

LOCAL AND SPECIAL

The D. A. R. engines are again stopping at the tank for water supply.

Owing to the surplus of stock on hand most of the Larrigan factory hands have been laid off.

Shipments of freight are being made from Victoria Pier by the S.S. Granville and Bear River for St. John.

The big C. P. R. steamship, Empress of Ireland, made a record run from Liverpool to Halifax last week, the time being 6 days and 3 hours.

The Clarence W. M. A. S. will meet with Mrs. Eileen Marshall on Monday evening at 7.30 o'clock. Subject: "Our Own Regula Missions."

A special train on the H. & S. W. road brought in a load of gravel on Tuesday for the purpose of grading the approach to the station grounds.

A fancy sale will be held in the vestry of the Baptist church Tuesday Dec. 4th, commencing at 4 o'clock. At six o'clock a hot most supper and tea will be served. Tickets 40 cents and 25 cents.

The annual meeting of the Antapoli County Branch of the Nova Scotia Temperance Alliance will be held in the Baptist church at Bridgetown, on Thursday Dec. 6th at 2.30 p. m. All churches and temperance organizations are earnestly requested to send delegates. The Provincial Organizer, Prof. E. W. Sawyer and other prominent workers will be present. Among matters that will be dealt with are election of officers, appointment of Scott Act Inspector, Law enforcement in the County, raising of funds for organization purposes, and the introduction of a Provincial Prohibitory Bill. A public meeting will be held in the evening. Try and be there.—Com.

A very pleasant entertainment was given on Monday evening last by the members of Olive Branch Division, Warren's hall, in which the Division now meets, presented a very attractive appearance with gay flags and tasteful decorations. The fifty-eighth anniversary of the Division was celebrated in this gathering. Dr. Jost read an interesting history of the society, mentioning the honored names of the men and women who belonged to it in its earlier stages of usefulness. Admirable readings, recitations and musical selections followed, reflecting much credit upon the young people who took chief part. Rev. W. H. Warren gave the closing address, urging renewed zeal in temperance complimenting the performers and work.

There is strong talk at present of a new industry for Bridgetown, namely, works for the manufacture of flat and box cars. \$20,000 has already been promised and it is said there will be no difficulty in raising all the money required. It is thought that there is a good opening for such an enterprise as the railroads cannot keep up with the great growth of trade, especially in the west. Rhodes Curry & Company, of Annapolis, are turning out cars by the hundreds and they are at present the only car works in the maritime provinces. The promoters do not propose to build anything but flat and box cars leaving passenger coaches severely alone, but they claim to have practically an unlimited field and will be able to give employment to a large number of hands.

On Thursday last two young fishermen, Earl Steadman and Laurence Chayton, started early in the morning from Young's Cove to go fishing. They had not been long on the water, before a breeze sprang up from the southward, which soon increased to quite a gale, sending them adrift. Many anxious ones were on the shore, watching the helpless victims. Knowing it would be useless to put forth any effort to save them. For two and a half hours they worked hard to reach the land but seemed to make very little progress. They struggled to two passing vessels, which happened to be in sight, but all to no purpose, as they must have been too far away to take any notice of them. Finding their labors were of no avail in that direction, they headed their dory for the opposite shore. About 4 o'clock the wind changed to the eastward, and they made up their minds to try for home once more. By hard rowing they managed to reach what is known as the Hogan Cove, a short distance above their own cove, between the hours of 12 and 1 o'clock at night. It seems rather wonderful that the father of the first named young man, who had been searching for miles up the shore, had some meetings of the boys, who have gone home and accompanied by another neighbor, with two lanterns in hand, were planning to set them up on a pole, in hopes that the lights might be some guide where they were in sight. Just as they were about to select a spot to fix the light, they came upon the boys, who had landed but a few moments before. The boys did not seem much the worse for their experience outside of being hungry and somewhat sore from their exertions in rowing. Considering they were not widely experienced in the sea-faring life, they showed remarkably good judgment in managing their boat.

A new plate glass front is being put in the old Murdoch building.

