

PLANNED SANITARY SYSTEM THEY KEEP THE BODY HUMAN HEALTHY-INTEREST

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ING STORY FROM QUEBEC. The kidneys have very appropriately been desoribed as the sanitary system of the human body. Let them become inoperating and disease will quickly follow, and unless the obstructions are removed, death will be the result. Mr. D. J. Locke, of Sherbrock, P. Q., suffered for years from complicated kidney trouble, and spent over \$100 in efforts to secure relief; but no relief came until he used South American Kidney Cure. His statement is that four bottles completely cured him, and to day he is in the enjoyment of sound health. In the most distressing cases this remedy gives relief in six hours. Sold by S. N. Weare.

even the moderate does of alcohol diminist the power of work. All that is said abo the strength produced by alcohol is does tion. The small glass of the poor man tak during his hours of labor is andoubtedly i jurious. Every penny which the labor pays for alcoholic drinks is not only waste for fat and sugar what he gives for He claims to speak as "a off list," and states that it is the p physiology, his specialty, to det affects of alcohol on the system.

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WEDNESDAY MARCH 10th, 1897.

-The United States is once more in the hands of the Republicans, whose nominee for hands of the Republicans, whose nominee for the Presidency was duly inaugurated on the 4th inst. The Democracy of a Cleveland has been superseded by the Republicaniam of a McKinley and the latter party are looking for the speedy slavent of better times. It is to be hoped that their expecta-tions will be realized, and that the scienting business depression, which entails idleness upon willing fabor, will be lifted and confi-dence restored in the solidarity of the finan-tia and commercial institutions of the councial and commercial institutions of the coun-try. How all this is to be brought about

he future must decide; nothing savoring of any startling change in policy was outlined by the new president in his inaugural ad-dress. True, he advocated an increase of ion as the best method to make a plus natead of a minus represent the difference between revenue and expenditure, but in doing this he only out Herod's Herod. The acturing interests of the Republic surely have protection enough to enable safully manufacture for the to su ome market to the practical exclusion of ign manufactures; the agriculturists are also highly protected under the Wilson tariff; and it is doubtful if any benefits will scorue to the wage earners, on whom the burden of taxation now rests most heavily, under a higher tariff. To benefit this latter

inder a higher tariff. To benefit this latter olass there must be such a revival and an ex-tension of manufacturing industries as will give employment to the tens of thousands of willing workers who are now undergoing an onforced idlences. Before this state of affairs can be brought about the currency problem must be satisfactorily solved, for it is to this, far more than to tariff uncertain-ty, that the business depression of the past few years is directly chargeable. A depres-sion that ante-dates the Cleveland regime and emanated under Republicanism cannot be saddled on the outgoing administration. They can only be biamed for not having remedied an existing evil. McKinley has committed himself to give international bi-metallism his early and earnest attention, and he will endeavor to secure it by co-oper-ation with the other great commercial pow-ers of the world. Until the parity between and he will endeavor to secure it by cooper-ation with the other great commercial pow-ers of the world. Until the parity between gold and silver money is established by an international conference, he pledges his gov-to the present of the present will do all in their power to make it so. silver coinage at a par with gold by every resource at its command. He also declares strongly for peace and arbitration, and ad-vocates the adoption of the recently drafted

Instantic to keep the value of the present twe ooinage at a par with gold by every mource at its command. He also declares rongly for peace and arbitration, and adcates the adoption of the recently drafted at the head office, London, Eugland, on February 19ch. Francis Tothill, who preserves the adoption of the recently drafted is the head office, London, Eugland, on February 19ch. Francis Tothill, who preserves the adoption of the recently drafted is the head office, London, Eugland, on February 19ch. Francis Tothill, who preserves the adoption of the recently drafted is the head office, London, Eugland, on February 19ch. Francis Tothill, who preserves the adoption of the portional data been held in Canada and othe policial condition of affairs in the fortaffic had maintained itself. The heave been overhaling stock this unsual course, is to be commended, since he will thus obtaines out many session of Congress for the 15th inst. To motion. He stated that in his judgment, and according to the working of the line it. Liverpool receipts during week 22,784 barries to to easider the the according to the working of the line. Liverpool receipts during week 22,784 barries the the development of traffic. Their traffic returns were, on the whole, and to the statements alrease wailing on astifisatory. General Manager for political partizanahip. It is currently reported that Mr. DeBlois, government avering bank agent at Annapolis, has been dismised the the development of traffic. Their traffic returns were, on the whole, made. The year had been a difficult one to contied with, but he had hopes that some yreading the conduced. Lat me have been were and privileges of the democracy, the working of the terry and howe desee and Butter Co., are making arrangements to instat a butter mathing plant is connection with heir present to manufact the development of the terry is the development of the United States. In all these things he is but Congress and Senate to sustain him in his views. The new president does not intend to shirk his duty, and has called an extraor-His action in adopting this unusual course, is to be commended, since he will thus obviate the necessity for a prolonged tariff un. certainty, and will place the government at once in harness at a time when their mettle as statesmen will be severely tested. The new government have not the entire confidence of the people; they are backed by the monied interests that placed them in power, but if they legislate for the advan-

ame of County Conference and S. S. The following is the programme to be pursued at the County Conference of Baptist Churches and S. S. Convention to be held with the Baptist Church in this town on Monday and Tuesday, 15th and 16th inst.: COUNTY CONFERENCE. MONDAY EVENING, MARCH 15TH.

at at last int

Mass Missionary Meeting. "The Great Commission," Rev. Josiah Webb; "Oar Foreign Mission Work," Rev. J. W. Man-ning, (Secretary F. M. Board); "The Spirit of Missions," Rev. J. T. Eaton. TUESDAY MORNING, MARCH 16TH.

9.30.—Devotional Service, led by Rev. S. Langille. Election of Officers. Reports from Churches. Paper by Rev. E. E. Locke. Discussion

SUNDAY-SCHOOL CONVENTION. TUESDAY AFTERNOON.

Devotional exercise, led by Dea. Chas Address by President.

Address by Freedent. Business. Paper, "The Model Superintendent," Rev. H, M. Parry. Reports of Vice-Presidents. Paper, "The Teacher's Aim," Miss May Belle Fash. Blackboard Exercise, Miss Helen Vidito, with the infant class.

TUESDAY EVENING. Devotional Exercise, led by Dea. James Jackson. "Country S. S. Work," Rev. G. J. C.

White. White. Paper, "Requisites of a Successful School," Rev. J. W. Brown. Scripture Exercise, Mrs. G. H. Dixon and class. "Can the Sunday-school do anything for Prohibition," Rev. S. Langille.

Bridgetown Driving Park Co., Ltd.

The annual meeting of the Bridgetown Driving Park Co. Ltd., was held at the of-fice of the secretary on Saturday evening, March 6th, 1897, E. A. Craig, president, in the chair. A good representation of the

Dominion Atlantic Railway Company.

