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Local and Special News. The Berkley camp meeting opened on Friday. Middlebury is arranging to celebrate Labor Day.

Local and Special News. Plan Boxes as J. H. Hicks & Sons'. The Presbyterian picnic at Hampton today.

Local and Special News. The streets are getting a much needed cleaning. Wanted—Good quality Pine, Birch and Spruce at J. H. Hicks & Sons'.

New Advertisements. TRAVELLER WANTED! A smart young farmer to take his own team and appoint agent from one to three months on the road.

—The gratitude of the Cuban for their relief from the yoke of tyrant Spain, effected by the interference of the United States, is not a matter to be reckoned in dollars and cents, however strong the sentiment may be.

—The first trip over the Midland Railway line from Windsor to Shubenacadie was made Friday. Surgeon Major J. A. Spangole, of Middlebury, has been appointed Medical Officer to the D. A. R.

—Councillor Hoyt is further improving his pretty new cottage, by the addition of a wing containing a conservatory chamber. —Mushrooms have come, and lovers of this dainty edible are abroad on the marshes in force in the early morning looking for them.

—The annual matches of the Annapolis Rifle Association, open to all members of the active militia resident in this county, will be held at Paradise on Wednesday and Thursday, Aug. 21st and 22nd.

PRIVATE SALE On the premises of the subscriber the following personal property, viz: 1 pair 5 year old steers, 1 yearling heifer, 1 2 year old heifer, 1 large brown cow, 1 black wheel, 1 tandem wheel, 1 plow box covered wagon, 1 covered wagon, 1 car, 1 new electric fixture for a whole house, 2 harnesses and other articles.

—The Fletton Standard is an advocate of good roads, and as it is along this line that the Monrois has striven for years to make a point against the present conduct of the road service, we copy a portion of the Standard's article in a recent number, on this subject.

—The good people of Dalhousie Hill intend holding a tea meeting at that place on Wednesday, September 12th. The proceeds will be applied for the construction of the new school house.

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Do You Know Good Things? Do You Want Good Things? Then buy your good things at TROOP & FORSYTH'S Meat Market, Granville Street, Bridgetown.

SELF SEALERS. PINTS, QUARTS, TWO QUARTS. R. SHIPLEY. Grand Orange Picnic Margaretville, WEDNESDAY, Aug. 21st, 1901.

The Bridgetown Importing House OUR CASH SALE —OF— READY-MADE CLOTHING Begins this week. We reduce sixty-three \$8 All-Wool Tweed Suits to \$5.00. J. W. BECKWITH.

CLEARANCE SALE —OF— Summer Goods. LADIES' WAISTS. Regular price: 50c, 65c, 75c, 95c, \$1.90. Sale price: 35c, 50c, 60c, 75c, 1.25. SUMMER CORSETS. Regular price 50c. Sale price 30c. PRINTS. Regular price 12 and 15c. Sale price 10 and 12c. WRAPPERS. Regular price: 90c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75. Sale price: 75c, 75c, 98c, 1.10, 1.25. WHITEWEAR. 5 doz. Ladies' Night Robes, 39c each. 20 per cent Discount on all lines of Whitewear.

JOHN LOCKETT & SON. Stores at Bridgetown and Paradise. Examination Supplies Everything you need. Central Book Store B. J. ELDERKIN. MISS LOCKETT Will sell balance of her stock at Large Discount. Bonnets marked \$2.00. Reduced to \$1.00. Hats marked \$3.00. Reduced to \$1.50. Vests, Hosiery and other goods at large discount. Bridgetown, May 23rd, 1901.

The Deering Knife Grinder (as well as Deering Mowers) LEADS the PROCESSION! Simple in Construction. Attachable to Wheel or Tongue. We also have left a few machines which have been used but one year and which are going at a bargain. Call and see them. BRIDGETOWN FOUNDRY COMPANY, LTD. THE PEOPLE'S STORE Spring Styles in Hats, Coats & Costumes YOU WILL FIND A FULL LINE OF Fine Millinery and Ladies' Goods At MRS. HAVEY'S on Queen Street. Room Paper, White Goods, Shirt Waists, Shirts and Corsets, which we are always pleased to show to the public. McCormick Store, Queen Street. B. HAVEY & CO.

—The importance of good roads cannot be overestimated. Good roads mean dollars in the pockets of all who travel and haul upon them. Ball roads mean dollars out of the pockets of all who travel and haul upon them.

