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BRIDGETOWN, N. S. VOL. 27

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 31, 1900.

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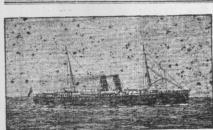
We give a full 20 per cent Discount on all Dress Materials Prints commencing at 5c. per yard. Ladies' Underskirts from 58c. to \$2.90. Ladies' Dress Skirts (stylish) \$2.75 to \$4.50.

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Town of Bridgetown.

MAYOR'S REPORT.

To the Ratepayers of the Town of Bridgetown.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,-

It becomes my duty to submit to you for your infornation and approval the Second Annual Report of the town affairs for the year ending the 31st December, 1899, Also a report of the different committees with a detailed statement of the expenditures in each, as well as the Auditors' report and the report of the chairman of the School

I am pleased to be able to state that we will come out with a small surplus instead of deficit on the year's operations, notwithstanding the fact that our expenditure on Street account overran our appropriation for that service, as will appear by the report of the chairman of that committee, and other incidental expenses were incurred during the year which were not provided for in our estimates, such as expenses in connection with the action brought by T. T. Messenger against the town, arbitration fees, safe for town books, repairing sewer on Middle Street, etc.

The law suit with Messenger resulted in favor of the wn and judgment was given in our favor with costs. This idgment, has been appealed from, and in the meantime we have to pay our own costs.

I am sorry to have to report an overdraft in the Bank for the year amounting to \$117.33, as shown by the Auditors' report, and the explanation for this is that the town taxes have not been paid, and there is quite a large amount still due the town for taxes from delinquent ratepayers.

The question of collecting taxes is the most difficult one we have to handle, and it is a difficult task to under collecting these taxes we have been lenient in the matter, but we have found that we cannot satisfactorily carry on town affairs in this way, and in future it should be the policy of the incoming Council to have our taxes collected promptly after reasonable notice.

Our river bridge was not put in that condition by the local government that was promised us as mentioned in my report of a year ago, but we are in hopes to have the same replanked, shingled and painted, and a foot-way for pedestrians built before the summer. This important matter will again be brought before the Provincial Enginer under the Bridge Act.

Your Council were petitioned to for a meeting to authorize us to apply to the Legislature for authority to borrow money for sewerage purposes. A meeting was called and a vote taken on this proposed expenditure, but was defeated on a tie vote. Sewerage is a most important estion for the ratepayers to decide and they are the only ones who can decide it.

The work of extending our water system across the river has been completed in a most satisfactory manner by the Water Committee under the supervision of Mr. Yor- To Poor Department,-

We have settled with Mr. Morgan under his contract deducting from his account the cost of crossing the ver, which he failed to do satisfactorily.

We have not yet been able to settle with the Municipality of the County of Annapolis, although our differences were referred to arbitration and an award filed by W. E. Roscoe, O. C., which was quite satisfactory to us and we were, and are prepared to pay our pro rata amount under said award. The County chose arbitration as a means of settlement and appointed W. E. Roscoe, Q. C., as their arbitrator. We, to save expense and being perfectly satisf fied with Mr. Roscoe as an arbitrator, chose him for the town as well. Mr. Roscoe held his arbitration court here, and the two committees met him, the county being represented by counsel. The matters of joint liability were fully gone into and argued before him, and in due course he filed his award which was published in the MONITOR at the To interest on Water Debentures time and will be again published with the annual report.

Mr. Roscoe agreed with our contention about the support of the poor, which has always been the real question in dispute between us. The County committee have always claimed that we should pay to the county our pro rata To interest on overdraft. amount toward the support of all poor in the Alms House at the date of our incorporation, as well as those outside that institution on trial, and that we should continue to support them until they die or were removed. Our contention has been that we were only liable for those in the Alms House from Bridgetown.

After the award was filed the Warden of the County sent us an account claiming a certain balance due, which was not made up from the award, but included matters which the arbitrator said he had no power under the Statute to decide. We refused to pay this amount claimed and notified the Warden that we would meet his committee again and settle this matter. The committee met again and agreed upon every item except our share of the W. C. Railway damages, that is the balance of that money the

county had on hand at the date of our incorporation. The Town of Annapolis received a large part of this money and we claimed our proportion as well, being a part of the county. We agreed to take \$250 to square off. They refused at first to allow us anything, afterwards they offered us \$100. We agreed to take \$150 for the purpose to allow us that amount, and so the matter rests. We are willing and have the money ready to pay the county our just share on joint liability account, and to abide by the award, but we do not propose to pay the county what they demand. I make this explanation because it would appear from the last proceedings of the County Council in this connection that the Town of Bridgetown was in fault and that they must clothe their committee with some high legal authority to bring us to terms.

Below is my report as filed with the Provincial Sec'y:

REPORT OF H. RUGGLES, MAYOR OF THE TOWN OF BRIDGE-TOWN FOR THE MUNICIPAL YEAR ENDED DEC. 31st, 1899. Assessed valuation of Real Estate, -\$232,800 00 ssessed valuation of Personal Property,

Incidental revenue, Net amount assessed in Real and Personal Property and Income,

Rate per \$100 on value of Real and Personal Property and Income in the town, Rate for school purposes in school section, -Amt, of debt for Water and Sewerage, -Rate of interest on above, - - -Amount of floating debt, Estimated value of Real and Personal Property

owned by the Incorporation, (Mailed copy to the Provincial Secretary, Jan. 4th, 1900.)

THE TOWN OF BRIDGETOWN

IN ACCT. WITH F. L. MILNER, TREASURER. RECEIPTS DURING THE YEAR 1899. By Cash on hand, Jan. 1st, 1899, - - "property tax collected duing the year, 3,751 13 tuition fees from scholars outside the town, 228 55 ." Poll Tax " Dog Tax..... " Court Fees...

Fines.....

" Overdraft in Bank of Nova Scotia . EXPENDITURES DURING THE YEAR 1899. To Canada Temperance Act expenses as follows:

Queen vs Howse (1), witness fees.........\$ 6 50 (2), " " 9 70 " D. R. Cummings... 8 88 " W. E. Roscoe 24 00 Queen vs Brooks, witness fees...... 5 90 Morning Chronicle...... 67 34

To printing and advertising,-M. K. Piper..... To rent Council Room. Safe for books Drysdase & McInnis, opinion on voters' lists W. Beckwith, for electric light, 9 months...... missioners of Schools, Bridgetown... M. Benson, for Carleton Corner school section To costs in Messenger vs Town of Bridgetown,-Sheriff fees J. J. Ritchie, counsel fees, etc..... 112 50

To Fire Department expenses .-E. A. Craig, for sleds, etc G. Fader, for rent of engine house 20 00 ..\$420 00 G. Fader, policeman. F. L. Milner, town clerk...... 250 00 John L. Cox, stipendiary, 6 months..... 75 00 E. Ruggles Revisors for 1898...... 15 00 E. S. Piggott E Ruggles Revisors for 1899...... 15 00

R. Shipley E. S. Piggott D. R. Cummings, extra police service.... 4 50 W. M. Forsyth, presiding officer, 1898... C. Shafner, presiding officer, 1899...... N. R. Burrows, auditor 1898..... 7 50 Dr. Barnaby, services Robinson family... \$10 00 W. M. Forsyth, supplies Sabeans family.

N. Weare, anti-toxin Marshall family. H. S. Reed, burying George Hill.... Jarvis Chute, care Miss Snow six we ow six weeks. Jarvis Chute, burying Miss Snow To Sewer Department .-W. A. Kinney, storing pipe ...

The Jas. Robertson Co., Ltd., sewer pipe. 40 92 G. Fader, for labor laying sewer pipe..... 17 30 62 21 To Water Department .-M. P. Foundry Co., for pipe. E. Ricketson, piling used on river job... 30 90 J. N. Morgan, bal. on contract 1898..... 373 98 G. Fader, for labor on river job. R. Shipley, rope, etc., for river job...... R. A. Crowe, services on river job......

