Nictaux Falls.

Joel Bowlby received a cordial welcome home on Saturday, after nearly another year's tolling for Uncle Sam.

A Bible-class, with Rev. Mr. Pineo its leader has been organized to meet every two weeks on Tuesday evening. Subject for thought "The Holy Spirit."

A switch is being constructed near the crossing to accommodate Messrs. E. D. Davison and Sons who have contracted with Mr. James Phinney to manufacture and deliver at this station the lumber from their timber lands east of Bloomington.

About thirty of our moneyed men assembled on the premises of Delacey Foster on Monday at the hour named for the auction sale of his personal effects, but for some unexplained reason the sale was postponed to one week from that day.

Those of us who expected to have our first sleigh ride of the season on Monday, awoke from our slumbers to a complete disappointment, as not a vestige of the snow that fell Sunday afternoon was to be seen. Mr. Joseph Annis, however, took the opportunity by the forelock and had his sleigh ride Sunday evening.

The readers of the MONITOR need not to be reminded of the severe rain and wind storm that prevailed all Sunday night, but possibly some may not be aware that it was accompanied with sharp lightning and distant thunder. At least such was the case in this vicinity.

The parlor entertainment given by the Rope Holders at the home of Mrs. W. H. Oakes on Wednesday evening, was, considering the darkness of the night, fairly well patronized and resulted financially in $3.50 for mission work. The programme consisted of songs and readings which were pleasingly rendered.

A pie sociable in the interest of the Sunday school, will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Smith on Wednesday evening the 13th. Music and other features of interest will be presented with a view to making the evening one of enjoyment and profit. A fee of ten cents will be taken at the door to be used in the purchase of papers and helps for the Sunday-school. As one or more papers go each week into every family whose children attend the school it will be seen that the money thus taken will be refunded in the shape of first class reading matter. All are cordially invited.

Clarence Chips.

Mrs. M. C. Marshall has just recovered from a week's sickness.

Miss A. E. Marshall has been spending a week with her friends at Paradise West.

Mrs. S. N. Jackson has just returned from a visit in Granville.

Mr. J. B. Oakes has been quite ill for the last few weeks, the result of a heavy cold. Dr. S. Primrose has been in attendance.

The first real snow storm of the season occurred on Saturday, quite a body of snow falling. On Monday morning however it had completely disappeared, its existence lost in the rain of the previous night.

A fire broke out in an outbuilding of Mr. Robert Marshall's on Monday evening the 27th, which might have proved disastrous. During the afternoon a fire had been made in the furnace for the purpose of boiling potatoes; these had been attended to and the fire supposed to have gone out. About 8.30 one of the family happening to go into the kitchen saw a bright light reflected through the window and on looking out saw the hog pen roof in flames. Mr. Marshall, W. Creelman and hired man were all at home fortunately, and after some little difficulty succeeded in putting out the fire which had originated in the roof from a defective flue. Had they not seen it when they did it probably would have soon spread to the house and horse-barn which are not far distant.

Paradise Gleams.

Women's Aid Society meets this week at Mrs. H. H. Morse's, West Paradise.

Mr. Joseph Worthylake received word by telephone yesterday that his father, a resident of Harborville, Kings county, is dead.

Mr. Elwood Young, one of the elderly residents of this community, is quite ill at his son's, Mr. H. Young.

Notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather on Sunday the pastor preached his third sermon in the evening in the church here. Subject: "back-sliding."

We do not hear of any serious damage by the heavy storm. Some boards and doors to out-buildings were started and some blown off.

We regret the absence of "gleams" last week. Some items this week may seem to be rather old, for instance, Mrs. E. J. Morse of Windsor visiting at Mr. J. S. Longley's and Miss Wilkinson leaving for her home, P. E. I. Miss Ella Leonard is going to spend the winter with her sister, Mrs. Macomber, in Chicapee, Mass., and Mrs. H. D. Marshall and baby Victor visiting Mrs. L. C. Marshall.

Mr. B. Starratt gave a very interesting address before the Literary Club on Tuesday evening, subject, "The World's Fair." The meeting next week will be held at Mrs. Guilford Covert's.

Round Hill Siftings.

Miss H. L. Gordon has secured a position in the Bridgewater schools.

Our new postmaster, J. Whitman, has entered upon his duties.

A. Spurr returned home on the 25th ult. after an absence of several years in Kansas city, Mo.

J. A. Bancroft has completed extensive improvements upon his residence on "Bancroft Hill."

OBITUARY.—On Wednesday evening last Mrs. J. E. Bishop passed peacefully away after a long and painful illness. She leaves a son and daughter and a large circle of friends and relatives to mourn their loss. The funeral took place on the following Friday, the Revs. Messrs. Wright and Strothard officiating in absence of Mr. Giles.

