

The Weekly Monitor.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 20th, 1895.

Thanksgiving Day.

Our readers doubtless know that by proclamation of His Excellency the Governor-General, Thursday of this week has been set apart as Thanksgiving Day, and proclaimed a general holiday throughout the Dominion.

An Unparalleled Offer!

The proprietor of the WEEKLY MONITOR begs to extend sincere thanks to the Governor-General for the proclamation of Thanksgiving Day, and to the public who have lent such hearty and appreciated assistance towards the success of the paper since its issue.

Only \$1.00 per annum.

All new subscribers may have the advantage of the special offer from the 1st of the month of December, 1895, by the payment of one dollar in advance for the year.

Growler Social Club Anniversary.

On Friday evening last the Bridgetown Growler Social Club celebrated their first anniversary by an oyster supper in the large room occupied by them in the Randolph building, corner of Queen and Granville streets.

Death of Leander Eaton.

The death of Leander Eaton on Monday evening last, at his residence in the city, was a sad bereavement to his family and to the community.

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The Bridgetown Importing House! The Finest Retail Institution between Yarmouth and Windsor. DRY GOODS, MEN'S GOODS, CARPETS, CURTAINS, FURS, DURABLE SHOES, FOR THE FALL 1895!

BIGGER, BETTER, CHEAPER, LADIES' FALL AND WINTER MANTLES. We have an entirely new stock of the latest styles and best makes, away down in price.

For Sale! A SMALL FARM. 12 acres with 25 fruit trees, 1 acre of small fruit, and buildings in good repair.

A Bat Is Hard to Classify! We don't know whether to call it a bird or a mouse. There are business houses in this county much the same.

MORRISON, The Tailor, Sells men's wares only. Doesn't seem to you that such a place is THE BEST PLACE TO BUY CLOTHING.

ORDER THANKSGIVING TURKEY FROM THE BRIDGETOWN MEAT MARKET. SPECIAL LINES IN Beef, Lamb, and Poultry CONSTANTLY ON HAND.

MOSELEY'S Liniment. for Lameness, Swellings, Neuralgia, Sore Throat, Cramps and Pains. Gives Immediate Relief.

NOTICE TO VOTERS! I wish to notify the voters of Annapolis County and the public in general that I am ONCE MORE TO THE FRONT, this time with a fine stock of English Tweeds, Meltons, Beavers and Dress Suitings in English and Scotch.

WOMAN! WOMAN! Now that fall cleaning is done, your house in order, swept and garnished for coming winter months, you would be perfectly happy but for the bad results of overwork.

BEFORE KNIVES! KNIVES! advertising my Xmas Groceries, etc. I wish to call the attention of the public to the following lines of goods that you can depend on finding in stock—

Restless, Without Appetite, Nervous, Depressed, Thoroughly Tired Out. You stand in need of a good Tonic. You should have it at once.

TOILET SOAPS from 2c to 30c per cake. F. G. PALFREY, RICHARD SHIPLEY.

There is nothing in the proclamation of the Excellency which compels men to cease from their labor on Thanksgiving day; it merely requests them to do so, and to turn their thoughts for one day to the great source from whence come all the blessings we enjoy.

And surely there are none among us who ought not to be willing to stop for one moment, so greedily, so graspingly for gain as to be unwilling to give up its pursuit for one day of the year, that those other and far more important matters might occupy some of our attention.

Let us, then, lay aside our work for one day. Let us pause to think of our gains and our losses, of our troubles and our disappointments, and for this one day looking only at the bright side of life remembering with gratitude our many mercies, let us make it a momentary rest on Thanksgiving Day.

The Municipal Elections. The Municipal elections for this county came yesterday with the result as given below. In Ward 1 Mr. Jacques resigned on Saturday last, leaving the field to Mr. Joe Bacon.

Wedding Bells at Mt. Hanley. On Nov. 13th, at the hour of 7 p.m., the Baptist church, Mt. Hanley, was filled with a crowd of people who were anxiously awaiting the performance of a very important act in the drama of life, viz, that of the union of Joseph N. Hines, of Worcester, Mass., formerly of Mt. Hanley, and Annie B. Elliott, daughter of Zebulon Elliott of Mt. Hanley, two of our most highly respected young people, in the holy bonds of matrimony.

Probably Fatal Accident on D. A. R. John Hoyt a brakeman on Conductor Herbert's special on the D. A. R., met with an accident on Friday afternoon last which may prove fatal. He was coupling cars on a curve at Windsor Junction when the cars came together one coupling slipped past the other and he was caught between them.

The Boston Daily Standard, which was started in March last, now issues five editions daily, viz, the morning edition at 2 and 3.30 a.m., and the evening editions at 5, 6 and 8 p.m.

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YARMOUTH, NOVA SCOTIA.

The Acadia land, on the shores of the Bay of Fundy, is a land of exceptional scenic charms and features. You have read or been told of its rare natural beauty, its majestic mountains and transcendentally lovely valleys. I have to take a big discount off those claims in sending them through here for public acceptance. Let the gushing guidebooker suppress his overwrought imagination or he will ruin the present glowing promise of Nova Scotia.

