The Weekly Monitor.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 9th, 1894.

—THE Supreme Court of Canada was last week engaged in hearing the case submitted to it for a decision as to the relative powers of the dominion and local parliaments in dealing with both the regulation, and the prohibition, of the liquor traffic. This is a matter which has not yet been determined since these two bodies were created by the British North America Act. At the outset it was claimed that the power to regulate as well as to prohibit, was vested in the dominion parliament, and in accordance with this claim the McCarthy Act was passed dealing with the matter. The province of Ontario, it will be remembered, contested this right, and in the end the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council upheld the claim of the province, declaring the McCarthy Act null and void. In the case now submitted it is being contended in behalf of the dominion government that the parliament of Canada, having control over all matters of trade and commerce, has power over the importation, manufacture, and wholesale branches of the trade, while the licensing and regulating of the retail trade only comes within the control of the local legislatures. In opposition to this the province of Ontario is now claiming that the right to prohibit, as well as to license and regulate, belongs to the provinces.

In opposition to this again, the brewers and distillers association of Ontario, by counsel, made an elaborate argument, to show that the dominion parliament has exclusive control of the whole traffic, save the one point of licensing, which belongs to the provinces. The Supreme Court will doubtless give a decision at an early date, which will then be appealed to the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council, when all doubts upon these different points will be removed. Prohibitionists of the dominion will then know just where to look for a law prohibiting the importation, manufacture and sale of liquor. And until these points are determined it would manifestly be unwise on the part of either parliament to attempt to legislate further upon the subject.

In the meantime it is well to remember that we already have a law as prohibitory as any it is in the power of either local or dominion parliament to enact. The Scott Act, if thoroughly enforced, will prohibit as effectually as a national prohibitory law could possibly do. It has also the additional advantage of having been fully tested and having all the loopholes and weak points discovered, while any new enactment on the subject would require time and amendment to make it as workable as the Scott Act now is. For these reasons it appears that in counties where this latter act is properly enforced the temperance people have not so much to gain from a national prohibitory law after all.

—MR. MARTIN, the newly elected member for Winnipeg, thinks a duty of forty cents per barrel on apples imported into the Dominion an extortion, and he protested against it in rather a vigorous manner, when that item of the tariff was being discussed in committee. Looked at from the stand-point of the North West alone, this objection is well taken as no apples are grown there and it is generally believed that none ever can be. That section of the dominion must, therefore, be forever dependent upon Ontario and the neighboring states of the union for its supply of this fruit, and such being the case a duty would seem objectionable. In this part of the dominion, however, the question assumes an entirely different aspect and there are few people among us on either side of politics who will not look upon such a duty as just and reasonable. Our fruit growers would doubtless regard with great satisfaction any proposition designed to bring about reciprocal free trade in apples, and other fruits, between this country and the United States. But so long as our apples are virtually shut out of the American market by a tariff almost prohibitory it would seem to be unfair to our fruit growing industry to allow their apples a free entrance over here. If this were done the American fruit would quite largely supply the first demands of our markets, their apples being in the market several weeks earlier than ours. Under the McKinley tariff our apples are subject to a duty of about sixty cents per barrel in the American market. The Wilson bill, when it passed the house of Representatives, had apples on the free list, but the Senate has since changed this to an ad valorum duty of fifteen per cent. So the Canadian rate of forty cents per barrel has doubtless been fixed to meet this. It is doubtful if our early varieties of fruit will ever be able to be shipped, to any great extent, to England; and if these are shut out of the United States by a pretty stiff duty it would seem to be but just to our fruit growers that the local markets should be preserved to them, Mr. Martin to the contrary notwithstanding. This is one case of protection about which, under present conditions, there will be no two opinions among the fruit growers of the Annapolis Valley.

