

LOCAL AND SPECIAL

Christmas post cards 10 for 10c. at Mrs. Turner's.

Preaching service in Gordon Memorial Church next Sunday, morning and evening.

7,878 Christmas trees were recently shipped from North Range, Digby Co., to a firm in New York.

Sauerkraut, Grey, Buckwheat meal and salt mackerel at C. L. PIGGOTT'S.

Do not fail to see the great bargains J. W. Beckwith is giving in Ladies', Misses' and Children's Coats.

The royal game of our Nova Scotia forests is now free to show itself, unmolested and unharmed, for the next nine or ten months.

The department of Militia, Ottawa, has authorized repairs to the historic blockhouse at Fort Edward, Windsor, to the extent of \$150.

J. W. Beckwith has just opened an assortment of Ladies' Silk Waists in a variety of colors and styles at reasonable prices. Call and see them.

The Ladies of the Baptist Church will hold one of their Suppers and Apron Sales in the vestry of the church on Thursday, December 16th, from 4 to 9 o'clock. Supper 25c.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. B. McKeown will be "at home" to their friends at their residence, Brickton, N. S., Saturday afternoon and evening, Dec. 11th, it being the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage.

Eight of the original twelve members of the "B. G." Club were entertained at dinner at the home of Miss Laura Graves on Saturday evening last. The reunion was in honor of the return of Mrs. Harry Hayward.

The Nova Scotia Fruit Growers' Association will hold its annual meeting at Wolfville, Jan. 18th to 20th, 1916. This is the big fruit Convention of the year for Valley apple men and a big program is being prepared.

A Patriotic meeting will be held in Phinney's Hall, Lawrencetown, on Tuesday evening, December 14th, at 7.30. The meeting will be addressed by Dr. G. B. Cutten, President of Acadia University and other noted speakers.

The school concert under the charge of Miss Robb will be held in the Court House on Monday the 20th inst. The improvement of the scholars in singing has been quite evident, and all the parents and all the people will want to hear them.

Rev. W. Bruce Muir, pastor of the Presbyterian Church at Annapolis Royal, by special invitation of the chief recruiting officer of Nova Scotia, is in Pictou County this week, addressing a series of meetings for the purpose of stimulating recruiting.

A full line of raisins, currants, peels, nuts, dates, mince meat, spices. You will find everything for your Xmas cooking here. Prices guaranteed low. Ask for Rebate Checks which means to you 10c off of every dollar you buy at W. W. Chesley's.

After eight years' service as field secretary in the Nova Scotia Sunday School Association, Rev. (Dr.) J. H. Brown is giving up the position. His resignation will take effect it is understood, about the first of next February. No successor has yet been appointed.

The Sixth Canadian Mounted Rifles arrived at the base in France on Nov. 3rd, and have since been taking turns on the firing line. Capt. B. W. Roscoe, Sergt.-Major Gill, Corps. Archibald Kinney, Harry MacKenzie and George Dechman, all of Bridgetown, are with this contingent.

It is announced from Ottawa that 16,000,000 bushels of wheat stored in Canadian elevators has been purchased by the Canadian Government for the Imperial Government. The action was taken to prevent inflation of prices. The price to be paid the owners of the grain will be from 93c cents to \$1.04 a bushel according to grade.

Mr. K. H. Smith, Resident Engineer, Dominion Water Power Branch, Halifax, was in town last week and several times recently, investigating the water power possibilities of the Bloody Creek stream. During the past year co-operative arrangements have been made between the Nova Scotia Govt. Water Power Commission and the Dominion Water Power Branch of the Department of Interior, Ottawa, whereby a thorough study is being made of the water powers of Nova Scotia with a view to facilitating their development.

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Have you seen the new Jonesville Batting at J. W. Beckwith's.

Be sure to buy toys early as stock is limited and goods are cheap at Mrs. Turner's.

There will be Mass at St. Alphonso's Church next Sunday, December 12th, at eleven o'clock.

Nothing makes as sweet a gift as a box of Moir's chocolates, 30 c. to \$2.00 at Mrs. Turner's.

Wanted, Print Butter 29 cents pound; Eggs 40 cents per dozen. W. W. CHESLEY.

An auction sale will take place on the premises of Mrs. Mary E. Durling, Paradise, on Monday, December 13th. See adv. in this issue.

Our stock of seeded and seedless raisins, dates, figs, candied peel, Xmas candies, etc., is now complete. C. L. PIGGOTT.

It is the intention of the ladies of Inglisville to hold a sociable Dec. 15th at R. P. Best's for the benefit of the Red Cross. Adults 20c.; Children 15c. If stormy next fine night.

One look through J. W. Beckwith's immense stock will dispel all desire for sending away. Besides the great satisfaction of seeing what you purchase.

We are asked to announce that "Scenes in the Union Depot," will be played in the Temperance Hall, Stony Beach, next Friday evening, by a company from Belleisle. Proceeds for the Red Cross.

