East Margaretville.

At Evergreen Baptist meeting-house on the evening of Good Friday, a sociable was held for the purpose of paying arrears of the pastor's salary for last quarter. Though the attendance was small, the sum of fourteen dollars was realized for arrears of salary and ten dollars was paid in advance for the present quarter. The church had been tastefully adorned with Easter emblems and mottoes, and after all had done justice to the well supplied tables, an impromptu entertainment, consisting of Easter readings and music was rendered, and seemed to be well appreciated by the audience. A small business, well conducted, was the general comment on the sociable, and it is safe to say that the big round moon lighted home a happy congregation.

At the old Methodist Meeting-house on Thursday evening last, a lodge of I. O. G. T. was organized by Col. Spurr, Prov. Deputy, or rather, the defunct institution known here a few years ago as North Star Lodge I. O. G. T., was resurrected and reorganized with the same name and charter. The night could not be called favorable, as the air was frosty and the road rough. However, all passed smoothly along the initiation journey, and every heart warmed with the glow of interest in the temperance cause, under the genial influence of an earnest speech by that indefatigable temperance work, Brother Jones. Bros. Wm. Kerr and L. Magee, of Melvern, also kindly assisted in the work of re-organization. The new North Star lodge opens with a membership of twenty-two, and the indications are favorable for a speedy increase in numbers. Brother Joseph A. Balcom was elected Chief Templar, and Brother David Bent, Lodge Deputy.

Upper Granville Items.

There is a great deal of sickness in this locality, whole families being confined to the house.

We are glad to state that the Pie Social of the 26th inst. was a decided success, over $25 being realized.

Mr. Alfred Ray still remains a sufferer. His son Fred, of Yarmouth, who has been with him all winter, has now returned.

Greenleaf Division, No. 677, Sons of Temperance, had a fine entertainment on 27th inst., consisting of readings, music, recitations, and a play entitled "Closing of the Eagle."

The logging season is now past, and an observer would be convinced that some of the inhabitants at least have been industrious. Parties have already commenced rafting to Granville Ferry.

Gates Mountain Items.

A large number of friends took their departure for Boston on Wednesday last.

Death has again visited our quiet little community, carrying off for its victims Mrs. Charles Stafford and Mrs. Frederick Rafuse.

We are pleased to mention that Saidie Bent, who has been sick for so long a time, is convalescing, as also are the other sick friends and neighbors.

On Saturday, 21st inst., the dwelling-house and outbuildings of John Barteaux, Esq., was destroyed by fire. Nothing was saved, all his farming utensils, carriages, sleighs, harnesses, furniture, seed grain, potatoes, etc., being burned. Loss estimated at $1,500. No insurance.

[*For the Monitor.*]

Music in Our Public Schools.

A lecture on music and musical notation, especially what is known as the Tonic Sol-Fa system, was delivered by Rev. Jas. Anderson on Wednesday evening, the 25th inst., at the school house in Bridgetown. In view of the very limited notice, it must have been gratifying indeed to the reverend gentleman to have met so large and representative a gathering of our citizens at that time and place, and it certainly savors well for the interest taken by this community in the welfare and progress of education amongst us that so much interest should have been evinced by our people in a hitherto (to most of us at least) unknown system of musical notation. The learned lecturer hails from the land of the "heather," and coming to this province about a decade ago, settled in the neighborhood of Halifax, and as a good thing will always assert itself, it was not long before the best teachers of our public schools in that city learned the advantages of the new system and employed him to instruct them in this particular branch of education. The matter soon came to the notice of the Council of Public Instruction, and under its sanction we now have Mr. Anderson visiting the principal schools in this province, teaching the Tonic Sol-Fa system, and conferring certificates upon our teachers and those pupils who can learn enough of the system during his brief stay to warrant the same.

John Ervin, Esq., was called to the chair, and after the customary remarks, introduced the lecturer.

Mr. Anderson, after stating his experience in teaching the Tonic Sol-Fa system in the old countries and his efforts to introduce it in this province, said that staff notation began about the twelfth century, the syllables Ut, Re, Mi, Fa, Sol, La, having been introduced or invented by an Italian. To Miss Glover, of Norwich, England, belongs the honor of having first taught the system, and from 1838 to 1846 Mr. John Curwen, of Plaistow, made a special study of it, founded on Miss Glover's tetrachordal system, and it was only after laborious study and perseverance that Mr. Curwen (who is stated to have been an unmusical person) had made such progress in the art that he undertook to teach 200 children in connection with Sunday school work. The first gathering of Tonic Sol-Faists took place in 1850, and in 1851 Mr. Curwen began to publish the Tonic Sol Fa Reporter, which has been continued ever since both in England and the United States. In 1858 Miss Glover came to see how Mr. Curwen was succeeding in teaching, on which occasion the children who had been instructed formed around her and sang exquisitely her favorite pieces, to the great delight of all. Now came the significant gathering of 3,000 children instructed in this system at the Crystal Palace in London. This performance was held in the presence of of 20,000 spectators. The result was an immense success, and scored a victory for the Tonic Sol-Faists.

