The Weekly Monitor.

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 31ST, 1883.

BIG OFFER. — New subscribers who will accompany their order with $1.50, if sent in before the 1st of November, will receive the MONITOR from that date until the 1st of January, 1885, together with a copy of "Kendall's Treatise on the Horse and his Diseases. This offer remains open during this month only.

Halloween.

To night is Halloween. The days of enchantment and fairies have long since given place to the stern realism of this progressive age, and the observance of these shadows of ye olden time, are year by year growing fainter and fainter. Among the country folk of the West of Scotland and in Ireland, however, the ancient festival is still honored, if not with the faith of byegone days, at least, sufficient interest is felt in it to make the occasion one to be looked forward to by lads and lassies. Burns says:

"Upon that night, wheel fairies light,
On Cassilis Downans dance
Or over the lays, in splendid blaze,
On sprightly coursers prance;
Or for Colzean the route is ta'en,
Beneath the moon's pale beams!
There up the cove to stay and rove
Among the rocks and streams,
To sport that night.

Among the bonnie winding banks
Whage Doon rins, wimplin,' clear,
Where Bruce once ruld the martial ranks,
And shook his Caraick spear,
Some merry, friendly countra folks,
Together did convene,
To burn their nits, an' pou their stocks,*
An' haud their Halloween.
Fu' blithe that night.

* The first ceremony of Halloween, which is to pull each a stock or plant of kail. They must go out, hand-in-hand, with eyes shut, and pull the first they meet with. It being big or little, straight or crooked, is prophetic of the size and shape of the grand object of their spells—the husband or wife.

Though now generally neglected in modern practice the essential part of Halloween ritual seems to consist in the old country in the lighting by each household of a bonfire at nightfall. This points to the very ancient and widely diffused practice of kindling sacred fires at certain seasons of the year. While the Germanic nations had their Osterfeuer and Johannisfeuer, the Celtic had their Bealtine or Beiltine, and Samhtheine, the former on eve of May 1st and the latter on the eve of Nov. 1st.

— A thoroughly practical movement has just been organized in Chicago. A mechanical school has been established in which are to be taught English, mathematics, drawing, carpentry, wood turning pattern-making, iron chipping, forge-work, brazing, soldering and the use of iron finishing tools. The course lasts for three years, and provided the work done is of a practical nature, the results will be most beneficial. The professions and clerkships to-day are simply over-crowded, and the lack of thorough mechanics is becoming yearly more noticeable. Whatever may have been the faults of the old apprenticeship system it certainly had the great merit of allowing as a rule, apprentices only to advance step by step, and the number of workmen who understood each department of their trades was much larger proportionally than now. Now-a-days, if a beginner is a rolling stone, he is at liberty to follow his inclinations almost without restraint, and as a boy's ideas are usually large, he imagines he knows as much as his master before he has even got a superficial knowledge of all branches of his business, and strikes for higher wages, or leaves for another situation as a self styled journeyman. Another bar to obtaining a trade thoroughly, is that in all large manufacturing establishments, work is so systematized that each person has his or her particular department, and the beginner is usually placed in one of these departments and kept there. He is thus almost useless outside of his particular work. The school just opened in Chicago has been established in view of the existing evils, and it is to be hoped that its mission may be a successful one.

— An extraordinary court scene occurred at Toronto last week, during the trial of Morgan, for the murder of Maroney in August last. When the jury came in with a verdict of guilty, with a recommendation to mercy, His Honor, Judge Galt, told them he would not accept the verdict. Quite a scene ensued, the Queen's counsel objecting to such a strange proceeding, and said the finding of the jury was quite in accordance with the evidence. His Honor said he would take the responsibility upon himself, and sent the jury out again, but recalled them a few moments later, and re charged them to find a verdict of manslaughter, saying that he could give the prisoner anything from a fine of one shilling to imprisonment for life, and after the last verdict had been returned, a prominent lawyer remarked in a careless tone:

"My Lord, you had better complete the farce and fine the prisoner that shilling."

The action of Judge Galt is about as gross a travesty of justice and unwarrantable an exercise of juidicial authority as could be possible to imagine. Trial by jury would be simply a farce if the stand taken by His Honor were tenable.

— A movement should be made by some of our most influential men to secure a grant of money from our Dominion Government to remove the obstacles that exist in the channel of our river. These obstacles are not mountainous in themselves, but are somewhat serious impediments to safe navigation, and deters many a shipmaster unacquainted with the river, in command of a vessel of any size, from accepting charters for this port. This involves no inconsiderable loss of business, and in consideration of this fact, and the danger that vessels that do navigate the river are exposed to, we think it by all means advisable to agitate the matter.

— The receipts of the Dominion Exhibition resulted in a surplus of $600—a result unparalleled in the history of Exhibitions held in the Province.

School Examinations.