-Cranberries at F. G. Palfrey's. 50 11 -The new Methodist church at Kentville was dedicated last Sunday. -New Goods are now daily arriving for J. W. Beckwith. Send for samples. 11 -Read our Combination Offer in the adv. The Hicks & Sancton Mfg. Co. -Exports from Bridgetown for 1896 wer valued at \$28,722 and imports at \$15,177. -A fresh supply of Confectionery at F. G. Palfrey's. 50 li -Central Railway traffic returns for 1896 show an increase of 9 per cent. over 1895. -Mass will be celebrated at St. Alphonso's church on Sunday next at 11 o'clock a.m. -J. E. Sullivan, the New Brunswick murderer, is to be hanged on the 12th inst. -The Mulhall Brothers, of Middleton, intend starting a newspaper at Bear River. -Attention is directed to the co-partner-ship notice of Mesers. E. & E. Schaffner, of Lawrencetown -A large supply of Oranges and Lemons at F. G. Palfrey's. 50 ll

Local and Special News.

-A general revision of the local voters lists took place last Friday. The court here was continued over Saturday and Monday. -E. G. Langley's valuable pacing mare Lucille B., was badly cut this morning on a hind leg by being kicked by another horse.

-Try a can of our delicious Ginger Syrup for Pancakes. Crowe & Parker. 50 li -Rev. J. W. Manning, of St. John, will preach in the Baptist Church here next Sun-day morning, and at Granville Centre in the

-The pupils in the Bridgetown schools, under the direction of Principal Brown; col-lected during last week \$6.55 for the India Famine Fund.

-Capt. Vidito Munro has purchased from Mr. R. E. Feltus the speedy young mare Maud Rampart, and intends tracking her a bit next season.

-You can get nice Oranges and Lemons at Crowe & Parker's from 15 to 25 cents a dozen. 50 li -Capt. John H. Longmire, while in Bridgewater recently, purchased the 44 ton schooner *Hustler*, for the Bridgetown-St. John packet service.

-Annapolis county is down in the esti-mates for 1897 for a special road and bridge grant of \$757.00 in addition to the yearly net grant of \$5,110.25.

-Fresh Home-made Candy arriving week from the Kandy Kitchen at Crowe & arker's. 50 li ly from t Parker's. -Nova Scotia Ribstons sold in London last month for 20/ to 26/; Golden Russets 17/ to 25/; Nonparella 12/ to 16/; Baldwins 10/ to 15/; Spys 9/ to 15/.

-Local election rumors are flying thick and fast. The date is now set at April 15th, though it would be a difficult matter to trace the news to any reliable source.

-We are beadquarters for ready-mixed Paint, all colors. Will be pleased to quote prices. R. Shipley. Ii

-Through the death of Miss Forsythe, of Halifax, who died recently, several legacies which had been secured to her during her life time, revert to Norman Ray, of Mar-garetville.

-The Bridgetown Cheese and Butter Co., are making arrangements to instal a butter making plant in connection with their present efficient cheese plant, and expect to manu-facture both butter and cheese during the

nance March

Notice of

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS. Attorney-General Longley was in town Attorney-General Longley was in town yesterday. Revs. R. S. Whidden and F. M. Young, are ill with la grippe. Mr. D. M. Doherty was among the strang-ers in town on Monday. Miss Lou LeCain is spending the week at her home in Round Hill. Miss Ethel B. Davies spent Sunday with friends in Lawrencotown. Rev. John Craig, of Bear River, spent a day in town during the week. Mrs. A. D. Brown has been spending a few days with friends at Middleton. Miss Mattie Dearness spent part of last week with friends at Middleton. Miss Flo Williams, of the Telephone Cen-tral, is spending a few days in Digby. Miss Hope Johnson, of Weymouth, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Young. Mr. E. M. Bancroft, of the Annapolis Machine and Cycle Co., is in town this week. Capt. Milledge Munro, who has been on the aincle list for the mast fortinght. is out

Capt. Milledge Munro, who has been on the sick list for the past fortnight, is out

Mr. John J. Dickson, of Brantford, Ont., was among the strangers in town on Tues-day last. Mr. Walter Jakeman, V.S., of Halifax, was in town last week looking after equine

W. A. Craig, Manager of the Bridgetown Foundry Co., spent a day in Kentville dur-

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Langley, of the Grand Central, returned from their trip to Boston last Saturday. Mr. Wallace Hawkesworth, of Kentville, has been visiting his parents here during the past for days.

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day. H. Fowler, agent for the Bowker Fertilizer Co., who has been spending a few days at home, left town on Monday last for Antigon-ish and Port Mulgrave. Mrs. H. M. Balley, formerly proprietress of the Middleton railway restaurant, is suf-fering from an attack of quinsy at the home of Mrs. Wiswell, Boston.

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For Sale!

Encyclopedia Britannica, loth bound, new. Price, \$3

W. J. VERGE. Pine Grove, Lower Middleto

**FARM FOR SALE!** 

The subscriber offers for sale the valuable property, on Port Lorne Mountain, known as the Joseph Corbett farm. This farm is nicely located, being within one mile of three schools one hundred acres, mountains, which we have pastures with never failed water; is in good condition and out sileten tons of hay. There is also Wed as a nice dwelling house with very bone and piggery, 30:30 feet. There is an ever-failing well of water on the premises. Interding purchasers will please call and exam-ter. Lorias to suit purchasers. Apply to Mrs. Louisa Slocomb on the premises. Intending purchasers will pla ine. Terms to suit purchase Louisa Slocomb on the prem

### **AUCTION!**

The following articles will be sold at Public Monday, March 15th,

AT ONE O'CLOCK, P. M., at John L. Morse's, Upper Clarence:

One Covered Waggon, One Light Driving Waggon, One Express Waggon, One Sleigh, One Horse Sled, One Harness, A lot of Hay. PEPMG. All some under \$5

TERMS: -All sums under \$5.00, cash; over that amount six months' credit with approved security. FREEMAN FITCH,

FOR SALE! ulars apply to the prop wn, March 10th, 1897. Your Spare Time! Men, women, to conduct business at home, Work is simple writing and copying lists of addresses received from local advertising, to be forwarded to us daily. No canvassing no previous experience required, but plain writers preferred. Permanent work to those content preferred. Permanent work to those content

New Advertisements.

bearn \$6 or more weekly in spare time. Apply WARREN PUB. Co., LONDON, ONT. 50 6m NOTICE! All persons having legal demands against the state of J. WAYLAND BROWN, late of Bridgetown, in the County of Annapolis, do-ceased, are requested to render the same duly titested to within tweive months from the date hereof, and all persons indebied to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to

H. E. BROWN. Bridgetown, March 4th, 1897.

NOTICE The ratepayers who are liable for school rates in Bridgetown School Section, No. 29, A. C., for the school year ending July 3ist, 1807, and who have not paid said rates will please take notice that said school rates must be paid forthwith to save the expense of collection by process of

W. M. FORSYTH. Bridgetown, March 9th, 1897. 50 1i

**Destrick Skule** Ye Examenashun

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MUSICK OF YE OLDEN TIME ATTE YE

COURT HOUSE

Ye 11th day of ye Third Month

TEACHER: Deborah Jukes, she that was a Bixby.

a Bixby. MENNE SKOLARS: Hezekiah Ryerson, Ichabod Hewins, Christopher Colum-bus Fogg. WIMMEN SKOLARS: Deepvoice Averill, Thankful Dill, Tryphena Thompson,

and others whose names ye printers have left out.

