

The Weekly Monitor.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 4, 1887.

The letter of Mr. Chipman, in another column, is a very interesting and valuable contribution to the subject of water works...

Second.—That the amount of insurable property is raised too high. Third.—That the expense of carrying on the system will be more than double what is stated and the income will be about half.

These comprise the gist of Mr. Chipman's letter. Now, let us see. He states "the opinions alleged to have been given by Mr. Keating, no doubt are correct so far as they relate to cost of material, but as to their constructive cost there would likely be a large amount of error."

Other items are as follows:—Hydrants 1,000 Gates 250 Extension pipe to houses 800 Engineer's charges 500

This brings the whole cost of the work up to \$14,623 in next figures. Now, Mr. C. states that the estimate of a thoroughly qualified engineer and the other data show that the cost will not exceed \$15,000 which deserves the most credence.

Mr. Chipman next argues that \$240,000 is a large figure as to the amount of insurable property. He takes each individual's property and finds it would cost to replace it, including all public buildings, in the amount of \$240,000.

As to Mr. Chipman's third assertion, let us analyze it. He says the cost will be \$250,000 which will leave nearly \$130,000 as our yearly tax. Instead of \$900 for interest, etc., at 5 per cent, we will only require \$250,000 as a fund which requires only \$12,500 per annum, as anyone can easily reckon up, to pay off the loan, as proposed, in twenty years, and further, the Act in one of its clauses only makes provision for the assessment of the amount for the fund.

Admitting Mr. Chipman's allowance for reduction upon insurance of \$500 and adding thereto the income of \$600 we have to our credit \$1,100. This would in reality leave but \$250 as the net cost that the town as a whole would have to pay over and above the benefits derived.

We have endeavored in the above to give as fair a statement as possible from all information that we have been able to obtain up to date. If our figures are erroneous we would ask that they be proved so, by statements in detail, not simply assertions of a gross amount.

The recesses of the older boy, state that they heard faint cries about 8 o'clock Thursday evening, but thought it was the boy across the still watered out that a human being was in distress.

Local and Other Matter. A very heavy easterly storm of wind and rain swept over the valley of the St. Lawrence on Tuesday night.

A SAD TRAGEDY. A WARNING TO REMARAY BOYS. Weak before last, two boys, sons of Mr. Edward Armstrong, of Digby, ran away from home for an apparent cause that never came up to Annapolis, thence to Round Hill, and finding that pursuers were on their track, struck back into the woods of the South Shore.

These two well grown boys, Frank G. Armstrong, aged 17 years, and Thomas H. Armstrong, aged 14 years, sons of Edward Armstrong, of Digby, took a morning walk to their lands to run away from home and started Monday morning April 25th, at half past five o'clock, to carry out the trunk, which ended in the death of the younger but not smaller one, and the recovery of the other in an almost insupportable condition by the loss of his limbs.

May day means moving day the world over. The orthodox day is a week of moving, and in this town, an unusually large number of persons changed their residences on this day.

The Teachers' Association held its annual meeting on Tuesday evening last, at the residence of Mr. J. M. Courtney, of the town. The meeting was largely attended, and one of the most interesting sessions ever held in the town.

While Mr. Edwin Gale, of Annapolis, was on his way to the city on Saturday night last, his horse shied at a cow in the road, throwing Mr. Gale from his seat and fracturing his leg.

THE city of Montreal has again suffered from a severe epidemic of cholera. The annual loss on the river St. Lawrence, the St. John's, and the St. Charles, is a very different matter from the epidemic of cholera.

THE Sheriff Sale. ONE RIDING WAGON. In front of RAILSON'S HOTEL on SATURDAY, MAY 7th, '87, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

ANYBODY IN NEED OF ABOVE GOODS, will find that I have a VERY LARGE STOCK, bought direct from manufacturer.

Teacher Wanted. A Second-class Female Teacher. A B desired or during the term of the year, at the school in Digby.

FRESH SEEDS. The subscriber offers for sale at a low price, a quantity of the following seeds:—Mung, Paddy, and Rye-grass, etc.

Wanted to Purchase. FARM containing 2000 Acres, Situated on the road between Digby and Annapolis, with a large body of water.

New Goods.

Prices to suit Most Everyone! Dry Goods, Groceries, Rubbers, Paper and Bordening, Hats, Crockeryware, Glassware, Carpets, Flour, Meal, Fish, Lime and Salt, Etc., Etc.

Sportsman's Delight! The EUREKA. Breech-loading Fire Arms Cleaner. It is the simplest Cleaner for Guns, Rifles, Pistols, Shotguns, etc.