The terminal examinations of the Bridgetown graded school, were held on Friday last.

During the forenoon the classes in the advanced department, were examined in reading, arithmetic, grammar, geography, British and Nova Scotia history and several other branches of study. It was very obvious to all present, that the pupils thoroughly understood what they were talking about. The responses to all questions were prompt and correct, evincing not merely a knowledge of facts, but a clear comprehension of general principles. This was shown particularly in the creditable examination in physical geography, the pupils showing that they were possessed of an intelligent acquaintance with the somewhat complicated and difficult subject of oceanic and atmospheric currents, and of the peculiar influence exerted by these currents upon the climate of different countries.

The discipline of the schools has been excellent, and the average daily attendance during the term has been larger than usual. Mr. Fields deserves much praise for his zealous and untiring efforts in promoting the best interests of the school, and for the encouraging increase of success which has resulted from his labors.

The primary department was examined in the afternoon. It was impossible to obtain seats enough for the visitors present. The exercises were of the usual interesting character, the classes acquitting themselves in such a way as to show with what diligence and care they had been instructed. A large and very pleasing part of the programme consisted of recitations and dialogues, in all of which the little folk well sustained their reputation for good behavior and praiseworthy elocution. Both Miss Bonniman and Miss Longley have won laurels as industrious and successful teachers.

Inspector Morse, and the Rev. W. H. Warren, gave addresses at the close of the examinations, highly complimenting both teachers and pupils for the creditable exercises of the day, and paying a well merited tribute of praise to the teachers who are about closing their labors in this school for the purpose of entering into engagements elsewhere.

— The correspondence in another column in reference to school examinations we wish to state, is not, so far as we are aware, meant for any particular teacher or school, but was writ ten to apply in a general sense. We think "Z" has made some capital points. There is undoubtedly too much "cramming" in our schools during the time just prior to examination day.

— The *Chronicle* states that Hon. Messrs. Pipes and Fielding, the Local Government delegates to Ottawa on railway matters, have been unable to make satisfactory arrangements with the Dominion Government in regard to the Pictou Branch, and have returned to Halifax to confer with their colleagues.

Local and Other Matter.

— Total exports from the port of Annapolis last week $5884.

— It is reported that thirty oil wells in the Alleghany region have stopped flowing.

— The Canada Temperance Act was carried in Cumberland on Thursday by a large majority.

— Suffer comfort this winter by buying a nice nice nap Overcoat at Morrison's the Tailor, Middleton, N. S. 1i

— E. Y. Messenger, of Wilmot, has assigned his property for the benefit of his creditors, to Mr. J. D. Crocker.

— Two bears have recently been seen in the vicinity of Tupperville and Round Hill.

— J. W. Beckwith has just received a car load of Sawed Shingles from Berwick, which he offers low for Cash.

FOR SALE.—One stove for sale at this office. It is suitable for coal or wood.

— Thursday, November 8th, has been appointed a day of Thanksgiving throughout the Dominion.

— Capt. Mayne Reid, the well-known novelist, died at London on the 21st inst., aged 65 years.

ERROR.—In account of accidents in South Williamston, in our last issue, for Mrs. J. Morse, read MRS. J. MOORE.

— The Digby committee of the Roger Amero defence fund acknowledge the receipt of $110.00. This is about half the amount required.

— The wonderful Chicago pacing horse, Johnson, has been sold for $25,000 to Commodore Kittson, of St. Paul, who will send the animal to California.

— On Monday night last a heavy gale blew from the South and West. During the night and next day heavy showers of rain fell at intervals.

OUT OF SEASON.—A mayflower in full bloom picked in the open field, has been sent us by Mr. H. H. Whitman, of Lawrencetown.

PERSONAL.—Dr. J. B. Hall, of Lawrencetown, returned on the 23rd inst., by stmr. "Circassian" from Europe. He has been spending a few months travelling.

— A. Bent, Esq., of Paradise, was thrown from a loaded waggon last week, the hind wheels of the vehicle passing over his body. Fortunately the injuries sustained were light.

— The St. John Board of Trade at a recent meeting, recommended that application be made to the Government to secure an increased subsidy to the Bay Line of Steamers, so as to enable them to make daily trips in the summer, and tri-weekly in the winter

— The regular monthly meeting of the Annapolis County Temperance League, will be held in the vestry of the Baptist Church, at Paradise, on Tuesday the 6th of Nov. at 2 p. m. A full attendance is requested.

— The Yarmouth *Times* says: The capital has been subscribed and the details arranged for starting a factory for the manufacture of codlines, twines, and nets for fisheries. The capital of the company is about $10,000. The premises on the corner of Argyle and Main Streets, formerly occupied by Messrs. W. H. Moody & Co., will be used for this purpose. About $60,000 worth of codlines per year is imported into this county alone every year, so that the promising nature of the new industry is apparent. The mill will commence by manufacturing about a ton of cordage per week, and the capacity will be increased as the demand requires.

