





WEEKLY MONITOR

NEWS FROM ALL OVER THE COUNTY.

Miss Annie Troop, who is superintendent of the Silver Thread Band of Hope, desires through the Monitor to thank the Band and so thoughtfully at their last meeting, presented her with a beautiful silver mounted parasol as a token of the season in which she is laid.

At the close of school for Xmas holidays, our popular teacher, Mr. A. McCormack, was presented by his pupils with a traveling companion, who in return treated the school to a beautifully laden Christmas tree at the home of her mother, Camille A. P. Nelly.

The White Ribbon Army will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Banks on Sunday evening, 8th inst.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Leonard, of Kingston, have been recent guests at the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Banks.

Mr. Frank Daniels, of U. S. is at home visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Dunn, who has been on the sick list for a number of weeks, is not much improved in health.

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Mr. James B. Hall left on Friday for Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Baker have recently visited Mrs. Baker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James B. Hall.

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WE WISH ONE AND ALL "A Happy and Prosperous New Year," and extend to you an invitation to investigate the bargains of our January Clearance Sale. We offer at cost and below, the balance of our Framed Novelties, Mirrors and Statuary. Also exceptional values in Bedroom, Parlor and Dining Room Furniture, previous to stock-taking. We have a number of Storm Sashes which we do not wish to carry over.

The Manufacturers' Life Insurance Company, of Toronto, Canada. Insurance in force (close of 1903) over \$34,000,000. Surplus on policy holders' account \$2,656,477. Paid policy holders in 1903 366,533.04. Excess of income over all payments 690,985.82.

FOR SALE! Mr. HORSE: only six years old, kind, perfectly sound, good traveler and roadster. 20 ft. T. D. BURGESS.

Prize, Gold Watch! THE UNITED TYPEWRITER CO. OP. for the student in our Shorthand Department. Awarding the highest marks during the year 1904. A Seven-jeweled Waltham Stem-winder, No. 101 Watch, warranted for 2 years, either lady's or gentleman's. Our new book, TYPING AT A GLANCE, sent free to any address.

Here is a Xmas Present Worth Having. You can make beautiful Portraits with any of the EASTMAN KODAKS. We keep all kinds, from \$1.00 up, and give instructions with each one. When you are in ask to see the New No. 2 FOLDING POCKET KODAK, price \$5.00. The most complete CAMERA for the money ever gotten up.

WE HAVE A FINE LINE OF CARVERS, FISH SETS, POCKET CUTLERY, GUNS, HOCKEY STICKS, SKATES, AIR RIFLES, NICKLED COPPER WARE, BREAD MIXERS, ENAMELED WARE, SLEDS, ALARM CLOCKS, -ALSO- TOP SAIL-SHEET CHAIN, BAR STEEL AND IRON, KEROSENE OIL, LUBRICATING OILS of all kinds. Call and see our New Goods. K. FREEMAN.

WE take this opportunity of wishing our Customers, one and all A Very Happy and Prosperous New Year. Trusting the pleasant business relations we have had in the past may continue and increase through the coming year to our mutual benefit, with all good wishes for 1905. We remain, Respectfully yours, STRONG & WHITMAN.

TALK IT OVER. A low priced machine is an attractive bait, but how many there are who part with their money and have only a sad experience to show for it. When You Buy, get a machine that is known to be first-class, one on which you can depend for service every day, and year by year—that means a WHITE. We have it in either movement—Vibrator or Rotary shuttle. Let us submit a machine for trial. We're sure we can satisfy you with our reasonable terms.

Do Your Shoes Suit? This is a question most men and women must answer for themselves. My entire range now open for inspection. Does not overlie my stock in making your Xmas purchases. Felt goods for Xmas cannot be surpassed. Ladies', Gents' and Boys' OVERSHOES and Rubber Boots. Lumbermen's stubb proof Rubbers, high and low cut. Felt Sox. Slater's Rubberless Boots for Ladies' and Gents. Ladies' LEGGINGS and GAITERS. A full line of Amherst made coarse-wear in Men's, Women's, Boys and Children's sizes.

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E. A. COCHRAN. BRUDGERS BUILDING. Nothing more appropriate or better appreciated from Grandpa to the Baby, than something nice in footwear for a Christmas gift. Among our special lines selected for the Holiday trade are Men's Slippers and Elastic Side Shoes, Ladies' Slippers and the Julia Marlowe Shoe, Nursery Shoes and Kid Moccasins for the tots, Slipper Socks, also Gaiters and Rubbers, all kinds. Sole Leather constantly on hand.