—The house and outlying buildings of Capt. Amos Burns, at Torbrook, were burned last Wednesday afternoon, together with all the furniture belonging to Clarence Ritchie. The fire is supposed to have caught from a candle in the hen pen.

—The wedding was celebrated in the drawing room, which was specially arranged for the occasion. In the centre of the room a large floral bell was suspended, while the room about was banked with palms and plants. An arch was erected over the staircase just inside the main entrance. The decorations were all done by the young lady friends of the bride.

—The Margaretville Band will be in attendance and a Concert will be held in the evening. If the day should prove stormy the picnic will be held on the following day. Tickets for Ten 25c.

DRY GOODS. Cotton and Woolen Goods, Underclothing, Outside Clothing, Hosiery and Haberdashery. CARPETS. Men's Suits to close out at \$3.75. Children's Suits - \$1.45. J. I. FOSTER'S. Granville Street, Bridgetown.

—The apple shippers' convention at Toronto last week was presented a report was presented giving the average condition of the crop in Canada and the United States as 46 per cent. Ontario averaged only 35 per cent, Nova Scotia 75 per cent, California the highest, 90 per cent.

—A meeting of the Paradise Agricultural Society will be held in the school house, on Friday August 16th, at 7.30 p. m. A full attendance is requested as important business is to be discussed.

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—The couple were the recipients of a large list of rare and costly presents. The groom's present to the bride was a pearl and opal pendant pin, which she wore at the wedding. The groom's gift to the bride was a crescent pearl pin.

—The Immigration Department at Ottawa would turn its attention to the State of Massachusetts, and there induce some of the hundreds of thousands of Maritime Province people to return to Canada and settle on the rich fertile lands of the West. It could not do more in the interests of Canada. Those people are intelligent, industrious, honest and loyal, and therefore the very class to people our great Northwest. To these people the Government might do more than give free homes. We feel sure that colonies could be formed in the Northwest of Maritime Province people now residing in the United States, if the government would see about accomplishing this work. Quality counts for a good deal in the peopling of a country. One hundred sturdy sons of Eastern Canada would be worth in the Northwest to this country a thousand or more Dutchboobers, Galicians, Chalmers or Italians. Let us immigration agent be sent into Massachusetts to work among our own people now located there, and let there be special inducements offered them to return and settle in Canada.

—The contract for enlarging the old reservoir of the town water system and constructing a new and smaller one has been awarded to John Pigott and Arthur Marshall, who will commence work at once. The capacity of the old reservoir will be slightly more than doubled by excavating and raising the embankment. The new one will be used for supply when the old one needs cleaning or in case of an emergency. The contract price for the work is \$1250.

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TRY BLACK CROW. No Dust. Really Applied. Quick Action. Ask your Grocer.

Parades.
Surveil on Sunday, Aug. 18th, at 2 p. m. Mr. Edward Young, of Revere, Mass., is visiting his mother, Hamilton and Wallace Young.

A Reformer at Work.
Daniel B. McPherson, a witness for the petitioner to the election court at Georgetown, P. E. I., recently, has been committed for trial by Judge Hodgson, on the charge of perjury.

The Metric System.
Those in Canada who remember the change, less than fifty years ago, from bookkeeping in pounds, shillings and pence to the use of the decimal currency understand a little of the relief that would be afforded to our countrymen by the introduction of the decimal system of weights and measures.

NEWS OF THE WORLD.
Automobile will be in operation in Halifax next month.
The next World's Fair will be held in St. Louis in 1903.

Church Services, Sunday, August 12th.
Church of England.—Rev. Ernest Underwood, Rector. 11th Sunday after Trinity. St. James' Church, Brompton, W. 8th m. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Morning prayer at 11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. St. Mary's Church, BELLEVILLE. 8 p. m.—Evangelical sermon.

STRONG & WHITMAN'S Annual Clearing Sale is now in full swing.

Note the IMMENSE DISCOUNTS they are giving in all lines of Summer Goods.
20 PATTERNS 20 Cotton Wrappers
Fine Scotch Zephyr Gingham, regular prices 12c to 10c per yard. Your choice of any 10c pattern while they last, for only 35c per cent off.

Fancy Organdi Muslins Ladies' Sailor Hats
Thirty-one patterns to select from. This lot to be closed out at 35 p.c. off regular price.
40 per cent off. 40 per cent off.

