The Weekly Monitor.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 27TH, 1883.

"A man down in Georgia has discovered something that will keep the worms and bugs out of a peach orchard and can whip the English sparrow. *The Atlanta Constitution* says: "All over his orchard are old gourds, boxes, cans, etc., placed on stumps, fences, and trees. These are the homes of the worm destroyer, and they are the little bluebirds, which are so numerous in our state. For five years he has been putting and raising these little birds, and to day he has about five hundred. He prizes them so highly that he will prosecute anyone for killing them as quick as he would for killing one of his pigs. They do their work so effectually that he is troubled very little with worms. The bluebird eats nothing but bugs and worms, and can whip the English sparrow."

The above should point a broad moral to our farmers. If song birds, or almost any of our native birds were encouraged to make their nests and hatch their young in our gardens and orchards, and were rigidly protected from mischievous youngsters and wanton sportsmen, there would be far less complaint about army worms, caterpillars, grubs, potato bugs, and like pests. What are a few cherries, fruits and seeds in comparison to the incalculable good that birds do in our fields and gardens. The trouble comes from man imagining that he know more than the Creator. Insect life was ordained for some good and wise purpose; but if allowed to increase unchecked would destroy all vegetation, and it seems as if the birds were appointed the natural foes of all insects, and their *larvee*—at all events, in nature's economy there is a direct relation between birds and insects, and if nature was allowed to keep the balance between the two of these lower forms of life, a different state of things would exist than at present. But no, the birds take a few cherries, and out come scare crows, nets, shot-guns, bird lime, traps, which together with the natural destruction of bird life, destroys the nice adjustment that was meant to exist, insect life predominates and the country suffers accordingly.

W. & A. R.

During the past winter and spring the Windsor & Annapolis Railway Co. have made quite a renovation of their road bed and their rolling stock, bringing both up to the increasing requirements of the day; thus showing a laudable desire to cater to the wants of the travelling public and of shippers. Some of the most noticeable alterations made may be classed under three heads, viz: Locomotive power, better passenger accommodation, increased freight facilities, and extensive repairs to road bed.

In the locomotive department we notice that most of the engines have had a thorough overhauling. New parts have been put in, and modern improvements made. Engine No. 9 has received a new steel fire box, a Mack's patent injector, new steel tires and new steel piston rods. These improvements and a coat of paint and varnish make her about as good as new. The passenger cars are being fitted with the celebrated Miller self couplers and platforms, and negotiations are now pending with the parties controlling the patent for the Westinghouse air brakes, to apply them to the cars on this road, which, if done, will make the road A1. Ten new freight cars, of fifteen tons capacity each, and of latest pattern, have been purchased. Most of the cattle cars are rebuilt and renovated to suit the requirements of the road, and add to the comfort of stock carried.

The road bed has received a large amount of repair,—wooden bridges are being filled up, culverts and cattle guards renewed, pole and board fencing put up and replaced, new sleepers laid and two hundred tons of steel rails imported to be laid. On many sections, wire fencing has taken the place of wood, some twenty eight miles of such fence being now erected. New track scales to weigh freight and coals are being erected at Kentville. During the year no material change has been made in the official management of the road with the exception of that of traffic manager. Mr. John Carroll, one of the old conductors has assumed the arduous duties of that department, and from what we can learn is giving general satisfaction.

—From all accounts that we can glean, the apple crop this year will be a comparative failure throughout the county. The same sort of a grub as mentioned in Clarence items seems to have made its appearance very generally, and the damage caused is great. Some say the grub is not a new visitant, but was noticed several years ago, though in such small numbers as to excite little attention. It is in appearance a small, dark colored grub and curls up and lies in the leaves and blossoms, feeding principally on the latter. Too much dependence must not be placed on reports thus early in the season, but we fear the complaints are too well founded to be pleasant. Our farmers may derive some consolation from the fact that apples would not be likely to command any but ordinary prices in the London markets this year, judging from Messrs. Garcia, Jacobs & Co's circular in another column.

—The Presbyterian, Lutheran, Baptist and Methodist ministers of Bridgewater, N. S., have published a card in which they say that. "In consequence of the recent tragic event in our village, arising from the fact that the liquor traffic is carried on in our community in defiance of law, human and divine, we pledge ourselves one to the other not to attend the funeral of any person dying while engaged in the iniquitous business."

Considerable discussion has been aroused by this card, which is an innovation as surprising as it is new.

—Thursday being the one hundred and thirty-fourth anniversary of the settlement of Halifax, it was observed as a general holiday and business was totally suspended. There were few events to celebrate the day, and these were somewhat marred by unpropitious weather throughout until dark, there being frequent showers, and at night a steady heavy fall of rain.

—To vary the monotony of hurricanes, floods now have the floor in the Western Central States of the Union. Fish Lake Levee burst at St. Louis, Mo., on the 22nd inst., and destroyed about $100,000 worth of property, while in Nebraska floods have caused about the same amount of loss in property and of several lives besides.

