Notes of Interest from Middleton.

The members of the Middleton Division intend giving a musical and literary entertainment in Gullivan's Hall, on the evening of Wednesday next, 29th inst. The comic drama "Our Awful Aunt," will form part of the programme. As the proceeds are to go for the purchase of an organ for the Division, those who patronize it will be helping a good cause, besides getting the worth of their money in solid fun.

A public meeting of the citizens of Middleton was held in Gullivan's Hall, on Friday evening last, to discuss the amendments to the "Water Supply Bill" now before the Legislature. After a lengthy discussion a resolution was passed asking our representatives not to pass the bill unless it was in accordance with the agreement entered into between the town and the company, viz.: That the town be given a *first* lien or mortgage on the works of the company, in return for the guarantee of its bonds, to the extent of ten thousand dollars. It is understood that the present bill gives the town a second mortgage only, after a first ten thousand is secured.

Two young men belonging to this county, Oswald A. Parker, of Victoriavale, and Frank S. Morton, of Mount Hanley, have been students at the Baltimore College of Dental Surgery during the past term, having just completed their course and taken the degree of D. D. S. We are pleased to learn that our boys have done themselves credit in the manner in which they have acquitted themselves. The class to which they belonged numbered eighty-two, and among them were quite a number who were graduates in arts of the best American colleges, and one of the University of Berlin. Notwithstanding, this we learn that Mr. Parker stood second in his class in all subjects, taking the second gold medal as a prize, while Mr. Morton took the first prize, a valuable set of medical works, for writing the best thesis, Mr. Parker being a close second in this. We congratulate our boys on this splendid record.

Margaretville Matters.

New cases of la grippe are developing, and in proportion to population, we seem likely to have as violent an epidemic of that dread disease as that which has visited New York and Chicago.

A sacred entertainment was held in the Methodist church at this place on the evening of Tuesday, 14th inst. A literary and musical programme had been prepared, and the exercises were highly appreciated by the audience. The literary portion of the entertainment was especially commendable; and the reading entitled "Flying Jim's Last Leap," was rendered by Miss Maggie McLean in a style worthy of a trained elocutionist. A collection for the benefit of the Sabbath-school was taken at the close of the entertainment, and an amount was realized about equal to a fair admission fee for each one present.

The festive sugar-makers are now engaged in active operations, though the weather has been rather unfavorable for *say*. Some kinds will flow though at all seasons. I suppose each manufacturer has a right to flavor his sweets with lemon or peppermint or even with the pungent cayenne, but when the latter is used it should not be placed, like the salt in a dishonest roll of butter all in a lump in the middle. From time immemorial young and old have been in the habit of visiting the sugar camps and *being treated*. A small party descended on one of these sugar factories the other day; or more properly, they ascended, for it is located at the top of the mountain. According to customs, ancient and honorable, they were duly treated; but when the dainty lumps, fair to taste and to view on the surface, began to dissolve, they poured into mouth and throat a taste of cayenne pepper strong enough to blister the lining of a stew-kettle. O cruel men! Still, it may be that instead of being an April joke, it was only intended to impress upon the minds of the visitors the old quoted precept:—

Each pleasure hath its poison too,
And every sweet a snare.

Belleisle Bits.

The sombre weeds of winter are fast disappearing before the vernal warmth of spring.

Mrs. Morrison Wade, who has been visiting Mrs. Fred Hathaway, at Granville Ferry, returned home last week.

Capt. David Wade, who has been suffering for some time past from a violent attack of la grippe, is, we are pleased to state, much better.

Lieut. A. J. Bustin arrived home some days ago from the School of Infantry at Fredericton, where he has been taking a course of instruction, looking very much better for the change.

Mr. Owen Bent and Joseph H. Ray have imported, at heavy cost, the thorough-bred Freisian-Holstein bull, "Duke of Clifford," No. 16,858, sired by Mink's "Mercedes Baron," 5,676; dam, "Jennie Staple," 9,912, bred by Smith Bros., of Churchville, Ont. He is a very handsome animal, and our two enterprising young farmers not only deserve the patronage, but the thanks of the community for keeping before the public pure-blooded stock of such a very superior class. The original importer is R. J. Bishop, Esq., of Round Hill.

