The Weekly Monitor.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 11th, 1886.

—The number of lies that have been told about the suffering of the inhabitants of Labrador and the northern coast of Newfoundland is astonishing. The credit is given to some unknown correspondent of one or more of the big dailies in the United States. Sensationalism, is what these papers seek above anything else, and anyone with a vivid imagination, a ready pen, and judgment enough to concoct some story of a startling nature that cannot be proved to be false for some days, will find no trouble to become a paid correspondent. It is inhuman, however, to invent such a story as the one just contradicted. Under the most favorable circumstances news cannot be got from the regions mentioned for quite a length of time, and the delay thus occasioned has enabled the news to be carried all over the world. Much sympathy was naturally excited, measures for relief instituted, and a quantity of contributions made, and now that the news comes that the whole report was a canard, people feel naturally incensed, and will be slow to take any action, should a real cry for help be sent forth. Much suffering may therefore be entailed and even many lives lost simply by these falsehoods, as people will not now make any effort to relieve any distress reported from these places, until certain they are not again the victims of sensationalism, and in the meantime hundreds may pass beyond the need of help.

—The fruit growers of this Dominion in general, and this province in particular, are to be congratulated in having secured so thoroughly practical and energetic a man as commissioner Starr to represent their interest at the Indian and Colonial Exhibition. In another column will be found a letter from him. In it it will be noticed that he says he is making arrangements for the extension of our markets, in the many populous centres that lie beyond the confines of Glasgow, Liverpool, and London, which are practically the only places in which our apples have been offered for sale at first hands in Great Britain. He is also endeavoring to open up markets on the continent. It has been for some time known by leading fruit growers that in very many instances much better prices can be secured for our apples in the inland cities of Great Britain than in the places where they are customarily sold. The trouble has been heretofore to know how to reach these towns without troublesome, delay or too much expense. One of Mr. Starr's duties was to seek to overcome these difficulties, and as his letter shows he has already taken the matter in hand. We may confidently hope for excellent results proceeding from the increased markets that will thus become available to our shippers of fruit, and from the impression that is being made by our display of fruit in general at the Exhibition. Before its close we shall be enabled to show some of our finest fruits in their natural state.

—The Imperial Parliament has assembled for the despatch of business. The Queen's speech will be ready on the 19th inst. Lord Hartington is a meeting of the Liberal Unionists at his residence on the 5th inst., stated that although his party should persistently oppose all proposals looking to the separation of the empire, he considered that the consolidation of the Liberal party was only a matter of time, and that they should identify themselves with the party now and occupy seats on the same side of the house. Mr. Chamberlin followed and endorsed Lord Hartington's views. Home Secretary, Henry Matthews, will be opposed in his election for office by Alderman William Cook, his late antagonist who was only defeated by a very narrow majority. The Liberals feel confident of winning this time.

—It would appear that the Panama Canal, under the management of de Lesseps, has again been put upon its feet. New bonds were recently issued by the company, and one hundred and fifty thousand subscribers have already made application for them, a number that has exceeded the wildest hopes of the company.

—Iceland is reported to be annually growing colder and the difficulties in finding subsistence are increasing. Hundreds are removing to Manitoba. A company of 150 of them passed through Montreal on Tuesday, of last week, bound for the fertile prairies of our North-West.

—The following taken from the Halifax *Herald*, refers to a native of this County, the gentleman named being the son of the late Woodworth Eaton, Esq., of Granville:—

"At a special meeting of the royal institution governors of McGill university, Montreal, held on the 15th inst., it was unanimously resolved, that A. J. Eaton, M. A., Ph., D. (Leipsic) be appointed assistant professor of classics to enter upon his duties at the beginning of the ensuing session." Dr. Eaton had already accepted a department of modern languages in the city of Philadelphia at a large salary, but his predilection for his native country, led him to obtain a release in order to accept this call to McGill."

—Mr. Geo. B. McGill, of this County, has received an appointment as one of the professors of Acadia Villa Seminary, of Horton Landing, Kings Co. He will take charge of the Natural Science classes. It is the intention of the seminary to train boys both in the theory and practice of agriculture, as a well cultivated farm is run in connection with the school. It is also contemplated during the winter to open evening classes in different parts of the country, for the instruction of the young farmers in the science of their profession.