Do not forget to inspect J. W. Beckwith's line of furs which are direct from the best makers in Canada. It will pay you to see them before placing your order elsewhere.

The Steamer Valinda left port on Monday on her regular trip to St. John. This will probably be her last trip of the season unless the river remains free of ice and a sufficient amount of freight warrants another trip.

Collect Rebate Checks at Chesley's and get yourself a nice piece of China or Glassware or you might like a piece of Granite ware for Xmas. He will give you a check with every 10 cent purchase. These soon count up. 100 of them buys a dollar dish.

The Annual Sunday School Convention of the Bridgetown District will be held in the Methodist Church on Friday, Dec. 10, beginning at 10 a. m. Indian Work at 2.30 p. m. Rev. Dr. Brown, Field Secretary, will be present, and the Convention should be helpful to all.

An effort is being made to enlist twenty-five recruits for overseas service from Bridgetown who in accordance with a militia order, will be allowed to train during the winter months in the locality where they enlist. It is reported the required number has been secured in town.

The first real winter weather came with December 1st, when snow fell all day, and is still on the ground in some sections. Sleighs made their first appearance on December 2nd, but the absence of frost made the roads very disagreeable. We noticed a number of lumbermen from Dalhousie were on sleds yesterday.

Mr. Leslie Wiltshire, a prominent resident of Round Hill, who has been acting as a recruiting officer in this County, left for Halifax last Wednesday, having enlisted in the 106th battalion for overseas service. Mr. Wiltshire offered himself at the outbreak of the war, but was rejected because of a then physical infirmity.

Our local contractors and builders, Messrs J. H. Hicks and Sons, have about completed their contract for the building of the Arena at Kentville. The Directors of the Arena have expressed their satisfaction with the manner in which the work has been done, and with the material used. This firm has a contract for the building of a station for the H. & S. W. at Yarmouth.

During a call made at the Baptist Parsonage a few evenings ago, a Monitor representative was shown a very interesting and rare collection of botanical specimens. The specimens, of which there are over two hundred and fifty, are neatly mounted on heavy paper, and at the time of our call, Mr. Warren was busily engaged placing the collection in a neat cabinet which he had just had made. Many of the specimens Mr. Warren collected in his native Province, Prince Edward Island, before his college days. Others were collected in and around Bridgetown.

Methodist Church Circuit Notes

Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7.30. Epworth League Friday evening at 7.30.

Services, Sunday, Dec. 12: Bridgetown—Sunday school and Bible study at 10 a. m. Public worship at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Granville 11 a. m. Bentville—3 p. m. Belleisle—7.30 p. m.

St. James Parish Church Notes

The services next Sunday (3rd Sunday in Advent) will be: Bridgetown—11 a. m. and 7 p. m. St. Mary's, Belleisle—3 p. m.

WEEK DAYS Friday—Bridgetown, service of Intercession on behalf of the war at 4.30 p. m. Bible class 7.30 to 8.30 followed by choir practice.

Bridgetown United Baptist Church

Prayer meeting on Wednesday at 7.30 p. m. On Friday evening from 7.30 to 9.00 a "Musical Social" will be held in the vestry under the auspices of the B. Y. P. U. The young people of the church and congregation are cordially invited.

Sunday services: Bible school at 10 a. m. Public worship at 11 a. m. and at 7 p. m.

CENTRELEA Prayer meeting on Tuesday at 7.30 p. m. Preaching service on Sunday at 3 p. m.

3 lbs. good mixed candy 25c. at Mrs. Turner's.

LOST

Between the stores of Cröwe & Mundee and J. Lockett & Son, a gentleman's open face, silver, Waltham watch. Finder leave at the Monitor Office and receive reward.

Notice to the Public

That I am now prepared to take in sewing at my dressmaking rooms. Latest Paris and New York fashions. Prices moderate.

MRS. E. E. BURKE Paradise, N. S., Dec. 6th, 1915.

OUR Christmas Stock IS NOW COMPLETE

It is on display consisting of a selected line of Chinaware, Xmas Fruits and Confectionery, full line Holiday Stationery. A large line of suitable gifts for Ladies and Gents is to be found in our store at a price to suit the pockets.

BURKE'S, Paradise

HOLIDAY SHOES

For Christmas Trade

In addition to Ladies', Gent's and Children's Slippers, we are having an attractive line in Ladies' Shoes, Patent Vamp, Cloth Top, military effect for \$3.00 and \$4.00.

Splendid value in Men's Patents, Gun Metal, Box Calf, Vetcher Calf, High, Medium or Low Toe, Button or Blucher, all or any size.

