Local and Other Matter.

TEMPERANCE.—The annual session of the Grand Division, S. of T., fixed for Tuesday, 5th of November, has been postponed until Tuesday, 12th of November, in consequence of the 7th being Thanksgiving Day.

—Miss Maud Foster, of Hampton, daughter of John B. D. Foster has sent to our office a number of ripe (native) strawberries, attached to the plants which bore them. In form and flavor they were quite perfect. These were the second crop, and ripened on the North Mountain. Thanks Maud.

—The Schr. Canning Packet, belonging to Messrs. Pickels & Mills, of Annapolis, is taking in a cargo of cordwood at the wharf of Captain Nicholson. We have been informed that the cargo, consisting of eighty cords has been sold by the latter to the former gentlemen.

HONOR TO WHOM HONOR, ETC.—We hear so much about inferior packed Nova Scotia apples that it is refreshing to report something correct in that line. The below communication will speak for itself. Mr. Henry Trowbridge, of New Haven, Connecticut, writes to Mr. Thos. S. Whitman as follows:

"I return to you my best thanks for your kind selection of gravensteins which were received to-day in such magnificent condition. Oh! they are fine! The "old boy" knew what he was about when he showed one to Eve. I hesitate to ask you to repeat the shipment, but if convenient, please do so. * * * * * What excellent cooperage, not one head loose. So different from ours."

The apples were gravensteins grown and packed by Mr. Alfred R. Saunders, of Lawrencetown, Annapolis Co, Mr. Whitman is only too glad to allow the publication of the above testimonial to Nova Scotia fruit, Nova Scotia honesty in packing, which we so seldom hear of, and Nova Scotia cooperage, and thus encourage the proper and fair sorting of our apples. At the same time it may be his painful duty during the next few months to expose those who will persist in fraudulent sorting and packing of which too many cases appeared last fall in overhauling apples at the Grant warehouse. We guarantee to publish exposures as we have done this.—*Spectator.*

Obituary Notices.

THE LATE JOHN WADE.

This gentleman was among the earliest settlers in this town, after the town-plot was laid out and surveyed in 1822, and he continued to make his home in it until about forty years ago, when he sold out his tannery, dwelling, and other property here and removed to Bellisle, having purchased a portion of the old Ruggles farm, where he lived until his death, which occurred on Wednesday, the 9th inst., at the very advanced age of eighty-eight years.

He was descended from Jonathan Wade, and Prudence, his wife, who emigrated from one of the south-eastern countries of England to the old colony of Massachusetts Bay in or about the year 1637. John Wade, the grandfather of the deceased, who was the grandson or great-grandson of the above-named Jonathan and his wife, was probably born in old York, Mass., where he married and lived until 1759–60, when he came to Granville and was the grantee of lot number seventy-six, being the lot recently owned and occupied by his grandson, the late Leonard Wade. His wife, the grandmother of the deceased, was Sarah Arbuckle, whose aged father and her brother, James Arbuckle, jun., came with her and her husband to Granville, where both of them soon after died.

In 1758 Mr. Wade raised a company to serve in the expedition against Louisburg. Of this company he was made captain, and after the capture of the French stronghold referred to he went to Quebec with it, and was, in the following year, in the glorious action on the heights of Abraham, which gave to England more than half the continent.

Immediately after, that is within a year or two, he immigrated into the province and county as we have just stated. He had then been married about ten years, that event having taken place in 1752. His sons, Daniel, Sylvanus, and Joseph, were born before his arrival here; and his two remaining children, Hannah and John (father of the deceased), were born after that event, the former in 1763, and the latter in 1766. This son married in 1789, Phœbe, daughter of Jonathan Leonard, a native of Lyme, Connecticut, whose wife was a daughter of the late Josiah Dodge, the proprietor of the first grist mill built in Upper Granville. By this marriage, there were eight children, of whom the deceased was the sixth in order of birth, having first seen the light in 1801. About the time of his removal to Bridgetown, or in 1829, he married Eliza Troop, a granddaughter of the late Valentine Troop, of German ancestry, if not of German birth, by whom he had several children, two of which were sons, John, the elder, who died at sea a number of years ago, and Charles, who now has the homestead. Several of his daughters survive him.