GOOD FOR HOUSEKEEPERS.—Owing to the immense crop of potatoes in New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island this year and the comparative absence of outside demand, prices, a wholesale dealer states, will continue to rule low throughout the winter.—*News.*

— The hour of sailing of the Bay steamer from St. John after Nov. 5th, will be 7 o'clock instead of 8, as at present.

— The English Postmaster-General Fawcett is engaged in preparing a plan for the establishment of an international parcel post, modelled after the present English local system.

— The rate of increase of Lunenburg's population between the years 1871 and 1881 was 23 per cent., while that of the whole population was only 13¾ per cent.

— J. W. Beckwith is paying $1.00 per bbl. for good Potatoes, 25c. per doz. for Eggs, 10c. per lb. for Dried Apples, and 25c. per pair for Good Socks. 1i

— The proposed race mentioned in our last issue between two of our Bridgetown horses and two in Kings Co., is declared off. What is the matter? Are the owners of the latter horses afraid to risk the race?

— During the past year the boats of the N. S. S. Co., has made 177 trips across the bay between St. John, Digby and Annapolis—34 trips more than obliged to do by the mail contract with the Dominion Government.

QUICKEST VOYAGE ON RECORD.—The new British barque Silicia, Capt. Chas. V. Dix, sailed from New Glasgow, N. S. Sept. 19, with a full cargo for Ivigtut, where she arrived, discharged and loaded a full cargo of kryolite, sailed, and passed Lewes, Del, on her way to Philadelphia Oct 23, thus making the quickest voyage on record.

— We have received from Messrs. DeBernardy, of 28 John St., Bedford Row, London Eng., a small pamphlet entitled "Unclaimed Money Register." As its title indicates it contains the names of persons who are entitled to unclaimed monies, legacies, &c., in Great Britain, the colonies and abroad. The list given is a large one. To be had of the publishers. Price twenty five cents.

SHIPPING NOTES.—A Margaretville brig A. B. Stronach, Munroe, at New York, from Hull, E., had severe weather the entire passage; sprung topgallantmast and lost name off stern.

Schr. Adah, Foster, arrived in Boston, Mass., on the 24th inst.

Schr. A. M. Holt, Graves, arrived at this port from St. John, on Monday last.

THE HALIFAX EMBEZZLEMENT CASE.—The Grand Jury, on the 22nd inst., returned a true bill against Robert Stather for embezzlement as follows: On the 31st October he took into his possession $75.50 and embezzled the same; on 8th November, 1882. $150. The found no bills against him on the charges of making fraudulent entries and returns, forging and obtaining money under false pretences.

—The examination of Holmes and Bracken at Halifax, on the charge of being in possession of dynamite for unlawful use, is not yet concluded. On Friday last, they were examined on a further charge of smuggling, under a warrant issued at the instance of the customs authorities. After two or three witnesses were examined, Court was adjourned until to-day.

The Journal of Commerce in speaking of the failure of E. F. Beele, (Beeler?) of the Annapolis Organ Co., states the liabilities to be $10,000. of which $3,000 is due the Bank of Nova Scotia, for which they hold notes to the extent of $3,700 and over $4,000 to a gentleman in Annapolis, who holds notes to the value of $2,500. The assets are about $7,000. Apart from the secured creditors it is supposed the estate will pay but little, unless the supposition of a mistake in one of the claims preferred proves correct.

— His Excellency, the Marquis of Lansdowne, was duly sworn in Governor General of this Dominion on the 23rd inst., in the presence of the Dominion Cabinet, Supreme Court Judges, and a select number of invited gentlemen and ladies. The new Governor General and Lady Lansdowne received the warmest welcome from the crowds that were in waiting to receive them at Quebec and Ottawa. The Parliament building and many private residences and shops were brilliantly illuminated, and a display of fireworks was made in honor of their arrival at Ottawa.

— The Pictou *News* says: The glass works at New Glasgow are running night and day with about 150 hands all told. They have more orders for lamp chimneys than they can easily fill. Their table-ware, being almost staple articles, still continue to sell very well, considering the wholesale buyers, particularly in Ontario, ordered largely last year with a view to supplying the Manitoba market, and as the "boom" in that direction has fallen off, they find themselves with large stocks in certain lines and are consequently buying cautiously.

CHARTERS APPLIED FOR.—Notifications in the "Royal Gazette" state that a charter is to be applied for to incorporate the "Buckler Brick Company," Annapolis, capital $6000. Also for a charter to incorporate the "Annapolis Publishing Company," for the purpose of printing and publishing a newspaper, called the "Annapolis Spectator," and printing and publishing newspapers generally; also for the purpose of doing a general printing and publishing business. Capital $4000, in shares of $25.