—WHEN the Wilson bill passed the House of Representatives in December last we made the prediction that the fight over the tariff had only just began. Nearly half a year has passed since then, yet the bill has not yet passed the Senate, and indeed seems no more likely to pass than it did at the beginning of the fight. In the meantime, democratic organizations all over the country, seeing that the delay is likely to prove fatal to the success of their party in the congressional elections to take place this year, are passing resolutions earnestly beseeching the party leaders in Congress to pass some kind of a tariff measure, and do it quick. At a public meeting not long ago a prominent clergyman in discussing the delay made the statement that if it were not for his Christian sentiments, and the loss of life it would entail, he would like to see a hundred pounds of dynamite placed under the capital and the whole dime show, senators included, blown skyhigh, so disgusted are the people becoming at the tedious and ruinous delay in dealing with the tariff. If General Coxey had gathered up his army of tramps and headed them for Washington for the avowed purpose of scaring the senators into passing the tariff reform measure, the people asked for at the last presidental election, he would have made himself a great popular hero and might possibly have become the next president.

It is no wonder the democrats are being unmercifully beaten wherever an election takes place. The people entrusted them with power and authorized them to wipe the McKinley tariff off the statutes, but they have proved unequal to the trust. There remains now to the people to say to these representatives and senators in the words of Cromwell—"get ye gone, give place to honester men," or more sensible ones. And there is every probability of its being done at the forthcoming elections.

—*Toronto Week*: We had occasion, in a recent number, to express our appreciation at Dr. J. G. Bourinot, C.M.G., F.R.S.C., our distinguished constitutional and historical scholar, having undertaken special reviewing for its columns. It has now great satisfaction in announcing that Mr. J. Carter Troop, M.A., for some years the successful editor and manager of *The Trinity Review*, has been appointed manager of *The Week*. [illegible] has already made his mark as a [illegible]dian journalist of sound taste [illegible]ality and with capacity for [illegible] to Australia in the [illegible] government and the [illegible] greatly to his [illegible] Mr. Troop's [illegible] *The Week* [illegible]

An Annapolis Industry.

The shire town has not abounded of late with manufacturing industries, yet they would appear to be increasing. A prominent addition in this line of progress is the newly established factory of A. M. Bishop, who has for several years engaged in the building and contracting business of Annapolis.

Mr. Bishop's place of business is situated on St. Anthony street, but two minutes walk distant from the railway station. Here he has recently erected a large addition to his building premises and has placed therein an excellent steam engine which supplies the motive power for the numerous machines. Of these there are planers, saws, moulders, etc., all of superior make and quality. In the near future other machines will be added as is needed. The output of this plant is varied. Beside jobbing such as planing, rabbeting, etc., of which he has now a large contract, Mr. Bishop manufactures doors, mouldings, newel posts—in short the necessities of a wood-worker's vocation. That good work is done is evidenced by the rapidly increasing volume of business. This is an establishment worthy of distinction among those of the county and without seeming to entertain opposition to similar industries in other portions of the county the proprietor requests a share of public patronage. Beside his manufacturing business Mr. Bishop is a prominent contractor and builder of Annapolis, the handsome residences of J. J. Ritchie, J. M. Owen, Aug. Fullerton and others testifying to his skill. With an efficient corps of workmen his business stands easily among the first.

The Late Jesse Oakes.

Another vacancy is left in the death of Jesse Oakes, who passed away at Albany, on the 28th ult., aged 85 years. Though weakened by advanced age, and suffering during recent years from disease, he bore up bravely, being confined to his bed only ten or twelve days prior to his death. One of the early settlers at Albany, he remained at the old homestead till death came for him. Naturally strong physically and of resolute purpose, he was, during his active life, a leader in whatever promoted the good of the community.

As a member of the Board of School Commissioners, a fervent advisor at the Court of Sessions, a deacon in the church and a citizen, his course was ever upright and his judgment sound. Few men have ever been more honest in business or more faithful to promise. Four sons and two daughters survive him: Albert, at Albany; Jesse E. and Wm. H., at Nictaux; Ingram B., at Wolfville; and Mrs. Chittick and Mrs. Whitman, at Hantsport.