Lawrencetown Items.

Still a little like winter.

Good programme in Nelson Division for the 25th.

The repairs on the Church are rapidly coming.

We are deeply grieved to hear of the death of our pastor, Rev. Mr. Hooper.

I. Chute, Esq., of Port Maitland, Yarmouth, paid the town a visit this week.

Rev. J. R. Downing is holding special meetings at North Williamston this week.

Death again visited our town, on the 21st, taking from our midst Mr. James Durling.

Mr. Stephen Penall, who has sold his property to Israel Foster, Esq., has removed to Kentville.

Quite a number of the members of Nelson Division from paid Olive Branch a visit on the evening of the 20th, and it is said that they spent a very happy and profitable evening. Nelson has extended them an invitation to visit here on the 25th.

Round Hill Jottings!

Some quantities of cordwood are awaiting future shipment, probably near the first of June.

Caterpillars, the farmer's terror, have appeared as well as the cankerworm formerly mentioned.

There are, at present, in our midst, a few cases of the dreaded la grippe which is progressing so alarmingly in other countries.

Beautiful spring has made great advances in the past week, and the fields are already assuming their emerald vesture.

Seldom has a larger concourse gathered within the handsome new hall than on the evening of the 14th, when was held the tea and sale in aid of St. Paul's church. The tables were well-spread and the tempting viands fully appreciated. Many fancy and useful articles were disposed of, and during the course of the evening a short but interesting play, entitled "The Rival Lodgers," was acted. The sum of $45 was realized for church purposes.

Hampton Items.

Mr. Erb, from Acadia, preached to us last Sabbath, and will labor here and at Port Lorne during the summer.

Norman Farnsworth has sold his corner lot and buildings to Capt. Elias Brinton of St. Croix, he having sold his farm to William Hall.

PROLIFIC SHEEP.—Mrs. John Milbury has ten sheep which gave birth to twenty-one lambs, nineteen of which are living. Can any one in the county beat this?

The weather is cold and windy, making it hard for fishing, though they seem to be quite plenty. On Friday last John and Herbert Foster caught one hundred an thirty at one slack.

Improvements seem to be the order of the day. Edward Milbury is building a new barn. John E. Farnsworth and Edward Titus have been using the paint brush with good effect.

Now Free From Pain.

Dear Sirs,—I have been troubled with Lame Back for about six months, and thought I would try Hagyard's Yellow Oil, which cured me. Am now free from all pains, and recommend Yellow Oil very highly. FRANK PALMER, Winona, Ont.

—For la grippe use a teaspoonful of Norton's Magic Liniment in a glass of hot water and sugar. It is splendid.

Lower Granville Notes.

The friends of the Episcopal Church, Lower Granville, are preparing to hold a grand musical and literary enertainment in Karsdale school-room on Wednesday evening, May 6th. Mrs. Wade has kindly consented to loan her piano for the occasion, and a number of talented ladies and gentlemen will assist with fine selections of music, dialogues, readings and recitations. This is the centennial year of the Episcopal Church in this place, and this entertainment is to assist in raising funds to make certain improvements in the old edifice.

The grippe has laid its heavy hand on many of our people and quite a number are prostrated.

Coasting vessels are beginning to move and the river looks more lively.

Everyone is interested in the success of the railway from Victoria Beach to Bridgetown, which we trust will be thoroughly advocated by the MONITOR.

Berwick.

A meeting of the Fruit Growers' Association met Monday, the 20th of April, in Foster's Hall.

Our enemy of last winter, la grippe, is paying us another visit. Those who are suffering, find its grip most unpleasant and and heartily wish for a release.

The earth is taking on her mantle of green again; the birds are piping their sweet songs, and everything seems to proclaim the arrival of beautiful spring.

Active preparations are now being made for the erection of the Oddfellows Hall—to be the finest in the county, so "they say." By all accounts it will be an ornament to our village.