HYMENEAL.—On the evening of the 29th ult. a large congregation assembled in St. Paul's Church to witness the marriage of Miss Annie Whitman, daughter of Jas. Whitman, to F. A. Chipman, by Rev. H. D. deBlois, the pastor. Miss Annie Chipman, sister of the groom was bridesmaid, while J. Bent acted as groomsman. The bride was prettily arrayed in a gown of white cashmere and satin and the bridesmaid also in cashmere. Many good wishes attend the married couple in their future life.

Port Lorne.

Mr. Maurice Dalton is home from sea, where he intends remaining for the winter.

Rev. P. D. Nolan preached to us on Sabbath morning. He is making the churches a visit, from invitation, and if all parties are agreed his services will likely be engaged

Mr. Parker Sabeans has moved his family to the Freeman farm in Arlington, which he purchased some time ago.

We have two singing schools here, besides J. Robert Chute teaches one at Arlington. Mr. Walter Graves has a large class at Capt. Brinton's new hall two nights in a week; while Professor Brown has a fine class in a room rented at Mr. Israel Banks' two nights in a week, besides a goodly number are availing themselves of the opportunity to take instructions in insurmental music.

Spa Spring Chips.

We are sorry to hear that Mrs. Peter Marshall is seriously ill.

Jack Frost reminds us that the festive season is approaching,—first snow and then rain is the order of the day at present. However, we hope for better weather for Santa Claus.

On Friday Elijah Bolser while chopping in the woods, cut his foot severely. As he was alone at the time it might have proved a very serious accident. We are happy to hear he is doing well.

On Friday Mr. T. M. Lewis visited our school, and Saturday evening lectured in the meeting-house on temperence. His remarks were appreciated by the audience.

Victoriavale.

Knitting circle will meet at the home of Mrs. Jacob Reagh, on Wednesday evening, Dec. 13th.

Mr. and Mrs. Harding Weaver are on the sick list this week.

Rev. T. M. Lewis gave a grand temperance lecture in the hall Thursday evening, Nov. 30th, and organized a Band of Hope in the school-room on Friday afternoon.

Mr. A. C. Chesley is able to be out again after being laid up with a cut knee.

Preaching service in the church on Sunday, Dec. 10th, at three o'clock; missionary concert at 7 o'clock.

The Band of Hope will meet in the school-room on Thursday at 3.30 p.m.

Roxbury Rumblings.

Mr. Zenas Sprowl, of Dalhousie West, has been visiting at the home of Norman Layte, Esq.

Mr. Frank Hinds returned home Friday, Dec. 1st.

We are glad to hear that Miss Ruth Randall is improving. There has been a great deal of sickness in our community of late.

D. C. Layte, Esq., is visiting friends at Cornwallis.

—Don't selfishly deprive your friend of cheerful company by remaining a dull, gloomy Dyspeptic. Restore your spirits by using K. D. C., the King of Dyspepsia Cures. It conquers every time.

Margaretville.

The summer is past, the harvest is ended, and Jack Frost is rapidly approaching. The season has been fairly successful with us and we hope the future has some good things in store for us.

Over 4000 bbls. of apples have been shipped to St. John from this port and our packets have been well filled on their return trips, the captains expressing themselves as well satisfied with the results. Our receipts from American ports comparatively show nothing.

The breakwater here forms a great source of inconvenience and annoyance and even the smallest vessels are liable to be broken up by coming here. The outer block still stands as a memorial of neglect on the part of the Government, to save $10,000 worth of property by expending $1,000. How is that for economy? It is the truth nevertheless and we are anxiously awaiting future movements on the part of those in power. Had we a good and commodious wharf our trade would increase two-fold, property would be secure, and above all many lives would be saved. The appearance of our breakwater in a place such as this speaks in loudest words of condemnation.

The schrs. *Sarah Ella*, *Florence* and *Ocean Bird* have hauled up for the winter and the *Forest Flower* is daily expected.

Rev. M. Lewis delivered a very eloquent and powerful lecture in the Baptist church last night, his subject being "All about Alcohol," and he calls the old fellow hard names. He intends organizing a division of S. of T. here this evening.

Schrs. *Shenandoah* and *Elma* are loading potatoes at Pickett's for Havana.

Aylesford Items.

What about the telephone here?

The new hall is a credit to the place and very convenient.

The new warehouse erected by L. O. Neily & Co. is filled with apples.

Singing school is now a fact, under the leadership of Prof. T. Hall.