A sister of the deceased, Mrs. Enoch Bishop, died at Greenwich, Horton, just one month previously, aged 92 years; the mother, Mrs. Phineas Oakes, having passed away at Albany several years ago at the age of 97 years.—COM

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DURLING—DUNN.

Miss Mary Bella Dunn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Dunn of Greenville, was united in marriage to Mr. Harry Martin Durling last evening at the home of the bride's parents, 519 North Main street. The ceremony was performed Rev. L. W. Barney, Ph. D., pastor of the Greenville Congregational church. The house was very prettily decorated with artistically arranged flowers and was filled with the many friends and relatives of the couple. The bride was most becomingly dressed in a fawn colored silk gown and was attended by her sister, Miss Henrietta S. Dunn, who acted as bridesmaid. Mr. E. A. Reynolds was best man. A reception was held after the marriage and many friends took this opportunity of extending congratulations. An elaborate wedding supper was served.

Among the guests were Mr. Durling, father of the groom, of Nova Scotia, and the bride's brother, Alexander Dunn, of Brooklyn.

Mr. Dunn is conductor on the express freight on the New York and New England road, and both he and his bride are well and favorable known, having a large circle of acquaintances. Mr. and Mrs. Durling left last night on the boat train for a bridal tour to New York and up the Hudson. They will make New London their home on their return. The many beautiful presents given them affectionately attested the good wishes of their friends and relatives.—*Norwich Evening Record.*

Mr. Durling is an Annapolis Co. boy, and grandson of Mrs. Wm. Phinney of Lawrencetown.

A Beautiful Mare.

E. Ruggles, Esq., of this town, has sold his black gelding "John Almont" to E. LeRoi Willis, Esq., of St. John, N. B., and has purchased of that gentleman the mare "Minnie Grey." Minnie Grey stands 15 3, weighs 1050 lbs., and is considered very handsome; she was driven on the Boston boulevard last February, and attracted the attention of the many admirers of a good horse in that city. Her speed, to us, is an unknown quantity, but we will hazard the guess that she can trot any good track in 2.30. John A. is much admired in St. John, and will be given an opportunity to verify the predictions made by his former owner as to his speed, under favorable conditions.

—The public examination of the school at Granville Centre was held on the afternoon of the 27th ult. A large number of parents and friends were present and manifested much interest in the exercises. The teacher, Mr. Avard Bishop, of Williamston, deserved credit for presenting to the attention of the visitors the regular work of the school instead of following the old-fashioned method of having a variety concert. The pupils, who had not been made acquainted with the time of the examination till the previous day, acquitted themselves well. The reading was especially good. Two of the trustees who were present, Messrs. Chas. Withers and B. C. Eaton, and other residents, expressed themselves as entirely pleased with the work of the year, and hoped to be able to retain the appreciated services of Mr. Bishop for another year. Rev. F. M. Young and others present, also spoke words of commendation, and highly complimented the teacher on the results of his labor.

—Francis Dauphiney *alias* Drake who has been in the Annapolis jail charged with stealing clothes and fifteen dollars from on board the *Monticello* came up before Judge Savary for trial on Wednesday. He pleaded guilty to the first charge but claimed he never stole the money. He was sentenced to two years with hard labour at Dorchester. Sheriff Morse started with the prisoner for the penitentiary on Monday; and on arriving at Halifax, Chief O'Sullivan gave Drake some good advice, and the prisoner promised that he would not wait for his release to begin a better life, but that he would start at once and show the prison authorities that he intended to forsake his evil ways.

—The schr. *Swanhilda*, Capt. Croscup, lately ashore at Essex, Mass., with a cargo of piling and wood for Messrs. Neily & Crowe, was sufficiently lightened by jettisoning cargo to be floated, but was unfortunate enough to again become stranded while attempting to proceed on her trip. After throwing off most of deckload of piling, which was afterwards secured, the schooner was taken in tow by the tug-boats and successfully reached her destination, sustaining but little loss to herself or the shippers of the cargo.

