

LOCAL AND SPECIAL

F. O. F. lodge has its regular meeting next Tuesday night.

The milliners are attending the spring openings in St. John.

Let us watch now and see what our new mayors and council will do for good roads.

Sleighting disappeared the first of the week. The season of slush and mud has begun.

CORRECTION—Mr. L. D. Shafner was the nominee of Messrs Cann and Hoyt last week, not H. Ruggles, as our types made it appear.

The Bay is reported to be full of floating ice and the people living along the Bay shore are looking for milder weather as soon as the ice goes out.

Advertisers are again reminded that changes of advertising matter should be handed into this office not later than Monday noon, to assure publication on Wednesday.

St. James church adult sewing circle meets tomorrow (Thursday) afternoon from 2 to 5 at Mrs. Oliver Ruffell's. The junior circle in the evening from 7 to 9 at the rectory.

At a quarterly meeting of the Methodist church last week a call was given to Rev. Geo. F. Johnson, B. A., now stationed at Burlington, Hants Co., and the invitation has been accepted.

The Annapolis Royal Brass Band have engaged as band master, Harry Lee, who has played with Patten and Perry, and who was one of the band which furnished music for the Bridgetown exhibition.

On Monday evening Mr. and Mrs. Newcomb Marshall entertained a number of friends at their home in Clarence. A very pleasant evening was spent in games and music which was much enjoyed by all.

J. Herbert Marshall, who has been in Massachusetts some months, returned home last week with his bride. Reception was held for the happy couple at the home of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Marshall Lawrence, on Friday night, about fifty guests being present.

Round Hill has a centenarian, Mr. James G. Mack celebrated his one hundredth birthday yesterday, and received the congratulations of a large number of friends at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Armstrong, where he resides. Mr. Mack was the father of the first wife of W. R. Calder of this town.

The races advertised for last Saturday to take place on the river, did not materialize and much disappointment was felt, as a large crowd of outsiders had gathered in town to witness the sport. Some of the local horses did a little speeding, but nothing to gratify the expectations of the crowd.

The West Hants Municipal Council enjoys the unique distinction of having a woman among its officers. Miss Clara McLellan, Collector of Rates for Brooklyn, is filling her difficult position with the utmost credit to herself and satisfaction to the council. She has established the reputation of being the best collector on the list.

A bill to give the ballot to women will be the first private members' bill to be introduced into the British Parliament this session.

General Booth, of the Salvation Army, sailed the other day from London for New York from which city he will come to Canada. On April 1st this aged and enthusiastic worker will sail for Japan, where he hopes to obtain an interview with the Emperor. General Booth is almost 78 years of age. He will be in the middle of the ocean when his birthday comes around. From Japan he will go to China, by July he expects to be in England again to take up another automobile tour through the British Isles.

F. G. Langley had a very narrow escape on Friday while driving his fast trotter on the river ice. In some way he lost control of his horse and the animal veering towards the river bank plunged through the floating ice on the edge, throwing Mr. Langley from the sleigh into the water. Mr. Langley was rescued as soon as by bystanders could reach him, having escaped a bad shock from his icy bath and a wrenched shoulder. Some difficulty was experienced in getting out the horse, but the animal was finally extricated without further damage than a few scratches.

PERSONAL

Miss Allie Fleming, of Truro, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Fleming, Bridgetown.

Miss Rusklin, of St. John, will arrive on Saturday to take charge of Miss Chute's millinery department.

Mrs. R. A. Crowe, who has been in ill health of late, is visiting her sister Mrs. James Crowe, at Annapolis.

Miss Lockett is having alterations made in her house which will convert it into two tenements with store and office, or two stores.

Mrs. Wm. Tupper after spending the winter in Bridgetown at the home of Mrs. Enoch Dodge, has returned to her home in Tupperville.

Mrs. Caroline Palmer, of Wilmot, whose husband recently died, will make her home with her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Sproul, Clarence.

Miss Bessie McMillan, Annapolis, passed through Bridgetown on Saturday en route for Halifax, where she will take a business course at the Maritime Business College.

CORRESPONDENCE

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

TEMPERANCE AGAIN.

To the Editor of the Monitor.

Your correspondent at Annapolis, signing himself "Observer," favors temperance legislation so strongly that I feel sure he will give his cheerful support to the proposed improvements in our temperance laws. That the statute now prevailing in P. E. Island are greatly superior to all former systems tried in that province seems to be cheerfully acknowledged by all classes of people. That there are inefficient inspectors, in some places is a very probable supposition, and that there are occasional infractions of the new law is also quite likely. This is the fate of all good laws, including the law of Moses and the higher laws of Christ. Our business is simply to have the best laws and to endeavor to carry them out faithfully. The proposed enactments for Nova Scotia, so far as we can understand them, are the best we have ever had placed before our people. Let us stand by them and endeavor to have them efficiently administered. We hope to have "Observer's" hearty co-operation in this undertaking.

SOCIETY.

REV. R. O. ARMSTRONG LECTURES.

Former Bridgetown School-boy, Returns from the Northwest and Occupies Bridgetown Pulpit.

