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MONEY TO LOAN ON REAL ESTATE SECURITY.

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NEWS OF THE WORLD.

There were 121 cases of typhoid in the United States last year.

The net debt of the Dominion at the close of the last fiscal year was \$255,955,398.

The British Columbia Legislature opened on the 16th inst., when the Senate ministry met the House for the first time.

It is reported that a treaty of alliance has been signed between Russia and Afghanistan.

The Russian budget for 1899, is remarkable for the enormous expenditures on railways.

The new last mail train from New York to Portland, Ore., makes the trip in four days.

A British protectorate has been proclaimed over the Sudan, and Lord Kitchener of Khartoum is the sole representative of the joint government.

The British diplomatic agent in Egypt, Viscount Cromer, held the foundation stone at Khartoum last Wednesday of the Gordon Memorial college.

France is still willing to give a subsidy of 400,000 francs for a direct line of steamers between Canada and France.

The Dominion immigration agent at Bantock, Bantock, informs the department that he will take up a train load of settlers to Manitoba early in March.

The Dominion customs revenue for the first six months of the current fiscal year was \$12,559,829, an increase of \$2,374,146 over the same period of 1898.

Alderman Payment, by a solid Catholic vote, was elected Mayor of Toronto, on Jan. 2nd.

A plebiscite in favor of Sunday streets was carried, 4685 to 2019.

British shipbuilding closed the year with about two million tons of work on hand, which is nearly four times the total tonnage built in all foreign countries in 1897.

A bill has been introduced in the United States Senate to provide electric cable between the United States and Hawaii, Japan, China, the Philippines, and Australia.

The new fast mail train between New York and San Francisco on Monday made the run from Erie to Cleveland a distance of 95 miles, in 104 minutes, including stops.

In accordance with a new year contract President Faure, of France, has ordered pardons or reduced sentences of six hundred forty-seven persons tried by military courts.

An American syndicate has obtained the right to build a railroad in Ecuador, connecting the sea coast belt with the rich interior territories almost cut off from the outside world.

General Maximo Gomez has addressed a proclamation to the Cuban army advising against disobeying until the proceedings at Washington regarding the pay of the insurgent troops have been completed.

The Rev. Dr. Carmichael, general superintendent of the Methodist Church, announces that he considers the prospects for the raising of the twentieth century million dollar thanksgiving fund excellent.

Dr. Marchand, the celebrated French physician, has at last opened his magnificent equipped laboratory at Windsor, Ont.

There is a large staff of chemists and physicians at his command, and the men and women of Canada may procure the advice of this famous specialist free of charge.

Dr. Marchand has a world wide reputation for successfully treating all nervous diseases of men and women.

It is a remarkable fact that persons employed in match factories are prone to grip and other epidemic diseases.

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WEEKLY MONITOR.

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Provincial legislature is summoned to meet on February 2nd, and while it is announced in a considerable portion of the provincial press that the session is likely to be "short and unproductive" we hope the records will show the futility of the whole prophesy. There is no reason why the session should be unimportant. Our legislators will fall in their duty if they neglect to make the most of a legislative opportunity for promoting the great interests of the province. The people of Nova Scotia are asking for an improved road system, and the urgency of the need cannot fairly be denied. It seems to us that this is the most important question of the day in our province, and it is incumbent upon the legislature to completely revise the present system of road making, and to better and more lasting results may be obtained. Here is the opportunity for our government to do something important. Road reform transcends in importance the development of our agriculture, lumbering, fishing or manufacturing industries, though all in turn would be surprisingly developed by the better and more practical attention on road building. This question must be faced sooner or later and the longer the delay the heavier will be the expense of improvement. Ontario, Quebec and New Brunswick legislatures are interesting themselves in the matter and our own government should not let the approaching session slip away without registering its determination to provide for better roads throughout the length and breadth of the province.

Our commissioners at Washington are making slow progress and the commercial treaty that was to have been prepared by the end of the year is not yet in a very advanced stage. The task is a difficult one, and both the Canadian and the American commissioners are being hindered by the resistance of various industries whose interests do not lie in the same direction. The hope that a reciprocity treaty, drawn along lines calculated to encourage a freer interchange of natural products and manufactures, would result from the present conference is fast disappearing, as the cries for protection from protected United States industries draw the free trade arguments of the few who recognize the necessities of the present situation and are willing to encourage a bit of competition for the sake of obtaining a broader field for their own business. The Canadian commissioners will not be to blame for any failure to obtain such a treaty as Canada desires; the time is apparently not ripe for the satisfactory promotion of trade and freer reciprocal relations.

We regret to learn that a hitch has occurred in the shoe factory project through the citizens generally manifested a lively interest in the projected enterprise and readily subscribed sufficient capital for its establishment. Now that the unexpected has happened, and our shoe factory hopes have been dashed, we should suggest that it would be a good idea for those who agreed to take stock to transfer their subscriptions to the stock lists of the Curry Bros. & Best Company. In promoting this corporation a splendid opportunity exists for a display of practical public spirit, and the records of the present establishment practically guarantee a fair dividend on the capital invested. The industry in its present condition is of little value to the town, and we stand to reap increased benefits from its expansion. We ought to make the best of the situation and cheerfully furnish the increase of capital necessary for the conduct of a larger business.

The money market is influenced in a responsible manner by the great success, and the extent of her loans is reported in the Financial Times, which states that the people of the United Kingdom have \$9,700,000,000 invested in foreign securities as against an annual interest income of \$388,000,000 is received. No other nation on the face of the globe can point to such a commendable investment of capital. The same journal gives other figures which explain why, in spite of occasional adverse trade balances, the Canadian industry continues to prosper. \$457,000,000,000 are paid annually by foreigners to Britain for transporting the goods and merchandise on the seas, and the British shippers sell an average of \$24,000,000 worth of ships to foreigners. The scarcity of these figures of income completely explains the reason why the general reports of import and export trade.

The exasperating territorial disputes between France and Great Britain are likely to be settled by a treaty which is now being negotiated. Finding herself completely overcome, France has been obliged to give up her claims to the island of Madagascar, and it is to be expected that she will give up other claims in the future. The board decided to have the burying of the hatchets that a few weeks ago were being whetted for a settlement in which the acts of war would predominate and the principle of "might is right" govern the final decision.

Board of Trade Meeting. The annual meeting of the Bridgetown board of trade, was held last Wednesday evening, President Mark Curry in the chair. The interest of the members in taking the organization was manifested by the goodly number in attendance. A council was appointed to confer with the management of the Canadian railway and to the stopping of their last train, called the "Business," at this station during the coming summer, also to request increased accommodation for passengers and freight, it being considered that the present facilities are insufficient at the present time. A resolution was passed favoring the building of the Victoria Hotel, and authorizing the council to assist the promoters of said road in securing the subsidies; also to render them every other assistance within the power of the board. The board decided to have delegates to the next meeting of the Maritime board of trade. The election of the officers for the year resulted as follows: President—Mark Curry. Vice President—O. T. Daniels. Secretary—Fred E. Rowe. Council—N. H. Brown, John Reid, Hugh Calder, Harry J. Crowe, J. W. Brock, W. L. D. Smead, W. A. Craig and A. S. Curry.

Captain Millard Murray passed peacefully to his rest last Friday morning, after an illness extending over several months. Captain Murray spent the earlier portion of his life on the sea, and for years sailed as commander of some of the best ships in the world, leaving an enviable record for careful seamanship and successful voyages; no accident of importance ever happened to him in six years ago, on account of falling ill, he resigned command of the ship King George, and returned to a landman's life on his own little farm in Bridgetown. His hearty good humor and sunny temper made him many friends who will deeply regret his demise. Captain Murray was 60 years of age, and was survived and was three children to mourn their loss. The funeral took place Sunday afternoon and was largely attended. Rev. F. M. Young presiding the funeral service.

Local and Special News.

The shipyard presents a busy scene nowadays. The Bridgetown Board of Trade has over 70 members. Ice has broken up in the river at Paradise. Freshets are very high. Windsor's assessment for 1899 is \$1,537,924; last year it was \$1,217,470. Mr. Hugh Fowler purchased a nice bay horse, by Melbourne King, in Pictou county last week. Mrs. W. A. Fowler has moved into the Knight house, near the railway, which she purchased some time ago. H. R. Gillis, Esq., Mayor of Annapolis, has decided to leave permanently in Halifax for the practice of law. Colby, Whitman & Co., of Annapolis, shipped several carloads of dried fish to Boston, via Yarmouth, last week. Mr. D. R. Cummings, formerly Chief of Police in Annapolis, has rented rooms in the Spinnery house on Water street. The annual "Missionary" collection in the Protestant Methodist church Sunday evening, amounted to about \$100. Mr. Hume, from P. K. Island, has rented the Payson house on Grandville street. He is employed in the shipyard. Mr. J. R. DeWitt shot a very large wild cat last week, while looking for foxes on the peninsula, that better and more lasting results may be obtained. Here is the opportunity for our government to do something important. Road reform transcends in importance the development of our agriculture, lumbering, fishing or manufacturing industries, though all in turn would be surprisingly developed by the better and more practical attention on road building. This question must be faced sooner or later and the longer the delay the heavier will be the expense of improvement. Ontario, Quebec and New Brunswick legislatures are interesting themselves in the matter and our own government should not let the approaching session slip away without registering its determination to provide for better roads throughout the length and breadth of the province.

