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ST. JOHN Semi-Weekly Sun CASH IN ADVANCE, 75c. a Year. The Cheapest and Best Newspaper for Old and Young in the Maritime Provinces.

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Weekly Chronicle

SALUS POPULI SUPREMA LEX EST. VOL. 26. BRIDGETOWN, N. S. WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 10, 1898. NO. 21.

CURRY BROS. & BENT, Manufacturers and Builders, BRIDGETOWN, N. S. Evageline Sash, Door & Planing Works.

CORRESPONDENCE SOLICITED. CURRY BROS. & BENT ARE AGENTS FOR "CLEVELAND" and "ALERT" BICYCLES.



See their Wheels before buying your 1898 mount. Grand Spring Opening

GENT'S WEAR! The largest stock in the two Counties, bought for cash from the manufacturers and will be sold at Extremely Low Prices.

An endless variety of Spring Cloths per S.S. "St. John City" from London, which will be made up in our Tailoring Department to your entire satisfaction or no sale.

THE STATER SHOE. No Lottery. There are no "blanks" in "Stater Shoes." Every pair is a prize.

W. A. KINNEY, Sole Local Agent. STOCK OF WALL PAPERS. Central Book Store. Prices Right. Patterns Handsome. Stock well assorted.

B. J. ELDERKIN. SECOND SPRING OPENING! On Friday and Saturday, May 12th and 14th, we shall make a special Display of Millinery Patterns and Novelties.

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Poetry. BRILLIANTS.

Each lawless thought will mar the plan, Each wretched day will waste the man. Wouldst thou be glad? Let purpose run A thread of gold from sun to sun.

What will it matter, in a little while, We meet and give a word, a touch, a smile, Upon the next, the sympathy I crave, As I gave you?

Select Literature. DEEP AS FIRST LOVE. BY MARY TAPPAN WEBSTER.

It was an old road, long fallen into disrepair, winding up and down along the edge of a wild moorland that spread to the right over miles of moor, lowland stream hills.

She was looking back over the road she had come. The green lines of grass, following the curve of the stone walls on either side, wound through a meadow below and reached the foot of an opposite hill.

"I've said queer how we've made," she went on. "I wouldn't 'a' married him for no money; not for pence of gold, counted out in the street."

"Now what shall I do?" she asked. "I don't know what to do. I'm all right as long as I'm with you, but I don't know what to do when you're not there."

"I'll go home," she said. "I'll go home and I'll be there when you come back. I'll be there when you come back. I'll be there when you come back."

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Jas. J. Ritchie, O.C., BARRISTER AND SOLICITOR. MONEY TO LOAN ON REAL ESTATE SECURITY. Fire Insurance in Reliable Companies.

NEWS OF THE WORLD. The Canadian militia establishment has shown the total strength of the permanent force as 805; active militia, 20,400; total, 21,205.

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TERMS: \$1.00 per annum in advance. WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 10th, 1898.

There are many plain talkers in the British Cabinet of today and their utterances on great international questions have stirred up considerable excitement throughout the empire and also in the governments of Russia, France and Germany.

Local and Special News.

Two full moons this month. Ladies' fine Button Boots \$1.10 per pair at J. E. Burns. A large party of 120 to go on the picnic at Port Lorne last Wednesday.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Mr. F. O. Warner wheeled to Berwick and back on Sunday. Dr. and Mrs. G. D. Whit, of Wolfville, spent Sunday in the city.

Obituary.

The death of Mr. Chas. Hicks, which occurred on July 29th, at Westport, was very sudden and unexpected to his family.

New Advertisements.

A TEA-MEETING at PORT LORNE, TUESDAY, August 23rd, in aid of the new parsonage.

TENDERS.

Tenders will be received by the undersigned until FIFTEEN AUGUST 10th, at noon, for the construction of a...

INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY.

To Builders of Grain Elevators.

SEALED TENDERS to be made and marked on the outside "Tenders for Elevators for the Intercolonial Railway..."

New Advertisements.

TEA Meeting!

The ladies of the DALHOUSIE BAPTIST CHURCH will hold a Tea-Meeting at the Hill on the grounds near...

Thursday, Aug. 25th

The public are cordially invited to attend.

Meals served from 1 o'clock to 5 o'clock.

Tea-Meeting!

The ladies of the New Albany Baptist Church purpose (N.Y.) holding a Tea-Meeting at or near the Church on...