— Mr. Jos. Buckler, of this town, has purchased the entire buildings, plant and machinery of the Granville Ferry Milling Co., and if he can make suitable terms with the owner of the shipyard property, intends to move the whole concern here. The mill combines saw, grist, shingle and stave machinery, and we have no doubt that with if a first-rate business could be done in this town, and we hope that Mr. Buckler may be successful in bringing it here. Every enterprise, no matter whether small or not, contributes its quota to the prosperity of the town in which it is situated, and we are pleased to be able to state that in our little town, are established quite a respectable number of manufacturing industries, that each year increases, and the most gratifying point of all is that so far as we are able to learn, each shows a steadily increasing business.

— The concert given in the Court House of this town on Thursday night last, was well attended, considering the inclement evening. Those who were present enjoyed a musical treat seldom afforded in this town. Mrs. Siemens (*nee* Dodwell), sang four songs with a grace and melody that only through cultivation and a charming voice, could make so pleasing, and the audience on each occasion evinced their appreciation by repeated encores, to which she responded in the song "Let Me Dream Again." The instrumental music by Misses DeBlois, Barnaby and Dodge, and Mrs. Wilkins was also of a high order. The vocal duet of Mrs. Wilkins and Mr. Landon Cowling in "Hunting Tower," and of Miss Ella DeBlois and Mr. Cowling, in "Reuben and Rachael" were much enjoyed, all having very fine voices. "Reuben and Rachel" was sung in costume, Miss DeBlois as "Rachael" being charming, while Mr. Cowling excellently represented the staid Quaker "Reuben." Rev. Geo. Dodwell and Rev. L. M. Wilkins, also favored the audience with readings. We must not omit to mention that Mr. J. P. Rice and wife rendered some fine music on the violin and piano at the commencement of the evening. Mrs. Wilkins, to whose energetic management the success of the evening is so largely due, deserves the thanks of all present.

Narrow Escape from Being Drowned.

A Margaretville correspondent says:—

"Capt Card the light keeper on Isle au Haute and his son, met with a narrow escape this fall while returning to the island from Margaretville, where he had been taking men, whom he had employed on the island building a boat house, and doing other government work. He had a good breeze from the S. W. when he started, which, by the time he got to the island, had increased to a gale, and blew in squalls around the east end, where he had to land, and which in a wind from this quarter is about as dangerous as around Blomidon. The Capt. had taken every precaution to prevent accident; but just before landing a heavy squall struck the boat which nearly threw it on beam ends. Meanwhile the ballast slid to the leeward, which, but for the good management of the captain and his son, would certainly have swamped them. The capt. immediately let go the sheet, and got the boat righted before another heavy squall or large wave struck her, and finally reached the landing place. The boat provided the captain by the government, is far from being safe for crossing the bay from the island to the mainland, and he has run many narrow escapes, while boating around the island in performance of his duty, and has repeatedly asked for a better boat, and finally has been obliged to buy one himself. The government has never provided a medicine chest, and the light keeper is obliged to stay year after year, without medicine or medical work unless he provides these also. Our government should certainly see to such things, and not leave its employes in such dangerous situations, so poorly provided for."

The Missionary Meeting

The storm of Monday evening made a thin audience at the Missionary Meeting in the Methodist Church, but, those who were present were well rewarded.

For one hour and a half Dr. Cochran riveted the attention of all by his very graphic portraiture of Japanese customs and religious opinions, and of the methods and successes of Missionary operations in that Island Empire where for six years he resided, as missionary of the Methodist Church of Canada. Those who failed to hear him lost an opportunity not often enjoyed, of being transferred in thought to the scenes of missionary labors; and those who were present, will hereafter possess more correct ideas of the nature and importance of Missionary work.

We wish it were possible for him to make an engagement for another evening here, but his stay in the Province is brief and every evening of it is already engaged.

LATE PUBLICATIONS.

—The November number, concluding the sixty-seventh volume of Harper's Magazine, is very rich in illustrations, and its articles are timely and entertaining. The frontispiece, illustrating Auston Dobson's poem, "At Last," is from a drawing by E. A. Abbey. Herbert Tuttle contributes an article, entitled "A Vacation in Vermont," beautifully illustrated with views of Green Mountain scenery "Some Glympses af Artistic London" are given in an article, illustrated by fine portraits. Henry P. Johnston contributes an article apropos of the centennial anniversary of the evacuation of New York by the British, illustrated. "A Castle in Spain" is concluded. Mr. William Blaikie's article entitled "Our Children's Bodies," strikes vigorously at some defects of our home and school training, and his suggestions will command general attention. Dr. H. H. Kane describes a "Hashish House in New York," and "the curious adventures of an individual who indulged in a few pipefuls of the narcotic hemp." A number of other articles, with several excellent stories, and charming poems form a choice table of contents.