Digby correspondence to the Halifax Herald says: The dogfish have assumed entire charge of the inshore fisheries of the Bay of Fundy and St. Mary's Bay, and have completely invested the inshore waters since the first of September. Practically all the boat fishing it has been possible to carry on, has been conducted in the large power boats, which are able to go from ten to fifteen miles off shore returning the same day. For the past three weeks owing to the heavy weather, even such fishing has been altogether suspended. Experienced fishermen at the different posts along this part of the coast say two things necessary to preserve the fisheries are a salt water hatchery and an effective system for the destruction and utilization of dogfish, and that matters continue to go as at present boat fishing will be a thing of the past within twenty years.

Captain Eaton Chute who took charge of Captain Longmire's vessel when the captain was taken ill, met with an accident last Wednesday night which resulted in his death on Sunday. He attempted to go on deck about midnight, his vessel lying in the stream at Round Hill, to see that everything was all right, and in going up the companionway fell backward striking his head on the cabin floor. His fall aroused his shipmates, who went at once to his assistance and found him unconscious. He was taken ashore next morning and conveyed to the residence of Fred Armstrong and Dr. Armstrong summoned from Bridgetown. Nothing could be done, however, and after remaining unconscious until Sunday noon he passed away. He has sailed out of the maritime province ports for many years, principally in the West India and Boston trades. The funeral will take place yesterday. Interment being at Hampton. Our Hampton correspondent writes as follows: We have to report the death of our friend and village, Captain Eaton Chute. He left home on Wednesday last in the afternoon and the schooner dropped down to Tuppersville during the night. It is supposed he went on deck and returned to the cabin, fell and struck on his head and became unconscious. He lived till Sunday afternoon and wife and three children to mourn the never become conscious. He leaves a loss of a kind husband and father, and our villagers lose a kind friend and neighbor.

HYMENEAL

WHITMAN-ROBBLEE.

A happy event occurred on the evening of November 20th, at the home of Capt. and Mrs. Jacob Robblee, Lower Granville, when their eldest daughter, Mary Fisher, was married to Fred Whitman, of Aylesford. The ceremony was performed in the presence of about fifty guests by the Rev. Lew Wallace, one of the vicars, assisted by Pastor P. S. Kinley. When the time for the ceremony arrived the bride appeared supported by her father. She was dressed in white silk trimmed with chiffon. She wore a veil and orange blossoms and carried a bouquet of white chrysanthemums. The bride's little sister, Alice Robblee acted as maid of honor. Mendelssohn's wedding march was artistically rendered by Miss Mabel Robaker, of Stony Beach. After the ceremony refreshments were served and a very pleasant evening was spent by all. The bride received many valuable gifts. Mr. and Mrs. Whitman left on Wednesday for their home in Aylesford where they were given a reception on Thursday evening.

District Meeting.

The Annapolis County District meeting met at West Paradise Monday evening and all day Tuesday, Nov. 26th and 27th. There were present seven pastors and two visitors, Rev. G. J. C. White from the Northwest, and Rev. E. Bosworth, secretary of Grand Ligne Mission, who added greatly to the interest of the meetings. Several of our pastors being engaged in special services, could not be present. A good congregation was present on Monday evening. Rev. G. J. C. White spoke in a very instructive and interesting manner upon the work in the northwest, presenting the needs and the reason why we should seek to supply those needs. Tuesday morning church reports were given, which were very hopeful. A number reported conversions. At 11 o'clock, P. S. Kinley, Lic., now laboring at Lower Granville, preached a practical, pointed and profitable sermon from Luke 24:49.

In the afternoon Rev. A. T. Dyke-man read an excellent paper upon "What is the Greatest Question in Theological Discussion Today?" Bro. Dyke-man thinks the inspiration of scripture to be the greatest question. Discussion followed, participated in by Bros. White, Bosworth and others. In the evening Rev. E. Bosworth spoke from Ps. 101: 6 and 7, and placed his work before us in a very forcible manner to an intensely interested congregation. Thus closed a grand district meeting, one long to be remembered.

A special district meeting will be held in New Albany Dec. 17th and 18th. The next regular meeting will be held at Turbrook in Feb. 1907.—Com.