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 24th.

Proceeds go in payment of debt on the church.

New Albany, Aug. 10, 1898.

JAPANESE PAPER NAPKINS!

Just the thing for Picnics

Central Book Store, B. J. ELDERKIN, BRIDGETOWN

MARBLE WORKS

The above works, for many years conducted by the late THOS. DEANNESS, will be carried on under the management of MR. JOHN DEANNESS, who will continue the manufacture of...

Monuments, Tablets, Headstones, &c.

All orders promptly attended to.

Granville St., Bridgetown, N. S.

PRESERVE NOW

Self-Sealing JARS!

Pints, Quarts and Two Quarts.

Also Porcelain-Lined Kettles now selling at fine prices on record.

R. SHIPLEY.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC!

Grand Clearance Sale!

We will sell GOODS FOR COST for the next 30 days so as to make room for Fall stock.

Call and be convinced that you can save money by having your clothes made by the

BRIDGETOWN CUSTOM CLOTHING CO.

Satisfaction Guaranteed

TEA! TEA! AND CANNED GOODS!

All kinds of TEAS at our store and all good. We have Tully's, Salada, Monsoon, Red Rose, Universal and Shaw's Blend, Saryans and Oolongs at all prices from 25c per lb. up to 60c. We claim we have an extra good value in SHAW'S BLEND at 35c. Try it.

In Canned Goods we show the largest stock in town. We have Canned Corn, Peas, String Beans, Tomatoes, Pumpkin, Strawberries, Apples, Crab Apples, Peas, Peaches, Pine Apples, Blueberries, etc. We have Canned Sardines, Kipper Herring, Kippers, Finnan Haddie, Salmon, Lobster, Clams, Scallops, Oysters, Corn Beef, Stewed Bacon, Chicken, Deviled Ham, Potted Ham, Van Tongue, Lunch Tongue, Van Camp's Tomatoes, Soup, Park and Camps, Macaroni and Cheese, etc.

We keep everything usually found in a First-Class Grocery.

SHAW & LLOYD.

BRIDGETOWN IMPORTING HOUSE 1898

Table with columns for years 1898, 1897, 1896, 1895, 1894, 1893, 1892, 1891, 1890, 1889, 1888, 1887, 1886, 1885, 1884, 1883, 1882, 1881, 1880, 1879, 1878.

1878—Two bunches of Matches for a cent—87

This represents the growth of a business built upon solid principles.

We have strived to please, the public have done the rest.

J. W. BECKWITH.

STRONG & WHITMAN'S Annual Mid-Summer CLEARANCE SALE

is now in full swing, and we are offering the following lots at the ridiculous low prices marked below, as we are bound to clear these lines.

Lot 1. SHIRT WAISTS! Lot 1.

These are all this season's goods, and are made up of the finest materials.

60c Waist, Reduced to only 39c each

90c, 95c and 98c Waist, " " 59c "

\$1.10 and \$1.20 Waist, " " 79c "

\$1.25, \$1.50 and \$1.55 Waist, " " 89c "

\$1.39, \$1.45, \$1.60 and \$1.85, " " 99c "

First choice always the best, and these goods are bound to go at these prices.

Lot 2. WRAPPERS! Lot 2.

These are all the latest styles and are made up of Medium and Dark Print Cottons; the fits are perfect, and the sewing the best, in fact we can guarantee them in every way.

Our 85c Wrappers, Reduced to only 59c each

Our 98c and 1.15 Wrappers, " " 79c "

Our 1.40 and 1.46 Wrappers, " " \$1.10 "

Our 1.63 and 1.70 Wrappers, " " \$1.19 "

Our 2.15 and 2.35 Wrappers, " " \$1.69 "

These are GREAT BARGAINS and will be snapped up at once. Sizes from 32 to 46.

Lot 3. CAPES! CAPES! Lot 3.

These are all tailor-made, and the styles are perfect. Only a few left, and they are bound to sell at this cut rate of prices.

Our 95c Cape, Reduced to only 59c each

Our 1.25 and 1.30 Cape, " " 89c "

Our 1.50 and 1.80 Cape, " " 99c "

Our 2.25 Cape—one only, " " \$1.59 "

Our 4.99 Cape—one only, " " \$3.59 "

We have also a nice line of the following, viz: Ladies' Straw Sailor Hats, Plain and Fancy Muslins, Plain and Fancy Silk Sunshades, Print Cottons, &c, all of which are reduced in proportion.