Throughout his long life it may be truly said that he was an honest, upright man, and a man "diligent in business." His word has always been regarded as his bond, equally binding and equally sure. Though not demonstrative either in speech or manner, he was capable of inspiring trust and confidence, and his friendships were as warm as they were sincere. Old men, who had been his associates in various relations of life, and who have survived him, all agree as to his personal good qualities, and testify to their regard and esteem for him. He died as he had lived, a worthy member of the English Church, to which he was rationally attached.

His funeral, which was largely attended, took place on Friday last, and the writer had the good fortune to be present and see for himself the esteem in which he was held by those among whom he has lived during the last forty years. The sermon on the occasion was preached by the Rev. L. M. Wilkins, late rector of the parish, and was of a most feeling and appreciative character, and its effect was very manifest in the faces of the audience. The body was deposited in the burial yard attached to the English Church, at Bellisle, which is situated nearly opposite the dwelling of the deceased.

We cannot close this obituary without recording our appreciation of the manner in which the semi-dirge, ending with the words "Jesu, Son of Mary, hear" was rendered by the choir, and which was made the more affective by the fine voice of the rector. Verily, such a man may be buried in a "sure and certain hope of a resurrection unto eternal life."

DEATH OF THE HON. E. R. OAKES.

It becomes our sad duty to-day to chronicle the death of Hon. Edwin R. Oakes, which took place at his late residence, on Monday, the 7th inst. Mr. Oakes had been ailing for a length of time, and, though at times very ill, yet his demise was sudden and unexpected to his immediate friends and the public. Mr. Oakes was born at the Grand Joggin, in the County of Digby, in 1816, and was 73 years old at the time of his death. His father's name was Henry Oakes; his mother was the sister of the Hon. Joseph Fitzrandolph, of Bridgetown. In early life he engaged in mercantile business in Digby, and also did business at Bridgetown for a number of years. He deservedly won for himself a reputation for integrity and fair dealing seldom achieved and never excelled, which brought with it the meed of success. Some time after retiring from active business, he was induced by his friends throughout the county to contest this constituency for a seat in the House of Commons in 1874. In this he was successful and represented this county in the Dominion Parliament for some time, when he resigned and accepted a seat in the Legislative Council, which he retained until his death. Death has taken from us a citizen and a friend, who, in a quiet unostentatious manner, throughout a long and busy life, has done everything within his power to advance and keep alive some of the most important business interests in the town. Ever genial and unassuming, there was in his heart a spring of kindness which never failed to respond when appealed to by a struggling friend, young or old, and many a young man when struggling to hold on in the world, has been taken by the hand by the late Mr. Oakes.

His funeral took place on Thursday last at 2 o'clock, p. m., from his late residence, and the large concourse of people who followed his remains to their last resting place within the city of the dead, abundantly testified to the deep hold he had upon the affections and esteem of his fellow citizens. He leaves a widow, one daughter and a grandson to whom we tender our sincerest sympathy.—*Digby Courier.*

Correspondence.

We do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions of our correspondents.

Educational Matters.

No doubt all the readers of your valuable paper were much interested in perusing the very worthy article from the pen of "Chronicler," a few weeks ago. He very graphically describes the prosperity of our beloved province, and proved to us that through the influence of increasing manufactures, that we will never hear the cry of "Hard Times," a cry that has echoed and re-echoed through the province for a number of years past. Now whether this state of things has been produced by the political party in power I will not attempt to prove; but only hope that such prosperity may continue for years to come, whatever may be its origin. What I wish to bring before the readers of your paper is, that notwithstanding the fact of such an increase of "Good Times," there are a class of persons, and a large class too, that have not been benefited by such increased prosperity. I have reference to the school teachers of our country. No person will attempt to dispute the fact that the teachers of the present day are the most important factors in moulding the characters and training for future usefulness the men and women of the future. And if the prosperity and success of our country depend upon the rising generation, how important it is that they should be trained in our public and high schools in a manner that will fit them for the work that lies before them. How necessary it is then, that when men and women qualify themselves for such work that they receive sufficient remuneration to enable them to continue in the work. How sad it is to know that so many of our most successful teachers leave the profession because they can get more lucrative positions involving less labor, and responsibility. Teachers have to spend time and money to qualify themselves for their work, and if they cannot receive suitable salaries they will have to leave the profession. The following from the *American Journal of Education*, well describes the situation of affairs in this country:—