—Jay Eye See is the euphonious name of a new trotter that is now attracting sportsmen's attention in New York. He stands 15¼ hands high, is five years old, and is credited with a record of 2.16¾. His owner is J. I. Case, of Racine, Wis., and it was from this gentleman's initials the horse was named. Jay Eye See is by Dictator, dam, Midnight, by Pilot, Jr.

ANNAPOLIS ITEMS.

—The moonlight excursion was not a success. Only about a hundred people attended in all.

—Monday next July 2nd, promises to be a great gala day in the history of Annapolis Royal. Preparations are being made on every hand to afford pleasure and amusement to visitors to "Ye Antient Town," on Dominion Day.

The Baptist congregations of Annapolis and Round Hill, will hold a Bazaar, Tea-meeting, etc., etc., in the old Garrison grounds. There is to be a gathering of prominent gentlemen from all parts of the County, who will entertain each other and the multitudes who are expected to listen, with stirring speeches suitable for the occasion.

The Annapolis Royal Rink Company have a large force busily engaged laying down a floor in their Rink, which will be in readiness for the grand exhibition of Roller Skating on the holiday. Several professional Roller Skaters from Boston, will take part in this exhibition—a novelty to our people. The Rink will be a great source of attraction on Dominion day.

The whole will close with a grand desplay of Fire Works in the evening.

OBIT.—Mr. Charles M. Forbes died at this town on Saturday, 23rd inst., after an illness of about three months. He was born in Nairn, Scotland on the 30th of June 1811, and came to Nova Scotia in 1835. After teaching a grammar school at Antigonish for four years, he removed to Annapolis, and took charge of the head department of the Annapolis Academy, which position he filled for some 12 years. For about the same period he was engaged in a mercantile pursuit, after which time he filled the office of Registrar of Probate for the county until his death. He was 82 years of age; a member of the Presbyterian Church; marked by great decision of character, and respected by all who knew him.

—Dr. Bingay and family have removed to Briar Island.

Margaretville.

TRIPLE BIRTH.—Mrs. Wesley Bowlby, of this place gave birth to triplets on Friday last. The latter have since died. Mrs. Bowlby has been married twice, and the mother of several children before the triple birth took place.

ATTEMPTED INCENDIARISM.—On Thursday morning last, after the keeper of the lighthouse at this place, had put out the lights, he found that during a short absence between going to his house and returning to clean his lamps that some incendiary fiend had broken one of the panes of glass in a lower window and had started a fire on the window sill. The keeper extinguished the fire without much trouble. The gallows would be too good a punishment for a "fire bug" that would burn a lighthouse down, and thus cause, perhaps the loss of many lives.

—Herring struck in plentifully last week.

—Mr. W. H. McLean now caters to the wants of the travelling public at the Village House.

Bear River Items.

—On the 9th inst., the house of Mr. John Berry, of the line road, near Bear River, was destroyed by fire. Probably a defective flue.

—To many the words "Bear River" and "cherries" are synonymous. There is likely to be a separation between them this season. It looks now as though the crop will be very small.

—The Western Baptist Association of N. S. is to meet at Bear River in June 1884, unless, as some say, the world ends this year.

—Report says that Wm. S. Fullerton, M. D., of Bear River is about starting for Dakota. Mr. F. is a young man of much promise, and many friends will be sorry to have him leave the Province.

DIGBY.—A fire broke out in the large building owned by Hon. E. R. Oakes on Water Street on Sunday morning last. It fortunately happened to be high water, and about the time that the people were in the streets on their way to the churches, consequently with plenty of help and water the fire was soon brought under control. The fire was caused by a lighted cigar stump or smouldering match incautiously thrown into a box of sawdust. The damage by water and breakage is considerable.

The tide of summer travel is flowing strongly in this direction this year. Nearly every room in hotels and private boarding houses has been engaged before hand.

The prisoner Robinson at the sitting of the Supreme Court just closed, was found guilty of larceny on one indictment, and of arson on a second indictment. He was sentenced to 3 years in Dorchester Penitentiary for larceny, and 7 years in same institution for arson.

CLARENCE.—Mr. James Cornwall is putting up a barn, to be constructed after modern ideas. It will be about the largest in the County.

The apple crop will be very small this year. The canker worm and a new sort of a pest that curls up the leaves, and feeds directly upon and destroys the blossom have committed great damage. The Nonpareil and Baldwin trees have suffered the most severely, and the Bishop Pippin the least.

Rain is needed now. The quantity of rain that fell during the first of the season, followed by the hot weather of the past week or ten days has somewhat baked the soil.

The hay crop promises fairly well. As to the other crops it is rather premature to form an opinion on them.