—Our enterprising lumberman Mr. John Healy, succeeded in getting his drive of logs to his mill on the Paradise stream on Saturday last, when his men were paid off and started for their respective homes on the Morse Road and in Dalhousie, in teams supplied by Mr. Lantry of the Grand Central Hotel. The happy fellows appeared jubilant over the successful termination of their arduous, and sometimes dangerous occupation, as they drove through town en route.

—The annual meeting of the Board of School Commissioners for the County of Annapolis will be held at the Court House in Annapolis, on Tuesday, the 15th inst., and at the "Elm House" in Lawrencetown, on Wednesday, the 16th inst—both meetings to be convened at ten o'clock in the forenoon. Persons having business with either of these Boards are requested to take notice of said meetings and to govern themselves accordingly.

—Wife beaters are treated in sensible style in Germany. They are not imprisoned, as in this country, but are arrested every Saturday after they have finished their week's work, and kept in prison until the following Monday. This is done regularly every week until the sentence has expired. The object, of course, is that the delinquent shall be able to earn money during the week to support his family.

—There will only be one line of steamships between Halifax and Boston this season. On Friday last the North Atlantic Steamship Company was purchased by the Plant S. S. Co. The latter company now controls the only line of steamers running directly between Boston and Halifax and Prince Edward Island. The old steamers *Worcester* and *Carrol*, it is said, will be broken up.

—The weather here is cold for this time of the year and vegetation is coming forward slowly. There have been only a few warm days this spring, and some nights of late have been unusually frosty.

—Do not neglect coughs, colds, asthma, and bronchitis, but cure them by using Dr. [illegible] Pine Syrup.

Local and Other Matter.

—Lime at retail. T. G. Bishop. 6 2i

—Marbleine and Alabastine for sale at Shipley's. 6 1i

—The Fisk Jubilee Singers will make a tour of the province again this summer.

—The newest styles of Hats and Caps, at A. J. Morrison's. 6 1i

—Mass will be celebrated in St. Alphonso's church on Sunday next at 11 o'clock.

—J. L. Morse is selling flour from $3.75 to $4.25. Call and examine the quality. 1i

—Capt. Hill, of the steamer *Halifax*, has been appointed inspector of hulls for Nova Scotia.

—Go to the Post Office, Melvern Square, for Timothy, Clover, and Vegetable Seeds, and to get 23 lbs. sugar for one dollar. 2i

—Fred A. Jones, late of the Dufferin, St. John, has accepted a position as manager of a summer hotel at Darlington, New Jersey.

—James Ruggles, B. A., son of Arthur Ruggles, Esq., of Annapolis, has been appointed Collector of Customs at Lockeport.

—Fresh fish were quite plenty in town last week. Among the lot were a few very fat shad, taken in the river at Tupperville.

—J. W. Beckwith wants any quantity of good washed Wool, at the highest market price, in exchange for goods at the lowest price. 5 tf

—Snow & Carr are doing a grand business at their woolen mills, Lequille, and have received during the last few weeks many large orders.

—Big men, little men, and medium-sized men can get Underwear to fit them at A. J. Morrison's. 6 1i

—Mr. M. Johnstone, of South Molunous, Me., has been here for the past few days visiting his relatives, Mr. and Mrs J. Mc Cormick.

—The subscriber has just received another lot of Timothy and Clover, Alsike and Red Top seed, which he is selling low for cash. J. L. Morse. 6 1i

—Miss Agnes Chute has gone to Marlboro, Mass., to spend the summer with her sister. She was accompanied by her two nieces, Misses Agnes and Maude Wilkins.

—To any person desirous of purchasing Carpets or Curtains, J. W. Beckwith will send to their homes for inspection a complete set of samples, at short notice, on application. 4tf

—Immense catches of herring are being taken at Shediac and at other points on the Straits. Nets are no sooner lowered than they are filled and fishermen are reaping quite a harvest.