W. G. Yorston, engineer on river job.... 73 20 W. F. Gibbons, trucking on river job.... 28 65 W. F. Gibbons, trucking on river job Freight on pipe for river job R. A. Crowe, service pipes about town. Money Wallett for Clerk... To G. Fader for labor, materials, etc., for streets, in cluding aboiteau and bridge at J. W. Ross'...

Alden Walker for gravel, 1898.....

W. R Calder & Son, horse hire .. use of harness.... We have examined the books and vouchers for year ending 30th December, 1899, as furnished us by the Town

Clerk and Treasurer, and have found same correct. N. R. BURROWS, Auditors of the Town JAS. IMRIE, J of Bridgetown.

Bridgetown, January 15th, 1900.

SLOW SUICIDE.

A source of great evil among all workers is the widespread habit of eating a hearty meal hurriedly when the body is in a state or exhaustion. Too often, alas, the evil is enhanced by the fact that the food is innutritious, hadly cooked and clogging in itself. This is one species of slow suicide, causing a long train of evils which are usually attributed to overwork. Now it were better to go without food than to take it under these conditions. Your dog knows better than to eat when he is tired, and if you will watch him you will find that he is always reluctant to be enticed into play after eating. Left to himself he takes a of a settlement and without prejudice. They refused nap, or at least drops care for a while and rests. Humanity might raise its standard of health by following the example set by the brute creatures.

CAN'T ABBREVIATE 1900.

'Had you thought one thing?" said the correspondence clerk, "There is a whole lot of people thousands of them writing letters without printed or engraved letter heads, who abbreviate the year in the date line; writing, for instance, instead of 1899, '99. Now what will they do with 1900. They certainly can't abbreviate that. When you strike 1901 it will be all right again for then you can write Jan 1, '01; but '00 wouldn't mean anything, and there's nothing to do but write the year out.

"This will be done throughout the year 1900 many millions of times, as a matter of sober fact the multitudingus writing of these two ciphers will involve the loss in the aggregate of much time and the using up of thousands of pens and ranch ink. But it's an ill wind that blows nobody good. The writer's loss here is the inkmakers' and the pen manufacturers' gain; and for that matter it's just so with so with everything; things, go tust about the same whatever happens. "Acu. York Sun.

O. T. DANIEL BARRISTER.

NOTARY PUBLIC, Etc.

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ELECTRICAL DEVELOPMENT.

Electrical industries in Canada have fully shared in t general prosperity that is now felt throughout the Domin ion. According to the Canadian Electrical News, the lead-23,000 00 ing electrical manufacturing and supply companies report 5 per cent | that the volume of their business for 1899 exceeded by up 262 50 wards of 75 per cent, the business done during 1898. Mor than half of the output of these companies was applied to the extension and improvement of existing plants. There was but little new railway construction work done during the year, but a considerable amount of apparatus was required for extensions and improvements to the street railways in Toronto, Montreal and Winnipeg, Many electric lightlng companies took advantage of the prosperous times to discard old type machinery and replace the same with new apparatus of higher efficiency. In most instances larger units were installed and the old-type machines kept on the premises to be used as a reserve in case of emer-

Improvement and development have been quite as marked in the commercial as in the mechanical field. The business done has been so large and profitable that the stock of the two leading manufacturing companies has risen 42 80 fifty points during the year, and further advances are predicted. The workshops of the electrical manufacturing companies are said to be crowded with orders to such an extent that no promise of delivery at a specified time can be made, and prices are firmly maintained. The Electrical News regards the outlook for the year as very promising It is estimated that during 1900 nearly 100 miles of electrical railway will be built out of the city-of Hamilton. Canada has already in operation the largest generators in the world, and has also some of the largest electrical enterprises. The limit in this direction has not yet been reached, and with continued commercial and industrial prosperity electrical enterprise should show even more expansion in the near future. This new medium of power transmission has made possible the utilizing of Canada's many gigantic water powers, and the possession of this cheap and abundant energy must tell in the competitive race of industrial development.

Some of the Difficulties to be Overcome in Laying the Pacific Cable.

In view of the constant activity in Atlantic cables which has resulted in a new cable about every two years since the first successful cable of 1866, it stands to reason that the difficulties offered by the Pacific Ocean must be very great for the nineteenth century to reach its close without a definite scheme for spanning the Pacific by telegraph having been adopted. The difficulties may be summed up in a few words: First, the great cost of a complete system of cables: second, the extreme depth of water known to exist in certain parts of the Pacific and feared in others: third, the long distances between landing:points; and fourth, the lack of intermediate points having an active trade. The estimated cost of the British Pacific cable, for a single cable connecting Vancouver with Australia and New Zealand, is placed at about \$7,000,000, including two repairing-ships and a sum of \$175,000 for maintenance of the cables for six months. The president of one of the cable companies of New York estimates the total capital cost of a cable to Japan, Australia, and the Philippines via Hawaii, at \$12,000,000, and the cost of maintenance, including two repairing-ships, and of operating expenses, at \$300,000 a year. It is not considered that a single cable will be sufficient to insure permanent communication, and any scheme for a Pacific cable must provide eventually for duplicate cables throughout the entire route, so that the total capital cost of a thoroughly reliable and efficient Pacific cable system may be put down at approximately \$26,000,000, which would include two repairing-ships, a reasonable quantity of spare cable, and the equipment of operating stations at the various landing-points,-Scribner's Magazine.

FRUIT VS. ALCOHOL.

A writer in a European temperance journal calls attention to the value of fruit as an antidote to the craving for liquor. He says: "In Germany, a nation in advance of all other countries in matters relating to hygiene, alcoholic disease has been successfully coped with by the adoption of pure diet and natural curative agencies. I have said that the use of fresh fruit is an antidote for drink crave, and this is true. I have met working men who have told me that fruit has often taken away the crave for drink; I met a clergyman recently, who assured me that a diet consisting largely of fruit had taken entirely away an hereditary craving that had troubled him for years. It may be asked how can fruit and pure diet do this? The explanation is simple. Fruit may be called Nature's medicine. An orange is three parts water-distilled in nature's labratory-but this water is rich in peculiar fruit acids medicinally balanced, which are specially cooling to the thirst of the drunkard, and soothing to the diseased state of his stomach. An apple or an orange eaten when the desire for 'a glass' arises would generally take it away, and every victory would matelle strong each recurring temptation. The function of tresh fruit and succulent vegetables is-not so much to provide solid nourishment as to supply the needful acids and sali for the purification of the blood. Once get the blood pure every time its pure nutrient stream bathes the se tissues of the body, it will bring away some impurity, leave behind an atom of healthy tissue until in time

drunkard shall stand up purified-in his right mind. A RACE WITH THE SUN.

The London Daily Mail says if an aerial mach apable of travelling at any rate up to 1,000 mi traveller in it starting westward from London at of 660 miles an hour, would arrest the progre he started at 10 a.m., it would always be to him Should he find his unending day monotonou verse his direction and get a quick succession and nights of some six hours' duration, but he late the length by the speed of his machine, travelled from London one night at 10 o'clock a speed of 1,000 miles an hour. He would soo the sensation of seeing the sun rising in the so had set a short time before.

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Established 1873. The Weekly Monitor, ISSUED ON WEDNESDAY

At Bridgetown, Annapolis Co, N. S.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 31st, 1900 -The Boer defences along the Tugela developed a surprising strength last week, when the British troops endeavored to break through the line and press forward to Ladysmith. For several days the heavy artillery of the relief column battered away at the hill defences, and then Warren's men made a dash for Spion Kop, which was considered the hill all too easily, and, too late, discovered that they had rushed into a trap, from which they escaped with a tremendous sacrifice of life. General Buller has not yet furnished a list of killed and wounded from the ranks, but the loss of officers is sufficiently heavy to indicate that the Boer artillery, trained to sweep the hill, did fearful execution. The from this quarter. The situation is disheartening from a British standpoint and

hoof a playful horse last was cut and bruised badly.