Apple shipments from Canada and the United States to London this year aggregate over 150,000 barrels more than for the corresponding period last year. Guy Amund, a son of Mr. E. D. Amund, Union Bank agent at Annapolis, has been appointed to a position in the Bank of Montreal and agency at Amherst. The first quarterly session of the Grand Division of Nova Scotia will be held at Round Hill on Tuesday, January 31st. A large delegation is expected. The regular meeting of the Rotary Lodge A. F. & A. M. will be held at Masonic Hall on Monday evening (Thursday) 7.30. The brethren are respectfully requested to attend. Several sleighing parties enjoyed Saturday's sunning and good roads. The employees of the Larrigan factory, numbering about 30, were out in Gibbons' four horse sleighs. J. U. Logie, Optician, will be at Mr. J. E. Smead's store on the afternoon of the 26th inst., and will remain in town until the 28th inst. Don't neglect to come and see him. Seven carloads of apples were shipped from this station yesterday and this morning for London via Halifax. A special apple train was out yesterday, and another this morning. About thirty Bridgetown ladies and ladies attended the Methodist picnic social. They report a delightful time. The picnic netted about \$100 for the relief of the poor.

Kenilworth hotel men have closed their doors to the public on account of a vigorous prosecution, conducted by the temperance people, for the violation of the Canada Temperance Act. It is stated that Messrs. Northard & Lewis of London, who are largely interested in the apple business in the Valley, intend erecting storehouses for fruit at different points along the coast. At the close of the service in the Y. M. C. A. next Sunday afternoon, Rev. Mr. Daniels will take up the Bible study for men and boys only. Subject "Life of Paul." The meeting will close at 8.40 sharp. Messrs. H. & B. Goldsmith are sawing lumber with their portable mill at Thorpe's Cove for Mr. H. J. Crowe of Bridgetown. Mr. Crowe expects to have over a million feet cut at that point during the winter. Mr. Bradford the popular headmaster of St. Andrew's school, Annapolis, has issued a pamphlet, containing views of school building, exterior and interior, and of attractive spots in and around Annapolis Royal.

The Post Office Department has arranged for the exchange of three-cent stamps where parties have no further use for that denomination. Other stamps will be given in exchange at the face value of the stamps presented. Mr. John McCormick's house on South street, caught fire yesterday afternoon and was discovered before the blaze had made much headway. A bucket brigade speedily subdued the fire. Quite a hole was burned in the roof. Daniel Owen, the venerable Lansberg barister, died last Sunday afternoon at the advanced age of 92 years. He was the oldest barister in the province. Judge Owen, of the Annapolis Probate Court, is a son of the deceased gentleman. Rev. J. T. Eaton, of Clementson, is to deliver the first of the series of lectures in connection with the B. Y. P. U. work in the hall at the Baptist Church, this evening. Subject "Martin Luther; Faith in Church." Begin at 7.30. All welcome.

The song and praise service postponed last Sunday from 7.30 to 8.30, on account of the illness of the organist. There are no other cases in the family and it is hoped that the prompt removal to prevent the spread of the disease have been effective. On Friday evening the members of the Providence Methodist congregation enjoyed a great treat in listening to an instructive and eloquent lecture by Rev. G. J. Bond on "Never say die." Mr. Bond gave much sound advice on singleness and directness of aim, self-denial and perseverance, in an entertaining and striking way. Wade & Paton, of Bridgetown, will apply to the legislature for joint stock incorporation for electric lighting, etc., through Halifax, Annapolis, Kings and Hants counties, water power to be used. It is also the intention of the company to build an electric tram from Halifax to Mahone Bay, for which the property required is already bonded.

Mr. H. C. Barnaby, a brother of Dr. G. E. Barnaby, of Bridgetown, died at Bridgewater last Monday from injuries received by being run over by a team on the morning of last Sunday. The deceased was 59 years of age and had an enviable record as a straight-forward, open-handed business man. He leaves a widow and two sons. Dr. Barnaby, who returned from his brother's bedside last Friday, is highly satisfied with the treatment administered by Dr. Barnaby. On Sunday the anniversary sermon in behalf of the Missionary Society was preached in all the Methodist churches on the Bridgetown circuit. The preacher for the occasion was Rev. G. J. Bond, B. A., editor of the Monitor, whose sermon, the present address was greatly enjoyed by large and delighted congregations. The financial returns were highly satisfactory. There is a prospect of a healthy increase in the total income over last year.

Mr. George C. Ritchie, formerly of Annapolis, a brother of J. J. Ritchie, Q. C., of that town, and W. B. A. Ritchie, barister of Halifax, was drowned at Belleville, Ont., last Wednesday. He was skating with a young boy on the bay of Ontario, when they broke through the ice. Mr. Ritchie lost his life in endeavoring to keep his companion afloat. Her jacket sleeves from the ice and she was rescued. Mr. Ritchie was about 19 years of age, and was corresponding clerk in the Bank of Montreal agency at Belleville. The Ontario legislature has been called to meet on Wednesday, February 1st, for the dispatch of business.

Curry Bros. & Best Co. A meeting of the shareholders of the Curry Bros. & Best Co. was held in the office of G. T. Daniels, Esq., last Monday evening, for the purpose of appointing provisional directors and transacting other business necessary to the incorporation of a joint stock company. Mr. E. R. Ray was appointed chairman of the meeting and Mr. H. J. Crowe secretary. Mr. Mark Curry briefly stated the reasons why his firm was seeking incorporation. An increased capital was necessary to the incorporation of a joint stock company. Shareholders or others interested were invited to examine the firm's books to satisfy themselves of the stability and volume of the business. The outlook for further growth is better than ever before. Half of the required capital has already been subscribed, and a committee was appointed to solicit further subscriptions. Messrs. O. T. Daniels, Mark Curry, H. J. Crowe, A. S. Curry and E. Allen Crowe were appointed provisional directors, and were authorized to draft a bill giving the company power to do business anywhere in the Dominion, and to apply to the legislature for incorporation.

JOHN LOCKETT & SON'S Grand Cash Clearance Sale WINTER GOODS

As we have to vacate our store for a few weeks to make alterations in same, and our stock being too large for our temporary quarters, we herewith offer to the public of Annapolis Co. great bargains in Winter Goods.

SALE BEGINS THURSDAY, JAN 25th, and CONTINUES FOR 30 DAYS ONLY.

DRESS GOODS. Regular Price Sale Price. Heavy Plain Double-Width Goods (all shades) 18c 14c. Mixed " " (about effects) 22c 18c. Fancy " " (Silk Mix) 32c 28c. Fancy " " (Silk Effects) 50c 36c. TOWELLING. Regular price, 7c. 8c. 9c. 10c. 12c. Sale price, 6c. 7c. 8c. 9c. 10c. Heavy Flannelette Skirting. Regular price 15c. Sale price 12c. Ladies' Fleece Lined Gloves. Regular price, 18c 20c 25c 30c 35c 40c. Sale price, 14c 16c 18c 22c 27c 30c 35c. Ladies' Lined Kid Mitts and Gloves. Regular price, 75c. 81c 25. Sale price, 60c. 1 10. BLUE AND GREY FLANNELS. Regular price, 12c. 15c. 22c. 24c. 32c. Sale price, 10c. 12c. 17c. 18c. 25c. TWEEDS. TWEEDS. Regular price, 30c 35c 38c 40c 45c 50c 60c 80c. Sale price, 25c 30c 35c 38c 40c 45c 55c 65c. CLOTHING. Men's Heavy Dark Brown Fleece Ulsters \$5.00 \$4.00. Men's Heavy Grey and Brown Fleece Ulsters 6.75 4.75. Boys' and Youth's Fawn Fleece Ulsters 4.75 3.25. Men's Heavy Nap Reelers, Storm Collars, 4.00 3.00. Boys' Nap Reelers, 3.00 2.00. For Also a few cases Men's Overcoats on which no reasonable offer will be refused.

MEN'S PANTS. Regular price, \$1.25 \$1.50 \$1.75 \$2.00 \$3.00. Sale price, 85c 90c 1 10 1 20 2 00. MEN'S SUITS. Regular price, \$5.50 \$7.00 \$8.00 \$8.75. Sale price, 4.75 5.50 6.00 6.75. ENGLISH WRAPPERETTES. Regular price, 10c 12c 15c 18c. Sale price, 8c 10c 12c 13c 16c. FLANNELETTE WRAPPERS. Regular price, \$1.25 \$1.40 \$1.50. Sale price, 95c 1 10 1 15. Sheetsing & Pillow Cottons. These goods were imported for the sale and will be sold at the following low prices: Plain Grey Sheetting, 2 yds. wide, 11c 12c. Plain White Sheetting, 2 yds. wide, 10c 11c. Twilled White Sheetting, 2 yds. wide, 12c 13c. White Circular Pillow Cottons, 42 in. wide, 16c 18c. Dog Ears, 42 in. wide, 16c 18c. TABLE LINENS. Regular price, 30c 35c 40c 45c 50c 55c. Sale price, 25c 30c 35c 40c 45c 50c. NAPKINS. Regular price \$1.10 \$1.25 \$1.45 \$1.65 \$1.75 \$2.00. Sale price, 85c 1 00 1 15 1 30 1 45 2 00. APRON LINEN. Regular price 25c 30c. Sale price 20c 25c. CHILDREN'S SUITS. Regular price \$1.75 \$2.75 \$3.00 \$4.25. Sale price 1 25 1 95 2 25 3 25. YOUTHS' SUITS. Regular price \$3.00 \$4.00 \$4.75 \$5.00 \$6.00. Sale price 2 25 3 25 3 50 4 00 4 50. GENTS' FURNISHINGS. Undershirts and Drawers. Regular price... 45c 60c 75c 90c 95c \$1.25. Sale price... 35c 45c 65c 80c 85c 1 00. TOP SHIRTS. Regular price... 45c 60c 75c 95c \$1.00. Sale price... 35c 45c 65c 85c 90c. Gents' Lined Kid Gloves and Mitts. Regular price 50c 65c 75c 85c \$1.00 \$1.25 \$1.75 \$2.00. Sale price... 40c 50c 60c 70c 80c 90c 1 10 1 30 1 50. MEN'S HEAVY CAPS. Regular price... 45c 50c 75c. Sale price... 35c 40c 49c.

