A New Papen.—The Atlantic Press is the imposing title of a small monthly published at New Glasgow. It has started well, although on a small scale. Ten cents per annum is the exceedingly modest subscription fee.

The Men's Decision.—The Provincial Medical Board, which met last week, passed a resolution to the effect that "the so-called 'gold cures' for intemperance are, in the opinion of the board, merely species of arrant quackery, and merit only the unqualified condemnation of the profession"

WOMAN'S REGITE—It is rumored that Mrs. Harvey Atkinson is to be appointed to a position, now vacan, on the Moneton School Board. This will be the first appointment under the Provincial Act passed by the legisla ture last session. Mrs. Atkinson is a sister of Hon. H. R. Emmerson, and is well known as a zealous member of the W. C. T. U.

School at Educhill.—The calendar of the Church School for Girls, Windsor, is at hand. During the year just closed there were over 30 pupils in attendance, with a class of 14 teachers. The catalogue gives a description of the school building, together with excellent photo engravings of the exterior and interior of the building and grounds. This successful institution is now in its third year, and its future looks very promising.

KINGSPORT 19 PARRSEORO AND VICE VERSA.—A very nicely gotten-up folder timetable comes from the Evangeline Navigation Company, whose fine steamer Ecanophia has proved a valuable link connecting Parrsboro and Kingsport. The tolder shows good views of Minas Basin, Kingsport beach and the S. S. Eranpline, and gives full information concerning the steamer's daily runs and the W. & A., the Cornwallis Valley branch and the Cumberland railways.

Nova Scotia Chois.—The first crop report for 1893, up to July 16th, has been issued by the Nova Scotia Government. According to the report the hay crop does not promise much above three quarters of the average. Potatoes fair, wheat crop nearly up to the average, barley good, buckwheat good. The fruit prospects thus far are for a good crop. The North Sydney Herald says the hay crop up to the middle of this month was better than when the crop was housed last year. The grain crop promises to help out a shortage in hay. Taking as a whole the crops of our province promise to be but little, if any, below the average.

CLEVELAND'S POLICY.—The New York World states that it can announce authoritively the immediate policy of President Cleveland and his administration with regard to the approaching session of Congress, and sums it up briefly as follows.— 1st. Silver reform by the absolute and unqualified repeal of the Sherman law. 2nd. Tariffreform to be prosecuted in accordance with the pledges of the party as soon as, but not before, the finances of the country are again upon a stable basis. The outcome of the special session of Congress is awaited impatiently in the United States, and will be received with interest in Canada.

An Offer to Float the Victoria.—Signor Balsamello, the inventor of the Balla Nautica, the submarine vessel with which several successful experiments were performed lately at Civita Vecchia, in the presence of a commission appointed by the Italian government, declares that by the aid of his invention, he can float her Majesty's ship Victoria at a cost of of less than £40,000. He says that with the Balla Nautica he can make arrangements for raising weights far exceeding the weight of the sunken ironclad. The preparations and placing of grapnels and chains round the Victoria would take a month, and would be performed by the crew of the submarine ship, which has already descended to and been maccurved successfully at depths beyond that in which the Victoria lies. The bringing of the ship to the surface would take two days.

Some laugh at old school remedies. Do modern ones e-peal Johnson's Anodyne  $\,$  Lini ment.

## BRIEFS.

The King of Siam is the husband of 300 wives.

Y.M.C.A. convention opens at Charlottetown, P. E. I., on August 10th. The Valley Telephone Co. are extending their lines throughout the Annapolis Valley.

The Robb Engineering Co. have one of their high speed automatic engines on exhibition at the World's Fair.

Thos. E. Shea's dramatic company opens at the Academy of Music on Monday evening in "Escaped from Sing Sing."

The trial of Mrs. Forrest for larceny from various city dry goods stores has been concluded and the accused acquitted.

A. C. Lutz, a brakeman on the I. C. R., was badly injured on Sunday morning while shunting cars in yard at Truro.

Fire at Shedisc, N. B., on Saturday destroyed \$20,000 worth of property, of which \$6,000 was covered by insurance.

Several citizens have been summoned and fined for having obstructions on the sidewalk in front of their places of business.

Rev. L. E. Skey, curate of St. Paul's church, has lest this city for Toronto, where he will act as curate of St. Peter's church.

The World's Fair Sunday closing question is settled; the Fair will be closed on Sunday. Why? It didn't pay to keep it open.

The I. C. R. authorities have advised Auctioneer Shand to sell all the properties between the grain elevator and Cunard's wharf at an early date.

The Dominion Government will contribute £1,000 to the fund for the relief of the widows and orphans of the sailors who met death in the Victoria disaster.

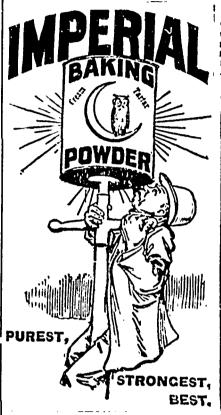
The people quickly recognize merit, and this is the reason the sales of Heod's Sarsapuilla are continually increasing. Try it.

The Board of Works has ordered that the pump erected on city wharf last year be used to supply the city watering carts with sait water for sprinkling purposes.

A. M. Morrison, of Dartmouth, a graduate and gold medal' at of Dalhousie, has been appointed assistant professor of physics in John Hopkins university, Baltimore.

A couple were married at Hamilton this week after an engagement of 27 years, during the last 25 of which they had corresponded but never met, "Talk not of wasted affection."

The Dominion Government has secured a large quantity of prize wheat shown at the Winnipeg industrial fair last week, which will be put up in small bags and given away at the World's Fair.



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