushing business, orders coming in for cheese as fast as they are manufactured.

Many of our citizens are planning to attend the different celebrations. Some are going to Halifax and St. John, taking advantage of the cheap excursion rates, and some to Annapolis on Tuesday next.

Springfield.

Mr. Ernest Mason left on the 12th for Kingston.

Mr. W. Saunders is enlarging his house at Lake Pleasant.

Mr. Alfred Late is building a house near to his own, on the same lot.

Mr. C. R. Marshall was at Foster's settlement, Lunenburg Co., last week.

Mr. Jacob Wagner is building a waggon house and is otherwise improving his property.

Miss Rose Hawkesworth, of New Germany, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Avard Roop last week.

Messrs. R. Swallow, Emmerson Wagner, James Conrod, E. Acker and J. Allen returned home last week.

Pastor Webb is holding special religious meetings. Five converts were baptized and added to the Springfield Baptist Church last Sunday.

Simeon Spidle, B. A., Lic., preached at Springfield and Falkland Ridge last Sunday. He sang several solos which were greatly appreciated. He starts with his family next week for Port Morien, C. B., where he will take charge of a church. The good wishes of Mr. Spidle's many friends in this place will follow him.

Paradise.

A concert is talked of for the near future.

Miss Farnsworth is the guest of Mrs. J. C. Morse.

We hear of salmon being caught almost every day.

The bridge over the Bishop brook has been covered anew.

Mrs. Spurr is the guest of her sister, Mrs. I. M. Longley.

Mr. Z. Phinney's house looks pretty in its new coat of paint.

Boys, old and young, are enjoying the road working season.

The Paradise Quartette (male voices) made its first appearance as such on Sunday evening.

Mr. James, of Bermuda, arrived last week to arrange about his home and grounds. He returned on Monday.

Pastor Steves preached on Sunday evening and was assisted in the service by A. V. Dimock. Licentiate Morse was also present.

Port Lorne.

Prof. Brown, of Margaretsville, paid us a short visit a few days ago.

The schooner *Mawdie* has been to Apple River and brought home a full load of drift wood.

Mrs. Lavinia Ray, of Berwick, is with her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Ernest Ray, for a short stay.

Miss Ida Welton, our teacher, spent Queen's Birthday at home with her parents at Tremont.

Miss Lizzie Morrel, who has been spending the winter here with Rev. and Mrs. E. P. Coldwell, has returned to her home at Freeport, Digby County.

Mrs. Harriet Johnson, of Aylesford, is visiting her sister, Avis Johnson, who is quite ill from an attack of apoplexy which has rendered one side helpless.

Hampton.

Miss R. Chute left home last Saturday for Winchester, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaiah Brown are spending a few days at Mount Hanley.

Mr. Van Buren Foster, of Karsdale, Granville, is visiting his many friends in this place.

Miss Hattie Elliott, of Reading, Mass., is now visiting her sister, Mrs. Harry Chute. We are glad to report that Mrs. Chute's health is slowly returning.

—The Western Union Telegraph Co. last June owned 826,929 miles of wire, and operated 21,725 offices.

Queen's Jubilee, 1887.

Let the great Queen pass
Amid the acclamations of her people!
Let the vast, far-reaching multitude make way
This glad, triumphal day! The great Queen of
A mighty nation goes forth, wearing
Her crown of fifty years, to render thanks
To the High God, in England's ancient abbey.

Let the gorgeous pageant pass!
Amid the blare of the trumpet, and the
Cannon's mighty thunder—amid the shouts
Of the people that bless her—guarded by the
Warriors that love her—her reign of fifty
Years hath made her England's greatest, best loved
Queen, forever and forever.

In the ancient abbey, wondrous in
Its olden story, sacred—where beneath
Its vaulted aisles rest a princely host—the
Empire's glorious dead) lo! A mighty
Multitude—the pride and pomp of all the
Nations gathered there in silent majesty,
Save at intervals up the shadowy
Corridors floats an echo of the shout
Of a triumphant people, where they press
The crowded highways fragrant with the
Perfume of costly garlands—bright with gilded
Arch, and lordly banner floating high.
Let the bells ring out and the thundering
Cannons roar; let the proud strains of martial
Music swell, and the nation's anthem roll,
It is the Queen's, Britain's—the vast, far-reaching
Empire's great jubilee.