STRONG & WHITMAN.

SPRING LAMB, BRIDGETOWN

MUTTON, SALMON, SHAD, DRY and PICKLED FISH, BEEF, HAM and BACON, VEGETABLES of all kinds.

B. M. WILLIAMS' FARM FOR SALE!

The subscriber offers for sale his valuable farm situated 25 miles from Bridgetown. This is an A1 bay farm, two large orchards, one small plain orchard, good pasture and wood land. Homes and outbuildings in good order. About two-thirds purchase money can remain on mortgage. Apply to

W. M. SCOTT, Bridgetown, May 2nd, 1898.

BRIDGETOWN Boot & Shoe Store

Just received: A Full Line of Bicycle Leggings. Button and Lace fronts. PRICE, 85c.

DRESSING DEPARTMENT COMPLETE!

"A. D. C. Tan Combination,"

"A. D. C. Ox Blood Combination,"

"A. D. C. Chocolate Combination,"

Box Calf Dressing, Gilt Edge Dressing,

Congo Waterproof Dressing, Boulevard 10c Dressing,

Diamond Finish in large and small bottles,

Day & Martin's Paste Blacking in large boxes.

DON'T FORGET THE PLACE.

MURDOCH'S BLOCK, GRANVILLE STREET, H. A. COCHRAN.

#7 Fresh Butter and Eggs taken in exchange.

One of the most colossal frauds that has been perpetrated upon a shrewd money investing-public for a long time was that in connection with the great works at Lubec, Me., for the extraction of gold from sea-water. Gold mines have often been sold and sold to unwary mortals, but this scheme had been systematically worked for months, and thousands of dollars spent in the careful establishment. Not one man, but whoever would, was invited to witness its working and buy stock in the concern, which was capitalized at several millions dollars and was a regular chartered company formed for the purpose of what everyone supposed was a legitimate business. The scheme was advertised freely by the news papers and magazines, and it was generally thought that through the process described the company could hardly fail to make money rapidly, since the supply of gold producing water was unlimited. It was, however, but a remarkably short time that the Rev. P. F. Jennings figured prominently. Nearly a million dollars worth of stock was sold, and when Jennings descended he carried a large portion of the proceeds of these sales with him. The bubble has burst and the stockholders will, besides losing their investment, be called upon to liquidate many large bills connected with the floating of the scheme.

The gross debt of Canada on June 30, 1897, was \$320,053,717, and on June 30, 1898, it was \$396,731,047. There is to be subtracted from this certain amount of the books of the Finance department for up to \$79,117,140. But this is a large sum on the real value of these assets. Taking these figures as they stand, the total debt is \$227,613,907. On 29th June, 1897, the total debt was \$224,081,229—so that there is an increase of a little over three millions in the year. The expenditure on capital account is responsible for this large increase. For example, \$3,175,070 were expended on railways and canals, \$10,612 on Dominion lands; \$1,283,666 were paid out in railway subsidies and \$130,157 for certain things of a permanent kind in connection with the militia, in all about \$4,600,000 were expended in capital. The liabilities of Canada payable in England are \$227,659,836, and this means that we have to pay the interest that runs out of the country and out of the earnings of the country.

Canada has never been burdened with a heavy expense for the maintenance of a large standing army or a navy for coast defence, and probably, so long as she remains a British colony, the cost will not arise for the institution of extensive and costly protective measures. Nevertheless, the question of her defence is being actively discussed just now by a committee of naval and military experts assembled at Ottawa. The committee are studying conditions under which the Dominion cost can be developed as a part of the great plan for the defence of the empire. No doubt arrangements will be made to improve the training and equipment of the colonial troops and fix the cost of that pleasant summer resort will be considerably enhanced by its opening.

The returns for the examination for B. C. candidates at this station have been received. There were seventeen applicants from the county, and of these six were successful in securing their certificates. There were three applicants from Prince George's class in the Bridgetown school and they were all successful.

The masses have given the Ruggles block one coat of plaster and the carpenters are busily engaged on the inside. The lower flat of the building will contain the Bank of Nova Scotia, the offices of the law firm of T. D. Rogers & Sons and a large store. The upper flat will contain a large Town Hall, Town Clerk's office and several other commodious offices.