We have received our share of returned citizens from the United States to spend the winter.

Of Interest to Woman's Reform Workers.

I do not often take the responsibility of providing Lawrencetown items for the press; but I have one now that I wish to secure publicity. On Saturday evening last the Rev. J. T. Eaton gave a gem of a lecture in Temperance Hall upon what he saw and heard of the Woman's Temperance Union while on his recent visit to Chicago. To those who value a treat in the way of a dissertation on the social, political, or moral development of the time in which one lives, it was, to say the least, highly entertaining. Of course, a Kickapoo entertainment would, we are sorry to say, draw a larger house; but, if there was a woman in the town who could and did not avail herself of this fine opportunity of hearing something of what a prominent christian minister had to say about what a great band of the live women of the age are doing to lift up their sex and humanity in general to a nobler and purer and more rightful position, we are sorry for her choice.

A very striking feature of the whole discourse was that at every point one could see that the prominent workers in this great movement of women were women of fine, genteel, refined bearing, women who could adorn the society and the home just as it should be. The sketch of Lady Henry Somerset's sermon was worth going a long way to hear. Who could not profit by the impressive talk about Dr. Kate Bushnell's travels in India to secure the cessation of that awful national stain, legalized vice, in British cantonments? Kate Bushnell, not a meddlesome masculine fanatic, but one whom the lecturer said "looked very near to Jesus."

One bright woman from California, while a vast crowd of people were before one of the sessions waiting for the doors of Washington Hall to be thrown open, mounted a chair and entertained them by a very good answer to those who say that women should stay at home and mind their own business. "Stay at home and mind our business? That is just what we are doing. This great country is ours. This is our home. This world is our home. God gave it to us, and we intend to make the best of it. Yes, we wish to see that His home, and all our homes, are made purer, and brighter, and better.

One could not but feel, in hearing this lecture, that every intelligent man should wish for his wife to enjoy the same rights under the law that he himself enjoys; or, as the lecturer said of another, "He wishes his wife to vote every time he voted." Every band of women reform workers in the county should secure the hearing of this lecture.

PARTICIPANT.

Annual Convention of the Sons and Daughters of the Maritime Provinces.

Boston, Dec. 1.—The annual convention of the supreme assembly of the Sons and Daughters of the Maritime Provinces was held in Commercial hall yesterday.

The supreme treasurer's report showed the finances of the order to be in a satisfactory condition.

The report of the supreme secretary stated that the membership is gradually increasing, and that three new assemblies have been organized during the year, in Boston, Attleboro and Concord, N. H.

A plan for the establishment of a beneficiary fund under the auspices of the order was presented and discussed, and various amendments to the constitution were enacted.

At afternoon session supreme officers were elected as follows:

W. R. Wentzel, Concord, N. H., supreme president.

W. W. Beck, Fall River, supreme vice.

Archibald Dakin, Brockton, supreme treasurer.

Miss May Gillis, Brockton, supreme chaplain.

A. R. McDonald, Brockton, supreme marshal.

Alex. McDonald, Concord, N. H., assistant supreme marshal, (and trustee for three years.)

Oscar Smith, Brockton, supreme inside guard

John McLean, Brockton, supreme outside guard.

The officers were afterwards formally installed.

Apples.

Nova Scotia apples are mostly in first hands, one Nova Scotia buyer holding at the present time 15,000 barrels. This, with the other purchases, will give about 30 to 35,000 barrels for export; while last year at this time there was nearly 60,000 barrels for export.

Our local markets have given the best prices this year. So far, English sales have not been made at remunerative prices, and the prospect is poor. The American market is firm but prices there are at a standstill and after taking off the expenses a loss of 75c a barrel would be made on shipments from Nova Scotia at the present cost price here. The following is a quotation from the Boston Sunday *Herald*.

"Apples are very firm. It is claimed that there are very few apples in the country, and that these are held for higher prices. There has continued to be a demand from the West and the South that can hardly be supplied. Instead of many apples going into export, they will rather be seen from the other side of this market Indeed the circular of an old apple firm over the water has already been sent to the trade here suggesting that apples might be shipped here from Great Britain. The present quotations are firm at: No 1 Baldwins, $.275@3.25; fair to good, $2@2.50; No 1 Greenings, $2.75@3.25; fair to good, $2@2.50; Gravensteins, $3@3.75; Kings, $3@3.50.

Wedding Bells.

