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## It Quiets the Cough

This is one reason why Ayer's Cherry Pectoral is so valuable in consumption. It stops the wear and tear of useless coughing. But it does more—it controls the inflammation, quiets the fever, soothes, and heals. Sold for 60 years.

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral has been a regular life preserver to me. I breathe no other cough medicine. I have tried many others, but they have done me no good. I have used Ayer's Cherry Pectoral for many years, and I can say that it is the best cough medicine I have ever used. —WILLIAM H. TRACY, West.

Made by J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass. Also manufactured at Sarsaparilla, Pills, Hair Vigor.

Master recovery by keeping the bowels regular with Ayer's Pills.

Rojestrensky Makes Strong Accusations

St. Petersburg, Jan. 13.—The remarkable allegation that the British fleet was held in readiness to destroy the Russian fleet if the battle of the Sea of Japan had gone in the Russian's favor is made by Admiral Rojestrensky in a letter published in the Novoye Vremya recently with their permission of the Minister of Marine. Referring to the absolute secrecy of Admiral Togo in regard to the disposition of his forces Rojestrensky declares "this was unknown even to the Admiral of the British fleet allied with the Japanese, who concentrated his forces at Wei-Hai-Wei in expectation of receiving an order to annihilate the Russian fleet if this, the final object of Great Britain, was beyond the power of the Japanese."

Mr. Spring-Rice, the British chargé d'affaires, without waiting for instructions from his government, demanded an explanation from Foreign Minister Lamdorff of the statements contained in the admiral's letters to the Novoye Vremya. The Russian government will probably decline to settle the claims of foreigners for damages sustained during the riots at Moscow and elsewhere on the ground, as was previously the case when claims for damages were made by foreigners whose property at Bakou was damaged, that while every effort has been made to protect foreign interests and property, foreigners living in Russia are entitled only to the redress which Russian subjects have, namely, to recover under the law from the imperial government not being liable.

This was the position which Russia took in the case of the destruction of Chinese property at Vladivostok, although Russia's share of the Boxer indemnity exacted from China was \$87,500,000. Russia also recently presented a claim against Persia for the destruction of Russian life and property. It was learned today from an authoritative source that the Russian government has been without communication with General Linvitch for almost five weeks.

London, Jan. 13.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Daily Telegraph says he has had conversation with Count Witte, in which the premier stated that the emperor and his ministers alike were astonished at Admiral Rojestrensky's allegation that the British admiral had concentrated his ships at Wei-Hai-Wei expecting an order to destroy the Russian fleet in the event of Admiral Togo being defeated in the battle of the Sea of Japan. Count Witte said he was taking measures to clear up the matter but, he added, it was self-evident that no level-headed man in Russia would attach importance to the allegation which the minister of marine, he said, had not noticed until it appeared in print.

The Times' St. Petersburg correspondent says the Great Britain has been dragged in to help dissolve Rojestrensky and to prepare public opinion for his impending acquittal and rehabilitation, which are considered indispensable for the sake of the reputation of the Russian navy.

MINARD'S LINIMENT CO., LIMITED. Gentlemen—Last winter I received great benefit from the use of MINARD'S LINIMENT in a severe attack of La Grippe, and I have frequently proved it to be very effective in cases of inflammation.

Yours,  
W. A. HUCHINSON.

## THE POST OFFICES OF ANnapolis CO.

Gross Receipts and Salaries Paid During the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1905.

During the fiscal year ending June 30th, 1905, there have been an increase of 419 in the number of post offices; an increase of 841 in the number of Postal Note offices; of 289 in the number of Money-Order Offices; and of 28 in the number of Savings Banks. \$18.01 additional miles of railway were utilized for mail purposes, and the frequency of service over lines already used was increased in respect of numerous lines of railway theretofore used, resulting in an increase of 1,147,928 miles of mail carriage during the year. There was also an increase of 202,981 miles of mail carriage by water, and 385,908 miles of mail carriage by stage, making a total increase in mileage of mail carriage during the year of 1,736,817.

The various expansions of the service during the year have involved an increased expenditure amounting to \$286,986.94. The estimated increase in the number of letters and postcards for the year amounts to 26,351,000, the largest increase in any year except that of 1899-1900 when the two cent letter rate was adopted.

There was also an increase of \$2,696,664.26 in the amount of money orders issued and \$980,823.88 in the amount of postal notes issued during the last fiscal year.

The cost of maintaining mail service in the Yukon and Alton districts exceeded that of the last fiscal year amounting to \$101,940.83. The gross revenue of the Post Office for the year amounted to \$6,756,089.79 and the expenditure, including the loss above referred to of \$101,940.83 in respect of the Yukon and Alton mail services, amounted to \$6,295,244.90, thus leaving a clear surplus of \$460,844.89 over and above all expenditure for the year.

Following is a list of the post offices in Annapolis, arranged as accounting and non-accounting, with the amount of gross receipts and the salary paid at each. The amount set down as salary does not in all cases indicate the full amount received, as it does not take into account the compensation paid on the money order, savings bank or postal note business.

Office.	Revenue.	Salary.
Annapolis Royal.	\$2,739.56	\$877.72
Bear River.	1,394.09	526.00
Bridgetown.	2,696.54	888.00
Clarence.	83.64	35.00
Centerville.	59.04	194.00
Clementsonport.	387.89	165.00

Money Leaders of the Fagan Strip. Source of a Great Evil in Halifax That Should be Eradicated.

There is an active crusade now being carried on in Montreal against money lenders of the Fagan strip. There might possibly be some interesting developments in Halifax were the limit of publicity thrown on the conduct of those who make a living by "loaning" on anything and everything of a purchasable character that is brought to them.

Of late these pawn-shops have been the means, so it is alleged, of developing a source of evil that has already caused trouble in many a home, and possibly have started many a verdant youth upon a career of crime, at least given him an incentive in that direction.

The evil, or source of evil, referred to, is the practice of young children pawning clothes belonging to their parents, older brothers or sisters, for pocket money. It is stated that a very large quantity of what good clothing is for sale in those shops is procured in this way. The children want money for something or another—to keep pace with their little friends who may be more fortunate than they—and not wishing to borrow from an inquisitive father, they take a cast-off garment of wear, or may be better than that, and dispose of it for a mere pittance at a pawn-broker's.

It is not known whether these people have any systematic method of lending money, but it is a well-known fact that the difference between the amount for which an article is sold and that for which it is redeemed is very large, sometimes as high as 75 and 100 per cent. A short time ago a young man,

## DOMINION HAS GREAT FUTURE SAYS LORD STRATHCONA.

At End of Century Population Will be Twice as Large as That of Great Britain and Ireland Combined.

Montreal, Que., Jan. 11.—Lord Strathcona left this evening for New York, whence he will sail on the Carmania for England. This afternoon his lordship officiated at the formal opening of the St. Lawrence Curling Club's new rink. He was presented with an address and also with an onyx curling stone with a gold handle and with a handsome curling broom. In a brief reply Lord Strathcona said that he was especially interested in curling, because it was Scotland's national game. He wished that he could be free to join in active participation with them, but he was afraid that at the present he would be a very lame curler.