—In the list of Ward Officers as published in last week's Montros, the name J. R. bewitt was accidently omitted from the town, with the relief column within earshet. It is however not improbable that when all hope of outside relief has failed that White will evacuate the town and make a desperate attempt to join Buller's army. He may be better able to execute such a movement from Ladysmith than is Buller from the Tugela. White must have about nine thousand soldiers in fighting condition and these acting in conjunction with Buller's army would surely keep the Boers very busy defending their lines from a front and rear attack.

—After February 1st, the steamer "Prince Arthur" of the Dominion Atlantic Railway, running between St. John, N. B., and Boston, will be withdrawn until further notice. 1i heir lines from 'a front and rear attack. The latest despatches intimate that Roberts and Kitchener with a considerable army will enter the Crange Free State from Cape Colory, where the frontier is not so strongly guarded, and by forced marches through the Free State and the Transvaal either reach Ladysmith or compel the enemy to leave the Natal frontier to cope with them and thus leave Buller an opening for an advance.

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—Mrs. Keylor of Kentville, mother of Miss Maggie Keylor of the Monitors staff and Messrs. John and Michael Keylor, the well known painters, died quite suddenly last Monday. thus leave Buller an opening for an advance. thus leave Buller an opening for an advance.

It is unlikely that with a strong British force well within their borders that either the Boer or Free State troops would risk the destruction of their own cities for the sake grain mills at East Saugus, Mass. of continuing the investment of Ladysmith.

Meanwhile, in the face of the recent failures it is very probable that the good news budget for the British people will be small for sameral days to come.

—Messrs. Shafner & Piggott have purchased E. J. Ricketson's grocery business and have moved the entire stock to their own premises. Mr. Ricketson in full in future handle only flour, meal and feed.

-The Mayor's report is being placed in sarily large. Thus far the town has certain ly no reason to regret its separation from the be satisfied with incorporation. Taxes are be satisfied with incorporation. Taxes are not up to the old figure under the county regime; the town is much more orderly; the streets and sidewalks are kept in better condition and there are other improvements as direct results of incorporation. Further imand it will probably be found quite possible to year to year without raising the rate of taxation. In fact there is good reason to believe that there will be a reduction in the rate The negligence of the ratepayers to mee be regretted, especially as the successfu conduct of the town business depends large with the Council whom they elect to the nanagement of the public services. The Mayor and Conncil too often undertake but a thankless task. The offices carry no em Mayor and Councillors. The lack of a general and helpful co-operation is plainly shown by the list of delinquent ratepayers, and the condition of the town revenues today is a reflection on the ratepayers rather than on the town officers. Prompt payment of taxes is essential to the successful financing of the various civic services but our taxpayers seem not to have learned this lesson yet.

Rev. George C. Lesimer, D. D., preached a sermon in Tremont Temple, Boston, Sunday, 21st, which was an earnest defence of England trem the charge that her influence was against liberty, and which was a warning to the Protestant Church to prepare for the conflict which, in his opinion, would be the chief feature of the next quarter-century. This feature of the next quarter-century. This, he said, would be the conflict between milihe said, would be the conflict between militarism and the Church of Jesus Christ.

Dr. Lorimer's topic was "The Song of the Sword," and he said in part: "We hear it stated that England is at her old business of trying to curtail human liberty; but I say, and say with all my might, that England does not work against liberty, which is, on the other hand, stoutly protected everywhere the Union-Jack files. And were the Stars and Stripes to be raised in unison with the Union Jack we might have liberty uninterrupted around the world.

"Around the world you will find freedom and protection beneath the British flag. Remember, too, how it was when we were about to take up the cause of the oppressed in The officials elected by selected to consider.

—Mr. J. B. Neily, formerly of Clarence, is president of the Union Development Co., with a capital stock of \$5,000,000, which has recently been organized for the purpose in Nova Scotia, California, Mexico and Montana. It is a consolidation of the several valuable properties held by Mr. Neily and the addition of others. The head offices of the only candidates nominated for civic honors were those whose cards appeared in the Montana. It is a consolidation of the several valuable properties held by Mr. Neily and the addition of others. The head offices of the Montana. It is a consolidation of the several valuable properties held by Mr. Neily and the addition of others. The head offices of the Montana. It is a consolidation of the several valuable properties held by Mr. Neily and the addition of others. The head offices of the Montana. It is a consolidation of the several valuable properties held by Mr. Neily and the addition of others. The head offices of Montana. It is a consolidation of the several valuable properties held by Mr. Neily and the addition of others. The head offices of Montana. It is a consolidation of the several valuable properties held by Mr. Neily and the addition of others. The head offices of Montana. It is a consolidation of the several valuable properties

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will be between militarism and the Church of Jesus Christ. Would that the Church to-day might realize the crisis and gather its strength for the combat for peace, so that from 10,000 pulpits, instead of a dozen might be heard the call for peace."

Local and Special News. -The town will have stone street crossings

-The Canadian patriotic fund now a nounts to \$84,594,44. —The Nova Scotia Fruit Growers' Association is in session at Wolfville. -The provincial government has voted \$5,000 towards the fund for our volunteers

—Reports from the London apple market show a strong demand for good fruit and prices have an upward tendency. -Thirty years ago last Sunday the steamer City of Boston sailed from Halifax for London and was never heard from.

—Thirty five horses were purchased, in Cornwallis, by the government for the sec and contingent, at a cost of about \$5,000. —Owing to a change in Digby Dr. V. D. Shaffner will in the future occupy his Lawrencetown office the last two weeks of each month.

—General Manager McLeod of the Bank of Nova Scotia will soon locate in Toronto, where offices for the management are now being fitted up. sweep the hill, did fearful execution. The British forces, failing to force a passage over the hills, retired across the Tugela, and it must be admitted that there is now but little Saturday on the Pomeranian.

—Mr. E. G. Langley, of the Grand Central Hotel, got a severe rap on the nose from the hoof of a playful horse last Monday. His face was cut and bruised badly.

—After February 1st, the steamer "Prince Arthur" of the Dominion Atlantic Railway, running between St. John, N. B., and Boston, will be withdrawn until further notice. 1i

-James Pyle, of Pyle's Pearline fame and

—The auction sale of pressed and loose bay and marsh land to have taken place at the barn of T. Troop Messenger, at Centre-ville, on Saturday last, has been postponed to Saturday next, Feb. 3rd; at two o'clock.

-Mr. Geo. Connell begs to inform the gentlemen of Bridgetown and vicinity that he has opened a Barber Shop in the Murdock Block over Cochran's shoe store, and he will be pleased to received a share of their patronage.

-Rev. Albert Edward Andrews, of Bay-field, Antigonish, and Miss Minnie StClair, daughter of William StClair, formerly of Bridgetown, now of New Westminister, B. C., are to be married in St. James' Church here at one o'clock today.

dress the meeting.

The boys' class in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium gave an exhibition of their suppleness on Monday evening. The young gymnasts gave a very creditable exhibition. They have made excellent progress in their exercises ince the opening of the class and are acquiring a training that will be of great benefit to them. The marching and dumbell exercise to the time of music rendered by Miss Dodge, was especially well done. At the close of the exhibition a very exciting and closely contested game of Basket Ball took place between two teams styling themselves the "Britons" and "Boers." The result stood 5 to 4 in favor of the "Britons". After the game the Britons cheered the Boers and gave their patriotic yell as follows:

One, two, three, who are we?
We are soldiers of the Queen,
Rah, rah, rah, Victoria,
Ever loyal to our Queen,
Rah, rah, rah, Victoria,
Long live our Queen.
Spectators were charged an admission of 10 cents and there were nearly a hundred present.

Marsh and Upland for Sale in

AT TENDER

Actioners are asked by the undersigned for an assignment of the uncollected book debts due the estate of H. WORDEN BENSON, late of Bridgetown, in the County of Annapolis, merchant. Upwards of \$2500,00 appear by the books of Benson to be due, but the subscriber will make no representations whatever concerning the existence, accuracy or value of any debts appearing on the books except to covenant that he has not received payment or released the same.

Special Business Locals.