GRANVILLE.—An expensive arboiteau that was being built on the creek running through the marsh owned by Hon. W. B. Troop, was swept up the creek by the tide on Friday morning last, and afterwards broke up. About $1000 in cash had been laid out on the work, not counting labor, which will probably bring the loss up to $1500. A few more days would have made the work quite secure.

Local and Other Matter.

—Walter W. Amberman, has received a mate's certificate at the meeting of the Marine Board at Yarmouth, lately held.

GOOD FOR HOME ENTERPRISE.—Messrs. Small & Fisher, of Woodstock N. B., are shipping threshing machines to British Columbia.

—J. W. Beckwith is now paying the highest price in cash or trade for eggs. He has been paying 15c for the past few weeks, and daily expecting instructions to advance. 1i.

—Two New Zealand passenger steamers collided off the British coast on Friday night last. One sank in two minutes. The other appears to have not been damaged. Twenty-five persons were drowned.

—The Ontario Methodist Conference has adopted the basis of Union by a clear hundred majority, the vote standing 137 to 37.

—Choice Valencia Oranges and Lemons for sale by R. Shipley. 1i

—Lieut.-Governor Archibald's term of office expires on the 4th inst. Mr. Richey will probably be sworn in on the 5th. It is reported that Mr. John H. Stairs will be the Government candidate for the seat made vacant by Mr. Richey's appointment.

—The potato bug has not yet appeared in this County as far as we can learn.

—Teamsters are commencing to haul in lumber from Randolph's mills. About 800,000 ft. have been sawed up to the present time.

—A change has come to hand for the adv. of the N. S. S. S. Co., which will be made in our next. Their boats in the Boston service leave Annapolis on Monday, and Yarmouth on Wednesday and Saturday.

—The Kings Co., trotting mare Bonny Doon has been sold by the owner Mr. Blanchard to Mr. Harry Harding, of Maitland, Hants Co., for $350.

—A circular from Messrs. John S. Townsend & Co., of London, Eng., quote prices for apples sold the 4th inst., at from 11s. 6d. to 20s.

—Rev. E. P. Moore, and R. L. Hardwick Esq. have been appointed commissioners of schools for West District of Annapolis, in the place of, respectively, Rev. T. A. Higgins, removed from the County, and John L. Rice, Esq., deceased.

—Fresh Syrups, and Lime Juice for sale by R. Shipley. 1i

—In order to clear out the balance of Spring Stock of Carpets, J. W. Beckwith is now selling them at cost. 1i

—Now is the time for summer tourists to visit this valley. The country is looking perfectly lovely, and driving or walking through our highways and bye ways with their wealth of picturesque scenery on every hand, is keenly enjoyed by all lovers of nature.

—The auctions of the goods of Mr. Wm. M. Tupper, an absent debtor of this town, have about closed. Fair prices were realized throughout for the articles sold. Our regular traders are feeling the effects of the above sales and also of those now in progress in the upper part of the county.

—A large supply of Canned Goods and Jams, just received and for sale at usual low prices by R. Shipley. 1i

ARRIVED.—Schr. Atlanta, Berry, from Parrsboro, with a load of Spring Hill Coal for Capt. Fraser, arrived at this port on Monday last. Cleared yesterday.

—New Lace Ties, new Lace Fichus, new Black and White Laces, new Hamburgs, just received at J. W. Beckwith's. 1i.

—Sunday and Monday last were two of the hottest days of the season. On Sunday, the thermometer registered 87° and on Monday between 90° and 95°. Yesterday was much cooler.

—The next monthly meeting of the A. C. G. League, will be held at Bridgetown, on Tuesday, the 3rd of July, in Olive Branch Division room. A goodly attendance of the members is requested.

—Wait for the new Dongola Ladies Kid Boots, now on the way for J. W. Beckwith. 1i

—Farmers in the Ottawa Valley anticipate a heavy hay crop, but are by no means as sanguine regarding grain crops, owing to continuous wet weather. The low lands are suffering severely from moisture. In some instances farmers have been obliged to plant potatoes a second time, the seed having rotted in the ground.

—The superintendent, teachers, and pupils of the "Halifax Institution for the Blind," intend giving a concert in this town during next month. The entertainment is said to be of a high order, and together with its worthy object should attract a large audience.

—A vessel bottom up, only keel visible, apparently large dimension, was passed, no date, 25 miles SSE of Cape Canaveral by steamer Kate Carroll, at New Orleans, June 10, from Philadelphia. A dangerous obstacle to navigation.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. Avery Brown of Halifax, recently took passage to St. John from Portland, via one of the International steamers. Soon after leaving Portland, Mrs. Brown, who was apparently in usual health, retired to her stateroom, and was found an hour or two later dead. Cause, heart disease. The husband was almost dazed with grief.

