

The Weekly Monitor.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 3, 1896.

Now that the time is at hand when the attention of the yeomanry of our country will be turned to the performance of statute labor on our roads, it is of great importance that the work of this season in this respect should be most effectively and satisfactorily accomplished.

Although many of the roads in Annapolis county are in fair condition, there are few as good as they should be. The fault in this is partly due to the system under which the work is done and partly to the indifference on the part of those who perform it.

Many of those who do road work do it with an eye single to putting in the money, and the fact that good roads are an asset to the community is not a consideration to them.

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On this phase of the subject the following from a bulletin recently issued by the Ontario Agricultural Department is one of the latest utterances: "Many people who have not studied the subject of improved roads do not understand the immense benefits which they bring to a community."

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Local and Special News.

The Atlantic Weekly, published at Dartmouth, in its obituary upon the death of the late Mrs. C. H. Harvey, has the following:

"The news of the death of Mrs. C. H. Harvey on Tuesday morning came with such startling suddenness on those who had seen her well and full of life only a few hours before, that it seemed impossible to believe the report. Mrs. Harvey had been on the lakes on Monday on a picnic, and returned home on Tuesday morning, and the afternoon she complained of a feeling of stiffness, and almost immediately afterwards she fell back, struck with apoplexy never to again recover consciousness. On Tuesday at 2 p.m. she succumbed to the attack. Mrs. Harvey was a lady of most amiable and kindly nature, ever ready to assist those in need in any way in her power. She never spared herself to alleviate the wants or sufferings of others. Of a genial and happy disposition she made many firm friends who heard of her sudden demise with profound regret. The sudden bereavement is a great blow to her husband and her family who have the fullest sympathy of the entire community."

The funeral of the deceased took place at Dartmouth from her late residence on Thursday afternoon last and was one of the largest ever witnessed on a week day in that town. The floral tributes were numerous and appropriate, many of them coming from friends living a long distance away. Among the chief mourners were her brother, Mr. Samuel FitzRandolph, of this town, and her cousin, Hon. A. FitzRandolph, of Fredericton.

At Forest Glen, Annapolis county, on May 23rd, David Bent, son of the late Asaph Bent, passed peacefully away after days and nights of suffering, which was borne without a murmur, aged 65 years, leaving a widow, three sons and three daughters to mourn their irreparable loss. Mr. Bent, like his father before him, was a man of worth and will be greatly missed not only in his own home where he was much beloved, but in the community where he lived. In times of sickness and bereavement he was ever ready with his offered aid and sympathy, and none ever asked a favor that was turned away if it was in his power to grant it. Honest and upright in his dealings with his fellow men, a consistent member of the church of his choice, but by no means a bigot, when his health permitted his place was seldom vacant in some of the most important churches. His funeral was largely attended. Rev. T. Tingley, Baptist, conducted the services at the house, Rev. J. S. Coffin at the church and grave. Rev. R. G. Strachan, Presbyterian, offered up the closing prayer. He leaves beside his immediate family two sisters, Mrs. Stronach, wife of the postmaster at Stronach, Me., and Mrs. Hoyt Foster, of Somerville, Me. The remains were laid to rest in the cemetery at Kingsport Station in sure and certain hope of a glorious resurrection. One who knew him for years offers this tribute to his memory.

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The object of his lecture free was to give information to as many as possible and direct the attention of our young men who are desirous of leaving home to the "Great North-West." Mr. Young promises to give the people of Bridgetown a lecture in the fall, when he will be prepared to continue the trip, giving some fine views of Rocky Mountain scenery, and the complete of the C. P. R. route over there. We understand that he intends to give an evening to nearly every section of the county. A number of requests are already before him.

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Fire at Inglisville. The house belonging to and occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Callahan, at Inglisville, was totally destroyed by fire on Friday last about 7 o'clock in the evening. At the time the flames broke out both occupants were absent from the building. The house and its contents were soon demolished by the devouring element and the loss is a quite severe one to the aged couple. No insurance.

Golden Wedding. Mr. and Mrs. Israel I. Troop, of Cranville Ferry, observed the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage on Tuesday evening, 26th ult. About forty guests were present among whom were Mr. and Mrs. John Welsh, of Digby, and others who were very respected, and expressed unfeignedly the high esteem in which the aged couple are held by their friends.

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New Advertisements.

Cures untold. Have been wrought by the wondrous "East India Lintment" - not a case known where it's proven weak or worthless. 'Tis not an ordinary medicament. It is a specific for all kinds of rheumatism, neuralgia, sciatica, sprains, cuts, etc. Details in large circular. Seavey's East India Lintment. Sold by Druggists and Dealers. East India Lintment Co., Margarettville, N.S.

FRESH SALMON TO-DAY. Bridgetown Meat Market (McCormick's Store, Queen St.)

Schr. "PILOT," Capt. Thos. H. Beardsley. Port Lorne and St. John. All Freight handled with Care. When orders are not in order may be left at the office.

Why is our trade increasing so rapidly? Because Dress Goods! We aim to please our customers and keep up with the times in supplying them with everything the market affords.

G. M. MOORE, DEALER IN ALL KINDS OF FARM MACHINERY. MOVING MACHINES, HORSE RAKES, REAPERS AND BINDERS, SPRING TOOTH HARROWS, PLOWS AND CULTIVATORS, ROAD MACHINES, FERRY CUTTERS AND PULPERS, HORSE HAY FORKES, THRESHING MACHINES. Repairs and Supplies for all kinds of Agricultural Implements.

