

The Weekly Monitor.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 18th, '89.

Memorials of the Dead.

It has been in our thought for a long time to call the attention of the readers of this paper to a subject in which so very many of them are, or ought to be deeply interested.

More than a century and a quarter ago there arrived in the basin of Annapolis, a considerable number of people who had declared their willingness to accept grants, as tenants in common, of the townships that were created in what was then called the county of Annapolis.

These were, for the most part young men, the sons of farmers and mechanics, born in the old province of the Massachusetts Bay, now the State of Massachusetts.

The conditions contained in these grants, as set forth in certain clauses therein made it obligatory that certain number, say forty, of the families of these grantees should be located here before or before an early date in the year 1700.

For the most part, I think the grantees were men past middle life and possessed of large families, and their object in having their names included in the grants was the settlement of their sons.

An investigation into the facts of the case, which has been made by me, has led me to the conviction that this was the case in a great majority of cases.

It was certainly the case, in the cases of the Bates, the Leakes, the Posters, the Clutes, and many others who could not be named.

In some cases the sons were accompanied by their fathers, who remained only long enough to see their children settled on the lots assigned them, as was the case with the Longleys, the Bents, above named, and some others.

It did not infrequently happen, however, that on coming hither, and finding the agricultural capabilities of the soil so much superior to those in their native colony, the fathers abandoned their old homes, and remained in the valley to create new ones in it for themselves and children, as was done in the case of the Messengers, Youngs, Posters and many others.

But who were these pioneers in the English settlement of our now renowned and beautiful valley? Whence came they, fathers to Americans? Were they men and women worthy of the regard and esteem of their descendants? To these questions we intend in another article to give such replies as shall be in accordance with the facts we have recovered concerning them.

Soon after the time these Anglo-American ancestors of ours came hither, an immigration from the British Islands and continental Europe commenced, which added materially to the number of the early settlers.

These descendants are to be found in our midst, and a like inquiry into the antecedents of these assures us that they are worthy our respect and esteem.

A few years later on (1758) came the loyalist forefathers of a large section of the people of the valley, with a history full of interest and deserving our highest regard.

And now we are met with the fact that the descendants of these, the descendants of all these several classes; it is this, with scarcely an exception not a single monument has been erected to perpetuate their memory, or to mark their graves.

In another article we shall take occasion to suggest a remedy for this sad neglect of those who were, and are, so worthy of our respect and veneration.

Local and Other Matter.

Patatoes are being sold in Cornwells shipment to Boston at 30 cents per bushel.

More than \$10,000 worth of halibut was taken this season by the Cape Sable Island fishers.

Call and see J. W. Bookwith's new stock of Street-Jackets.

Remember the Saturday night trip from St. John to Boston direct, by the steamer State of Maine is discontinued.

The Hon. Samuel Province of E. L. has been appointed to the Senate of Canada.

The returns of revenue and expenditure for the two first months of the Canadian fiscal year show a surplus of two millions of dollars.

Dr. Conlter, the late sitting M. P. for the County of Haldimand, has been unseated for bribery by agents.

A large stock of Dress Melons in all the leading shades from 7 cents per yard at John Lockett's.

The new curb-stones of dressed granite in front of Melville's No. 21, are a great improvement, and points out to the commissioners of our streets what should be done on every street in town.

The Roman Catholic Bazaar, held in Yarmouth last Wednesday, proved to be a success, the proceeds realized having been \$1900 over and above attending expenses.

Opening this week at John Lockett's

cases Canadian & American Boots, Shoes and Rubbers.

The officers of the latifundia in camp at Alderbrook decided to depart from their usual custom, and instead of having a sham fight to entertain their numerous visitors by a number of field sports.

The "Speedy Trials Act" has been brought into operation with much excitement by proclamation, issued in the last Canadian Royal Gazette.

No less than 3700 entries have been made in the Kentville exhibition, which was opened by the Governor-General, Mr. LeLan.

Seale, the winner of the race with O'Connor, the Canadian, for the world's aquatic championship, it is now said in the Boston Herald.

Water V. Higgins, son of professor Higgins, of Acadia College, was ordained with the usual ceremonies at Wolfville, on the 10th inst.

The ladies of St. Mary's Church, Aylesford, are pleased to learn, realized quite a sum by supplying robes on Sham night last.

Our townsmen, John Cox, J. P., last week placed a new drain leading from his building across Street to connect with the main sewer on the west side of the street.

The assessors of the County have received applications to process with their work, which they are to do on the first day of November next.

J. W. Beckwith has now advanced the price to 17 cents per dozen for strictly fresh Eggs. He will not take Eggs that have been laid, at any price.

The Kings County agricultural society is said to be the oldest in America. It will hold its centennial meeting in November next.

Miss Minnie Gibson presented us on Monday last with a garden blue rose in full bloom with an unopened bud attached to the same stalk, which was gathered on that day. This rose bears a full crop of roses in July.

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Two Trips Per Week. 2 INTERNATIONAL S.S. Co. FOR BOSTON, DIRECT, FROM ANNAPOLIS. Fall Arrangement. One Dollar Less than any other route. CPEAP EXCURSION UP TO OCTOBER 1st. ST. JOHN LINE: The Palace Steamer "CUMBERLAND" or "STATE OF MAINE" will leave St. John for Boston via Portland every Monday, Wednesday and Friday mornings at 7-45, Eastern Standard time.

WANTED. First-class Hotel Cook. ONE BARBURNER HALL STOVE; only one year in use. Good as new. Apply to WM H. TROOP. (Granville, August 19th, 1889.)