The meetings are going on, but they are entirely free from excitement. Those who attend them cannot but acknowledge that the Spirit is working quietly, and surely. Some were baptized last Sunday, and more will be next.

The Provincial Finances.

The financial returns of the expenditure and revenue of the province of Nova Scotia for the year ended 31st Dec., 1890, were laid on the table of the house on Tuesday by Premier Fielding. The following is a general summary:

EXPENDITURE.

Agriculture		$13,227 10
Crown lands		7,000 00
Criminal prosecutions		4,732 61
Crown land moneys—		
Inverness	$436 52	
Richmond	95 00	
Cape Breton	250 00	
		781 52
		95 70
Co. of Inverness, old accounts		80,702 50
Debenture interest		212,000 00
Education		10,634 64
Election expenses		
Electoral lists, sheriffs court of appeal		32 85
Hospital for insane		12,000 00
" " bonds maturing		4,000 00
Interest current account		13,222 83
Jamaica exhibition		15 59
Local works		25,000 00
Legislative expenses		47,343 92
Legislative library		2,321 30
Miners' relief societies		1,340 20
Mines		14,000 00
Miscellaneous		16,416 18
Medical college		800 00
Private bills		270 00
Public printing		11,380 02
Provincial engineer's office		16,426 13
Relief for fishermen		633 10
Road service		91,933 54
Steamboats, packets and ferries		42,641 50
Salaries		18,578 99
Special roads		1,563 90
Transient poor		1,989 43
Victoria General hospital, maintenance		31,408 58
W. and A. Railway		14,587 50
W. C. Railway		13,387 15
		$710,497 38

REVENUE.

Agriculture	$174 54
Crown lands	15,916 43
Dominion of Canada, subsidy and interest	432,823 60
Fees, mines department	328 00
Fees, provincial secretary's office	1,296 37
Gazette office	1,872 77
Government house field—rent from Gordon & Keith	12 50
Interest	5,679 47
Interest, accrued on debentures	1,229 04
Mines, royalties, etc.	168,644 29
Marriage licenses	6,441 97
Municipality of Halifax, loan	1,000 00
Private bills	2,590 00
Premium on debentures	8,210 00
Revised statutes	63 70
Special roads, contributed by miners, etc	499 75
Searches, crown land office	100 51
Trespasses	142 30
W. and A. Railway, postal subsidy, etc.	14,587 50
W. C. Railway	3,355 36
Balance	45,55928
	$710,497 38

Abolition of Debt Imprisonment.

The act abolishing imprisonment for debts comes into force on the 1st of May next. Provision, however, of a very stringent character is made to meet cases where persons who really are in position to pay will not pay. Under a new law when a judgment has been obtained against a person the creditor has to secure an order from a commissioner, judge, magistrate or justice of the peace to have the debtor arraigned. The order is served on the debtor to appear on a certain day. The facts of the judgment are then enquired into and the financial condition of the debtor made known. The debtor is ordered to pay the debt in a lump sum or instalments according to his circumstances. Should the debtor ignore the order to pay a subsequent order for his arrest is issued and he is placed in jail until the further order of the court or until he decides to pay the money. Should the creditor, however, leave the debtor in jail for a period of ten days without seeking to have the matter settled in accordance with the act, the debtor is discharged from custody and the latter can hold the creditor liable for the amount of money paid for his maintainence in jail. Any execution issued up to and including the 30th of April will not be interfered with by the new act, the service of the same being in compliance with the old act, although the debtor is arrested after the 1st of May under such an execution.

Acadia's Graduating Class.