Lord Strathcona spoke optimistically of the future of the Dominion, which he said would be greater than any one at present anticipated. At the end of the present century he estimated that Canada would have a population twice as large as the combined populations of Great Britain and Ireland. The natural conditions of the country could hardly be improved upon. We had a greater territory than the republic to the south and a climate that was equally good. Satisfactory it was to know that the growth of Canada in the past and present was not the result of a boom, but due entirely to natural conditions. He trusted that whatever her prospects Canada would ever remain an integral part of the great empire to which she now gave her allegiance.

In conclusion his lordship said that while he was proud of the title by which he had been honored by the late lamented Queen Victoria, he would rather be remembered by his friends in Montreal as Donald Smith. It was the name by which he had been known to them in other days, and he would be loath to change the relations which had existed between them then.

## REASONS FOR THE MILD WINTER

The extraordinary warmth of the winter up to the present time is a subject of universal comment and considerable wonderment. Since nothing happens without a cause, it is but natural that all thoughtful persons are inquiring: "What is the source of this uncommon winter temperature?"

To say simply that warm periods and cold periods of the weather recur at certain intervals of years does not answer the question or account for the phenomenon.

What is the cause of the periodicity? Does it lie in the earth, or in the atmosphere, or somewhere in space outside the earth?

It is clear that the changes do not arise from the rocky ball of the earth, which is not a source of any perceptible quantity of heat except that which had been previously stored up from the solar radiation.

Local peculiarities of weather may be due to peculiar states of the atmosphere, but any universal rise or fall of temperature affecting the whole planet, or a whole hemisphere, must originate from changes occurring in the one great source of heat supply that we possess—the sun.

Two or three years ago Professor Langley found evidence that the sun had quite suddenly fallen off in its radiation to such a degree that the whole northern hemisphere experienced a summer of extraordinary coolness, the temperature in America, Europe and Asia averaging several degrees below the normal.

If the sun can thus fall at times in energy it can also at other times rouse itself, so to speak, to uncommon activity, and that may very well be what is happening at the present time. It is now the period of maximum sun-spottiness, and many observations have shown that such a period corresponds with a general increase in the output of solar radiation.

But when we have established the fact that the sun is responsible for warm winters and cold summers through changes in its own energies, we have not yet got to the bottom of the subject, for another question immediately arises: "What cause underlies the periodic changes in the sun?"

A definite answer cannot yet be given, but it is for the sake of solving just this problem that such institutions as the great solar observatory on Wilson's Peak in California have been established. We may find some satisfaction in the reflection that our present extraordinary weather experiences indicate that the sun may now be partially opening up its secrets to the inspection of observers furnished with more powerful means of investigation than have heretofore existed.

It is interesting for those who admire the winter heavens on these mild January nights to know that one of the brightest stars in view—the top star Betelgeuse in the shoulder of Orion—exhibits changes indicating that it undergoes a periodic increase and decrease of radiation not unlike that of which the sun is suspected, but apparently considerably greater in amount.

In a cycle of years, the length of which has not yet been determined,

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as a cure for Coughs and colds easily takes the lead of all the remedies we have seen of this kind. It is not only an excellent preparation, but you get about twice as much of it for 25 cents as any other.

The preparation is too well known here now to need any words as to its thoroughly efficient action.

## Royal Pharmacy

W. A. WARREN, Pharm. B., Chemist & Optician.

Now for the Heavens Right Here at Home.

(By Rev. Thomas B. Gregory.)

The Rev. Mr. Cryden, of Forty Fort, Pa., is reported as declaring that there are far too many preachers and churches in this country—in many places twice as many as are needed—and that our superfluous theological talent should be directed to heathen countries, where there is so much more need for it.

But the question forces itself upon us: "Is it really a fact that the so-called heathen lands are in greater need of religious and moral teachings than our own country is?"

In some respects—in many respects—the heathen are away ahead of us "Christians," as we are in the habit of calling ourselves.

The foundation of religion is Morality, and the foundation of Morality is Love, Justice and Personal Integrity.

How do the heathen compare with us in these directions?

We dare not attempt to answer the question—lest we condemn ourselves. India is a heathen country, and yet in India human life—and the life of every other living thing—is sacred in the people's eyes.

The Mohammedan lands are heathen, and yet in all such lands the people eschew strong drink as they would eschew the devil himself.

China is a heathen land, and yet in China a man's word is, generally speaking, as good as a Bank of England note. As a rule, the people speak truth to one another, and deal with each other according to the canons of the strictest honesty.

Nowhere else is human life so cheap as it is in the United States of America. Nowhere else is there such cold-blooded selfishness and brutality in the struggle for life. Nowhere else is civilization such a heartless, unfeeling juggernaut.

With our alleged plethora of preachers and churches we can show, in our New Yorks, Chicagos and Bostons a great deal more misery and wretchedness, brought on by greed and cruelty, than can be found in the great cities of heathendom.

The inhumanity that "makes its thousands mourns" exists here to a much greater extent than it does in the lands where the light of the Gospel has never shone.

It is safe to say that there is a hundredfold more drunkenness in America than there is in India or Turkey or Japan, and as for murder, statistics show that there are more homicides in the single city of Chicago every year than there are in all India, with its three hundred millions of population.

In this country, if a man has anything in the way of valuables he must put them in a strong box if he would not have them stolen, while in many places in the heathen lands his valuables would be safe anywhere, the honesty of the people being such that they would never think of molesting that which did not belong to them.

Why, then, this talk of sending our superfluous ministers to the heathen? Let them stay at home, where they are needed, as they are not needed in heathen lands.

Christianity is already among the heathen to a much greater extent than it is among ourselves, and what we need is to get our own people to hear the Gospel and live by it.





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WEDNESDAY, JAN. 10TH, 1906.

Snow has been a scarce article throughout the Valley this season and the cause is apparent. The British Isles have a corner on the supply and are using it to bury Ballour.

More diseased apples sent to South Africa and naturally there is a big kick coming. It would be interesting to know how many were Valley apples.

The board of trade of St. John is working hard to secure new industries. The board of trade of Bridgetown is welcome to the hint.

This present upheaval in Great Britain's political life is not much out of the ordinary. It happens about every five or six years.

Property Transfers.

Property transfers: Shafner, Gilbert to Henry Lloyd Shafner, property at Granville; Bowley, Hamner to Lillie B. Bowley, property at Middleton; Crosby, Maria E., to James R. Ditmars, property at Bear River; Marshall, Milburn P., to trustees Middleton Baptist church, property at Middleton; Bishop, William D., to Hardy Robinson, land at Clements; Robinson Hardy to the McLaughlin brothers, land at Clements; Purdy Cereno H., to Hardy Robinson, property at Clements; Thomas James H., to Naomi Berry, property at Bear River; Wheelock Owen to Fred E. Bentley, property at Middleton; Armstrong Owen H., to W. B. Ross, property at Middleton, (\$5,000); Tyler Henry to W. E. Woodworth, property at Litchfield; Jackson John to Francis Ray, property at Annapolis; Lloyd Joseph E. to Avaral Beeler, property at Bridgetown; McGregor George, to George E. Corbett, property at Tebeok; Nelson, James R., to Lillian H. Arthur, property at Lower Granville; Shafner Laurence D. to Della Munson, property at Bridgetown, (the Jared Troop property); Beth, Fred E., to M. W. Graves, property at Bridgetown; Graves, M. W., to Jacob W. Saltera, property at Bridgetown; Brown John A., to Fred G. Palfrey, property at Lawrentown; Brett, Annie H., to Samuel J. Williamson, property at Paradise; Foss, Charles O., to Fred E. Cox, property at Middleton; Wheelock Owen, to Fred E. Cox, property at Middleton; Bent, Millidge and wife to Emma Margeson and Rupert Darling, property at Mt. Hanley.