-Pickled fish on retail at Kendall's. -Slaughter sale of Underwear at Mailers

- Hantler stock of South Street.
on what is left.
- House to let on Washington Street.
Apply to W. W. Chesley.
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—The Bank of Nova Scotia are paying 3½ terest on Deposit Receipts and on amounts posited in Savings Bank accounts. 42 4i 4-ply English make 20c, collars selling Mailers' 3 for 25c.; 3 pair cuffs for 25c.; c. Neckties for 25c.; Men's strong Braces Jo.
 J. W. Beckwith has only two \$1.00 Jackets left. Do not fail to see his great bargains in other-priced Jackets. His cash sales of Whitewear, Prints, Clothing, Gloves and hundreds of other lines is on in great force.

Y. M. C. A. Basket Ball. The Basket Ball competition for the "Ladies' Banner" will commence next Monday evening. Eight teams have entered the league, and it has been decided by the committee having charge of this part of the gymnasium work, to have three matches every Monday evening, until each team has played the others. The names of the teams and their numbers are as follows:

The following schedule has been prepared and will be played on the allotted dates and time; that is, the first two teams at 7 o'clock, the next at 8, and the last at 9

n April 2ad-4 & 2; 6 & 1.
n 9th-5 & 2; 3 & 1.

Any team not playing at the time and date scheduled, shall forfeit the game.
The committee has also decided to place the price of admission to see these games at 10 cents each night.

10 cents each night. Sunday Schools of Nova Scotla. Sunday, Feburary 4th, has been suggested s "Decision Day" in the Sunday Schools of N. S. This is a movement that is continent wide. Many Provinces and States have

Vinite, on Saturday next, Feb. 3rd; at two o'clock.

The congregation of the Church of St. Mary, Belleisle, wish, through the Monitor, to tender their sincers thanks to Mrs. F. P. Greatorex for the two beautiful alms plates which she presented to their church at New Year's.

Harold M. Mills, son of J. B. Mills, M. P., met with a painful accident at a skating rink in Annapolis, last week, breaking his leg midway between the ankle and the knee, by colliding with the boards at the side of the rink.

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High Sheriff of the County of Annapolis,
O. T. DANIELS, Solicitor of Plaintiffs,
Annapolis Royal, January 28th, 1900.—45 5i

SEWING MACHINES ON EASY TERMS

HAY AT AUCTION The subscriber will offer at Public Auction in Saturday, February 3rd, 1906. at we o'clock p. m., at the barn of T. TROOP MESSENGER, in Centreville, about 25 tons of Pressed Hay, and 4 or 5 tons of loose Hay. Will be sold in lots to suit purchasers.

Cut Nails, Spikes, Floor Nails,

and Horse Rugs.

New Advertisements.

SALE OF STOCK, Etc. WANTED The subscriber will sell at private sale 2 cheap Horses, 1 Cow, 1 pair/Steer Calves, 1 Heifer Calf, 4 Shoate, 25 Sheep, 1 light Waggon, 1 Sleigh, 1 light Harness. Property of Mrs. F. W. Foster. For further particulars apply to FRED W. FOSTER, Bridgetown.

New Advertisements.

BRIDGETOWN

CHEESE & BUTTER CO., Ltd.

Tenders for the supply of 12 cords hardwood, 12 cords soft wood and 24 tons lake ice. Wood to be deposited at the factory not later than April 1st, and piled for measurement. Ice to be stowed and carefully packed in Company's ice house.

A. OWEN PRICE, Secty.

AUCTION

in front of the Grand

Central Hotel, on SATURDAY, FEB. 3rd. 1900 at three o'clock in the afternoon. One "Bell" Organ,

The above were taken under bill of sale.

E. J. RICKETSON

Will deal in

MEAL

only, from this date, hav-

ing disposed of his gro-

ceries to Shafner & Pig-

gott, who go out of the

Flour and Feed business.

IN THE SUPREME COURT.

FLOUR

N. E. CHUTE.

One Piano.

New Milch Cows and Calves Will take Calves from seven days old up SHEEP AT AUCTION that are kept on cows.

Parties having stock of this description to sell please drop card to Isaac Durling, The subscriber will sell at auction on his premises at Hampton, on Wednesday, Feb. 7th, at two o'clock p.m., one Sheep (strayed property. ELWOOD MILBURY,

H. S. HASTINGS. A. BENSON UNDERTAKER

Cabinet Work also attended to. Warerooms at J. H. HICKS & SON'S factory. 39 y

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Valuable Farm at Centre Clarence To be sold at Public Auction

GO TO THE BARGAIN' BOOT AND SHOE STORE (Opposite the Post Office.)

full line of Boots, Shoes and Rubbers, Women's, Misses' and Children's Fine and Coarse Boots. Boots and Shoes made and Special attention given to Repairing

D. R. CUMMINGS, Agent. SALE OF Household Effects

To be sold at Public Auction on Thursday, Feb. 8th, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, on the premises of

E. C. Schaffner, Lawrencetown,

Ion.
TERMS—Nine months' credit with approved ecurity on all sums over \$5.00,
TS_Sale Positive.
443i MRS. JULIA LEONARD.

SALE OF

Don't forget that we always

have a large stock of Flour, Meal and Feed. JOSEPH I. FOSTER

N. H. PHINNEY PIANOS, Flour, Feed!

ORGANS

Always in stock, a full line of Flour, Feed I will sell in 5 or 10 bbl. lots

We have left a few Robes Horse Rugs and Sleigh Bells N. H. PHINNEY, Manager, etown, Jan. 8th, 1900.

N. H. PHINNEY.

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Steel Axles, White Lead, Cement,

Besides the usual stock of Glass, Putty, Nails, Paints, Oils and Varnishes.

WE DON'T DECRY OTHER MERCHANTS

We are Out-talked Often, Out-done Never.

OUR BARGAIN SALE OF

Carpets, Curtains,

Men & Boys Suits & Overcoats

Ladies' Jackets

is now on and will continue until present stock is cleared out.

We are paying the highest prices of the day for Eggs, Butter and Dried Apples.

We invite inspection of our immense stock on both floors. J. W. BECKWITH

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CLEARANCE

At this season of the year we are anxious to close out many lines of Winter Goods at and below cost (but for cash only.) We mention a few lines this week.

LADIES' JACKETS Men's Overcoats,

We have 15 Ladies' Jackets (all black) that we Ulsters, Reefers, etc. vill close out at exactly half price. In this line we offer THE BEST VALUES in

> dark grey, " dark brown,

patterns, your choice only

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5 only Men's Dark Blue Beaver

Men's Heavy Frieze Reefers, large storm collars,

Men's heavy, Blue Nap Reefers

Men's Ulsters, dark brown,

We have another lot of Jackets (all new goods) which we will close out at this sale at 10 Men's Overcoatts, assorted

25 per cent Discount.

JOHN LOCKETT & SON

of the Season

To all our Patrons!

We take this opportunity to thank our friends and customers for their support during the past year, and would solicit a continuance of the same.

The past year has been one of activity for us. We are planing for an increase in trade, and intend to obtain the same by attentian to business. Our aim will be to supply good material and work at reasonable prices. We solicit correspondence from new customers, and orders all along the line will receive our careful attention.

J. H. HICKS & SONS.

We are still handling

McLAUGHLIN SLEIGHS

To make room for Spring Importations we offer SPECIAL BARGAINS in as we find that they are giving the best satisfaction of any that we can get. tion of any that we can get.

While they will cost you more than those of, some other make, you must remember that "a gold 8 cannot be bought for 75c." Neit her can Cutters as good as McLaughlin's be bought for less money than we ask

McLaughlin Cutters are the handsomest

and most durable on the market. B. HAVEY, BRIDGETOWN FOUNDRY CO'Y, LIMITED.

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A Whole Barrel

Absolutely Pure Norwegian Cod Liver Oil

which I will sell at 25 cents a pint.

S. N. WEARE, Proprietor.

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Missionary anniversary at the Methodist Church on Feb. 6th. Among the speakers are Bev. Brown, Middleton, and Rev. Moore, Bridgetown.