Light, Plain and Plaid Cloakings. Regular price, 80c. 90c. \$1.35. Sale price, 60c. 70c. 1 00. Ladies' Winter Jackets. Regular price, \$2.75 \$3.25 \$4.00 \$5.25 \$6.75. Sale price, 2 50 2 75 3 00 3 75 3 90. Regular price, \$6.25 \$8.00 \$8.75 \$9.25 \$9.75. Sale price, 4 50 5 00 5 25 5 50 5 90. LADIES' WINTER CAPES. Regular price, \$4.50. Sale price, 3 00. Colors Black and Green.

LADIES' FURS. 5 only, Conny Ruffs, \$1.25 8 75. 1 Grey Lamb Ruff, 4 00 4 00. 1 Large Storm Cape, 2 00 1 80. Greenland Seal Collar, 3 00 3 00. 1 French Cashmere, 1 00 6 50. 1 Dog Ears, 2 00 2 00. 1 Greenland Seal, 20 00 15 00. 1 Sable Cap, 130 in. sweep, 27 50 20 00. FUR ROBES. We have only a few Robes left and will give close prices to clear.

LADIES' WINTER VESTS. Regular price, 40c 50c 75c 90c \$1.05. Sale price, 30c 40c 60c 75c 90c. BOYS' WOOL HOSE. Regular price, 25c 25c. Sale price, 18c 20c. Misses' Cashmere Rib Hose. Regular price, 20c 22c 25c 30c 38c 40c. Sale price, 15c 18c 20c 24c 30c 30c. Ladies' Plain and Ribbed Cashmere Hose. Regular price, 25c 30c 35c 40c. Sale price, 20c 23c 30c 35c. CORSETS! CORSETS! We have about 35 pairs of Corsets of different makes which we will clear out at a sacrifice. PRINTS! PRINTS! We have about 50 pieces of Light and Dark Prints, price ranging from 7c to 10c. All to go at this sale at 5c. FLANNELETTES. Regular price, 25c 30c 40c 10c 13c. Sale price, 15c 20c 25c 7c 11c. 1 case Cheek Flannelette, worth 70c per yd. Sale price 40c. 1 case Cream & White Shaker Flannel, 10c. Sale price 6c.

N. B.—Many lines not mentioned will be sold at similar discounts.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS. Rev. J. H. Stronach went to Halifax yesterday. Mr. Frank Fowler and bride arrived home on Monday. Mr. M. D. Messenger left for Brooklyn, N. Y., last Friday. Mr. Jas. R. Curran returned last week from a visit to his son in Reading, Mass. Miss Midge Ross is spending a week at the home of J. Leavitt, Esq., Annapolis. Mr. J. W. Lockwith has been undergoing a severe attack of the grippe and is still confined to his home. Mrs. Phalen, of the Revere House, is seriously ill from the grippe. Mrs. Russell, her mother, is just convalescing from a severe illness. Miss Elderkin, of the Central Book Store, is suffering from an attack of the grippe. Miss Mary Fisher is in charge of the store during the proprietor's enforced absence. Donation. As intimated in our last issue, and as announced by Mr. E. R. Ray, at the service last Sunday, it is the intention of the friends of Pastor Young to take possession of the parsonage tomorrow, (Thursday) evening, for the purpose of making him his annual donation. This gathering has to be one which the members of the Baptist church and congregation look forward to with a great deal of pleasure as it gives them an opportunity of meeting one another in a social way, and so receive good as they seek to make others happy. We have no doubt but that the parsonage has always been visited by large gatherings on similar occasions in the past, will have its capacity fully tested, and the past year has been one of exceptional growth in the church and the people will not be slow to recognize the wisdom and wisdom that special preparations are being made for the evening's entertainment. All, we are sure, will be welcome.

WANTED. To rent a Farm, with the privilege of buying, for active full particulars. E. ROOME, Annapolis, N. S. FOR SALE IN HAMPTON A Cow, new milch the 2nd of February. Inquire at the County Assizes from 45 21. A. N. TOLAN.

Our River of Bargains flows Steadily On

Challenge Sale of Ladies' Whitewear for FRIDAY the 27th inst.

Table with columns: White Skirts, Night Dresses, Ladies' Drawers. Lists items and prices with 'Reduced to' values.

Table with columns: Corset Covers, Ladies' Chemise, Children's Aprons. Lists items and prices with 'Reduced to' values.

Infants' Dresses. 3 INFANTS' DRESSES, 90c. Reduced to 50c. 1 " " " \$1.00. Reduced to 60c.

In addition to above sale we will add 20 pairs of Women's Black Kid Gloves, sizes, 6 and 6 1/2, at 5c. per pair.

J. W. BECKWITH. 1899! SHAW & LLOYD'S BARGAIN SALE!

As bargains are now in order we offer our stock of Fancy China and Glassware at a discount of 10 per cent for cash for the next 30 days. We also offer at the same time 4 Dinner Sets, 6 Tea Sets, 1 Banquet Lamp, 5 Parlor Lamps, 1 Hall Lamp, 2 Hanging Lamps, and 4 Toilet Sets at a Discount of 10 per cent for cash.

The above offer holds good only for the next 30 days. Bridgetown, Jan. 11th, 1899. SHAW & LLOYD. N. B.—Staple Groceries and Provisions at Bottom Prices.

CUSTOM CLOTHING READY-MADE PRICES!

Give us your order for a Fall Suit or Overcoat. We guarantee entire satisfaction. Our prices range from \$12.00 up. New, Stylish Cloths. Trousers for \$3.00 and up. Most stylish cut. Thoroughly made. Fit guaranteed. Get our prices and see our stock.

BRIDGETOWN CUSTOM CLOTHING CO. C. McLELLAN, Manager.

A few of the things You can buy for 25c.

SHAFNER & PIGGOTT'S

10 lbs. Onions, 10 lbs. Buckwheat Flour, 3 lbs. Raisins, 3 lbs. Currants, 3 lbs. Pulverized Sugar, 3 lbs. best Soda Biscuits, 1 lb. good Tea, and other goods in proportion.

War Declared JUST ARRIVED Masonic Store BRIDGETOWN.

On high prices of Men's Clothing and Furnishings, Mailer, the original price man, has split prices in two. Competition will be like a voice in the wilderness while this grand removal sale is going on. Remember this is no ordinary sale where only a few articles are marked down to tempt and deceive the public, but a general all round slaughter of every article in my store. I am determined to lead; let others follow who can. Call and I will convince you by SOLE FACTS that I am still leading in my line of business. Here is where you find the purchasing power of a DOLLAR. MAILER. W. M. FORSYTH. November 29th, 1898.

BARGAINS!

We have a small lot of Fancy goods left over from the holiday trade that we will close out below cost. 1 Photo Album, price 80c. Reduced to 35c. 4 Photo Albums, price 50c. Reduced to 35c. 1 Toy Lamp, price 90c. Reduced to 45c. 1 Porcelain Set, price 65c. Reduced to 45c. 2 Shaving Sets, \$1.00. Reduced to 1.00. 1 Norkie Box, price 75c. Reduced to 45c. 1 Fan Man Target, 45c. Reduced to 25c. 2 Flying Birds, price 25c. Reduced to 18c. 1 Baggage Trunk, 40c. Reduced to 25c. 3 Children's Sets, Knife, Fork and Spoon, price 20c, 35c. Reduced to 20c. and other goods at same rate.

BOOTS

16 pairs Ladies' Kid Boots, price \$1.45. Reduced to \$1.00. 21 pairs Men's Long Boots, price \$2.00. Reduced to \$2.00.

CLOTHING

3 Men's Reefers, price \$5.00. Reduced to \$4.85. 5 Men's Reefers, price \$4.00. Reduced to \$3.25. 1 Man's Ulster, price \$10.00. Reduced to \$6.50. 1 Man's Ulster, price \$6.00. Reduced to \$4.50. 4 Youth's Ulsters, (age 7 to 10) price \$4.00. Reduced to \$3.25. 2 Boys' Ulsters, (size 29 and 30) price \$1.85. Reduced to \$1.25. 4 Young Men's Ulsters, price \$9.00. Reduced to \$4.25. Also Men's Winter Suits at Cost.

J. I. FOSTER. Arriving this week

E & E SCHAFFNER'S CROCKERY,

Dinner, Tea and Toilet Sets. Fresh Groceries arriving all the time. Also one car FLOUR & FEED, comprising "Harvest," "Splendid," "Valley" & "Cromwell" Middling, Feed Flour, etc., which will be sold right for cash.

Oyster Parlor and Restaurant

(One door east of Post Office, Grandville Street.) Oysters Raw, 10c to 20c. Oyster Stew, 10c to 25c. Luncheon (Hot or Cold), 10c. Baked Beans, Brown Bread and Tea, Coffee Saturdays, 10c. Hot Meals (Saturdays), 15c. Full selection of Fruit and Confectionery. E. A. DODGE. Bridgetown, Dec. 13th, 1898.—3m

FOR SALE OR TO LET.

The subscriber offers for sale or to let, by Property situated within five minutes walk of the business part of the town, thirteen acres of land, with young orchard. MISS ANNIE SANCTON. Bridgetown.

NOTICE!

All notes and accounts due the subscriber must be paid before the first of February next. B. STARRATT. Paradise, Dec. 27th, 1898.

Jan'y 4th, '99 GRAND CLOSING-OUT SALE

STRONG & WELTMAN

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On this date we commenced one of the LARGEST CLEARANCE SALES ON RECORD. As before stated we are positively closing out our business in our present stand and are preparing to meet all our old customers (as well as a numerous host of new ones) with a new, fresh stock for the coming Spring trade in our new and commodious shop in the Ruggles Block. Don't forget the place—the new RUGGLES BLOCK. In order to do this we are selling our present stock at Slaughter Prices. You can't afford to miss the BARGAINS offered.