The Editorial departments are full of entertaining matter; and the publishers' special announcement of the forthcoming Christmas Number—the regular issue for December—and of the leading attractions of the Magazine for 1884, indicate their purpose not only to maintain the high position already gained for this periodical, but also to still farther advance its standard of literary, artistic, and machanical excellence.

Buckley & Allen, Booksellers, Halifax.

AYER'S NEWSPAPER ANNUAL.—We have received from the publishers, Messrs. N. W. Ayer and Sons, a copy of their American Newspaper Annual, which contains a great amount of information to publishers and advertisers generally. It contains a carefully prepared list of all Newspapers and periodicals in the United States and Canada, arranged by States in Geographical sections, and by Towns in alphebetical order. In this list also is given the name of the paper the issue, general characteristics, year of establishment, also circulation, and advertising rates for ten lines one month. Then follows a list of all Newspapers inserting advertisements, arranged in States by Counties, with the distinctive features and circulation of each paper. It also contains a carefully prepared description of every county in the United States, as well as of each State and Territory as a whole, and of each of the Canadian Provinces, giving valuable information concerning their mineral deposits, chief agricultural products, principal manufactures, nature of surface and soil, location, area, etc.

Much information of a varied character, in addition to the above will also be found in the pages of this annual, and so far as we are able to judge, it is a trustworthy guide to the judicious placing of advertising. $3.00 per vol., published by N. W Ayer & Son, Philadelphia, Pa.

HEROES OF THE PLAINS.—Mr. J. W. Buel the well-known author and traveler, spent a large part of the past summer among the Indians of the west, and during the time visited the renowned Chief Sitting Bull, at Standing Rock Agency, Dakota. While there he obtained from Sitting Bull and his principal Chiefs a full account of the massacre of Custer and his men in June, 1876. This is the first and only time the Indians have told their side of the story, which is more intensly interesting because none of Custer's men lived to relate the horrors of that unparalleled massacre Mr. Beul has added a full history of this great historical event, and his own experiences among the savages, to his celebrated book, "Heroes of the Plains," with fine portraits of Sitting bull and his principal Chiefs, and many other illustrations. He has also added the life and adventures of "White Beaver," the great Medicine Man of the Sioux, with many new and spirited illustrations, forming one of the most complete and thrilling works on Western life ever written. The book is highly recommended by Maj. Gen. Merritt, Commander of the West Point Military Academy, and other distinguished people. Agents are wanted; see advertisement elsewhere.

A ST. JOHN SCHOONER LOST.—A despatch from Vineyard Haven, under date of Oct. 25th, says:

The schooner sunk in Vineyard Sound, Saturday night was the Wm. H. Rourke, Capt. Finley, from Perth Amboy with a cargo of coal, of and for St. John, N. B. She was capsized in a squall at 3.30. All hands were lost except the mate, Wm. A. Finley, who clung to the vessel's boat, bottom up, twelve hours, and drifted ashore at Gay Head, where he remains in an exhausted state. The lost are Capt. Finley; Wm. Fowler, cook; Whalen, seaman; and one unknown.

— Mr. E. Lockett is preparing the foundation for a large store and Hall on the property adjoining the store of Jas. A. Curll, Esq.—*Lunenburg Co. Times.*

We presume Mr. Lockett is a son of Mr. W. H. Lockett of this town, as we understand he has a son in Bridgewater doing business.

— The following appointments have recently been made in this County:—

In the County of Annapolis: To be Commissioner of Schools for the Eastern District—W. J. H. Balcom, of Nictaux Falls, and Henry Parsons, of South Farmington, Esquires.

To be a Commissioner for giving relief to Insolvent Debtors, and for taking Affidavits to hold to Bail and recognizances of Bail in the Supreme and County Courts—Arthur W. Harris, Esq., of Nictaux Falls.

I had severe attacks of gravel and kidney trouble; was unable to get a medicine or doctor to cure me until I used Hop Bitters, and they cured me in a short time. —A DISTINGUISHED LAWYER OF WARE Co., N. Y.

—G. L. Colbran formerly a pedlar, but for the last 18 months a general storekeeper of Paradise, N. S., took a trip to England some time ago, leaving his wife in charge of his business affairs. During his absence his stock in trade was seized by Messrs. Daniel & Boyd of St. John, N. B. under the absconding debtors' Act for an unmatured note. Since Colbran's return he has threatened suit, and Daniel & Boyd are now said to be seeking a settlement on terms rather favorable to the former. As the son of an indulgent father Mr. Colbran seems to have a sort of free and easy way for a business man, and his absence was perhaps calculated to arouse suspicion in the minds of his creditors.—*Journal of Commerce.*

☞All persons about to visit foreign lands, sailors, fishermen, lumbermen and miners should take with them a supply of *Johnson's Anodyne Liniment.* It is both for internal and external use and is worth its weight in gold.