J. E. LLOYD Gsenville Street, Bridgetown, N. S.

XMAS AT FREEMAN'S

Snaps in Presents	
Meccano for Boys from	25c to \$10.00
Sandy Andy	75c
Doll Carriages	30c to \$1.00
Dolls	25c to \$2.50
Games and Blocks	50c
Blackboards	20c to \$1.50
Harmonicas	10c to \$1.75
Pocket Knives	25c to \$1.00
Indian Work	25c to \$2.50
Khaki Suits and Hats	
Snow Shoes	\$1 to \$3.50
Air Rifles	85c to \$1.50
Steam Engines	
Sleds 30c to \$2, Carts and Barrows 40c to \$2.85, Carving Sets and Brass Goods, Casseroles \$2 and many more Real Bargains	

KARL FREEMAN Hardware, and Paints

Christmas Gifts THAT ARE USEFUL

Dainty Toilet Cases, Ebony Brushes and Mirror, Shopping Bag, Bill Folds, Purse, Col-lar bags, Card Cases, Perfumes, Stationery, Pipes, Fountain Pens, Safety Razors, Strops, Shaving Soap, Lather Brushes, Thermos Bot-tles, Infant Brushes,

ROYAL PHARMACY W. A. Warren, Phm, B. The Rexall Store

Business Notices

3 lbs. nice fresh dates 25 c. at Mrs. Turner's.

For Service.—Two Yorkshire Boars. STANLEY MARSHALL, Clarence.

2 lbs. Moir's cream candy 25c. at Mrs. Turner's.

Holiday stationery 10c. to \$1.00 a box at Mrs. Turner's.

Mrs. A. W. Kinney will take orders for cake, pie and doughnuts. Cook-ies always on hand. 34-11

For Service.—A pure bred York-shire Boar, at Phelan's Stables, Bridgetown.

FOR SALE A Base Burner, No. 13, as good as new. Apply to A. E. McCORMICK, Paradise, N. S.

Public Auction

To be sold at Auction on Saturday, December 11th at 2 o'clock in the afternoon on the premises of W. N. Stronach, Clarence, the following stock:

2 farrow Cows
4 milking Cows
3 two year old Heifers, two to fresh-en in Spring.
7 Shoats
1 large Hog

TERMS:—9 months credit with approved secured.
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When shopping be sure to call

Santa Claus' Headquarters

Come and see the new goods, we can meet your wants.

Be sure to see our fine line of Holiday Dishes.

We have a variety of beautiful pres-ents that will appeal to you as just the right thing.

We have genuine new attractions for the Christmas Trade. Come and see these goods.

A splendid stock of choice Groceries. Better variety of Confectionery, than we are showing for Xmas trade, can-not be found.

A square deal and A Merry Christmas to ALL

MRS. S. C. TURNER

MASONIC BUILDING

The Bridgetown Importing House XMAS GOODS

Call and make your selection early from our large assort-ment of practical and useful Xmas gifts, of which space and time will not permit me to enumerate.

Penman's Hosiery

Having placed our order early we are able to give our customers Penman's Hosiery for Men, Women and Children in all qualities at the old prices.

Latest Novelties in Mufflers and Ties

Just arrived per S. S. Lexington, new Linoleums and Oilcloths in all widths and patterns. New Dress Goods in newest weaves. Boys' Corduroy Pants.

Snaps! Snaps!

In Ladies', Misses and Children's warm Coats for the cold weather.

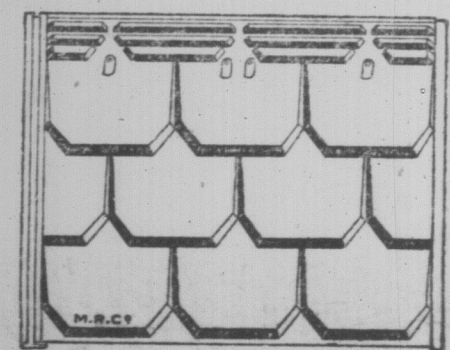
D & A and LaDiva Corsets made in many styles at all prices. Spirella boning, flexible as the body itself. Try a pair and be convinced.

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They cost no more than best Cedars when laid on the roof.

There are many roofs throughout Canada which were covered with Eastlake Shingles between 1885 and 1890 and which look as well to-day as when the shingles were put on. From all appearances these roofs are good for another fifty years or more. This record is the best guarantee that you can get.

We are receiving a carload this week. Ask for prices. We also have two carloads of cedar and spruce shingles for sale.

J. H. HICKS & SONS

QUEEN STREET, BRIDGETOWN, N. S.

Useful Christmas Gifts

For Father

Jack Knife
Razors and Strops
Carpenter Tools

Flash Lights
Alarm Clock

For Mother

Granite Ware
Aluminum Ware
Bread Mixers
Carpet Sweepers
O-Cedar Mops 75c

Sad Irons
Brass Water Kettles
Cold Meat Forks
Carving Sets
Nickel Trays
Scissors
Silver Knives, Forks
and Spoons
Parlor Clocks

For the Boy

Sleds, 25c. up
Jack Knives
Flash Lights
Carpenter Tools

Snow Shovels
Skates
Hockey Stick, Puck
Boxing Gloves

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Sleds, 50c up
Brooms and Washboards
Silver Knife, Fork, and Spoon (in sets)
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With every \$2.00 Cash Purchase in our store we will give you a 25 cent bottle of Furniture Polish FREE

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