Suddenly—
At the wide-flung portals, where within the
Grey old walls the silent throng expectant
Wait, the trumpet's clarion blast awakes
The startled air; and slowly up the broad nave
Where above the old historic banner wave,
The proud procession moves—mitred priest
In gorgeous, glittering robes; proud
Imperial scions of a long line
Of ancient ancestry; and Britain's
Royal House; the sons and daughters of that
High Prince who hath gone his way at call of
The Great Voice; and then alone (for none might
Walk beside her since He was not) and last
Of all that princely train, with stately step
And that Imperial Majesty born
Of her high heritage—she came—the great
Queen of earth's greatest kingdom, proud Empress
Of a mighty nation.

Stately she strode,
As if she scorned the pride and pomp of
State. No queenly robe, nor jeweled crown
She wore; but her mien was royal, and her
Regal bearing marked her Britain's Queen.

Oh the pride and glory of the thrilling story!
The rich light through pictured windows streaming
On glittering robe and jeweled helmet gleaming,
The great fanfare bursts forth—the princely throng
Arise—the Kings and Queens of all the earth—
Proud rulers of ancient dynasties—
Their haughty heads low bowed in reverent
Homage—while through the vast arches, adown
The shadowy corridors, the exultant
Music floats—thrilling—swelling—reverberating—
Till the lofty dome with the mighty notes
Are shaken, and the distant echoes of
The vaulted aisles where lie the sleeping dead,
Awaken!

Peace!
A mightier presence enters here! Let
The proud strains of martial music cease!
Britain and Britain's queen renders thanks to
The great Giver of all—
"We praise thee, Oh God; we acknowledge thee
To be the Lord! All the earth doth worship Thee—
The Father everlasting—Thou art the
King of Glory."

The rites are ended,—
The solemn prayers chanted and the
Priest of the High God hath spoken holy
Benedictions. But who are those who
Come with reverent homage, lowly bending?
Stately women and warlike men! Thy sons
And daughters, oh great Queen, the nation's hope
And glory! By the light of love that
Gathers in thine eye we know them—by their
High looks and kingly air we know them,
The children thy God hath given thee.

But the solemn rites are ended
And the holy benediction rendered!
Forth from the ancient abbey, amid
Again, the lofty music pealing
And the nation's anthem ringing;
Back to thy palace halls, oh triumphant Queen,
This is thy day of glory, and far down
The ages thy children's children shall repeat
The glad story; and then, because thou hast
Loved thy God and walked in His footsteps
Thy kingdom shall endure; and when thy
Day is done thou shalt keep great jubilee
In Heaven forever.

SARAH J. H. HEALY.

$18,000.00 in Prizes.

The Nova Scotia Agricultural Exhibition and Industrial Fair, held under authority of the Provincial Legislature and the City of Halifax, will be opened at Halifax on September 28, and will continue till Friday night, October 1st.

The largest prize list, by many thousands of dollars, ever offered in the Maritime Provinces is open for competition by our Agriculturists, Manufacturers, Fishermen and others.

The Exhibition is to be held in the handsome new buildings now being erected on one of the most desirable sites in the city of Halifax. These buildings will cost in the vicinity of $55,000.00 and will be the finest structures of the kind in Eastern Canada.

A half mile track for speeding competition is now being constructed, under an expert, and the finest track in the Maritime Provinces is promised.

All competitions are open to the Maritime Provinces, and manufactures to the world. This marks a departure in Nova Scotia Exhibitions, and the exhibits will be correspondingly greater and more varied than any heretofore presented to the public.

The Amusement Committee have been most fortunate in securing for the Exhibition of 1897 the great spectacular performance, "The Siege of Sebastopol." This vivid piece of realism formed one of the most attractive features of the Toronto Exhibition of 1896 and stands at the head of its class. In addition to this, the committee have arranged for a number of special attractions which together will make the best amusement programme ever offered to the people of Nova Scotia.