The school room of Providence church was comfortably filled Friday evening to hear the Rev. R. O. Armstrong's lecture on "Possibilities." For more than an hour the audience held the attention of his audience to a marked degree, while he spoke of our possibilities from a moral, social, physical, political and spiritual standpoint, illustrating his subject with many incidents from the classics and history. The lecture showed much thought and study and was highly appreciated by all present. Sunday evening Mr. Armstrong spoke from Rev. Mr. Langille's pulpit to a large audience. The reverend gentleman is a ready and fluent speaker, a bright scholar, and a young man of much promise. We have no doubt he will make a mark for himself in the West, his chosen home, that will be a credit to his native province. About twenty years ago Mr. Armstrong attended the Bridgetown school, and was a class mate of Rev. A. N. Marshall, of Medbourne, Australia, and Rev. A. H. C. Morse, of Brooklyn, N. Y.

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Bridgetown, Feb. 29, 1907.

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Improve Your Farm or Buildings

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F. W. HARRIS

Eastern Canada Loan Company's Agent, Annapolis Royal.

BUSINESS LOCALS

See J. Harry Hicks' new hats.

See J. W. Beckwith's adv. this week.

FOR SALE.—One yoke of working oxen. Apply to John H. Hicks.

Some great snags in men's and boys' overcoats at J. Harry Hicks.

J. W. Beckwith has ten tons of choice upland hay for sale for cash.

We always pay the highest market price for butter and eggs.—John Lockett & Son.

For ten days only, we will sell Manitoba Flour at \$5.00 per bbl. spot cash.—J. I. Foster.

FOR SALE.—Yoke 5 year old good working oxen. Apply to William Piggett, Bridgetown, West.

TO RENT.—Opposite Bank of Nova Scotia, a nice house, newly papered and painted. Apply to Miss Lockett.

We have just received a new lot of Teapots, Burners, Wicks and Chimneys and twelve dozen tumblers.—R. Shipley.

Another lot Disston's Buck Saws; also frames and blades separate, and other goods at lowest prices.—R. Shipley.

TO LET.—Store in Union Bank Block now occupied by H. R. Moody; occupancy May 1st. Apply Union Bank of Halifax, Bridgetown, N. S.

We solicit your patronage for wall paper. Our prices will be sure to meet with your approval. Come and be convinced. Lower than the lowest.—Bridgetown Book Store, Mrs. F. McCormack.

FOR SALE.—A small farm (about 13 acres) in Upper Granville; orchard of 210 trees, in good bearing; all kinds of small fruits; five acres of marsh land, cuts about six tons upland hay; and good house and barns. Apply to F. McCall, Upper Granville.

CONCERT.—A good program has been provided for a concert in Warren's hall tomorrow evening, at 8 o'clock. There will be vocal selections by Miss Gladys Reed and Mrs. W. A. Warren, a short drama entitled "A Sewing Society," and a number of readings. Ice cream and candy will be sold during intermission. Admission 15 cents, in aid of church funds.

Only FOUR DAYS MORE at the GREAT CLEARANCE SALE of Mens and Boys Clothing, Furnishings, etc. Come while the opportunity is here. AT THE MOODY STORE.

DIED

ELLIOTT—At Lawrencetown, March 13th, Murray Elliott, aged 63.

NEW GOODS

NATURE'S REMEDIES

Nature's Remedies in 25, 50 & \$1.00 sizes

Euthymol Tooth Powder—25c

Parke, Davis & Co's new preparation.

Frostline—for hands and face

large bottle, 25c

Pocket Adhesive Plaster

1 yard, 1 inch wide, 10c

Fruitatives, "Fruit Liver Tablets,"—50c or six for \$2.50

Catarrhozone

25c 50c & \$1.00 sizes.

Seretal—in \$1.00 size.

Virgin Oil of Pine—50c size.

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13.45 Ar	Port Wade	14.00

Connections at Middleton with all points on H. & S. W. Ry. and D. A. Ry.

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Dress Goods, Wrapperettes, Flannelettes, Print Cottons, Gingham, and etc. etc.

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A large assortment to clear at less than COST.

Comprising: Sugars, Creams, BonBon's, Spoon-holders, Pickle Dishes, Sauce, Dishes, Porridge, Dishes, Berry Dishes, Spoon Trays, Cups and Saucers, Shaving-mugs, etc. etc.

Any one piece well worth 15 cents, your choice of any

3 pieces for only 25 cents.

25 per-cent off 25

We will still continue to give the above discount during this month, in the following lines viz:

Fur Goods	Men's Overcoats
Ladies' Underwear	Boy's " "
Men's " "	Men's Suits
Boy's " "	Boy's " "
Ladies' Wool & Cashmere Hose	Men's Reefers
Boy's " "	Boy's " "
Children's " "	Men's Caps
Fancy Knitted Wool Goods	Boy's Caps
Ladies, Winter Coats	Ladies' Wrappers, Sleeves Lined
Children's " "	75 cents will buy \$1.00 worth.

REMNANTS! REMNANTS!

Be sure and ask to see them. as you will doubtless remember some of the values offered hereto for.

Strong & Whitman Telephone 30 Ruggles Block

Discounts On All Winter Goods

One only Child's Fur Coat.

Muffs and Collars

35 cents each.

Flannelette Blankets

\$1.10 per pair.

Flannelette Night-gowns and Skirts, extra quality,

20 percent off Kimona Flannelette

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Apron, Lavens, Dresses, Gingham, Prints, Shirt

Gingham, French Delaine, Cambrics, Laces for Spring Sewing.

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