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TELL OUR NEIGHBOR.

From now until January 1903, the MONITOR will be sent to New Subscribers till the end of 1903, for $1.00 in advance.

—The operators of the Pennsylvania coal mines had something to arbitrate after all. It was, however, no effort or argument of the miners' union that brought home to them a realization of their untenable position, but the rising storm of public indignation that was swiftly gathering over, not only the domains of the coal barons, but over the holdings of every oppressive combine in the United States. The people would have killed the coal trust after due deliberation, and thereafter no combination controlling and trafficing in public necessities would have felt that degree of security which is necessary to the conduct of industries with capitalization of many millions of dollars. Depend upon it, the interests of other trusts had a hand in weakening the coal operators. A little more of the "nothing to arbitrate" stiffness and the coal carrying railroads, whose owners are heavy coal operators, would have had their charters revoked and the mines would have been expropriated and worked under government direction. Many laws may be violated with impunity because public opinion is divided in the consideration of their justice or necessity, but the coal strike threatened the peace and the liberty of the people, and awakened an almost unanimous sympathy for the miners. What the arbitration commission will decide in the matter of the remuneration of the miners must result from an impartial consideration of the conditions of actual mine work, and the finding will not affect the principle for which public opinion has demanded recognition.

—To give a local flavor to the lesson the coal strike in common with other labor troubles must teach the people who are neither operators nor strikers, we suggest a consideration of the benefits that would result to the local consumer if the coal mines of Nova Scotia were operated by the government. We have spoken of the matter many times previously, and are confident that it is one of the things which shall come to pass when injustice in mine management has grown too rank for toleration. A few years ago when our bituminous coal properties were operated under competitive management, we paid little more than half what we are now compelled to pay for coal, and yet the mines were operated at a profit. Now with one big corporation in practical control of the coal fields, we pay the price fixed by the great of the profit sharers and not by any standard of competition. The conditions of natural supply are such that Nova Scotia should furnish for her people the cheapest priced coal in the world. As a matter of fact, there are few localities, accessible to railway or water transportation, that pay as much for an equal or superior grade of coal. Notwithstanding that combination of interests and concentration of capital has cheapened the work of raising coal and multiplied the quantity for market, the price has been arbitrarily advanced and may be marked up higher at the will of the coal combine. The people of Nova Scotia are paying a high percentage of profit on the capital actually invested and on the "watered" capitalization; too high entirely when we judge by the earlier operations of the mines, the price at which coal may be mined at a substantial profit. We are inclined to believe that were the Dominion Coal Co. to advance the price of their mined product to say, ten dollars a ton, the consumers would resent, but a hundred per cent injustice is insufficient to disturb the equilibrium of a peace-loving people. The operators have gauged their customers and know the limit of tolerated extortion. In nearly every town in the province the wisdom of municipal ownership of public utilities is recognized and under practical test. It needs no argument to convince the average citizen that the water and lighting services are more satisfactory under municipal than under private direction, and it is easy enough to bring the larger subject into the range of comparison. Under municipal ownership we are assured of the cheapest service compatible with the actual expense of the undertaking. It is no part of municipal business to affect the money maker's role, the object being simply to create a self-sustaining condition and make the citizens the profit sharers. There is no danger of a sudden or unnecessary increase in the price of the commodity controlled, because a government with a satisfied constituency back of it need not be troubled by the fluctuations of the world's market. Suppose the provincial government should be awakened to a knowledge of the fact that the people of Nova Scotia are paying too much for fuel and should expropriate some promising property for a provincial coal yard, mining and selling coal to the people at practical cost? The result may be calculated in many of its features quite readily. We would buy coal for less than three dollars a ton, and the private corporations would be forced to drop their price or go out of business. The government would lose its income from coal royalties, to be sure, but it would save, to its people, many times that amount. The people who pay this royalty now, with the added price of private greed, and the government is made a partner in a conspiracy to rob them, it must be that there are more expedient means of raising a revenue. Under government ownership the people could afford to pay into the treasury for general public service account a coal tax sufficient to offset the loss of royalty, if only they might escape a situation where they are forced to be buyers in a market where competition is excluded and where private gain is the dominating feature of the price current. The coal industry is one in which the people are very much interested for obvious reasons, and it is therefore one of the brightest marks for the speculator. Private control of a public necessity is the assurance of a fortune, but public necessities should be safeguarded from the mere mercenary control of the individual or corporation. It is possible that government control of all public utilities is not advisable, but we believe the coal monopoly could be handled to a greater advantage to the people, by the government, no perhaps even the state government, than private control affords. [illegible] facts that point to a [illegible] to protect such distinctly national interests as are being forced upon to the disaster of the common people, and the formation of each new trust to control some great staple puts in more widespread motion the force that will soon dominate all great aggregations of private capital. It is not a question of the spread of socialism at all, but the simple proposition that the best way to fight a trust is with its own weapons, and a people's trust would be a most effective weapon.

