





The Weekly Monitor.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 30th, 1888.

We will be obliged to write 1889, before another number of the Monitor is in the hands of the readers. The old year is tottering now on the brink of the grave of the past. It has been a year of many events, the progress of which will be felt for many years to come.

The Steamer Dorcas made only one trip last week. Conductor Joe says she is a tri-weekly. Try to get on one of the weekly trips.

We have enjoyed very fine weather during the past week, and it has been a treat. The past two days have been very mild and springlike.

We have received from Messrs. C. Richards & Co., Yarmouth, proprietors of the well-known Minard's Liniment, a handsome 100-page catalogue for 1889.

Donations.—The donation gathering at the residence of Rev. N. Vidio, postponed on account of the weather, will be held on Wednesday evening, Jan. 9. A full house is anticipated.

Parsons No. 10 Hano.—A dispatch to the Halifax Herald says: On the recommendation of the minister of justice the sentence of death pronounced against Parsons, who was convicted of the murder of the pastor, Rev. E. B. Locke, is commuted to life imprisonment.

On Xmas Day.—On Xmas Day, a shooting party, by the burning of his gun, had his left hand so mangled as to require the amputation of two fingers. He was attended by Dr. Moore, Lawrenceville.

An Oyster Supper and Tea-meeting will be held in Temperance Hall, Lawrenceville, on Friday evening, Dec. 29th, to pay off debt upon ball. Members of outside divisions are invited to attend on equal terms with the good ones.

A number of the leading business men of Digby have sent a despatch to the Postmaster-general, asking for a more liberal service between this port and St. John and to be made an expressible line.

A house, belonging to Mary Brown, colored, situated on Trent Lake Road, south of Lawrenceville, was burned to the ground with all its contents on Sunday night last. The family were absent from home at the time, and lost everything they possessed, with the exception of the clothes on their backs. Here is a chance for the charitable.

On Thursday evening last, Joseph, a son of Mr. George Crose, of East Dartmouth, aged seven years, while crossing the Sixty Brook, in company with his brothers, fell off the stringers of the bridge and was drowned. Owing to the inclement weather, his body was unable to be recovered.

On Thursday evening last, the ladies of the Methodist Church in this town, held a social at the residence of Mrs. J. W. Whitman, and the proceeds were for the benefit of the poor.

On Friday last, when about to commence the ordinary exercises of the afternoon, Master Herbert Sanborn, on behalf of the pupils, in a few well-chosen remarks, presented me with an excellent piece of writing.

We thank J. B. E. Lynn, Mass., for the trouble he has taken in sending me a written account of the remarkably quick voyage made by Capt. Joshua Slocum and his wife and children from the South Atlantic coast to New York. We published a full report of the voyage in our issue of Dec. 15th.

The new building recently erected by Messrs. Frimrose Bros. on Granville street, is nearly completed, and presents a very fine and striking appearance. It is a three-story high, with a front facade distinguished by three columns, and is tastefully painted throughout.

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A HAPPY NEW YEAR TO ALL OUR PATRONS.

Local and Other Matter.

Mr. Jas. Carleton has been quite sick with pneumonia, but is improving, we are pleased to report.

DEAR Mr. Editor.—Will you kindly allow me a small space in your next issue to express my thanks to you for the many kind and friendly words you have so graciously contributed to the handsome presents to Mrs. Wilkins. As I am pleased to see that you are so kind as to be so good as to send me a copy of the paper, I am sure you will be pleased to see that I am so good as to send you a copy of the paper.

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Ward One.

Mr. Franks, the principal owner of the "Ward One" newspaper, has been elected to the office of Mayor of the City of Toronto.

The Queen's Postmaster in Canada Dead.

John Owen, the oldest postmaster in the Dominion, died one of Pictou county's oldest inhabitants, passed away on Thursday morning, at the advanced age of 62.