The British Elections.

Gerald Balfour and Walter H. Long Go Down to Defeat.

London, Jan. 15.—The liberal landslide continues. Out of 76 contests today the liberals and laborites together secured 62 seats. The liberal gains today allow the surprising total of 42, while the Unionists gained only one seat, that of Hastings. Two former cabinet officers went down before the storm of liberal sentiment. Gerald Balfour, president of the local government board in the Balfour cabinet, was defeated at Leeds by a majority of 1,069, and Walter Home Long, former chief secretary for Ireland, lost his seat for South Bristol, while Augustine Birrell, president of the board of education, defeated the unionist candidate at North Bristol. Lord Hugh Cecil, leader of the conservative free traders, was defeated at Greenwich, and T. Gibson Bowles, a unionist free trader, lost at King's Lynn, both being opposed by Chamberlain.

Aside from the overwhelming gains by the liberals throughout the country, the immense majorities secured in the turn over are causes of surprise to both sides.

The labor candidates are showing remarkable strength, the total gains of the labor party today being seven, not including one socialist—W. E. Horn—who, at Westham, defeated the unionist candidate, Sir J. G. Hatting, by a majority of 5,000.

The composition of the new parliament up to the present is as follows: Liberals ... 95 Unionists ... 31 Laborites ... 17 Nationalists ... 1

The total liberal gains number 64, the gains made being classed among the liberals.

Twenty-one London districts voted today. Out of these hitherto unionist strongholds the unionists only succeeded in securing five seats.

Three members of the new ministry were returned today by strong majorities—Herbert John Gladstone, secretary for home affairs; president of the board of education Birrell, and James Bryce, chief secretary for Ireland. The attorney-general, Sir J. Lawson Walton, also received a large majority. Among the unionists who retained their seats were H. O. Arnold-Forster, former secretary of war, at Croydon, and Sir Howard Vincent, at Sheffield. Newcastle-on-Tyne only voted for two seats today, but the returns were not declared tonight. These seats hitherto gave unionist majorities, but it is predicted that the vote will be close, and both are likely to be returned over the liberals.

The announcement of the re-election of Sir George Doughty, unionist, for Great Grimsby, with a majority of 2,300, an increase of 550 over the result of the last contest, in 1898, proved a welcome pick-me-up to the

unionists, who were somewhat panicky after Saturday's landslide. A number of unopposed returns were made this morning, the most notable being Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman in Sterling district; Timothy M. Healy, Irish nationalist, North Louth, and Joseph Devlin, Irish nationalist, North Kilkenny.

London, Jan. 17.—The British elections up to and including yesterday show the following results: Liberals ... 127 Unionists ... 54 Labor ... 28 Nationalists ... 88

Meeting of the Tariff Commission at Middleton.

Pursuant to a request of the Middleton board of trade, delegates from a number of boards of trade, and other representative bodies, in the Valley from Kentville to Digby, met together at Morrison's hall in Middleton, on Monday evening last, to arrange a program of the various matters to be laid before the tariff commission on the following day. After the meeting had been called to order, a discussion took place as to the best mode of procedure, when it was decided that committees consisting of those representing the various interests, should be formed to decide upon the several matters to be brought before the commission, and upon their reports, a program was to be made up of the subjects to be discussed and the names of the gentlemen who were to address the commission, and support the various subjects assigned to them.

The meeting having adjourned the different committees got to work, and upon their reports being handed in, the following program was made up, viz: (a) The propriety of increasing the duty on fresh fish.

(b) To place gasoline on the free list.

(c) To obtain, if possible, some modification of the present operation of the modus vivendi.

Mr. Jamieson, town clerk of Digby, was assigned to represent these matters before the commission. 2.—Manufactures: Under this head there was only one subject for presentation, viz., an application from Mr. Reec, of Bear River, proprietor of the Nictaux Granite quarries, who desired to have the duty on "granite finished and polished, and manufactured into tombstones and monuments," imported from Scotland, increased from 35 per cent. to 50 per cent. which, with the preference allowed, would make the net duty 33 1/2 per cent. Mr. John Ervin, of Bridgetown, was assigned to represent this industry, and press its claims to increased protection before the commission.

3.—The farming and fruit growing interest. This being a very large subject, and embracing a great number of propositions, the most prominent being that the present duty on fruit be maintained; that the duty on agricultural implements be reduced to one-half; that the duty on commercial fertilizers be taken off the free list, also cornmeal be placed on the free list; also that the duty on sugar be reduced to one-half; also that the duty on transportation, and express charges on fruit was given an airing.

The following gentlemen were assigned the duty of placing these matters before the commission: Colonel Shippey Spurr, Ralph Messenger, Ralph Eaton, S. G. Craker.

The commissioners, Hon. Mr. Fielding, Hon. Mr. Patterson, Hon. Mr. Brooker arrived on the express train from Halifax yesterday morning at 11:30 o'clock, and immediately convened at Morrison's hall, where the program was taken up, and the hearing of the arguments to the commissioners proceeded with.

The sitting of the commission was largely attended and all present were much interested in the discussions, the commissioners having charmed every one present by their urbanity, and their evident desire to do full justice to the subjects brought before them. After the program was gone into, and every subject fully discussed, Mr. G. C. Miles, of Middleton, in a neat speech referring in complimentary terms to the patient and interested hearing given by the commissioners to the various interests represented, moved a vote of thanks to the commissioners. This was seconded by Mr. J. M. Owen, of Annapolis, and being enthusiastically endorsed by those present, was replied to by Mr. Fielding, the chairman of the commissioners, and the session then adjourned.

Religious Activities.

To the Editor: Dear Sir:—I note with gratification that there has been a column especially set apart in the Monitor to be devoted to religious matters. I wish personally to thank you for this movement in the right direction. There are many people in the community who are unable through infirmity or old age to be present in the respective churches on the Lord's day, and to them it is a pleasure to have an abstract of the sermons that are delivered in the different pulpits in the town. While it is true that in the distinctively religious papers that come to their home they may find good religious food, nevertheless it is a pleasure to them to have an idea of what their own pastors are saying in the home churches. I feel that the editor is conferring a favor upon such in the new department.

We are passing at the present time through a season of almost world wide religious revival. Thousands of the most intelligent and upright people throughout the world hail this fact with delight. Many are praying that the wave of revival power may spread until every church throughout the broad earth shall be quickened into new activity. Do we not need this in our own community? Should not Christian people not only pray but begin to labor more zealously to this end. I have been feeling that the time

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TOWN OF BRIDGETOWN.

Office of Town Clerk and Treasurer

NOTICE is hereby given that the assessment roll for the Town of Bridgetown upon which the rates will be levied in and for the said Town for the year 1906, has been filed in the office of the undersigned, the Town Clerk, and that the said roll is open to the inspection of the ratepayers of the town.