Bear River.—A correspondent of the Yarmouth *Herald* writes: A new bridge is now being constructed by the Local Government across the river. The old bridge has been removed and a temporary one erected a little further up the river, which will be removed when the new one is finished. A number of teams are engaged hauling in large masses of granite from the adjacent country, and about twenty stone masons are dressing and shaping it. The new bridge will be constructed of iron, on stone abutments, having a draw of 46 feet. The draw will swing on a pivot to the Annapolis side of the river, resting on a circular pier. This pier is 48 feet by 20, 18 feet high, and will require 1,000 tons of granite. The pier on the Digby side—being only a "rest" pier—will be much smaller. The iron portion of the bridge is being manufactured by the Starr Manufacturing Co., Halifax. The cost of the structure when completed will be $6,000. The foreman of the work is Mr. J. W. Murray, of Truro. It will be finished about the 1st of October.

—Another lot of first-class Shaved Hoop Poles for sale by J. W. Beckwith.

—Marsh Grass for sale by J. W. Beckwith. 1i

—Great activity is at present existing in gold mining operations in this province. The most satisfactory returns are being obtained.

—Persons wishing Sawed and Split Shingles can purchase them very low at J. W. Beckwith's. 1i

Local and Other Matter.

—On Monday last, the Yarmouth *Herald* reached the 53rd year of its existence.

—A huge sun fish was caught in the Avon last week. It was six feet long, seven feet wide and weighed $650 lbs.

—We have to hand another poem, by Miss Sadie O. Prince, which we will shortly publish.

—Casks of Turpentine, Boiled and Raw Oils, received at Shipley's 1i.

Honors for a Nova Scotian.—At the national amateur press association held at San Francisco from July 28th, to August 2nd, M. James H. Ives Munro, of New Glasgow, N. S., was elected President, defeating a most prominent Chicago journalist who had a large western support. The association numbers 500, and it is certainly a great honor for Mr. M. to be elected to the head of the fraternity.

—The New York *World* instructed one of its staff to proceed to Labrador to write up the starvation story. The reporter started and got as far as Halifax when he learned it was all a canard. He is probably somewhat disgusted.

—It may not be generally known that a son of Captain Miles Standish in course of time married a daughter of Priscilla Alden, from whom are descended many prominent men, including two presidents of the United States.—*Portland, Me., Transcript.*

—Samuel J. Tilden is dead. He was a leading politician in the United States, and in 1876 came so near being president that it was only by being "counted out," although elected by a majority of votes, that he missed it.

—Four sets of Croquet remaining to be sold at Shipley's. 1i

—Two typos from Boston, Mr. W. H. Sancton and Mr. H. Thomas, arrived here yesterday, on a visit to relatives. The former is a son of Mr. J. E. Sancton, formerly connected with this paper, and the latter is a son of Mr. Noah Thomas, one of the pioneer newspaper proprietors in this town.

—We referred some time since to the record made by one of our boys, Mr. J. W. Hart, son of Rev. J. R. Hart, at the Ontario Agricultural College. We are pleased to learn that at the midsummer examination the young gentleman took honors in every study making a total of 616 marks out of a possible 775. He stood but second in the list of general proficiency in a class of over 50, the only one who received higher marks being a young man, a graduate of Toronto University. We understand that Mr. Hart will remain another year and complete the course of study.

—Halifax city medical officer Trenaman says that August is the most unhealthy month of the whole year. During this month the average death rate is nearly double that of July, which is the healthiest month of the year. Dr. Trenaman leans to the opinion that the cause of the picknickers being poisoned, noted in our last, was due to ice cream flavored with vanilla.

Personals.—We had a call from Mr. Jas. Beall, manager of the Fonthill Nurseries, on Saturday last.

Mr. R. A. Carder, the genial agent of the International and Nova Scotia S. S. Co.'s looked in on us last week. He reports an excellent business this season. Travellers will find Mr. Carder always on hand in his office near the steamboat wharf, and may depend upon the most courteous attention to all their wants.

