

THE SEARCHLIGHT

Here and There.

We regret to learn that the dwelling house of Mrs. Alfred Hamilton, Broadfield, Colchester County, N. S. was totally destroyed by fire Monday last. No insurance.

The construction work on this end of the Midland railway has been commenced in earnest.

We regret to learn that the Rev.

Mr. Rose, has been confined to his house, suffering from a sore foot, caused by stepping on an upturned nail.

Mt. James Paige, son-in-law of Mr. J. C. Murray, Queen St., passed a successful examination last week as 2nd engineer. Mr. Paige is in the employ of the Yarmouth & Boston Steamship Line. His many friends in Truro extend congratulations.

The Rev. A L Geggie of St Pauls Church has organized a base ball club from the boys of the Sunday School. He has secured the grounds on Brunswick street.

We are pleased to know that Mrs. D. McRae, Havelock St. who has been very ill is able to move about again.

Mr. D. Gunn the popular proprietor of the Opera House is quite ill. He recently had a painful operation performed.

Mayflowers are quite plentiful and the Indian boys from the reserve are drawing quite a revenue from selling them about town.

Miss Clare Crowe is home from Boston visiting her parents Mr and Mrs J B Crowe of DeBert River.

Mrs. (Capt) Charles Buckler, is home from California visiting her parents Mr and Mrs D C Stevens DeBert River. Capt. Buckler is a native of Tatamagouche and is engaged in whale fishing during the summer months.

Mr. Samuel Buchanan, I. C. R. Truro, and Mrs Buchanan recently observed the 25th anniversary of their marriage. They received hearty congratulations and handsome presents

from a large circle of friends and acquaintances,

Mr. Ernest O'Brien has opened up with a full stock of groceries in the stand formerly occupied by Dickson and Wright.

Conductor F. H. Crowe, who has been visiting his parents at DeBert River left to resume his duties on the C P R at Rat Portage, Tuesday last.

The entire staff of Bigelow & Hood, including their new delivery waggon was photographed in a group the other day. It was just before the team departed for Halifax.

Mr James Gratten, shoemaker has rented the shop formerly occupied by the late Martin Leaky.

Mrs. C H Beattie has returned to Truro from Economy where she was attending the death bed of her father the late A K Moore one of the best known men in Colchester.

Lindsay, Baird and Fulton are rushing deals down their sluice at Belmont at a 210 gait. Their cut for this season is an exceedingly large one.

After Copper.

Mr C C Munroe, general manager of the International Mining & Developing Co of Boston, Mass, accompanied by Mr Jerome Prince, a mining expert arrived from Boston on Thursday last and left the same evening for Pictou, with the object of developing a copper mine in Caribou, Pictou Co. The Co has an electric machine for locating mines.

The company is backed by a wealthy syndicate.

Big Strike In Montreal.

MONTREAL, May 6.—[Special]—All iron moulders employed in Montreal to the number of 300, struck work this morning, the employers having refused their demand for minimum wages of \$2.50 a day and total abolition of piece work. The strike was ordered by the American iron moulders union and threatens to be a serious one, as it effects the C P R and G T R, and many other big establishments.

BUSINESS DIRECTORY

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PHOTOGRAPHS:—Miss Christie, photographer, successor to McLennan, 17 Inglis Street, upstairs.

JEWELER:—A. H. Smith, watch maker and jeweler, and graduate optician, eye testing, watch repairing, Prince Street, near Inglis.

BARBER:—Wm. Jeffery, hair dresser North side of Prince Street, west.

AUCTIONEER:—John B Black, Outram St, dealer in furniture and crockeryware. Chairs of all kinds a speciality. Auction sale every Saturday evening at 7.30

MONUMENTS:—Flemming B McNutt, manufacturer of marble and granite monuments, headstones, tablets, etc. Late Abx. Millers old stand, Queen St. Cemetery work promptly attended to.

LADIES ART WORK:—S. A. Taylor, opposite the Y. M. C. A. Headquarters for ladies art embroidery materials, small wares, etc.

MUSIC HATH CHARMS:—George B. Faulker has the latest songs and popular music on hand. 10 cents a copy. Inglis Street.

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