On Wednesday evening, in St. Paul's Church, Rosette, Mr. F. A. Chipman, of Round Hill, was married to Annie Edith, youngest daughter of James Whitman Esq., the ceremony being performed by Rev. Henry D. deBlois, A. M., Rural Dean, and rector of the parish. The church was packed to the very doors, many being obliged to stand. The bride looked charming in a dress of white cashmere, trimmed with white satin—nor were the traditional bridal veil and orange blossoms wanting. The bridesmaid, Miss Annie Chipman, was not less becomingly arrayed, while the groom was ably supported by Mr. John Bent. A full choir did ample justice to the hymn, chant and wedding march, the organ being presided over by the rector's wife. After the ceremony, the guests adjourned to the house of the bride's father, where a sumptuous repast was done ample justice to. The bride, who had for some time past acted as organist, was made the recipient of a handsome present from the members of the congregation, while many other useful and oramental gifts testified to the esteem in which she was held.

The Chicago Mayorality.

Chicago, Dec. 3.—The Republicans have nominated George B. Swift for mayor and the Democrats John P. Hopkins.

RELIEF IN SIX HOURS.—Distressing Kidney and Bladder Diseases relieved in six hours by the "Great South American Kidney Cure." This new remedy is a great surprise and delight on account of its exceeding promptness in relieving pain in the bladder, kidneys, back and every part of the urinary passages in male or female. It relieves retention of water and pain in passing it almost immediately. If you want quick relief and cure this is your remedy. Sold by DeBlois & Primrose.

Correspondence.

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

International Trade.

DEAR EDITOR,—Professor Davidson, in his fifth lecture upon the theory of Foreign Trade, dealing with the matter of distribution of gain which may accrue in International trade, said: "If there were only two nations trading it might be possible to transfer the whole burden to the foreigner and make the foreigner pay our taxes, but even then only under monopoly conditions. But the position of one nation is determined, not by its relation to one other nation, but by its relation to all other trading nations in the world, whether they are in direct trade or not. The only conditions under which a tax will fall on a foreigner are when the importing nation has a monopoly of consumption and a very weak demand for the commodity in question."

This reasoning, in a very few words, explains how it is that a protective tariff around a relatively small community of consumers is, in every way, more burdensome to the community than where the tariff is about a very large number of consumers. We in Canada can hardly say that we have, in anything that we may buy abroad or produce at home, a monopoly of consumption.

It was, no doubt, honestly thought by many in the first days of our protective tariff that the burden of our tax would be thrown upon the foreigner. We know now that we bear the principal part of it ourselves; and, whether for retaliation or self-preservation, it has been and must continue to be, but the increasing of our disabilities. If our aim was for material gain, a mistake has surely been made; if for the overthrow of a wrong principle on the part of our neighbors, then we went about it in the wrong way. The advice of Principal Grant, once an earnest advocate of protection, comes with some force now: "We have now found out that Canada cannot isolate herself. We must get into the British or the American system. At present we are copying the United States, and, without intending, discriminating against our best customers. Let us take the other tack now. The British system is right. Let us help those who are in the right, and let us help ourselves, and be a valuable object lesson to those who are in the wrong." It was with this feeling that the writer always opposed the scheme of Commercial Union, and through it was prompted the issue of pamphlet aimed against it. Certainly we cannot better attain and establish a principle than by acting it.

Not only is the burden of tax upon imported commodities principally borne by the consumers within the taxed area, but every article of the same class produced within will be loaded to an equal extent as that imported, upsetting the equilibrium of rightful gain to the different industries of the people. Anyone who has had experience in importing goods similar to those produced at home, knows this to be the case. We are importing and producing goods in Canada to-day on which the tax is 60%; yet, between the manufacture abroad and the home producer prices are kept so that sometimes one has the field for a few months and then the other, and often one merchant will handle the domestic and the other alongside the foreign article with no difference of price to the consumer, the consumer, however, paying the tax every time. The real fight is not at all between the manufacture at home and the manufacturer abroad what it is between the manufacture of protected articles and the consumer of them; for the very reason that the manufacturer on each side of the line is made independent of the other, while the consumer is a victim of a legalized parasite all the time. And who is the greatest victim of the parasites? The farmers all over the world. Then it is a home question all the time, because the most of us are farmers. And we see the consequence. Said the Rev. Mr. Simson one Thanksgiving day in Park Street Church: "If agriculture falls we all fall. There is a rush to-day towards the cities that are growing three times faster than the country districts. One in five of all our people are in our cities and larger towns. * * * Are there not too many living upon their wits? They are parasites in the industrial world, and live as all parasites do upon the labors of others. It is to the cities that such people gravitate, because the cities afford them the best opportunities of parasitism."

History has hardly a parallel to show for the rush to the cities that has taken place in our Dominion since the operation of our high tax policy. Parasitism grows most everywhere with its consequent results, but we have added an additional stimulant.