The railway track will be extended into the grounds, so that exhibits may be delivered on the premises with the smallest possible inconvenience.

This grand Exhibition is to be conducted under the auspices and by the authority of the Provincial Exhibition Commission incorporated by act of the Legisture in 1896. The Commission at the present time consists of Hon. J. W. Longley, President, Halifax; Mr. E. B. Elderkin, Amherst, Vice-President, and Mayor Stephen, Halifax; Hon. T. R. Black, Amherst; Mr. J. W. Bigelow, Wolfville; Mr. Peter Innes, Coldbrook; Mr. J. T. Hamilton, Halifax; Ald. C. S. Lane, Ald. A. W. Redden and Ald. Wm. McFatridge, Halifax.

There are two vacancies on this commission, one caused by the resignation of A. C. Bell, M. P., New Glasgow, who found that his parliamentary duties interfered with the time he should devote to the Exhibition work, and the other by the resignation of W. D. Dimock, Truro, who retired on assuming the general management of the Exhibition.

The Executive Committee of the Commission consists of Mayor Stephen, Chairman, Hon. T. R. Black, J. W. Longley, ex-officio.

There is no doubt that perfect arrangements will be made in every detail for the successful carrying out of this Exhibition. The Province and the City of Halifax are each equally interested in making it a great success, and there is no doubt that exhibitors in every department from all over the Maritime Provinces will do all they can to make the result of this Exhibition the most successful of any ever held in the Maritime Provinces.

Applications for prize lists and space, forms of entry, and all detailed information can be obtained by applying to the Secretary, Mr. John E. Wood, Halifax.

OPELEKA.

WINDSOR, N. S., Jan. 22nd, 1897.

I hereby certify that I have many times witnessed the good effects of the Opeleka Cough Mixture, particularly in the acute colds and coughs of children and believe it to be one of the best (if not the best) proprietary cough mixture in the market. J. W. REID, M.D.

Correspondence.

We do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions of our correspondents.

The Proposed Incorporation of Bridgetown.

SIR,—I have headed my paper with the short and popular title of the bill, but the law student of the future, when hunting the Statute books will do well to remember the full title "The Incorporation of Bridgetown and Evisceration of Carleton's Corner," and if he does not find it he may hope it is not there.

Pending the decision of the Governor-in-Council in this matter it would seem to be well to consider the subject from all possible points of view, if only that we may be able to gauge accurately the debt of gratitude that we will owe for favors granted or withheld by the powers that be.

I trust that some more able will follow the matter up, but beg to suggest now for this week's consideration; that the legal advisers of the aforesaid powers will probably hold that any corporate entity whether embryotic and municipal or merely a school section is lawfully vested in the rights and privileges of its property and that therefore each individual composing that entity has a vested right in each and every part of the corporate property.

Looked at from that side the question rises whether an irresponsible assurance by a friendly compositor in the office of a local paper, expressed by him in an obscure paragraph in the said paper, that, within three days, "all those interested are requested to be present" amounts to a sufficient notice of a meeting "to settle" whether part of their lawful property shall be taken from them without even a suggestion of recompense.

It would seem rather that the first step to have taken should have been a meeting of "those interested" on the south side of the river to decide whether there should be any secession at all, and if so to make terms. The principle to which I appeal is that which gave the United Kingdom the right ten years ago to deny Home Rule to Ireland, and which warranted the Northern States a generation ago in pouring out blood and treasure, in what was in some respects but a poor quarrel, to prevent the secession of the South.

If Bridgetown desires the change of Municipal status and of boundary it is for her to show that there would be advantage, not to herself merely, but to the community in general over a considerable part of the country, and then offer a *quid pro quo* to any who might suffer disadvantage. But the forcible acquisition of the property of a neighbor has, since history first prepared to repeat itself, always been looked at from two widely separated standpoints. And this brings me most naturally to my second and concluding argument. I am indebted for it (and I make the acknowledgement with gratitude) to a member of the Bridgetown Delimitation Committee, an eminent lawyer imbued with a veneration which does him infinite credit for that mighty people of historic Italy to whom we owe the very foundations of our whole system of jurisprudence.