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YOUNG MEN STAY AT HOME.—A Nova Scotia, now in Washington territory, in a letter to a friend says, among other things: "I have been in Washington territory since June, 1887, and have been all along the coast from Grey's Harbor to Vancouver, and in most of the towns and villages on the Puget Sound, and can form a pretty good idea of the territory west of the Rockies. It is not a fertile country. The upland is good for nothing, being a bed of gravel. The only farming land here is along the river, on what is called 'bottom land,' but it is only fit for hops and root crops and some kinds of fruit. Grass will not ripen, the nights being too cold. This country is not to be compared to Cape Breton or Nova Scotia, the climate not being so good and the land worthless after the timber is taken off. I hope the people of Cape Breton and Nova Scotia will stay at home and be as they have to be, and they soon will see their country flourish."

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AMERICAN PORK IN CANADA. THE DUTY TO BE INCREASED. OTTAWA, Dec. 14.—It is stated that the Dominion government has received the request of the pork packers' convention and increase the duty on American pork to 1 cent per pound, or 33 per cent. The quantity of pork imported from the United States during the past 12 months increased from 10,000,000 to 14,500,000 pounds, or 33 per cent, as compared with the corresponding month of last year. The Canadian packers say they cannot compete with the United States firms, and want American pork shut out of the market. The lumbermen, who are the heaviest purchasers, are making a vigorous fight against the increased duties.

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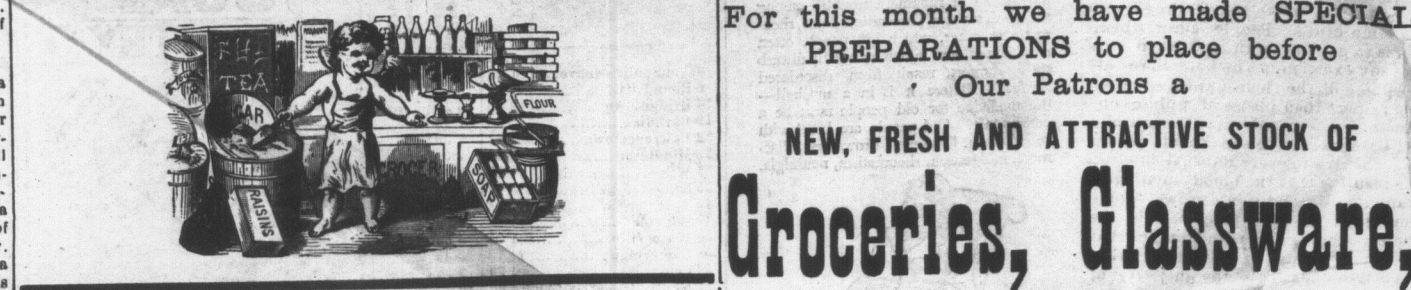
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Bridgetown Grocery!

WE ARE JUST COMING OUT WITH AN ENTIRE NEW STOCK, Carefully Chosen and Cheaply Bought, which enables us to place before our customers and the public the best line of Groceries in the town.

Raisins! Raisins! Raisins! Currants! Currants! Currants! FIGS! FIGS! FIGS! ORANGES! ORANGES! ORANGES! LEMONS! LEMONS! LEMONS! PEELS! PEELS! PEELS! TEAS! TEAS! TEAS! COFFEES! COFFEES! COFFEES! SPICES! SPICES! SPICES! CANDY! CANDY! CANDY! NUTS! NUTS! NUTS! CANNED GOODS! CANNED GOODS! CANNED GOODS! ESSENCES! ESSENCES! ESSENCES! BISCUITS! BISCUITS! BISCUITS! PICKLES! PICKLES! PICKLES! Cigars! Cigars! Cigars!

Flour, Corn Meal, Oat Meal, Rolled Oat Meal, Gran. Oat Meal, Rice, Molasses, Beans, Codfish and Pollock, Labrador Herring, Sugars, Extra Refined, Granulated, Paris Lump, and Pulverized.

AND ALL OTHER GOODS FOUND IN A WELL APPOINTED GROCERY ESTABLISHMENT, WHICH WILL BE SOLD DURING THE HOLIDAY SEASON AT A SMALL ADVANCE ON COST. CALL AND GET OUR PRICES BEFORE GOING ELSEWHERE, AND SEE THAT WE MEAN WHAT WE SAY.