—Construction commenced on the N. S. Southern Railway (Shelburne) Tuesday. Contracts were let to Duman & Co., Montreal, securing twelve miles. Work on the Narrow Gauge, at Yarmouth, is progressing.

—T. G. Bishop is selling for Cash best quality Timothy Seed $2.95 per bushel, Alsike Clover 18 cts. per lb., Red Clover 15 cts., per lb. 6 2i

—There were landed in Yarmouth on Wednesday afternoon last, for shipment to Boston per steamer *Yarmouth*, 2500 crates of live lobsters. Each crate is estimated to hold on an average 80 lobsters, making a total of 200,000.

—J. L. Morse has just received Women's and Misses Kid Button Boots and Slippers; also Men's and Boy's boots; good quality and prices very low. They will be sure to please. Bring along your butter and eggs; even cash will not be refused. 6 1i

GOOD CATCH.—Principal A. D. Brown and Mr. Geo. H. Dixon returned from a trouting excursion to Joe Symonds lake last Saturday night, with a fine catch of good-sized trout. One or two other successful catches have also been reported.

—Fruit culture is more profitable to the farmer now than his other crops. Brown Bros. Co., the most extensive nursery house in Canada, have a vacancy in this section. Write them at Toronto, Ont., for their terms. 2 tf.

—The *City of Monticello*, made the run from Reed's Point wharf in St. John to the steamboat pier in Digby, on Monday, 1st inst., in the quick time of 3 hours, 7½ minutes. This is 1½ minutes under her best time between the two points.

—The schr. *Walter Miller*, Capt. Ryder, which left here with a cargo of wood and piling for Boston for Messrs. Neily & Crowe, is now on her passage home and is daily expected. She will load full cargo of piling at Tupperville for same port, the same firm being the shippers.

—Rev. E. H. Beals, of Hebron, received a unique surprise party the other day in the shape of a number of men with paint and brushes, who set to work and by night fall had dressed the parsonage off in a splendid new dress of the latest improved spring shade and trimmings to suit.

—Russia is now rejoicing in the prospect of another abundant harvest. Enormous stores of grain are now being poured into southern ports. In Odessa alone, 40 British steamers are loading. From this same port 600 convicts have been shipped to Saghalla, said to be a disreputable lot of scoundrels.

A CHURCH REFUSES MONEY.—The Presbyterians of Moncton have declined to accept the proceeds of the fireman's concert held recently, on the ground that dancing formed a part of the programme, and as the church is opposed to dancing it was held to be improper to accept the money.

—Subscribers to The Valley Telephone Co., will please take notice that the hours governing the attention of the operators in the future will be as follows. Week days, from 7.30 a. m. to 12.30 p. m.; 1.30 p. m. to 6 p. m., and from 7 p. m. to 9 p. m. Sundays: 9 a. m. to 10 a. m., and from 4 p. m. to 5 p. m.

—A meeting of the Executive Committee of the Annapolis County Union S. S. Association will be held in the vestry of the Methodist church, Bridgetown, on Monday, May 14th, at 2 o'clock p. m. All members of the executive and ward vice-presidents requested to be present. J. W. Whitman, Sect.

—Dr. Marshall and family have taken possession of the commodious dwelling house on Granville street, lately occupied by Mr. A. E. Sulis. The enterprising owner, Mr. J. W. Beckwith, has made many improvements for the new occupants, and when further changes now contemplated are made, the premises will be one of the handsomest to be found on Queen street.

—We have much pleasure in welcoming the arrival of Mr. Samuel Strong and family, who removed here from Middleton last week and have rented the nothern half of the pretty double residence lately erected by Mr. Edward Ricketson on the south side of the river. We trust Mr. S. will be as pleased with his change of residence as we are with his advent here.

—The Rev. Geo. A. Cleveland, one of our Clarence boys, and lately of Melrose, Mass. has been called to the pastorate of the Baptist church, Riverside, California. On leaving Melrose the three Baptist churches of town had a united meeting to express their appreciation of Mr. Cleveland's worth and work, and he was made the happy recipient of a purse containing one hundred dollars in gold.