In 1867 at the great Paris exhibition, a contest of choirs from several countries was programmed, and it was decided to send a deputation of Tonic Sol-Faists from England. A choir of 70 competed under the conductorship of Mr. Proudman. Some of the pieces rendered were "Benedict's Hunting Song," the "Domine Salvum" and the "Shepherd Farewell" by Henry Smart, and as a result the French people were compelled to admit that the English could sing, and but for the objection raised by the other choirs to the singing of women in the soprano and alto parts there is no doubt that this choir would have carried off first prize, and as it was, special marks of favor were shown to the Tonic Sol-Faists by the Emperor and Empress of the French and prizes were conferred by the judges.

Like many another good thing this system of notation was at first condemned by such eminent men in the musical world as Geo. A. McFarren and John Hullah, but both of whom afterward endorsed it, the former by composing a special test piece of music, which was rendered to his entire satisfaction at sight, and the latter by granting certificates to the Tonic Sol-Faists.

The children now sang a piece or two from the "Gospel Choir," and the lecturer gave illustrations of the notation on the black-board, explaining two, three and four pulse time and the nature of rests. The Doh of the scale, denoting strength and firmness, was compared to a rock or the trunk of a strong tree; Soh was the bright ringing tone; Me, the calm tone, and compared to a calm and placid lake; Te, the piercing tone leading to Doh; and Lah, the weeping note. The likening of these musical sounds of the scale to objects in nature served to fasten the same on the memory of the young in a peculiar manner. The lecturer claimed for the system that it taught harmony from the first lesson, and of this the writer must acknowledge that he fairly convinced us. One great advantage over the staff notation is the ease with which the singer can pass from one key into another.

A vote of thanks was moved by Rev. J. R. Hart and seconded by Mr. E. Craig. Professor Spinney, of local musical talent, and our school trustees were also heard from, and Mr. A. D. Brown, our popular principal, who has been with us long and many times proved himself to be the right man in the right place.

A Friend to Education.

Provincial Paragraphs.

The Truro felt hat works last week turned out 192 dozen hats, the largest weekly output since they were established.

At the Liberal convention at Windsor, Thursday, Mr. Arthur Drysdale was unanimously chosen candidate for the legislative vacancy in Hants.

Robb's Foundry at Amherst was destroyed by fire for a second time within a year on Friday morning. The loss is estimated at $10,000, insurance $13,000.

The members for Halifax, Hants, Cumberland, Inverness, Queens, Richmond, Digby, Lunenburg, Victoria and Yarmouth were gazetted at Ottawa on Saturday.

Rev. I. E. Bill has resigned the pastorate of the West Yarmouth Baptist church, Chegoggin, and accepted the charge of the Liverpool Baptist Church.

H. A. P. Smith of Digby, in company with Gilbert Ellis shot this winter two moose and nineteen foxes. Of the foxes Mr. Smith shot thirteen, and Mr. Ellis six.

The people of Wolfville have been having a hard time for coal this season. Even since navigation opened there has been a great deal of delay and many persons have been out for days.

How deep some of our mines are becoming may be judged from the fact that the new engine at the Acadia will have to haul coal up a slope 3,600 feet long—over two-thirds of a mile.—*Trades Journal.*

The Dun and Russell mercantile agencies report 28 Canadian failures during the last seven days, against 26 for the corresponding week of last year. Bradstreets reports 41 this week and 29 this week last year.

The balance at credit of depositors in the Dominion Government Savings Bank at Annapolis, on Feb. 28th, 1891, was $266,108.48. The amount deposited during Feb., was $3,000; amount withdrawn $3,412.27.

—The American brigantine *Ernestine*, 400 tons, and *Akbar*, 415 tons, have been chartered by Messrs. Clarke Bros. of Bear River, to load at that port for Cuba with lumber, at $5. The former vessel arrived at Bear River Monday.