He compared the annexation now proposed by the incorporationists of Bridgetown with the Rape of the Sabines by the early Fathers of Ancient Rome. The perception of the parallel is a triumph of intuition, it is complete in every detail—but one.

Of course the point he desired to make may be discounted. The story goes that after many years residence in Rome, after their daughters began to grow up, the Sabine ladies were offered, and declined, the opportunity of return to their earlier loves. The inference (drawn by Roman Historians) being that the bliss contained within the circuit of the Seven Hills blinded them to the dictates of an obvious duty—it was never noted that the third party in this very three cornered little game had not had a say at all.

But from a recently discovered M.S. of a Sabine penny-a-liner we gather that the ladies, who had boasted for years of the ardent affection of their very military lords and masters, had good reason to fear that their welcome home would have been a cold shower on one side the hearth and a well filled rocker on the other. The parallel is very complete; here too we have from farthest east to farthest west the hard-worked farmer on the mountain sides, isolated and unvoiced; while on the river bank stands the Fair and Fertile looking coy over her shoulder across the muddy stream, half flattered, half alarmed by the attentions her charms attract. Presently will come old age, which the biologists tell us is the time when expenditure (of existence) begins in slow but increasing ratio to exceed income (of vitality.) But no, we won't pursue the painful subject further. Our Lady of the Lane has not yet been snatched across the river and we will comfort ourselves with the one detail in which the parallel is incomplete.

The instance is subsequent to, and the illustration given by our legal friend, the Delimitation Commissioner, was long antecedent to, the establishment of Roman Law.

GEO. W. SHIPTON.

To the Editor of the Monitor:

DEAR SIR,—I cordially endorse your suggestion that one of the most—if not the most—appropriate ways of signifying the loyal and patriotic sentiment of the population of this and the sister county of Kings, would be the kindling of bonfires on the face of the mountain ranges which run along the northern and southern bounds of the valley, on the evening of the day fixed to celebrate our beloved Sovereign's Diamond Jubilee. I have no doubt if prompt action is taken by the patriotic citizens of our village and Kentville the course you propose will be materialized. Certainly no better course can be adopted to win prestige and fame for our loyal population than the course you suggest, and I earnestly hope it will be universally adopted and acted upon by both counties. I offer the pledge that I will superintend and bear the expense of a suitable bonfire on the face of the Phinney Mountain in my neighborhood if the special method you suggest is adopted, of helping forward the general desire of our people to celebrate the auspicious and memorable occasion to the utmost extent possible.

T. W. CHESLEY.

June 14th, 1897.

Ontario Letter.

Port Burwell. Ont., June 5th, 1897.

Cold rains have kept things very backward, but we believe spring has come at last. After all, crops look well, especially grass and winter wheat. Of the latter thousands of acres are growing finely all over the country in fields of five, eight, ten, fifteen and twenty acres. I saw a field of flax last week of over twenty acres. A considerable average of corn and potatoes is yet to be planted. We have had some light frosts, even since June came in, but little damage was done, so we expect abundance of fruit, both cultivated and wild.

Last week I attended the Baptist Convention of Manitoba, Ontario and Quebec, in London, Ont., and we had an excellent time. About two hundred ministers were present, among whom I noticed Revds. A. T. Dykeman, Wm. H. Porter and Mr. Trotter from Nova Scotia.

This week the Elgin Baptist Association met at Gladstone in Dorchester, where about twenty ministers met with other delegates, and we had a good time, with excellent essays and reports from far and near.

W. E. CHUTE.

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WM. DANIELS.

Springhill.

Indians on the Warpath.

Winnipeg, Man., June 13.—A Regina, N. W. T., special to the *Free Press* says: "The irritation among the Indians up north, in consequence of the killing of Almighty Voice and his companions by the mounted police is assuming an ugly shape. Fifteen Indians have attacked the farm of Mr. Gordon, between Saskatoon and Duck Lake, and killed all the cattle in the corral.

