

## LOCAL AND SPECIAL.

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A set of the new postage stamps may be obtained for sixty-one cents.

Terrace Queen, C. F. DeWitt's speedy mare, defeated Simasie in the free-for-all race at Moosepath, St. John, on Saturday. Her fastest heat was the third, 2.18. The purse was \$300.

The Liberal Conservative convention for Digby county has been called to meet in Digby on Wednesday, August 12th, for the purpose of nominating a candidate to contest that county in the next federal election.

TO OUR CORRESPONDENTS.—A number of our correspondents are earning a neat commission by sending us the names of new subscribers. Try it. If you have not done so, see how easy it is to make a little pin-money.

The three year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Pelton met with a serious accident yesterday. She was riding on the handle bars of a bicycle propelled by another person when she fell off. Her arm was broken in two places.—Yarmouth Times.

Mr. Frank Willett, one of our prominent apple shippers, left on Thursday last for London, in the interests of his business, sailing by the Kanawha, of the Furness line. Mr. Willett was accompanied by the Hon. O. T. Daniels. They will be absent about six weeks.

Invitations are out for the marriage of one of Wolfville's most charming and popular young ladies, Miss Emily Portia Starr, eldest daughter of C. H. Starr, to William W. Fitzhugh, junior, of New York, on Wednesday evening, August 5th, in the Wolfville Baptist church.

Councillor DeWitt has investigated the cost and maintenance of a watering cart for the town, and though he does not think it expedient to purchase this season, Mr. DeWitt will lay before the council at its next meeting the result of his enquiries and recommend that the matter lay over till another season.

A leaky tank was the cause of a serious fire on a gasoline sloop owned by Bigelow, the contractor for the public work at Digby, Saturday evening. The steward lighted a lamp in the cabin, and went on deck when the whole interior became ablaze. The fire department saved the boat before the fire reached the gasoline stored forward. The interior of the sloop was badly burned.

The Band Minstrels repeated their entertainment on Wednesday night, when owing to doubt to a rainy night, they had a very small house. On Monday night they played in Middleton where they had a full house. Owing to the expense of transportation, etc., the proceeds were slim. Out of the proceeds of the entertainments given in Bridgetown, we are informed that the Band received as its portion about \$45.

The latest to be added to Bridgetown's small industries is a shop fitted up by Mr. William Howse for the purpose of larrigan-making. The shop is equipped to tan and manufacture the leather and make it up into larrigans, and during the past few months 600 pairs have been manufactured. Mr. Howse has secured a contract with a St. John firm for the purchase of his next season's stock, and intends to add motive power for running his machinery. Mr. Howse is by trade a saddler so is not inexperienced in the manufacture of leather. Our citizens will join the Monitor in wishing him success in his new venture.

The date of the burning of the Royal Tar, which took place off the coast between St. John and Eastport, some seventy odd years ago, is a matter of dispute between some of our older citizens, who would like the question settled by anyone who could give the exact date of the occurrence. The vessel had on board a menagerie of wild animals and horses, which had been touring the province, all of which were burned, and a number of our older residents have vivid impressions of seeing the procession of animals as they came down over Prat's hill and paraded through the town, and their children's distress at hearing of the unhappy fate which destroyed the menagerie, a few survivors of the wreck among the crew and passengers were taken off by a revenue cutter, but many were lost.

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Mitchell's Orchestra furnished music for a dance in Puggles Hall on Friday evening.

A special train on Sunday conveyed the Valley members of the military contingent attending the Quebec Tercentenary back to their homes.

Mr. John Jeffrey, who has been falling mentally for some years and has become somewhat troublesome owing to a propensity for breaking windows, and other eccentricities, was last week placed in the Annapolis County Hospital for the insane.

The schooner, Teresa Wolf, is still unloading her cargo of coal for J. H. Longmire and Sons. The vessel is an American tern schooner, not Norwegian as reported, and is owned by Cutler, Stetson and Co., of New York, with branch at St. John. A representative of the firm arrived from St. John and made an examination of the schooner. It is not unlikely some litigation will follow before the matter is settled, as the captain claims that he was not given the proper wharfing accommodation. The captain and crew are foreigners. It is hoped that the vessel may float after she is unloaded, when she will be put on a dock for repairs.