L. R. Miller spent à day home this week. He sails for Africa from Halifax Feb. 15th. The wind and rain storm here Monday was one long to be remembered. It was the worst blow we have had for years.

Boop & Co. opened their new store on Saunday last. This is one of the neatest stores in the Valley. Call and see "Fred"; he is slaways at home, At the close of the meeting on Friday evening last, the Baptist people presented their pastor. Rev. Lew Wallace, with a handsome fur aggt.

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Mr. Cortez Dalton, of St. John, spent last week among relatives and friends here. A surprise party was given Mrs. Simson Enest on Friday evening last.

Mrs. J. G. Brinton took a trip last Friday to Wolfville to see her daughter, returning on Saturday.

Mrs. James Dunn received the sad news of the death of her eldest brother, Israel Elliott, of Everett, Mass., who died Monday swerping, Jan. 22nd, at his home, aged 63 gears. Re leaves a sorrowing wife, four dazethers and three sons to mourn the loss of a kind and loving husband and fatherfour knothers and one sister survive him, I. W. Elliett and Loring Elliott, of Everett, Mass., who died Monday swerping, Jan. 22nd, at his home, aged 63 gears. Re leaves a sorrowing wife, four dazethers and three sons to mourn the loss of a kind and loving husband and af fatherfour knothers and one sister survive him, I. W. Elliett and Loring Elliott, of Everett, Mass., who died Monday swerping, Jan. 22nd, at his home, aged 63 gears. Re leaves a sorrowing wife, four dazethers and three sons to mourn the loss of a kind and loving husband and affatherfour

Mr. and Mrs. Forcy E. Gesner observed the tenth annivercary of their marriage on Monday evening of last week by a "Tin Wedding." A large number of their friends partook of the enjoyment of the occasion. They were the recipients of a large and varied collection of useful household utensils.

We are very sorry to state that Mr. Hugh Troop met with a most painful socident last Saturday. He was at work in his stable, and taking up a sharp are to drive some work together, striking hard in line with his face, the axe rebounded, the sharp edge striking him fair in the face and cutting it in terrible manner. Dr. Smith, of Granville Ferry, dressed the wound.

Considerable quantities of fruit passed through here last week for shipment at Bridgetown for the English market.

THE WAR IN SOUTH AFRICA

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who flot. It has been held by us all day, though we were heavily attacked, especially by a very annoying fire' I fear our casualties are considerable, and ; have to inform you with regret that General Woodgate was dangerously wounded. General Warren is of the opinion that he has rendered the enemy's position untenable. The men are splendid."

DURBAN, Jan. 24.—stories of Gen. Warren's fight on Sunday brought here, are to
the effect that the British found 130 dead in
the first Boer lines, and took 160 prisoners.
The prisoners, who were brought here yesterday, stated that the Boer mauser ammuni
tion was nearly exhausted and that the
Burghers were using cartridges which had
been condemned by Commandant Gen.
Joubert.

Mafeking Relieved. Lorenzo Marquez, Delagoa Bay, Friday, Jan. 26.—It is reported on good Transvaal authority that Mafeking was relieved on Tuesday, Jan. 23.

Preaching service in the Hall at Victoria at 11 o'clock, Feb. 4th.

Miss Hattie Miller, from Bear River is visiting friends in this place.

The funeral of Mr. John Ward was held yesterday, Jan. 29th. He was a man highly respected by the community. He was 79 years old. He leaves a widow and four children to moura the loss of a good husband and a kind father. The funeral sermon was preached by his pastor, Rev. H. N. Parry.

Colors are out on two streets in this place to show that the "mat fever" is raging swithin.

—"Like diamonds raindrops glisten."

Hood's Sarasparilla are precious jewels for the b'ood which glisten in their use.

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NEWS OF THE WORLD.

Edward Hablan, the former champlon sculler of the world, is trying to arrange for a team of eight carsmen to compete in the paris exposition next September. He is confident that Canada can make up a team to match any eight in the world.

In the by elections held on Jan. 25th, Mr. Molntosh, Conservative, was elected in Sherbrooke; Mr. Martin, Independent Liberal, in Winnipeg, and in Lotbiniers, Mr. Fortier, Liberal, was opposed by a Liberal, was elected by 126 msjority.

Royal Canadian Regiment.

so a sept that waren could not get a stater, the state of across the river, eighty-five yards broad, with twenty foot embankments and a very swift current, unmolested, is, I think, proof that the enemy has been taught to respect our soldiers fighting qualities."

Londor, Jan. 26.—A despatch to the Standard from Rensburg, dated Jan. 23, says:

"Gen French, with the utmost deliberation and the greatest caution, is drawing his lines more closely around the Boer position.

Director Experimental Farms
Ottawa, Jan. 22ad, 1900.

Births. BROOKS.—At Bridgetown, Jan. 26th, to Mr. and Mrs. Norman Brooks, a son.

Deaths. BROOKS.—At Asylum. Jan. 30th, 1900. Eliza Jane Brooks, aged 47 years.

HENNIGAR.—At her home, 153l. Washington St., Boston, on December 29th, Bessie B. Hennigar, in her 15th year, only child of Henry J. and Francis Hennigar, formerly of Bear Hiver, N. S.

BALSOR.—At Mt. Hanley, Jan. 21st. 1900. Mr. Aaron Balsor, of heart failure, aged 64 years. Mr. B. Beaves a will be loss of a kind husband and father; also two brothers and two sisters. MARSHALL.—At Mt. Hanley, Jan. 15th, 1900. of pneumonia, Charles Marshall, aged 24 years, leaving a widow and one sister to mourn their loss.

TH EE IN ONE!

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HATTIE & MYLIUS, HALIFAX, N. S.

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Church of England.—Rev. F. P. Greatorex; Rector. In St. James', Bridgetown: Sunday-School at 2; Evening Service at 7. Service on Wednesday at 7.30. In St. Marys, Belleite Service with oclebration of Holy Communion at 11. All seats free.

Baftist Church.—Rev. F. M. Young, Pastor. Preaching service at Bridgetown at 11 a. m. and 7.00 p.m.; Bible Class and Sabbath-school at 7.30. General social service on Friday evening at 7.30 clock. Preaching service at Granville Centre on Sunday next at 3 p. m. Gordon Memorial. Church (Presbyterian).—Rev. H. S. Davison, Pastor. Public worship every Sabbath at 11 a. m. and at 7 p. m. Sabbath-School and Pastor's Bible class at 10 a.m. Congregational Prayer Meeting on Wednesday at 7.30 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E. Prayer Meeting on Friday at 7.30 p. m. All seats free. Ushers to welcome strangers.

Providence Matrinolist Church.—Rev. E. B. Moore, pastor; Arthur Hockin, assistant. Sunday services at 11 a.m. and 7.30 p. m., Sunday-school at 2 p.m. Class meeting overy Monday evening at 7.30; Prayer-meeting severy Wednesday evening at 7.30; Prayer-meeting severy Wednesday at 7.30; Prayer-meeting severy Tuesday at 7.30 p. m., Bunday-school at 2 p.m. Class meeting overy Tuesday at 7.30 p. m. and 7.30 p. m. and 7.30 p. m., Mountain Mission: Preaching fortnightly, Durling's Lake at 10.30 a.m., H'll at 2.30 p. m.

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Safeguards the food against alum.

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WE HAVE PICTURES

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We have Fancy Chairs In Oak with Cobbler Seats, In Oak with Upholstered Seats, In Reek and Rattan.