Trespassers Will be Watched.

Washington, June 9.—Cruiser *Marblehead*, Commander Elmes, has gone to Nova Scotia waters to prevent Gloucester fishing vessels destroying the nets of fishermen along the Nova Scotian coast. Americans may not fish within the three mile limit and when leaving the prohibited zone for sea deliberately sail through the seines of Canadians.

Church Services, Sunday, June 20th.

CHURCH OF ENGLAND.—Rev. F. P. Greatorex Rector. In St. James', Bridgetown: Service with celebration of Holy Communion at 11; Sunday-School at 2.30; Evening Service at 7.30. Service on Wednesday at 3. In St. Mary's, Belleisle: Service at 3; also on Thursday at 7.30. All seats free.

BAPTIST CHURCH.—Rev. F. M. Young, Pastor, Bridgetown: Bible Class and Sabbath-school, 10 a.m.; Preaching Service at 11 a.m.; Evangelistic service 7.30 p.m. B.Y.P.U. Tuesday evening at 7.15 o'clock. General social service Friday evening at 7.30. Service at Centreville on Sunday afternoon.

GORDON MEMORIAL CHURCH.—Rev. R. S. Whidden, Pastor. Service at 3.15 o'clock, Bible-class and Sunday-school at 2 p.m. Meeting Tuesday at 7.30 p.m. Service at Annapolis at 11 a.m.; Bible-class and Sabbath-school at 2 p.m. General prayer-meeting at 7.30. Seats free in both churches. All are cordially invited

PROVIDENCE METHODIST CHURCH.—Rev. J. Strothard, pastor; A. Lund, assistant pastor. Sunday-school 9.45 a.m., preaching at 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m. by the pastor. General Class every Monday evening at 8; Prayer-meeting every Wednesday evening at 8; Epworth League every Friday evening at 8. All are cordially invited.

Granville: Preaching every Sabbath at 11 a.m. and 3 p.m., alternately.

Bentville: Preaching every Sabbath at 3 p.m. and 7.30 p.m., alternately.

Mountain Mission: Preaching fortnightly, Durling's Lake at 10.30 a.m., Hill at 2.30 p.m.

ROUND HILL.—G. J. Coulter White, pastor. Preaching service on the 1st Sunday of the month at 11 a.m., and on other Sundays at 7 p.m. Prayer-meeting Tuesday evening at 7.30 o'clock. Sunday-school after morning service, other Sundays at 2.30 p.m.

Births.

AWALT.—At Bridgetown, June 13th, to Mr. and Mrs. James Awalt, a daughter.

MCQUARRIE.—At Bridgetown, June 14th, to Mr. and Mrs. D. J. McQuarrie, a daughter.

Marriages.

DAVIDSON—HOYT.—At St. James' Church, Bridgetown, by the Rev. F. P. Greatorex, Frederick Leland, second son of the late General Davidson, R.E., of Surrey, England, to Edna Blanche, youngest daughter of Alfred Hoyt, Esq., of Bridgetown.

Deaths.

WAGSTAFF.—At the Alms House, June 16th, Annie Wagstaff, aged about 80 years.

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[No. 12.]

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IN THE SUPREME COURT,

BETWEEN

TIMOTHY D. RUGGLES, *Plaintiff,*

—AND—

ALBERT FOSTER AND MARGARET M. FOSTER, - - - *Defendants.*

To be sold at PUBLIC AUCTION by the Sheriff of the County of Annapolis, or his Deputy, at the Court House in Bridgetown, in said County of Annapolis, on

MONDAY, the 21st day of June, A.D. 1897, at twelve o'clock, noon.