The 16th Annual Y. M. C. A. Boys Camp opens this week at Big Cove Sutherland River, Pictou County, and will be under the leadership of Mr. Archibald, formerly of the Y. M. C. A. at Bridgetown, and a number of other experienced leaders. Over one hundred boys, between ages of twelve and seventeen, will be present this year and enjoy the general good time the Y. M. C. A. is providing. This Camp affords particularly good chances for boating, swimming, and all sorts of field sports, and during the two weeks it lasts the boys will be housed in twenty waterproof military tents and be assisted in having a general wholesome good time free from food clothes and starch. Millidge Salter, Ernest Marshall, Harry Armstrong and Max Piggott make up Bridgetown's contingent this year.

## BORN

BENT.—At Belledale, July 20th, to Mr. and Mrs. William Bent—a son.

S. P. C. Cases at Round Hill

The need of a home for defective is very amply illustrated by a case brought to the attention of the S. P. C. from Annapolis county. A small Protestant girl of seven years of age, had been assaulted in that county, and Mrs. Egan's services were acquired by the government to hunt up the person who had committed the crime. The result was that Mrs. Egan had the offender arrested and brought before the court in Round Hill, Annapolis County. The offender was committed for trial to the higher court. In the meantime the small child has been suffering from the effects of the assault, and is also slightly paralyzed on one side. No home will take the little thing, and the problem is now before the society whether it will have to send the child back to the Annapolis and place it on the poor native, or whether some kind-hearted person will open a home for this waif in some part of our province. Another case was brought before Mrs. Egan while she was in Round Hill, and a small girl of 13 years, who has been incorrigible, was brought before the magistrate. As a result of the investigation, the child was placed under the guardianship of the society. In the meantime, Mrs. Egan placed the little girl in a home in Annapolis county where she will be under probation for some time.—Halifax Herald

## August is our Bargain Month

Subscribers in arrears should write us for terms of settlement during this month. No matter how many years subscription you owe we will make you a liberal reduction if your account is settled during the month of August.

## Farm for Sale

The subscriber offers for sale his valuable farm in Granville, a short distance from Bridgetown. Nice orchard with standard varieties. Buildings in good repair. Possession given any time. For particulars apply at—MONITOR OFFICE.

## PERSONAL.

Mrs. Charles Abbott, of Boston, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chesley.

Mrs. A. MacPartridge, of Halifax, is spending a fortnight with Mrs. Farnsworth.

Mr. W. K. Crisp, of Hampton, returned yesterday from a bicycle trip to Clementavale.

Miss Agnes Chute, of Somerville, Mass., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Chute.

Mrs. Alden Chute and two children of Clementavale, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. Harry Hicks last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl A. Small, of Roxbury, Mass., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Harry Hicks.

Mr. W. D. McCallum, "the real estate man," is down the Annapolis Valley on business.—Truro News.

Mrs. E. C. Young left on Monday for Rosedale, Mass., where she will visit her son, Mr. F. Y. Young.

Mrs. H. D. Marshall and son, Victor, of Roxbury, Mass., are visiting her mother, Mrs. A. M. Backman.

Mrs. F. M. Loney, of Paradise, is the guest of her brother, Dr. Louis H. Morse, First Ave.—Digby Courier.

Miss E. J. Whitman, of Paris, France, is visiting her father, the Hon. George Whitman, Round Hill.

Miss Lee Lloyd, who has spent the past year in Boston, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lloyd.

Mr. Leslie Lawrence and Mr. Clifford Hall, of Somerville, Mass., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. James Chute of Clarence West.

Mrs. A. F. and Mrs. J. C. Whitney, of New York, have been sending the past two weeks with their sister, Mrs. Stanley Marshall.

Miss Alice Marshall is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Marshall, Dalhousie, and her brother, Mr. E. B. Marshall, who is very ill.

Miss Jessie Foster, of Marlboro, Mass., and Miss Christina Willett, of Granville, have been visiting their uncle, Mr. J. A. Foster, Round Hill.

Rev. Z. L. Fash has been elected the new Baptist Moderator of the Maritime Provinces. Mr. Fash is the eldest son of L. D. Fash of Bridgetown.

