

The Weekly Monitor.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 22nd, 1880

CHRISTMAS.

Before another issue of the Monitor is in the hands of our readers—Christmas will have come and gone. It is a merry season and fittingly so; but to reflective minds amid all their brilliant hopes...

A glad day it is for the children of people not suffering the extremes of poverty—Christmas Eve, and Christmas with them Santa Claus, are words to them, than which none in our language have the same happy meaning and promise—in children's joyousness parents and grand-parents live their own lives...

Those who are estranged through real or fancied wrongs, we would say, remember the sentiment that 'beside the day—Peace and good-will to men' and seek your differences, by mutually trying to overlook the faults and frailties of your erring human nature...

Those who are in prosperous circumstances should, at this season of the year, remember the sentiment that 'beside the day—Peace and good-will to men' and seek your differences, by mutually trying to overlook the faults and frailties of your erring human nature...

W. A. R.—Last week we had occasion to take a trip over the Windsor & Annapolis Railway, and combining business with pleasure, we took a run through the various departments at head quarters, as called...

store we wend our way down the track to the machine shop and locomotive shed. At the entrance we are met with the 'notice.' No admittance except on business. We halt, but decide we have business, and so put on our best 'check' and ask for the foreman, who presents himself...

—The Cape pit in the Ford working of the Algon mines, Stellarton, was in repairing and altering over the locomotives belonging to the road, under the skillful and energetic management of the foreman, Mr. Wm. Youid, a thorough practical mechanic...

—The acceptance of an American dictionary in England has itself had an effect in keeping up the quantity of English words in the English language, but to our minds a more important effect would be a previous harm, not to English speaking nations alone, but to the world at large...

—A dancing assembly, under competent management, will be held in Victoria Hall, on Thursday evening, 30th inst. All are invited to attend.

—The music class of Prof. C. F. Lawrence have an interesting concert at the Lyric Theatre on Thursday night last. The pupils seem to have profited largely by the professor's teaching.

—James V. Gavaza, of Annapolis, in the County of Annapolis, has sent in his resignation as a Justice of the Peace in this County.

—There is a class of young men in this town who have lately been trying to distinguish themselves in disturbances of the peace, and it is to be hoped that the attention of the authorities, if we have got any...

—In another column will be found the notice of the meeting held at the Kingston Station on Christmas Commemoration. The other meetings we will give in future issues.

—Strenuous efforts are being made by the people of Lunenburg to obtain a commutation of the sentence of Smith, the man who shot the boy Huey. Petitions are being circulated, and many signatures, among them those of almost all of the first men in the County, have been obtained.

—The lecture delivered by the Rev. W. H. Warren in the Baptist Church on Wednesday evening, was most entertaining. The Rev. lecturer illustrates his discourse, by magic lantern views, and the graphic manner in which he presents his subject to his hearers shows the most careful study in its preparation.

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WEEKLY MONITOR

New Advertisements.

Take Notice!

THAT all unsettled accounts with the estate of HARRIS & CO. will be paid for collection on the FIRST of JANUARY, 1881.

CONCERTS!

N. H. PHINNEY,

Assisted by his class at Lawrencetown and Paradise West, intends giving concerts as follows:

At Lawrencetown, in Whitman's Hall, on Friday, Dec. 24th.

At Paradise, Bent's Hall, Wednesday, 27th, Dec. 29th.

PROGRAMME:

Selections from GEMINA SACRA with a few select Solos and Choruses.

No notice is being spared to make these FIRST CLASS ENTERTAINMENTS.

Admission—15 cents. Children 10 cents.

1880.



Twenty-Three Years Ago

The Jewelry Store of J. E. SANCTON was established, and each year finds the goods on display for

CHRISTMAS

of a larger and more attractive variety. This year exceeds all others. A MAGNIFICENT STOCK. Call and inspect.

J. E. SANCTON.

CHRISTMAS IS COMING!

E. C. LOCKETT

has advanced to the front and made a change in his business—he believes in keeping up with the times.