—A Grand Bazaar and Tea-meeting also sailing, rowing and foot races, will be held at the Garrison grounds, Annapolis, Thursday, September 2nd 1886. Running race, 200 yds., entry 25 cts., prize $2.00. High jump, entry 25 cts., prize $1.50. Long jump (running), entry 25 cts., prize $1.50. Throwing hammer, entry 25 cts., prize $2.00. Rowing race, 2 pair oars, entry $1.00, prize $5.00. Sailing, entry $1.00, prize $8.00.

F. C. Whitman,
Secretary.

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—Capt. Card, light keeper of Isle au Haute, was quite seriously injured a short time ago. He and his son Edgar put off to the rescue of two men who were in a boat near the island, and were in danger of swamping. On reaching the boat they took it in tow, and took the men off into their own boat, but in doing so the Captain became entangled in the tow rope, and had two ribs broken and was otherwise injured. He is now under medical treatment but expects to be able to resume his duties in a week or two. In the meantime his son Edgar, who is quite competent for the task, has charge of the light.

—The cricket match, of which notice was given in our last issue, between the Mayflower club, of this town, and the first eleven of Digby took place on Friday p. m., and Saturday a. m., resulting in favor of the latter team by 1 run and 10 wickets. During the match the most friendly relations might have been witnessed. After its termination an invitation was extended to the members of the Bridgetown club to go on board boats provided for the occasion, and all participated in the enjoyments which the beautiful basin affords and of which the people of the town of Digby so frequently avail themselves. The members of the Mayflower gratefully acknowledge the kindness which they received at the hands of the Digby eleven. Arrangements have been made for a return match to take place in Bridgetown, due notice of which will be given.

—Lime Juice, pints and quarts, for sale at Shipley's. 1i.

Revival Meetings at Centreville.—For some time past the religious services at Centreville, have been of more than usual interest. Special meetings have been held in the temperance hall, whilst the meeting house is undergoing repairs, and large gatherings have attended from evening to evening. Many persons, old and young, have taken part in the exercises, manifesting a renewed zeal in spiritual things; and a number have been led to dedicate themselves to the better life. On Sunday last a large concourse of people met on a beautiful slope beside the pond at Mr. Currell's to witness the baptism of eight persons by Rev. W. H. Warren, pastor of the church. It was a deeply impressive scene. Others are expected to follow in the same way at an early date. Centreville seems to be steadily improving in sobriety, industry and spiritual prosperity.

—Choice Crock June Butter for sale at J. W. Beckwith's. 1i

—We received a call last week from Mr. Wm. E. Chute, of Michigan, who is in this country for the purpose of pursuing an historical and genealogical research. He tells of visiting Annapolis, Bridgetown, Hampton, Clarence, Wilmot, Middleton, Kingston, Aylesford, Berwick, Cornwallis, Black Rock, Melvern Square, Margaretville, Brookfield and Caledonia, besides Clements and Bear River (his native place), and latterly Trout Cove and Weymouth. In all of these places he has found friends and relatives too numerous to mention. He speaks of two uncles and five aunts on his mother's side, while two uncles and aunts on his father's side are yet living—one couple in Boston and the other Ridgeton, Ont. We learn that a library in Boston has over 500 volumes of genalogy. Among the names traced out and published are Adams, Dodge, Eaton, Freeman, Fletcher, Foster, Morse, Newcomb and Woodbury, while those that are forthcoming are Chipman, Harris, Potter and Whitman, besides Chute. Mr. Chute is now in Canard, Cornwallis.

—Mr. Raymond, agent for the Fonthill Nurseries, is now in town taking orders.

—We had a heavy fall of rain on Sunday last.

—Hay is now being made on the marshes. It will be a good if not a heavy crop.

—Ladies Sun Shades at 25 cents, at J. W. Beckwith's. 1i

—Serious rioting is again prevailing in Belfast, Ireland. Several persons have been killed, and a large number wounded.

—Wheel Heads, at J. W. Beckwith's.