And further take notice that any person, firm, company, association or corporation assessed in such roll, who claims that he or it should not be assessed in such roll, may on or before the 10th day of February next give notice in writing to the undersigned, the Town Clerk, that he or it appeals from such assessment in whole or in part, and in such notice state particularly the grounds of objection to such assessments.

And further take notice that if any person assessed in such roll claims that any person, firm, company, association or corporation has been omitted from or wrongfully inserted in such roll, may on or before the 10th day of February give notice in writing to the undersigned, the Town Clerk, that he or it appeals in respect to the assessment or non-assessment of the said person, firm, company, association or corporation, and shall in such notice state particularly the grounds of his objection.

Dated at Bridgetown this 26th day of December, 1905.

F. L. MILNER, Town Clerk.

Horses Teeth Filled by the United States Dental Machine. Good work guaranteed.

R. A. BENT, Horse Dentist, Bridgetown, N. S.

FARM FOR SALE

We are offering for sale that valuable and well known farm belonging to the estate of the late F. E. Miller. It is situated in Ganville about two and one half miles below Bridgetown on the Post Road. It is well watered by windmill appliances, has good buildings and has about twenty acres of good marsh. Cuts about seventy-five tons of good hay. The orchard is capable of yielding 400 barrels of good fruit with a number of small trees just coming into bearing.

Intending purchasers can apply to Mrs. F. E. Miller, on the premises, or to Oliver S. Miller, Bridgetown. OLIVER S. MILLER, Executor of the Estate. Bridgetown, Jan. 5th, 1906.

has come to make some special efforts in this direction in the church of which I am the pastor. Tonight we begin a series of services. These will be continued during the remaining evenings of the week in the vestry of the church, and then next week, beginning on Tuesday evening and continued until further notice.

I would like to see all the churches in the town take a month or six weeks for this kind of work for I believe that such a course would result in a wider interest than can possibly be brought about by the efforts of but one church. I wish to ask the co-operation as far as possible, and the prayers of all Christian people for a season of spiritual refreshing in the town and country around from "the presence of the Lord." Wishing the new management all success, I remain, Sincerely yours, E. E. DALEY.

We are now opening numbers of cases of STAPLE GOODS for the early Spring sewing Amongst which are 200 pieces of PRINTS of the choicest Patterns and Values. : : :

J. W. BECKWITH.

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Here are a few examples of what your money will buy during this sale (hundreds of others):

A guaranteed first quality Overcoat—All sizes, regular \$10 and \$12 values, for \$5 to 10. Men's Suits, well made, in Tweed and Serges, worth from \$6 to \$12, selling this month at \$3 to \$5. Boy's Suits, well made, in all styles, good material, at prices to suit the pocket.

J. Harry Hicks, BRIDGETOWN.

INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY.

TENDER

Sealed Tenders, addressed to the Secretary of the Department of Railways and Canals, Ottawa, Ont., and marked on the outside "Tender for Additions to Station and Freight Shed at Norton," will be received up to and including

FRIDAY, 26th JANUARY, 1906, for the construction of an addition to the station and Freight Shed at Norton, N. B.

Plans and Specification may be seen at the office of the Station Master, Norton, N. B., and at the office of the Chief Engineer, Moncton, N. B., where forms of tender may be obtained.

All the conditions of the specification must be complied with.

D. POTTINGER, General Manager. Railway Office, Moncton, N. B., 6th January, 1906.

INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY.

TENDER

Sealed Tenders, addressed to the Secretary of the Department of Railways and Canals, Ottawa, Ont., and marked on the outside "Tender for Addition to Engine House, Stellarton," will be received up to and including

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 31ST, 1906, for the construction of an addition to the Brick Engine House at Stellarton, N. S.

Plans and Specification may be seen at the Station Master's Office, Stellarton, N. S., and at the Office of the Chief Engineer, Moncton, N. B., where forms of tender may be obtained.

All the conditions of the specification must be complied with.

D. POTTINGER, General Manager. Railway Office, Moncton, N. B., January 10th, 1906.

Hats Trimmed Free

On Friday and Saturday, if Hats and Trimmings are purchased at our Store.

Miss Annie Chute

J. H. Hicks & Sons

Furniture

Those who have purchased from us during the past year, have been well pleased with our dealings with them, and have so expressed themselves, not only to us, but to others. A call at our Warerooms, will convince that our goods and prices are right. A purchase will prove our desire to give you perfect satisfaction. We solicit your orders throughout the year, which will, large or small, have our careful attention.

J. H. Hicks & Son

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to issue neat, attractive printing? Does it pay to catch the best class of trade—the money-spending trade? We know, and you know, when you think of it. Now you can't catch liberal money-spenders with a frugal, sparing, parsimonious class of advertising printed matter. You must deal liberally with people. Let us help you catch that trade.

Local and Special News.

The average citizen learns more facts through his newspapers in a day than he learned from his public speakers in a month.—Prof. Hadley, of Yale University.

The publication of the minutes of the Municipal Council has crowded our columns to such an extent that several of the usual departments and also the sermon, are crowded out this week.

The Ladies' Baptist Sewing Circle was successfully organized yesterday at the home of Mrs. W. E. Reed, with the following officers: President, Mrs. W. E. Reed, secretary, Miss Mersereau. Fifteen members were enrolled. The next meeting will be at Mrs. J. E. Lloyd's on Thursday of next week.

An important business change which has taken place during the last few days was the retirement of Fred E. Bath from the firm of Graves & Bath, vintner, manufacturers, and the acquisition of the interest formerly held by him by Captain J. W. Walters. The firm will in future be known as M. W. Graves & Company. The factory is situated on the line of the M. & N. B. railway, near the station and the high grade of goods manufactured has won good words wherever introduced. Last year the output was in the neighborhood of 100,000 gallons, and it is likely that the present year will show a substantial increase. The new firm starts out with the best of prospects and, it is hoped, will prove a success.

PERSONAL.

Miss Lydia Munro returned to Boston on Saturday. Elias Messenger leaves on Monday on a trip to Montreal.

Miss Adelaide Coggins, of Westport, is visiting at Margaret Hicks. H. R. Swenston and E. L. Thorne, of Halifax, arrived in town yesterday.

Captain Amos Burns, the new manager of the Empire Lumber Co., Ltd., has been spending the week in town. Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Craig attended the funeral of their brother-in-law, Wm. C. Shaw, at Berwick, last week. E. Y. Rowland, the president of the Commercial Travellers' Association, representing Ganong Brothers, is in town.

Mrs. Norman Rumsey, who has been in Boston and Lynn for the past three months, returned home last week much improved in health.

I. O. O. F.

The District Deputy Grand Master of Independent Order of Odd Fellows, J. W. Peters, assisted by Charles Covett, acting as Grand Warden, Alden Walker as Grand Marshal, J. I. Foster as Grand Secretary, W. E. Reed as Grand Per. Secretary, Lansdale Hall as Grand Treasurer, installed the following officers of Crescent Lodge, No. 63: Arthur Charlton, N. G.; Wm. Longmire, V. G.; George Chute, Secretary; Burgess Chute, F. Secretary; Loring Hall, Treasurer; Alden Walker, Warden; J. W. Peters, Conductor; W. E. Reed, R. S.; G. Ward Brooks, L. S.; N. J. G. Peters, R. S. V.; G. F. Forsyth, S. N. G.; W. E. Jewett, J. G.; G. Allan, O. G.; H. Allan, R. S. S.; S. C. Dunn, L. S. S.; W. A. Marshall, Chaplain.