It was against this growing parasitism that "American Farms" was directed. As the years go by the necessity of an energetic work to stay this tide is more and more apparent. We cannot hope for an abatement until we are willing to face the questions of taxation and strive for their proper adjustment. Everybody can see plainly that more people are not required to produce farm produce under present conditions.

Yours, with thanks for so much space,

J. R. E.

Fast Typewriter Work.

EVERETT J. THOMPSON, A KENT CO. MAN, CAN MAKE HIS FINGERS FLY VERY FAST.

In the little city of Norwich, Conn., there is a telegraph operator by the name of Everett J. Thompson, who can finger the keys of a typewriter so fast as to make the little machine hum like a thousand crickets.

He was born at Bass River, N. B., and learned telegraphy in Welford station, on the Intercolonial Railway, and has worked for the past six or eight years in several places in the United States and Canada and is at present taking the Associated Press despatches for the Norwich *Bulletin*.

Three or four years ago when the typewriter first became popular with telegraph operators, and when the Phillips code demanded something faster than handwriting to transcribe the sounds of the instrument, Mr. Thompson gave his attention to the machine, and his progress has been marvellous.

He is as much at home with the little "piano" as he is with his right hand, and the way he uses all the fingers of both his hands is a caution.

On several occasions last winter Mr. Thompson, before hundreds of people in the Norwich opera house wrote from memorized matter 167 to 168 words a minute, with comparatively few errors. This enormous speed is at the rate of about 13 letters per second.

After accomplishing this feat he was blindfolded, and in one minute with the handkerchief over his eyes he fingered out 155 words of the same matter.

From dictation he has several times turned out 114 words per minute, and blindfolded has written 90 and 100 words.

At the big telegraph fast sending and receiving tournament in Buffalo, last February, Mr. Thompson gave the operators of that city a surprise which they haven't got over yet. His easy graceful style captivated everybody, and the way he turned out copy, blindfolded, simply floored some of the oldtimers.

Dark Rumors From Morocco.

London, Dec. 1.—A special to the *Daily Telegraph* from Paris says that lately there have been dark allusions made to the possible outbreak of a holy war in Morocco that will spread to the Arabs in Algeria. Persons well informed on affairs in Algeria consider that the French are indulging in a false security when they think the Arabs are loyal to them. The despatch adds that it is learned on high authority that the Marabouts are preaching a holy war in the schools. It is further said that the Sultan of Morocco is pursuing a temporizing power in the Melille matter, in order to permit an outbreak against Christians. It is urged that France should support Spain to suppress the attempt to start a holy war.

Forged Notes in Circulation.

President Lewin, of the Bank of New Brunswick reports several newly forged bank notes in circulation. The public should be careful in handling scrip money or they may be taken in. Mr. Lewin says that he has had three of these forged notes—one of the Bank of Nova Scotia, one of the Bank of New Brunswick and another of the Commercial Bank of Windsor. The forgery consists of the changing of the $5 note into one of $10. The five in the corner of the note is replaced by a 10 which looks as if it had been taken from some other note. The alteration is so well done that, unless a person was on the lookout for it, the change would never be noticed. *St. John Telegraph.*

Canned Lobsters In London.

The *London Grocer* of November 18th has the following item of interest to lobster packers: "As usual at this period of the year the trade has fallen away very much. The large stock of second and low grades will need spring weather to move it off. Packers have themselves to blame for an unprofitable season's result this year by packing false grated and black stained goods, in which the bad qualities can only be sorted out at the expense of a waste of the bulk."

—Positive economy, peculiar merit and wonderful medicinal power are all combined in Hood's Sarsaparilla. Try it. Hood's cures.

What Old Men Can Do.

An exchange says: "John Quincy Adams was able to speak with superior intelligence and spirit on great national questions which came up for discussion in Congress, when nearly eighty years of age. Haydn was seventy when he produced his masterpiece, 'The Creation;' and Michael Angelo finished 'The last Judgment' when he was sixty-seven. Oliver Wendell Holmes is eighty two, and his poetic genius has not forsaken him." A note of such facts should be made by those church people who think that a minister has crossed "the dead line" who has passed his fiftieth year. That may be true of a few—in fact, such passed the "dead line" long before they were fifty—but it is not true of the majority of ministers. As a rule, a minister who has reached middle life is capable of far more usefulness than a young man.

For Boils and Skin Diseases.

DEAR SIRS.—I have been using B. B. B. for boils and skin diseases, and I find it very good as a cure. As a dyspepsia cure I have also found it unequalled.