DRESS GOODS Heavy double-width, plain and fancy mixed, all shades and black, regular prices 35c to 50c, per yd. 15c

FANCY SUITINGS Former prices, 45c per yd. Slaughter price, 35c

BLACK ALPACAS. PLAIN AND BROCADED. Former prices, 24c per yd. Slaughter price, 17c

TOWELS - TOWELS Our 11c Grey Wool Flannels, Reduced to 8c

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YOUTH'S REEFERS. Our prices, \$3.25 Reduced to \$2.25

Shirts! Shirts! Men's Heavy Tops. Our prices, 60c 35c \$1.00 \$1.05

FURS FURS (1 only) Fur-lined Cape, black Thibet Trimming, dark grey cloth covering (very stylish), former price \$18.00.

CLOTH SUITINGS Shades: Fawn, Taboo, Myrtle, New Blue, Light Green, etc. Regular price 45c per yd. Reduced during this sale only to 30c

FANCY MIXED GOODS. Colors: Rust, Fawn and Green. Former price, 35c per yd. Slaughter price, 15c

Black Goods! Black Goods! Former price, 60c per yd. Black Cashmere. Sale price, 45c

WHITE SHEETINGS. Our prices, per yard, 22c 25c 35c 38c. Sale prices, 15c 18c 25c 28c

WIDE APRON GINGHAMS. Fancy Borders. Dark Colors. Our 11c Apron Gingham, Reduced to 8c

Men's Suits. Our prices, \$3.00 \$3.75 \$6.50. Sale prices, \$2.00 \$2.50 \$4.50

White Laundered Shirts. Our prices, 35c. Reduced to 25c

Ladies' Wool Underverts. Our prices, each 60c 75c 85c. Sale prices, each 45c 55c 65c

DOUBLE-WIDTH PLAIDS. FOR FANCY WAISTS. Regular price, 15c per yd. Reduced during this sale only to 7c

Fancy Silk and Wool Effects. Former price, 55c and 60c per yd. Slaughter price, 30c

Factory Cottons. Our prices, per yd, 5c 6c 6 1/2 7c 10c. Sale prices, 3c 4c 4 1/2 5c

FACTORY COTTONS. Our prices, per yd, 5c 6c 6 1/2 7c 10c. Sale prices, 3c 4c 4 1/2 5c

HEAVY TWILL TWEEDS. Our prices, per yd, 40c 50c 60c 70c. Sale prices, 30c 40c 50c 60c

YOUTH'S LONG PAINT. Our prices, \$3.75 \$5.00 \$5.25. Sale prices, \$2.75 \$3.50 \$3.75

Ladies' Cashmere Hose. Our prices, per pair, 25c 35c 30c. Sale prices, per pair, 17c 19c 22c

FUR COLLAR. Thibet, Imitation Bear and Cooney. Former prices, \$1.15 \$1.25 \$1.00 \$1.18

ALL-WOOL SERGES. Colors: Navy, Brown, Green, Black, Fawn, Red, Electric Blue and Purple. Regular price 25c per yd, extra value. Reduced during this sale only to 17c

TWO TONE EFFECTS. IN ALL SHADES. Former price, 28c and 30c per yd. Your choice of the lot only, 18c

HEAVY COVERT SUITINGS. ALL SHADES. Former price, \$3.05 per yd. (32 in. wide). Slaughter price only, 75c

CRETONNES. Our prices, per yd 1 1/2 1 3/4 1 1/2 1 3/4. Single Sale prices, 90c 1 1/4 1 1/4 1 1/4

UNDERSHIRTS & DRAWERS. (Heavy Ribbed). Our prices, 30c 38c 40c 55c 60c \$1.15

Boys' Suits. 3-piece with Bloomer Pants. Our prices, \$3.75 \$4.00 \$4.25 \$3.90

Ladies' Plain & Ribbed Heavy Wool Hose. Our prices, per pair, 25c 30c 30c. Sale prices, per pair, 20c 22c 23c

FUR RUFFS. Thibet, Astrachan and Cooney. Former prices, \$1.15 \$1.25 \$1.00 \$1.18

MIXED NOVELTY GOODS. (ALL SHADES). Former prices, 55c per yd. Slaughter price, 29c

DOUBLE WIDTH SILK GOODS. Former price, \$1.40 per yd. Slaughter price, 99c

MIXED TWEED SUITINGS. Regular price, \$1.05 per yd. (36 in. wide). Slaughter price, 55c

UNDERSHIRTS & DRAWERS. (Wool Fleece Underwear). Our prices, 45c 75c 87c. Sale price, 45c 75c 87c

Men's Ulsters. Our prices, \$2.25 \$2.50 \$3.15 \$3.25. Sale prices, \$1.75 \$2.00 \$2.50

Children's Suits. 2-piece. Our prices, \$2.25 \$2.50 \$3.15 \$3.25. Sale prices, \$1.75 \$2.00 \$2.50

Ladies' Cashmere Gloves. Our prices, per pair, 20c 25c 32c 38c. Sale prices, 14c 16c 18c 20c

SILK VELVETS. All Shades. Former price, 55c. Reduced to 40c per yd

LADIES' FINE BROADCLOTH. NAVY ONLY. Former price, \$1.50 per yd. (36 in. wide). Slaughter price only, \$1.15

LADIES' MANTLE CLOTHS. 55c per yard Melton. Reduced during this sale only to 35c

BLEACHED TABLE LINENS. 64 inch, former price 75c. Reduced to 55c

TAPESTRY PORTIERES. Colors: Crimson, Green, Terra Cotta and Peach. Our \$2.25 Portiere reduced to \$1.90 per yd

Men's Ulsters. Our prices, \$4.50. Reduced to \$2.90

Children's Suits. 2-piece. Our prices, \$2.25 \$2.50 \$3.15 \$3.25. Sale prices, \$1.75 \$2.00 \$2.50

Ladies' Flannellette Wrappers. Our prices, \$1.25 \$1.45 \$1.55 \$1.65. Sale prices, 90c 1.10 1.20 1.30

SHIRT WAISTS. Former prices \$1.45 and \$1.50. Reduced to 90c

ALL-WOOL COVERT CLOTHS. Colors: Myrtle, Moss Green, Royal Blue and Cardinal. Regular price, 65c per yd. Reduced during this sale only to 45c

LADIES' FINE BROADCLOTH. NAVY ONLY. Former price, \$1.50 per yd. (36 in. wide). Slaughter price only, \$1.15

TABLE NAPKINS. Our prices, per doz. 98c \$1.15 \$1.25. Sale prices, 78c 89c 90c

HEAVY FLANNELLETTE SKIRTING. Our 15c Heavy Flannellette Skirting, Reduced during this sale only to 10c per yd

Men's Ulsters. Our prices, \$4.50. Reduced to \$2.90

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SHIRT WAISTS. Former prices \$1.45 and \$1.50. Reduced to 90c

Fancy Boucle Cloth (all Shades). \$1.35 per yd. (36 inches wide) Slaughter price only 75c

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STRONG & WELTMAN

Springfield. Messrs. Arthur and Edward Hendry spent a few days last week in Falkland Ridge, the guests of their sister, Mrs. Chas. E. Marshall. Mr. and Mrs. Simon T. Lohme went to Mahone Bay on Tuesday last, returning on Wednesday. Mr. W. Randall, fur buyer, was in town last week. G. W. Andrews, merchant of Middleton, has opened up a store in this place, with Mr. Wm. E. Johnson as salesman. Miss Gertrude Stoddard is visiting friends at Dalhousie. Mr. and Mrs. Stoddard, merchant tailor, who have his shop and goods in the fire in Bridgewater, has returned to the home of his parents for a short time. Mr. Harvey Allen spent part of last week in Middleton. Mr. Thomas Dodd was in Middleton on Thursday and Friday last. Two more little baby girls arrived in town last week. One at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Durling and another at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Acker. A. B. Creve, blacksmith, has gone to Alpena for a few days to do some work for Davidson Bros. The location of the fire at Yarmouth could be seen in this place quite plainly on Sunday night. Jan. 16. Mr. John Stoddard, who has been seriously ill, is improving slowly. Mr. Wm. Mainman cut his hand quite badly last week. Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Nelly, of Middleton, are spending a few days at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Locke. C. N. Phillips, of Middleton, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Lemuel Stoddard on Sunday last. Mr. Johnson, of Middleton, is in town again in the interests of G. W. Andrews. Mr. Clinton Ross, who is leaving this week to take his old place as clerk in Bridgewater. It becomes our sad duty to chronicle the death of Mrs. John Charlton, of Falkland Ridge. The deceased leaves a husband, two children and many friends to mourn her loss. She was a member of the Baptist Church and in good standing, and we learned that her death was due to cancer. Mr. and Mrs. E. Darling spent Friday of last week in Middleton. Mr. J. H. Freeman was hurt quite badly on Sunday last by a team running over him. It is hoped that the injury is not too deep of nature. Mrs. E. Darstow, of Torbrook, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Stoddard. Miss Lottie Grim is suffering from a bad attack of quinsy. People are making good use of the very few sleighs.