After speeches by the new officers the lodge was invited to the Grand Central Hotel by the retiring Noble Grand C. L. Pigott, where a sumptuous supper was served by the host Mr. Coade.

Olive Branch Division.

Program for First Quarter, 1905. Jan. 13—Married members, Mrs. Turner and Mrs. Troop. Jan. 22—Gramophone entertainment W. J. Miller. Jan. 17—Temperance evening, Dr. C. Jost. Feb. 5—The Budget, Misses Eldridge and Manthorne. Feb. 12—Unmarried Members—Misses A. Marshall and M. Z. Craig. Feb. 19—Questions and answers, E. W. Rice. Feb. 26—Song and Signal Service, W. J. Miller. Mar. 5—Dialogues, O. A. Craig and F. McAndrews. March 12—Open Night, Committee. Home-made naps on sale. March 19—Division Paper, Mrs. Leslie. March 26—Election of Officers. Division meets Monday evenings in hall over the Monitor office. E. W. Rice, W. P. Howard Marshall, R. S. Milford.

Milford Loses Valuable Teacher.

(Milford Daily Journal, Jan. 12th.) Supt. Halsey received this morning the formal resignation of Miss Harriet F. Morton, the science teacher in the Milford high school, to take effect Friday, Jan. 26. Miss Morton goes to Chicopee at a salary of \$800. Miss Morton has been an earnest, faithful and most capable instructor in the Milford high school since her election in 1900 and her place will be very difficult to fill. Her salary in Milford has been \$650. A sub-committee of the school committee of Chicopee came here last Monday and such was their satisfaction with what they saw and learned that the result of their report was Miss Morton's election by the Chicopee school board on Wednesday evening. A special meeting of the Milford school board will be held very soon to arrange for election of a successor.

Latest by Telegraph.

Wanderers Defeat Truro.

(Special Despatch to the Monitor). Halifax, Jan. 17.—The Wanderers and Truro hockey game last night resulted in favor of Wanderers, 9 to 5.

Schooner Manhattan Lost.

(Special Despatch to the Monitor). Casco, Jan. 17.—The schooner Manhattan from Carbonneer, Nfld., with a cargo of dry codfish, bound to Lunenburg, while leaving this port, yesterday became becalmed and was carried by a heavy sea on the rocks off Glasgow Head. The crew barely escaped with their lives, saving nothing. The schooner was insured in the Fishermen's Marine for \$2,200, and in the Lohave Insurance Company for \$1,800.

Big Fire in P. E. Island.

(Special Despatch to the Monitor). Charlottetown, Jan. 17.—Last night the general store of A. Craig, Emerald, was burned to the ground with its contents. Loss \$7,000. Insurance, \$5,000.

Japanese Counterfeiters Arrested.

(Special Despatch to the Monitor). Washington, Jan. 17.—Three Japanese counterfeiters have been placed under arrest by secret service officers and hundreds of dollars' worth of spurious \$5 and \$10 gold pieces with the paraboloidal used in their manufacture was captured. The case is unique in the annals of the Pacific coast, not only from the wide field of their operation, but from the fact that the batteries and some of the machinery by which the coins were made in Japan and shipped to this country.

Another Ocean Race Planned.

(Special Despatch to the Monitor). New York, Jan. 17.—The Brooklyn Yacht Club will essay another ocean race during the latter part of May. Sir Thomas Lipton has generously donated a cup for the race, which is marked as being from Graves Bay, New York harbor, to Hamilton. The distance is to be 650 nautical miles.

Four Fatalities in East River Tunnel.

(Special Despatch to the Monitor). New York, Jan. 17.—Two negro tunnelers were killed by suffocation, two were drowned and two others seriously overcome and suffered severely by rescuing those who survived when a compressed air shaft burst in the East River tunnel on Man-of-War street, opposite 42nd street, early yesterday. The drowned men are still at the bottom of the shaft twenty feet below the river level.

Whole Town Wiped Out By Fire.

(Special Despatch to the Monitor). Lima, Ohio, Jan. 17.—The town of Convoy, thirty miles west of here, is reported to have been swept away by fire during the night. Wire news estimates that from \$100,000,000 to \$200,000,000.

Marshall Field Dead.

(Special Despatch to the Monitor). New York, Jan. 17.—Marshall Field, Chicago millionaire, died at the Holland house in this city at 4 p. m. yesterday. His illness was of more than a week's duration, and his estate is estimated at from \$100,000,000 to \$200,000,000.

Moroccan Conference Assembles.

(Special Despatch to the Monitor). Algiers, Jan. 17.—The delegates to the Moroccan conference began assembling early yesterday afternoon, causing a scene of great animation. The conference was opened at 3 o'clock The Duke of Almodors, the Spanish foreign minister, delivering a speech.

More Assassinations in Russia.

(Special Despatch to the Monitor). Penza, Russia, January 17.—Major General Leontovsk and his aide were sentenced to death by the fighting section of the social revolution, was fired at three times yesterday and killed. The assassin escaped.

What Others Say.

(Evening Times, St. John.) The Times has received the first issue of the Bridgetown Monitor under its new management by Jas. J. Wallis. It contains admirable reviews of the year's prosperity in farming, industry, stock and general trade in that section, tells of Bridgetown's factories, the new buildings, erected, and other valuable news about the town. There are agricultural and household departments, local and district news, special late news by wire, a short story, a sermon, and well selected general news. If succeeding issues keep the pace set by the first one the Bridgetown Monitor will be a veritable magazine of valuable information for its readers.

The Yarmouth Times.

The Bridgetown Monitor, always one of the best weeklies in the province, is now under the management of Mr. J. J. Wallis, formerly on the staff of The Times and later with the Halifax Herald. Mr. Wallis is an experienced newspaper man and under his supervision the Monitor should continue to occupy a prominent position in the Valley. A town is frequently judged by its newspapers, and taking that view of it The Times has no hesitation in saying that Bridgetown must be an enterprising place.

JANUARY BARGAIN SALE AT STRONG & WHITMAN'S

100 yards BLOUSE SILK Regular 45 cent line To clear at 25 cents per yard.

FLANNELETTES. We find our stock too heavy at 9 cents and 10 cents and are clearing them at 7 1-2 cts. yard.

75 yards BLOUSE SILK Regular 50c to 65c per yard To clear at 39 cents per yard.

30 Per Cent off

Men's, Ladies' and Children's Fur Goods, Underwear, Hosiery, Gloves, Ladies' Coats, Men's, Youth's, and Boy's Overcoats, Reefers, and Ready-to-wear Clothing and all other lines of Winter Goods not mentioned.

30 Per Cent off

LADIES' COLORED SILK WAISTS. We have a few of these left the regular price of which is \$3.25, \$4.75, \$5.63. Your choice for \$1.99.

LADIES' SATEN AND ALPACA WAISTS. We have only about two dozen all told of this line; prices were \$1.10 to \$2.50. Your choice for 75c.

WRAPPERETTES. We have a large range of pretty patterns in this line. Regular prices 10c, 11c, 12c, 13c. Sale prices, 7c, 8c, 9c, 8c.