Doors open at 7.30 by ye town clock Skule begins 30 minutes after ye ringing o ye bell. Tickets to ye skule 25 pennies; fronte seats 10 pennies extra.

A. Combination Offer!\_

1 Toilet Case, 1 Picture Frame com-plete for "The Orphan's Prayer" or any other picture about 16x22 (or we will furnish picture),

Both for \$1.50.

Thousands of the Toilet Cases have been sold for \$1.75 each, and a large order now to fill in April at that price. This offer is made to make way for a new enterprise. Take ad-vantage of it at once.

ABUNDANCE OF MOULDINGS IN STOCK.

> **House Builders!** Don't forget that we are here to attend to

HICKS & SANCTON M'F'& CO.



# CASH PRICES

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 10, 1897.

#### Which will Meet Foreign Competition.

We have been preparing for the past nine months by placing all our orders for the Spring of 1897 DIRECT, which will put us in a position to not only compete with Toronto cash prices, but do even better, as our expenses being much less we can sell at a less percentage. We beg to ask for a comparison of quality and prices before sending your orders away and give us a chauce to prove what we claim we are prepared to do. Of course in order to do this we are obliged to ask for the same treatment, viz., **spot cash.** Our patrons, however, have the **advan-**tage of thorough inspection before purchasing, which is a privilege not accorded them as patrons of the Toronto firms, who require cash with the order, the results in many cases proving unsatisfactory and disappointing.

## Our Dress Goods, Silks and Trimmings

will comprise all the newest and prettiest effects, and with better qualities we have been careful not to order two alike. Setts of samples will be ready to send out during the latter part of this month, the first applications for which will secure first attention

Spring Cash Prices with Pillow Cottons, Sheeting, White and

9-4 Bleached Sheeting (Twilled) at 20c.

A few LADIES' WRAPPERS and JACKETS at just half price.

We are Still Offering

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AND ALL LINES OF

Men's Ulsters,

Boys' Ulsters,

A few Furs,

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We have a number of lines of Dress Goods we will clear out this month at half price in order to make space which we find we will require for our New Goods.

See the Dress Goods and other articles which we are mak-

Grey Cottons, Towels, etc., etc.

ing special discounts on this month

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W. BECKWITH

42-inch Pillow Cottons at 9c.

8-4 Bleached Sheeting at 17c

Our New Staple Goods are now arriving, and we begin our

8-4 Unbleached Sheeting at 14c

9-4 Bleached Sheeting (plain) at 18c.

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they will play a losing game. The real fight in United States politics is between capital and labor, and the latter class are crying for the institution of economy in every departent of the government as the only sure neans of balancing revenue and expendi-With Cleveland's exit, and McKinentrance, the American people will cease for a little to grumble over the hard times, but the season of their discontent will quickly return if new administration shows an inability to grapple with the great needs of the day.

alectors of Bridgetown will be -The electors of Bridgetown will be ation on the 20th inst., unless an appeal is

taken against the proposed boundaries. A petition has been circulated for the purpose, and quite generously signed, but at time of writing it has not been fyled. Meanwhile the champions of civic and municipal gov-ernment are fighting their battles, and both claim foresight enough to see victory perching on the standard of their cause. There is small doubt but that the majority of the ratepayers of the thickly settled and business parts of the town are in favor of incorporation, but there is a strong opposition from the outskirts of the proposed limits. Claims are made by those outside the water and light district that they will be taxed for both these services; but this is a mistaken notion, at least it is not the case in other incorporated towns. The advantages to be gained by the direct application of the taxes, to be raised on the assessable property of the town, to the peculiar needs of the town itself are many and indisputable. The question of boundaries is another matter, and it will likely be a difficult one to settle. The committee appointed to define the lim-its of the proposed incorporation, no doubt acted to the best of their judgment, but they could not be expected to satisfy everyone. If the objections from the over-the-river ratepayers are valid, they are entitled to the privilege of pressing them before the local ent committee: but it does seem as if, if the question of boundaries is the sole Conventio in June." object of the appeal, the matter might have been satisfactorily arranged before it left the hands of the committee to be incorporated in the petition for a pcll. If the move ment has been started for the sole purpose of side-tracking the main issue, it shows plainly that there is a minority seeking to scape a battle of the ballots. Incorporation for Bridgetown may be delayed, as it has been delayed in other towns, but the movenent gains strength with each delay, and it ment gains strength with each delay, and it will finally triumph. The higher taxation bugbear has already been practically dis-posed of, as it is apparently useless to argue that the intelligence of a representative bus-iness executive of Bridgetown men would suffer in comparison with the executive of the other towns that have propered under inclean excention. There are occasions when it takes an excention to establish the general Af the set executive of Doministic II is concerned under the other towns that have prospered under the optimization. There are concessions when it takes an exception to establish the general rule, bat we hardly think in the present in stance that Bridgetown will be that exception. If the poll is beld on the 20th, every voter should register this optimo on the general strength, and the strong friends of the movement will do likewize; but there will be an idifferent class who will be wills to it comes, or who will not complain if it does not come. There should be no indifference on a question of no much import to the interests of the tawn, as duty to perform, as a duty to perform, as a mather. The ballots are the strong in recording that when the ballots are the tawn was have not be for the struck on the fact of his head and ware returning when the ballots are the tawns was holly cut and bruised. The team of the struck on the fact of his head and tawe may be as belly cut and bruised.

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considerable expansion of business ought to result shortly from the railway's strenuous effort to assist the development of the terri-tory which it served.

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-Mr. George Arnold, a popular young clerk in T. & B. R. Bishop's grocery, Kent-ville, died last Sunday evening of diphtheria. This is the fourth death that has occurred in that town since January from this disease which is of a particularly virulent type. -Opened to-day, direct from the manu-facturers, 2 cases American Hats and Capa Latest styles. John Lockett & Son. 11

-A Boston paper says the total apple shipment to European ports this season from there on ocean steamers wore 922,479 bbls. or 392,200 barrels more than were shipped out of New York, and 222,983 barrels in excess of Halifax, N. S., her nearest com-meticor petitor.

petitor. —If you wish to enjoy a good laugh attend the "Destrick Skule Examinashun" in the Court House, to-morrow (Thursday) evening. The examination will be interspersed with yocal music by Mrs. Harry Ruggles and sev-eral of Bridgetown's other favorite yocalists. Miss Hope Johnston, of Weymouth, will also be present with her yiolin.

be present with her viola. -Curry Bros. & Bent's buildings have now all been moved to their new site and are rapidly being put in shape for business. A large addition has been built, and their new premises will be much more commodious than the old. Much of the machinery is al-ready in place, and the boiler and engine are ready for work at any time.