"Yet, our teachers are young, and well is it, in one sense, that it is so. This country could not stand the injustice involved in the present starving wages paid our teachers if they were older. How much we demand of our teachers for the mere pittance we pay them! The teacher must have infinite patience for details; knowledge of men as well as well as children; foresight into the future, so he can link it to present study and duty; fertility of expedients; affability of manners; energy of will; the instinct and ability to command the confidence of the community; and a universal ability that in other positions would command an adequate salary for present needs and future wants. Do we do our teachers justice in the way of compensation?"

When our present school law was framed by Sir Charles Tupper, assisted by other leading statesmen of the day, the grants of government money were fixed and the amounts were as small as reasonable men could wish; but our present law makers deemed it otherwise, and have reduced the grants for the province to the extent of from $8,000 to $10,000 per annum. Although the sum may seem small, yet it means much to teachers of the lower grades. For example, a grade "D" teacher with a large family to maintain, needs all he can get to meet the wants of his family. I know of two such teachers who have had to leave the profession since the reduction, because they were unable to command salaries sufficient to supply their needs.

Now the question arises, what use has this money been put to? If the object was to create scholarships in the county academies, why has it not been done? A common report is that while the salaries of teachers have been reduced, those of certain government officials have been augmented. Whether this be so or not, one thing is certain; the teachers will be heard from in June, 1890, and I am of the impression that they will give forth no uncertain sound, and that sound will be used to startle the men who have been the means of depriving them of their lawful stipends. CRITO.

Inglisville, Oct. 14th, 1889.

A Chapter of Accidents.

FATAL ACCIDENT.—An Annapolis despatch of the 8th says: A fatal accident occurred yesterday to one of the employes on the Missing Link. An Italian, while working on a cutting, the embankment gave way completely entombing him and partly covering two others. Efforts were at once made to extricate them and, on removing the earth, one was found with his leg broken and having received severe internal injuries. Medical aid was summoned, but he rapidly sank and three hours after life was extinct. No blame is attached to any one for the accident. This is the second fatality since the commencement of the railroad.—*Spectator.*

FATAL ACCIDENT AT PEMBROKE.—A more distressing accident than that which toook place at Pembroke (a small place on the Kempt shore, about 6 miles from Cheverie) seldom occurs in this county. Several days ago Mrs. John Hiltz, who resides at Pembroke, had such a strong presentiment that something serious would soon happen to her, that she took occasion to visit many of her friends, mentioning to one, that she believed it to be for the last time. The presentiment was verified, in a way that she probably but little dreamed of. Her husband has this summer worked in North's shipyard in Hantsport, and she has had charge of things at home. On last Saturday morning she determined to go search for a cow that had not returned home from its pasture the night before, as usual. Thinking she would have to go into the woods near the pasture, and not knowing what she might meet there, she went upstairs and got her husband's revolver; after loading one chamber of it, she found the second difficult, and in order that she might the better press the cartridge in, she placed the muzzle against her person; while holding the revolver in that position, it by some means discharged, the bullet passing into her abdomen. She told her little boy what had happened, and he called to two neighbors Wm. and Arthur Spearing who were digging potatoes near by. They went for Dr. Burgess and telephoned to her husband at Hantsport. When Dr. Burgess arrived she was suffering terribly. He relieved her of pain but could do little more as the wound was of a fatal nature. She lived, however, and was able to talk to her friends until Sunday afternoon, when she passed away. On all the Kempt shore, there is not a woman more highly esteemed than was the deceased. She leaves three small children, two boys and a girl, and it is almost needless to say they have the heart-felt sympathy of the entire community. Mrs. Hiltz was a daughter of Mr. Benjamin Proctor, now of Chelsea, Mass., formerly of Pembroke.—*W. Tribune.*

A Terrific Nor' Easter

ALONG THE NEW ENGLAND COAST—TWO UNKNOWN VESSELS IN COLLISION.