This class, which in June will mount the rostrum to receive the diploma of graduation from this college has, since it entered, been distinguished as being one of the largest classes ever in the college and will be the largest ever graduated in Arts in the Maritime Provinces. It now numbers forty-four. There are in it eighteen ministerial students (six of whom have volunteered for Foreign Mission); also two volunteers for medical missions. Thirty-six of the class are professing christians. Two of this class have been ordained in the ministry, and three of its number have joined the benedicts already. For the other professions, eight will be teachers, three lawyers, twelve doctors, two civil engineers, and one journalist. Of the forty-four, thirty-two are from Nova Scotia, eight from New Brunswick, three from Cape Breton and one from P. E. Island. Twenty-eight of the number came in through Horton Collegiate Academy and the remaining sixteen from other academies or high schools. We will no doubt hear from this class again.—*Acadian.*

—Canada only lacks 138,000 square miles of being as large as the whole continent of Europe. It is nearly thirty times as large as Great Britain and Ireland and is 500,000 square miles larger than the United States.

—Dr. J. Woodbury's Horse Liniment is *infallibly* the remedy for Horse Distempers. Sold by all druggists. tf

Spring Cleaning.

Be particular every spring to clean the house, but never mind cleansing the blood until some troublesome disease takes hold of you. This is poor policy when by using Burdock Blood Bitters the blood will be thoroughly cleansed, the body strengthened, and future suffering prevented.

—La grippe leaves the blood in a bad state, which may end in serious results. There is nothing equal to Dr. Norton's Dock Blood purifier to thoroughly cleanse the system and Purify the blood, and thus save life and health.

—A drunken man arrested at Seattle, Wash., recently, had $14,000 in his coat.

Digby and St. John Route.

Digby folk will welcome the good steamer *Monticello*, our mail boat, on this route again after the usual overhauling for the summer season is completed. She is now being painted inside and out, and her machinery put in thorough order. The *Monticello* is the best boat we have ever had on the bay line. The past season has severely tested her qualities, it being the most boisterous winter we have experienced for the last twenty years; and yet through storm and shine she has missed but two of her regular days during the entire winter season. We might also state that during the summer season, it would be perfectly safe to set your watch at 11.30 a. m., daily, on arrival of the boat at Digby pier—so punctual is she in her time from St. John.

Howard Troop, the popular manager of the line, spares neither pains nor expenses in providing for the comfort and convenience of passengers. The purser, whom we have known for a number of years, is a gentleman in every respect, and never fails to contribute towards making the trip a pleasant one. The steward, who is always ready and willing to consider the most delicate appetites is a very genial person. In conclusion we would state that too much cannot be said in favor of Capt. Fleming, the commander of the good boat. Digby hopes to see Capt. F. in a few days with his good ship in full new attire.—*Digby Courier.*

Provincial Paragraphs.

CENTENARIAN.—Mr. John Fielding, of Alton, Kings Co., N. S. has completed his one hundredth year.

W. R. Campbell, General Manager and Secretary of the W. & A. R. is expected in Kentville shortly.

NEWFOUNDLAND NEWS.—Terrible destitution prevails at Fickle Cove. Several families are said to be in an almost starving state.

The Manitoba Government has agreed to give a bonus of $1,500,000 cash to the Hudson Bay Railway when the road was completed.

The Pulp Mill at Mill Village is now running night and day, giving employment to twenty-five men. Mr. J. Hughes, of Halifax, is manager.

G. G. King & Co., of Calais, Me., have made a contract with the Cumberland Railway and Coal company for 5,000 tons of coal to be shipped from Parrsboro.

Henry M. Robicheau, ex-M. P. P., of Meteghan, has been appointed to the seat in the legislative Council made vacant by the death of the late E. R. Oakes, Esq.

The wife of Mr. Samuel Muir, postmaster of Shelburne, died on Monday, the 13th, after less than four days illness of congestion of the lungs. She was in her 50th year.

Beverley Robinson, clerk with Messrs. W. H. Thorne & Co., had one of his legs broken Friday afternoon by a crate of glass falling on it. Dr. Daniel rendered the necessary surgical aid.

During the first week in April the earnings of the C. P. R. were $391,000. In the corresponding week last year the earnings were $300,000. The New Brunswick Railway is included in each case.

Halifax has recently received its first instalment of Chinamen—three in number—who have opened a laundry in the city, and are regular attendants of Park St. Presbyterian Sunday School.

President Van Horne and party left Montreal last week on their annual trip of inspection over the Canadian Pacific. They expect to arrive in Vancouver to meet the Empress of India from her round the world trip.