—Under Soloder, that educated African, from half a dozen different islands in the Pacific, who can speak all the languages living and dead, and who has dined off yams and rattlesnakes, in the days when he wasn't educated we suppose, and who usually contrives to make himself remembered at every place he visits, through a virtue which he possesses in common with some others less talented, viz: that of obtaining all he can and paying nothing for it, has turned up at last accounts in Cape Breton, this time as a Fiji Islander.

—A full supply of Haying Tools, at low prices, for sale by R. Shipley. See adv. next week. 1i.

IMPROVEMENTS ROUND TOWN.—Road work has fairly begun, and our streets are assuming a much cleaner and tidier appearance.

The bridge commissioner has been ordered to "go for" all who trot their horses over the bridge. The structure is being seriously injured by the continual disregard of the law by numbers of persons in this respect, and we are glad to see a few examples are about to be made.

R. E. FitzRandolph, Esq., has put up a neat fence in front of his residence, running on a line with his store; but in doing so he was unfortunately compelled to cut down the two handsome locust trees that have so long stood there.

Mr. John Ross, saddler, is decorating his shop with a new coat of paint.

COLLEGE STUDENTS.—About the 1st of July, a party of eight students will set out from King's College, Windsor, and will visit in order Kentville, Bridgetown, Annapolis, Digby, Yarmouth, Shelburne, Liverpool, Bridgewater, Lunenburg and Chester. At each of these places they will give a "College Entertainment," consisting of popular college songs and choruses, dramatic representations, songs, glees, etc., etc. The object is to assist in raising an endowment fund for King's College. The dramatic part of the performance will consist of Gilberts' celebrated "Tom Cobb or Fortune's Toy," and "Two Gentlemen in a Fix." There is no doubt that the entertainment will be a very popular one, not only from the very novelty of it, but because (if the editor of the "Windsor Mail" is to be believed) the students of King's always can give good entertainments. They will be in Bridgetown on the 4th of July. For further particulars see handbills.

—Supreme Court continued its sittings on Wednesday the 20th instant, when the two Diviney's were tried, and notwithstanding his Lordship, Judge Rigby, in reviewing the evidence, told the jury that it was not by any means conclusive of the prisoners guilt, and that they were entitled to the benefit of any doubtful evidence, they were found guilty, whereupon the Judge sentenced them to five years imprisonment in Dorchester penitentiary, J. M. Owen Esq. defended the prisoner.

The Indian, Paul, was tried on Thursday morning, and found not guilty. Not being able to employ counsel, W. B. A. Ritchie Esq., was appointed for defence, and conducted it so ably as to elicit complimentary reference by His Lordship in his charge to the jury.

The bills against Sheriff Robinson, Foehner and Magee were thrown out by the Grand Jury.

Court adjourned on Thursday morning.

DENTISTRY.—F. Primrose D. D. S. will be at Mrs. Ainsley's, Bridgetown, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, and at his office, Primrose's Drug Store, Annapolis, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, of each week. tf

STRAWBERRIES.—Cultivated strawberries are just about making their appearance. Mr. G. C. Miller of Middleton, will place a regular supply of the Sharpless Seedling, one of the best varieties, on sale during the season, at Mr. Beckwith's store. The first are expected on Saturday next.

—We have received the copy of the new Time Table of the W. & A. Railway, but as we have not time to alter this week, we re-copy the paragraph in our last issue in reference to the changes: "The summer arrangement of the Windsor and Annapolis Railway went into operation on Monday last. Express trains going west, leave Halifax at 7.45 a. m., arriving at this station at 1.15 p. m., returning leave Annapolis at 2.20 p. m., arriving at this station at 3.00 p. m. Freight and passenger trains, leave Halifax every Monday, Wednesday and Friday mornings, arriving at this station at 4.38 p. m., returning, leave Annapolis on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday mornings, arriving at this station at 7.41 a. m."

The Nova Scotia Wesleyan Conference

The tenth annual session of the Nova Scotia Conference of the Wesleyan Church began in the Wesleyan Church, Milton, on Thursday, June 21st. The last session in Yarmouth was held six years ago. Rev. W. C. Brown, the retiring president, took the chair at 9 a. m. The usual devotional exercises were held, Rev. Dr. McMurray and Rev. Mr. Pretswood leading in prayer.

The election of officers was proceeded with and resulted in the choice of the following named.

President.—Rev. W. H. Hearts.
Secretary.—Rev. J. A. Rogers.
Journal Sec'y—Rev. C. Jost, A. M.
Assist. Secretaries—Revs. E. E. England, D. W. Johnson, A. B., and B. C. Borden.
Assistant Journal Sec'y—Rev. J. M. Fisher.
Conference Reporter to the Wesleyan—Rev. D. W. Johnson, A. B.

The first day was devoted to the missionaries and their stations.

The morning of Friday was taken up with routine business, and in the afternoon, ordination exercises, when Mr. J. E. Donkin was admitted to the ministry.