WANTED. A complete stock of MILLINERY expected daily. L. C. WHELOCK. Lawrenceport, Sept. 10th, '89.

NOTICE. WHEELER's wife, Janet Sims, has left my bed and board, all persons are hereby forbidden to harbor or trust her on my account. WILLIAM SIMS. Hampton, Aug. 21st, 1889.

H. FRASER'S HARDWARE STORE, QUEEN STREET, BRIDGETOWN. At this well-known Establishment are offered for sale IRON and Steel in all the usual forms and sizes, of excellent quality and at lowest cash rates.

MURDOCH & NEILY. BRIDGETOWN GROCERY. I HAVE ON HAND AND CONSTANTLY ARRIVING A CHOICE LINE OF THE FOLLOWING GOODS, VIZ:- FLOUR, BEST QUALITY FLOUR. Corn Meal, Oat Meal, Rolled Oat Meal, Standard Oat Meal.

Free Treatment For 1 Year. For all cases of Rheumatism, Gout, Gravel, Neuralgia, Sciatica, &c. Dr. J. H. H. Bates, of New York, has been visiting at the residence of Mr. J. H. H. Bates, of New York.

SALESMEN. Wanted for our complete list of Nursery Stock. All new, choice and Fast-selling Specimens. I can furnish Propagating Positions to workers. My large experience in the business enables me to offer special inducements to beginners.

Government of Nova Scotia, Veterinary Service. Dr. J. H. H. Bates, of New York, has been visiting at the residence of Mr. J. H. H. Bates, of New York.

Poetry

When Milling Time is Done.
When the mill is done, and the
millstone is laid aside...

Miscellaneous

A Chapter in the Early History of Nova Scotia.
A paper read by Miss Eliza Frame at the
entertainment at St. Michaels...

CELESTIAL COMPANION

ACTS AT THE SAME TIME ON
THE NERVES,
THE BOWELS,
AND THE KIDNEYS.
Why Are We Sick?
Because we allow the nerves to
become weak and irritated...

Windsor & Annapolis Railway Time Table

Table with columns for GOING EAST, GOING WEST, and stations including Annapolis, Round Hill, and Newmarket.



Every Household
Should have Ayer's Cherry Pectoral.
It saves thousands of lives annually,
and is peculiarly efficacious in Croup,
Whooping Cough, and Sore Throat...

For the Ladies

Useful and Ornamental.
A drapery of olive felt or cashmere for
the mantle could be handsomely decorated
with a spray of ivy worked in gold colour...

Joker's Corner

The Real Reason.
No, we didn't exactly quarrel, he said.
But a man can't stand quite everything...

THIS YEAR'S MYRTLE CUT and PLUG SMOKING TOBACCO

See IN BRONZE ON EACH PLUG and PACKAGE
The Dying Pope.
St. Louis, Sept. 15.—The Rev. S. P.
Phelan, editor of the Western Watchman...

Do U. C. this big cut?

Having a large lot of Spectacles on hand we are going to Reduce the Prices AWAY DOWN!

WE WILL SELL
\$2.00 Glasses - For \$1.00
\$1.50 Glasses - For 75 Cents
50 Cent Eye Glasses - For 25 Cents.
Remember, we always mean what we say; Come right along and get filled out.

ALL KINDS! NEAR SIGHT! OLD SIGHT! YOUNG SIGHT!

Now don't complain about your Bad Sight when you have so Good a Sight to Improve Your Sight.
J. E. SANCTON, Post Office Building, Bridgetown, N. S.

THE KEY TO HEALTH.
BUHOOCK BLOOD BITTERS.
COME TO THE BEST STORE IN THE WORLD.
MORE IN CAKE THAN OTHER MAKES.

Executors Notice.
ALL persons having any legal demands
against the estate of Samuel Daniels...

Children's Luncheon.
Many children bring forward with book
and slate, a lunch-basket to be filled,
and to furnish it with healthful and
appetizing food, day by day...

NOT SQUARE.—The Teuton is often
a long time in learning American idioms.
One who had been here for a year or more...

Little Johnnie approached his mother
as she was laying away a pan of fresh-made
doughnuts.—Mother, I say mother...

TO BARBAM HENRI.—Proprietor.—
We must do something to sell these goods.
Clerk.—Yes, they are going slow. What
would you suggest?

—Grace—And yet, dear, how little we
have seen of each other lately, considering
there is only a paddle-wheel steamer...

St. Louis, Sept. 15.—The Rev. S. P.
Phelan, editor of the Western Watchman,
the Catholic paper published in this city...

NEARLY every farmer can raise his
own fruit. Strawberries, raspberries,
currants and gooseberries grow or will
grow everywhere...

THE BACKUS WATER MOTOR
—Is the most—
Economic Power Known
DRIVING LIGHT MACHINERY
It takes but little room.
It never gets out of repair.

Bath Brothers' Livery Stables BRIDGETOWN.
When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

REMINISCENCES

Here the Abbe entertained De Viller and planned the attack on Annapolis which did not succeed.
Here the order to the Acadia French
settlers by the Indians forbidding them from
acting as couriers for the English or assist-

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When the Indians surprised and murdered
the settlers at Dartmouth they brought
their scalps to the Simeoniacs.
He compelled the simple Acadians to
leave their homes and go down to the river
to settle at Port-Beaufort.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.
Why do so many people we see around us
seem to prefer to suffer and be made miser-

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.
The Ladies and Parfumes.—Years ago
it was the proper thing for a girl to rise
her hair handkerchief in the scented bottle...