CHATHAM, MASS., Oct. 14.—The terrific north-east gale continues with increasing force. The weather is very thick and raining and the sea outside is terribly rough, with immense breakers smashing on the bars at high water. No wrecks are reported, but nothing can be seen at any distance. This will be a wild night at sea, and if any vessels are in distress outside no help can get to them from shore till the sea goes down some.

VINEYARD HAVEN, MASS., October 14.—A violent gale has prevailed here to-day. The schooner Nellie Clark, of Eastport, Me., Gayton, St. John for New York, loaded with lumber, parted both chains in this harbor this afternoon and ran ashore near steamboat wharf at the head of the harbor, where she now lies bilged. Her stern is badly damaged.

NANTUCKET, MASS., October 14.—The Coskaty life saving station reports seeing two vessels in collision Saturday in Nantucket Sound and one sank. The vessels are unknown. A quantity of bedding, etc., has been picked up at the station.

GLOUCESTER, MASS., October 14.—The steamer State of Maine, Boston, for St. John, put in here for harbor owing to the strong north-east storm prevailing.

A Pleasing Discovery.

I suffered with neuralgia and obtained no relief until advised to try Hagyard's Yellow Oil. Since then I have found it to be an admirable remedy also for burns, sore throat and rheumatism. Mrs. F. Cameron, 137 Richmond St. W., Toronto, Ontario.

News, Notes and Telegrams.

Two more vessels with posts and timber for O'Neil and Campbell, railway contractors, cleared at Moncton for Digby, N. S., on Wednesday. This makes about a dozen cargoes in all forwarded from Moncton to N. S. this year.—*Digby Courier.*

HIGHWAYMEN IN CUMBERLAND.—A few nights ago, a man riding on horseback between Springhill and Athol was waylaid and ordered to halt, and on his refusing, his horse was severely stabbed by the highwayman.—*Am. Record.*

PROLIFIC.—Last fall a sow belonging to Mr. John H. Bowles, of Brooklyn St., gave birth to 17 pigs. Last spring she had 16, and on Thursday last gave birth to 10 making a total of 43 in less than a year. She is four years old.—*Canning Gazette.*

Ottawa, Oct. 10.—The Minister of Justice decides that the government cannot issue certificates to assessment insurance companies incorporated by provincial acts, on grounds that such societies must be incorporated by Dom. Parliament. A number of companies are affected, including Mutual Relief, of Yarmouth.

NEW RAILWAY MINISTER.—The report that Sir John A. Macdonald is to assume the portfolio of Minister of railways is again revived and is probably correct. The people of the Maritime Provinces will be glad so hear of this portfolio being in the hands of a man so strong and so much alive to their interests as the Premier of Canada.—*Gazette.*

SERVED HIM RIGHT.—A Colchester paper says:—Hitch, the inhuman wretch who was before the Grand Jury at Truro on Tuesday for outraging little six year old Alma Morrison at Economy quite recently, plead guilty, and was sentenced on Thursday by his honor, Judge Townsend, to one year in the county jail. In addition to this he is to receive fifty lashes on the bare back—twenty-five of them on the 14th of this month, and the balance, eleven months from that date. Hitch is an Englishman by birth, well educated and about 30 years of age. He is said to be an able operator. He is a married man and the father of 2 children.

The will of the late Col. Poyntz was probated on the 9th inst. He leaves all his real estate and personal property, excepting the silver and silverplate, in trust for his daughter Ann Maria. In the event of her marriage it is to be divided between her, and his other daughters—Eliza Drury, of Georgia, U. S., Mary Ann Emma, wife of Judge Smith, Halifax, and Susan Kingsley, wife of Rev. Henry Stamer, Hubbard's Cove. In the event of her death it is to be divided between his other daughters. The silver and silverplate is bequeathed to his four daughters, share and share alike. The executors and trustees are Judge Smith, of Halifax, and Rev. Henry Stamer, of Hubbard's Cove.—*Windsor Tribune.*

The Banker's *Monthly* has been investigating the amount of the mortgages on the farm of several of the states in the neighboring union. It has discovered mortgages to the amount of $235,000,000 on the farms of Kansas; $685,000,000 on those of Indiana; $567,000,000 on those of Iowa; $506,000,000 on those of Michigan; $357,000,000 on those of Wisconsin; and $1,127,000,000 on those of Ohio, making a total in these six states of $3,427,000,000. The total population of these states in 1880 was less than 11 millions. So that their mortgage debt, in addition to all national state and municipal indebtedness, is over $320 per head. In Ontario,—the only province of Canada in which accurate statistics of the same character are available—the mortgage debt is less than $40 per head.