Monday and yesterday were occupied in discussing the basis of Union. A vote was expected to be arrived at by yesterday afternoon. A motion in favor was moved by Rev. J. Lathern and seconded by Rev. W. C. Brown. Resolution in amendment professing to favor union, but objecting to it on the proposed basis were moved by Rev. J. R. Bordon, and seconded by Rev. Thos. Rogers. A spirited discussion followed.

Fruit Circular.

London, 1st June, 1883.—The two past seasons for American apples cannot be termed satisfactory, the shipments compared with those of the season 1880-81 being insignificant, while prices, although ruling high, have left shippers little or no margin, owing to the enhanced value placed on the fruit on the American side. Buyers here have received no more benefit from the business than shippers, and it has been made pretty clear that in scarce years no one concerned in the trade derives much benefit from it. But American apples being now firmly established as one of the requirements of the country (so much so, that the old custom of holding up our own fruit for winter use is greatly diminished), the business in them is bound to continue in some shape or other. The trade look hopefully forward to the approaching autumn apple yield, which, all going well, it is believed, will enable the business to run to something like the proportions of the great crop of 1880, which showed so conclusively how large quantities could be handled.

Information as to European prospects is generally looked for at this period, and subjoined, we beg to furnish what may be considered reliable particulars should nothing unforeseen arise. It may be noted that everything is very backward, which affords the probability of present expectations being fully realised, but later on we shall issue a definite report.

Great Britain.—Cherries and Plums light. Small fruit abundant. Apples and pears unusually promising.

France.—Cherries and plums light. Small fruits a full average. Pears half-crop. Apples good.

Germany and Holland.—Everything very abundant.

Belgium.—Except plums, which in some districts are scarce, everything looks well, especially apples and Pears

Spain.—The crop of raisins is expected to be one of the heaviest recorded. Oranges and almonds, however, have suffered from frosts. The former will certainly be *at least* 30 per cent less than last year.

Turkey.—The prospects of good cheap figs and raisins are most encouraging.

It will thus be seen that 1883 promises large supplies, and, in our opinion, American shippers would do well to avoid going into the earlier varieties of fall fruit, which are no better when landed here than those at our own doors; whereas, we cannot produce anything to compete with such leading varieties as Baldwins, Spies, Spitz, Kings, Newtowns, Russets, &c. Above all, no attention should be given to cable reports of inflated prices obtained for a few early shipments.

GARCIA, JACOBS & CO.

—Hanlan, the invincible, has scored another victory with the single sculls, at the Pullman regatta which took place on the 20th inst. The single scull race was in three separate heats, and was participated in by fifteen oarsmen as follows:

First heat—Hanlan, McKay, Lee, Parker and Brickland.

Second heat—Hosmer, Plaisted, Riley, Teemer and Kennedy

Third heat—Hamm, Weisgerber, Gaudaur, Elliott and Clayton.

The first and second men in each heat joined in the decisive race at 4.30 p. m., for first second and third prizes. Five thousand spectators were present.

First heat was won by Hanlan in 22.19 with Lee 2nd and McKay 3rd.

Second heat was won by Hosmer in 23.16, with Teemer 2nd and Riley 3rd.

Third heat was won by Hamm, (a Halifax sculler), with Gaudaur 2nd and Clayton 3rd.

In the final struggle Hanlan won in 23.30, Hosmer following, and Hamm 3rd. A report says:

Hosmer proved to be the only man who could crowd Hanlan. In the final race of the day, after leading Lee he sprang alongside his great antagonist and raced him nearly to the turning or mile and a half buoy. Hanlan had to display his marvellous speed for fully that distance before he could shake him off. After that, Hanlan appeared to have it all his own way, and with a comfortable interlude between himself and Hosmer, he ventured to doff his red cap to those on the press boat, but he had no time for any more such pleasantries. He finished at a 32 stroke.

On the following day a double scull race took place between ten of the oarsmen, the two principal crews being Hanlan and Lee and Hosmer and McKay. The former came in 50 lengths ahead, besides stopping 6 sec. to admire the scenery. Time 19.37.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS THIS WEEK.

J W Whitman	Business
Geo Armstrong	New Store
W R Troop	Strayed or Stolen
John Z Bent	Notice
J W Beckwith	Business
E Ruggles (3rd page)	Foreclosure Notice
A C VanBuskirk	Electrical Appliances
W H McLean	Hotel Notice
L W Elliott	Auction
C L Eaton	Card

New Advertisements.