Colored Blouse Waists.
Half Price! Half Price!
Headaches—"I was completely run down and was troubled with headaches and dizziness and pain in my back. I took Hood's Sarsaparilla which in a short time entirely cured me." Mrs. L. W. Winton, Orangeville, Ontario.

White Blouse Waists.
Regular prices: \$0.85, \$0.98, \$1.15, \$1.20, \$1.75, \$1.88. Reduced prices: .50, .70, .75, 1.00, 1.15.

White Pique Skirts.
Very heavy, 2 rows insertion, regular price \$1.98, to clear for only \$1.25.

Heavy Crash Skirts.
Regular prices: \$0.98, \$1.25. Reduced prices: 75c, 90c.

Men's Fancy Straw Hats.
Regular prices 50c to \$1.00. The lot to clear at only 25c.

Men's Crash Hats.
Regular price, 75c. Reduced to 25c.

South Williamson.
Mr. and Mrs. Phineas Charlton started for Brookfield, Quebec, on Thursday, to visit their daughter, Mrs. (Rev.) J. H. Balcom, and other friends.

The War in South Africa.
London, Aug. 10.—Lord Kitchener telegraphs the war office from Pretoria as follows: "Since July 29 the columns report 48 Boers killed, 12 wounded, 220 prisoners, and 877 burghers surrendered.

A Frog Story.
Brandon, Vt., July 30.—Professor Adrian Bond, a geologist from Rio Janeiro, who has been spending a few weeks with his daughter Ruth, collecting specimens of minerals in the Green Mountains, yesterday explored the Pittsfield cave a few days ago and discovered a hole in the wall of a frog trap, when he saw that the frog was still in the hole.

The Steel Strike.
Pittsburg, Pa., August 12.—The struggle for mastery between manufacturers and men in the steel industry is now fairly launched, and on the first show of strength advantage is with the manufacturers.

Centerville.
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TO LET
The Brick House belonging to the estate of late Robt. E. Randolph. April 2nd, 1901. 2 ft

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The great washing powder. Does not injure hands or fabrics. Guarantee not on every package. Your grocer sells K-L-E-N-Z-O.

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Tender for Extension to Wharf and Freight Sheds at Pictou, N. S.
Sealed tenders addressed to the undersigned, and marked "Tender for Wharf and Freight Sheds at Pictou, N. S." and "Intercolonial Railway" must be received by the undersigned on TUESDAY, the 20th day of August, 1901, at 10 o'clock, at the office of the undersigned, at Pictou, N. S.

THE CORNER GROCERY.
A NEW Grocery.
HEADQUARTERS for Fancy and Staple Groceries, Provisions and Fruits.
For Breakfast Foods. For Canned Fruits and Vegetables. For the "Ava" Tea, Coffee, Mustard and Pepper with a coupon in each package. For Flour, Feed and Cornmeal.

BRIDGETOWN BOOT AND SHOE STORE.
We have been appointed agents for the "WITIAM" Boot for Bridgetown.
Our Men's \$3.00 Boot in black and tan and two styles of toes—Bulldog and Aristocrat line.
Our Ladies' \$1.50 Boot in laced and buttoned.

PIANOS ORGANS SEWING MACHINES, &c.
A FEW MCLAUGHLIN CARRIAGES IN STOCK.
These must be sold.
Hand-made Harnesses a specialty.
Are You Looking for a Bargain? CALL ON US.
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All styles of Photographs made, Copying and Enlarging done in first-class style.

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Millinery Novelties, Up-to-date styles in Ready-to-wear Hats and Sallors.
MISS A. CHUTE'S Next door to Hancock's Jewelry.

Hamilton.
Mrs. Landers and wife, of Matapan, Mass., are staying a few weeks at Mrs. Chute's, enjoying the cool sea breeze.

The International Regatta.
The international regatta on the North West Arm at Halifax on Saturday attracted about 20,000 spectators. Mark Lynch, the Nova Scotia champion, was defeated by the Wray in the professional single shell races.

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Practical Talks and Plain Precepts for Farmers.

Edited for the Farmer readers of the MONITOR by an Annapolis Valley Agriculturist

The Good Roads Question. The Ontario Road Superintendent recommends township or parish to begin their work upon their roads with the commutation of statute labor.

These conditions should be live and active men who have had some experience in handling men. They should be paid at the rate of \$2.50 a day when working on a home and buggy are not required.

