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The Monitor wishes its many readers, young and old, a Merry Christmas.

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Local and Special News.

No winter yet, and Christmas is almost here. The partial eclipse of the moon was visible Saturday night.

Yarnmouth men were here last week purchasing poultry for the holiday trade. Bridgetown stores are making an unusual display of wares for the holiday trade.

Will Young, Esq., a wealthy Corn wallian farmer, who lives in Cornwall, is critically ill of appendicitis.

A special service will be held in the M. C. A. next Sunday afternoon at 3:30. Christmas music is being prepared.

Prof. C. G. D. Roberts, the well-known Canadian writer has volunteered his services in South Africa with the Canadian force.

Eggs are selling for 20c per doz. in the local market, this price being considerably in advance of city quotations.

Special Business Locals.

Orange, 25c. per dozen at J. I. Foster's. Fresh Roasted Peanuts at Chesley's.

Read the Bridgetown Boot & Shoe Store's adv. Gen'l heavy kid lined Gloves, 50c to \$2.00 at Lockett's.

Large variety Underwear, Gloves, Handkerchiefs, etc., at Lockett's. Best values in town in Men's and Boys' Overcoats and Ulsters, at Lockett's.

My Sleighs are arriving. Call and inspect. John Hays, Lovewelltown. Every one wants one of my Xmas Stockings already filled. W. W. Chesley.

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New Advertisements.

CAUTION. Any person found trespassing on my mountain property, after this date, will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

Miss Lockett will sell all goods at cost and below from now until April 1st, to make room for large stock coming in for Spring of 1900.

Just Received. Axes and Handles, Rabbit and Fox Wire, Stove, Shoe and Horse Brushes, Mortise Locks and Latches, Mink and Fox Traps, Tubs, Pails and Washboards.

R. SHIPLEY. XMAS GOODS. We are showing this week an elegant line of Fancy Goods, Games and Toys, China & Glassware.

THE FARM CENTRE CLARENCE. Annapolis County. belonging to the estate of the late William R. Dodge will be sold at a bargain to close an estate.

JOSEPH I. FOSTER. BRIDGETOWN. SHARING OUR PROFITS! Each customer purchasing any article of Footwear at the BRIDGETOWN BOOT AND SHOE STORE on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, 21st, 22nd and 23rd inst., will receive a gift of a Box of Confectionery.

STEER LOST!

One Yearling, black horned, spotted with white, white with black. The mark upon a piece of both horns. The steer will be well rewarded for his trouble.

N. E. CRUTE, Licensed Auctioneer. BRIDGETOWN, N. S. NOTICE. All accounts due the estate of H. W. BENSON not paid by January 1st, 1900, will be read for.

CHRISTMAS GIFTS for everyone. A Splendid Line in China, Glass, Leather, Celluloid, Books, Dolls, Games, Toys, etc. B. J. ELDERKIN.

TENDERS. SEALED TENDERS will be received by the undersigned up to Monday, Jan. 1st, 1900, at noon.

JOHN LOCKETT & SON. NOTICE! Our windows are not used for the purpose of advertising cheap sales, but if you want good goods at low prices, this is the place.

WE MANUFACTURE almost everything in the HOUSE FINISHING line, and have facilities for turning out Ordered Work Quickly. We carry a stock of DOORS, SASHES, MOULDINGS, Etc.

WE DON'T DECRY OTHER MERCHANTS We simply Lead the Procession! We are Out-talked Often, We are Never Out-done.

OUR BARGAIN SALE OF Carpets, Curtains, Men & Boys Suits & Overcoats AND Ladies' Jackets

J. W. BECKWITH is now on and will continue until present stock is cleared out. We are paying the highest prices of the day for Eggs, Butter and Dried Apples.

1899 XMAS! 1899. Hundreds of Dollars worth of Cups and Saucers, Mirrors, Fruit Dishes, Glove and Handkerchief Boxes, etc. Given away with all CASH Purchases.

FURS FURS Handkerchiefs. Don't fail to see our stock of Ladies' and Children's Furs, in Ruffs, Collars, Capes and Muffs.

LADIES' WAISTS LADIES' SKIRTS. Ladies' Fancy Waists in Flannel, Mercerised Cotton and Silks. Something new in Ladies' Underskirts; new patterns and made to fit.

SILKS. Something new in Fancy Corded Blouse Silks. No two patterns alike. Also new lot wide China Silks for fancy work in Black, White, Cream, Pink, Light Blue, Cardinal and Yellow.

UNDERWEAR. Large assortment. Men's Union, All Wool, Cotton and Wool-fleeced; all sizes at the best values we have ever shown.

Christmas Goods! NOW ON EXHIBITION. A large and carefully selected stock of Chinaware, Vases, Glassware, Children's Books, Dolls, Toys, &c.

MISS LeCANE will sell the balance of her Millinery at COST. Give us a call and we will give you prices that will astonish you.

T. A. FOSTER. Ready-made Clothing, Overcoats, Hats and Hosiery, Gent's Furnishings of all kinds, Underwear and Top Shirts, Boots, Shoes and Rubbers, Lumbermen's Coats, Horse Rugs, etc.