C. L. EATON
Commission Merchant
and Auctioneer, would respectfully solicit
CONSIGNMENTS
of all kinds of Country Produce.
Particular attention given to the following goods:
Butter, Fruits, Meats, Etc., Cheese, Berries, Poultry, Etc., Eggs, Vegetables, Smoked Fish, Etc.,
HIGHEST PRICES AND PROMPT RETURNS GUARANTEED.
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STRAYED OR STOLEN
from the pasture of the subscriber, between the 11th and 22nd of June, a pair of
SIX YEARS OLD OXEN,
one black and white, the other red and white, but red in the largest proportion. Any person giving information as to their whereabouts, will be handsomely rewarded for their trouble, and if stolen,
TEN DOLLARS
will be paid for such information as will lead to the apprehension and conviction of the offender. WM. R. TROOP.
Granville, June 27th, '83. 11tf

NOTICE.
TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN. I am ordered by the Municipal Council to fine all parties who in defiance of the law make a practice of trotting their horses through the Bridgetown Bridge. I therefore hereby notify the public that I will from this day forth, prosecute any person or persons who may wilfully trot their horses through the aforesaid bridge.
JOHN Z. BENT,
Commissioner.
Bridgetown, N. S., May 27th, '8 -

Village House
Margaretville, N. S.
The subscriber begs most respectful to intimate to the travelling public, that he has leased the above House, and will be prepared on and after the 25th inst., to accommodate both permanent and transient boarders. His table will be supplied with all the good things of the season. The Village House will be conducted on strictly temperate principles. A good stable well supplied with hay and oats, in connection with the house.
AS A SUMMER RESORT, MARGARETVILLE CANNOT BE EXCELLED.
W. H. McLEAN.
Margaretville, June 19th, 1883.

PUBLIC AUCTION!
To be sold at PUBLIC AUCTION, on
Thursday, July 5th,
at 3 o'clock p. m., in Brooklyn, the following property of the Brooklyn Cheese Manufacturing Company:
THE FACTORY BUILDING,
CHEESE VAT,
12 PRESSES, STOVE AND BOILER,
ALSO.—A quantity of Lumber, and other property of the Company.
Terms made known on day of sale.
L. W. ELLIOTT, Secy.

NEW STORE AT WILMOT!
The subscriber begs to notify his friends and the public generally, that he has removed his place of business from Victoria Vale, to the
E. C. Cummings Store, Wilmot,
where he will keep constantly on hand a general stock of Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots and Shoes, Glass and Crockery Ware, and other goods usually kept in a country store. Have also received a car load of Goldie's People's Brand of flour, which I will warrant to give best satisfaction. Also, Meal and Feeding Flour at prices that can't be beat.
GEO. ARMSTRONG.
Wilmot, June 25, '83. 11tf

Wants Supplied
AT
J. W. Whitman's, Lawrencetown.
The wants of the House in choice
FLOUR,
with P. G. Baking Powder, Spices and Fruits, Choicest Canned Goods, Jellies and
BISCUITS,
Superior Tea and Coffee, 25 to 60cts. per lb., Oatmeal, Rice, Salt and Vinegar, Brooms, and Carpet Sweepers.
CHINA, GLASSWARE AND EARTHENWARE IN SPECIAL LINES.
Extra value in Gray, White and Printed Cottons and Shirtings.
Preserving Kettles & Jars.
Men's Wants met in
HATS, CAPS, SHIRTS,
HOES, RAKES, FORKS, SHOVELS.
Mowing Machines and Horse Rakes.
Houses furnished with Patent Ex. Shades in all Colors and Widths, or Linen or Opaque Blinds.
OILCLOTHS.
June 22nd, 1883.

ELECTRICITY IS LIFE
Dr. C. P. FRENCH'S
Electro Magnetic
APPLIANCES.
I. BAKER, SOLE PROPRIETOR,
333 Washington St., Boston, Mass.
The subscriber having secured the
GENERAL AGENCY
For the above appliances is now prepared to fill all orders by mail, free of postage, when accompanied with the cash. Descriptive Circular mailed free on application.
We Warrant the Bands
WILL CURE ANY
Lame Back or Kidney Trouble!
Will Refund the Money in Every Case Where They Fail to Benefit.
AGENTS WANTED in all Sections where not already appointed, to whom a liberal commission will be given, to the right men.
A. C. VANBUSKIRK,
Kingston Station.
Kingston Station, June 25th, '83. 3m.
Insert 3m. Digby Courier, Western Chronicle and Windsor Mail.

New Advertisements. New Advertisements. New Advertisements.

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HAYING TOOLS!
DIRECT FROM THE MANUFACTURERS.
10 DOZ.
AMERICAN CLIPPER SCYTHES!
Price, $1.00 Cash.
6 DOZ.
AMERICAN SILVER STEEL SCYTHES,
Price, 90 cts. Cash.
5 DOZ.
AMERICAN SWEEPSTAKE SCYTHES
Price, 75 cts. Cash.
HAY RAKES, NO. 2, AT 20 CENTS CASH.
HAY RAKES NO. 1, AT 15 CENTS CASH.
Hay Forks, Whet Stones, Snaths, &c., at Equally Low Prices.
Do not forget that the above prices are for spot Cash only.