The President, W. C. Silver, and Secretary, W. S. Sanders of the Provincial, and H. Eaton, President of the Halifax County Philanthropic Alliance, are visiting in the province to a Provincial Convention to open in Halifax, Tuesday, August 23rd, at 10 a. m. All Church, Temperance, Young People's Societies, and County Philanthropic organizations favorable to temperance are requested to send delegates.

The race meeting to take place on the Driving Park here on September 1st comprises a popular class, the 23rd and 24th, and something unusual in the two mile race. No doubt the races will fill and having been made with the management of the season will be pulled off. The fixtures of the Driving Park company are in a healthy state as they are nursing a net profit of considerably over \$500 from the season's work thus far.

Messrs. Calder and Harlow have returned from their trip to Labrador, which has extended over several weeks. Calder visited the same ground last summer, before the application was made for timber limits, and this second trip was merely to survey the land and get a definite idea of the quantity of timber thereon. Mr. Calder has left in the statement in the Halifax Herald that the country is devoid of timber. There is an unlimited supply of excellent pulpwood to be had, and the heavier growth, while perhaps not up to expectations, is sufficient to assure the masses that they have acquired valuable concessions.

The annual camp meeting at Berwick opened on Friday, August 7th, as a good speaker, making good points. The attendance is about as usual, the ground has not so many outside boarders. The local interest in the goods. On Sunday, just as several services were being held, the cry of fire caused a hasty retreat from the camp ground and thence to the Central Hotel, where the only hotel of the town, on fire. As the origin was in the attic or the roof, there was time to remove most of the contents. The high wind made it necessary to work hard to save adjoining buildings, which was done. The loss is heavy, only about half covered with insurance.

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The public schools of the town will not open a week after the expiration of holidays on account of the extra week allowed some of the teachers for attendance at the Association recently held at Halifax.

Rev. F. P. Groutier leaves to-day for Lunenburg, via Halifax, on a six weeks' vacation. On his return he will be accompanied by Mrs. Groutier and daughter, who have been in England for the past two months.

As will be seen by the advertisement, the Baptist friends of Bridgetown are to hold a meeting at the Hill on the 25th. If the public reports as it should, the small debt remaining on their church building will be paid, and it will then be free of debt.

Copper has been discovered on the farm of N. Dunbar at Greenville, and an expert from Toronto, Mr. Gregory, has been repeatedly in the vicinity. It is said that indications of the presence of this mineral can be seen for miles around.

Rev. Dr. Goodspeed of Toronto delivered a thoughtful and instructive address in the Y. M. C. A. hall Sunday afternoon, on "Manhood." A vocal solo by Mr. W. H. Bannister of Halifax was exceedingly well rendered and was a pleasant feature of the meeting.

The old Chesley mountain road that has been closed for years is to be opened up and made ready for travel this fall. The road affords a short cut to Port Lorne for people living in the western part of the county, and that pleasant summer resort will be considerably enhanced by its opening.

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The Independent Order of Foresters of this town have about completed the arrangements for a Mammoth excursion to Kingsport, on Thursday, 13th inst. A special train will leave this station at 5 o'clock, local time, stopping only at Paradise, Lunenburg, and Middleton, reaching Kingsport about 10.30. It is anticipated that a large number of the members of the order will be present, and the excursion will be a most enjoyable one.

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Parade.

Showers have renewed vegetation. Mr. Robt. Starnes is returning to business in Boston on Saturday, after a few days' visit with his father, Mr. W. E. Starnes.

PROVINCIAL PARAGRAPHS.

David Bent, of Aylesford, was killed in a runaway on Friday last. The Halifax yacht Dionne, won two of the three races at Shelburne regatta last week.

Complications ahead.

London, August 2.—A despatch to the Times from Cairo, dated Tuesday, says: "It is becoming more apparent daily that there are serious complications ahead."

NEWS OF THE WORLD.

Hay is selling in some parts of Ontario as low as \$2.25 per ton. The United States war tax returns for July exceeded \$12,000,000.

New Advertisements.

Perfectly Cured Weak and Low Spirited - Nervous Prostration - Appetite Poor and Could Not Rest.

New Advertisements.

GRAND SLAUGHTER SALE OF Summer Goods.. FOR CASH ONLY.

New Advertisements.

RANDOLPH'S A LARGE STOCK OF Women's Hygeian Undervests.

Centerville. Mrs. Emma Crosby and son, Master Story, of Boston, Mass., are visiting at "The Elms."