Canada and West Indies. Tenders for Steamship Lines. The advertisement of the 7th February, 1887, calling for tenders for the performance of the service of the Steamship Lines, is hereby published.

Public Auction. By the Sheriff of the County of Annapolis, at his deputy's, on MONDAY, JUNE 6th, '87, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, at the Court House in Annapolis, Md.

Specialties. LAWRENCE to Bridgewater! THE subscriber having the above mill prepared to receive orders for the following:—GARY PARSEMENTS and FREIGHT.

LAND. All that certain tract beginning at the north-west corner of lands of Jesse Henkle, running south 20° 30' and 30m, east to the place of the bridge, containing 100 acres more or less.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Larger than Ever. Last year I stated, in effect, that my importations for the season were the largest to be found under one roof in the County. My customers will all bear witness that this was no exaggeration.

My Orders still Larger in every Department, and I may say here that I hope, in the near future, to extend my premises so as to give me a better opportunity to display my stock.

It may naturally be asked, "What is the secret of such a development of business as this?" The answer is, I have no secret, I always try to be first in placing before the people the very best and most reasonable goods both in quality and design.

J. W. BECKWITH. Farm for Sale. THE subscriber offers for sale the well known Farm beautifully situated on the POST ROAD.

FARMERS ATTENTION! We have opened a Warehouse at Bridgetown, in Charge of E. A. CRAIG, and are prepared to give the Farmers in the Annapolis Valley FARM MACHINERY.

DRYSDALE & HOYT, MANUFACTURERS OF MONUMENTS, TABLES, HEADSTONES, Etc. IN AMERICAN AND ITALIAN MARBLE. Also Granite and Freestone Monuments in the most Graceful Designs.

Curbing and Fencing Lots in Cemeteries. A SPECIALTY. MANTLES, TABLE TOPS, SOAP STONE, FOR STOVE LININGS, TO ORDER.

ONE door west of W. Y. Foster's, BRIDGETOWN, N. S. SIMON'S LINIMENT. It is good for all external and many internal diseases in man and beast.

SPRING STOCK, 1887. Just Received and to Arrive, Now Due. Staple & Fancy Dry Goods, READY MADE CLOTHING.

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Miscellaneous.

New Goods Exhibits in Country Stores. At this time the period when retail merchants are buying and opening new goods...

The true test of buying is in the selling power of the goods purchased. It frequently occurs that retail merchants buy from the same jobbing house...

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There are a good many donkeys in theological cabinet. Some of the best fossils are found in theological cabinet. Why are these fossils found in the theological cabinet?

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Antidote for Cancer. A REMEDY WITHIN THE REACH OF ALL. About thirty years ago a woman belonging to the middle walks of life, suffering from cancer, was pronounced beyond the skill by the physicians of Shrewsbury...

With that tenderness and willingness characteristic of every true and noble woman to ally her sister's many pains, this friend, for the proved friend in need and forthwith sent her boy (one of whom she informed) to gather what, in the United States, is known as sheep sorrel by the people of England as 'hor' leaf...

The leaves were wrapped in brown paper as tight as the pack in brown paper. This package was then placed to breathe in open air, covered with the leaves of the same. When the package was removed, it was in a hot state as possible and not firm, it was not applied, the leaves being in direct contact with the tumor, which was firmly held in place...

Another case fully as remarkable, if not more so, comes to us from Nova Scotia. Horton, Kings Co., Nova Scotia. Dear Sir.—I inform you that I was very much pleased to receive from you a copy of your extraordinary and very interesting account of the cure effected on my daughter, a child of fifteen years of age, by your invaluable medicine. In consequence of taking cold, she had become afflicted with the disease, which you have so successfully treated...

Pimples, Boils, Carbuncles result from a debilitated, impoverished, or impure condition of the blood. Ayer's Sarsaparilla purifies the blood, and cures these eruptions and all other diseases of the skin...

A Perfect Cure. I have not been troubled with a skin disease for many years, and I have not been troubled with a skin disease for many years, and I have not been troubled with a skin disease for many years...

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John's Corner. It is not what we say to ourselves, so much as what we say to the world, that gives our standing in the world.

WAS THIS A FINE ADVICE?—One of the most dreadful ailments that can be contracted is a sore throat, and it is produced by cold, or by the use of unwholesome food...

A FRENCH PHYSICIAN announces that distressing or excessive palpitation of the heart can always be cured by breathing bottles, the head down and hands hanging over the edge of the table...

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