Mrs. Thomas Foster, accompanied by her niece, Miss A. B. Foster, spent Wednesday and Thursday last week among relatives and friends at Hampton.

Mr. G. O. Gatz, the veteran pianist, was in Bridgetown Saturday and will spend some time in the Valley. He was accompanied by his son, Arthur, who is assisting him.

Mrs. S. B. Pierce, of Torbrook, and two children have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Otterson recently. Mrs. Pierce will be remembered here as Miss Fredrica Bradshaw.

Misses Annie and Mabel Butler, who spent several months here with their sister, Mrs. G. B. Tibbels, left last week for Ottawa, where they will remain for some time with their brothers.

Miss Abbie B. Foster, who has been visiting her uncle, Thomas Foster, and other friends, left Friday for New Germany and Mahone Bay, where she will spend a few days before returning to her home in Lynn.

Mr. Roy Fash, of the staff of the Union Bank of Halifax, has been spending a few weeks at his home here. Mr. Fash, while on leave of absence will visit Strathcona, Alta., where his sister, Mrs. C. F. Boehner resides.

Mrs. Sinclair is the guest of her brother-in-law, Dr. deBlois. Mrs. Sinclair, who resides with her daughter, Mrs. Andrews, wife of the rector of the Church of England, at Pictou, has been spending some weeks at Granville Ferry.

Rev. I. M. Baird, who has been living in Newton Centre for the past two years, has recently moved to Allston. Mr. Baird is pastor of Arlington Heights Baptist church. He leaves for Canada next week on a four weeks' vacation.—Truro News.

Miss Florence Simpson, of Tupperville, Annapolis Co., one of the bright, clever, and successful students of the Normal School during the last term, was in Truro last night, and went to her home in the lovely Annapolis Valley, by D. A. R. this morning. Since the close of the Normal School, Miss Simpson has had a most delightful visit with friends at Bay Verté, Cape Tormentine, Port Elgin, Port Moncton and Fort Cumberland, with a hurried call on her friend, Miss Pearl Percy Westchester Station, on her homeward journey.—Truro News.

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Mrs. H. V. Barrett, of Boston, is visiting her father, Dr. deBlois.

Mrs. Andersson, of Boston, is visiting her sister, Mrs. O. T. Daniels.

Mrs. McMillan, of Annapolis, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Beckwith, at her summer cottage at Hampton.

Miss Letta Brown, who holds a responsible position in the Roosevelt Hospital, New York, is visiting her father, Postmaster Brown.

Mrs. Murdoch and son, Kenneth, returned yesterday from a visit of several weeks with friends camping on one of the lakes back of Weymouth.

Mr. Gilbert Feder has gone to Weymouth to exchange his lumbering business for L. D. Shaffer. Mrs. Feder and daughter, Nellie, are visiting friends in Maitland.

Mrs. Primrose and Clarence returned from Port Lorne on Friday, after a week's visit. Dr. Fred Primrose and family, who accompanied them remained for another week's outing.

Mrs. Arthur Muir has been the guest of Mrs. Alfred Hoyt during the past week. Mrs. Muir, who was Miss Flossie Boland, and is a trained nurse, holds a lucrative position in the Teekah Military Academy, New York State.

## NEW BUSINESS LOCALS.

WANTED—A good, reliable woman to board a baby, in or near Bridgetown. Enquire at this office.

TO LET.  
Cottage on Rectory street. Rent very moderate. Apply to DR. J. B. O'NEIL.

COMING.  
Mr. P. Cooke will have his MERRY-GO-ROUND open to the public on Saturday next, on the grounds of Forest Connell, Revere Street.

WANTED.  
GRADE C Teacher, wanted for Grade Road, School Section No. 39. Term of 9 months. Apply to GUY LODD, Secretary.

Ice Cream Freezers, Croquet Sets, and Hammocks @ K. Freeman's.

Children's Cotton Hose at reduced prices.—Kenney's Shoe Store.

One No. 4 Sussex Refrigerator for sale low.—K. Freeman.

Just received a full assortment of Children's goods. See our window.—Kenney's Shoe Store.

Fine India Steel Scythes, fully warranted, @ K. Freeman's.

Fresh stock of Cakes at the Central Grocery. Among the favorites are Oatmeal and Cheese Wafers, Gingerbread, Coconut Buns, in packages, none broken.—J. E. Lloyd.