☞Hip disease, fever sores, ulcers, blotches, pimples, and many loathsome diseases originate in impure blood. *Parsons' Purgative Pills* make *new* rich blood and will change the blood in the entire system in three months, taken one a night.

☞A fine constitution may be broken and ruined by simple neglect. Many bodily ills result from habitual constipation. There is no medicine equal to Ayer's Pills to correct this evil, and restore the system to natural, regular, and healthy action.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS THIS WEEK.

J W Beckwith ..... Business
Ralph Bent ..... Teacher Wanted
J D Crocker ..... Assignment Notice
J R Hart ..... Two Horses for Sale
E L Hall ..... Blacksmith Stand for Sale
Historical Publishing Co. ..... Agents Wanted
J H Robbins ..... Notice
B Starratt ..... Business

New Advertisements.

TEACHER WANTED.

For School Section

No. 42, Bentville.

A male teacher for winter term.

RALPH BENT,
Sect. to trustees.

Bentville, Oct. 29, '83. 2i31

FLOUR

—AND—

Cornmeal.

AT LOWEST

MARKET RATES!

AN INVOICE OF

TEA

just opened direct from Foochou, China, of superior

Strength and Flavor,

and at very moderate prices, much less than if imported via London or New York, besides being in the original packages, and not having been manipulated by tea mixers.

TEA DRINKERS ARE INVITED TO TRY IT, AS WE BELIEVE IT TO BE EXCELLENT VALUE.

WHITE LEAD

—AND—

LINSEED OIL,

GUNS,
POWDER,
SHOT,
SHELLS,
CARTRIDGES

And all Kinds of Amunition.

B. STARRATT.

Paradise, Oct. 20th, 1883.

NOTICE.

SALE at Baptist Parsonage, Middleton, Nov. 6th, 1 o'clock p. m., one Horse, one thoroughbred Jersey Cow, Registered "Pride of Beacon Hill, N. S." 20 Houden Hens, Harness, Carriages, Implements, Household Furniture, Stoves, Wood, Hay and other articles. J. H. ROBBINS.

Middleton, Oct. 23, '83. 1i

Blacksmith Stand!

The subscriber offers his shop and tools for sale, situated in

LAWRENCETOWN,

IS ONE OF THE BEST BUSINESS STANDS IN THE COUNTY.

For information, apply to,

E. L. HALL.

October 30, 29tf

TWO HORSES FOR SALE!

BOTH WELL BRED,

Saladin and Hambletonian.

Sound. Sold for no fault.

J. R. HART.

Bridgetown, Oct. 30, '83. 29tf

Notice of Assignment.

EDWARD Y. MESSENGER,

of Wilmot, in the County of Annapolis, has this day assigned to me all his personal property and effects, for the benefit of such creditors as may sign the deed of composition within one hundred and fifty days from the date thereof. Said deed has been duly fyled at the office of the Registrar of Deeds for Annapolis County, a duplicate thereof lies at my residence in Wilmot, where it is open to inspection and signature of any person interested therein.

All parties failing to execute the same within the time named, will not be entitled to any benefit thereunder.

J. D. CROCKER,
Assignee.

Dated Wilmot, October 18, '83. 293m

TEACHER WANTED.

FOR SCHOOL SECTION, NO. 17,

Weymouth, Digby Co.,

A Grade B. Teacher for Term commencing November 1st.

CHARLES McC. CAMPBELL,
Secty Trustees.

Weymouth, Oct. 20th 1884 2i30

New Advertisements. | New Advertisements. | New Advertisements.

1883. FALL AND WINTER. 1884.

J. W. BECKWITH

HAS JUST NOW COMPLETED HIS IMPORTATIONS OF GOODS FOR THE FALL AND WINTER TRADE, WHICH COMPRISE THE LARGEST AND BEST ASSORTED STOCK HE HAS EVER OFFERED FOR SALE. NOT HAVING TIME TO ENUMERATE ALL, HE GIVES BELOW A FEW OF THE LEADING GOODS AND PRICES, AND WOULD CORDIALLY INVITE INSPECTION.

Dress Goods from 10c. to $1.00 per yd.

VELVETS in all the LEADING SHADES

From 40c. to $2.25 Per Yard.

LADIES' ULSTERS AND SACQUE CLOTHS,

From 65c. to $3.50 Per Yard, Double Width.

LADIES' SHAWLS FROM ..... $1.00 to $5.50
LADIES' SACQUES AND DOLMANS FROM 1 50 to 7 50

LADIES' FUR MUFFS, TIPPETS AND CAPES.

LADIES' ULSTERS FROM ..... $1 75 to $5 00
LADIES' & MISSES RUBBER GOSSAMERS, 1 50 to 3 50

BLACK CASHMERES A SPECIALTY.