GROCERIES

I have opened to the public a large stock of Groceries, and I will endeavor to give satisfaction in all my branches.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

My stock consists of the following fresh and dry goods:

FLOUR and MEAL

(Choice Brands) 35c, 40c & 50c per lb.

HYSON and CONGOU TEAS.

35c, 40c, & 50c per lb.

MOCHA and JAVA COFFEES.

PORTO WINE, RHEINLAND AND PORTO WINE.

GROCERIES

SPICES, best quality, and good with 5c. The public will find it to their advantage to read his price list for reference.

MAKER, From London, England.

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CHILDREN'S TOYS & FANCY GOODS

E. C. LOCKETT, Bridgetown, Dec. 22nd, 1880.

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THE PLACE FOR BARGAINS!

YOU CAN BUY

Five Pounds of Baking Soda for 25c.

Five Pounds of Good Tea, for \$1.75.

Five Gallons of American Kerosene Oil, for \$1.50.

And good Flour, at \$6 per Barrel.

At J. W. BECKWITH'S.

Queen Street, Bridgetown.

Christmas Cards, Christmas Cards!

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ALSO—a good assortment of USEFUL and FANCY ARTICLES, suitable for CHRISTMAS and NEW YEAR'S presents, at

Mrs. L. C. WHEELLOCK'S

Dry Goods Store, LAWRENCETOWN, Dec. 15th, 1880.

J. W. ROSS!

Granville Street, BRIDGETOWN, N. S.

Light and Heavy HARNESSES!

TRUNKS & VALISES.

A good assortment of Travelling Trunks and Cases, of all sizes, and of all kinds, on hand. PARTICULAR ATTENTION TO REPAIRING.

A Want Supplied.

DEATH BLOW TO LARGE PROFITS.

Important Announcement to the Inhabitants of Bridgetown, Paradise, Lawrencetown, Middleton, in fact very important to the whole County of Annapolis:—

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

ANNAPOLIS SS, In the Supreme Court 1880, IN EQUITY.

HARRIS BENT, Plaintiff.

WILLIAM H. BENT, Defendant.

GRANT B. BULLOCK, A SUFFICIENT Public Auctioneer.

By the Sheriff of the County of Annapolis, in his capacity, in front of Buckley's Hotel, in Bridgetown, in said County.

ON SATURDAY, the 15th day of January, 1881.

will be sold by public auction, for cash, the following described premises, to-wit:

One certain lot of land, situate in the Parish of St. John, in the County of Annapolis, and bounded as follows:—

On the north by the lot of Robert Parker, deceased, containing six acres and eight rods, more or less.

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General News.

Steamship Meeting

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Correspondence.

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M. Scollanopus.

Feminine Follies and Follies. THE REV. J. E. CLEVER DEPLORES THE SILENCE OF THE FEMININE FOLLIES AND FOLLIES...

Some affect strong-mindedness—take to views instead of honest love and kiss pet dogs instead of babies—but for all their sneers, Mariology still points to the truth that woman is never so divine as when with child in arms, and mother-love in eyes, she appears God's greatest minister in the universe of the race...

Uprightness, downrightness, outrightness, here are three strands, which twisted into one, make a strong and reliable character. Character will grow into a gradually substantial thing when it shall be the evenly woven product of these three virtues...

Seventy thousand persons in America yearly die of consumption, most of whom have inherited the disease. Many numbers inherit it from their mothers, fathers, grandfathers, and uncles...

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3. Upright, downright, outright. That third is a grand trait. Nothing bohemian, nothing kept back, nothing equivocal. A hearty, honest, frank man may have faults, but they are of the surface, while the transparent deep reveals a man of high character...

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Second-Hand MACHINES Taken in Exchange as part payment for new ones. THE REPAIRING of all SEWING MACHINES will be attended to. ALL Sewing Machines WARRANTED.

ORGANS, PIANOS, Webber, Steinway, Emerson, &c. &c. of BOTH AMERICAN AND CANADIAN MANUFACTURE.

DYE WORKS, GILBERT'S LANE, SAINT JOHN, N. B. MEN'S CLOTHES, of all kinds, CLEANED or RE-DYED and Pressed, equal to new.