Local and Special News.

—A short, but sharp thunder storm passed over the Valley Monday morning.

—To see J. W. Beckwith's stock of Boys' and Children's Clothing means a sale.

—Hard coal in the local market has gone up from $8.00 to $10.00 within a fortnight.

—A. D. Brown will open up at Port Lorne for one week, commencing Monday, 27th inst. 1i

—Mr. Elias Messenger has sold his farm to Mr. McCallum of Truro, who has resided the past year in Granville.

—You can't advertise too often if you are advertising the right kind of goods in the right medium, in the right way.

—Now is the time to subscribe for the Monitor. For $1.00 new subscribers will receive the Monitor till January 1st 1904.

—J. U. Logie, Optician Specialist, on his ninth annual trip, will be at Sancton's Jewelry store on Saturday, 25th, and Monday, 27th Oct.

—Mr. Avard Anderson, having reconsidered his resignation, has been reinstated as policeman of the town to the satisfaction of his many friends.

—Some additions have been recently made to the number of bricklayers at work on the new school house, and work is progressing more satisfactorily.

—The King's birthday on Nov. 9th will not be celebrated in Canada, the Canadian Government having decided to fix May 24th as the date for observing it.

—Capt. J. E. Leckie, who was manager of the Torbrook Mines when they were operated previous to 1896, expects to begin to mine iron ore again in a few months to supply the new company at Londonderry.

—There is a great demand for houses of low rent, a number of men employed in the construction of the new buildings being unable to move their families here for lack of accommodation.

St. John Telegraph:—There are not many Nova Scotian apples on the wholesale market at present and they are reported very high. Gravensteins are $3.75. The supply all around is shorter than for years.

—Steamer Prince Arthur, of the D. A. R. Line has been chartered to make a 30 days tour of the West India Islands, leaving Boston Jan. 15th next. It is said a large number of tourists have already booked their passage.

—Price Webber and his company are making a very successful trip through the province. The company is a favorite one and never fails to please. They play here Thursday, Friday and Saturday evening, Nov. 6th, 7th and 8th.

—The action of the Truro football team in refusing to play the Acadia team because one of its members was a colored man, is causing much comment unfavorable to the Truro team. Acadia has since played St. John and the University of New Brunswick.

—J. W. Beckwith has opened this week, three more cases Dress Goods and Waist materials. Also another case of Flannel and Wrapperettes. He has been obliged to repeat in those heavy 18c and 30c Dress Cloths. His dress goods are without doubt the best assortment and best value ever before imported.

—The schooners Clarence Shafner and Pekin, which conveyed Mr. Calder and party and lumbering outfit to Hamilton's Inlet, Labrador, have arrived at Sydney. They report all well with the colonists they left at Labrador. On the voyage out both schooners grounded on a sand bar on the Labrador coast, but came off safely.

—Thanksgiving Day was quietly observed here. All the stores were closed, and services were held in the churches. At the festive boards the turkey was conspicuous by its absence, and must cease to be a typical feature of Thanksgiving, since the change of date to the earlier season. There is no grumbling over the loss, however, the earlier date meeting with general approval.

—N. M. Smith, our local photographer, is doing some skilful work at enlarging photos. Among the enlarged photos at his studio we noticed a speaking likeness of Rev. E. B. Moore, and an excellent reproduction of the family group of Mr. William Miller and family, taken during the recent visit of his sons, Drs. Charles and Robert, with the old homestead in the background.

—Several houses are having a change of tenants this month. Dr. Anderson is to occupy the Shaw house recently vacated by Mr. Chas. Williams. Mrs. George Ruffee will take possession of the house vacated by Dr. Anderson, recently purchased by her. Mr. G. E. Hoyt will occupy the cottage on Washington street vacated by Mrs. Ruffee. Mrs. J. W. Brown will move into her new house next week.