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THATTEN,

Delagoa Bay. The New York Evening Post prints an is teresting letter from its London correspondent on the Delagoa Bay question. The cor-

No responsible person talks now of European intervention in the Anglo-Boer war, but the embarrassing condition of things a Delagoa Bay is the gravest cause of anxiety Delagoa Bay, indeed, has become the key of the European situation, and, ridiculous the issues of European peace lie very largely Lord Salisbury, peace minister as he is, has refrained as long as he poscibly could from picion of containing contraband of war have

Lord Salisbury is, in fact, between the devil and the deep sea. Bither he must risk embroiling England with half of Europe by saying the word which will give England with the most single the word which will give England with the most single the word which will give England where the road is level, a wide flat ditch is by the horns of an argry cow. Mary's control of Delago Bay, German opinion being provided, so that the water may lie along appeased by the announcement of Germany's side the toad bed and keep it soft for she knit her daughter a pair of stockings substantial quid pro quo chewhere, or he the horses's feet. And we find all kinds Years passed and the stockings become yel must by keeping his Delagoa Bay card in and conditions of men superintending the reserve till quieter times leave this German work—wise men and foolish men, industriout, cut the yern into bits, fluffed it out. drive the German government into aliena-

The belief in authoritative quarters here public into the long guarded Delagoa Bay secret, just as soon as certain details have been arranged with Portugal. For that pur for several years, left London on Friday of last week and is still at Lisbon. Unless, therefore, an entirely new aspect is given to
the question, it is probable that before the
uew lines we will never get the improved ize court at Durban has given judgment roads the public are demanding. Some the seizures, Europe will be in the threes councils are sending out circulars to their prize court at Durban has given judgment

The strange history of this Delagon Bay patches. There never probably was an in ternational compact which has been subject to more dentals and hopelessly conflicting sertions. Herein is a prime illustration of the well known diplomatic maxim that ternational secret, namely to allow a cloud whole question, till the public disbelieves everything. But despite this olcud of Airican problems and speaks with peculic

an bority as regards Delagon Bay. lief that all this talk of delay on the part of since the end of 1896. Lord Salisbury, acting of course, in concert with the Kaiser's govinsure the delivery of the award at two were ready for it, and the Swise arbitrators receiving \$25,000 a year so long as arbitra tion lasts, are not likely to prove obstreper

ous; but the seizure of German vessels puis a new face on the question, and the award may now be expected very soon. Portugal must then raise the money to pay the award, and her most accessible assuis her coionies. Hence, England's campacgal's need comes Delagos Boy shou'd pas under British control, subj et, probably, the retention of Portuguese sovereignty, so as to save the king's face, and Germany thould get other Portuguese plums, also a price. Portugal, still under old treatie the protege of England, fell into England's arms like a fainting women, to use Sir Alfred Milner's phrase, and we seem now on

I asked my authority what in diplomatic circles, was expected to be the result of this move in Europe. He said that it was understood that France, anticipating such an Anglo-German step, had come into an d claim Ceuta as the price of her com-ance. "That, of course," he said, "is

make Gibral ar and Maita of po offeet, and any such demand."

"And what of Russia? The papers have been suggesting that she has told Lord Salisbury that the future of Delagoa Bay is really no business of hers."

"Oh, dear, no." replied my informant "that is absolutely untrue. France counts on Russia, and if the France-Russian at liance is half as effective a bond as France claims, she should not count in vain. Yet land is forced by her position in South Africa to rnn the risk of grave European complications, war will not come. That is the firm belief of those whose opinions count not attack England, or, indeed, attack an one just now, for Japan is only waiting such an apportunity of Russian preoccupation to pounce upon Corea and Pors Arthur, which she counts her legitimate spoil from the Chino Japanese war. Indeed, high authorities say that a Russo-Japanese conflict must come in any case so soon as ice melts in the spring. You have read of the recent quie ovements of Russian reinforcements to the Far East. Japan will keep Russia quiet in Europe, and without Russia France can only growl. Meanwhile, England, holding Delagoa Bay, has a ring round the Tran-

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(Guelph Herald.)

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> emember this, that Balla bave driven

en the pritted out of a

Hints About Roads.

The old idea that every man is a born oadmaker dies hard, and until that idea is got rid of we shall not have good roads, nor will the tax payers get good value for the ers any more than they are born doctors, or a member of the Oid South Church, of Boslawyers, or plowmen. Roadmaking is an ar as much as any other branch of human affairs, and can only be attained by practice and ability along some lines, and we find a man now and then who has good ideas on road naking, but he is the exception, and is seldom found filling the position of pathmaster at first sight though the assertion may seem, If we wish to prove this statement, we have throwing this most inflammable question into the European arens, but the British seizures roads hollow in the centre and roads heaped up so that you can hardly drive on them; all kinds of material being used, gravel, sand, forced his band. In Germany, especially, the seizures have excited the normal auti British times covered but often left to rell around feeling to such a point that the Kaiser, ready inch where it would require twenty four;

furore over the seizures of German ships to ous men and lazy men, young and old; all sewed it to cards, and after writing on the are born roadmakers, and we confiding tax- verifying the genuineness of the yard, sold payers put our time and money in their nabils and expect good roads to be the re South Church of Boston-Pittsburg Dis mlt of their offorts. Then economy is a word to conjure by in

municipal affairs, and in consequence, if a job is to be done a cheap man is hired, and no supervision is exercised; none is required. ny man can make a road. The result is that a good cause is injured; money waste and disappointment and disactisfaction follow

heir work: this is a move in the righ tion, but it does not go far enough. Everyroads drawn up by a skilled roadmaker, to mail'y of material available for this purpose; iso as to the bridges required and the best there is only one sure way of keeping an in- ing width, crowning, and grading; then rumors, the facts are simple enough, as re put under his charge (something on the same ment would take place in a few years that

we would be assonished we had stuck to th We do not want sentimental appeals for good roads; we want practical instruction in roadmaking. Mr. Campbell is doing good work, but he can only reach a few of the struct those who have, as one old gentleman told me last winter, "built roads before Campbell was born." It is hard to teach an old dog a new trick; it is the young men . Bulletine containing practical hints on road making should be sent out every spring, and his should be kept up until the public recog pize the fact that more is required in road toper, or manage a read machine, and if mary is to be expended by councils for

to expend it, intelligently and usefully. The Co-Operative Farmer and Maritime The History of Appendicitis.

The cutire literature of appendicitis down

to the year 1899 numbers no less than 2,500 cticles, books, etc., and in a recent number of the 'Medical Record Dr. George M Edebonis, A. M., M. D., has a most interure of Appendicitis." He says its early istory can not be traced, owing to the fact at it was confused with other dise robably the first reference to it dates from 1642 As late as 1858 the knowledge of the xistence of appendicitie was by no means ueral. In 1846 cases began to be repor realmen, of appendicular abscesses did not come until 1867, and the first recorded peration on the appendix was planned and executed on August 24th, 1883. The early operations commonly ended in failure. The irst successful removal of the appendix was performed on May 8, 1886. Since that greatly increased until, while now it is rearded as a serious, it is by no means a miscene prior es to the origin of appendicoones of some things which have been found in the veriform appendix, from which it will be seen that the grape seed is by no means the commoness form of injury. Co-proliths have been found by everybody who has had much to do with post mortem in vestigations or with other operations on the

foreign bodies most frequently met with. Other things found are grape seeds, melon ones, raspberry seeds, prone seeds, orange huckicherry seeds, blackberry seeds, hazel-nut shell, a piece of chestnut, peanut, hair, solder, a gelatine capsule, a piece of bone, s fie of a fish. This paper also shows that

-An apple is one of the most wholesom f fruits. For a dainty dessert for Sunday ulated syrup and a capial of water. Boil until it will spin a thread. When this point is reached, drop into it half a dozen, tart, spicy apples that have been pared and had the cores removed. Boil them until the applies are clear and transparent. Remove applies are crear and transparent. Remove from the syrup and place on a pretty glass dish. Return the syrup to the fire and boil down until it is thick enough to jolly. When it is perlly cool pour it over the apples and stoud them away in a cold place until ready

and they are very little more fiable to the

disease than men. - Scientific American.

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Rwo Real People.

Many suppose "Mother Goose" to be at imaginary personage, but she was a real woman, and her maiden name was Elizabeth Foster. She was born in 1665, married Isaac Goose in 1693, a few years later became ton, and died in 1757, at the age of 92. Her songs were originally sung to her grandchild ren. They were first published in 1716 by her son-in law, Thomas Fleet, of Boston.