The Springhill *News* is to issue an illustrated pamphlet containing a full description of the great coal mining disaster, with a brief historical sketch of Springhill, and the collieries. It is expected to have the book of about 50 pages.

Montreal, March 29.—The Holmes gold medal, the highest honor in McGill medical school, is awarded to W. F. Hamilton of Sackville, N. B. Dr. Hamilton will probably be appointed house surgeon in the Montreal general hospital.

The *Pall Mall Gazette* says: "Unless something is done quickly to bring about a *rapprochement* between the colonies and the Colonial Office, we may find the Newfoundland kettle of fish go the way of the Boston packets of tea.

Ross and MacKay, the two amateur detectives who were used by some of the temperance people in Halifax to procure the conviction of a certain supposed violator of the license law, were tried in the Supreme Court at Halifax on Tuesday, and acquitted.

The *Truro News* says that the provincial government of Nova Scotia have decided to erect an agricultural college at Bible Hill, the coming summer. It will be built to accommodate from 25 to 30 students and will contain a large lecture hall and a chemical laboratory.

While the Dominion of Canada has three great lines of ocean steamships on the Atlantic, and one on the Pacific, the United States, with their vastly larger population and commerce, do not own a single line of steamships on the Atlantic, and can only boast of a partial ownership in one line on the Pacific.

An action was commenced in the supreme court, Halifax, on Monday, by the Rev. Mr. Jordan, colored minister of that city, for $5,000 damages against Mr. Hamilton, proprietor of the Amherst Railway restaurant, who refused to supply a meal for the Rev. gentleman on the ground that he was colored.

A New Use for Sawdust.—A new use for sawdust is now being made in Bridgewater. In the new Music Hall which is now being plastered here the masons are using sawdust to a large extent instead of sand. It is said to be equally as good as sand and the fact that it can be had for the hauling of it is ample proof of its cheapness.—*Bridgewater Enterprise.*

The Baptist and Methodist churches at Berwick are having a series of revival meetings, and in spite of the muddy roads and March winds have an unusually large attendance and quite a number have been converted. The Baptists, under the able influence of Dr. E. M. Saunders, are "plucking brands from the burning" as well as reviving the lukewarm souls.

The smallest man in New Brunswick, is Frank Burpee, Burton, Sunbury Co. He has been a married man for about six years and is now thirty years of age. He weighs about 80 lbs. This winter he hauled 100 cords of green wood with a double team, besides doing other team work; and, for performing farm labor and general chores about the house, he is accounted as good a man as is in Sunbury.

Queerc Prolific in Children.—Julien Herbert, who was named some months ago to distribute the 100 acres of crown land which the government granted to every family possessing 12 or more children, states that up to date no less than 2,000 families have been reported to the department as possessing the required number of boys and girls to entitle them to a slice of the public domain, and that certificates are constantly reaching the office of the commissioner in Quebec.

Sackville Post: The wife of Wm. H. Hicks, of Anderson, Westmorland Co., gave birth on the first of February to a male child which was reported to weigh about twenty pounds. The clothes which had been prepared were not by any means large enough to dress this wonderful child. The father was nearly frantic with joy over the prospect of the help he would have in the lumber woods in a few days, while its grandfather can be heard betting that it will be larger than Goliah in a few months.

A Very Sad Affair.—Captain Freeman Munroe of schooner *John G. Whittier* at Gloucester, reports the loss of a French woman and her daughter March 6th, about six miles up the gulf from Red Island, Newfoundland, under painful circumstances. The daughter was sliding on the ice when it broke away from the shore, and as there was no man at home and there was no house within five or six miles the mother put out in a dory to the rescue. On reaching the cake of ice in some manner the dory went adrift, and mother and daughter drifted away on the ice-cake.

A St. John despatch to the *Hx. Herald* of the 24th states that the fish dealers there are protesting strongly against brush weirs which they affirm are killing off all young herring in the Bay of Fundy; hundreds of these weirs are set along the N. B. coast and coast of Maine with result that herring is getting small every year. This season was a dead failure. The petition will be sent to parliament praying for a law against brush weirs for loss of herring means loss of cod as well, and scarcity of former is now attributed directly to the fact that weirs have killed off millions of young herring during the past few years.

Canada's International Exhibition.—The Exhibition Association of St. John, N. B., have now announced the date for their exhibition for the present year, and are pushing forward the work of organization with a view to excel their success of last year. The exhibition will open on the 23rd September and continue until October 3rd, and the Association already have assurance of exhibits from many of those who took part in the exhibition of '89. A number of new features are to be introduced and the "Special Attractions" will be particularly entertaining. The prize list will cover about the usual lines and amount to about $12,000.