There were married by license in Nova Scotia in 1890 1740 bachelors, 297 widowers 1870 spinsters and 167 widows. There were married by banns during the same period 173 bachelors, 189 spinsters 25 widowers and 9 widows.

THE GRIP.—Several mild cases of la grippe are reported in the ladies college, Sackville, N. B. La grippe has invaded the St. Croix cotton mill, and three-fourths of the workmen in the machine shops are laid up with it.

Two Kings Co. centenarians, Hon. Samuel Chipman and Mr. John Fielding, live within a short distance of Kentville. How many other counties in Nova Scotia can claim two men who have seen the changes of a century.

The Post office authorities announce that the contract with the Allan Steamship company for carrying the Canadian mails has expired. Henceforth the Canadian mails will go to New York via. Queenstown, instead of via. Londonderry.

Hector McKay, of DeSable, P. E. I., recently lost four cattle, and Mrs. McKinnon, of the same place, two others. The cause is said to be some disease of the throat not from want of feed. Their throats got in such a state that the animals could not swallow.

Mrs. James Glendenning died some days ago from a stomach derangement which the doctors could not understand. A post-mortem examination was held, and the cause was discovered to be the pit of a plum, which had become embedded in the tissue of the stomach *St. John Globe.*

A revolting story of youthful ferocity comes from Little Narrows, C. B. A number of boys on their way home from school called in at the blacksmith's forge where the Smith's apprentice, whose name is Logan was at work. The boys began playing as boys usually do, but Logan becoming offended drew a red hot and sharp iron out of the fire and taking hold of a boy by the name of Matheson, son of Norman Matheson, drove the iron into his abdomen. The victim who is 12 years of age, is not expected to recover. Logan after committing this fiendish act skipped at once, and is supposed to be hiding in the fastness of Longan's Glen, between Little Narrows and Lake Ainslie.

Telegraph Flashes.

A SUCCESSFUL BURGLARY.

Norwalk, Conn., April 18.—Burglars fired a small barn on the outskirts of this borough last night and while the police and others were watching the blaze they entered Jackson's jewelry store, broke open the safe and made off with $15,000 worth of jewelry and diamonds.

New York, April 17.—The *Herald* this morning says: "Francesco Alta, feather duster manufacturer, Third avenue, has been warned by the Mafia that he must die at their hands. Alta testified in an Italian murder case a year ago, and thus gained the enmity of this murderous organization. He has made a veritable fortress of his little shop and is always armed.

A BATTLE IN CHILI.

Paris, April 15.—Despatches from Chili state that a desperate battle has been fought at Copiapo, the capital of the province of Atacama, resulting in a victory for the insurgents.

The despatches, which are believed to originate from an insurgent source, are that the insurgent army is increasing steadily in strength and intends shortly to advance upon the capital Santiago de Chili and Valparaiso, the principal port of Chili.

FIGHTING THE MIRANZAIS.

Simla, April 19.—The British forces have engaged and defeated a large body of Miranzais. The British troops carried everything before them and completely routed the Miranzais. Several English soldiers and two English officers were severely wounded. A general advance of British troops was made yesterday, the object of this movement being to break the enemy's line and clear the Samana range of hills, which the Miranzais occupy in force. The enemy's loss in the engagement which has just taken place is unknown, but is believed to be heavy.

WHEN HAY WAS SCARCE.—Mr. W. B. Tuplin, of Kensington, writes to the Charlottetown *Guardian* about the scarcity and consequent high price of hay and straw in the year 1847. "Hay," he says, "sold for 10s., or $1.60 per 112 lbs., straw 3s., or 50 cents per 112 lbs., and had to be got at any price. A great many settlers cut down beach and birch trees and drove the cattle one mile to eat the tops to keep them alive. Some people went as far as 20 to 30 miles to get hay and straw. The snow was deep and there was good sleighing on the 8th of April—a cold month and sleighing all through it. There was sleighing up to May 5th with the snow deep on the road. First grain was sown May 8th.