FLOUR!
JUST ARRIVED
A Cargo of Flour of the following Brands:
STAR, VICTORIA
OCEAN, ALBION.
Also:
OATMEAL, CORNMEAL,
SUGAR,
SALT, RAISINS, ETC.
A FULL ASSORTMENT OF
FRESH GROCERIES
ALWAYS ON HAND.
J. W. BECKWITH.

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STEAM
FURNITURE
WAREROOMS,
BRIDGETOWN!
THE Subscriber wishes to inform his numerous friends, and the public generally, that his Spring Stock of Furniture is now complete, and he has now on hand,
30 PARLOR SUITS;
30 PINE BEDROOM SUITS;
20 ASH AND WALNUT SUITS;
12 BLACK WALNUT SUITS;
Parlor Suits range in price from
$48 TO $200
Bedroom Suits from
$22 TO $200.
A FULL STOCK OF
Household Furniture
of All Kinds.
A FINE LOT OF
GILT
WINDOW CORNICES
which were obtained at a bargain and will be sold at low prices.
The Subscriber would also state that he has added a quantity of
New
MACHINERY!
to his Factory, and is prepared to make and sell furniture AS CHEAP as can be obtained in the Dominion.
ALL ARE INVITED TO CALL AND EXAMINE HIS STOCK, WHICH HE CLAIMS TO BE THE MOST COMPLETE THAT CAN BE FOUND.
J. B. REED.

Spring Campaign!
THE subscriber, in additon to his usual good assortment, has added the
Millinery Line
to his business, with a first class Milliner in charge.
READY MADE CLOTHING AND CLOTHS.
Fifty Bus. White Russian and Fife Wheat for Seed.
TO ARRIVE
per Schr. Wm. Wallace, at Port George, a full line of FLOUR, MEAL FEED, AND SOUTHERN CORN, etc., etc.
CASH PAID FOR EGGS.
N. F. MARSHALL.
Middleton, April, '83.

BRIDGETOWN
GROCERY!
The friends in Bridgetown and vicinity will find at the newly fitted-up and commodious Store under Masonic Hall, an excellent assortment of
Choice Groceries,
comprising the usual varieties in
FLOUR, TEA,
SUGAR,
CANNED GOODS,
OATMEAL,
MOLASSES,
SPICES, ETC., ETC.
A carefully selected assortment of
Hardware,
consisting of Carpenter's Tools, Tinware, Nails, etc., will also be found, together with a small stock of
Stationery,
of superior quality.
A share of public patronage is respectfully solicited, and we hope to merit the good opinions of our patrons by careful attention to business, and by supplying them with the best articles at the lowest prices.
W. W. Saunders
Bridgetown, May 28th, '83.

New Store!
NEW GOODS!
The subscriber has opened a store on Water St., adjoining his dwelling, where he will keep on hand a large quantity of the Best Brands of
FLOUR, CORN MEAL, AND OATMEAL,
which will be sold at low prices for cash.
Also.—A well assorted stock of
GROCERIES,
in Sugar, Spices, Salt, Tobaccos, Brooms, Soaps, Raisins and Currants. Canned Goods, Biscuits, Syrups, &c., &c. A quantity of Cow Corn.
A REFRESHMENT TABLE, where lunches can be had at all hours will be found on the premises.
P. NICHOLSON.
Bridgetown, June 19th, 1883.

BROWN'S
GRIST MILL,
LAWRENCETOWN,
IS not frozen up, but continues to give satisfaction to all who patronize it, and in addition to the supply of Flour, Corn &c., heretofore kept in stock, is daily expecting from Montreal a Carload of Grain, in which will be found by those who apply early a quantity of
SEED WHEAT,
BARLEY,
PEASE & OATS,
which will be sold for CASH only.
Will continue to fill all orders for MIXED FEED at short notice. Have purchased a SHINGLE MACHINE, and will be prepared to saw or furnish long or short tapered shingles. Are now negotiating for a
Rotary Saw and Stave Mill,
all to be in operation this spring.
TERMS AS USUAL.
John A. Brown & Co.
Lawrencetown, February, 20th, 1883

THE SUPERIOR and WORLD RENOWNED
Brussels, Tapestry, and Milton
CARPETS!
IN NEWEST DESIGNS, manufactured by Messrs JOHN BRINTON & CO., of Kidderminister.
Are sold in NEW BRUNSWICK, only by
MANCHESTER, ROBINSON & ALLISON,
Wholesale and Retail,
27 & 29 King St., St. John.

Manchester House!
GRANVILLE FERRY!
Just opened at Bottom Prices, a very nice assortment of Mens' and Boy's
FELT AND STRAW HATS IN ALL STYLES.
ALSO TO ARRIVE IN A FEW DAYS, ANOTHER LOT OF
LADIES KID BOOTS, SHOES AND SLIPPERS,
AT LOWER PRICES THAN EVER.
FARNSWORTH & AMBERMAN.
June 14th, 1883.