—There are 350 regularly ordained and 370 licensed women preachers in the United States. The secretary of one of the Unitarian associations reports that the churches in that association are asking for women preachers in preference to men.

—The *Lutheran Observer* gives the following summary of Lutherans in the world, viz.: Africa, 42,000; America—North and South, 2,006,590; Asia, 186,000; Australia and Polynesia, 70,000; Europe, 45,133,500. Total, 47,439,000.

Correspondence.

We do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions of our correspondents.

To the Editor of the Monitor:

Dear Sir,—In the report of the water meeting held last week my name appears as a delinquent for non-payment of sewerage, and as I have paid and settled all claims in connection with both water and sewerage I would like to know what right the auditors had in calling me out as a delinquent when one of the auditors at least knew that all indebtness on my part had been settled. The enclosed letter speaks for itself will you kindly publish the same.

Yours, etc. J. N. Rice.

REPLY.

Bridgetown, March 30th, 1891.

Mr. J. N. Rice:

Dear Sir,—We very much regret that the auditors, in their report, have given your name to the public as one indebted to the town. We assure you that it was not our doings that any publication of that kind should appear in the auditor's report, and deprecate very much the spirit which led them to do so; and we consider that a report of that kind would have been highly improper, even if you had been indebted, which was not the case. It was no part of the auditors' duty to publish, in their report, the name of any person indebted to the town. Their duty was simply to report on the correctness or incorrectness of the books and satisfy themselves that vouchers were produced for all expenditures made by the Commissioners during the year since the last report. We regret very much that they have exceeded their duty in this respect, and by so doing caused you the annoyance of which you have so justly complained. Yours truly,

Daniel Palfrey,
John E. Sancton,
John Ervin.

A Murderess Confesses.

On the 17th of December last Arthur Hoyt Day, of this city, was hanged at Welland, Ont., for murdering his wife. Day, who was a commercial traveler, had committed bigamy.

Wife No. 1 made him some trouble, and on the day of the murder she went with Day and his sister, Mrs. Quigley, to Niagara Falls. They visited the Canada side, and later Day and his sister returned to Rochester.

Then Mrs. Day No. 1 was missing, and an investigation resulted in the finding of her body on the rocks of the Canadian side of the river at Niagara Falls.

Day was arrested, tried and hanged. He left a letter for his sister, in which he said: "You know you swore my life away to save your own neck. You ought to be here instead of me."

Mrs. Quigley returned to Rochester, N. Y. She has been sick for some days, and it was evident her end was near.

During the afternoon she told her mother that she had something to tell her. She said she was the one that proposed to put the first wife of Day out of the way—that she did not like her and did like wife No. 2, and wanted her brother to live with the latter.

She said they went to Niagara Falls, as stated at the trial, and took the woman to the brink of the precipice. She herself took hold of the woman and drew her dress over her head and pushed her toward the brink, and with Arthur's help pushed her over.

Mrs. Quigley swore at the trial she had nothing whatever to do with causing the woman's death. She died soon after making the confession.

An Alarming Death Rate.

Pittsburg, Pa., March 26.—There are over 10,000 cases of grip in Pittsburg and Alleghany. In the public schools 25 out of every 100 pupils are on the sick list; also many teachers. In almost every line of business the effects of the epidemic is more or less felt.

Chicago March 26.—Up to 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon 600 deaths for the week as the result of grip, and the total promises to reach 1000 by Saturday night. One peculiar feature of the situation is the fact that scores of physicians are too ill to attend to their duties. All classes are attacked and the death rate among those well fed, well clothed, well cared for in every way is alarming. The undertakers are being rushed and the stock of coffins is being rapidly depleted. The health commissioners say if the people do not take better care of themselves the death rate will continue to increase, the weather at present being a great breeder of pneumonia.

Redskin Soldiers.

The United States government propose to try the experiment of enlisting Indians in the regular army. There is no reason why the experiment should not be successful, and if it should prove so there are many purposes for which a small body of Indian troops, properly officered, might be used. This has always been the policy of the British government, and in all quarters of the globe native troops under British officers have proved their courage and capacity. In India a splendid native force has been organized. In Egypt the native troops, a year or so ago beaten, discouraged and useless, are being rapidly put in good shape by their English officers, and on several occasions lately have shown excellent fighting qualities in their encounters with the rebels. There is no reason to question the courage of the American Indians and, treated in the same way, they would make the solution of the Indian problem an easy matter.—*Ex.*

Newfoundland Sealing Fleet.