CRIMINAL CARELESSNESS.—On Saturday last as Mr. Knapp, of Dorchester, was passing through Mr. Barry Smith's woodhouse he heard the report of a rifle, and at the same moment a ball passed so near him that it touched his hair. He immediately went round into the yard of Mr. Knight, where he found two young men blazing away with a rifle at a tin can placed on the top of a stake driven in the ground about six inches from the side of Mr. Smith's woodhouse. He admonished the young men, who cooly replied that they would have to move their target to some other place. Mr. Knapp afterwards examined the woodhouse, and found that the side next to Mr. Knight's had been perforated by a number of balls previous to the one that had so nearly made him its billet.

STRAYED FROM THE RIGHT PATH.—Lately the police have been called upon very frequently to assist in removing young women from disreputable houses in the lower part of the town. To young women from the country and to many from other cities, there seems to be an undefinable charm in Sheffield street, and the eastern end of Duke street, and on several occasions within the past few weeks officers have searched disreputable places in that vicinity, and have invariably come upon the women in question whom they have returned to their homes. This morning a girl, who had left her home in Fairville a few days ago, was discovered living with a colored woman down town. She was taken to the central station and afterwards was sent to her anxious parents across the bridge.—*Evening Gazette.*

ROBBERY.—The greatest robbery ever known at Amherst was committed on Monday night when MacLeod's jewelry store and Miller's tea store were entered by burglars and $3,000 worth stolen.

MacLeod's store was entered through an office window in the rear of the building, and Miller's in the same manner. Doubtless the two robberies were by the same persons, an endeavor will be made to bring them to justice and secure the property.

LATER REPORT.—A despatch was received by City Marshal Cotter early last evening from Detective Power, stating that a man thought to be the person who entered McLeod's jewelry store at Amherst a few nights ago and made a clean sweep of the premises, stealing about $2,000 worth of goods, had been arrested by him and lodged in Truro jail. The despatch was dated East Mines and is as follows: "James Campbell, the supposed burglar of McLeod's jewelry store at Amherst, was arrested this afternoon about a mile from here in the woods. He had in his possession several watches, some money and a revolver. He fought desperately. We lodged him in Truro jail to-night. He is also wanted for horse theft."—*Hx. Chronicle.*

CANADA AT THE FRONT.—The Massey Manufacturing Co., of Toronto, have just received a cable from Paris announcing that, at the great field trial in connection with the World's Fair, where some fifteen of the most noted machines ever manufactured were in competition, the Massey Light Binder carried off the highest award. This is a great thing for this pushing manufacturing company and an additional trophy for this Canada of ours to point to with undisguised pride. We are rapidly in every way developing into a strong and vigorous manhood, and our manufactures are giving us an enviable reputation the wide world over. Strange that yet in our midst can be found a grumbling few, who would undermine every prosperity of our great manufacturing industries, would bring in the foreign slaughterer of these great industries, and who, we fear for no good purposes, are endeavoring to engender a feeling of hostility and strife between the great body of our agriculturists and these monster manufacturers whose immense works are creating wonderful home markets and are causing towns to shoot up all over our country. Our's is bound to go ahead in spite of the handful we have with us who are found stalking around with the blue ruin cry on their lips.

Attaked Three Times.

"Having been attacked for the third time with Inflammatory Rheumatism, which kept me in bed six weeks under medical care, without relief, I resolved to try Burdock Blood Bitters, and before I had finished the third bottle I was able to work again." George Robb, Garden Hill, Ontario.

FINANCIAL REPORT.—*Ottawa, Oct. 12.*—The total revenue collected for fiscal year 1888–89 is $38,700,000; expenditure $36,900,000; leaving a surplus of $1,800,000. The showing for first quarter of present year is equally satisfactory, the revenue being $400,000 in excess of same period last year. The net debt has decreased during the last month $2,400,000.

Answer This Question.