GLOBE STEAM LAUNDRY and Dye Works. HALIFAX. Five months ago we opened an agency in this town, and since then our business has been steadily increasing. Do the Best Work in the province. W. D. LOCKETT, Agent, - - - Bridgetown, 1895. Letter "A." No. 46.

IN THE SUPREME COURT, SOLOMON DREW, - - - Plaintiff, THE MITCHELL FALLS MILLING COMPANY, - - - Defendant. To be sold at Public Auction by the Sheriff of the County of Annapolis, in his behalf, on SATURDAY, the 4th day of JULY, 1896, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

Groceries. When in need of any thing in this line give us a call. We will give you the best articles. Try my KIPPERED HERRING. Fruit. I intend again this season giving Pine Apples, Bananas and Blood Oranges now in stock. Confections. I try to get the best and will give you the best. Toilet Articles. Perfumes, Fancy Soap, Combs, Tooth, Nail and Hair Brushes. Stationery. Paper and Envelopes and quality. Also Writing Pads, Pens and Ink. Patent Medicines. A large assortment always in stock. Seeds. Now is the time to get your Garden and Flower Seeds.

TEA and COFFEE. R. ALLEN CROWE'S is the BEST PLACE to buy your Garden Hose. JUST RECEIVED: 500 feet of best 3-ply Rubber Hose, and wire covered, from 9c. up. Barrel Churns, Pumps, Massalines, Granite Irons, Sheet Zinc, Oil Stoves, and all kinds of Kitchen Furnishings. Custom-made Tinware of all kinds on hand and made to order.

H. R. SHAW. My PRICES ARE LOW, in many cases being below St. John figures. My stock is Large, New, and carefully selected. I have a SPECIAL SNAP to offer this season in GLASS. It will pay you to get my prices before buying elsewhere. RICHARD SHIPLEY.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

SPRING GREETING. Our Spring Greeting for 1896 is issued under particularly favorable auspices. The business situation is much brighter, and goods and prices favor the purchaser in a way not equalled for years. So buoyant are all the prospects, that we have prepared to meet our large and growing custom, by purchasing the Largest, Choicest and Most Representative Stock of Goods we have yet had the pleasure of placing before the public. In selecting which, we have been guided by the unwavering principle - "to secure the very best." Where style was the consideration we have insisted on goods faultlessly fashioned; and in all classes of goods we demanded those that

Look Best, Wear Best, Sell Best, and were, in fact, the best and newest procurable. These we purchased carefully and methodically, buying close and figuring a narrow margin of profit, so that we can offer the same for much less than the ordinary cost. Our patrons form a community possessed of good taste, and endowed with a discriminating sense of harmony and appropriateness, and we ask for a test of our resources and ability to meet the needs of every patron, feeling that we never so well equipped to supply their wants.

BETTER GOODS AT JUST AS FINE PRICES and from just as good people right in their own community. Our store is as heretofore a place where all are cordially welcome, a place where goods, prices and courteous treatment are just right. Thanking you one and all for your valued patronage during the past seven years, trusting you will continue to show your appreciation of our efforts in your behalf and promising to guard well your interests this spring of 1896, as the champion of low prices, superior goods and honest treatment.

J. W. BROOKWITH & SON. Good Butter, Eggs and Wool always in demand. S. H. BEARDSLEY. We remain faithfully yours, J. W. BROOKWITH & SON. Good Butter, Eggs and Wool always in demand.

NEW SPRING AND SUMMER STOCK of English, Canadian and American DRY GOODS! We beg to announce to the public that our Spring and Summer Stock is now complete in every line, and having purchased more largely than usual in order to meet the demands of the public generally, we feel assured when you inspect some of our stock that you will find one of the largest and newest stocks shown in the country. REMEMBER we deem it a pleasure to show you goods.

Parasols in plain, fancy and shot effects, Gloves, Hosiery, Underwear, Ready-made Wrappers, Waists and White Wear. MEN'S FURNISHINGS! In this line we are second to none, having our own Tailors, Hatters, and Milliners, and Children's Ready-made Clothing, La Belle Croquis, etc. HOUSE FURNISHINGS! Carpets, Lace Curtains, Chenille Portieres, Table Covers, Table Linens, Napkins, Sheetings, White and Grey, Pillow Cases, etc. Also large assortment of Wall Paper, Curtain Poles, Roller Blinds, etc.

BLACK DRESS GOODS A Specialty! We have an immense stock of these goods in plain and fancy. Also for Fancy Waists a large lot of patterns in silk and wool. China Silks, Satin Silks, Rayon, Kasha Fast, Color Washing Silks from 20c per yard up.

NEW TWEEDS, GREY AND WHITE COTTONS, Prints, Shirtings, Etc. Men's Underwear and Drawers, 30c each. All-wool Tweeds from 50c to \$1.00 per yard. Ladies' Underwear from 8c each up. Check Shirtings from 6c to 15c per yard. Two pieces Summer Dress Goods reduced to 5c per yard and vesting by the yard. Park's Cotton Warp, 80c bunch, cash.

STRONG & WHITMAN. We have the sole control of this unqualified line for the town. Ask for Onyx Hosiery and take no other for a substitute, as they are the best. FANCY COTTON GOODS! We can show you one of the largest assortments in this line to be found in the West, comprising French and Canadian goods, such as French and Canadian Hosiery, German and Canadian Crinolines, Crepe Cottons, a very large quantity of Onyx Hosiery, La Belle Croquis, etc. HOUSE FURNISHINGS! Carpets, Lace Curtains, Chenille Portieres, Table Covers, Table Linens, Napkins, Sheetings, White and Grey, Pillow Cases, etc. Also large assortment of Wall Paper, Curtain Poles, Roller Blinds, etc.

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