—The sixtieth anniversary of the order of Sons of Temperance will be celebrated by a public meeting in the Baptist church, Monday evening next. The Most Worthy Patriarch, Mr. William H. Williams, of Swampscott, Mass., who is head of the order in North America, will be present and deliver an address. It is expected that a large number of Division members from various parts of the county will be present.

—The launching of Mayor Shafner's new tern schooner, the Frank W. Pickles, took place yesterday afternoon, a day earlier than expected, the event being hastened by the falling off of the tides this week. Hundreds of people congregated to witness the launch, and patiently waited upwards of an hour in the chilling wind. The schooner is the finest and largest ever launched here, being of 400 ton register, 130 foot keel, 32 foot beam, and 32 feet wide, and valued at about $22,000. She has been purchased by Pickels & Mills for the West Indian trade.

—Mr. W. A. Black, of Halifax, and his two daughters have been enjoying an equestrian trip along the South Shore and through the Valley. They reached Paradise on Wednesday, where they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. James at their summer home "Ellenhurst," and returned homeward on Saturday. One day they rode thirty-eight miles, and the whole distance travelled was one hundred and thirty miles, but the young ladies were splendid horsewomen and quite equal to the long journey. It will be remembered by those interested in the Horse Show at the Halifax exhibition that Misses Muriel and Kathleen Black distinguished themselves, winning laurels for their horses, and much admiration for themselves by their grace and skill.

—The Annapolis Spectator and the Middleton Outlook, commenting with approval on Dr. Armstrong's suggestion as to an exhibition for Annapolis county next year, each set forth the claims of their respective towns as suitable locations for the same. Lawrencetown also is awake to the possibilities, according to the Monitor's correspondent today. This shows that if Bridgetown really wants the exhibition, half-hearted acquiescence will not answer, and the town council and board of trade should act accordingly, and take immediate steps toward making whatever arrangements to make use of the large warehouse on the station grounds for exhibition purposes, but "Citizen" has a suggestion to offer in the correspondence column of this issue that might be worth consideration.

THE ST. JAMES PING PONG TOURNAMENT.

If the success of the above, last Thursday evening in the Ruggles Block, is any criterion, then the liquidation of the debt on St. James' Church (i. e. the church building) by the end of the year is assured. For some time the debt has been (approximately) $300. Towards this the Rector holds a conditional cheque for $100.00, the condition being that the balance be raised by the end of the year. When this offer was made known, a prominent lady member of the congregation generously promised that if the second hundred were raised, she would give the third, and so enable the corporation to discharge its indebtedness, in this particular, and secure the much desired consecration of the church. The tournament on Thursday evening was the first effort toward raising the middle hundred dollars, and so generously was it patronized that forty dollars clear of expenses is the result. Ping-pong may not seem to be a popular game to the uninitiated, but the writer ventures to think that before many games had been played at the tournament the spectators had gathered a sufficient idea of it to make looking on enjoyable, and should any think the game to be as simple as it looks, his advice to them is, try it.

The play was of a high order, the result of much practice on the part of the competitors, and each one has much to be proud of, whilst to the winners—Miss Frizelle and Mr. J. W. Leavitt—much credit is due. The prize in each case was a rubber-faced ping-pong racquet, and with these the winners should be able to develop still greater proficiency, as they are acknowledged by experts to be the best playing racquets yet in the market. In connection with the tournament there was a "buffet" in an adjoining room, which proved a source of pleasure as well as profit, and it reflected great credit on those who had it in hand.

A short musical programme was also rendered during the evening. Mrs. Frizelle, as usual, delighted the audience with her pianoforte solos, and much regret was expressed during the evening that this would, in all probability, be the last time Mrs. Frizelle would play in Bridgetown, the removal of the family to Halifax being anticipated at an early date. Vocal solos were contributed by Mrs. H. Ruggles and Miss Bessie Ervin, and were much appreciated. Altogether the evening was as enjoyable as it was successful, and the committee who have the matter of raising this intermediate hundred dollars in hand, feel much encouraged, so much so that they are now endeavoring to organize a concert and entertainment on a much larger scale, particulars of which will appear in due course.

Appended is the full score of the tournament:—

LADIES.
1st Round.