—Major General Middleton will inspect the militia when they go into camp at Aldershot, Aylesford, this year. Drill will commence on the 7th inst.

Fire.—To-morrow, Thursday, being the regular night of meeting of the fire company, a full attendance is requested as a trial against time is to be made.

Middleton Brass Band to the Front.—Prof. Spinney, assisted by Mr. Charles E. King, Baritone, Miss Minnie King, Mezzo-soprano Centralto, and Miss Lora Vale Spinney, in conjunction with the Middleton Brass Band, will give concerts at Shaffner's Hall, Farmington, Aug. 12th, Port George, Aug. 12th, Middleton, Aug. 14th. 1i

—Mr. Ingram Whitman, son of Mr Oldham Whitman, proprietor of the Bridgetown Marble Works, was united in marriage on Wednesday night last, to Miss Eunice A. Shaw, of Paradise. Rev. David Price, Baptist minister of Paradise, officiated. The happy couple were serenaded by the Brass Band on Thursday night, and the same honor was also paid to Mr. and Mrs. John Daniel, another newly married pair of whom we made mention in our last.

—Window Glass and Nails, specialties at Shipley's. 1i

—The present is tournament week in Halifax. It is reported by the city papers that a large crowd of visitors has already assembled in the city. The visiting firemen in attendance are from St. John, St. Stephen, Chelsea, Mass., Yarmouth, Charlottetown, Portland, N. B., Truro, Windsor, New Glasgow, Lunenburg, Bangor, Me., and Amherst.

—Now is the time for great bargains at J. W. Beckwith's in all lines of Summer Goods, as his immense stock of Fall Goods is already commencing to arrive. This announcement is positive, as his shop room is limited, and in any case he considers it best to sell off goods when out of season, even if this has to be done at a sacrifice, rather than to carry them over, thus keeping his stock fresh and seasonable at all times.

—The management of the Windsor *Courier* has again been transferred, this time into the hands of Mr. C. W. Knowles, a Windsor gentleman, formerly identified with journalism. The name of the *Courier* will be changed to the *Tribune*. The first number came to hand on Monday last. We welcome Mr. Knowles back to the ranks of the fourth estate.

—Our thanks are due the Grip publishing company for a finely executed lithographed group of "Prominent Conservatives," issued with the summer number of "Grip." Those who desire excellent likenesses of the leading men of the Liberal-Conservative party should endeavor to secure a copy. Regular subscribers to Grip are supplied at five cents per copy.

—School Books, at J. W. Beckwith's.

New Industry.—Messrs. Hall and Hatheway, of Granville Ferry, have commenced the manufacture of boneless cod-fish which they are putting up in neat boxes, which contain various weights. One of these gentlemen, in answer to our inquiries, informed us that they found a ready market in Montreal for all they now produce, and he believes that a limited market for this production may be found in the western provinces of the Dominion. We wish them every possible success in their new enterprise.—*Spectator.*

—A superb meteor was seen in the heavens on Sunday night last. It was described, by those who were fortunate enough to see it, as being a foot in diameter, and fell in a slanting direction from the southern sky, and finally separated into two portions resembling myriads of stars that slowly faded away.

—Last year, as an experiment, Mr. S. S. Rugglies, collector of customs, sowed a quantity of wild rice in Foster's mill pond. It has already attained where undisturbed, a vigorous growth. The first part of the season being so dry, the cattle were enabled to reach it, and ate off the tops of a considerable quantity. The birds also eat the seeds ravenously. There is now no question that we can successfully propagate this grain, and as it is well known that all kinds of water fowl feed upon it with avidity, many of our lakes could in a few years be transforped, with a little care and expense, into fine sporting grounds.

—Two years ago Howard P. Jones, son of St. Clair Jones, of Weymouth, graduated from Windsor college and went to the university at Heidelberg, Germany. By the last mail his friends learn that he has taken the degrees of M. A. and Ph. D. Twenty-two years of age and always a diligent student, it was felt that he would do honor to his Windsor alma mater, but even his warmest admirers did not look to his so rapidly winning distinction at this renowned seat of learning. His success on the great anniversary of Heidelberg, which is drawing together so many thousands, is especially interesting.—*Ex.*

Notice.—All parties found trespassing upon the cranberry grounds on my premises will be prosecuted to the furthest extent of the law.