MOLETTE SUTTINGS. Regular 14c. yd., for 11c. per yard. This line of goods are cashmere finish and all nice colorings. Just as pretty as French flannel costing 50c. the yd.

LADIES' FUR COATS. Two only. Astrakan, size 38, 40, 30 in. long. Regular \$38.00, for \$29.00 each. Two only. Electric Seal, size 36, 38, length 24 in. Regular price \$32.00, for \$27.50 each.

REMNANTS

Two Counters of REMNANTS

Of all kinds of goods. Great Bargains While They Last. Sale will positively close on January 31st.

LADIES' WRAPPERS.

We have only a few left but while they last, selling at the following low prices: Regular prices, 98c., 96c., \$1.25, \$1.35, \$1.98.

LADIES' TAILOR-MADE WALKING SKIRTS. Splendid cut and finish, fit guaranteed, extra value at selling price, but note these discounts. Regular selling prices, \$2.98, 3.25, 2.75, 3.88, 3.98, 4.25, 4.50, 4.75.

HEAVY COMFORTABLES. We have only one dozen left. Here is a snap for hotel or boarding house keepers. Regular prices, \$1.50, 1.88, 1.98, 2.90.

TWO MEN'S FUR COATS. 1 Natural Wombat, 1 Dyed Do. Persian Lamb collar. Regular prices \$35.00, \$25.00; Sale price \$29.50, \$30.50.

DISCOUNT SALE

The largest discount on Hats, Bonnets, Etc., to be found at

Miss Lockett's. Special discounts every Friday and Saturday.

Stock Food Poultry Food

The best foods on the market. The Anglo Saxon, now selling at 40 cts. and 20 cents per package. R. Shipley.

BORN. HILL—At 4 Vose street, Dorchester, Mass., Jan. 7th, to Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Hill, a daughter.

MARRIED. HINDS-BROMLEY—At Roxbury, Dec. 27th, 1905, by Rev. M. W. Brown, Kenneth Hinds and Margaret Bromley, both of Roxbury, Annapolis Co., N. S.

Empire Liniment. KILLS PAIN. A combination of the best medicinal agents known, producing a creamy preparation, free from any irritating or poisonous substances, and free from any odor or taste. It is used for curing Headache, Rheumatism, Chills, Malaria, etc. It is sold in 1/4 and 1/2 pint bottles. TAKE NO SUBSTITUTES. EMPIRE IS THE BEST.

St. John Can Learn from Bridgetown (St. John Times). Bridgetown, N. S., can sell products of its factories in the west and in the old country. This is an encouraging fact in connection with St. John's forward movement.

Just before Stock Taking and during the month of January I can save you 25 p. c. on all goods in my line.

OVERCOATS AND SUITS FOR BOYS AND MEN

Table with columns: OVERCOATS, PRICE NOW, PRICE, A Few Boy's Reefers, size 4 to 8, at half the price. Boy's odd pants 50 cents. Men's Underwear, all wool, Unshrinkable Shirts and Drawers, formerly 75c, now 50c. All Men's Furnishings at a big discount for this month. These discounts are on all goods except MADE TO ORDER CLOTHING.

Call early and examine these goods and prices. HARRY R. MOODY, Union Bank Building, Bridgetown, N. S.

Brides and Prospective Brides

Let your own good taste furnish your home. Do not permit a salesman to sell you what he wants, rather than what you want yourself. With our system of ONE PRICE only and every article marked in PLAIN FIGURES, you may be your own salesman. You have the freedom of our entire Store. We wish you to feel at home when you visit us. Come and go at your pleasure. Our stock is large. No question about having variety enough to choose from. If you can pay cash, you will receive a good liberal discount. If you find it inconvenient to pay all cash, your credit is good, and we will arrange that all right. Think this over carefully. A Six Marked, Golden Fish, BEDROOM SUITE, delivered, or freight paid, for \$15.00. Write or Telephone us to call and see you, with our fine Illustrated Catalogues of Furniture.

W. E. REED, Bridgetown. (Please show this ad. to a neighbor who may be interested.)

INTERNATIONAL BRICK AND TILE COMPANY, Limited. \$20 to \$18 18 to 15 15 to 12

The above figures show the reductions in prices of Ladies' and Gentlemen's Watches, 25-year Gold-filled cases, and the best American movements. CHAS. F. DYKE. Dated this 4th day of January, 1906.





PIPING HOT BOVRI

Try it with a dash of Tomato Catsup

Among Our Neighbors.

BEAR RIVER.

Mr. and Mrs. Judson Chute returned from Bridgetown Friday...

Friday night sneak thieves entered the home of Orlando Ford...

Rupert A. Harris met with a painful accident Saturday in George T. Tupper's mill...

The Board of Trade met in their rooms Tuesday evening, 9th inst...

Another case of sneak thieving within the past few days...

LOWER GRANVILLE.

The annual donation party in the interest of the Methodist preacher...

The Episcopal friends held an ice cream sale at the residence of Mrs. Libbie Bogart...

James Morrison, Sr., has been confined to his house with a carbuncle on his neck...

BELLEISLE.

Mrs. A. W. D. Parker is visiting her friend, Mrs. Foshay, at Bridgewater...

The Misses Louise and George Roop, and Miss Sadie Edwards...

Miss Beatrice Barnes, of Bridgetown, is with her sister, Mrs. Abner D. Troop...

Please don't forget the cake and pie social to be held in Belleisle hall on Monday evening...

Jermel F. Loughey showed your correspondent a beautiful bed spread presented to him on New Year's day...

Miss Rhoda Genser who has been visiting relatives in New Brunswick, is at home again...

Miss Avis Genser is with her grandmother, Mrs. R. L. Hardwicke at Annapolis Royal...

Those who were doubtful if an auxiliary fishing schooner for Bay of Fundy fishing would prove a profitable investment...

DEEP BROOK.

Walter Parsly returned from Boston last Saturday where he has been visiting friends...

Surprise parties are the order of the day. Every Tuesday evening some quiet household is unexpectedly turned into a scene of merrymaking...

Some members of the choir of the Church of England and Baptist churches have formed an Oratorio society...

Chas. T. Harris is getting out a frame for a new barn.

The Girl.

"Before we can sympathize with others, we must have suffered ourselves. No one can realize suffering attendant upon an attack of the grip, unless he has had the actual experience...

The North Sydney Herald says: "That there is considerable superstition yet in this enlightened age may be gathered from an accident which occurred a few days ago..."

The doctor's patient for a nervous affliction of the face. The trouble was a common one and the patient was progressing satisfactorily...

The supply of milk is insufficient; we should have at least four or five cows when we have more than two...

The doors of the Hospital are open to all visitors who are in any way interested in the institution...

Cut flowers, Mrs. G. E. DeWitt; magazines, H. W. Cain; Rev. Mr. McDonald and Y. M. C. A. It is needless to say that the patients appreciate the above...

A handsome gift in the way of an organ was presented to the institution. Too much cannot be said of the cheer it gives our inmates...

A handsome flag was presented to the institution by S. W. W. Pickup, M. P., while warden of the Council...

Last year the friends were very liberal in helping to make Christmas pleasant for our inmates this year we wish to repeat the same...