Why do so many people we see around us seem to prefer to suffer and be made miserable by Indigestion, Constipation, Dizziness, Loss of Appetite, Coming up of the Food, Yellow Skin, when for 75 cents we will sell them Shiloh's System Vitalizer, guaranteed to cure them? Sold by DeBlois & Primrose, Bridgetown, and Dr. Morse, Lawrencetown.

—Use Hall's Vegetable Sicilian Hair Renewer and your thin gray locks will thicken up and be restored to their youthful color, vigor and beauty.

Progress of Inventions Since 1845.

In the year 1845 the present owners of the *Scientific American* newspaper commenced its publication, and soon after established a bureau for the procuring of patents for inventions at home and in foreign countries. During the year 1845 there were only 502 patents issued from the U. S. Patent Office, and the total issue from the establishment of the Patent Office, up to the end of that year, numbered only 4,347.

Up to the first of July this year there have been granted 406,413. Showing that since the commencement of the publication of the *Scientific American* there have been issued from the U. S. Patent Office 402,166 patents, and about one-third more applications have been made than have been granted, showing the ingenuity of our people to be phenomenal, and much greater than even the enormous number of patents issued indicates. Probably a good many of our readers have had business transacted through the offices of the *Scientific American*, in New York or Washington, and are familiar with Munn & Co.'s mode of doing business, but those who have not will be interested in knowing something about this, the oldest patent soliciting firm in this country, probably in the world.

Persons visiting the offices of the *Scientific American*, 361 Broadway, N. Y., for the first time, will be surprised, on entering the main office, to find such an extensive and elegantly equipped establishment, with its walnut counters, desks, and chairs to correspond, and its enormous safes, and such a large number of draughtsmen, specification writers, and clerks, all busy as bees, resembling one of a large banking or insurance office, with its hundred employees.

In conversation with one of the firm, who had commenced the business of soliciting patents in connection with the publication of the *Scientific American*, more than forty years ago, I learned that his firm had made application for patents for upward of one hundred thousand inventors in the United States, and several thousands in different foreign countries, and had filed as many cases in the Patent Office in a single month as there were patents issued during the entire first year of their business career. This gentleman had seen the Patent Office grow from a sapling to a sturdy oak, and he modestly hinted that many thought the *Scientific American*, with its large circulation, had performed no mean share in stimulating inventions and advancing the interests of the Patent Office. But it is not alone the patent soliciting that occupies the attention of the one hundred persons employed by Munn & Co., but a large number are engaged on the four publications issued weekly and monthly from their office, 361 Broadway, N. Y., viz.: The *Scientific American*, the *Scientific American Supplement*, the Export Edition of the *Scientific American*, and the Architects and Builders Edition of the *Scientific American*. The first two publications are issued every week, and the latter two, the first of every month.

C. C. RICHARDS & Co.

Gents,—I took a severe cold, which settled in my throat and lungs and caused me to entirely lose my voice. For six weeks I suffered great pain and discomfort, and tried numerous remedies. My wife advised me to try MINARD'S LINIMENT and the effect was magical, for after only three doses and an outward application, my voice returned and I was able to speak in the Army that night, a privilege I had been unable to enjoy for six weeks. These facts can be verified by numbers of people in this town.

CHARLES PLUMMER.

Yarmouth.

Book Notices.

The Pansy, for October, has been received from the publishers—D. Lothrop Company, Boston. This number is full of attractions, literary and illustrated. The educative value of this serial can scarcely be measured by former standards, it is a gem highly to be prized by the boys and girls of the present generation. May be ordered from the publishers through any bookseller.

Wide Awake for October is charmingly illustrated, and presents a literary bill of fare equal to any contained in previous numbers. It is the brightest of the children's magazines and is a source of endless delight to the young. May be ordered direct from the publishers, D. Lothrop Co., Boston, or through local booksellers. Price $2.40 per year.

The American Garden, an illustrated journal of Horticulture, is published monthly by the Garden Publishing Co., New York and London. The October number of this valuable serial contains a supplement on the question of Fence or no Fence," the concensus of opinion seeming to be against the fence, wherever it was not an absolute necessity. It is completely impossible in such short notice as we can now attempt to give even a cursory view of the contents of the number before us. In botanical, fruit-growing, floriculture and horticultural articles it has no compeer within range of our knowledge. To be truly esteemed it should be studied by each possessor for himself. Its price is $2 a year, it is finely illustrated, and beautifully printed on excellent paper, making a splendid volume of valuable matter at the end of each year. May be ordered direct from the Garden Co., 10 Spruce St., N. Y.