Miss Frizelle vs. Miss M. Morse, 6-2.
Miss B. Kinney vs. Mrs. E. Ruggles, 6-4.
Mrs. H. Ruggles a bye.
2nd Round.
Miss Frizelle vs. Miss B. Kinney, 6-3.
Mrs. H. Ruggles a bye.
Final.
Miss Frizelle vs. Mrs. H. Ruggles, 6-5.

GENTLEMEN.
1st Round.

Mr. J. Leavitt vs. Mr. O. T. Daniels, 6-3.
Mr. H. Ruggles vs. Mr. J. Imrie, 6-3.
Mr. Payzant vs. Frank Ruggles, 6-4.
Mr. E. Ruggles a bye.
2nd Round.
Mr. J. Leavitt vs. H. Ruggles, 6-0.
Mr. E. Ruggles and Mr. Payzant, byes
3rd Round.
Mr. J. Leavitt vs. Mr. Payzant, 6-3.
Final
Mr. J. Leavitt vs. Mr. E. Ruggles, 6-2

Disastrous Fire at Granville.

At an early hour, Thursday (Thanksgiving) morning, the house and stable of Mr. William R. Troop, of Granville, with nearly all their contents, were consumed by fire. Mr. Troop went out to the stable to feed the horse and cow, all the rest of the stock being at pasture. He was descending from the mow, lantern in hand, when his foot slipped on the ladder and he fell violently to the floor. The lantern was shattered and fortunately struck the floor some distance from him, as the flames immediately ignited the hay he had just thrown down. Finding it impossible to control the flames, he cut loose the horse and cow and went into the house to arouse Mrs. Troop, who was the only occupant, and was still sleeping. Hastily dressing, Mrs. Troop began to try to save such articles of clothing and household belongings as she could, and by this time several neighbors were on the scene and lending their assistance. The flames spread so rapidly, however, from the stable to the house, which was in close proximity, that it was impossible to save much, and in less than an hour a smouldering heap of ruins marked the spot where the two large buildings had stood.

The barn was full of hay and grain, of which none was saved. A number of pieces of furniture from the ground floor of the house were rescued, but nothing from the upper stories except some feather beds, one bureau and some clothing. Some vegetables were taken out of the cellar, but the total loss was a very heavy one, covering in value probably $6,000, while the total insurance was $3,000.

The house was one of the finest country homesteads in the vicinity, and was finished throughout. A neighboring cottage having just been vacated, the household goods that were saved were moved into it, and Mr. and Mrs. Troop took possession of it for the winter. They express deep gratitude for the appreciated assistance rendered by their neighbors.

Mrs. Brown's New House.

Mrs. J. W. Brown's new house on Church street is in the hands of the painters for the finishing touches, and will be completed this week. It is a commodious, two and a half story house, of neat, attractive design, and admirably adapted for the purpose of a boarding house. The lower flat contains parlor and sitting room, connected by folding doors, dining room and ice cream parlor, also connected by folding doors, and kitchen and pantry. The ice cream parlor has large double windows forming three sides of it, and is an especially attractive room, opening off the verandah from the street. It may be thrown into one with the dining room and form a spacious dining hall should occasion require. Both of these rooms, as well as the kitchen, have hard wood floors. On the second floor are five bedrooms and bathroom with modern fittings. The third story contains four pleasant bedrooms, large dormer windows adding to the space and attractiveness of two of them.

A verandah extends across the front of the house and the wing on south side.

—Bear River hunters seemed to be regaining their old-time form last week and three fine heads were brought out as a result, says the Telephone. The first came on Wednesday and was shot by John McEwan, who was in with Mr. Gardener of Philadelphia. On Thursday B. Wade and Silas Parker made a record for the season in swiftness by bringing out a four foot head in twenty-four hours. On the same day Wallace Rice, Elwin Morine and John Morine returned with a nice set of antlers. Another fine moose head was brought out on Monday. It was captured by Messrs. Wm. Isles and Wm. Berry on the East Branch. The antlers spread over forty inches and had twenty-one points.

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PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Miss Hettie Jefferson is visiting relatives in Somerville, Mass.

Mrs. W. E. Crowe, of Halifax, is the guest of Mrs. W. H. MacKenzie.

Mrs. Andrews (formerly Miss Minnie Sinclair) spent Thanksgiving with her uncle, Dr. deBlois.