—A Munich despatch says that the latest freak of the insane King Otto, of Bavaria, is that he wants a wife. He insists on making the round of European courts in order to make a selection, and his attendants are at their wits' end what to do. Heretofore all his freaks, even homicidal, have been gratified, at least in appearance, and if Otto has kept count of the number of persons who have pretended to fall at the discharge of his gun he must imagine himself another Tamerlane. But how to deal with his new idea is a puzzle.

Mrs. Million's Ride.

When Mrs. Million goes to ride she travels forth in state,
Her horses, full of fire and pride, go prancing from the gate;
But all the beauties of the day she views with languid eye,
Her flesh in weakness wastes away, her voice is but a sigh.

For Mrs. Million is in an advanced stage of catarrh, and all the luxuries that wealth can buy fail to give her comfort. She envies her rosy waiting-maid, and would give all her riches for that young woman's pure breath and blooming health. Now, if some true and disinterested friends would advise Mrs. Million of the wonderful merits of Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy, she would learn that her case is not past help. $500 reward is offered by the manufacturers for a case of catarrh in the head which they cannot cure.

The publishers of *Our Homes*, a large, elegantly printed 32-page magazine, announce that in order to increase their circulation they are willing to devote their entire first year's profits to this end, and in order to do so, offer competitions in which they give large *cash rewards* to those taking part. One of these competitions is now in progress and closes April 25th. In addition to the large amount given in cash on their general prize list, they offer as an extra inducement the following special cash prizes: During the weeks ending April 11th and 18th they offer daily cash prizes of $10, and a weekly cash prize of $50 for the first named week, and $100 for the latter. For the week ending April 25th they offer daily cash prizes of $25, and a prize of $100 for the week. These exceedingly generous prizes are in addition to the general prize list, and the person who gets one of the special rewards may also get a large prize in the general list. No other magazine publishers have ever made such a liberal offer, and as the competition only remains open three more weeks you should avail yourself of the liberal offer *at once*. Send 10 cents in stamps for a sample copy of *Our Homes* and complete particulars of the competition. Address *Our Homes* Publishing Co., Brockville, Ont. 47 ly

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Sheffield, N. B.

Services for Sunday, April 26th.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH.—Rev. H. D. deHois, pastor. Service at Bridgetown, 11 a.m. Bible class and Sunday school, 3 p.m. Service at Bridgetown, 7 p.m. Service at Belleisle, 3 p.m.

GORDON MEMORIAL CHURCH (PRESBYTERIAN.) Rev. W. M. Fraser, Pastor. Service at 3 p.m. Bible class and Sunday school at 2 p.m.

BAPTIST CHURCH.—Rev. F. M. Young, Ph. B., Pastor. Bridgetown: Bible Class and Sabbath School 10 a.m.; Preaching Service, 11 am.; Young People's Prayer Meeting, 7 p.m. Preaching service at Centreville in the afternoon. Special services at Bridgetown Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings.

PROVIDENCE (METHODIST) CHURCH.—Rev. F. H. Wright, Pastor. Service at Bentville, 10.30 am; Granville, 3 p.m.; Bridgetown, 7 p.m.

LAWRENCETOWN CIRCUIT.

BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. J. T. Eaton, Pastor. Lawrencetown, 11 a.m.; Williamston, 3 p.m.; Lawrencetown social service 7.30 p.m. Prayer meeting Thursday evening. Teachers meeting, Friday evening.

METHODIST CHURCH.—Rev. J. R. Downing, pastor. Lawrencetown, 3 p.m.; Inglisville, 11 a.m.; Mount Hope, 7 p.m. Albany, Saturday evening.

Births.

MILLER.—At Lower Clarence on the 11th inst., the wife of Mr. Harry Miller, of a son.

Marriages.

HARNISH—LITTLEWOOD.—At Lower Granville, on Wednesday, April 15th, by Rev. W. L. Parker, George I. Harnish, of Graywood, to Alice L., daughter of Silas Littlewood, of Lower Granville.

Deaths.