The "Mary" that "had a little lamb" wes

Mary Elizabeth Sawyer, a Massachusetts girl her lamb was one of twins forsaken by an unnatural mother. Mary took it home and cared for it herself. They became fast ply to take a drive over our country roads | friends, and when Mary started for school her pet missed her very much, so one mornis being performed, and we will find that all | ing it followed her. At school she tucked kinds of ideas prevail and all kinds of roads it under her desk and covered it with her shawl, but when she went out to her spellreads hollow in the centre and roads heaped | ing class the lamb trotted after her. The hildren laughed wildly, and the teacher had the lamb removed from the room On that morning a young student named Rawl the reads and be a unisance; fifteen inch tile cident awakened his poetic genius, and a where six inch would do the work, and six few days later he handed Mary the first three verses of the poem. He died soon

> by the horns of an angry cow. Mary's mother spun its wool into yarn, from which she knit her daughter a pair of stockings.

A German Tribute. We recognize the calm manner in which he British nation confronts all the strokes of destiny and the dignity with which they sued by misfortune, as traitors, in the French fashion. We can only marvel at the heroism with which British troops in close order attempts to scale steep heights entirely without cover under a fierce hail of builets, of a Delagoa Bay crisis. This at least is perhorasters, instructing them regarding We can also only marvel at the intrepidity with which they try to force a passage abrough narrow mountain passes where the enemy lies concealed. We must also recornize the heroic example set in battle by the members of the English nobility. Although they know that the Boers make a specia mark of the officers, they have exp them, and the best system to adopt regard- themselves with absolute contempt of death, THE without any cover, to the most devastating fire. The mourning in the noble houses of pathmasters. And if this was followed up Beltain today is great, but the nobility can by appointing a superintendent who under-ground his work, and the roads and bridges pattle shown itself worthy of its privileges One cannot help regretting that this valiant sected with difficulties of climate and terri

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Letter A. No. 826.

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Agricultural.

The Best Farm Manures. Manure from horses I regard as worth wice as much as that from cows and hogs, says a correspondent in Orange Judd Farmer. Give the horses plenty of oat straw and let this become fully saturated with their urine before throwing out. This makes the

piles. Manures of less value, such as cow and hog manure, woodashes, decayed vegetables, shavings, leaves of trees, in fact any rubbish that will rot can be mixed in with the horse manure, the whole being forked over several times to get well mixed. It is best to spread out in the fall, as it affords

protection to the roots of the plants, Now, this matter of the value of manures when and how to apply, is a matter that the farmer must study out largely for himself, being guided by soils and the crops desired. No one rule will hold good for all conditions are should be pretty well rotted and mixed clay subsoil will retain manure much longer han any other soils. Sawdust, although highly recommended by some, has but little value as a manure. Coal ashes also have in a cool room, after which you may dres but little value, though if mixed equally with wood ashes will make a splendid top-

dressing for currants and gooseberry lands, especially if the land is a stiff clay soil. With many advantages possessed by the western farmers for improving and keeping up their lands to the highest state of culti vation, there is no excuse for poor or thin lands nor any reason why we should not grow good crops for generations to come But the time has come when we must begin o look after these matters, for it is much heaper to improve good land than build up a noor worn out soil. There is no soil, no matter how rich, that will stand repeated

ultivation without becoming exhausted. We cannot take from the soil all the time and give nothing back. Underdraining the Orchard.

Locate drains midway between rows of between the rows and as much as four feet of the trees will penetrate as deep as the subsoil is drained within a reasonable limit, wait until you get voluntary obedience, but wait until you get voluntary obedience, but "What!" exclaims the boy. "Do you say ten feet, possibly more. Trees so deeply plant your seeds, make your child want to rooted are the better secured against injury from the extremes of the weather. With the his environment.

sufficient underdrainage of a fertile, retentive clay soil, the intelligent orchardist with persistent energy is master of the business. Horticultural Hints. All the sorting that apples require is

when they are gathered. There are few, if any, fruits grown mor eadily than the grape.

The storing place for apples should be ool-just above freezing.

Applying salt around the fruit trees makes he plant food available. When too large flower pots are used there will be more foliage than flowers. Small trees will root better than larger nes, and young trees will start in growth oner than larger ones. The soil in the orchard should be well

rained, so that the roots will go down deep and lessen the danger from drought. One of the best remedies for plant lice is strong tobacco water sprinkled well over ne foliage and leaves; repeat if necessary. Raspberries produce good crops in the same soil for years, but strawberries produce their best crop the first year after they to take the place of that found in flesh .-

ome into bearing: -The farmer's stock in trade is in his arm and farm animals says a correspondent ducted child will go out every day that the of the New England Furmer. If he fails to improve the farm, if it lacks proper cultivaon and he fails to return the elements of if the thermometer is very low or the wind plant food which his crops have taken from keen and raw. For a small child all walks the soil, if he fails to keep his buildings and and drives and outdoor play should come be arm in good repair or to give good care to his animals, his capital stock will immediately decrease in value, and nobody will thermometer gets no higher than 70. Durwant it even at a low valuation. If the farm- ing the night it may be cool and well ventiler takes from his capital stock of his farm ated. As the feet are peculiarly sensitive to and puts it in the bank, he is in the end the chill, they should be protected by stout loser. This does not mean that the farmer shoes, and in damp weather overshoes must should not have a bank account to his credit | be worn. Running about the room bare from the actual profits of his farm after footed is a habit of which the wise mother keeping the capital stock of the farm at its par value. An exchange suggests that it is a good time to look over the farm carefully heads shampooed, they may be treated to a

the business man into the management of Use of Corn.

"Corn has sprung into unexpected prominence since the great demand for smoke-less powder." says The Island Review. "The ing made of one teacupful of fine bread articles of commerce now being made from cornnumber 29 and include a curious medley grains of allspice, six cloves powdered fine from seven kinds of glucose to table oil, gum- a pinch of cayenne pepper, a teaspoonful Of course celluloid has long been made from seed, one seaspoonful butter and one raw the pith and had a limited use in electrical egg, mixed together. With a sharp knife make incisions all over the ham, and fill each most as good a protection for warships below the water line as steel. Its capacity of swelling on the application of moisture is immense, making it invaluable as a packing bake slowly. This is delicious, served and it is now being used on all the new war- either hot or cold.

Cost of Keeping a Hen. The average cost of keeping one hen one that have been made smooth by frequent year I have found to be about \$1. Some year I have found to be about \$1. Some varieties may run under this figure. But I have yet to find a hen that, if cared for as she should be, and if care and attention are paid to buying her food, will consume more than can be bought for this amount in 12 months. The average egg yield varies with different varieties, and should average 12 to 5 dozen eggs per hen per year. scraped off or the surface may changed with a coat of paste. If you decide to use the Put one pint of flour in a saucepan and beat into one quart of cold water. When smoot different varieties, and should 5 dozen eggs per hen per year. add two quarts of boiling water, stirring all the time. Let this boil up once, then strain Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper. and cool. Brush this paste over the walls and allowit to dry. When you are ready

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The Lousehold.

Joker's Carner.

A newly married couple were honeymoon ing in the country when the first batch o

"Certainly not," she said, firmly,

"I shall not have any secrets from you.

"Not at all. The lack of confidence is

This was unanswerable, and the husband

"I told you so. Here is something Phyllis

"Then, why are you going to tell me?"

"I'm not going to tell you what it is. You are only to know there is something

"Phyllis is engaged," he remarked.
And what if she is? You are not to know

"To Radeliff," hazarded her husband.

'How could I say she isn't when she-

Easily Enough.

"Mr. Gibbons," said the teacher of the

"It seems to me all right," replied the

'It does. Explain, if you please, how he

"Well, he might have had his mind set on

Judge (to prisoner)-You have been be-

having very badly. You not only got drunk.

tired and wanted to sleep, have a policeman come pawing you around like you were a

The boy, having freely admitted that he

out down the cherry tree, is amazed to ob-

not propose to exemplify the saying that

"No, rather the saying that children and

fools speak the truth !" retorted the old man.

with a readiness of wit scarcely to be expect

Origin of Disease.