Mrs. J. I. Foster returned home last Friday from a visit of several weeks in Boston and vicinity.

Mrs. F. Davidson, of Windsor, and little daughter, are visiting her mother, Mrs. Alfred Hoyt.

Edwin Ruggles, junr., of the staff of the Bank of Nova Scotia, Montreal, is at home on a vacation.

Mr. William Whitman returned Monday from a two weeks' vacation spent in Boston and Yarmouth.

Mr. Bird is still in Liverpool, where he was summoned about a fortnight ago by the critical illness of his wife.

Miss Fannie Healy has returned home from a visit to her sister, Mrs. Higgins, at Somerville, Kings county.

Rev. F. M. Pickles, formerly of St. John, has been installed as pastor of the Centralville Methodist church, Lowell.

Lieut. Robie Burrill, son of Mr. Charles Burrill, of Weymouth, is due in England from South Africa, and will be stationed in Ireland.

Rev. R. O. Armstrong, of Weymouth, who has just recovered from an attack of typhoid fever, is the guest of his brother, Dr. Armstrong.

Mrs. L. R. Miller and Miss Georgie Bath are attended the Provincial Convention of the Epworth League this week at Halifax. Mrs. Miller is on the program for a paper.

Mr. Frizelle and family, and Mr. D. Boyd-Miller, who have been residents of Bridgetown for the past two years, will shortly return to Halifax. They have made many friends here who will regret their departure.

Miss Margaret Chute, youngest daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Chute, who has been for some time clerk in M. B. Anthony's store, has gone to spend the winter with her aunt, Mrs. A.C. Clark, of Bridgetown, says the Berwick correspondent of the Herald.

Rev. J. B. Giles accompanied his little daughter Freda to Halifax on Saturday, and on Monday placed her on the steamer Ocano which sailed for Bermuda, where she will spend the winter with relatives. Miss Josie Strothard and Miss Outerbridge, of Bermuda, who have spent the summer here, took passage on the same steamer for home.

Lynn Item:—Fred Bath, for some time an agent at the Lynn office of the John Hancock Mutual Life Insurance Company, has been offered the position of Assistant Superintendent at the Philadelphia office of the Co. Mr. Bath has a large circle of friends especially in the Sons of Temperance, as he is very prominent in that order, he being one of the state officers. He will undoubtedly accept and the well wishes of his friends will go with him.

FOR SALE!

A three year old steer, color red, few white spots, in pound at Centreville, will be sold at Public Auction, Wednesday morning, Oct. 29, 1902, at 10 o'clock, if not called for by owner.

GEORGE PIGGOTT,
Pound Keeper Ward 11
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Tenders Wanted.

The Town of Bridgetown invites tenders for carrying the town water system across the Annapolis river, in accordance with specifications in hands of Councillor Marsh who has the matter in charge.

Tenders to be delivered to Councillor Marsh not later than Oct. 23, 4 p.m.

F. L. MILNER,
Town Clerk.
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TENDERS

Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned up to noon on Saturday, Nov. 15th, 1902, for the construction of a brick and stone Court House building at Kentville, N. S.

The plans and specifications can be seen and all information procured at the office of L. R. Fairn, Architect, Wolfville, N. S., or at the residence of A. E. McMahon, Esq., Aylesford, N.S.

The construction committee does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

Aylesford, N. S., Oct. 15th, 1902.

A. E. McMAHON,
Chairman of Committee,
Aylesford, N. S.

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OLIVER S. MILLER.
Bridgetown, Oct. 9th, 1902. tf

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Bridgetown, Oct. 9th, 1902.

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Ladies' Rain Coats.

We have had a large trade in Rain Coats this season and sizes are somewhat broken, but our stock will be complete in a few days.

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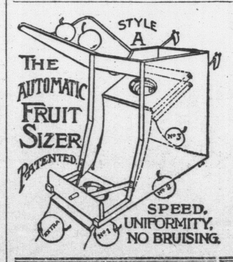

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Sept. 24th, 1902. tf

H. PINEO, Optician

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LAWRENCETOWN, (Elm House,) Wed., Oct. 15th.
BRIDGETOWN, (Shafner Building,) Thursday and Friday, Oct. 17th and 18th, open Wed. and Thurs. evenings.
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