—A very severe thunder and lightning storm hovered over our town on Wednesday evening last. Considerable damage was sustained by the central offices of the Valley Telephone Company all along the line, as many as some twenty instruments needing the attention of the electrician in one or two of the large exchanges. The needed repairs have almost all been made, and communication is once more satisfactory.

—The annual meeting of the mite society in connection with St. James' Church was held on Thursday evening last. Mrs. Ansley was re-elected president and Miss Hoyt secretary, for the ensuing year. The collections for the year ending May 1st were exceedingly satisfactory, amounting to $74.81, about $4 more than the previous year. The society looks forward now hopefully to being able to pay something each year towards the principal of the debt, the interest amounting each year to a small sum.

—Master Dudley Foster, better known to the world at large as "Prince Tinymite," has been quite sick and under the care of his physician for several days past. When first taken the illness was looked upon as a slight cold. When the doctor was called it was found that the "smallest man on earth" was suffering from heart trouble and that his illness was of quite a serious nature. Later reports, received from his brother Mr. Joseph Foster, are encouraging, and it is now thought that Master Dudley will be about again in a few days.

—Mr. James S. McGivern and family left here for St. John last week, in which city they will permanently reside for the future. We are informed that Mr. McGivern will again conduct the coal trade there, a business he is thoroughly acquainted with having for many years been engaged in it and enjoying a very liberal share of patronage. During their sojourn here the family have made many warm friends, and it is the earnest wish of all that their future lot may be one of happiness and prosperity.

—100 tons Blacksmith Coal for sale low for spot cash. J. W. BECKWITH. 6 tf

—"Diamond N" Molasses for sale at Shipley's. 5 1i

—Monday, September 3rd, will probably be made a Dominion holiday, to be known as Labor Day.

—Just opened at A. J. Morrison's, three cases Children's Clothing, in all sizes, and at all prices. 6 1i

—Wall Paper and Bordering, Boots and Shoes, Glassware and Tinware, 20 per cent. discount for cash. T. G. Bishop. 6 2i

—The schr. *Sarah F.* arrived in port last week with a cargo of coal for Mr. J. W. Beckwith.

—A large quantity of choice Field and Garden Seeds at Dr. Morse's, Lawrencetown. For sale low. 6 tf.

—Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Daniels have gone to housekeeping, and are occupying one of the pretty cottages owned by J. W. Beckwith, near the railway station.

—Alfred Budd, agent of the New York Life Insurance Co., who has been ill with congestion of the lungs, at McLeod's hotel, Kentville, is getting better.

—New cloths always on hand at A. J. Morrison's, where you can get them made up with every satisfaction. 6 1i

—Harry Fowler, of Fowler Bros., furniture dealers at Kentville, paid his many friends in town a short visit during the past week, after an absence of almost a year.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. C. Miller, who have been visiting relatives at Granville for the past ten days, leave to-day for their home at Revere, Mass., accompanied by Mrs. Hogan and children.

—James Gavaza, of Annapolis, was in town last week introducing his "Lightning Liniment." The preparation is favorably spoken of by some of our citizens who have given its efficacy a fair test.

ENGINE FOR SALE.—A first-class automatic cut-off, high speed, 35 horse power, Westinghouse Engine for sale. Apply to
2tf J. W. BECKWITH, Bridgetown, N.S.

—Mrs. Foss, wife of Mr. C. O. Foss, civil engineer of the N. S. C. Railway, died at Bridgewater last Thursday morning. Mrs. Foss has been a great sufferer and death certainly was to her a blessing.

—The regular monthly meeting of the Bridgetown Fire Brigade will take place tomorrow night at the hose-house at 7.30 o'clock. A full attendance of all members is requested. E. G. LANGLEY, *Captain.*

—If reports are true the old and beautifully located homestead property of the late Miner Tupper, Esq., situate on Granville St., has been purchased of the executors by his son-in-law, L. R. Morse, Esq., Inspector of Schools.