Mental Science Enthusiast-All disease

Disputant-But children have no thought

"Ob, they are surrounded by an atmos

phere of anxiety. Children would never besick if it were not for their mothers worry-

honesty is the best policy?"

ed in one of his mature years.

omes from the fear of it.

there was one gentleman left.

Boy-One door.

Industry and Luck.

Teacher-What is the difference between

"Humph! How do you explain that?"

By Appearances.

"Industry is what you have yourself.

"Look at this man," said the solicitor,

"No," replied the witness; "but neither

Melted in the Rain.

Auntie-Where is the money you had

Tommy-Father said I was to save it up

A Record to Keep Up.

Maud-Will the British in Africa sur-

Madge-Surrender? I guess not; you for-

-The Irishman was painting his barn, and

"Ill in bed, miss; he's hurt himself."

of sickness.

Judge-No, I never was drunk.

oung man, after reflection.

ould have 'hatched out a schem

"But you don't say she isn't."

Presently she added:

ouldn't want you to know."

ou can't know--at present."

"I didn't say so."

A Turkish Bath at Home. With a good deep bathtub and plenty of hot water you can have, not perhaps strictly speaking a Turkish bath, but one that will letters from home arrived, and the husband

do you an equal amount of good at home. teasingly proposed to open one addressed to The great object of a Turkish bath is to in- his wife duce free perspiration in order to throw off best of all manures for all purposes, but this should not be allowed to heat and burn in "But, Philippa," he pretended to strate, "surely you are not going to have First, open the bathroom window slightly at the top, then fill the bath with water of 108 degrees sufficiently high to cover the body up to the shoulder. Sit in this for a but Phyllis might," his wife said. "That few minutes, and then add more hot water letter is her's, not mine. I shall probably until as hot as you can comfortably bear it, let you read it after I have, but not till I am generally best to spread manure in the fall and plow in. Coarser manure can then be essary. Continue adding hot water till you what she would be willing for you to know." used than if delayed until spring. Where perspire freely, which will probably be in manure is to be used as a top-dressing for grass, clover and strawberry beds it is also with the palms of the hands rub the body husband?"

Still, doesn't trimply a lack of confidence when a wife won't show her letters to her husband?" vigorously all over, and as the skin dries slightly the inpurities which were in the shown by the husband when he demands to pores and have loosened by the perspiration, see his wife's letters." will be gradually brought to the surface by the rubbing. Continue rubbing till the skin | sank back in his chair with amused delight feels smooth and clean again; then rinse in his wife's perfect unconsciousness of hav thoroughly. Now soap your hands well with ing said a good thing. or crops. But in nearly all cases the man- good pure soap, and again rub and knead the body all over. Rinse well again in the soil before seeding. Stiff soils with a and then sponge the body well over, first with tepid and then with cold water and dry thoroughly. Wrap yourself in a loos dressing gown and lie down for half an hone

> and go about as usual. -Many a mother has the feeling that it teaches him the catechism and sends him to school, her duty is done; but far from i "Is! I really thick, my dear, you might as well have let me read that letter." a teacher, the greatest, strongest and mos mother has not only the physical care of the child in her hands, but she has the source, the fountain head of his intellectual life, be cause true psychology teaches that all true class in rhetoric, "point out the absurdity doing is the result of willing, that all true in this figure of speech: 'At this time the willing is the result of thinking, that all tru

thinking is the result of feeling.
"Thought is father to the will." "As a man thinketh, so is he," and as he is, so does he. Remember the source of that state. deed done without the desire which should go before the action of the will. Voluntary obedience is a deed which is performed after from four to five feet, not less than four and the right stages of growth have been gone as much deeper as the outlet and convenience through. First, the individual desires it will allow. The tile should be two or three sizes larger than would be necessary to use do it; fourth, he voluntarily does it. Comin ordinary land draining, to give aeration pulsion is just the opposite. It is an atto the soil, and not be liable to obstructions tempt to force the fruit without planting the m small roots. If the drain is midway seed. This makes the difference between voluntary and forced obedience. Now, and laid with five or six inch tile, the roots please do not misunderstand me. 1 would of the trees will not likely reach the drains in sufficient numbers to seriously affect the obedience if absolutely necessary. It is the drainage. The deeper the drain the deeper the roots will penetrate the subsoil. If the occasions, A child rightly treated and drains were eight feet deep the earth midway rightly handled, will not need forced obedibetween the drains and directly under the ence in the majority of cases. But the poor rows of trees would be affected as deep as little creature who is brought up without seven feet in a few years' time, and the roots obedience is indeed an unfortunate child.

do the thing by your own conduct and by

Value of Cheese Food. Cheese is a very rich and valuable food, likely to form a very large constituent in the future, and, especially for the workingman, to be very extensively used. There is a

gest this article. The writer is liable to make an entir meal of cheese, with very little bread, and digest it more easily than rice or oatmeal, but in most stomache it is less digestible, i some extremely so. Each person must learn for himself. It is a convenient form

ing about them."
"Yes, I see. Then please account for a of animal food, and, when good, particularecent epidemic of scarlet fever in an orphan ly agrecable. There is a great difference in the composi asvlum." tion of choese both in its water, fat and -Stubb-I am a little puzzled over the nitrogenous matter. In general, however, it emark a young woman made this morning. may be remarked that every variety con Penn- How is that. Stubb-Why, I went to see her over the and it is for this that it is especially usefu uddy crossing, and in consequence missed as a food. Skimmilk cheese is especially rich in this constituent, but less rich in fa Penn-Did she thank you? Those who abstain from flesh food will find Stubb-Yes, and said she was glad to see in cheese abundance of pitrogenous matt

London Family Doctor. industry and luck? weather is not actually inclement. These Luck is what your neighbor has." tween the hours of 11 a. m. and 3 p. m. The nursery must be a sunny room in which the pointing to the prisoner in the dock. "Does ne give the impression of one who would ommit a crime ?' disapproves, and which she forcibly forbids After the children are bathed and their saved up last week? and see whether its capital stock has in brisk rubbing down with alcohol. This or a rainy day. It was a rainy day yestercreased or diminished during the past year. should also be freely applied to the head after day, and so I spent it.

Why not put a little of the thought force of it has been rubbed dry with a coarse towel.

Take a small, well cured ham of the best kind obtainable, and if possible, one at least a year old, wash and boil slowly until done, get they are the ancestors of us Americans. he was hurrying his work with all his crumbs, just moistened with milk, a few strength and speed. "What are you in such a hurry for, Murphy?" asked a speedrops and the best quality of India rubber. each thyme, savory, merjoram and celery tator. "Sure, I want to get through before me paint runs out." was the reply. place with the mixture. Then rub all over with the beaten yolk of an egg, and cover

How to paper White-Washed Walls.

paste, make it in the following manner:

to paper, wet the walls, spread paste on the paper, and hang it in the usual manner.

How to Drive Out Rats.

"We were playing at who could lean the farthest out of window, and he won." -Mob orator-No, gentlemen ; I tell you that if you want a thing done well you mustalways do it your elf! It is difficult to make paper stick to walls

"How did he do that?"

Voice from the crowd-How about getting: your hair cut? Hobart-What do you think of these cigars? I bought them in Cuba from a native. Rupert-I think he took you for a Span-

-" What is the worst thing about riches?" asked a school teacher of a boy.
"Their scarcity," he replied, and was at once rewarded with a prize.

-"The idea of saying nothing but good of the dead," said the Cornfed Philosopher, "strikes me as a good thing, as far as it goes, but why not extend it to those that are going to be dead?"

Minard's Liniment cures Garget in Cowa.

Don't keep tellin' po' folks how sorry you is you con't help 'em," said Uncle Eben." Dey has too much trouble of deir own to stop an' sympathize wid you." -"Pa," said the infant confounder, "why alu't a boy born with the things he ought to know just as he is with fingers and toce?"