MENS' SUITS from - - $6.00 to $25.00.
MENS' OVERCOATS, from - 5.00 to 18.00.
MENS' ULSTERS, from - - 6.50 to 10.00.

Boys' Suits, Overcoats and Reefers from $3.00 and upwards.

NEW HATS AND CAPS IN ALL STYLES.

HORSE RUGS FROM $1.50 and upwards.

Public Auction!

To be sold at Public Auction, on

THURSDAY,

THE 1st DAY OF NOVEMBER,

at 1 o'clock p. m.,

at the residence of the subscriber, the following:

4 Cows in calf;
2 " Farrow;
1 Yoke Oxen, 5 years old;
1 Yoke two year old Steers;
2 " Steer Calves;
1 Heifer Calf;
1 Ox Wagon;
1 Silver Mounted Harness, new.
1 Brass " " "
250 Bushels Potatoes;
60 " Oats, and a quantity of Hay.

ALSO.—A lot of Farming Implements.

TERMS.—6 months.

WM. M. BATH.

Paradise, Oct. 22. '83.
E. Bent, Auctioneer. 2i30pd

Mrs. Ansley

Has just received

NEW FALL AND WINTER

Hats, Bonnets,
Flowers, Feathers,
Plushes, Velvets,
Laces, Ribbons, &c., &c

All of which will be sold LOW FOR CASH. Hats and Bonnets trimmed in the latest styles.

MOURNING BONNETS made to order at short notice.

Bridgetown, Oct. 22nd, '83. 13i4i

LOST!

ON the 17th inst., on the road between Bridgetown and Mr. John Kinnie's, a pair of GOLD RIMMED SPECTACLES, enclosed in a bright Metal Case, the finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving them at my residence or at the office of this paper.

GEO. V. KNIGHT.

Bridgetown, Oct. 23, '83. 2i30pd

"NO PLACE LIKE HOME!"

You can make it more pleasant and attractive by buying at

J. W. WHITMAN'S

A BEAUTIFUL

TEA OR DINNER SETT,

in China, Granite, or the new Printed Ware.

Also, Plated and Common Table Ware, and full lines of glassware.

At the same time add to the comforts, and get a good suit off the new TWEEDS.

Winceys, Wool and Cotton Shirtings, with a good lot of those very cheap

GREY and WHITE COTTONS.

Don't forget the Superior

Flour and Biscuits,

and a full line of boot

GROCERIES,

especially the "GOLDEN DROPS," and superior "CANNED GOODS."

Also, get a nice Carriage Robe, a Blanket for the Horse, GLOVES, MITTS, HOSE, Silk and Cotton Handkerchiefs for the family.

A good SEWING MACHINE for the wife, and a stick of Candy for the Baby!

All to be had at BOTTOM PRICES, at

J. W. Whitman's.

Lawrencetown, Oct. 15, '83.

BETTER STILL

100 lbs. Refined Sugar,		$7.50
4 " Good Tea,		1.00
12 " Good Raisins,		1.00
5 bottles Morton's mixed Pickles,		1.00
Fancy Biscuit, per bbl.	11 cents	
Soda " " "	9 "	
Choice Coffee, per pound,	35 "	

Just received, an assortment of SPICES, PICKLES, CONFECTIONERY, &c. which will be sold at Low Rates.

FLOUR and MEAL,

At 25 cents advance on cost.

TERMS STRICTLY CASH.

N. H. PHINNEY.

Lawrencetown, Oct. 8th, 1883. 1y

BRIDGETOWN GROCERY

The friends in Bridgetown and vicinity will find at the newly fitted-up and commodious Store under Masonic Hall, an excellent assortment of

Choice Groceries,

comprising the usual varieties in

FLOUR, TEA,
SUGAR,
CANNED GOODS,
OATMEAL,
MOLASSES,
SPICES, ETC., ETC.

A carefully selected assortment of

Hardware,

consisting of Carpenter's Tools, Tinware, Nails, etc., will also be found, together with a small stock of

Stationery,

of superior quality.

A share of public patronage is respectfully solicited, and we hope to merit the good opinions of our patrons by careful attention to business, and by supplying them with the best articles at the lowest prices.

W. W. Saunders

Bridgetown, May 28th, '83.

FALL GOODS!

Just opened a complete line of Fall and winter

MILLINERY GOODS,

with a competent milliner in charge.

Ex. "Windsor Packet.
1 Carload Oatmeal;
1 " Cornmeal;
50 Bbls. Feeding Flour.
25 Bbls. Choice American Flour.

CASH PAID FOR BUTTER AND EGGS.

N. F. MARSHALL.

Middleton, Oct., '83.

New Fall Goods

—AT—

S. L. FREEMAN & CO'S.

MIDDLETON CORNER.