—The W. C. T. U. will meet at the residence of Mrs. J. R. Elliott, Lawrencetown, on Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Part of their business will be to appoint delegates to the District Convention to be held at Lunenburg on June 9th, 10th, 11th.

—J. Verner McLellan, son of Hon. David McLellan, and Mr. Charles Knodell, of St. John, spent Sunday and Monday in town. Mr. McLellan had his "Kodak" with him, and carried away many negatives of beautiful landscape scenes to be found with a mile or two of town.

—St John *Sun*: The travel towards Boston is said by the W. & A. R. authorities to be the smallest for years. This time last year several passenger cars were filled by the young men of the Valley, with their trunks checked for Boston, but this year there is no such emigration.

—Already we hear complaints of the cow nuisance, and yesterday, we are informed, that one or more were driven to the pound. The laws respecting cattle roaming at large are explicit, and owners who allow their cattle to be a source of annoyance to their neighbors deserve punishment.

—Mr. Andrew Beardsley, of Bridgewater, has been engaged by The Valley Telephone Co. as lineman, and will for the future look after the construction of new work and other duties pertaining to the requirements of subscribers. The Bridgewater *Bulletin* states that Andrew is eminently fitted for the position, and that the company has made a wise selection.

—Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Miller have moved into their beautiful residence on Granville street, where they will permanently reside in the future. In recognition of the high esteem in which they are held, the 69th band paid them a serenade visit on Thursday evening last, playing on the occasion many of their best selections. The hospitality shown the band by both Mr. and Mrs. Miller made the visit a most enjoyable one.

Every traveler should have Johnson's Anodyne Liniment in their satchel. Safe, and reliable.

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Middleton, May 8th, 1894. 3m

NOTICE OF ASSIGNMENT!

I hereby give notice that THOMAS M. SMITH, of Nictaux Falls, in the County of Annapolis, Merchant, has by deed of assignment dated the 3rd day of May, A.D. 1894, conveyed to me all his real and personal property, book debts, etc., for the general benefit of his creditors, subject to certain preferences, as in said deed of assignment contained.

After payment of said preferences the said deed of assignment provides for payment *pro rata* of creditors executing the said deed within three months, and the residues, if any, to all the other creditors *pro rata*.

The said deed of assignment is duly recorded and filed in the Registry of Deeds office at Bridgetown, in said County, and a duplicate thereof now lies at the store late occupied by the said Thomas M. Smith, at Nictaux Falls, aforesaid, where the said deed may be examined and executed by creditors.

Dated at Nictaux Falls, this 3rd day of May, A.D. 1894.
(Sgd.) SOLOMON DREW,
Assignee.

WANTED!

A smart reliable young man for office work (one who has a "B" license or who is qualified to get the same). Write (sending photo) to MILLER BROS., 116-118 Granville St., Halifax, N. S. 5 tf

STOCK FOR SALE!

The subscriber will sell at his farm on
Saturday, May 12th,
commencing at 1 o'clock, p.m., the following Stock, viz.:
1 yoke 5-year-old Oxen, 2 yoke 3-year-old Steers, 2 pair 2-year-old Steers, 1 2-year-old Heifer, 3 yearling Steers, one yearling Heifer, 4 Cows, 2 Heifers in calf, 1 Horse.
TERMS:—six months' credit with approved joint notes.
A. B. GATES,
Middleton. May 2nd. 1894. 5 2i

NOTICE!

I have this day retired from the firm of Runciman, Randolph & Co.
JAS. QUIRK.
Bridgetown, May 1st, 1894.

I will continue the business of Runciman, Randolph & Co. as sole representative of said firm. All persons indebted to the firm are requested to make immediate payment to the subscriber.
ROBT. E. FITZRANDOLPH.
Bridgetown, May 1st, 1894. 5 tf

REAL ESTATE SALE

The subscriber will sell at Public Auction
—ON—
Thursday, May 10th,
AT TWO P.M., on the premises,
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