ALMONT STALLION
"GILBERT"
Very Dark Bay, Black Points, 16 Hands High, Weighs 1189 lbs., Foaled 1878, Bred by Gen. Tilton Togus, Maine.
Sired by Constellation, sire of Glenarm, fastest four year old in Me.; 1st dam, Belle Boyd, by Gen. Knox, sire of Lady Maud, 2.18¼, Camors, 2.19¾, and other fast trotters; 2nd dam, Lady Sanford, by Champion Jr., by Champion, by Almack, by Mambrino, by Imp. Messenger. Constellation by Almont, sire of Piedmont, 2.17¼, Fanny Witherspoon, 2.18¼, Aldine, 2.19¾, and seventeen others below 2.30; 1st dam, by son of Blood's Black Hawk; 2nd dam by Mambrino Chief, sire of Lady Thorne, 2.18¼, and other trotters. Almont, by Alex.'s Abdallah, sire of Goldsmith Maid, 2.14, Rosalind, 2.21¾, Thornedale, 2.22¼, (sire of Edwin Thorne, 2.16¼); 1st dam, by Mambrino Chief, 2nd dam, by Alex.'s Pilot, Jr., sire of the dam of Maud S., 2.10¼, Alex. Abdallah, by Rysdyk's Hambletonian, Gen. Knox, by Vermont Hero, by Sherman Black Hawk, dam by Young Hambleton; 2nd dam by Harris' Hambletonian.
It will be seen that GILBERT has in his views a preponderance of Messenger blood, (undisputably the best in America), tracing back in nearly every line of his breeding directly to Imported Messenger, chiefly through Hambletonian and Mambrino Chief, who stand at the head of the list of trotting sires.
AND
Hambletonian - Clay
Stallion "Wrangler"
Sired by Hartford, 1st dam, Gypsy, by Godfrey's Patchen, sire of Hopeful, 2.14¼, Geo. H., 2.25, Lady Snell, 2.23¼, and other trotters; 2nd dam, Kate, by Walker horse of Vermont, by Woodbury Morgan, by Justin Morgan, Hartford, by Rysdyk, sire of Clingstone, 2.14, and others. Rysdyk, by Rysdyk's Hambletonian, sire of 34 with record of 2.30 or better; Godfrey's Patchen by Geo. M. Patchen, sire of Lucy, 2.18¼. Geo. M. Patchen, by Cassius M. Clay, by Henry Clay, son of Andrew Jackson.
WRANGLER combines the Hambletonian and Clay blood, which has produced such as St. Julian, 2.11¼, Jerome Eddy, 2.16¼, Bodine, 2.19¼, &c. The Clay family stands second only to Hambletonian in 2.30 list.
The above stallions, which are the two only Hambletonian stallions in Annapolis Co., will stand at the stable of the subscriber, during the season of 1883, at the following terms:
GILBERT, $10.00 for the season; WRANGLER, $8.00 for the season.
Mares from a distance will be properly cared for. Mares at owner's risk. Breeders are invited to inspect above pedigree, which are GENUINE, and call and see my horses before choosing elsewhere.
A. R. WOODBURY,
WILMOT, ANNAPOLIS CO.

Daniel Morrill!
This far famed entire horse, will make the
SEASON FOR 1883,
as follows:
Commencing Monday, May 14th, will stand at the stables of the subscriber, until Monday, 21st May, when he will travel to the stables of John Hall, Lawrencetown, remain over night; Tuesday, to the stables of Albert Morton, near Middleton; on the afternoon of same day, to the stables of James Gates, Kingston, where he will stand until Friday noon, when he will return to John Hall's at Lawrencetown, and Saturday to Tupperville. These regulations will be strictly adhered to, one week at Tupperville, and one week as described above. Parties from a distance will find him punctual at his stands, and will be, if required, accommodated with good pasturage or stabling at reasonable rates, at any of the above named stands. Best of care guaranteed. Mares at risk of owners.
TERMS.—$10.00 season.
Season to end 31st July.
I. D. CARTY,
9i14 Proprietor.

MOWING MACHINES
AND HORSE RAKES
A SPECIALITY.
HAVING made arrangements with the manufacturers of the above named farming implements, and selling direct from their prices, I am now offering to the people of the Annapolis Valley these goods on favorable terms, cheaper than they can purchase elsewhere. I also have on hand at all times
Steel and Iron Plows,
and am prepared to fill all orders in the BLACKSMITH and CARRIAGE BUSINESS with promptness and at a low figure. Light and Heavy Team Wagons made to order.
JAMES J. McKAY.
Annapolis, April 12th, 1883. 13i13

SAMUEL LEGG,
Watch and Clock Maker,
BRIDGETOWN, N. S.
THE subscriber wishes to inform his friends and the public, that he has resumed business at the
OLD STAND,
next door to John Lockett's, where he is prepared to do all work in his line of business. All work warranted.
Bridgetown, March 24th, 1883. tf.