S. FitzRandolph.

Close of a Pastoral Life.—Dr. I. E. Bill, who has retired from the active work of the ministry, writes a letter to *Messenger and Visitor* in which he reviews his life work in the Baptist Church. He says: "I commenced my pastoral life at Nictaux, in the beautiful valley of the Annapolis, Nova Scotia, March, 1829. I closed my pastoral life in the charming village of St. Martins, New Brunswick, July 1886. I preached my first sermon as pastor of the St. Martins Baptist church in the summer of 1875, and my last sermon in this connection, July 4th, 1886. In reviewing his pastorate in St. Martins, the retiring pastor said:—"In the course of eleven years, we have seen the grace of God unfolded in three blessed revivals of religion, and in the addition of some two hundred and twenty baptised converts to this church of Christ, making an average yearly addition of twenty members. During the pastoral life I have had, in other sections of the vineyard, large reception of members. In Nictaux, on one communion occasion, I gave the hand of fellowship to fifty newly baptized believers. While pastor at Fredericton, on a similar occasion, I gave the hand of welcome to thirty candidates. When pastor of Germain St., St. John, at one communion, fifty new members were received. But on this closing day of my pastoral work I have the unspeakable pleasure of extending the hand of welcome to sixty-four baptised converts. Friends may ask: Does this closing up of a pastoral life mean retirement from the duties and pleasure of Gospel ministry? To this question I answer *nay*. So long as I have a brain to think, a heart to feel, and a tongue to speak, I hope through grace to be permitted to tell

"The old, old story,
Of Jesus and his love."

A Letter from Commissioner Starr.

Canadian section colonial and indian exhibition, London, s. w.

Sir,—The Canadian fruit, preserved in about 1000 glass jars, continue to be one of the chief attractions of the Exhibition, notwithstanding many of the specimens have lost their natural colors. This exhibition cannot fail to be of great benefit to Canadian fruit growers, as well as all other classes, and no efforts should be spared to supplement this collection with fresh fruits at the earliest possible date. All reports agree that the apple crop this season in Great Britain and on the continent will be under the average, except in Spain and Hungary where large crops are reported. Efforts are being made to extend the markets for Canadian apples directly to all the principal cities of Great Britain and on the continent where it seems practicable. I hope to be able to report, very shortly, upon the prospect of success in this direction as well as in the matter of cold chambers for fruit shipments in Canadian steamers.

Yours very truly,
C. R. H. Starr,
Canadian Fruit Department.

July 28th, 1886.

—The Presbyterians have decided to establish a ladies' college in Halifax, in connection with their church.

—Mr. Octavius Payzant, a highly esteemed citizen of Lockport, died suddenly of heart disease, on the 2nd inst.

—Schr. Wm. Wallace, Fales, is in port with a cargo of Springhill coal for Capt. H. Fraser. A cargo of Old Mine Sydney coal is daily expected by him.

—The first instalment of Miss Macintosh's Kindergarten essay will be found on our first page. We are not sure that we will receive the conclusion of the article in time to publish in our next issue.

—Among the new fall arrivals at J. W. Beckwith's are 1 case Ladies' Dress Flannels, 1 case Ladies' Cloakings and Sacque Cloths, in all the newest effects, 1 case of Grey, Navy Blue and Plaid Flannels, 1 case Canton Flannels, 1 case Worsted Coatings, 1 case Prints. 1i.

—Rev. J. R. Hart, president of the N. S. F. G. A., was last week applied to for a report in reference to the fruit crop of this County, by one of the agricultural papers of the neighboring republic. He complied with the request and also furnished us with a copy, which is as follows:

Apples.—(a) What, probably, will be the percentage of fall varieties compared with a full crop? *Ans.*—100 per cent. (b) The present prospect for winter apples,—Baldwins, Russets, Greenings, etc., promise what per cent of a full yield? *Ans.*—100 per cent.