MRS. SARAH HAMILTON, Montreal, Que.

Services for Sunday, December 10th.

CHURCH OF ENGLAND.—Rev. F. P. Greatorex, Rector. La St. James', Bridgetown: Service with celebration of Holy Communion at 11; Sunday-school at 2; Evening Prayer and sermon at 7. Sewing Circle Wednesday evening at 7; Communicant's class on Friday evening at 7. In St. Mary's, Belleisle: Service at 3. Seats free in both churches.

BAPTIST CHURCH.—Rev. F. M. Young, Ph. B., Pastor. Bridgetown: Bible Class and Sabbath School, 10 a.m.; Preaching Service, 11 a.m. Wadeville at 3 p.m. Prayer meeting on Tuesday, Friday and Sunday evenings at Bridgetown.

GORDON MEMORIAL CHURCH.—Rev. R. S. Whidden, Pastor. Service at 3.15 o'clock. Meeting of Junior Endeavor Society, at 11 a.m. Bible Class and Sunday-school at 2 p.m. Meeting of the Y. P. S. C. E. Tuesday, at 8 o'clock p.m. Service at Annapolis at 11 a. m.; Bible class and Sunday-school at 3 p.m.; Ladies Prayer Meeting, Wednesday, at 7 p.m.; General prayer-meeting at 7.30. Seats free in both churches. Citizens and strangers are cordially invited.

PROVIDENCE METHODIST CHURCH.—Rev. J. B. Giles, pastor. Preaching services: Bridgetown every Sunday evening; Granville and Bentville every Sunday morning and afternoon, alternately. Prayer-meetings: Bridgetown every Wednesday evening; Granville every Tuesday evening; Bentville every Thursday evening.

PARADISE CIRCUIT.

BAPTIST CHURCH.—Rev. R. B. Kinley, Pastor. Paradise: Bible class and Sabbath-school at 9.45; preaching service at 11 a.m. West Paradise: Bible class and Sabbath-school at 3 p.m. Clarence: Bible class and Sabbath-school at 1.45 p.m., preaching service at 3 p.m. Conference at Paradise on Saturday at 2.30 p.m. Collection at Paradise on Sunday morning for North-west missions.

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J. F. CUNNINGHAM.

Cape Island.

—That string on my finger means "Bring home a bottle of MINARD'S LINIMENT."

Births.

SALZMAN.—At Paradise, Dec. 26th, 1893, to the wife of John Salzman, a son.

Marriages.

TROOP—INNIS.—At All Saints church, Granville Centre, on the 16th inst., by the Rev. A. Gale, Francis H. Troop to Isabelle L. Innis, daughter of the late Robert Innis, Esq., of Halifax.

Deaths.

BOLAND.—At Lawrencetown, Dec. 2nd, 1893, James Boland.

SHAW.—At Berwick, Nov. 27th, after a brief illness, Victor, son of Isaiah J. Shaw, Esq., aged 19 years.

—That stout man was made by K. D. C. He was lean, lank, gloomy and dyspeptic. You see him now cheerful, happy, contented and stout. Do you envy him? You can be like him. Use K. D. C. 35 21.

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BENJ. MILLER, ESQ.

CLARENCE, Oct. 28th, 1893.

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Two horses, one colt, three heifers, two pair steers, three cows, two calves, one odd steer, one team wagon, one riding wagon, one plow, one set sleds, one spring tooth harrow, one mowing machine, one horse rake, double set harness, single set harness, one hay cutter, fifteen or twenty tons good hay, besides many other agricultural implements too numerous to mention.

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Bridgetown, N. S., Nov. 28th. 1893.

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Christmas!

Once more, as the Festive Season approaches, the subscriber takes the liberty of thanking his many patrons for their very generous favors in the past, and also to inform them that, as usual, he is again prepared to meet all competition both in quality of goods and prices.

His immense stock is now complete in

Gents' Furnishings
of every class and description.
Boots, Shoes and Slippers
of the most modern patterns, which for excellence and style cannot be surpassed.
Ready-made Clothing
adapted to all ages, embracing the best of workmanship and patterns.
GROCERIES
from the leading dealers of the Maritime Provinces.
Flour, Meal and Middlings
from the best known millers of Canada.
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and all other articles necessary for the Christmas Season.
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A Boston Boy's Eyesight Saved—Perhaps His Life

By Hood's Sarsaparilla—Blood Poisoned by Canker.

Read the following from a grateful mother: "My little boy had Scarlet Fever when 4 years old, and it left him very weak and with blood **poisoned with canker.** His eyes became so inflamed that his sufferings were intense, and for seven weeks he

Could Not Open His Eyes.

