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The Weekly Monitor.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 11th, 1896.

This announcement, recently made in the St. John and Halifax papers, that Mr. Lockie of the Torbrook firm, associated with some American capitalists, contemplated establishing smelting works at some convenient point, has doubtless been read with interest by the people of the eastern part of this county.

Notwithstanding the inclement weather quite a large number of the friends of Pastor Youngman attended the service Monday evening for the purpose of extending to Pastor and wife congratulations and presenting their annual offering.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Bridgetown Driving Park Co., Ltd., was held at the office of the secretary, Fred R. Fay, on Tuesday evening, March 3rd.

The three revisors appointed for this district, viz., Messrs. Oliver Ruffe, Alexander Fraser and Stanley Marshall met in the Court House on Thursday and Friday of last week to consider the various divisions Nos. 4, 5, and 19.

The restaurant occupied by R. P. Saunders, Water street, Digby, was discovered to be on fire last night about seven o'clock, by a passer-by.

During the storm of Thursday last the schooner, Edmond, Capt. Taylor, bound from Parrsboro to St. John, ran ashore at Margareville at eight o'clock in the evening.

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Local and Special News.

Look at F. G. Palfrey's assortment of Toilet Soaps in his window. 50 11. A number of good-sized seals were seen playing in the water inside the Gut a few days ago.

The Yarmouth Steamship Company are giving away 10,000 copies of a new illustrated guide book. During March the Prince Rupert carries the mails three times a week, viz., Monday, Wednesday and Saturday.

The Liberals of Hants county held their convention in Windsor on Friday, and nominated Allen Haley, Esq., as their candidate in the coming election.

The regular convention of Annapolis Royal Lodge, held in Masonic Hall Wednesday evening, two fellow crafts were raised to the sublime degree of master masons and only initiated as an entered apprentice.

The largest schooner ever built in a United States shipyard was successfully launched at Bath on February 29. She is named the W. B. Palmer, and her dimensions are: Length, 237 feet; breadth, 42 feet; depth, 20 feet; gross tonnage, 1,800.

The Ministerial Conference of Annapolis County will hold its March session with the church at Annapolis on the 23rd and 24th inst. in connection with the Marriage Convention. The first service will be held on Monday night 23rd, when Rev. James Porter, of Lower Greenville is expected to preach.

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Dr. T. A. Croaker, of Middleton, left on Wednesday last on a trip to Boston and New York. The Bear River Electric Co. have decided to extend the Bear River light system to Digby.

The Gold Cure Institute which was established in Halifax about three years ago, will soon close. The manager has decided to go to New York. Rev. John T. Bryan, rector of Trinity church, St. Stephen, N. B., has been appointed temporary rector of St. Paul's church, Charlottetown.

The members of Regina Division, Paradise, intend giving their popular drama, "Down by the River," interspersed with tableaux and music, in the hall at Upper Grandville, Friday evening, the 13th inst.

Mr. H. H. Wickwire, M.P.P., lost a fine carriage mare last Sunday. The animal got into the water and perished. The mare was valued at \$100. Mr. Wickwire is a well-known farmer in the district.

The Rev. Dr. Carey, of St. John, will lecture in the Academy of Music, Annapolis, on Friday, 14th inst. His subject is "St. Patrick." The rev. gentleman will also lecture in the Baptist church at Digby on Saturday evening.

Philadelphus, March 9. The death was read to H. H. Holmes the murderer of E. F. Fitzgerald, by Sheriff Clement Holmes, in the presence of the jury reading the reading of the document, and appeared less concerned than did the sheriff. At the conclusion of the reading, Mr. Holmes expressed himself as willing to die, and at the sheriff was leaving the cell the doorman said to Mr. Holmes: "You can, of course, find me here when you want me."

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Get Your Tea and Coffee FROM F. G. PALFREY. TEA from 20c to 50c per lb. COFFEE from 25c to 45c lb.

5 per cent Discount ON BALANCE OF Underclothing, Men's Heavy Serge Suits, Winter Gloves, Men's Overshoes, Ladies' Carnival Overshoes, Ladies' Rubber Boots.

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Remarkable Inducements. To Purchase Fall and Winter Goods. We still continue to thank our friends and patrons for their liberal patronage during the past year, and kindly ask a continuance of the same, in return for which we will guarantee

Good and Honest Goods, Low Prices, Fair Treatment, and Polite Attention. WE BEGIN THE NEW YEAR WITH AN IMMENSE RAID ON PRICES on all kinds of Fall and Winter apparel. Goods will have to go regardless of former value. Our clearing out sale will continue until all Winter Goods are disposed of, and every one in need will do himself or herself an injustice by buying without consulting our prices.

An Enormous Reduction in the prices of these goods in order to induce customers to purchase at this time of the year. 2 Men's Fur Coats, 5 Fur Robes, included in the above. Shawls, Winter Dress Goods, etc., etc. All goods will undergo the same CUT-IN-TWO PRICES. Be sure and call and we will save you money.

J. W. BECKWITH & SON. 1896 - SPRING - 1896! AUCTION Real Estate! To be sold at Public Auction, Thursday, April 2nd, next, at 2 o'clock, p.m., in front of the house occupied by Aaron Chute, in Bridgetown, the following properties belonging to the Estate of the Late Sheriff, J. AVARD MORSE.

JOHN LOCKETT & SON. Have opened at this early date 24 Cases and Bales of Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, 4 Cases Ready-made Clothing (from the best factory in Canada), 3 Cases Hats and Caps, 1 Case Large White Blankets at \$1.00 per pair.

STARTLING INDUCEMENTS! As the Spring Season is now rapidly approaching, doubtless there are many households in the town, county and elsewhere who have decided upon placing in their dwellings new appointments in

THIS IS THE PLACE TO BUY CLOTHING, Men's Shirts, Boots and Shoes. A Large Stock of CHILDREN'S BOOTS. B. STARRATT, Paradise, Feb. 17th, 1896.