Steamer Foundered With All Hands

(Special Despatch to the Monitor.)
Detroit, Mich., Nov. 28.—A Free Press "special" from Warton, Ont., says the steaming tugboat J. H. Jones, owned by the Crawford Tug Company, a local concern, foundered off Cape Croker Thursday afternoon and all hands were lost. The crew consisted of twelve men, all from Warton. The number of passengers is estimated at sixteen. The Jones plied between Owen Sound, Warton and Manitoulin, island ports, and was commanded by Captain Crawford, a fresh water navigator of large experience. A part of the cabin, a life boat and two unfastened bodies have been found by the Indians on the north shore of the Christian Islands. Boats were now out from here, Owen Sound and Parry Sound, looking for survivors and wreckage.

American Vessel Confiscated

(Special Despatch to the Monitor.)
Toronto, Nov. 28.—Chief Justice Mulock has decided that the American tug William D. Lyngard, of Port Dover, is a foreign vessel. The tug was found fishing in Canadian waters and had fish on board when taken for violation of the act respecting the fishing. His Lordship adds that the vessel and equipment are forfeited to the King.

H. M. S. Dominion Still at Bermuda

(Special Despatch to the Monitor.)
London, Nov. 28.—The admiralty has received advice that H. M. S. Dominion will not return to Chatham till February next. She is still in dock at Bermuda. It is feared that the damage from the recent grounding is more serious than anticipated. There is no knowledge of what action if any, the admiralty intend to take regarding Capt. Kingsmill, the responsible officer.

Stolen Mail Matter Found in Hotel

(Special Despatch to the Monitor.)
Toronto, Nov. 28.—Found in the water tank of the Lavatories of the Iquois Hotel yesterday were about one thousand letters and postals addressed to different people in different parts of the province. Apparently this is the result of a mail robbery as every letter had been torn open. Several letters were addressed to banks and had contained bank cheques. The letters were of different dates, but all in the month of November. The letters are being carefully dried and the detective departments are working on the case. So far there have been no reports of any mail robberies and the post office authorities were surprised to hear about it.

PERSONAL MENTION

O. A. Nickerson, of Yarmouth, was in town last week.
Dr. Armstrong has sold his farm in Bridgetown west to John Elliott.
L. D. Shafter, Mrs. Shafter and son left for England via Halifax on Monday. They will sail by the Furness liner Annapolis.
Councillor Jas. R. DeWitt went to Wolfville on Saturday to consult his brother, Dr. DeWitt, regarding the continued trouble with his arm.

What Law Can Do.

No one supposes that the law can make men temperate but law can shut up these bars and dram shops which facilitate and feed intemperance, which double our taxes, trouble the police and property and life, and make the masses fools in the hands of designing men to undermine and cripple laws. (Wendell Phillips).

Grand Display of Fall Millinery

We are receiving every day the very latest in Ladies, Misses and Children's Felt Hats. Our stock of Millinery this season is large and only the newest designs we are showing. We have a full staff of experienced help and our aim is to please our customers. We are able to sell at a great saving to our customers. We invite the Ladies of Bridgetown to visit our Millinery Parlors and see what we have to show them.

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MARRIED

WHITMAN-ROBBLEE—At Flower Granville, Nov. 20th, at the residence of the bride's father, Fred Whitman, of Wilmet to Mary F., daughter of Capt. Jacob V. Robblee.

Some newspaper men are terrible liars. In writing of a cyclone west one of them said it turned a well inside out, a cellar upside down, moved a township line, blew the staves out of a whiskey barrel and let nothing but the bung hole, changed the day of the week, blew a mortgage off a farm, blew all the corks out of a fence, and knocked the wind out of a politician. We might have believed all the rest but when it comes to the last clause we make no hesitation in pronouncing the whole thing a fake.

What will not men do for the filthy purse? That the love of money is the root of all evil has and is proving itself out in many ways. Can Fran-is-o, in its hour of trouble, has had this clearly proven, the dishonest city officials lining their pockets with the money which the outside world sent for the assistance in upbuilding the city and the sustenance of its unfortunate people. The mayor and other officials of that city are now under indictment for crimes that shock the whole country, and still they have the support of a large number of citizens who have probably themselves profited in some way by the dishonesty of this band of grafters. Where will it all end?

XMAS HINTS

What nice present can you give—
A Tabart Inn Book making the recipient a permanent member.
A Waterman Fountain Pen.
A bottle of our extra fine line of French Perfumes.
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