FOR SALE—A quantity of Bricks. Apply at Monitor Office.

Sweet Naval Oranges, the last for this season, 30 and 50c. per dozen.—At Lloyd's.

The proper blending of Mocah and Java Coffee is only learned after long experience. We claim to have the best. Give it a fair trial and you will forsake the rest.—J. E. Lloyd.

## TENDERS.

TENDERS will be received by the undersigned up to noon of Wednesday, August 5th, 1908, for the erection of a dwelling house at Bridgetown, N. S.  
Plans and specifications may be seen at residence of undersigned.  
C. F. DEWITT, Bridgetown, N. S.

REPRESENTATIVE WANTED.  
In every town and village in Annapolis County (where not already sold) to sell and demonstrate DR. KOCH'S HEMLOCK OIL LINIMENT "The Wonderful Pain-Expeller." The best remedy that money can buy.  
Write for sample and particulars: DR. KOCH'S HEMLOCK OIL LINIMENT, C. F. DEWITT, Dept. "B. M." Halifax, N. S.

## BLACKSMITH &amp; WHEELWRIGHT

The undersigned is opening business on Water Street, Bridgetown, and solicits public patronage. Full experience in the business. Special attention given to shoeing of lame and driving horses.

L. M. WHITMAN, July 28th, 1908.

## MID-SUMMER CLEARANCE SALE

The Mid-Summer Clearance sale of our big stock will commence on Friday next, July 17th and continue four weeks. We find that we have purchased too heavily on certain lines of goods, but our error of judgement in this respect means gain to our customers.

To give you the advantage of buying at lowest possible cost, we cut out middle men whenever it can be done and every extra expense, consequently you can make no mistake in purchasing from us. Friday next will open up money-saving possibilities.

| LADIES' DRESS SKIRTS  |                | LADIES' COATS.  |             |
|---|----------------|---|-------------|
| Ladies' Dress Skirts from   | \$2.00 to 2.50 | One Ladies' Fawn Coat, size 34, - Price \$15.00   |             |
| Reduced to  | 1.50           | Reduced to  | 9.00        |
| Ladies' Dress Skirts from   | \$3.00 to 3.50 | One Ladies' Fawn Coat, - Price \$8.50   |             |
| Reduced to  | 2.00           | Reduced to  | 5.00        |
| Ladies' Dress Skirts from   | \$4.00 to 4.75 | 3 Ladies' Fawn Coat size 36 \$8.25 9.00 10.00   |             |
| Reduced to  | 3.00           | Reduced to  | 5.00 & 7.00 |
| Ladies' Dress Skirts from   | \$5.00 to 5.25 | One Ladies' Navy Blue, size 36, Price \$11.00   |             |
| Reduced to  | 3.50           | Reduced to  | 7.00        |
| Ladies' Dress Skirts from   | \$5.00 to 6.50 |   |             |
| Reduced to  | 4.50           |   |             |
| Ladies' Dress Skirts from   | \$7.00 to 7.50 |   |             |
| Reduced to  | 5.00           |   |             |
| LADIES' DRESS GOODS   |                | CORSETS.  |             |
| We have a line of Dress Goods, selling at 35c to 60c which we will sell to clear at 25c |                | In purchasing a heavy stock of Corsets in order to give our customers a \$1.35 corset for \$1.00 and 75c for 50c we have a quantity of slow selling sizes from 27 to 32 which we will reduce for this sale to 35c. and 75c. |             |
| Three pieces light striped dress goods worth 45c for 20c                                |                | These are all new corsets and perfect fitting   |             |

It would take too much space to describe our great sale of bargains, therefore we will just state that we will give 20 p. c. off the dollar during this sale for all other lines of goods.

## J. W. BECKWITH

20 p.c. 20 p.c.

## Cash Discount

For Three Weeks Only

We will give a cash discount of 20 per cent on our full line of

## BEDROOM SUITES

THIS ALSO INCLUDES

Iron Beds, Springs, Mattresses, Pillows and Bedding.

Cuts of our Suites and Prices will be sent to any who cannot visit our store.

## J. H. HICKS &amp; SONS

## ADVERTISE IN THE MONITOR-SENTINEL