—Rev. J. A. Cahill, Presbyterian clergyman, of Central Economy, says:—"Last autumn I was quite ill with liver complaint, which caused a general give out. My doctor failed to help me. A member of my church recommended and wished me to try Dr. Norton's Dock Blood Purifier, I did so, with very little faith in it, being prejudiced against patent medicines. However, it cured me, and I have not had any pain in my side or other symptoms since, and I am satisfied it is a first-class medicine for the disease it is recommended for. tf

THE POTATO BUSINESS.—The reports from different sections indicate that the potato crop this season is a fairly good one. The quality of the potatoes is said to be remarkably good. Considerable quantities are beginning to be sent down the river, and shipments to the United States markets are commencing to assume quite large proportions. The prices in the Boston market, until about ten days ago, were very encouraging to shippers here, but they have fallen in price during that time about 50 cents per barrel. Early rose, the variety mostly shipped, now bring about $2 to $2.25 per barrel in Boston. This variety can be bought in lots at Indiantown for 90 cents to $1 per barrel. To this has to be added the cost of handling, coopering, hauling to the American boat for shipment, and 25 cents per barrel freight, so that at present rates the shippers' margin cannot be too large. Markee and other dark potatoes are selling at $1.20 to $1.30 per barrel at Indiantown.—*St. John Gazette.*

Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy.

Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy, a marvellous cure for Catarrh, Diphtheria, Canker Mouth, and Head-ache. With each bottle there is an ingenious Nasal Injector for the more successful treatment of these complaints without extra charge. Price 50 cents. Sold by Drs. deBlois & Primrose, Bridgetown, Dr. Morse, Lawrencetown.

JESUITS ACT.—*Ottawa, Oct. 11.*—The reply of Hon. Mr. Mercier to the resolutions passed by the Protestant council of public instruction, on the question of accepting the $60,000 of the Jesuit estates fund, was sent to Bishop Williams yesterday. All the resolutions are complied with except the fourth, asking for the principal. The government is willing to allow interest the same as allowed to the Catholic section, but that is all it can do.

Life Was a Burden.

Until lately I suffered from headache, always preceded by constipation making my life a burden. A friend advised Burdock Blood Bitters. I took three bottles, and now feel myself a new man, and my headaches are things of the past. A. R. Julien, Ottawa, Ont.

—Much injury is done by the use of irritating, griping compounds taken as purgatives. In Ayer's Pills, the patient has a mild but effective cathartic, that can be confidently recommended alike for the most delicate patients as well as the most robust.

Births.

BENT.—At Springfield, Sept. 8th, the wife of Joseph Bent, of the firm of Roop & Bent, of a son.

Marriages.

WINSLOW—WHEELOCK.—At the residence of the bride's father, Wm. Wheelock, Esq., Torbrook, on the 9th of October, by the Rev. W. B. Bradshaw, M. A., Mr. Albert H. Winslow, of Marble Head, Mass., to Miss Winnie Wheelock.

MILLER—CORKHAM.—On the 15th of Sept., at the residence of the bride's father, at Pleasantville, by the Rev. S. March, Jacob Miller, of Nictaux Falls, to Eliza, daughter of Deacon Alexander Corkham.

Deaths.

OAKES.—At Digby, on the 7th inst., Hon. E. R. Oakes, aged 73 years.

SHEEHAN.—At Brooklyn, N. Y., on the 12th inst., of typhoid fever, Edward William, oldest son of W. D. Sheehan, of this town, in the 24th year of his age.

FONTAINE.—At Marshalltown, on the 2nd inst., Louis Fountaine, aged 85 years, leaving a widow and four children to mourn their loss.

YOUNG.—At Brighton, on the 4th inst., Alva May, daughter of Joseph H. and Minetta Young, aged 1 year, 10 months and 11 days.

SNYDER.—At Mahone Bay, on the 15th inst., the Rev. William H. Snyder, many years rector of that parish, aged 77 years.

HOSPITAL REMEDIES.

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