CHEAP FOR CASH!

GREY COTTONS, from 6 cents;
WHITE SHIRTINGS,
DRESS GOODS, very low,
CASHMERES, from 38 cents,
VELVETEENS, VELVETEENS,
CASHMERES, from 38 cents,
ULSTER CLOTHS,
SCOTCH TWEEDS,
WORSTED COATINGS,

Ready-Made Clothing,

MILLINERY,
CARPETS,
HORSE RUGS,
BOOTS and SHOES,
GROCERIES, &c.

All Very Cheap for Cash.

☞ The highest market price paid in exchange for Goods.

S. L. FREEMAN & CO.

Middleton, October, 1883.

WANTED.

1,000 bushels of Beans,
" " Oats,
" " Barley,
" " Buckwheat.

W. W. CHESLEY.

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MANCHESTER HOUSE!

We are now opening our FALL AND WINTER GOODS, in the following lines:—

DRESS GOODS and TRIMMINGS,
MANTLE and ULSTER CLOTHS.

Another lot of Caroline and Flexible HIP CORSETS.

A NICE STOCK OF

GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS,
WINTER CLOTHS and CLOTHING,

HATS and CAPS, and a very nice assortment of BOOTS, SHOES, and RUBBERS.

All at the Come and see Prices.

FARNSWORTH & AMBERMAN.

Granville Ferry, June 14th, 1883.

☞ P. S.—Eggs wanted. Highest prices paid. ☜

FARM FOR SALE!

THE subscriber being desirous of giving more attention to his

GROCERY and PROVISION TRADE,

has decided to sell his valuable FARM, situated in Beaconsfield, three and a-half miles from Bridgetown, and directly under the North Mountain.

The property comprises about 300 acres of splendid land, 25 or 30 under cultivation, and 280 abounding in valuable Hard and Soft Timber.

There is also between 200 and 300 healthy and bearing Fruit Trees, in Apple, Plum, Pear, &c.

A good House, Barn, and other Outbuildings, together with pure and never-failing water privileges are among the inducements.

For full particulars apply to the subscriber.

T. J. EAGLESON.

Bridgetown, Oct. 9, 1883. tf

NEW STORE!

The subscriber has just opened up at the Cross Roads between

LAWRENCETOWN AND MIDDLETON,

a large assortment of

Dry Goods, Groceries, Earthen & Glassware and Tinware, &c.

which he offers the public at extremely low prices for cash.

GREY COTTON	FORM	6 CTS.
PRINTS	"	8 CTS.
WINCEYS	"	12 CTS.
TEA		5 lbs. for $1 00
SUGAR		12 for lbs. $1.00
RAISINS		for 9c. per lb.

The highest market price paid for all kinds of produce.

Please call and see for yourselves.

C. S. Phinney.

Lawrencetown, Sep. 12, '83. n22 1yr

Take Notice!

—THE—

Averill Paint

is still in the market. The sales have more than doubled this season. And all are satisfied.

All we ask is a trial, as it will speak for itself when applied.

S. N. JACKSON,

General Agent for Nova Scotia,

LOCAL AGENTS:

A. W. CORBITT & SON, Annapolis;
IRVINE & TROOP, Granville Ferry;
R. H. BATH, Bridgetown;
N. F. Marshall, Middleton;
W. H. JACKSON, Kingston;
T. H. MILLER, Bear River.

TESTIMONIAL.

I have used the Averill Paint, and carefully examined it on buildings. Have no hesitation in recommending it to the public—it is as cheap as lead—not a particle of waste—and gives a beautiful body and gloss which cannot fail to make it durable.

JOHN Z. BENT, Bridgetown.

H. J. BANKS,

PRACTICAL TAILOR,

(Tupper's Hall),

Bridgetown.

THE subscriber takes pleasure in announcing to the public that he has opened a TAILORING ESTABLISHMENT, in Bridgetown, where he is prepared to execute all orders in first class style. A perfect fit guaranteed every time. Place of business over building known as Tupper's store.

H. J. BANKS.

Bridgetown, Oct. 16, '83. tf

X CLOTHING X

WHOLESALE.

BEST VALUE OBTAINABLE.

Send for samples or call and see us.

CLAYTON & SONS,

CLOTHING MANUFACTURERS,

18i31 11 Jacob St., HALIFAX.

H. H. BANKS

COMMISSION AGENT AND AUCTIONEER FOR COUNTRY PRODUCE.

Colonial Market, Halifax,

I beg to inform my numerous consigners, that I have removed my Commission Business to the upper flat of Colonial Market, Grafton St., formerly occupied by Watson Eaton & Son, where with larger facilities for storage, I am prepared to receive consignments in any quantity.

I guarantee cheap handling, careful sales at best market prices, and prompt remittances.

Weekly market report furnished to consigners. 21i34