The following is the result of the Newfoundland seal fishery up to last Wednesday, as reported by the *S. S. Neptune*, which arrived that day:—

Neptune arrived with		32,000
Terra Nova reported with		33,000
Wolf	" "	25,500
Greenland	" "	25,000
Vanguard	" "	20,000
Hector	" "	25,500
Falcon	" "	15,000
Kite	" "	2,000
Iceland	" "	11,000
Ranger	" "	12,000
Leopard	" "	12,000
Esquimaux	" "	12,000
Walrus	" "	5,000
Eagle	" "	10,000
Aurora	" "	8,000

All the above steamers will likely make a second trip to the ice, and if at all successful in their second trip the catch this year will be one of the best in the history of the fishery.

Book Notices.

A Hidden Foe.—Is a romantic work of fiction, the perusal of which will excite the liviest feelings of curiosity. The opening scenes are in England, the family introduced having strongly marked characteristics. A sudden tragedy causes considerable change in the prospects of certain individuals. Mysterious circumstances are discovered in connection with the family history, and an eager search is instituted to trace these matters to their source. Unknown to each other, several of the characters embark for Australia in the same ship. Perils and adventures abound, the author displaying intimate knowledge of the sea. The vessel founders in the Pacific, a small party of survivors being cast away on a lonely island. Every chapter contains its quota of incident. Throughout the story the element of love and romance receives prominence, and "a happy ending" brings a clever work to a conclusion. Published in Lovell's Canadian Copyright Series of Choice Fiction. John Lovell & Son, Publishers, Montreal.

No woman who has any regard for style can afford to be without that best of all fashion magazines, *The Delineator*. The publication of a Canadian edition from Toronto is a stroke of enterprise that is meeting with favor everywhere, insuring for the April issue the largest edition of any number yet published. It contains over a hundred pages of fashion gossip and illustrations, talks about dress, and practical articles of literary merit. One dollar pays for a year's subscription if sent direct to *The Delineator* Publishing Co., Ltd., Toronto.

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British Lumber Market.

Latest advices from the English lumber centers report trade in a most demoralized condition. Besides the heavy failures reported a few days ago the following additional failures have been reported from London: Evershed & Co., with liabilities of $65,000; E. Collard & Co., $38,000; Lucas & Co., $50,000; Brown and Kruse, $150,000. As a result of the many failures that have taken place of late on the other side, the opinion here is that owing to the continual decline of values, both shippers and receivers must have been pretty well cleaned out of all profits made previously. Holders of deals in this market are not attempting to make sales, for the reason that no one wants to buy. In charters no further business is reported for spring shipment; asking rates being 42s. 6d. Montreal and 40s. Quebec and below.—*Montreal Journal of Commerce.*

—Friends of Italy will hear with delight of the diffusion of the Scriptures in Rome. It is said that during the first six months of 1890, 21,000 copies of the publications of our Bible Society were sold in Rome and its environs. An especially encouraging circumstance is the introduction of the Bible into Italian schools. Schools where other languages are taught, have, it is stated, adopted the New Testament as a reading book.

—During the year 1890, 61,435 persons emigrated from Ireland, a falling off of 9,365 from the average. Of these emigrants 52,685 went to the United States, against an average for the four preceeding years of 61,785.

—The census of the United Kingdom, according to the estimates of the Registrar General, gives a population of 39,000,000.

There's a good deal of guarantee business in the store keeping of to-day. It's too excessive. Or too reluctant. Half the time it means nothing. Words—*only words.*

This offer to refund the money, or to pay a reward, is made under the hope that you won't want your money back, and that you won't claim the reward. Of course.

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Halifax Market Report.

The following quotations are furnished us by Messrs. Mumford Brothers, and Messrs. Watson Eaton & Son, Halifax:—

Butter in tubs, choice dairy, per lb	.16	to 17
Eggs, in bbls. and boxes, per doz	.16	" —
Hams and Bacon, per lb	.10	" 12½
Beef (in quarters) "	.5	" 7
Hogs (dressed) "	.6½	" 7
Mutton (by carcass) "	.6	" 7
Lamb "	.6	" 7
Veal "	.5	" —
Dried Apples per lb	.7	" 8
Fowls and Chickens	.40	" 55
Oats	.55	" 60
Wool Skins, each	.65	" 70
Turkey per lb	.14	" —
Turnips, bbl	—	" 75
Potatoes (bbl.)	.$1.50	
Apples, fair to good	.$1.00	to $2.50
Hay ton	.$11	" 12
Carrots	.$1.25	" —
Parsnips	.$1.40	

Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam.

Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam gives prompt relief in coughs, colds, hoarseness, whooping cough, croup, asthma or bronchitis. It is the most pleasant and perfect throat and lung healer in the world for children or adults. Price 25c.

A Great Spelling Match.—The greatest spelling match on record is that offered by *Our Homes* Publishing Co., in which they will award the following magnificent Cash Prizes:—One prize of $300; one prize of $200; two prizes of $100; four prizes of $50; eight prizes of $25; twenty prizes of $10; forty prizes of $5; one hundred prizes of $2; and two hundred of $1. These prizes will be awarded to the persons sending in the largest number of correctly spelled words found in the advertising pages of the February number of *Our Homes*, in which no letters occur but those found in the sentence: "*Our Homes is Unrivalled as a Home Magazine.*" Special cash prizes will be given away each day and each week during this competition, which closes April 25th, 1891. Send ten cents in stamps or silver, for a sample copy of the February number, with rules and regulations governing the competition. Address, *Our Homes* Pub. Co., Brockville, Ont. 47 1f

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"Last spring I was completely fagged out. My strength left me and I felt sick and miserable all the time, so that I could hardly attend to my business. I took one bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla, and it cured me. There is nothing like it." R. C. Begole, Editor Enterprise, Belleville, Mich.

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"Hood's Sarsaparilla restored me to good health. Indeed, I might say truthfully it saved my life. To one feeling tired and worn out I would earnestly recommend a trial of Hood's Sarsaparilla." Mrs. Phebe Mosher, 90 Brooks Street, East Boston, Mass.

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Services for Sunday, April 5th.

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 Wadeville in the afternoon. Prayer meeting at Bridgetown Friday evening. Conference at Bridgetown on Saturday at 2.30 p.m.

Providence (Methodist) Church.—Rev. F. H. Wright, Pastor. Service at Granville, 10.30 am.; Bentville, 3 p.m.; Bridgetown, 7 p.m.

Gordon Memorial Church (Presbyterian.) Rev. W. M. Fraser, Pastor. Service at 3 p.m. Sermon—In memoriam of late A. F. Troop. Bible class and Sunday school at 2 p.m.

Episcopal Church.—Rev. H. D. deBlois, pastor. Service at Bridgetown 7 p.m.

LAWRENCETOWN CIRCUIT.

Baptist Church—Rev. J. T. Eaton, Pastor. Lawrencetown, 11 a.m.; Inglisville, 3 p.m.; Lawrencetown social service, 7 p.m. Prayer meeting, Thursday evening; Teacher meeting, Friday evening.

Births.

Pickup.—At Granville Ferry, March 26th, to the wife of S. W. W. Pickup, Z.-q., a son.

Marriages.

Chute—Currill.—Near Bridgetown, on the 26th of March, by the Rev. F. H. Wright, at the residence of the bride's father, Mary, oldest daughter of James Currill, to Edward Chute, late of Granville.

Hurley—Clayton.—At the residence of the groom, Upper Granville, March 29th, by F. M. Young, pastor of the Bridgetown Baptist Church, Charles Hubley to Miss Emma Clayton.

Deaths.

Troop.—At Valparaiso, Chili, on the 13th of February, in the 24th year of his age, of confluent small-pox, Archibald Fitzfiandolph Troop, professor of English in the Presbyterian mission school, Santiago, son of the late Hon. Jared C. Troop, speaker of the house of Assembly.

Stirk.—At Port Lorne, March 15th, Mrs. Harriet Stirk, widow, aged 65 years. She was for many years a member of the church and a consistent Christian. Her bereaved family sorrow with the glad expectation of meeting her again.

Phinney.—At West Middleton, on the 22nd inst., Florence, youngest and only daughter of Charles H. and Florence (Chesley) Phinney, aged 6 weeks.

New Advertisements.

NOTICE!

THE undersigned are now ready to furnish

LUMBER,

(Hard and Soft, Rough or Dressed),

SCANTLING,

CYLINDER-SAWED STAVES, HEADINGS, SHINGLES, LATHS, &c.

☞ Parties requiring any of the above will please communicate with

SPINNEY & MACK,
Bridgetown, or Mill, Morse Road.

March 18th, 1891. 50 3m

JUST ARRIVED

AT

W. E. PALFREY'S.

WALL PAPER

(Over 50 different styles.)