#### Concerning a Middleton Boy.

The Boston Watchman, of Feb. 25th, in giving a description of the Baptists in the state of Vermont, makes happy reference to the son of Isaiah Dodge, Esq., Middleton. the son of Isaiah Dodge, Ésq., Middleton. We quote the paragraph:--""Bellows Falls, the terminus of the Fitch-burg raitroad, is one of the main entrances to the state. The Connectiont at this point turns many toiling wheels, and the place is busy and prosperous. Rev. C. R. B. Dodge is in the seventh year of his pastorate. Sur-prises of all sorts are a part of pastoral ex-perience. Thus far all such events hav-been for pastor Dodge of the happier kind. The church has a fertility of inventiveness in finding ways for expressing appreciation of the pastor and his wife. The Bellows Falls pastor is president of the Woodstock Associational Baptits Young People's Union. To his wise and earnest support is due much of the efficiency and success to which that organization has stained. He is also presi-dent of the Baptist State Sunday-school Convention, which will meet with his church in June."

are ready for work at any time. —A reader of the Berwick Register in the Western States in a private letter of recent date to the publisher says: "The cashier of the bank in this town informs me that for the last twelve months the miners here (American citizens) have been sending thous-ands of dollars after each monthly pay day to Canadian Banks to deposit. What a commentary on the respective banking sys-tems of the two countries."

-...The Fisk Jubiles Singers were greeted with a fair audience in the Court House last Wednesday evening. The night was a most disagreeable one and ioy, and of course was responsible for many a ticket that was not sold. The singers sang the same old songs in their inimitable style, and were encored at every number on the programme and good naturedly responded to the de-mande of an enthusiastic audience.

mands of an enthusiastic audience. May Prince, the highly-bred and valuable stallion, used by Mr. W. F. Gibbons in the Grand Central depot team, met with an ac-cident hast Wednesday night that will likely cripple him for like. He was attached to a heavily loaded aleigh, and making a sudden spring over a rut in the road, the traces parted, and he ran into a fence post at the corner near the achool-house and broke his shoulder. Dr. Jakeman, of Halifax, was telegraphed for and eame up next day. The horse is now doing as well as can be expected.

County Court opened at Annapolis yester-day, Judge Savary presiding. Below is the docket: SUMMARY AND APPEAL SUITS. Robt. Malcolm vs. Thomas H. Murphy, Bitchie, Q.C., plaintiff; Gillis & Harris, de-Fendants. Well Known Broker Killed.

W. PARKER, ON HIS WAY HOME IN ORANGE, N. J., WALKED DIRECTLY IN FRONT OF A TRAIN.

rengants. Emma M. Gavaza and James V. Gavaza vs. Charles Lewis, Gillis & Harris, plaintiffs, respondents; H. D. Ruggles, defendant, sp-pellant. DECLARATION CAUSES. Edward Messenger vs. Alonzo Daniels, Ritchie, Q.C., plaintiff; E. Ruggies, de-fendant. Wm. Henry Sims vs. Minard Robinson F. L. Milner plaintiff; Gillis & Harris. de

County Court.

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Co-partnership! We, the undersigned, have this day entered into co-partnership under the firm name of E, E SCHAFFNEE for the purpose of car-rying on a general mercantile business at Law-renoctown and Fruit Growing at Williamston. Believing it to be beneficial to both buyer and seller, we propose running our business on the We are making unusual preparations for upplying the people with **No Credit System** (EXCEPT BY SPECIAL AGREEMENT.) We feel confident that by square dealing close margins, and by handling all kinds of pri duce, we will increase trade under this system Trusting that the "No Credit System" will meet with approval from our many friends, w remain, Yours truly, J. E. SCHAFFNER. E. C. SCHAFFNER, With reference to the above I take this op-portunity of thatking the public for their gen-erous patronake whilst in business, and be-speak for the new firm (whose chief object will be to please) a continuance of the same. In order to bring the above sobane to a suc-cessful issue, I have a large amount of monoy to raise by April 18t, and I will expect favor if all accounts due me will be settled either by cash or note by March 30th.

Yours respectfully, J. E. SCHAFFNER. etown, March 4th, 1897

P. S.-Watch for our No Credit prices in next week's issue. E. & E. S.



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WEEKLY MONITOR.

Paradise.

South Williamston.

Port Lorne.

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PROVINCIAL PARAGRAPHS.

#### Victoriavale.

Miss Etta Neily, of Wilmot, has returned

Grace Harris, of Margaretville, is

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Miss Grace Harris, of Margaretville, is visiting friends here. Mrs. Geo. Mosher is visiting her sister, Mr. and Miler, at Bear River. Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Reagh were at home to a few friends on Tuesday evening. Miss Maud Keith, who has been sick for some time is able to be around again. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Keith and son Cal-vin, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Craig.

A grand surprise party was held at the nome of Mrs. Wesley Bowlby, the other

evening. Beautiful sleighing, good ice crop, and large wood piles is what Febuary can be praised for.

praised for. Preaching Service in the Hall at Victoria, Sunday morning, March 7th. Rev. Jos. Gaetz pastor. A pleasant party took place at the spacious home of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Craig on Fri-day evening, Feb. 19th, where a grand time was had. The whole evening was devoted to tripping the light fantastic, under the music of four violinists. On Feb. 16th. about nice also were

On Feb. 16th, about nine aleighs well filled under the management of Mrs. E. J. Mosher, started for the pleasant home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Woodworth, at Port

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Woodworth, at Port George, where the evening was very pleas-antly spent with music and games. On Thursday evening, Feb. 18th, Mr. and Mrs. Adelbert Craig entertained a large number of their friends. A bountiful lunch was served, and a pleasant evening spent. A large number kept time with their feet to nunsio given by our genial friend, Robt. Early on the violin, with organ accompaniment by Miss Franks, Willie Bowlby and Mrs. Mel-bourn Marshall. attendance is requested.

Mt. Hanley.

Miss Carrie E. Barteaux is at present vis-ting her sister in Springfield. Miss Jessie Brown, of Aylesford, is at present stopping with her aunt, Miss Jannie

Brown. Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Balsor were visiting their daughter, Mrs. Parker, in Outram, over Saturday and Sunday. We are sorry to report Mr. Joshua S. Miller on the sick list. Dr. Miller, of Mid-dleton, is in attendance. Last Thursday a new arrival came to Mr. and Mrs. M. Best-a boy baby. His advent was hailed with great rejoicing. Miss Emma B. Brown, who has been home attending her sick siter Jannie, returned to

Miss Emma B. Brown, who has been home stitunding her sick sister Jannie, returned to her school at Port George on Monday. Mr. Edmund Banks' horse ran away last Friday night; not much damage done. Mr. B's. horse escaped without much injury. Miss Edith L. Armstrong left for the Hub a few weeks ago, and is the guest of her sis-ter, Mrs. W. Brooks, in Somerville, for an indefinite period. Rev. R. E. Locke was accompanied by Rev. Harry King, of Lawrencetown, on

Rev. R. E. LOCKE was accompanied by Rev. Harry King, of Lawrencetown, on Sunday afcernoon. Rev. King preached an eloquent sermon. He intends giving a leo-ture on Wednesday evoning in the Baptist Charch, of this place. arch, of this place.