To Mr. F. Fitch, the valuable and indefatigable chairman of the committee, recognition is not only due for his constant care and attention since his inception of that office...

In the Municipal Council.

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throughout the building became loose and had to be repaired. Various parts of the building have received a much needed coat of paint...

There are many items under this heading that might be mentioned, though reference will be made to but a few if any deficiency exists...

The Institution, though second to none in the province, could be made more efficient by a little expenditure. Very often we are obliged to hold several patients for a time...

As this seems to be the only Institution other than the Nova Scotia Hospital for the care of the harmless insane and nervous cases...

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stance and good counsel in time of need. The greater part of the management and improvements of the Hospital are due to Mr. Fitch...

I wish to extend my most hearty thanks to the Warden, W. G. Clarke, who like his predecessor, is ever ready to lend a helping hand to the best interests of the community...

We are indebted to the Rev. Dr. Jost, who is ever ready to respond when his services are required...

The faithful discharge of the duties assigned to the male and female attendants, John Myers and Miss Annie Pettigrew, deserve recognition...

May I be permitted to express to you gentlemen, my thanks for the kindness and attention which you have always shown me personally...

Your obedient servant, ALFRED F. HILTZ, Superintendent.

Upon reading the petition of Herbert L. Steedman and upwards of twenty others, freeholders of the County of Annapolis...

Commissioners—Edwin Gates, Charles B. Dargie and Robert Hardwick. Upon reading the report of the Committee on Finance...

The following is the report: To the Warden and Councilors of the Municipality of Annapolis County, now in session:

Your Finance Committee beg to report that they have carefully examined all bills and accounts placed in their hands for the year 1905...

CHURCH SERVICES Parish of Bridgetown. CHURCH OF ENGLAND—Rev. E. Underwood.

St. James Church, Bridgetown. Sunday School every Sunday at 9:30 a.m. Rector's Bible Class in the church at 10 a.m.

St. Mary's Church, Belleisle. 1st Sunday in month, 9:30 a.m. The Holy Communion is administered at this service.

St. Peter's By the Sea—YOUNG'S CHURCH. 1st Sunday in month, 9:30 a.m. Other times according to notice.

BAPTIST SERVICES. BRIDGETOWN—Services morning and evening. Sunday School at 10 a.m.

METHODIST SERVICES. BRIDGETOWN—Services at 8 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Sunday School at 11 a.m.

GORDON MEMORIAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH. Rev. A. J. MacDonald, Pastor. Services every Sabbath at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

DONATIONS. Cut flowers, Mrs. G. E. DeWitt; magazines, H. W. Cain; Rev. Mr. McDonald and Y. M. C. A.

Don't Sell Your Produce. BUY HOLD. Understand you find out what the market prices are in St. John's.

J. G. WILLET. Produce Commission Merchant. 21 North Market Wharf, St. John, N.B.

WOOL 425,000 Lbs. Wanted. Your dealer will take your wool and give you the famous Hewson Tweeds. The kind you hear so much about.

20 per cent. off all our Silverware and Cut Glass Goods left over from our Christmas stock during the present month.

J. E. SANCTON.

January and February Sale. During the months of January and February I will give a cash discount of 15 p. c. of all Leather Goods. Felt Goods, 10 per cent. Hosiery Goods, 10 per cent. A few lines of Felt Slippers at cost.

GROCERIES. GOOD RAISINS, OLIVES, COFFEE, ESSENCES, RICE, ICINGS, ENGLISH WALNUTS, SCALLOPS. GOING SUGAR, APETIZO, EGGS--DOMESTIC, MARMALADE, BUTTER, MACARONI, CHEESE, DATES. J. E. LLOYD.

Holiday Goods Coming To Hand Every Day. RAISINS by the box. RAISINS by the half box. RAISINS by the quarter box. LAYER RAISINS, SEEDLESS RAISINS, SEEDED RAISINS by pound or package. CURRANTS, LEMONS, CITRUS, ORANGE PEEL, DATES, FIGS, PRUNES, GRAPES, COCOANUTS, NUTS, ETC. Also a complete line of Staple and Fancy China and Lamps, at prices as low as the lowest. C. L. PIGGOTT.

Bridgetown Boot and Shoe Store. Wishes all a Happy and Prosperous New Year. E. A. COCHRAN, MURDOCH BLOCK, GRANVILLE STREET.

GREAT REDUCTIONS IN FALL AND Winter Suits and Overcoats MADE TO ORDER. A large assortment of heavy and medium SUITINGS, FANCY WORSTED and TROUSERING to choose from. Balance of OVERCOATING must go at any price. Ladies' Costume Cloth all colours, now in stock for SPRING SUITS, at I. M. OTTERSON'S. Merchant Tailor, Murdoch Block, Bridgetown.

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Your committee not to consider in the future any bills that are not filed as the regulation requires.

The amount of the Presentment for 1906 is \$24,444.90, which we recommend to be assessed upon and collected from the ratepayers of this Municipality.

Respectfully submitted, E. H. PORTER, WM. C. HEALY, T. G. BISHOP.

PRESENTMENT, 1906.

Table listing various municipal expenses such as Supervisors, Statute Labor Lists, Land Damages and Fencing, etc., with corresponding amounts.

Table listing REVISORS and their names, such as John I. Nixon, James L. Brown, etc., with their respective amounts.

Table listing ASSESSORS and their names, such as Inglis Banks, Charles Wawall, etc., with their respective amounts.

Table listing SUPERVISORS and their names, such as D. M. Outhit, J. H. Charlton, etc., with their respective amounts.

MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES DIPHTHERIA.

STATUTE LABOR LISTS.

Table listing names and amounts for Statute Labor Lists, including Isaac Palmer, W. W. Dodge, etc.

MISCELLANEOUS BILLS.

Manley Benson, revising assessor, \$15.00; Amos Burns, revising assessor, 15.00; Parker J. Reagh, revising assessor, 15.00; John L. Cox, justice fees, 5.80; Abeneago Allen Bloomington and McInnis road survey, 2.00; Joseph Johnson, road survey, 2.00; William Johnson, road survey, 2.00; E. H. Porter, Committee work, 1905, 12.00; W. C. Healy, committee work, 1905, 12.00; T. G. Bishop, committee work, 1905, 18.95; Edmund Bent's bill, laying out road for Registrar of Deeds, 4 years, 100.00; J. J. Robblee's bill, laying out road from Hollow road to Bay and West road in Fundy Section, 7.00; John H. Robblee, ditto, 7.00; John Littlewood, ditto, 6.00; Stephen Pomp, assisting same, 2.00; B. C. Clarke, hall rent Revisors' Court, 1.00; W. G. Clark, committee work, etc., 25.00; Charles Byrd's bill, 35.79; Barnes & Co., books for Registry office, per bill J. B. Giles, 30.50; J. H. Charlton, use of hall 3 years, Revisors', 6.00; Polling Division, Parker's Cove, Samuel Sprout, \$2.00; Andrew Clarke, \$2.00; Thos. Milner, \$2.00; W. H. Marshall, services, Mc Ginty road, 8.00; Ward No. 5, 5.00; Ward No. 6, 6.00; Ward No. 7, 7.00; Ward No. 8, 8.00; Ward No. 9, 9.00; Ward No. 10, 10.00; Ward No. 11, 11.00; Ward No. 12, 12.00; Ward No. 13, 13.00; Ward No. 14, 14.00; Ward No. 15, 15.00; Ward No. 16, 16.00; W. E. Armstrong, exhibition committee, 5.00; D. M. Charlton, storing road machine, 4.00; Arthur Spurr, storing road machine, 3.00; Andrew LeCain, laying out road, Ward No. 10, 2.00; Rufus Whitman, laying out road, Ward No. 10, 2.00; J. E. Onkes, rent of hall, Revisors', 2.00; E. Bartow, survey road, Springfield, 31.40; C. W. Stoddart, survey road, Springfield, 3.00; John Long, survey road, Springfield, 3.00; Land Damages and Fencing, \$570.64; P. W. Miner, fencing road at Round Hill, 43 rods, at 3c, \$12.00; Land damages road from Hollow road to East and West road, Fundy Section, 97.60; Allen DeLong, fencing, Ward 14, 35.00; 144.90.

printed in sheet form.