BOOTS, SHOES, RUBBERS

(In styles and quality second to none.)

HATS and CAPS

(In Gent's and Boy's very cheap.)

Ready-made Clothing

(Style equal to any Tailor's make in county.)

Cloths for Gents & Boys Suitings

(New and Stylish.)

I have this year made a specialty of the above named Goods, and have bought

A Very Large Stock

in each line, and now feel confident that any one can be suited in style, quality and price.

My Motto Is

"Small Profits, Quick Sales."

A LARGE STOCK OF

BOOTS AND SHOES,

Men's Hand-made Long Boots.

Clothing in great variety.

TWEEDS AND FLANNELS.

—A Fine Line of—

HORSE BLANKETS, SURCINGLES, HALTERS, ROBES, &C.

All of which will be sold way down Low.

B. STARRATT.

Paradise, Oct. 29th, 1890. 30 tf

TO-DAY

I offer the following Fresh Stock:—

2 boxes Luscious Messina Oranges.
1 box Bright Florida Oranges.
1 box Delicious Florida Russetts.
1 box Fine, Sweet Bloods.
1 box Good Sound Lemons.
1 bunch Bananas.

NEXT WEEK

I shall place on the market for the benefit of Orchardists, Morrill's

CELEBRATED TREE INK

AND

"Caterpillar Exterminator,"

in bulk and cans of 5, 10, and 20 lbs. Full descriptive circulars furnished on application.

McCORMICK.

SEASONABLE GOODS

FOR

SPRING TRADE

I have just received and opened for the inspection of the public, very large and complete lines of New Goods in

Ready-made Clothing,

FANCY SHIRTS and UNDERWEAR,

Hats and Caps,

GENTS NECK WEAR, AND OTHER FURNISHINGS.

A LARGE LINE OF

BOOTS, SHOES & SLIPPERS

Excellent Quality. New Patterns.

Flour and Cornmeal,
Choice Groceries, Etc.

Second to none in the County.

☞ All of the above lines are marked down to close figures and well worthy of inspection.

Fresh and Salt Meat always on hand.

Goods delivered free of charge in Town.

T. A. FOSTER.

BRADLEY'S

X. L. Phosphate,

which has steadily held its place at the head of all artificial fertilizers for THIRTY years, will be sold as usual throughout the province. Agents wanted where none are now acting.

BONE!

We have secured a large stock of the best make of **Pure Bone**, perfectly free from moisture, which we offer on favorable terms.

G. C. MILLER,
Managing Agent,
Bradley Fertilizer Co.

Middleton, March 25th, 1891. 51 10i

IT WILL PAY YOU

To drive 25 miles to see the superior stock

—OF—

American Wall Papers

—AT—

J. W. WHITMAN'S.

ELEGANT LINES OF

Dinner and Tea Sets,

VERY LOW.

☞ The biggest line of Goods given away as prizes for Cash Buyers will be on display in a few days. Don't fail to call for a Prize Card.

Fine stock General Goods at Lowest Prices.

J. W. WHITMAN.

Just Opened

In addition to my usual stock:

Plain and Fancy Stationery,

Bibles, School Books, Fancy Goods, Crockeryware, Fresh Groceries and Canned Goods.

A New and well-selected stock of

ROOM PAPER.

50 styles, from 5 cents a roll up.

LADIES, MISSES' and CHILDREN'S

BOOTS, SHOES & SLIPPERS

Best Makes and Lowest Prices.

GREY & WHITE COTTONS

16 yards for $1.00.

—ALSO—

Dress Goods, Velvets, Prints, Hose, Gloves, Corsets, Plaid Shirtings, Hemp Carpet, Ticking, Napkins, Table Linen, Stamped Goods, and other articles usually found in a well-appointed Country Store.

L. C. MARSHALL,

PARADISE CORNER.

March 25th, 1891. 51 3i

New Advertisements.

$1,000.00 GIVEN AWAY

—BY:—

THE WILMOT CORSET CO.,
South Farmington, N. S.

For particulars apply to:

Mrs. H. D. Woodbury, Mrs. L. C. Wheelock,
C. H. Schaffner, R. D. Beals,
S. Harris & Son, Mrs. Ansley,
G. I. Letteney & Bro.

Feb. 11th, 1891. 1y

Farmers, Attention.

NOTICE is hereby given that we have appointed the following agents in Annapolis County for the sale of our

"Eureka"

BRAND of SUPERPHOSPHATE

AND

Ground Bone.