I took him twice during that time to the Eye and Ear Infirmary on Charles street, but their remedies failed to do him the faintest shadow of good. I commenced giving him Hood's Sarsaparilla and it soon cured him. I have never doubted that it **saved his sight,** even **if not his very life.** You may use this testimonial in any way you choose. I am always ready to sound the praise of

Hood's Sarsaparilla

because of the wonderful good it did my son."

ANNIE BLACKMAN, 2888 Washington St., Boston, Mass. Get HOOD'S.

HOOD'S PILLS are hand made, and are perfect in composition, proportion and appearance.

XMAS GOODS

—AT THE—

Central Book Store,

—IN—

CHINA, GLASS & CELLULOID.

Toys, Games, Books, &c.

B. J. ELDERKIN.

Bridgetown, November 28th, 1893.

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HARRIS' GROCERY, FRUIT,

—AND—

Provision Store,

Queen St., - Bridgetown.

Thanking my many friends and customers for their kind patronage since opening the above store, would ask a continuance, hoping always to be able to give them the best satisfaction. I buy from none but the most reliable houses, and am in a position to warrant every article sold by me. My goods are all fresh and carefully selected. If any article purchased from me should not prove as recommended, it will be taken back and money refunded.

Below find enumerated a few of the many articles to be found in my stock:

Cinnamon, Cloves, Allspice, Cream Tartar, Mixed Spices, Ginger, Pepper, Epp's Cocoa, Rendolph's Cocoa, Chocolate, Broma, Gelatine, Fruit Puddine, Corn Starch, Royal Baking Powder, Royal Yeast Cakes, Mustard, Dessicated Cocoanut, Wheaten Grits, Arlington Meal, Rolled Wheat, Rolled Oatmeal, Granulated Oatmeal, Gold Dust Corn Meal, Coarse and Fine Salt, Brooms, Buckets, Cheese, Fish (smoked, dried and pickled), Self-raising Buckwheat, Fresh Ground Buckwheat, Oysters, Beef, Ox Tongues, Ox Tail Soup, Tomatoes, Baked Beans, Lobsters, Salmon, Finnan Haddies, Corn, Peas, String Beans, Condensed Milk (Jersey brand), Syrups, Lime Juice, Pickles (bottle and bulk), Sauces, Sun Rising Stove Polish, Washing Soda, Enameline, Pearline, Sulphur, Salt Peter, Liniments, Castor Oil, Lard (bulk and tins). Lamp Chimnies and Wicks, Soaps (Surprise, Fairy, Pure Gold, Electric and P. Y. Bars).

ESSENCES.

Lemon, Bitter Almonds, Vanilla, etc., etc.

Black Snuff, Split and Whole Peas, Beans and Cranberries.

A LARGE STOCK OF

FANCY CONFECTIONERY,

Nuts, Figs, Raisins, Currants,

ORANGES and LEMONS.

Peels—Orange, Lemon and Citron, in one-pound boxes and in bulk.

Molasses, very fine.
Kerosene Oil. White Rose.

CIGARS and PIPES.

TOBACCOS.

Uncle Ned, Old Chum, Fine Cut, Index, Napoleon, Something Good, Judge, Sterling, Mic-Mac, Crown, and Morning Star.

SHOE, STOVE, and SCRUB

BRUSHES.

☞Before closing this, I wish to call attention of those not using

MY TEAS

that I keep nothing but the best, and make the following offer to all who wish to try the TEA: Will give until the

First of January, 1894,

one half pound of my best Cream Mixture (Confectionery) to every cash purchaser of one pound.

Eggs, Butter,

and other Produce taken in exchange.

Bridgetown, November, 1893.

To Cash Buyers!

It will pay you to go to T. G. BISHOP'S for your WINTER SUPPLIES. I have bought a LARGE STOCK OF GOODS for the Fall and Winter Trade in the best markets at Lowest Wholesale Rates, and I am able to compete with anyone in the trade.

WE ARE SELLING

19 lbs. Splendid Sugar for - - $1.00
50 lbs. for $2.50.
16 lbs. Granulated Sugar for - - $1.00
50 lbs. for $3.00.
Choice Porto Rico Molasses, per gal., 43c.
5 Gallons for $2.00.
Highest Grade American Oil, per gal., 26c.
4 Gallons for 95c.
Choice Black Tea, - 25c. to 40c. per lb.
Choice Family Flour, $3.90 to $4.50 per bbl.
New Valencia Raisins, - - 7c. per lb.
By the Box, 6c. per lb.

New Goods Arriving Weekly!

T. G. BISHOP.

Williamston, Nov. 21st, 1893.