It is not my purpose or wish in the foregoing remarks to deny the existence of natural beauties to be seen in every part of the country actually possessed. There are many pretty spots in Nova Scotia. In fact the whole province may truthfully be called beautiful in its pleasing variety of mountain, meadow and marsh lands, its romantic rivers, bays and coves, its fruitful valleys and virgin forests; but to say as the folder pamphlets do who write the advertising pamphlets for local transportation companies, that this is a land of unequalled natural attractions is putting it much too strong, and such exaggeration will react to the personal and pecuniary detriment of those who practice or foster it.

The debt it will so far posted are negative ones and I will balance this account. There is in N. S. as in all sea coast sections a plague of fog now and then. This plague is most frequent and disagreeable in June, somewhat annoying in July and not prevalent in any appreciable extent in August or September, so time your coming here accordingly if you dislike "the sea god's misty breath."

Yarmouth is just yearning for Yankee coin, and incidentally for Yankee coin, and is prepared to render up for the latter a two or three equivalent in the form of health and enjoyment. And the entire coast from Yarmouth to Grand Pre, 150 miles, is one continuous garden spot whose "sweet fields arrayed in living green and rivers of delight" gladden the eye and satisfy the soul of the most exacting tourist. Digby, Annapolis, Wolfville and a score or more of delightful villages offer Americans a quiet refuge and retreat from home heat and home work and worry; they offer too a better climate and greater change of air and scene (important factors these in enhancing your health and pleasure) than our own resorts can assure you.

September and October are two of the best months in which to visit the Land of Evangeline. That is the time of year here which Longfellow describes in these persuasive lines: "Then followed that beautiful season, Called by the Acadian peasants the summer of all seasons! Full on the air with a drizzly and magical light; and the landscape Lay as if new created in all the freshness of childhood."

There are several roundabout ways to go to Nova Scotia from the United States, but the short, direct and best route is that of the Yarmouth Steamship Co., which dispatches four boats a week from Boston to this city, making the passage in about 18 hours. Leaving Boston at noon one enjoys a most delightful afternoon sail, takes a refreshing night's sleep, and wakes up in Yarmouth early next morning. It is meet and customary to speak well of the trip, which carries one safely over, and I could very cheerfully linger here to tell my pleasant trip across from Boston, but space is getting scarce and I must refer those who would like more explicit information about the Yarmouth route to write the Co.'s agent, Mr. J. Lewis Wharf, for a descriptive pamphlet.

In this letter I have only attempted to sketch over the surface and around the edges of my subject so as to crowd within the limited space of a newspaper article the basic facts and salient points essential to a general idea and understanding of Nova Scotia as it really is. In future letters I will give detailed descriptions of the various points of interest; tell all that is to be told about the region at and around Grand Pre, with its legendary lore and actual history upon which Longfellow founded his immortal "Tale of Acadie"; tell of Digby and its renowned fisheries; tell of the Bay of Fundy with its phenomenal tides, and of Digby, quaint old Yarmouth with its handsome bridges and flower-flooded gardens; its lovely location, fine harbor and neighboring lakes; its interesting past and promising future; its bracing, enterprising first citizen L. E. Baker, whose directing hand has wrought wonders in the town's development, and whose kindness to visiting Americans entitles him to grateful mention here.

And finally, and best of all in my scheme, I shall have more to tell of Yarmouth's ever glorious air which since I came here but two short weeks ago a wretched victim of insomnia and dyspepsia has medicated me to that sweet sleep, ravenous appetite and royal digestion of childhood I used to revel in as a romping schoolboy forty years ago, but have these many long moons now been unblest with.

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SHERIDAN'S POWDER advertisement with image of a powder tin.

MAKING HENS LAY advertisement with image of a hen.

Indian Work advertisement for Thomas Dearness.

Fruit Jars! advertisement for various sizes.

Clothing! advertisement for various items.

DULSE! DULSE! advertisement for Dulse product.

Flour! Meal! FEED! advertisement for various food items.

JOSEPH I. FOSTER advertisement for undertaker services.

Great Slaughter STOVES advertisement for various stoves.

R. ALLEN CROWE'S advertisement for various goods.

J. R. ELLIOTT & CO. advertisement for fruit and produce.

Men's Shirts, Boots and Shoes advertisement.

SALE OF GRAVENSTEINS advertisement.

FLOUR! FLOUR! advertisement for flour products.

MARBLE WORKS advertisement for Thomas Dearness.

DOMINION ATLANTIC RAILWAY advertisement for train services.

My Baby advertisement for baby products.

Pyrethrum Cinerariaefolium advertisement for insect flowers.

Powdered Dalmation Insect flowers advertisement.

TERRA COTTA PIPE advertisement for pipes.

St. John Prices advertisement for various goods.

GEO. E. CORBITT advertisement for various goods.

Liver Troubles Cured advertisement for medical services.

Coal! Coal! advertisement for coal products.

WOVEN WIRE FENCE advertisement for wire fencing.

HIDES AND PELTS WANTED advertisement for hide and pelts.

Do You Want Furniture? advertisement for furniture.

TUTTLE'S ELIXIR advertisement for health tonic.

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Canada Life Assurance advertisement for life insurance.