Favorite Literature, AT CONNOLLY'S. LATEST LIST. More Bitter than Death, The Book of Job, etc.

A FURTHER DEVELOPMENT of Connolly's Economic Stationery. Read and save the following List.

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CAUTION! EACH PLUG OF THE Myrtle Navy! IS MARKED.

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TO LAWYERS. A FRESH LOT of Shrimms and Eggs, of various kinds, just printed and for sale at his office.

Joker's Corner. Finishing the Verres. NOW A BROOKLYN EXCHANGE EDITOR HANDS HER A CHAIR, I HAVE COMPOSED A FEW VERSES, OR PARTIALLY COMPOSED them, and I thought you might help me to finish them and print them. He says they are real nice as far as they go.

Brooklyn Eagle. "If you please, sir," said the young lady, smiling, as the exchange editor handed her a chair, "I have composed a few verses, or partially composed them, and I thought you might help me to finish them and print them. He says they are real nice as far as they go."

"She was a handsome creature, with beautiful blue eyes and a crowning glory as yellow as golden rods. There was an expectant look on her face, a hopefulness on her face that appealed to the holiest emotions, and the exchange editor made up his mind not to crush the longing of that pure heart, if he never struck another link."

"I may I never you the poetry I continued here right, red mouth. You will see that I couldn't get the last line of the verses, and if you would please be so kind as to help me—"

"The dove-eyed blue eyes the most Look tender, meek and sad. While from the valley comes the rust—"

"If the matchless liver-pud' roared the exchange editor. "There you get it. That haughty second so to match with the first. It combines the fashion of the poetry, and carries the idea home to the fire-side. If only had your ability in starting a verse, with my genius in winding it up, I'd quit the stanzas and open in the poetry business to-morrow."

"Think so?" asked the fair young lady. "I don't strike me as keeping up the theme." "You don't want to. You want to break the theme here and there. The reader likes it better. Oh, yes! Where you keep up the theme it gets monotonous."

"Perhaps that's so," rejoined the beauty, brightening up. "I didn't think of that. Now I'll read the third verse."

"How sadly drops the dying day, And morning twilight seems to say— 'The old man's drunk again, wouldn't do, would it?' asked the exchange editor. "Somebody else wrote that, and we must have this thing original. Suppose we say; now just suppose we say; 'Why did I spout my Ben?'"

"Is that new?" inquired the sweet rosy lips. "At least, I never heard it before. I don't know what it means. 'New?' Don't it? Ben is the Presbyterian name for overcoat, and spout means to leak. 'Why did I spout my Ben?' means why did I spout my coat?"

"What he leaves it to you," said the glorious girl, with a smile that pinned the exchange editor's heart to his side. "This is the fourth verse: 'The merry milkmaid's sabbath song Ke-sets from the rock, As she carries the milk pails, 'Till the sun has set on the hill.'"

"With holes in both her socks, by Jove!" cried the delighted exchange editor. "You see—"

"Oh! no!" rejoined the blushing maiden. "Don't threaten me. Certainly, protested the exchange editor, warming up. 'Nine to four she's got up, and you get fidelity to fact with a wealth of poetical expression. The words of poetry generally, you can't state things as they are, it ain't like prose. But here we've hunted all our usual poetical expressions, put up actual existence with a veil of fancy poetry over it. I think that's the best idea we've struck yet."

"I don't seem to look at it any do, but of course you are the best judge. Pa thought to say: 'As silently she trips along 'In autumn's lowly tracks' Wouldn't that do?' 'Do just look at it. Does tracks rhyme with rocks? Not the words rhyme with rocks? Besides, when you say 'tracks' and 'rocks' you give the impression of some fellow heaving things at another who's scratching for safety. 'Socks' on the other hand, rhymes with 'rocks,' and beautifies them while it touches up the milkmaid, and by describing her condition, shows her to be a child of the very nature you are showing up."

"I think you are right," said the sweet angel. "I'll tell you where he was wrong. This is the way the fifth verse runs: 'And slips behind the farmer's boy Trills forth his simple tunes, And slips behind the milkmaid—'"