Paradise. Beautiful sleighing. Messrs. B. R. Bloom and A. Bent are here on a sleighing party. The sleighing party on Sunday evening, and the latter has been on driving, and yesterday had his store open for a short time. The meetings are continuing this week. Mr. W. Randall, fur buyer, was in town last week. Some have offered themselves to the church, who may be a great help financially in the winter. The Division is struggling along, one has been initiated recently. Some of the members are anxious for a drive while the sleighing and fine nights are so delightful. We hear with much pleasure that Mr. Geo. Pearson, of Newton, Mass., has purchased the farm owned by his father-in-law, Fort Lane is constructing itself with other parts of the country by telephone, three improvements having been placed there. A. B. Creve is constructing himself with other parts of the country by telephone, three improvements having been placed there. Mr. and Mrs. John A. Vroom have been seriously ill with pneumonia, but we are happy to say they are both recovering. Mrs. A. G. Sells, who has been ill for several weeks, is also recovering. Robt. W. Purdy, who was taken with a grippe at Bridgewater and confined to his bed for two weeks, is also back home again in business at the old stand. The young folks are all invited to-night, 24th, to the home of Mr. and Mrs. August Purdy, where dancing will be the chief amusement of the evening. The members of St. Matthew's church intend to repeat their concert in the new City Hall, at Clements' on Friday evening, January 27th. Proceeds are for the purchase of a new bell for the church. Mr. W. W. Layton, who conducts the store here for Mr. H. T. Wane, leaves for his home on Monday morning, his duties as chief messenger in the provincial parliament house. During his absence the store will be managed by Mr. Wane himself. Donation at Granite Centre. A very large and interesting gathering met at the home of Mr. E. H. Brown on Monday evening, the occasion being the annual donation to Pastor Young. Young and his family were in attendance, and the evening was a most successful one. Friendly socialities, pleasant pastimes and music caused the evening to pass all too quickly. About ten o'clock the gathering was called to order by Dea. Withers, who called upon Mr. E. H. Brown to present the purpose, which he did in a very pleasing and touching way, referring to the close and affectionate relationship existing between pastor and people, closer than ever before judging from the donation, which was by considerable the largest ever presented to him. The purse contained about \$30.00. But this was not all. After the pastor had made a suitable reply, Mrs. Henry Goodwin approached Mrs. Young with a beautiful antique quilt, valued at \$10.00, which she presented to her on behalf of the sisters of the church and congregation. The surprise was evident, and the pastor himself was happy in having the continued confidence and esteem of such a people. Closed Bars in Kentville. The hotels having closed their doors to the public because of the attempted enforcement of the Sobriety Act, notice is hereby given that first class entertainment will be afforded at reasonable rates at the following private houses: MAIN ST.—Chas. Masters, Mrs. John Roberts, J. J. Neary and Waverly Hotel. CORNER ST.—Mrs. McRae. BAY ST.—Mrs. E. B. Borden, Mrs. Frances and Mrs. Griffin. LAURENCE AVE.—Mrs. Geo. Bond. Barton Jordan on Main St. will care for horses at his livery and efforts will be made to manage the court yard and other public places for hitching purposes. SECRETARY ENTERTAINMENT COMMITTEE. An agency of the Union Bank has been opened at Clark's Harbor.

Niataux Meeting House Burned. On Wednesday evening last the people of Niataux were excited in peace and security. Early on Thursday morning some sparks, caused by the cry of fire, but most sleepful in the morning, in ignorance of the fact, the old meeting house, which for fifty years had stood at the cross roads, was a thing of the past, a few charred sticks and a few planks, remaining to mark the spot. The first witnesses of the fire arrived on the scene just in time to see the tower fall. Nothing could be saved. Two organs, a fine communion service, an excellent chandelier, pulpit furnishings, a life-sized portrait of Rev. I. E. Bill, D. D., and other things of value, were lost. We hear with much pleasure that Mr. Geo. Pearson, of Newton, Mass., has purchased the farm owned by his father-in-law, Fort Lane is constructing itself with other parts of the country by telephone, three improvements having been placed there. A. B. Creve is constructing himself with other parts of the country by telephone, three improvements having been placed there. Mr. and Mrs. John A. Vroom have been seriously ill with pneumonia, but we are happy to say they are both recovering. Mrs. A. G. Sells, who has been ill for several weeks, is also recovering. Robt. W. Purdy, who was taken with a grippe at Bridgewater and confined to his bed for two weeks, is also back home again in business at the old stand. The young folks are all invited to-night, 24th, to the home of Mr. and Mrs. August Purdy, where dancing will be the chief amusement of the evening. The members of St. Matthew's church intend to repeat their concert in the new City Hall, at Clements' on Friday evening, January 27th. Proceeds are for the purchase of a new bell for the church. Mr. W. W. Layton, who conducts the store here for Mr. H. T. Wane, leaves for his home on Monday morning, his duties as chief messenger in the provincial parliament house. During his absence the store will be managed by Mr. Wane himself. Donation at Granite Centre. A very large and interesting gathering met at the home of Mr. E. H. Brown on Monday evening, the occasion being the annual donation to Pastor Young. Young and his family were in attendance, and the evening was a most successful one. Friendly socialities, pleasant pastimes and music caused the evening to pass all too quickly. About ten o'clock the gathering was called to order by Dea. Withers, who called upon Mr. E. H. Brown to present the purpose, which he did in a very pleasing and touching way, referring to the close and affectionate relationship existing between pastor and people, closer than ever before judging from the donation, which was by considerable the largest ever presented to him. The purse contained about \$30.00. But this was not all. After the pastor had made a suitable reply, Mrs. Henry Goodwin approached Mrs. Young with a beautiful antique quilt, valued at \$10.00, which she presented to her on behalf of the sisters of the church and congregation. The surprise was evident, and the pastor himself was happy in having the continued confidence and esteem of such a people. Closed Bars in Kentville. The hotels having closed their doors to the public because of the attempted enforcement of the Sobriety Act, notice is hereby given that first class entertainment will be afforded at reasonable rates at the following private houses: MAIN ST.—Chas. Masters, Mrs. John Roberts, J. J. Neary and Waverly Hotel. CORNER ST.—Mrs. McRae. BAY ST.—Mrs. E. B. Borden, Mrs. Frances and Mrs. Griffin. LAURENCE AVE.—Mrs. Geo. Bond. Barton Jordan on Main St. will care for horses at his livery and efforts will be made to manage the court yard and other public places for hitching purposes. SECRETARY ENTERTAINMENT COMMITTEE. An agency of the Union Bank has been opened at Clark's Harbor.

Arrival of the Doukhobors. (From an Occasional Correspondent.) A large amount of ocean freight is being shipped from Halifax to the Doukhobors, who are bringing every day, and the trains are bringing in made up of the Doukhobors, and lumber are the staples. It is proposed to put a steam pilot boat on the river. There are at present four sailing boats doing pilot work. The Doukhobors are a matter under the eye of industrial development. Messrs. Gunn & Co., the Doukhobors, are expected to build a mill and elevator, if the city will grant certain privileges. It is altogether likely that satisfactory arrangements will be made. There is a colony of Arabian pedlars living in a hole in the north end, seven or eight in a room. It is the wholesale quarters for the pedlars of the tribe throughout the province, and it is a place of cheap wares, purchased in New York, and elsewhere, is kept on hand, and eventually finds its way into the pockets of the Doukhobors. Next June is the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the founding of Halifax, and it is proposed to hold a big celebration. The new exhibition building is making a few dollars a skating rink. Rev. Z. L. Furb, the new pastor of North Street Church, will be in town on Friday, in a room. Frank Smith, of Wilton, has been engaged in law business in the city for some years. He is a partner in the firm of Conger & Outhill. One of the largest drug trades in the city is being done by Mr. E. S. Blackman, an Annapolis boy, whose store is on Spring Garden Road. His head clerk is Mr. C. E. McDermott, and one of his partners is Mr. E. R. McDermott, of Round Hill. Dr. James Allen, formerly of Round Hill, is now in Halifax. He has a partner's shop on Queen Street. The Doukhobors are a matter under the eye of industrial development. Messrs. Gunn & Co., the Doukhobors, are expected to build a mill and elevator, if the city will grant certain privileges. It is altogether likely that satisfactory arrangements will be made. There is a colony of Arabian pedlars living in a hole in the north end, seven or eight in a room. It is the wholesale quarters for the pedlars of the tribe throughout the province, and it is a place of cheap wares, purchased in New York, and elsewhere, is kept on hand, and eventually finds its way into the pockets of the Doukhobors. Next June is the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the founding of Halifax, and it is proposed to hold a big celebration. The new exhibition building is making a few dollars a skating rink. Rev. Z. L. Furb, the new pastor of North Street Church, will be in town on Friday, in a room. Frank Smith, of Wilton, has been engaged in law business in the city for some years. He is a partner in the firm of Conger & Outhill. One of the largest drug trades in the city is being done by Mr. E. S. Blackman, an Annapolis boy, whose store is on Spring Garden Road. His head clerk is Mr. C. E. McDermott, and one of his partners is Mr. E. R. McDermott, of Round Hill. Dr. James Allen, formerly of Round Hill, is now in Halifax. He has a partner's shop on Queen Street. The Doukhobors are a matter under the eye of industrial development. Messrs. Gunn & Co., the Doukhobors, are expected to build a mill and elevator, if the city will grant certain privileges. It is altogether likely that satisfactory arrangements will be made. There is a colony of Arabian pedlars living in a hole in the north end, seven or eight in a room. It is the wholesale quarters for the pedlars of the tribe throughout the province, and it is a place of cheap wares, purchased in New York, and elsewhere, is kept on hand, and eventually finds its way into the pockets of the Doukhobors. Next June is the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the founding of Halifax, and it is proposed to hold a big celebration. The new exhibition building is making a few dollars a skating rink. Rev. Z. L. Furb, the new pastor of North Street Church, will be in town on Friday, in a room. Frank Smith, of Wilton, has been engaged in law business in the city for some years. He is a partner in the firm of Conger & Outhill. One of the largest drug trades in the city is being done by Mr. E. S. Blackman, an Annapolis boy, whose store is on Spring Garden Road. His head clerk is Mr. C. E. McDermott, and one of his partners is Mr. E. R. McDermott, of Round Hill. Dr. James Allen, formerly of Round Hill, is now in Halifax. He has a partner's shop on Queen Street.