FRESH NEW STOCK FOR THE Holiday Trade. Having made ample provision to supply our customers with good fresh GROCERIES, SPICES, DRIED FRUITS etc. for the Holiday season, we trust they will not forget to call upon us. Our prices as low as consistent with good quality. Christmas Confectionery. Fruit and Nuts. Also a line of fancy and useful articles, suitable for Xmas gifts. MRS. J. E. BURNS. Dec. 1st, 1904. Granville St.

WALL PAPERS 1905. No WALL PAPER like Paul's price wall papers for heavy of design, low wear and low price. For all papers for all tastes, all purposes, and all pocket books. In addition to our regular Paul's line of samples for 1905, we will have the sole control for Annapolis County of a full line of samples, in the only available wall covering made. Adapted for all kinds of rooms. Pauline Corporation. Send us a flexible wall covering with colors and designs in the spring of 1905, we will not only give you a full line of samples, but we will also give you a full line of samples in a position to save you money on your wall papers.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY. Atlantic Steamship Lines. Halifax to London. Proposed direct sailings S. S. "Lake Michigan," Dec 21st, "Mount Temple," Jan 11th, "Montross," Jan 20th. The above fast and powerful steamships will regularly visit the end of April. The patronage of fruit shipments is solicited. Space can be engaged with F. H. FOWLER, BRIDGETOWN, or with T. H. S. DeWOLF & SON, Agents, Halifax, N. S. December 7th-10th.

Don't Worry! About your Xmas presents, but call on SANCTON after Monday next, and inspect his beautiful line of QUADRUPE PLATED WARE fresh from the manufacturers'. The largest and best selection for years. Remember SANCTON Queen Street, Bridgetown.

PREPARE FOR JACK FROST BY PURCHASING Men's and Woolen Slippers, Men's, Women's and Misses' Under-clothing, Men's Top Shirts, Winter Socks in great variety, Blankets and Comfortables, Horse Rugs, Dress Gowns, Shirts, Bras, Gloves and Mitts.

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The Monitor's Agricultural Department For the Use and Benefit of Farmers.

Correspondence, Suggestions and Inquiries welcomed to these columns.

Testing Dairy Herds.

WHAT THE DANES HAVE DONE—AN OBJECT LESSON FOR CANADA.

The little kingdom of Denmark occupies an almost unparalleled position as a producer of first-class bacon and butter, as Canadian farmers are well aware. These products have long been the pride of the Danes in their own country. This pre-eminence has been brought about chiefly by the general diffusion of agricultural information and the hearty cooperation of the farmers along every line that will be to their mutual advantage.

Most youngsters get tired of work when the novelty wears off. Poultry will stop laying as soon as the care stops—the boy sees the lack of care immediately.

WINTER EGG PRODUCTION.

Yield success or failure in getting winter eggs depends upon lat, proper stocks, 2nd, a suitable house, 3rd, egg production, 4th, care and attention. Among the various breeds the Plymouth Rocks, Wyandottes and Orpingtons are most likely to lay well in winter.

Early hatched pullets, or early molting hens make the best winter layers. Pullets should be hatched between April 1st and May 15th to lay well in winter. The house should be comfortable in cold weather. Do not need a warm house—we must not shut off all fresh air. A house should be water-proof, wind-proof, and with an abundance of fresh air and light. Let in the sun plenty of it.

Maritime Winter Fair.

(Continued from last issue.) AGRICULTURAL EDUCATION. This important topic was also dealt with by Mr. C. C. James, Deputy Minister of Agriculture, of Ottawa.

When we think, he said, "of the difficulties in agricultural work, it is not somewhat strange that in the past we have insisted upon a thorough course of preparation for our doctors, our lawyers, our clergymen, our civil engineers, before we would allow them to follow their profession, but for the farmer we have done nothing, or almost nothing. We have turned them out with a common school education that is not equally rational to do the same with doctors, lawyers, etc.

It has been demonstrated by the census returns and other official statistics, by the work of the experimental farms and agricultural colleges, and by numerous private investigations of dairy herds, that a large proportion of our cows are kept unprofitably. An educational campaign that will bring dairy farmers face to face with facts as they exist on their own farms is urgently needed in this country. The problem of weeding out the cows that cannot be made to yield milk at a profit is by far the most important one that confronts our dairymen today.