NEILY.—At Middleton, April 15th, 1891, Pearl F. Neily, third daughter of T. A. and Henrietta Neily, aged 7 months.

"Gone to meet the angel faces
Where our lovely treasures are,
Gone awhile from our embraces,
Gone within the gates ajar."
[Digby and Yarmouth papers please copy.]

BAUCKMAN.—Suddenly, at Bridgetown, on the 15th inst., Edward Bauckman, eldest son of Mr. Abner Bauckman, aged 25 years.

"Brother, thou art gone to rest;
Thine is an early tomb;
But Jesus summoned thee away:
Thy Saviour called thee home."

MONAGHAN.—At Greywood, on the 17th inst., James Monaghan, a native and late resident of Annapolis Royal, in the 54th year of his age.

STIRK.—Near Granville Ferry, on the 19th inst., Benjamin Stirk, aged about 92 years. The deceased was a son of one of the Loyalist settlers of 1783.

HOOPER.—At the Methodist Parsonage, Middleton, at 4 a.m., on Monday, 20th inst., Rev. T. C. Hooper, aged 34 years, leaving a sorrowing widow and one son; deeply regretted by the entire community.

A POOR WRITER.—Had better send a stamp for five short lessons in rapid writing by mail. We give lessons in bookkeeping by mail also.

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AUCTION!

—TO BE SOLD AT—

Public Auction

on the premises lately occupied by the late James G. Charlton, near Lawrencetown,

On SATURDAY, April 25th, '91,

at 1 O'CLOCK p.m.,

the following articles of personal property:

1 Horse; 1 Farrow Cow, grade Jersey; 1 two-year-old Heifer; 1 Spring-tooth Harrow, for one horse; 1 Riding-Waggon; 1 Express-Waggon; 1 Truck-Waggon; 1 Sleigh, Robe and Whip; a lot Harness, Shovel, Forks, etc.; lot Grain, consisting of Oats, Buckwheat, Wheat, Rye, Barley, and mixed grain; 3 Grindstones; 1 Stove; quantity of Potatoes; lot of hoops, shaved; with sundry other articles.

TERMS:—All sums under $5.00 cash; over that, six months with approved joint notes with interest.

JOHN H. CHARLTON,
HENRY S. CHARLTON.
Executors.

Lawrencetown, April 14th, 1891. 2 2i

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Misses Mina and Edna Miller have opened rooms at the residence of I. L. Miller, opposite the store of A. D. Cameron, Esq., Granville street, for the purpose of carrying on the Dress-making business in all its branches, and will be pleased to wait on those desiring work in the above line.

April 13th, 1891. 2 2i

THIS IS BUSINESS!

The subscriber offers for sale a variety of

Single & Double-seated Carriages.

Also, the very popular

Unique Road Carts.

Phaeton Carts, for one or two persons.
Second hand Carriages, in good repair.
And two Express Waggons.

All of which will be sold on the most reasonable terms. An inspection invited.

JOHN HALL

Lawrencetown, April 15th, 1891. 2 1f

New Arrivals

INCLUDING:

STEEL NAILS (all sizes) TACKS, CUTLERY READY MIXED PAINTS, WHITE LEAD, PAINT OIL, TURPENTINE, SHEATHING PAPER, ZINC, TINWARE, POKES and SHOVELS, BROOMS and BRUSHES (large stock), ETC., ETC

WALL PAPERS,

(With Borderings to Match.)

The largest and best selected stock I have ever shown. All styles and prices.

DRY GOODS & GROCERIES.

A splendid line of

GINGHAMS

at eight cents per yard.

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350 Pairs of

BOOTS, SHOES, RUBBERS.

Flour, Cornmeal, Feeding Flour, Ground Barley and Wheat, a splendid feed.

☞ All the above, together with my large stock of General Merchandise, to be sold at lowest prices.

T. G. BISHOP.

Williamston, April 6th, 1891. tf

New Goods!

R. Allen Crowe,

will offer a large stock of

TINWARE

CREAMERS, in two sizes, (Wholesale and Retail).

Granite Iron Ware in

Wash Basins, Pudding Pans, Sauce Pans, Pie Plates, Tea Pots, Drinking Cups.