FACTS ABOUT HEALTH. It is easy to keep well if we know how—Some of the Conditions Necessary to Perfect Health. The importance of maintaining good health is easily understood, and it is really a simple matter if we take a correct view of the conditions required. In perfect health the stomach promptly digests food, and thus produces nourishment. The blood is employed to carry this nourishment to the organs, nerves, muscles and tissues which need it. The first essential for good health, therefore, is a healthy stomach. This is regulated by a family medicine and general regulator of the system by means of thousands of people. This is because Hood's Sarsaparilla makes the blood pure. This is the secret of its great success. Keep your system in good health by keeping your blood pure with Hood's Sarsaparilla, which absolutely cures when other medicines fail to do any good whatever. It is the only pills to take Hood's Pills with Hood's Sarsaparilla. Hood's Pills with Hood's Sarsaparilla. Change in Business. I take this opportunity to thank my customers for their very liberal patronage during the fourteen years I have been in business, and especially the past year, and as I have fully decided to make a change in the near future I will set my entire stock of general merchandise at a Great Reduction For Cash. Please do not ask for credit but bring along with you cash, good butter, fresh eggs, good apples, oranges and beans, and I will give you highest market prices in exchange for goods. P. S.—Parties having accounts due are requested to call and settle the same. T. G. BISHOP. In Line! I am Offering Glass Dishes, Tea Sets, and Fancy Ware, and other odds and ends at marked down prices. Call and See. R. SHIPLEY.

WM. LEGGE & SON SELL Saskatchewan Buffalo Robes, Lap Rugs, Horse Blankets, Sturcings, Horse Boots, Canvas Collars, Sleigh Bells, Whips, Brushes, Curry Combs, Harness Oils, Gall Cures, Polishes, Leather Braces, Army Knapsacks, All kinds of Harnesses. All kinds of Leather & Rubber Goods Repaired. THE PEOPLE'S BOOT & SHOE STORE. Our stock is now complete in all lines, and we offer a special inducement during the holiday season. Discount of 10 per cent on all CASH purchases. Hard and Soft Coal constantly on hand. W. A. KINNEY, Queen Street. CALL AT B. M. WILLIAMS' and get your Thanksgiving Dinner. Choice Beef and Lamb, Ham, Bacon, Sausage, Corned Beef, Fresh and Salt Pork, Chickens, Ducks, Geese, Turkeys, etc. HANDSOMER THAN EVER! THE XMAS GOODS NOW OPENING AT CENTRAL BOOK STORE. Come and See for Yourself. RUNCIMAN, RANDOLPH & CO. Bridgetown, Dec. 7th, 1898.

R. R. & Co. 1898 - 1899 Christmas AND New Year A Happy Season to all OUR STOCK OF Holiday Wants IS COMPLETE. Fancy Dress Goods, Plain Black and Figured Dress Goods, Ladies' Underverts, Ladies' Winter Jackets, Corsets, Gloves, Dress Trimmings, Men's Heavy Wool Hosiery, Misses' and Women's Ribbed Cashmere Hose, Boys' Knickerbockers, Men's Half Hose, Men's Gloves, Ties and Braces, Maple Leaf Blankets, All-Wool White Blankets, Heavy Colored Blankets, Carriage Robes & Horse Rugs, Tapestry and other Carpets. OUR STOCK OF Men's Underclothing, Top Shirts and Dress Shirts, is the best value and prices the lowest in town. Overcoats & Ulsters, AND A FULL ASSORTMENT OF Boots, Shoes, Rubbers, Overshoes, and Shoe Packs.

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WARD OFFICERS.

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Ward No 11

President Officer—Charles Inglis.
Ward Clerk—James D. Dodge.
Overseers of Poor—Daniel Bishop, E. C. Moore.
Assessors—Henry A. Everett, Ralph East, Paul Keenan, Fred Messenger, Simon Mace, Stephen Walker, Guilford Foster, Major DeKerfve, D. J. Morse.
Cattle Reeves—S. D. James, Alfred Messenger, Edward Hise, Fred Foster, Aubrey Boucher, Stanley More.
Fence Viewers—W. B. Hicks, Alfred Rice, Wallace Langley, Andrew Shaw.
Surveyors of Logs and Lumber—James Evans, James McQuinn, S. K. Morse.
Surveyors of Wood—S. D. James, Allen Walker, B. W. Spurr.
Pound Keepers—W. J. Lantz, Charles Piggett, Stephen Boucher.
Apple Inspectors—Frank Willet, Landais Higgins, J. C. Morse.
Brick Inspectors—Jas. Jefferson, Winlow Jefferson.
Constables—Howard Best, James L. Dodge, Cunningham Brooks, F. J. Poole.
Health Officers—G. W. Slipton, James Quirk, Fred McCormick.
Sanitary Inspector—Manley Benson.
Superintendent Public Landing—Charles Best.
ROAD SURVEYORS.
Ward No 12.
President Officer—Nixan Falls.
Ward Clerk—Thomas R. Chaslon.
Assessors—Edgar C. Schaffer, James H. Parker.
Overseers of Poor—Benjamin R. Whitman, Albert Dana, Wm J. H. Balsam.
Sanitary Officers—M. Chapman, Jacob L. Beal, Wm B. Oakes, Caleb S. Cole.
Board of Health—Isaac Longley, Samuel Nixon, John FitzRandolph, Thomas Jones, H. S. Charlton, George C. Banks.
Surveyors of Logs and Lumber—Daniel, Fred Schaffer, Richard Stevenson, James E. Oakes, Andrew Rosenberg, Edwin Banks.
Surveyors of Wood—Oliver Delaney, P. S. Kehoe, Fred Nigler, Leonard Banks, Homer Daniels, Wm. Egbert.
Surveyors of Wood—Henry O. Whitman, Robert Longley, Wm FitzRandolph, Heber Boland, Herman H. Foster, Ernest Longley.
Fruit Inspectors—Albert Gates, E. B. Parker, Charles Bishop, Isaac Bunting, Edgar Schaffer, Solomon Drew.
Barrel Inspectors—Joseph Longley, John H. Bishop, Charles Crisp, Barton Nell, Phineas Charlton, David Gates.
Inspectors of Fruit Trees—Joseph North, W. A. Pickels, Wm A. Morse, Wm J. Schaffer, Ingram Bishop, David Whitman, Seymour J. Roney.
Inspectors of Brick—William Warner, John Smith, Henry A. Grant, Henry Banks, Wm J. Whitman.
Sawyers of Lumber—Mervin Vidlo, Israel Daniels, Albert Gates, E. B. Parker.
Cattle Reeves—J. Bramwell Foster, Wm Gormley, Henry Miller, Alfred Morse, Arthur Beale, John W. Banks, Wm Stevenson, George Durling.
Fence Viewers—Samuel Beale, Malcolm Parker, Stanley Hines, Whitfield Allen, J. E. Margeon, Henry A. Whitman, Roland Hines, Guilford Morse, Albert Daniels.
Fence Viewers—David Danville, Henry Marshall, Wm A. Bishop, Wm H. Ward, Robert H. Hatt.
Inspectors of Barrel Staves and Hoopings—Wm Benjamin, Isaac Hine, William Roebing, Isaac Hine, Asa W. Beak.
Constables—Harris Daniels, Robert Nixon, Norman Layte, Edgar Dana, Samuel Nixon, John W. Banks, Wm H. Marshall, Alvah Anderson.
ROAD SURVEYORS.
1 David Durling.
2 John E. Beak.
3 James H. Hine.
4 George A. Whitman.
5 Charles Kelt.
6 James H. Hine.
7 Jacob Vinton.
8 John B. Burt.
9 Charles E. W. Hill.
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Ward No 13.
President Officer—Joseph H. Freeman and Albert Oakes.
Constables—Chas. McNeary, John Mallock, Ross Swallow, Lemuel Stoddard, Burpee Swallow, Adolphus Fair, Joe E. Whitman, and John McMillan.
Apple Inspectors—N. P. Whitman, Charles Marshall, and Joseph H. Freeman.
Wood and Bark Surveyors—Chas. L. Davis, Aved Roop, Henry P. Roop, Geo. B. Prince and Albert Oakes.
Lumber Surveyors—David Vinton, Edward A. Merry, James E. Whitman, John B. Mallock, Jacob Roop, John Morley and George B. Prince.
Overseers of Poor—Oliver McNeary, Chas. Roop, William Sproule and Chas. Whitman.
Assessors—Jonathan Woodbury and Simon P. Graham.
Board of Health—Jonathan Woodbury, Phineas Whitman, John Stoddard, Major C. Roop and Charles Marshall.
Sanitary Officers—N. P. Whitman, Charles H. Oakes, Henry P. Roop and J. C. Morley.
Fence Viewers—Albert Oakes, Leonard Whitman, John Tipton, William Charlton, D. D. Strattin, and William Roop.
Pound Keepers—Harris F. Oakes, John S. McMillan, Jonathan Morrison, Lemuel Stoddard and William Charlton.
Cattle Reeves—Edward A. Merry, Noah Kiffin, Albert McNeary, John Charlton, William Saunders and Aved Roop.
Log Surveyors—Jacob Roop, Henry P. Roop, David Vinton and James Whitman.
Ward Clerks—James C. Grimm and Edwin C. Merry.
ROAD SURVEYORS.
1 Stewart Wamboldt, 11 Lambert McNeary.
2 Charles W. Hine, 12 James Midrum.
3 Charles W. Hine, 13 Joseph Freeman.
4 Charles W. Hine, 14 William McMillan.
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10 Charles W. Hine, 20 William McMillan.
Ward No 14.
President Officer—Malcolm Division: Wm. D. Hinchey, Milford Division: Wallace Langley.
Assessors—John Ford and Charles Dale.
Overseers of Poor—Wm. Bowler and Henry Ford.
Pound Keepers—John Freeman, Henry Henshaw, Rufus Wentzel, Edgar Gates and Caleb Ramsey.
Cattle Reeves—J. Freeman, Albert Hobb, Rufus Wentzel, Edgar Gates and Edward Wagner.
Constables—Wesley White, James Lewis, Caleb Ramsey and Robt. Bradman.
Fence Viewers—Levi Hobb, Chas. Ford, Geo. Early and Edward Rufus.
Sanitary Inspectors—Chas. Ford and Isaac Floyd.