Your correspondent recently had the pleas-ure of talking with Mrs. Anna Armstrong who is 91 years old, the oldent resident of this place. She informed me she could knit as well as ever and her hearing is as sharp as ever. She thinks times have changed since she was a girl.

#### New Albany.

We are glad to report that Mrs. Roneldo Merry, who has been very ill, is improving in health. Miss Annic S. Fairn, who has been at Port

Vinusor's rate of taxation for the present year is 375 conts on the \$100 A splendid find of gol. is reported to have been made near Economy, Colchester county. Windsor has dasided to erect a brick and stone academy building this season to cost \$35,000. \$35,000 A large quarry of red Scotch granite near Wentworth, is to be operated in the near

Miss Annie S. Faira, who has been at Fort William, visiting her sister, Mrs. Enoch Neary, returned home on the 4th. Mrs. Jason Feener's sister, Mrs. Himell-man, returned to her home at New Dublin on the 4th. Mrs. Feener is still very ill. Mrs. Neander P. Whitman and son Frank, spent two days at East Dalhousie, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elton Saunders, quite re-cently

cently. The Monthly Pie Social was held at Deacon Phineas Whitman's on the evening of the 5th. A pleasant time was enjoyed by all

Mrs. Mary Wilson, who has been staying Mrs. Mary Wilson, who has been staying at her aister's, Mrs. Daniel Whitman, for several weeks, returned to her home at East Dalhousie last week. Mr. William Nixon and his sister, Miss Sadie, of Lynn, Mass., who are visiting friends and relatives in this province, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Oakes, ir., for several days not long since. Mrs. and Mrs. Leonard Whitman and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Whitman, and Mr. A. Fairn, were at Cleveland on the 4th and

A large quarry of red Scotch granite near Wentworth, is to be operated in the near fature. Cipt. Fred W. Fullerton, one of the best known citizens of Amberst, died Wednesday night of pneumonia. Mrs. Meagher, the aged mother of Mr. Justice Meagher, of Halifax, died on Wed-nesday morning last. The first quarterly dividend by the Halifax electric tramway is declared, at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum. Donald Kennedy, of Mahone Bay, was killed recently by a falling tree while log-ging in Hants county. A Law and Order League is to be organ-ized in Parrsboro with the object of putting down the liquor traffic. Turto will give \$50,000 to have to the Shubencadie bridged at Maitland and the Midland railway built via Clifton. Joe Donohue, of Newburg, N. Y., defeat-ed Laidlaw, the Dartmouth skater in two races at Halifax and St. John last week. W. P. MoNeil, the welk known iron har-row manufacturer, of New Glasgow, has commenced the manufacture of iron bridges. So far this season only 4,772 crates of live lobsters, valued at \$51,105, have been ship-ped to Boston agains 55,777 at \$82,396 for the same period last year. Colin C. Rice, of Bear River, has pur-chased a vessel in St. John, and will ply it between there and Boston in the interest of his wood and piling trade. A. R. Fulton & Co., Turto, have assigned. The Kingston Vehicle company are preferred for \$14,000. E. M. Fulton, of Patterson & Fulton, solicitors, is assignee. The Furness lines St. John City, which sailed from Halifax for London Saturday Feb. 27th, took beids other cargo, 15,000 barrels of apples valued at \$45,000. Colonel Walker, of the Ancient and Honor-able Artillery, of Boaton, says it is probable that the autum field day outing will take the form of a trip to Halifax, N.S. Mr. Joseph Gordon, a native of Pictou, N.S., died at California last week, in the S2nd year of his age. His estate is estimated to be worth from \$700,000 to \$800,000. A. Fairn, were at Cleveland on the 4th and 5th They attended the funeral of Mr

Dr. Sexton in Bridgetown Dr. Sexton in Bridgetown. The Rev. Dr. Sexton, well known all over this continent, as well as in Europe as an able scientiat and distinguished divine, preached three sermons on Sunday and leo-tured on Monday and Tuecday evenings. On Sunday morning the Rev. Dr. preached in the Baptist church. The sermon was based upon Paslm xviii, 35, and was entitled "Human Greatness and Divine Gentleness." These two points were dealt with at great length. Contrasted with the physical uni-verse man, said the Doctor, was remarkably small and insignificant. We now knew of the existence of a hundred million of stars, and these stars were huge sunn, many of them millions of times larger than our sun, with their worlds revolving around them, possibly inhabited by beings similar to, or perhaps apprior to ourselyve. William Miller, of Port Lorne, is spend ng a few days at the home of Jacob Beals. Quite a large number from this place went to hear the Fisk Jubilee Singers at Middle to hear the Fink Staties enligers at initial ton. Byron Morse, of this place, bought the goods of the bankrupt stock of John L. Morse, which he has opened up for sale on the "no oredit." system. The social club of this place met at the Hall Friday evening, and then they proceed-ed to Spa Springs, where they were enter-tained by and Mrs. Theodore D. Marshall. After they had spent the evening very enjoy-ably, they partook of a sumptuous tea and started for home. Amid March winds and rain they arrived home, after getting astray on the road and losing several hats. uperior to ourselves. What was man 72 inches in height moving

Innabled by being similar to, or pernaps superior to ourselves. What was man 72 inches in height moving at the rate of 4 miles an hour in a universe like this? Why the earth itself if it were swept out of existence to-morrow would no more be missed from God's universe than one grain of sand removed from the ocean shore. And yet, man was greats, greater than sums and stars, despite their magnitude. It was he who constructed the telescope that brought these sums into the field of vision, his mind went out to those distant regions in immensity, and he would live when sums and stars would have passed away. Moreover, he was a child of God, capable of knowing right and wrong, exercising the power of love, and of obeying the will of God. The gentleness of God was seen everywhere in nature and in providence. The mightiest forces were often locked up in the smallest objects. In a single drop of water there was enough electric force to produce a thunder-storm. The earth was moving on its axis at the rate of a thousand miles an hour, in its orbit at the rate of sixty-eight thousand miles an hour; and yet in another direction, with the sun and all his worlds, at the rate of seventy-two thousand miles an hour. Yet al this was so gently done that we were not conscious of a motion at all. In the afternoon the Dr. preached in the Presbyterian church, on the subject of "Leaven," and in his sermon he described many important scientific discoveries on the nature and action of microbe. On Monday evening Dr. Sexton lectured in the Baptist church on "If a man die shall he live again?" Said the lecturer, "The atheist believes that man will not live again; simmortality; while the secularist claims that, as it is a matter beyond our comprehension, we should do our duty here, and not meddle with the affairs of the fu-ture. Let us suppose that our happiness in a future state does not depend, in any case, Mr. Keddy has gone to Clements to spend a few daya. Miss Young, of Lower Granville, is visit-ing her friend, Mrs. F. W. Bishop. Miss Carrie Minard and her brother from Kempt, Queens Co., have recently visited Mr. and Mrs. Keddy. Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Parker and Mr. Geo. Pineo also spent Sun-day with them. Owing to the bad weather last week there were so few at the meeting of the Literary Club it was decided to postpone the meeting until Thureday evening this week. The de-bate will doubtless be interesting and a good attendance is requested. Mr. Keddy has gone to Clements to spend