Pears and Peaches.—What per cent of a full crop is now promised? *Ans.*—100 per cent.

Plums.—What per cent of a a full crop is now promised? *Ans.*—90 per cent.

Grapes.—What per cent of a full crop is now promised? *Ans.*—Not worth reporting.

Give any fruit information time or space will permit, especially as to present or prospective prices, whether your growers will be disposed to sell at the current prices or hold for a later market. *Ans.*—Fall fruit will be sold at once. Winter fruit will hold until December at least.

Where is your principal market for fruit? *Ans.*—In towns of this Province and in Prince Edward Island and New Brunswick, for fall fruit; in London for winter fruit.

The August Century.—In keeping with the season the "midsummer holiday" *Century* is noticeable for richly illustrated articles and fiction. Of the former, the opening paper is an entertaining description of "Algiers and its Suburbs" Miss Lucy M. Mitchell contributes a picturesque account of the town, Castle, and University of "Heidelberg." The paper derives a timely interest from the fact that the five-hundredth anniversary of the opening of the university falls on October 18th of this year. "Sea-Birds at the Farne Islands," by Byran Hook, with illustrations by the author, gives a description of the birds to be found off the Northumberland coast on the islands with which is associated the heroism of Grace Darling

A sketch portrait of John Burrough's is the frontispiece of the number, and Miss Edith M. Thomas contributes a short paper on "John Burroughs and his Last Two Books"; Charles G. Leland gives the romance of "A Gypsy Beauty," the famous Charlotte Cooper, whose portrait by Leslie is reproduced in a full-page engraving.

"The Minister's Charge" by Mr. Howells still increases in interest, and in the first part of he novelette, "The Casting away of Mrs. Lecks and Mrs. Aleshine," Frank R. Stockton develops an irresistibly droll situation.

In the War series, "The Battle of Fredericksburg" gives scope for varied and stirring illustration. General James Longstreet contributes the title paper and the Confederate view. The Union assaults upon the memorable stone wall are described by General Darius N. Couch, who was virtually in command on the field of "Summer's 'Right Grand Division'"; General William F. Smith writes anecdotally of the part taken by "Franklin's 'Left Grand Division,'" and his article contains several foot-notes by General W. B. Franklin. General Rush C. Hawkins brings new facts to explain "Why Burnside did not renew the attack," and Major J. Horace Lacy, then the owner of the famous mansion known as the "Lacy House," contributes several anecdotes of the Confederate commander, under the title, "Lee at Fredericksburg." There are five full-page pictures among the thirty-four War illustrations of the number.

All other departments are as usual well sustained. Century Publishing Co., New York.

A Riddle of the Sphinx.—The riddle of the Sphinx is at length on the point of being solved. The great man-headed, lion-bodied monument, which has for ages been more than half buried by the accumulating sands of the desert, is now being rapidly brought to light, and, ere long, one of the most extraordinary relics of Egyptian civilization will be once more visible in its entirety. The work has been going on ever since January last, when—at the suggestion of M. Maspero, the chief director of the department of antiquities in Egypt—the French public, in the course of a few hours, subscribed sufficient funds to enable the work of excavation to be carried to completion. The interest of such news for Egyptologists may be conceived when it is remembered that the last time the Sphinx was dug out of the sands was by King Thothmes IV.—fifteen centuries before Christ, or about 3,400 years ago. Scholars, in fact, are of opinion that the Sphinx is the oldest monument in the world. It appears, in many cases, to have been erected or chiseled out of the rock more than forty-five centuries before the Christian era, and therefore about 6,400 years ago. The size of the strange image is very remarkable. The body is more than 140 feet long. The ears of the human shaped head are about six feet from top to bottom, the other features being in proportion. The learned explorers who are engaged in the work of excavation hold it probable that, when the statue is fully brought to light, a number of other important discoveries will be made. In any case, this extraordinary relic of the oldest human civilization cannot fail to form a more attractive sight than ever to all visitors to the land of the Nile.—*London Standard.*

Wanted.—To exchange a New Raymond Sewing Machine, direct from the manufactory, for a first class cow. Apply at this office. This is an extraordinarily good chance to get a bargain.