Port Lorne. Miss Edith Brooks, who is visiting her relatives in Bear River, has returned to her home at "Pleasant View."

Prohibition Plebiscite. It has already been announced that Thursday, the 29th of September, is the date fixed by the government for the election on the subject of prohibition.

Sancton & Hicks, Painters & Decorators. Gilding, Polychroming, Coloring, and Free Painting a specialty.

FARM FOR SALE. Formerly occupied by F. A. Hudson, at Hampton.

NOTICE! All parties having legal demands against the estate of Annamaria, farmer, deceased, are requested to present them to the undersigned within six months from date hereof.

Summer Corsets. "Ventilator," "May," "B. P.," "Queen," "Reliable," "Valley," etc.

Round Hill. Miss Maud Miller, of Glenora, spent Sunday the guest of Mr. E. Roney at "The Elms."

Notes from Pleasant Valley. It has been some time since we sent any notes to your valuable paper. When last we wrote we were living in Ontario, where we had been for nearly four and a half years.

Canadian Banks and War Tax. New York, August 4.—Considerable interest is being manifested in the proposed change banking circles in the sale of Canadian London sterling certificates.

Quebec Fire Assurance Co. Losses Paid, over \$4,000,000. F. L. MILNER, BRIDGE TOWN.

WANTED. A quantity of good clean Washed Wool at 25c per lb. in exchange for Cloth or Dry Goods of any kind.

SHIRT WAISTS. Ladies' Summer Gloves. Ladies' Fast-Black Cotton Hose.

Lace Curtains, Carriage Wraps. Men's Underclothing, Men's Top Shirts, Collars, Ties & Braces.

Upper Clarence. Miss Minnie Moore, of Brooklyn, has been visiting friends in this place during the past week.

Ontario Letter. Port Burwell, Ont. Aug. 4th, 1898. There has been a very severe drought for the last few months, but on Aug. 1st there was a heavy rain which everybody gladdened to see.

Ontario Legislature. Toronto, Aug. 5.—The attorney-general has outlined his intended bill regarding the right of constables and others to vote.

VALUABLE PROPERTY FOR SALE! We now offer for sale that valuable property situated in Bridge Town as follows: This is a most desirable property, containing about two acres and with a number of buildings.

THE PEOPLE'S BOOT & SHOE STORE. Complete stock of BOOTS & SHOES. DONGOLA SHOES.

W. E. PALFREY'S. Lace Curtains, Print Cotton, 40-inch Grey Cotton, Table Linen, Ladies' Hosiery, Wall Paper, Tweeds, suitable for Boy's Wear.

W. M. FORSYTH. Sugar-cured Ham and Bacon, DRY AND PICKLED BISH, Inspection solicited and satisfaction guaranteed.

Michigan Letter. NORTH BEACH, Mich., July 30th 1898. MR. EDITOR—Presuming that my letters are agreeable to your readers, I write again.

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Ontario Legislature. Toronto, Aug. 5.—The attorney-general has outlined his intended bill regarding the right of constables and others to vote.

VALUABLE PROPERTY FOR SALE! We now offer for sale that valuable property situated in Bridge Town as follows: This is a most desirable property, containing about two acres and with a number of buildings.

W. A. KINNEY. IN THE SUPREME COURT, BETWEEN THE COMMERCIAL BANK OF WINDSOR, Plaintiff, and STEWART K. MARSHALL and N. P. MARSHALL, Defendants.

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Miscellaneous.

Building a Good Road. The California Good Roads League has sent out the following article on the above subject, written by A. Palmer Stanton...

Agricultural.

Expansion of Solids by Heat. The expansion of solids by heat is exemplified in the following cases: A glass stopper sticking fast in the neck of a bottle often may be released by surrounding the neck with a cloth soaked with warm water...

NOVA SCOTIA'S GRAND PROVINCIAL EXHIBITION AND INDUSTRIAL FAIR AT HALIFAX, N. S., Sept. 22nd to Sept. 29th, 1898.

DOMINION ATLANTIC RAILWAY "Land of Evangeline" Route. On and after MONDAY, AUG. 16th, 1898, the Steamship and Train Service of this Railway will be as follows (Sunday excepted)...

After coughs and colds the germs of consumption often gain a foothold. Scott's Emulsion of Cod-liver Oil with Hypophosphites will not cure every case; but, if taken in time, it will cure many.

The Household. In Preserving Fruit, Remember That The richest and most delicate flavors cannot be produced with inferior fruit or sugar...