Wooden Butter Bowls,
Wooden Butter Ladles,
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STOVE-PIPE THIMBLES.

PLUMBING!

Houses fitted up with Hot and Cold Water.

☞ All kinds Jobbing a specialty. ☜

Bridgetown, April 1st, 1891. 2 1f

AUCTION!

THE Subscriber will offer at Public Auction on

SATURDAY, April 25th, '91.

at 2 o'clock p.m., the following properties, belonging to the estate of the late WILLIAM FOSTER, deceased:

First—The Homestead Property of said estate, situate one mile west of Bridgetown, containing 10 acres, more or less.

Second—2½ acres of Marsh Land, situate in the Walker Marsh, so-called.

Third—1½ acres of Marsh Land in Lower Belleisle Marsh.

Sale to take place on said homestead property. Terms of sale, 10 per cent. deposit on day of sale, the balance on delivery of Deed.

EDMUND BENT,
Agent of SERETTA S. FOSTER.

Bridgetown, April 11th, 1891. 2 2i

New Advertisements.

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Spring Goods

JUST ARRIVED:

BLACK SILKS,
BLACK SATINS,
Black Silk-Warp Henrietta Cloths,
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In white, black, and black and white.

Tucked and Fancy Muslins.

Printed Cottons, Flannelettes, Mantle Cloths, Lace Curtains, Hats, Bonnets, Feathers, Flowers, Ribbons, Gloves, Hosiery, Corsets, Etc.

—Also an elegant assortment of—

Black Dress Trimmings and Ornaments.

L. C. WHEELOCK.

Lawrencetown, April 6th, 1891.

NOTICE!

THE undersigned are now ready to furnish

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March 18th, 1891. 50 2m

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MERCHANT TAILOR,

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FARM FOR SALE!

Situated at North Williamston, one and one-half miles from Lawrencetown. This farm consists of 130 Acres, suitably divided between tillage, pasture, and wood-lands. The soil is of several varieties, from light to heavy, and the Tillage Land very free from stones. The Hay Land is choice, pasture excellent, and the whole well watered.

A fine Young Orchard, consisting of 150 apple-trees, has been planted. The bearing capacity at present is about 100 Barrels per year.

On the premises is a good Dwelling-house and Out-buildings in fair condition. The farm may be purchased with or without the Stock upon it. Possession given at once.

Reasonable terms may be made to suit the purchaser.

The owner's reason for selling is that he has another farm. For further particulars apply to

ROBERT FITZRANDOLPH.

Lawrencetown, April 3rd, 1891. 4i

FARM FOR SALE!

THE Farm owned and occupied by the subscribers, about 1½ miles west of Granville Ferry, consisting of sixteen acres of ratable Dyke Marsh, 7 acres of Upland Marsh, about 30 acres of Cultivated Upland, including one of the best Nonparell Orchards in the County. It is capable of sustaining 30 head of horned cattle, horses and sheep.

The Buildings, consisting of two Dwelling-Houses, in good condition, one only twelve years built; two Barns, and a Horse Stable, and all other outbuildings necessary for two families. Good Water Privileges.

Pasture and Woodland sufficient for the needs of the rest of the farm.

This is a chance seldom offered to the public, and intending purchasers will do well to call early.

For further particulars apply to either of the subscribers on the premises.

E. H. ARMSTRONG,
C. F. ARMSTRONG.

Granville, March 10th, 1890. 2 3i

Important Notice!

THE Subscribers have purchased the thorough-bred Holstein Bull "Duke of Clifford," and will keep him at their stables during the season for service of a limited number of cows. Terms.—$1.50 for season; 25 cents extra on all sums after Nov. 30, 1891.

OWEN P. BENT.
J. H. RAY.

Granville, April 9, 1891. 2 13i

FOR SALE.

TWENTY bbls. Digby fish fertilizer, to close consignment, belonging to the Estate of the late Hon. E. R. Oakes.

A. VIDITO.

Bridgetown, March 24th, 1891. 51tf

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