Mr. E. C. Bishop, of Somerset, is spend-ing a few days here with relatives and

Mr. Shaw and Tupper of Soots Bay have been visiting friends in this neighborhood. Capt. Samuel Groves and wife of Granville Ferry, have been visiting friends at the port. Miss Helen of Myfield, California, and Miss Maude, of Fitchburg, Mass., were visiting their sister Miss Beatrice A. Elliott and other friends here last week. They started on their return trip to their homes with Uncle Sam on Friday via Windsor Junction. Miss Manning, from St. John, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. J. R. Elliott. J. R. Elliott has been detained in St. John with la grippe, but will probably re-turn home on Wednesday. Mr. Joha Hall has a petition, to be pre-sented to Councillor Fitch, asking that a wire fence be made on our new road.

comprehension, we should do our duty here, and not meddle with the affairs of the fu-ture. Let us suppose that our happiness in a future state does not depend, in any case, upon our conduct here, still there is the de-sire arising to have the problem solved. It is possible that in the hurry and bustle of business, thoughts of immortality may be overlooked, but when the heart is alone with God, such questions as these will naturally arise:—What are we? Whence came we, and whither are we going? Consciousness uust be higher than brain, because it is only by consciousness that we learn of the exis-tence of the brain. The elemental part of mind is its consciousness." The lecturer then went on to speak of the great laws of the correlation of forces, and the conservation of energy, from which it is proved that the amount of force existing in the world is always the same. He referred to the possible transmutation of momentum into heat, of heat into light or electricity, and so on. Each form of forces to the force from which it originated? Or where is the new force that is created by the mind a dirace it back as we do other forces to the force from which it originated? Or where is the new force that is created by the mind Clearly, the mind at death is not converted into light, heat, magnetism, electricity, or any such forces. It has left no trace behind. Again, no skeptic will admit that a man is a free agent, but that he is moved by the for-A North Sydney, C. B., man weighs 422 Windsor's rate of taxation for the present into light, heat, magnetism, electricity, or any such forces. It has left no trace behind. Again, no skeptic will admit that a man is a free agent, but that he is moved by the for-ces surrounding him, his will not directing his actions, but simply, like the whistle on the locomotive, announcing what he is about to do. In this self-winding process, wherein man differs so widely from a clock, lies the personality, individuality and spirituality. In every force in nature we have a corres-ponding one in man. Remove the water and the fus of finhes would cease to be formed; remove the light and eventually the human family would be without cycs. Why do the hope and fear of the future exist in man if there be no reality corresponding to them? Man has everywhere a moral nature showing itself in a hatred of injustice. Kren tho writer of fiction mut use "poetic" justice in order to please this innermost feeling on the part of the reader. This is only a brief ontline of a most ex-cellent and thoughtful lecture, which occu-pied a little over an hour in its delivery. On Tuesday evening the subject of the Doctor's lecture was "The Origin of Man; Was it by Evolution or Creation." It was given in the Methodist church and was most exhaustive in its discussions from a scientific standpoint.

NEWS OF THE WORLD anada's mineral production last year wa aed at \$23,627,305. George Jonnatos ston, D \$72,000,000. It takes about three as the other. An official report of the condition of the Turkish fleet gives twenty-two ships ready for

Turkin neet gives twenty-two snipsready for active service. Sir Adolphe Chapleau, Governor of Que-bec, is seriously ill at Spencerwood with

bec, is seriously ill at Spencerwood with nervous prostration.
 One hundred and seventy miners perished from asphyxiation as the result of a fire in a mine at Zacatecas, Maxico.
 Mr. W. C. Macdonald, of Montreal, has made another gift to McGill University amounting to over \$600,000.
 About 20,000,000 feet of lumber have been thipped from St. John, N. B., to Great Bri-tain since 1st December last. There are 15,-000,000 feet yet to be shipped. The United States House of Representa-tives has passed the immigration bill over the President's veto, 193 to 37. The Winnipeg crew for Henley will leave about the first of June. They will row a paper boat with Donoghue cars. Advices from the Pacific province in regard to the asenling industry, so far this season, have been somewhat discouraging. The British House of Commons has voted an appropriation of £15,000 and will take

an appropriation of 215,000 and will take part in the Paris exhibition in the year 1900. Russia's penal statistics show that women criminals outnumber the men by nearly 50 per cent., just the contrary being the case in other contries

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Singments of apples from Atlantic ports to Europe this season aggregated 2,568,870 barrels up to March 1st, as against 691,589 barrels last season. Since Francis Murphy began his temper-ance campaign in Boston, Mass., two months ago, thirteen thousand pledges have been signed at his meetings. Reports of the Bombay health anthorities, since the beginning of the bubonic plague in that city, state there have been 8,384 cases and 6,979 deaths from the disease. The College of Physicians and Surgeons of Quebec has brought an action to recover \$50 from a shoemaker of Chicoutini, Que., for illegally practicing medicine, surgery, etc. John D. Rockfeller, the Tarrytown mil-lionaire, who has already donated \$13,000,-000 more to that University. The California Supreme Court has affirmed the decision of the lower courts in the case of Theodore Durant, found guilty of the murder of Blanche Lamont in Emanuel church almost two years ago. The case will now be sent back to the Superior Court, which will fix a date for Durant's execution. The Manchester (G. B.) Guardian says re-lations between Great Britain and the Trans-vaal government are much strained. Cham-berlain is anzious that the inevitable struggle lations between Great Britain and the Trans-vaal government are much strained. Cham-berlain is anxious that the inevitable struggle between the two shall come as quickly as possible, and estimates that 20,000 British troops would be sufficient to conquer the

Boers. At Boston, Thursday, a gas explosion oc-curred in the aubway excavation at the corner of Tremont and Boylaton streets which caused the death of twelve persons and the injury of twenty or more. The explosion wrecked three electric cars that were passing at the time, one of them being burned up. Several buildings in the vicinity were more or less damaged.

To the Editor of the Monitor DEAR SIE, I see by your paper that the people who have to use the Church Road are agitating for a wire fence, as the one in

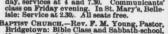
HECTOR MACLEAN, FREEMAN FITCH, E. H. TUPPER, Committee

Dated February 24th, 1897.

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Church Services, Sunday, March 14th.