Stock can be obtained from either of these parties on or about April 20th.

PIDGEON & MOSHER,
Windsor, N. S.

AGENTS:
A. T. MORSE, Bridgetown.
JOSEPH LONGLEY, Paradise.
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TRUNKS AND VALISES

—JUST RECIVED AT—

J. W. ROSS'

the largest assortment ever brought into town, which I will sell at

BOTTOM PRICES.

—o—

A Large Assortment of

Light and Heavy Harness,

Prices from $12 to $40.

—ALSO:—

Whips, Lap Robes, Blankets, Horse Boots, Etc., Etc.

J. W. ROSS.

Bridgetown, March 10th, 1891 49 3m

Insects on Trees and Vines Destroyed by using our improved **Syringe Outfits.** One "Perfection" stirs the liquid automatically and sprays **4000 Trees** per hour. Send for circular giving full directions and all varieties of formulas and recipes.

FIELD FOG & MILLER, Managers.

Middleton, N. S., March 4th, 1891. 48 3m

H. FRASER,

HARDWARE & COAL MERCHANT,

Queen Street, Bridgetown,

Has always, and receiving for Spring Requirements,

Light and Heavy Hardware.

Cutlery, Zinc, Steel, Iron, etc.

Cut and Wire Nails and Spikes,

BEST TESTED CHAINS,

Paints, Oils, Varnishes and Brushes.

Cements, Whiting, etc.

Rope Twine for Nets,

Fish Hooks and Lines.

Complete Assortment of AXES.

Various other articles belonging to the trade.

THE BIGGEST CHANCE YET!

20 p. c. Discount

—ON ALL—

WINTER GOODS.

I HAVE

60 Overcoats and Ulsters

left that will pay you to buy one if you have to borrow the money.

Also, a few

GOAT ROBES

in Grey and Black.

A couple of

LADIES' FUR JACKETS,

that will be sacrificed.

REMEMBER

20 per cent Discount at

A. J. MORRISON'S,

MERCHANT TAILOR,

MIDDLETON AND BRIDGETOWN

Boston Marine INSURANCE COMPANY.

Capital Paid in

ONE MILLION DOLLARS.

Surplus as regards Policy Holders,

$2,051,922.86.

Losses Paid since Organization,

$12,645,297.10.

Offices of the Company,

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50 3m

DO YOU

INTEND TO RIDE A BICYCLE

THIS SUMMER?

If so I have been appointed Agent for Annapolis County of the GOULD BICYCLE CO. of Brantford, Ont., and can supply you with new and second-hand Bicycles at moderate prices.

These are considered the Best Wheels on the market to-day. Buy no other.

Write for catalogue and prices to

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Annapolis, N. S.

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1,500 Pounds

BRANDRAM'S

White Lead,

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200 Gallons

OF

Liquid House Paint

Received and for sale at

Figures Guaranteed to be Right

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DYSPEPTICURE
THE SPECIFIC FOR DYSPEPSIA
Dyspepticure aids Digestion.
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The most serious and long-standing cases of Chronic Dyspepsia positively cured by Dyspepticure!
Price per bottle 75cts and 1.00 (large bottles four times size of small.)
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Charles K. Short, St. John, N.B.
SOLD EVERYWHERE.

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No STABLE should be without

Dr. J. WOODBURY'S

HORSE LINIMENT

It is the only **decidedly reliable remedy** for all the affections of the **Horses' Hoof.** It is equally efficacious for the removal of

SPLINTS, CURBS, BOG SPAVINS,

and in all cases of Bruise or Strain of the Joints and Tendons, and Enlargements of any and every description. Given internally, it will promptly relieve and remove any and every character of

COUGH, ENLARGEMENT of the GLANDS, AFFECTIONS of the KIDNEYS, etc.,

and in our prevailing Horse Distemper it is infallibly THE REMEDY.

A Cough which cannot be removed by this Liniment may be considered incurable.

As the proprietor of this Liniment is quite aware of the many worthless nostrums offered to the public at the present time, he would beg to say that all articles manufactured by him are strictly **WARRANTED** to effect that for which they are recommended, when used according to directions.

Use this preparation thoroughly for all and every disease of the horse for which it is recommended. Criticize it closely; carefully watch, mark, and note its effects, and, honestly judging it on its merits, you will be compelled to endorse the sentiment that **NO STABLE SHOULD BE WITHOUT IT.**

Price, 25 cents per bottle. Sold by all druggists.

F. L.