Boyer's Corner. Her Superiority. "Why let that woman's ways lay so much more stress than men do upon the value of a pedigree?"

The entire twenty feet in breadth was covered with corn stalks laid crosswise on the road eight inches thick; then a covering of straw four deep. To keep the road open to travel, it was necessary to have an extra man and four horses with which to hitch to pull passing vehicles over the work...

The latest improvement in optical instruments is a gauge, attached to a dial-gauge and a prismatic lens in one of the barrels to determine the distance of an object. This is accomplished by producing two images of the object seen, one superimposed upon the other...

The relief of Lucknow. Magnificently mounted with beautiful costumes, employing a full battalion of Troops and Bands, produced under the management of Hand & Co. of Hamilton, Ont., with display of fireworks surpassing anything ever seen in this city...

UNION BANK OF HALIFAX, Incorporated 1856, Head Office, Halifax, N. S. CAPITAL \$500,000 REST \$225,000

S. S. "Prince Edward," BOSTON SERVICE. By far the finest and fastest steamer plying out of Boston, leaves WEDNESDAY, WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY, immediately on arrival of the Express, arriving Boston at 8:55 p.m. Returning, leaves Annapolis on Saturdays and Mondays at 3:00 a.m.

Furniture! Furniture! GRAND Mark Down Sale! BARGAINS! BARGAINS!

H. S. REED. N. B.—Have one Sewing Machine in stock which will be sold at a bargain.

Plumbing... R. ALLEN CROWE is prepared to do all kinds of Plumbing in the best systems of sanitation with the latest fixtures at Bottom Prices.

One of the chief beauties of Canada as an agricultural country is that its climate and conditions of soil admit of a diversified system of farming being carried on. Too many Canadian farmers do not fully appreciate the immense advantage this gives them over the farmer in a country where conditions will only admit of one or two lines of farming being carried on.

Puttner's Emulsion. Nothing is so good for THIN, WEAK, PALE PEOPLE—It gives them FLESH, Strength and BLOOM.

Bank of Nova Scotia. Capital, \$1,500,000.00 Reserve Fund, \$1,000,000.00

BRIDGETOWN. MARBLE WORKS. THOMAS DEARNESS, Importer of Marble and manufacturer of Monuments, Tablets, Headstones, &c.

WANTED! Men to sell the old, established Founhill Nursery's largest in the Dominion; over 700 acres of choice stock, all guaranteed strictly first class and true to name.

Parlor, Dining Room, Hall, Bedroom and Kitchen Furniture in great variety. It will pay you to see this stock. We will not be undersold. "No trouble to show goods."

Job Work strictly attended to. R. ALLEN CROWE, Telephone 21, BRIDGETOWN.

How to Keep a Meal Hot. When it is necessary to keep a meal hot for a brief period, do not set the plate holding the food in a hot oven, thus discoloring the china as well as drying the food.

Just Received. SCREEN DOORS, WINDOW SCREENS, POULTRY NETTING, ICE CREAM FREEZERS, CROQUET SETS, GARDEN TROWELS, HAMMOCKS, BICYCLE SUNDRIES, TERRA COTTA PIPE, PORTLAND CEMENT, CALCIUM PLASTER.

HAYING TOOLS! Fine India Steel and Green Ribbed Clipper Scythes. Every Scythe warranted.

H. W. BENSON. Wonderful Cure RHEUMATISM! Our well known fellow-citizen, Joseph E. Hamilton, for many years comely and traveler for the Robert Taylor Boot and Shoe Company, writes as follows:—

Direct Evidence. In favor of the BANK OF NOVA SCOTIA, which is practically a bank in our pockets, and which has made a new man of me within the last two years.

ONE CASE WHIPS (All Styles and Prices.) Direct from the Manufacturer.

EXECUTORS NOTICE. All persons having any legal demands against the estate of TIMOTHY H. RUGGLES, late of Bridgetown, in the County of Annapolis, deceased, are requested to render the same, duly attested, within twelve months from the date hereof...

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THE STATE OF LIFE. It is one of the misfortunes of our age that we have so little leisure. The haste of life brings many disadvantages; it hides thoroughness of work, it destroys largely our revenues for life, since we hardly cherish much respect for that we do hurriedly.

THE Worrying Habit. A prime necessity of our permanent freedom from worrying is the possession of the personal quality commonly known as "stiffness."

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