He was delighted to see this teaching now being inaugurated; he looked for it to do much for Eastern Canada. A good general education could be got by studying agriculture, as well as by the present curriculum, and Mr. James was as applicable to town and city schools as to country schools. The resources of Canada are manifold, but our agricultural resources are the most important. To gain our highest prosperity, the great bulk of our people must be agriculturists.

It is time we took this matter seriously, time we looked at it from a national standpoint. The future of this country depends upon whether or not our young people grow up with a determination to develop the resources of that part of it in which they live. He urged his audience to bring out their children to such educational institutions as they were the coming citizens, the older men and women were not nearly so important. The proper training of our children was the surest way to build up the prosperity of the country.

INSECTS INJURIOUS TO LIVE STOCK. Dr. James Fletcher, Entomologist of the Dominion Experimental Farms, gave a most interesting address, with illustrations of the various insects and parasites thrown on a screen by the stereopticon.

Parasites of all kinds were, he said, very harmful to live stock, keeping them worried and annoyed, preventing their growth and development, and in some cases, or by some of the proprietary dyes. Animals may be relieved of these pests by the application of oil in some form, or by some of the proprietary dyes. A cheap and good mixture for lice on cattle was 1 gallon of fish oil in which was mixed 1 lb. of sulphur. Coal oil (paraffine oil) and milk made into an emulsion was also a good mixture.

The stalls should be washed down as well, as these creatures get into cracks, etc., in the stable. Chicken mites will sometimes get on horses and cattle, and though they do not breed there, they occasion a great deal of worry while they live. To cure lice on poultry, put a ball of lard and sulphur, the size of a hard nut, under the wing of each bird.

The Hornly, so troublesome to cattle, could be kept off by applying clover hay at a feeding time. In the pine tar and 5 lbs. of lard to the whole body of the animal. To prevent ticks on sheep—the sheep should be dipped before going into winter quarters.

THE NEW AGRICULTURE. Prof. C. C. James, in a practical address, showed very plainly how necessary it was becoming for the farmer to conduct his business upon business lines, to produce those crops which make most money in his particular locality, to co-operate with his neighbors in dairying, in beef raising, in fruit growing, etc., and by producing large quantities of produce at uniform quality to secure a place on the world's market. It was also necessary to have a few acres of land under the new agriculture, for the farmer to take advantage of all the knowledge and experience of scientific men. It must be educated, and that is the main thing. His home also, must be made more convenient for his wife and more attractive for his children, and with rational education for his wife and children to follow their profession, but for the farmer we have done nothing, or almost nothing. We have turned them out with a common school education that is not equally rational to do the same with doctors, lawyers, etc.

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The Household.

SEASONABLE SUGGESTIONS.

With the closing of the year, and in addition to the peculiar duties and privileges pertaining to the holiday season, there are practical matters which should have careful attention accorded every home. If any necessary provisions for the cold weather of winter have been put over from time to time, awaiting "a more convenient season," let them have the right of way at "his time in anticipation of the days of immediate need.

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THE HABIT OF NOT FEELING WELL. Few people realize that their ailments are largely self-induced. They get into a habit of not feeling well. If they get up in the morning with a slight headache or some other trifling indisposition, instead of trying to rise above this condition they take a positive pleasure in expatiating upon their feeling to anyone who will listen.

DIFFERENCE EXACTLY DEFINED. He was the head of a Harlem household; his letter had usually directed the marketing. One morning he was sent around the corner to get some eggs for breakfast. The grocer's clerk danced to him, and was asked, "Have you any eggs?"

SHE WAS THE LIMIT. She was the daintiest sort of a little thing and the accommodating shoe dealer had tried on "immense" shoes, nearer so that she might see how pretty her little foot really did look. But at last the perspiring clerk, with just the slightest ring of impatience in his tone, said:

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Joker's Corner.

GIVING ADVICE.

"You are a farmer, I take it?" queried the sharp-tongued man, as he sat down beside the man with his trousers tucked into his boots. "Waal, yea, I farm," was the reply. "Then I want to talk to you. I've got a patent hayfork which I am going to travel with this summer, and I should like to get a few pointers from you to start on."

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