TENDERS!

Tenders will be received until NOV. 30th, 1893, for building and supplying the material for a Wharf on the property of The International Brick and Tile Co., Ltd. Plans, specifications, and any other necessary information can be obtained from the undersigned whereever those desiring to bid may happen to meet him.

HECTOR McKINNON,
Bridgetown, Nov. 8th, 1893.

New Advertisements.

A MERRY XMAS TO ALL!

COME ONE! COME ALL!

—TO—

MEDICAL HALL,

—ON—

Saturday Night

—and look at our XMAS STOCK, consisting of—

Dressing, Jewel, Work, Glove and Handkerchief, Cuff and Collars, Writing and Odor Cases,

Mirrors, Writing Desks and Folios, Photo Frames, Card Cases, Purses, Musical Instruments,

Such as AUTOHARPS, ACCORDEONS, MOUTH ORGANS, FLUTE-HARMONICAS, FLUTE-ACCORDEONS, &c.

COME AND GET FIRST CHOICE.

DeBLOIS & PRIMROSE.

FURS. FURS.

We now offer the public a splendid assortment of FURS, in

Collars, Capes and Muffs,

—EMBRACING IN VARIETY—

Cooney, Seal, Greenland Seal, Nutria and Dog Skin.

One Case of Grey Flannels.

EXTRA VALUE. From 12 cents per yard and upwards.

Boys' and Children's Overcoats and Reefers.

See our Boys Heavy Nap Overcoat, at $3.75.

DRESS GOODS IN ENDLESS VARIETY.

STRONG & WHITMAN.

NEW CUSTOM TAILORING ROOMS!

The subscriber makes his bow to the public of Bridgetown and vicinity by announcing that he has opened a business for himself in the large and appropriate rooms

Over the MONITOR OFFICE,

where he has now on inspection a well-selected stock of

CLOTHS and TRIMMINGS

—IN—

English Worsteds,
Scotch Tweeds, Irish Serges,

MELTONS AND BEAVERS.

☞Assuring all who may favor me with their patronage that my aim will always be *TO PLEASE*, and that *MY PRICES* will defy competition, I respectfully ask for a share of the trade.

FRANK SCOTT

Bridgetown, October 3rd, 1893.

Still Open for Tenders!

Nothwithstanding the fact that no satisfactory Tenders were received up to Saturday, the 25th day of November, for the Boot and Shoe business of the late JOHN P. MURDOCH, the sub cribers hereby give notice that they are still desirous of disposing of the same, and that they will give any reasonable offer for the entire stock their careful consideration.

In the meantime, however, the store will be kept open for the purpose of disposing of the stock as rapidly as possible, and all customers may rely upon getting Fresh and Seasonable Goods at the usual

Discount of 15 per cent.

MARY AGNES MURDOCH, *Administratrix.*
GEORGE MURDOCH, *Administrator.*

Bridgetown, November 28th, 1893.

EXTRA VALUE

IN MENS' AND BOYS'

Ulsters, Overcoats and Reefers.

THIRD REPEAT ORDER IN

LADIES' FURS

Just received, making the assortment complete.

Large stock of Wall Paper

TO CLEAR AT VERY LOW PRICES.

WANTED!

Any quantity good Potatoes (in barrels), Choice Roll Butter and Fresh Eggs. We have been paying 24 cents per dozen for Eggs for the past three weeks, and have to-day advanced the price.

JOHN LOCKETT.

Bridgetown, November 12th, 1893.

F. A. McPHERSON, Fashionable Tailor,

MIDDLETON, N. S.

HAS JUST RECEIVED A NEW LINE OF

Cloths for Fall and Winter Wear,

—INCLUDING—

Suitings, Overcoatings and Pantings,

—IN—

ENGLISH, SCOTCH AND CANADIAN TWEEDS.

Prices to Suit the People.

☞Call and Inspect Work and Material.☜

Triumphant Again!

TO THE PUBLIC:—

It is a source of much pleasure and gratification to us to announce that once again the WHITE Sewing Machine has been highly honored in the award of Medal and Diploma for Specific Merit covering the most important points claimed, at the World's Fair, Chicago.

This taken in connection with the victorious awards given the "WHITE" at the Centennial Exposition, Cincinnati, in 1888, and the Exposition Universelle, Paris, in 1889, is the strongest and most convincing evidence that the "White" stands unrivalled as the finest and best family sewing machine in the world.

It has led the Van in the Past!
It leads the World To-Day.
VERILY THE WHITE IS KING!

FOR SALE BY

JAS. A. GATES & CO., SOLE AGENTS, MIDDLETON, N. S.

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