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August 10th, '86. 2i20

NOTICE!

The Ratepayers of Bridgetown School Section No. 29, who have not paid their School Rates for the current year will please take notice, that all rates not paid Sept. 1st, 1886, will after that date will be collected by due course of law.

W. M FORSYTH,
Secty. of Trustees.
Bridgetown, Aug. 10th, '86.

SEASON OF 1886.

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Do. Do.
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MORTISE LOCKS, 3 1-2 in. $1.85 doz.
MORTISE KNOBS, Porcelain, $1.50 Doz. Do. Do. Rose, $4.50 Doz.
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AT PRICES LOWER THAN EVER!

A GOOD TWEED SUIT for $5.

A GOOD BLACK SUIT for $7.50.

Please call and see the GREAT VALUE in these Goods. Also:

A HEAVY STOCK OF BOOTS AND SHOES,

Amongst which will be found EXTRA VALUE in Ladies' Kids, Etc.

I also beg to invite Inspection of my

8 CENT FIGURED MUSLINS,

AND

3 CENT GRAY COTTONS.

Highest Prices Paid for GOOD WASHED WOOL.

J. W. Beckwith!

'86. SUMMER. '86.

Goods in Stock Suitable for the Season!

MEN'S COL'D. UNDER SHIRTS & DRAWERS,
MEN'S WHITE & REGATTA SHIRTS,
MENS' BRACES, TIES, SCARFS & COLLARS.
LIGHT FANCY PRINTS,
ST. CROIX GINGHAMS,

Light Fancy Dress Goods,

WHITE PIQUES, CORDS and CHEQUES.

MEN'S LINEN COATS AND DUSTERS.

We have Just Received FOUR CASES of

READY-MADE CLOTHING IN BOY'S AND GENT'S SUITS.

GENT'S CELLULOID COLLARS and CUFFS.

—ALSO—

Some Choice Designs in Wall Papers.

Runciman, Randolph & Co.

Bridgetown, N. S., July 1886.

Schr. Amos M. Holt,

Will leave BRIDGETOWN on the 17th, for

ST. JOHN, N. B.,

or sooner, if sufficient Freight offers, and continue running between the above Ports the balance of the season, calling at intermediate landings when freight offers.

W. R. COVERT,
Master.
Bridgetown, August 2nd, 86. 5it12.

FOR SALE —OR— TO RENT!

For a term of years, the well-known Wilmot Spa Springs Hotel & Grounds,

and privilege of one-half the SPA SPRINGS. Apply to the owner,

J. R. HALL, - Middleton.
Middleton, July, 21st, '86. 5it21.

Now is your Chance FOR CASH!

"Our Best Patent" Flour $5.20
Best Quality Corn Meal 3.35
35 lbs. Tilsonburg Oatmeal 1.00
15 lbs. Refined Sugar 1.00
Porto Rico Molasses (per gal) .45
Gray Cotton 36 inch (per yrd) .06
White Cotton, (good value) .08

Prints, Ginghams, Park's Shirtings, Brooms, Washboards, Fresh Groceries, Pails, Etc., Etc., Etc.

at LOWEST possible prices for CASH or PRODUCE.

T. G. BISHOP,
SOUTH MOUNTAIN ROAD.
Williamston, July 19th, 1886. 15 1y.

Coal! Coal! Coal!

The subscriber has erected at ANNAPOLIS, a large Coal Shed, and will keep a supply of

HARD & SOFT COAL,

on hand for sale. In stock at present

Welsh, Spring Hill, Joggins,

—AND—

HARD STOVE COAL,

—AS WELL AS—

BLACKSMITH COAL.

Will be landing cargoes of Spring Hill, Sydney, and Hard Coal—Stove and Nut—in September. A reduction of 50 cents per ton will be made on car loads delivered from vessel while landing. Please send in your orders early to

THOMAS S. WHITMAN.
July 19th, 1886. 6it21.

TENDERS!