CHURCH OF ENGLAND,-Rev. F. P. Greatorer, Rector. In St. James', Bridgetown: Service with celebration of Holy Communion at 11; Sunday-school at 2.30; Evening Service at 7. Sewing Circle Monday evening. On Wednes-day. services at 4 and 7.30. Communicants' class on Friday evening. In St. Mary's, Belle-isle: Service at 2.30. All seats free. BAFTIST CHURCH.-Rev. F. M. Young, Pastor, Bridgstown: Bible Class and Sabbath-school, 10 a.m.; Preaching Service at 1 a.m.: Evan



MESSES. C. C. RICHARDS & Co., Yarmouth, N. S. GENFLEMEN, - In January last, Francis Leolar, one of the men employed by me, working in the lumber woods, had a tree fail on him, grashing him fearfully. He was, when found, placed on a sled and taken home, where grave fears were entertained for his recovery, his hips being badly bruised ond his body turned black from his ribs to his feet. We used MINARD'S LINIMENT on him freely to deaden the path, and with the use of three bottles he was completely ourd and able to return to his work. SAUVEUE DUVAE. New Advertisements New Advertisements. **Important Notice!** 1897! February! FOR ONE MONTH THE. Elgin Road, L'Islet Co., Que. May 26th, 1893. CUSTOM will make up to your special measure a fine Tailor-made Sui for \$12.50 to clear. Nerit For the New Year. THE CHANCE OF A LIFE-TIME. As we want to clear out it the now on hand before stock taking we make this unheard of offer. A Tailor-made Suit at a Ready-Made Price. You know the advantages of a Tailor-made Suit. You can be fitted, whatever your build. Your germents are well wadded and solidly made. The Trousers are pressed and shrunk to fit over the boots. We have received our "Merit talks" the intrinsic value of Talks Hood's Sarsaparilla. Merit in medicine means the power to aurs. Hood's Sarsaparille researce to stock of SPRING Merit in medicine means the power to eurs. Hood's Sarsaparlia possesses actual and unequalled curative power and there-fore it has true merit. When you buy Hood's Sarsaparlia, and take it according to directions, to purify your blood, or cure any of the many blood diseases, you See the Cloths we are offering to make up, the regular price of which are \$16.00 to \$20.00, - \$12.50 -AND-PANTS, \$8.00. M Come quickly and get first choice, SUMMER Messrs. McLELLAN & CROZIER, - Managers. are morally certain to receive benefit. The power to cure is there. You are not CLOTHING. trying an experiment. It will make your blood pure, rich and nourishing, and thus drive out the germs of disease, strengthen 25 p. c. DISCOUNT Gents' Black Dress Suits the nerves and build up the whole syst FOR CASH Gents' Black Suits (Sacque Coats). Hoods Gents' Navy Blue Serge Suits. On all Winter Goods Sarsaparilla Gents' Colored Suits, latest styles, During the month of March at Is the best, in fact — the One True Blood Purifier Prepared only by C. 1. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass Boys' Suits (Short Pants). Hood's Pills Do not purge, pain or Youths' Suits (Long Pants), Cardigans, Top Shirts and Wool GIRLS WANTED to make room for my Large Spring Importation Two capable girls to learn dressmaking. Ap ply at Mrs. Walker's. Rooms over MONITOR 49 11 \$1000.00 worth to arrive this week, which will be opened a once for inspection **Boarders Wanted.** Do not think of buying Room Papers until you Having leased that pleasantly situated hous on Granville street, east of Post Office. I inten-taking a few permanent boarders. Those is want of board will do well to see me before er gaging board elsewhere, as my charges will b moderate and board good. see my stock this Spring. WANTED - More customers to enquire prices of Dress Goods at other stores and then come and buy from L. CHUTE, W. E. PALFREY. me for less money. Payson House, Brid NOTICE! ESTABLISHED 1885. WHOLESALE AND RETAIL **NENDERS** Are you going to plant -FOR THE-Anything in the Nursery Line COLLECTION OF RATES If so, write to the in the various Wards of the County of Annapo is will be received by the undersigned at the office of the Clerk, at Bridgetown, up to Try a pound of the **Annapolis Royal** Saturday, 20th day of March. NURSERIES Celebrated A. D. 1897, at 12 o'clock, noon. All tenders to be marked "Tenders for Colle ion of Rates," and to guarantee the amount of ach Rate Roll and the collection thereof i onformity with the By-Laws of the Munic ANNAPOLIS, NOVA SCOTIA, **Union - Blend** Largest in the Maritime Provinces, for Descriptive Price List. committee do not bind themselves the lowest or any tender.

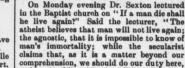
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ing a few days here with relatives and friends. The ladies of this place intend having a Bean Nooisl in Temperance Hall on Thursday evening, March 11th, for the parpose of paying off the debt on the hall. Supper will be served from six to half-past eight o'clock, for the sum of twenty-five cents for adults, and fifteen for children. In connec-tion with the supper a fine literary enter-tainment will be furnished by the Social Club free of oharge. If stormy Thursday evening it will be held the first fine-evening following.

are agitating for a wire fence, as the one in use at present causes the snow to lodge to a very inconvenient extent. It is an oppor-tune alarm for us who are putting up our first fence on the new road between Law-rencetown and Clarence. We hope the note of warning will not be lost on us. A little effort now to get a good fence will save a good deal of trouble and annoyance. TRAVELLER.

Phineas Whitman's brother, Mr. W Whitman, who died on the 1st inst. er. Mr. Whitfield

Upper Clarence.

Clarke Wilson, of Millville, visited friends

in this place last week. R. S. Batton, has gone to Farmington to take charge of the creamery for a short

time. F. Fitch has been busy for the past few days getting out poles for the new telephone line from Lawrencetown to this place.

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Lawrencetown. We hope it will prove a success. There has been quite a movement among horses in this place during the past few weeks. R. B. Banks has sold his five-year-old horse Prince to S. M. Witham, N. B. Foater has purchased a fine three-year-old colt from Avard Baker, of Kingston. H. G. Wilson has sold his black mare, Lady Jane, to H. A. Viets, of Central Clarence, and has purchased the handsome four-year-old filly, Pearl, by Sir Brinton, from James H. Whit-man, of Lawrenceton. W. B. Batton is handling F. Fitch's Wilkes colt. M. O. Fritz is the owner of a very fast pacing horse by is the owner of a very fast paoing horse by Sir Brinton. A. J. Wilson's Frenchman mare, Tinny B., is doing good work this winter.

Spa Springs.