Lumber and Log Surveyors—Robt. Bowler, James A. Moore and Henry Orde. Ward Clerk—R. N. Rowter.

ROAD SURVEYORS.

1 William McBride, 10 Robert McBride.
2 Robert McBride, 11 Joseph Morrison.
3 Albert McBride, 12 Edgar Quinn.
4 David DeLong, Jr., 13 Edward Wagner.
5 David DeLong, Jr., 14 Edward Wagner.
6 David DeLong, Jr., 15 Edward Wagner.
7 Dimock Kingner, 16 Edward Wagner.
8 Alonzo Gusham, 17 Edward Wagner.
9 Alonzo Gusham, 18 Edward Wagner.
Ward No 15.
Overseers of Poor—William B. Marshall, Milten Backler, William McGill.
Assessors—Norman Backler, Milten Gibson.
Fence Viewers—George H. Backler, Jor. Froehlich, Robert Hise, J. B. Gillis.
Constables—W. J. Hannan, William McGill, Thomas Davary, Jr., Gray Gillis, Thos. Todd.
Log and Lumber Surveyors, J. B. Gillis, Albert Faulkhan.
Pound Keepers—Thomas Todd, William B. Marshall, Ritson Durling, Abram Medic.
Providing Officer—Robert Kelly.
Ward Clerk—James Hannan.
Cattle Reeves—Gray Gillis, Milten Gibson, Milten Backler, Ritson Durling.
ROAD SURVEYORS.
1 John Messenger, Jr., 11 William Durling.
2 Robert Gibson, 12 Abram Medic.
3 J. B. Gillis, 13 John D. Keady.
4 Thomas Todd, 14 Isaac Taylor.
5 Ritson Durling, 15 John D. Keady.
6 Charles Backler, 16 George Hannan.
Ward No 16.
Providing Officer—W. G. Holland.
Ward Clerk—Timothy E. Banks.
Assessors—W. J. Spinyer, Fred Randall.
Overseers of Poor—A. M. Spinyer, E. D. Baker.
Pound Keepers—Abel W. Bartheaux, Z. N. Bartheaux, J. M. Taylor, Melbourne Hoffman.
Cattle Reeves—D. C. Langille, George Daniels, Leander Swallow, S. J. McConnell, James Hillis.
Fence Viewers—Samson Parker, Z. S. Banks, H. P. Weslock, Wesley Fleming, Samuel Wetton, Burton Vidlo.
Lumber Surveyors—C. H. R. Crocker, W. L. Peterson, H. M. Phinney.
Log Surveyors—Edmund H. Banks, Beriah S. Banks.
Apple Inspectors—C. I. Nelly, W. C. Brown.
Sanitary Inspectors—Lemuel Hatt, Isiah Hillis, J. H. Parker.
Inspectors of Fruit Trees—T. A. Pearson, Z. S. Gates.
Constables—Maynard F. Wheslock, Walter Watson, Z. W. Banks, Nelson Hatt, James L. Brown.
Board of Health—C. R. Banks, S. B. Payson, Fred Hine.
Leather Scalers—Dimock Banks, W. A. Shaw.
Sanitary Inspectors—Stephen Banks, J. L. Babler, Beriah S. Banks.
Hay Weighers—W. O. Baker, C. H. Schaffer.
Surveyors of Wood—Samson Parker, John D. Crocker, Z. S. Banks, Wesley Fleming, Fisher Vidlo.
ROAD SURVEYORS.
1 Isaac H. Brown, 11 Frank W. Durbur.
2 J. S. Gates, 12 Manning Baker.
3 A. M. Spinyer, 13 John A. McNeary.
4 A. M. Spinyer, 14 John A. McNeary.
5 J. B. Gillis, 15 John A. McNeary.
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8 J. B. Gillis, 18 John A. McNeary.
9 J. B. Gillis, 19 John A. McNeary.
10 J. B. Gillis, 20 John A. McNeary.
TEN YEARS A CRIPPLE FROM RHEUMATISM. NOW CAN WALK.
BILLY'S BROOM, Antigonish, C. N. S., Oct. 25th, 1898.
Dear Sirs,—For ten years my daughter Elizabeth has been a sufferer from effects of rheumatism; the last two years of which she had not the use of her limbs and she was totally unable to walk. Early in September I purchased a bottle of EGYPTIAN RHEUMATIC OIL and after the external application of one bottle my daughter was able to walk across the house without any assistance whatever. I could scarcely believe it at first, and I feel a relief, but after some weeks, she still continues to improve, and is now recovering rapidly the former use of her limbs. It therefore gives me pleasure to testify to the merits of EGYPTIAN RHEUMATIC OIL, which has wrought such a wonderful cure on my daughter. Yours truly, ISABELLA CHISHOLM (Mother). Sold by all dealers. Looking for Trouble.
There is an adage that we generally repeat jestingly which yet contains a grain of very sound wisdom. We say, laughingly, "I don't see how you can get into any trouble," but if we would think of the things over which we very rarely fret as "trouble," we might perhaps have come to us, and apply our wise adage to them, we would cease to worry. How few seldom has the unexpected sorrow come to us. It has nearly always been the thing which we did not think of. When we have all day watched the cloud on the horizon with dread foreboding of the storm which would come from it, and when the horizon and the cloud has blown away from us, or else melted into this vapor and not come near us at all. How foolish, then, to waste what might be happy hours in looking for this or that trouble which may never come, or, if it does come, will perhaps arrive all, prove to be a blessing. No trouble was less intended by going to most have any, and if we are sometimes to have it to bear, let us not worry our souls and weaken our wills by dreading it beforehand. Letters and the Blues.
To write a letter when one is suffering from a fit of the blues, from temporary or chronic depression, this sending forth one's melancholy to become the chilly wet blanket of the mother and another's happiness, is equally shortsighted. Out come the bright words, and your clouds vanish, but your darkly wreathed companion, letter has gone beyond your reach, and you cannot recall it. It is busy about the world, errand when you are in no frame of mind to own that you sent it out. Year after year it may fall into the hands of your heirs and may lay at your door the charge of tenderness to humanity in the evidence of your spiritual or mental weakness and infidelity. Refrain from writing letters when you are in a low mood.—Harper's Bazar. How to Get Your Breath
Breathlessness after violent exertion, says a scientific individual, will pass away almost instantly, if one or two deep breaths are taken. The easier a bicycle rider breathes the easier will he ride, but by use of breathing should be understood long, regular respiration, avoiding any tendency to short quick breaths. Those troubled with nasal disease are often compelled to breathe through the mouth, but when this habit is rapidly established is almost unavoidable. This manner of breathing is always injurious and may lead to heart or lung trouble. As much as possible the rider should train himself to breathe through the nostrils when cycling. Foreign elements will thus have a long distance to go to reach the lungs and be in a direct line of dissipation when they do get there. Latest Use for Sawdust.
Ottawa, Jan. 14.—Mr. V. L. Emerson, the well-known expert on the manufacture of products from sawdust, has recently patented a process for the conversion of sawdust into smelting gas. The smelting gas manufactured from the product of the sawdust has had great burning power, but it has not been useful for smelting purposes. Mr. Emerson undertook to perfect a process for the manufacture of smelting gas and he is being backed by a local bank. The gas will be heated to smelt iron, and the by-product iron will be the first to use the new gas. It is expected to revolutionize the iron-making industry. Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria.

Agricultural.

Exercise and Food.

The active breeds are less liable to become overfat, because by exercise the food is converted into heat and motion, while the carbon of the food enters by more insubstantial means into the body as fat. Hence, to feed the Leghorns properly they must be given an opportunity to work. They will bear confinement, but not when the food is kept before them. Just as soon as they have no work they begin to learn to eat, and especially feather pulling. The food should be the same as for all laying hens, but it should be given in a manner to compel them to scratch. If a Leghorn begins to peck, an examination will show her to be fat, or if she eats either too much grain or lack of exercise. To summer they need only a feed of meat at night, as they are energetic foragers and invariably come up with full crop. In winter they should have a pound of meat, for two hens, three times a week, and a good feed of clover, chopped fine and soaked, in the morning, need to be given at night. A pound of a mixture of equal parts of ground barley, oats and bran, for twenty hens, may be added to the clover. Market for Canadian Poultry.
Ottawa, December 28.—The commissioner of agriculture has received advice to-day of the sale of trial shipments of Ontario fatted poultry sent from St. John by the pool about a month ago. The birds met a ready sale in Liverpool, at sixteen cents per pound wholesale. The chickens were sent packed but not drawn, and weighed an average of 4 1/2 pounds each. The wholesale price therefore was equal to \$7.76 per pair. The chickens when put up to fatten were worth about 50 cents per pair. The food consumed per pair during the fattening cycle 31 cents, making a total cost of 81 cents per pair without allowing anything for the labor of attending them. The packing cases cost at the rate of 3 cents per pair, and the transportation and selling charges would cost the usual course of business for such chickens not more than 20 cents per pair, a total of \$1.06, leaving 70 cents per pair for the labor and profit. Minard's Liniment Cures Garg in Cows.