Tenders will be received at the office of the Clerk of the Municipality of Annapolis, up to SATURDAY, 28th AUGUST, next, at noon, for supplying the following articles for the

POOR HOUSE,

of the Municipality, for a term not less than one year:—

SEPARATE TENDER.

Flour, Howland's "A," or an equivalent, per barrel.
Corn Meal, Kiln Dried, per barrel,
Oatmeal, per barrel.

GROCERIES,

SEPARATE TENDER.

Tea, per pound,
Brown Sugar, per pound.
Molasses, per gallon,
Salt, Liverpool, per bag.
Salt, Table, per bag.
Pepper, per lb.
Candles, per lb.
Kerosene, per gal.
Soap, per lb.

SEPARATE TENDER.

40 Cords Merchantable Hard Wood, delivered at the Alms House.

In case the tender of any party residing out of Bridgetown be accepted, the articles embraced in this tender, are to be delivered and accepted at Bridgetown Station prepaid. And, in case the tender of parties in Bridgetown be accepted, the articles embraced in their tender are to be delivered and accepted at their place of business. The committee do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender, and all articles furnished to be subject to the inspection of the undersigned Committee who will return all articles not up to the standard agreed to be furnished, or of the quality agreed to be supplied, to the party whose tender is accepted at the tenderer's expense.

ALFRED VIDITO,
S. E. BENT,
WM. H. YOUNG,
Committee on Tenders and Public Property.
Bridgetown, July 31st, 1886.

GENERAL HARDWARE,

PAINTS, OILS, VARNISHES, WINDOW GLASS, PUTTY, NAILS,

—Consisting of—

Common,
Floor,
Finish,
Steel,
Galvanized,
Clinch,
Tacks,
Brads, Etc.

Special care is taken to have a full assortment in every line. Having bought in large quantities and in the cheapest and most reliable markets, I am enabled to sell at LOW PRICES.

Richard Shipley.

BOOTS & SHOES!
BOOTS & SHOES!

Just received, 4 cases of

—LADIES' & MISSES'—

Walking SHOES,

MEN'S & BOYS'

BOOTS and SHOES,

and to arrive in a few days, (now on the way) a nice assortment of Ladies'

Kid BOOTS & SLIPPERS.

SHINGLES!

ready for delivery.

70,000 No. 1 extra split White Hemlock Shingles.
60,000 good split Spruce Shingles.

HAYING TOOLS!

Scythes, Snaths, Forks, Rakes, Scythe Stones, all first-class and cheap.

SOAPS! SOAPS!

Sea Foam, Linen Towel, Surprise, Tip Top, Favorite, Magnet,

—TOILET SOAPS. &C.—

—FIRST-CLASS—

PORPOISE OIL,

just the article for Mowing Machines.

JOHN LOCKETT.

Bridgetown, July 6th, '86. n1 1y.

Finest PRICES —ON— CLOTHING,

BOOTS & SHOES,

—GRAY, WHITE AND PRINTED—

COTTONS, HAYING TOOLS

—AND—

GROCERIES,

—THIS MONTH, AT—

J. W. WHITMAN'S.

BRIDGETOWN GROCERY STORE,

We won't be UNDERSOLD by anyone in the trade. Come and be convinced.

Our motto:

FIRST CLASS GOODS,

—AT—

LOWEST PRICES.

We have just received a superior lot of

NEW ORANGES, NEW ONIONS,
NEW FIGS, NEW LEMONS.

—Highest Grades—

FLOUR & MEAL,

always in stock. To arrive in a few weeks,

200 Tons Old Sydney Mine Coal.

Parties wishing to be supplied, would do well by leaving their orders early with

Thompson & Shaffner.

Everything Seems to be Going Down! Down!

I have just received a carload of

OCEAN FLOUR

direct from the mill, which I can sell

FOR $5.00.

Corn Meal per bbl $3.25
Oat Meal 4.75
Armstrong's Greenhead Lime 1.30
Coarse Salt per bag 58

and everything that is kept in a General store, at the same rate accordingly.

The above prices are strictly cash on delivery.

A. ELLIOTT.
Port George, July 20th, '86. tf.