The lists of Ward Officers for Wards Nos. One, Two, Three, Four, Five, Six, Seven, Eight, Nine, Ten, Eleven, Twelve, Thirteen, Fourteen, Fifteen and Sixteen were read and approved.

Ordered that the Warden and Treasurer be authorized to invest the sums remaining from Railway damages fund in Municipal Bonds at the best rates they may be able to obtain.

Adjourned. Wednesday morning. Council met at 9 o'clock.

All Councilors present. Minutes read and approved.

Upon reading the report of the committee appointed to examine bills paid by the Treasurer and that do not come before the Council, the same was on motion laid over to the April session.

Upon reading the petition of R. J. Spurr and upwards of twenty others, freeholders of the County of Annapolis, asking for the opening of a public road commencing the south side of District No. 6 in Polling District No. 23, in front of Andrew LeCain's house, running along a pent road now travelled south to W. W. Cowell's land on the south side of the Mill Pond, a distance of about one mile more or less. Said road to be one and one-half rods in width. The report of the Commissioner Rufus G. Whitman, it was ordered that the report of the commissioner be received and notices be posted as required by law.

Upon reading the report of the Committee on Statute Labor the same was on motion received and adopted.

The following is the report:

To the Warden and Members of the Municipal Council: Your committee appointed on Statute Labor returns have to report as follows:

Having carefully examined the returns placed in our hands we find that at least one hundred and thirty than last year, but not yet completed. Ward No. 1 has 21 returned. Ward No. 2 has 11 returned. Ward No. 3 has 12 returned. Ward No. 4 has 1 returned. Ward No. 5 has 5 returned. Ward No. 6 has 12 returned. Ward No. 7 complete. Ward No. 8 complete. Ward No. 9 complete. Ward No. 10 has 17 returned. Ward No. 11 complete. Ward No. 12 has 19 returned. Ward No. 13 complete. Ward No. 14 has 14 returned. Ward No. 15 and 16 complete.

We would also recommend that the Supervisors collect the returns and instruct the Overseers in the various Wards and Districts that the work must be properly performed.

WALTER PURDY, J. J. BUCKLER, A. STANLEY BROWN, Committee.

January 10th, 1906. Continued next week.

DON'T GO HOME, if you have not got at least one bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in your house. It is the best remedy for coughs, colds, croup, whooping cough and all other respiratory troubles. It is so simple and so effective that it is the best remedy for all such ailments. It is the best remedy for all such ailments. It is the best remedy for all such ailments.

The Late Captain Munro. (Yarmouth Herald.) On the evening of the 13th of last month the sad intelligence was received at Bridgetown of the death of Captain N. V. Munro, Capt. Munro was in charge of the ship Canada, which was loading at Pensacola, Florida, at the time of his death. After bringing his ship into port he was attacked with typhoid fever and after suffering for some time passed away on the evening of the 13th of December. His body was embalmed and brought to his home in Bridgetown, N. S., where it was interred in the family lot by the side of other members of his family. Mrs. Munro, who was Miss Della Robbins, daughter of Captain S. B. Robbins, formerly of Yarmouth, was with her husband at the time of his death. She had accompanied him upon his last voyage. Captain Satter, his brother-in-law, who was in port at New York, was summoned to the bedside and ministered to the sufferer until life had ceased, and then accompanied Mrs. Munro and the body to Nova Scotia.

The Franco-German Situation. The Kaiser May Raise Some Irritating Questions at Moroccan Conference. London, Jan. 13.—Official and unofficial circles in Great Britain do not consider the Franco-German situation serious. It is true that the reports emanating from France had a slight effect on the stock market, but this was only temporary. The British government is going on with the arrangements for the Moroccan conference and while it is admitted that Germany may raise questions which will cause irritation, it is not believed that this will prevent the conference from arriving at a final and satisfactory settlement.

Advertisement for The Union Bank of Halifax, featuring the slogan "BE SURE YOUR MONEY IS SAFE." and "DEPOSIT IT IN A CHARTERED BANK." The ad lists services such as depositing any sum from one dollar upwards and a 3% interest rate.

Advertisement for Dominion Atlantic Railway and Steamship Lines, listing routes to St. John via Digby and Boston via Yarmouth. It also mentions the "Land of Evangeline" route.

Advertisement for Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, describing it as a safe and effective remedy for coughs and colds, suitable for children and the elderly.

Advertisement for Great Honor for Louisiana Man, mentioning a recent receipt of an honor from the Imperial Russian consulate for Canada.

Advertisement for A Jamaica Lady Speaks Highly of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, featuring a testimonial from Mrs. Michael Hart.

Advertisement for SNEAKERS AND ATHLETIC SHOES, highlighting the quality and variety of footwear available.

Advertisement for JOSEPH I. FOSTER, a shoe store, offering a variety of athletic shoes and accessories.

Advertisement for the January Sacrifice Sale, offering a wide range of goods at reduced prices.

Advertisement for GOOD MEAT Makes Health, promoting fresh meat products from B. M. Williams' Market.

Advertisement for FRESH FISH, highlighting the quality and freshness of the seafood offerings.

Advertisement for Our New Term Begins Tuesday, January 2nd, at the Maritime Business College.

Advertisement for MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES DIPHTHERIA, a medicinal product for various ailments.

Advertisement for JOHN FOX & CO., Auctioneers & Fruit Brokers, located in Halifax, N.S.

Advertisement for a special offer on apples, mentioning "New Scotia Apples a Specialty."

Advertisement for a notice regarding a private sale of well-known farm property.

Advertisement for Seasonable Hardware, listing various household items and tools.

Advertisement for Hockey Skates from 75 cents to \$2.50, and other winter sports equipment.

Advertisement for CARVING SETS and FISH SETS, offering various carving and fishing tools.

Advertisement for A Cobbler's Set makes a good Present, listing various pocket items and tools.

Advertisement for Karl Freeman, a shoe store, offering a variety of footwear.

Advertisement for Nova Scotia Fire Insurance Company, providing fire insurance services.

Advertisement for Maritime-Trained, offering educational opportunities for students.

Advertisement for KAULBACH & SCHURMAN, Chartered Accountants, offering professional services.

Advertisement for MARITIME BUSINESS COLLEGE, offering business education in Halifax, N.S.

Advertisement for GOOD MEAT Makes Health, featuring fresh meat products.

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