Pursuant to an order of foreclosure and sale made herein and dated the 17th day of May, A.D. 1897, unless before the day of sale the amount due and costs are paid to the Plaintiff, or into court, all the estate, right, title, interest and equity of redemption of the said Defendants, Albert Foster and Margaret M. Foster, and which they or either of them had herein at the time they made the mortgage herein foreclosed, and of all persons claiming or entitled by, through or under the Defendants, of, in and to all those lots, pieces or parcels of land situate lying and being in the Township of Granville, in the County of Annapolis, and described as follows:

FIRST—All that certain farm or tract of land situate in the Township of Granville, aforesaid, bounded and described as follows: Beginning by the northern bound of the Granville highway and by the south-western corner of Daniel Clark's land and running westwardly along the northern bound of said highway thirty-two rods or to the south-eastern corner of lands of T. W. Chesley; thence northward along the the eastern line of said T. W. Chesley's Hill lot and onward till reaching the south-east corner of T. W. Chesley's big Intervale, so-called; thence easterly on a right angle the distance of thirty-two rods or till reaching the western line of said Daniel Clark's land: thence southerly along said Daniel Clark's western line to the place of beginning.

SECOND—Also all that certain other parcel of Mountain land situate as aforesaid: Beginning by the western line of said Daniel Clark's land and at the base of the Mountain and the point fixed by the deed of the same land made by William R. Troop to Russel Cropley; thence westerly on a right angle sixteen rods to the point midway between the said Daniel Clark's west line and said T. W. Chesley's east line; thence northwardly in a line midway between the said Daniel Clark's west and T. W. Chesley's east line to the established base line made by Troop, who was former owner, and which separates the front lots from the rear lots, and which runs east and west; thence easterly along said base line sixteen rods or to the western line of said Daniel Clark's land; thence southerly along the western line of Daniel Clark's line to the place of beginning, subject to reservations in William R. Troop's deed to Russel Cropley.

THIRD—Also all that certain other piece or parcel of land situate lying and being in said Township of Granville, bounded and described as follows, that is to say: Beginning on the south side of the Granville Main Post Road at the north-west corner of land owned by William R. Troop and running westerly on said road until it comes to the north-west corner of land formerly owned by Benjamin Chesley, now owned by John Lowry; thence southerly on said Lowry's east line until it comes to the south-west corner of said Lowry's land; thence westerly on said Lowry's south line until it comes to land owned by Phineas L. Chesley; thence southerly on said Chesley's east line until it comes to marsh land lately owned by George Murdoch; thence easterly along said Murdoch's line and marsh land owned by William R. Troop until it comes to the south-east corner of the land hereby conveyed, and thence northerly on said Troop's west line to the said main road and place of beginning, containing seven acres, more or less.

FOURTH—Also all that certain other piece or parcel of marsh land and upland adjoining the first named lot of land bounded on the north by the first named lot of land, on the east by marsh land owned by the said William R. Troop and Benjamin Miller, on the south by lands of the said William R. Troop and Rupert Chesley, and on the west by the marsh road and lands of Phineas L. Chesley, as now fenced in, containing seven acres, more or less.

FIFTH—Also all those certain pieces or parcels of land situate in Granville, aforesaid, purchased by the said Adolphus Foster from William R. Troop. *First*, All that certain lot commencing on the south side of the Granville Post Road and running south to lands owned by Daniel Clark; thence running westerly to said Daniel Clark's east line; thence running northerly following the course of said Daniel Clark's east line to the said Granville Post Road; thence east following the said road to the place of beginning, containing twelve acres more or less. *Second*, All that certain other piece or parcel of land lying on the north side of the said Granville Post Road, commencing at the Post Road and following said Daniel Clark's east line northerly until it comes to land formerly owned by the said William R. Troop, but now owned by T. W. Chesley; thence running easterly the course of the said lines until it comes to land now owned by Newcomb Marshall; thence running south thirty rods to lands formerly owned by W. Foster, now by Jordan; thence following Jordan's west line to the Post road; thence running westerly along the said Post Road to the place of beginning, containing one hundred and twenty-five acres, more or less, together with all and singular the buildings and appurtenances thereto belonging or in anywise appertaining.

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

EDWIN GATES, *High Sheriff of the County of Annapolis.*

H. RUGGLES, at Bridgetown, Annapolis County, *Solicitor for Plaintiff.*

Bridgetown, May 18th, 1897. 8 5i

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