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In many cases this disease is arrested, and in all the healing, soothing properties of Putner's Emulsion give great relief & comfort to the sufferers. Always get Putner's, it is the Original and Best.

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Furnaces and Heating a specialty.

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Handsome Residence for Sale

The Homestead of GEORGE B. HURD, located on the corner of St. John and St. George Streets, is now offered for sale. The property consists of six acres of land under a high state of cultivation, and has on it about a hundred and twenty apple trees all in bearing and capable of yielding from one to two hundred bushels of fruit. It has on it a large and well-built brick dwelling, containing eleven commodious rooms, besides halls, closets, pantry, kitchen, and a large barn, coach-house and other outbuildings. It is beautifully situated on the edge of the city, and is a most desirable residence. The price is \$10,000.00. For price and further particulars apply to ALYENIA MURDOCH, 25 St. John Street, Halifax, N. S. Bessie B. Murdoch, Executor.

WALTER FORD, Fruit Broker

Borough Market, LONDON, S. E. All Fruit sold by Private Sale. AGENTS: W. A. KIRBY, Bridgetown and Pupperville, and F. W. HINCH, Pupperville. W. F. HINCH, Pupperville. W. F. HINCH, Pupperville. W. F. HINCH, Pupperville.

Animal Meal

Makes Hens Lay. Makes Chickens Crow. Good for Pigs. "Bowker's Cattle Bone." All in 25 lb. bags. \$2.00 each. HUGH FOWLER, Bridgetown, N. S. King of Insect Destroyers. The King bird is an insect eater, and has the reputation of being fond of honey bees, but out of 281 stomachs only 14 contained bees, 50 bees in all, of which 40 were dressed and four worms, with the other six contained what that could not be distinguished. They had fed mostly on bees. The King bird, the clerk or smoky bird, whose larva is the wire worm, weevils, roaches, flies, which prey upon the honey bee, wasp, ant and grasshopper, besides such insects as silkworms, dog-worm berries and wild grapes.

DOMINION ATLANTIC RAILWAY

"Land of Evangeline" Route. On and after MONDAY, JAN. 23rd, 1899, the Steamship and Train Service of this Railway will be as follows (Sunday excepted): Trains will arrive at Bridgetown: Express from Halifax..... 11.06 a.m. Express from Yarmouth..... 1.17 p.m. Accom. from Richmond..... 4.35 p.m. Accom. from Annapolis..... 6.20 a.m. Trains will leave Bridgetown: Express for Yarmouth..... 11.06 a.m. Express for Halifax..... 1.17 a.m. Accom. for Halifax..... 6.20 a.m. Accom. for Annapolis..... 4.35 p.m.

S. S. "Prince George," BOSTON SERVICE

Royal Mail S.S. "Prince Edward," ST. JOHN and DIGBY. Monday, Thursday and Saturday. Leaves St. John..... 7.15 a.m. Arrives Digby..... 10.0 a.m. Leaves Digby..... 1.00 p.m. Arrives in St. John..... 3.45 p.m. Trains and Steamers are run on Eastern Standard Time. W. R. CAMPBELL, General Manager. P. O. PIPKINS, Superintendent.

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Corner Queen and Water Sts. THE undershooter is prepared to furnish the best of horse-drawn carriages, light and heavy, Buggies, Sleighs and Funs, that may be desired. Best of Stock used in all classes of work. Repairs, painting and varnishing executed in a first-class manner. ARTHUR PALEFREY. Bridgetown, Oct. 29th, 1898.

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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

All persons having any legal demands against the estate of Col. W. E. Starnett, late of Pupperville, in the County of Annapolis, are requested to render the same, duly attested, within eight months from the date of this notice, and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to ALDA B. FRYZLAND, Executor. ALDA B. FRYZLAND, Executor. Administrator of the Estate of Col. W. E. Starnett, late of Pupperville, in the County of Annapolis.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

All persons having legal demands against the estate of ELLY BENSINGER, late of Pupperville, in the County of Annapolis, are requested to render the same, duly attested, within eight months from the date of this notice, and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to MANLEY BENSON, Executor. MANLEY BENSON, Executor. Administrator of the Estate of ELLY BENSINGER, late of Pupperville, in the County of Annapolis.

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Cyperus alternifolius (umbrella plant) is an easy and prolific fast growing plant, and none is more effective for the contents of a table or shelf collection or for a fernery. Begonia fasciculata is a low, spreading variety that is most effective when grown by itself on a small round table. It has round, heart-shaped leaves of dark green, beautifully lined with red, and clusters of pink blossoms on long, upright stems. Begonia semperflorens is the most abundant winter bloomer, and it gives a very unique appearance by the buds being dark red and the open flowers carmine pink. It is easily grown and healthy. Cream for Many Candies. Break an egg, put the white in a tumbler and fill up another one till it is as full as the white of egg, then fill it with sugar and stir thoroughly mixed then add powdered sugar until it forms a thick paste or cream, take a ball of this and roll it in shelled nuts until covered, or take a small piece of it and put one half an English walnut kernel on top of it or a small almond between two halves. You can flavor with lemon, vanilla, rose, almond or vanilla and almond, banana, or any flavoring you choose, you can color some of it with the fruit coloring, and use several colors together, this layer of candy on top of the other all pressed slightly together then cut off into thin slices with a sharp knife. You can put small pieces of it into dates or mix the dates with it, you can dip small rolls into melted chocolate for chocolate candies, or mix a little chocolate with it and use it with the white for wedding cake candy. In fact with a small dish of this candy you can fix almost any kind of candy you choose in any way or color. The cream of this is good by boiling sugar and water together but it is so very sweet that it does not taste like the boughten as this does. Be sure and try some of this, it is easy to make and so satisfactory. Sleep for Children. In a series of papers talks given to young mothers by a skilled physician a number of practical suggestions were laid down regarding the sleep necessary for infants and growing children. Never wake a child unless absolutely necessary. Good sleep is a necessary condition for the child's health, and a healthy normal baby will sleep 18 to 24 hours, gradually diminishing until at two years 15 out of 24 hours, and at four years 12 out of 24 hours. The child should be put to sleep in a comfortable room, not too warm. If possible, the child should always sleep by themselves and never in any case with a sick person. To Make a Monogram. A pretty bit of dainty work for the fingers is the making of one's own monogram. This requires a little patience but frequently a reward. To make a monogram you must first print your initials upon a piece of paper separately. Print them rather large and out carefully on top of the following lines: Lay the letters, two or three or as many as you may have in your initials, upon a paper and carefully intertwine them until you have secured a pretty combination. Now paste upon a piece of paper and mark carefully around the outside. Remove the letters and you have now a perfectly drawn monogram which you can copy upon your table linen or clothing. (A footstool can be made to do double duty, serving as slipper case as well. Procure a small wooden box, with cover, which should be fastened on with small hinges. Paste cotton on the bottom so that it can be moved easily. Cover it neatly, padding the top with pieces of an old quilt. The outer cover should be of art denim linen, or some other serviceable material. Outline on top of the following lines: Close the curtains, stir the fire, Draw your chair a little nearer, Get your slippers, but if you've been in perfect comfort then get up. Line the inside of the box neatly with silks or satens so that it makes a good receptacle for slippers. -Festive fans are still carried, in spite of the revival of those made of lace, gauze, and painted parchment. Freely two kinds of plume are combined with excellent effect. -Drinking milk after eating the onion will do a great extent about the odor. These farmers who grow and use many onions keep their health better than do those who are too dainty to use them. Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria.

Joker's Corner.

But He Didn't Take Any. It seems that in the lecture room one day the doctor was much annoyed by the inattention of the students. "Gentlemen," he said, with emphasis, "a physician's first duty is accurate observation and right attention. You are neither looking at what I am doing nor hearing what I am saying. I shall dismiss the class now, but hereafter remember I shall exact the closest attention." The next day the doctor came into the lecture-room with a bottle containing a very dirty looking liquid. "Gentlemen," he said, "I hold in my hand a bottle of jalap. Of course, you are aware that as physicians we have very many disagreeable duties to perform. We must, for instance, treat such cases as this in order that we may accurately know their fate. It is a somewhat disagreeable operation, therefore, necessary one. Observe, I first place my finger in the bottle and then in my mouth." The class was vastly disgusted, but the lecturer had placed it on the ground of a physician's duty. So, with many grimaces, they all dipped a finger in the bottle and then placed the same finger on their tongues. When the bottle came back to the doctor he chuckled softly. "Gentlemen," he said, "had you remembered my remarks at the last lecture about accurate observation, you would have saved yourselves a very disagreeable experiment. An accurate observation of the matter had led me to notice that I put my forefinger into the bottle and my middle finger in my mouth." An Unassailable Room. A German lady, arriving for the first time in England, drove to a first class London hotel, asked for a room, and was shown into a very small, scantily furnished one. She said, in a determined manner, and in very broken English, "I will not have this room." "No, ma'am," said the porter, and brought in the first box. "Man!" repeated the lady, emphatically, "I will not have this room!" "No, ma'am," said the porter, and brought in the second box. The lady thought her faulty grammatical construction was the reason of the porter's continued objection, and repeated, with a stern determination, "Man, I will have this room now!" "No, ma'am," said the porter, and brought in the third box, whereupon the lady left her room indignantly, but the porter drew her hastily back across the threshold, pulled a rope, and to her intense astonishment, the lift went up. -This is the story of a man who went into a store to buy a nickel spool of thread - he wanted nothing more. The floorman took him by the arm and directed him right to where a blonde presided from morning till night. He took the thread and the spool and settled with a pair of reckless duds and the blonde girl lifted up her voice and loudly called for "cash." Then came a little short-haired girl, who looks about her neck, who took the thread and the spool, and the blonde girl took him by the arm and directed him right to where a blonde presided from morning till night. 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