N. S., died at California last week, in the S2ad year of his age. His estate is estimated to be worth from \$700,000 to \$800,000. Chas. H. Huntington, son of the late Charles Huntington, formerly cashier of the Bank of Yarmouth is now a Captain and Staff officer in the service of Maximo Gomez's army of the Republic of Cuba. Mr. W. R. Foote, a native of Kings Co., purposes going forth next summer as a missionary to Korea, in connection with the American Presbyterian Church. Mr. Ro-bert Grierson, of Halifax, also purposes going. Mrs. M. Marshall and Miss Mabel Wood-bury are suffering from severe colds. Eddie J. Durling is attending the high school at Middleton, under Principal Gougoing. The Hants Journal has issued its annual

The Hants Journal has issued its annual field shipping. According to the list there still remain on the registry books of that county 172 vessels, aggregating 115,750 tons – a dccrease of 12 vessels, and 15,048 tons, as compared with 189. — T. White, Apple River, Cumberland gumber at Apple River this season and will get out seven or eight thousand pieces of piling at this place. He will cut about seven ad a half million feet at Point Wolfe, N. B., and about one and a half million feet there. The seven be at Port Williams, Kings county, are following the example set putation of well known men waited on the proprietress of the Port William House, and read a document, signed by 200 resi-dents of the neighborhood, requesting her to at conce cease selling liguor and to dispose of her stock, or she would be vigorously pros-souted for violation of the Canada Temper-ane Act. It is said Mrs, Orr has promised to comply with their demands. cher. The brisk breezes which accompany this month are fast wasting away the snow, leaving the roads, in many places, quite

Political News.

Mr. and Mrs. Melbourne Marshall enter-

Mr. and Mrs. Melbourne Marshall enter-tained a latge number of their friends one evening of last week. Margaretville, Vio-toria and Middleton were represented. Mrs. Engene Cleveland, (*nee*) Ella Ballen-tine of this place, is still visiting friends and relatives. Her many friends welcome her to her native land, where she is so highly es-termed.

teemed. It is with feelings of deepest sorrow that we amounce the death of our highly es-teemed friend, J. W. Parker, of New York, which took place very suidenly, in that city on Tuesday, March 2nd. This infor-mation was received by telegram. We await the full particulars. Our heartfelt sympathies are with the stricken family.

#### Springfield.

Mr. C. W. Saunders, of East Dalhousie,

Mr. C. W. Saunders, of East Dalhousie, was here on the lst. Mr. Erving Mason returned from Bear River on the lst inst. Mr. Omer Stoddart spent several days at Tremont last week, visiting friends. Mr. J. C. Grimm went to New Germany to call on some of his friends on the 5th. Miss E. Daisy Webb was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Phineas Whitman, at New Albany last week.

Mrs. Lemuel Stoddart, who has been

away all winter on business, returned home last week. Miss Jane Stoddart, who has been sway isiting friends at Bridgewater, returned ome last week.

visiting friends at Bridgewater, returned home last week. Rev. J. Webb will preach here next Sun-day morning and evening, and at Falkland Ridge in the afternoon. Miss Eva Beals, who has been visiting friends in this place for several weeks past, started for her home at Inglisville, on the 2nd.

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orge O'Neal is on the sick list at

Mr. George O Neal is on the sick list at time of writing. Rev. Coldwell preached last Sunday after-noon in the church here. Mr. Walter Healy is at present suffering very much with rheumatism. Mr. Everett Healy, accompanied by John Balsor, jr., left for Natick, Mass., last week. Ramor says one our young men intends hing the ranks of the benedicts on Wed-last

y. Andrew Balsor, who has been sick, is goetter, and Miss Barteaux is attend-her school. and Mrs. Bridgeford Elliott and fam-to have been visiting Mr. Elliott's par-ted to their home in South Boston, weather Banks gave her many friends At Home " party on Friday night, and untertained her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. Mator, over Sunday.

hany during the last twelve months aght from the United States 6,000,-bounds of dried apples.

The People are Convinced

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another, but no fossil in any strata or form-ation of one in a transition state has been discovered. Any change in the monkey causing it to approximate to man would be to its disad-matter of the monkey causing it to approximate to man would be to its disad-matter of the monkey for the order of the order of the body of man, while it was found on all other mammalian animals. This also would have been a disadvantage to any animal in which it first occurred unless accompanied which in tellect to supply the deficiency. The prehenalic character of the monkey's foot was of the greatest value in climbing. If that had disappeared suddenly such a change would have placed the animal at a great di-advantage amongst his fellows. The perfect hand of man—which was the agent of his oritization—could not have come by evolu-tion. Apes could make no use of their thumbs. The human brain was out of all proportion in size to that of the gorilla, for whist there was a difference between the brean of the highest race of men and the low-ext of twe versition for by natural selection, and fity cubic inches. This would in no way ba accounted for by natural selection and fity cubic inches. This would in mo the lower animals, but to the lack of the in-tion. No brute over uittered a word yet his was owing to no defect of organs in the lower animals, but to the lack of the in-tellectual power with which speech is ever approximate with his brain power. The he lower animals, but to the lack of the in-tellectual power with which speech is ever approximate the degeneration of the savage to an universal attribute of man. 2. It is a universal attribute of man. 2. It is an universal attribute of man. 3. It is an universal attribute of man. 4. Ling universal attribute of man. 5. A child who never heard a human voice would be tanght by hearing othersspeak. scovered.

It is stated that the date fixed for the Quebec provincial elections is Tuesday, May 11th. Mr. Chas. Devlin, M. P., for Wright, has resigned his seat on account of the school question. An election will be brought on at The Rifle.

Respect the search of action will be brought on at once.
The Montreal Liberals will present Premier Laurier with a purse containing \$1,000 on the eve of his departure for England in the summer.
Jos. Martin, of Manitoba, has confirmed the rumor that he has accepted a special solicitorship of the Canadian Pacific Ballway, and has retired from politics.
As a result of a recont Conservative causes at Halifax, Mr. John F. Stairs has assumed the leadership of the Nova Scotta opposition, vice Dr. McKay resigned.
Firman McClure, M.P.P. for Colchester, N. S., has been nominated as the Liberal candidate for! Ottawa. Messrs. Alf. Dickie and Laurence will be the local candidates.
The New Dominion ballot is framed on the lines of the present one, except that there is a broad black line between each candidate's name, thereby making the intent of the voter more easily aparent should the voter's cross not be placed in the disc. As it draws near spring the mind of the League man turns toward the Rifle Range. The following clipping from the Military Gazette will be read with interest by many:

Gazette will be read with interest by many: "The Connoil of the Canadian Military Rifle League met the other day to discuss the coming season's arrangements. The question of the style of rifle to be used dur-ing 1897 matches was discussed, and the Council came to the conclusion that it would be impossible to shoot with any but the Martini-Henry, as the ranges were not suit-able for the new rifle. They will endeavor to drop the Snider series altogether, and the Government will be asked to lend Martinis to those corps not yet having them. The secretary, Capt. W. M. Andrewa, submitted a very neat design for a marks-man's certificate, which was approved of by the council. It is a beautiful piece of work in steel engraving and ilthography. It will be signed by the Major-General and by the Minister of Militis. As soon as it is adopted a *fuc similie* will appear in the Gazette. It is proposed to drop the badge altogether and give the men who fire certificates. One cer-tificate will be for the men who average 90 at all the marking and the game and a set of the stop and the set of the stop and set of the short of the stop and the set of the set of the stop and the set of the short of the stop and the set of the short of the set of the short of the shor will probably be given to men who average 00 at all the matches, while a second-class pertificate will be given to those whose score

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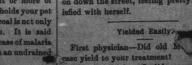
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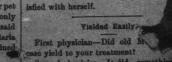
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