The amount of money allotted in each section of the township should be returned to, and spent by the commissioner of that section, and the work of graveling should be done on such roads and at such points as will distribute it fairly.

The Council should prepare a plan of each division classifying the roads according to their importance, and specifying the points to which the roads should be graded, the amount of gravel to be given to each, where the outcrops should be placed, what material should be used in their construction, what depth and width of gravel should be placed on each road.

Early in the spring it should be the duty of each commissioner to go over the roads in his division, study closely their condition and determine what work is needed on each. The plans to be graded should be staked out in regular order and a list of the outcrops to be constructed, repaired, or renewed, should be made.

The best available gravel pits should be purchased by the Council, and the commissioner instructed to have all surface earth stripped off before hauling is commenced. When necessary, gravel screened before being used to the road.

One man should be employed to operate the machine, and another to drive it. These teams should go with the grader continuously, as constant familiarity with the work will secure better service.

As soon as the frost has left the ground the grader should be used. The machine should be started. A plan of each road to be graded should be furnished the operator, and he should commence at a fixed point, grading piece after piece continuously, until all the work laid out has been done over.

Whenever outcrops are being rebuilt, concrete pipe should be manufactured by the commissioner in most convenient gravel pits. Third, State labor should be either committed to a cash equivalent or the taxpayer should contribute to give at an equivalent in labor under the direction of a skilled worker.

The importance of roads to the farmer. In bringing this question before the readers we cannot do better than quote Mr. A. W. Campbell, the noted Road Superintendent for the Province of Ontario, who says:

A good road is not a luxury. The road over which a load of farm produce passes is just as necessary as the wagon which holds the load or the horse which draws it. "The road," the opponents of the road reformers will argue, "need not necessarily be a good one. A track through the fields would serve. On the same principle the wagon, horse and harness need not be good. To follow the argument to a conclusion, they are not needed at all, since it would be cheaper to use a wheelbarrow, thereby saving the purchase of wagon, horse and harness. Bad roads are cheaper than good roads in just the same way that a wheelbarrow is cheaper than a wagon and a team of horses. If it pays to buy wagons, horses and harness it will pay to build good roads. The road is a part of the farm machinery just as much as the plow, and it is the duty of the farmer to see that it is in good order. The road is the life-line of the farm, and it is the duty of the farmer to see that it is in good order. The road is the life-line of the farm, and it is the duty of the farmer to see that it is in good order.

For cities, towns and townships bad roads are a great evil. The farmer, however, feels the influence most directly, interfering as they do with all his social and business relations. During certain seasons of the year he is isolated, in a measure, even from his nearest neighbor. He cannot attend church, nor the public meeting, his children cannot reach the school, with the result that farming is generally regarded as dull and monotonous. Very much has been said for a number of years, of the undeveloped resources of Canada, and the need of action. So long, however, as the roads of this country remain in their present condition, we need not go to Northern Ontario, nor Ungava to find resources that are not developed. Surrounding us are our very doors farm lands ready yielding but a moiety of their hidden wealth. Bad roads are not solely responsible but they are a factor, in looking up the riches of the farms.

The farmer realizes, and he does not realize, the importance of roads. That they really do it is evidenced by the fact that in the ten years, 1885-96, there was spent on roads by township and county councils, according to the reports of the Ontario Bureau of Industries, nearly ten million dollars. In addition to this there is placed on the roads eleven million dollars of statute labor—the united money and labor having a total value of twenty-one million dollars.

Speak the Good Word. "Fate" is the one word which the London Advertiser places over the following: "Some fifty or sixty years ago there stood in a picturesque corner of Westbury, Scotland, a little parish schoolhouse, in which the callants of the countryside received a hearing."

That comes as a cooling drink For the famished one. Of earth's delights and sons; It is telling the good that we think.

Changes at Windsor Castle. Visitors at Windsor these days have a good deal about the change that is taking place in that venerable castle with the accession of its new occupants. Queen Victoria had a practice of retaining her attendants as long as they were useful, and as a natural consequence being a very old woman, most of the people around her were of similar age.

The new king is sending them all off with comfortable pensions and replacing them with younger, active and able men and women. Of course the old ones who have to go imagine the kingdom is going to the bow-wow, and that the changes will be the ruin of the royal establishment, and the new broom, according to the proverb, is sweeping clean.

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