WE HAVE A LARGE LINE OF GREAT REDUCTION. CROCKERYWARE! WHICH WE WILL SELL AT LOWEST PRICES DURING THE PRESENT MONTH.

HERE'S WISDOM! Whenever you want Pure Goods, whenever you want the best value obtainable for your money, Call upon us. Remember the Best Goods are the Cheapest.

Shafner & Dixon. O NE Cooking Stove, one Franklin, one Cylinder. Will sell LOW FOR CASH.

Christmas, 1888! New Year, 1889!

Goods for the MERRY SEASON, Runciman, Randolph & Co.'s.

1 Case Toilet Requisites; CHOICE PERFUMES, Florida Water & Bay Rum.

ROYAL EXTRACTS, Hair Brushes and Dressing Combs, Ladies' Fur Boas, Ladies' Cloakings, DRESS GOODS!

A LARGE STOCK, Bridgetown, N. S., Dec. 5th, '88.

WANTED. I will call and examine my stock of goods, the largest I have ever offered, of the BEST QUALITY, and at the LOWEST PRICES.

CHRISTMAS! 14 LBS. REFINED SUGAR FOR A DOLLAR BILL, and everything else accordingly. T. G. BISHOP. Clearing Sale.

Xmas Goods, and as all goods must be cleared out, GREAT BARGAINS may be expected. Goods will be sold at discount on credit till March 1st, and produce still taken. All old unpaid accounts will be left for immediate collection after Jan. 1st, next, without further notice, and all persons indebted are requested to call and settle by that date.

C. S. Phinney. For Sale, AT LAWRENCETOWN. THIS property which stood the dwelling house occupied by Mrs. J. K. Hibbs, before its destruction by fire. Also the Building now occupied by owner, and Barn. The property can be bought in lots or altogether. Also an almost new Newcomb Piano, Carriage, Sleigh, and a pair of Horses of different kinds. Apply to MRS. J. K. BIRCHIE. Christmas Goods. Central Book Store. Large Stock & Good Value.

For this month we have made SPECIAL PREPARATIONS to place before Our Patrons a NEW, FRESH AND ATTRACTIVE STOCK OF Groceries, Glassware, BOOTS & SHOES, RUBBER GOODS, ETC., ETC., ETC. IN GROCERIES We have TEAS and COFFEES, of the Best Quality; Bright Antigua and Barbados MOLASSES; West Indies Extra-Refined, Granulated and Pulverized SUGARS, RICE; TOBACCO; VINEGAR; PURE SPICES, (in variety) in bulk or package; a large stock of CANNED GOODS; STARCHES; SOAPS, from a fine toilet to the 3 cent bar, Etc., Etc.

ALSO AN XMAS SUPPLY OF CHOICE CANDIES, in Large Assortment; NUTS, in variety; CITRUS and ORANGE PEEL; ESSENCES; Plain and Fancy CRACKERS, Just from Bacteria. Glassware, Lamps, Lanterns, Etc. In Stock, a number of very fine LAMPS, which we bought below regular costs, and we offer to our customers at Wholesale Prices. Lamps from \$5 to 20 cents each. Ruby P. D. FITCHES, TUMBLERS, GOBLET, Etc. Call and see, as we have the BEST VALUE IN GLASSWARE in the Town.

Boots, Shoes, RUBBERS, Etc., Etc. In this line we have the Greatest Variety and Best Selected Stock in the Town, and we offer to our customers at Wholesale Prices several times this fall, and we have now arrangements with the Best Factories so as to keep our Stock up in sizes and to order special kinds when required.

SPECIAL.—For this month we place our Entire Stock of Boots and Shoes at a discount, on our already low prices, of 10 per cent. for Net Cash. We are daily expecting a car load of Shorts, Middlings, Heavy Feed, and Hand Picked Beans, bought before their present advance. Call for prices.

MURDOCH & NEILY. THE RECORD BEATEN. THE FINEST DISPLAY OF CHRISTMAS NOVELTIES AND PRESENTS! FRUITS OF ALL KINDS! FANCY GOODS. CONFECTIONS IN VARIETY. Don't fail to see before purchasing supplies. LOWEST PRICES AT J. W. WHITMAN'S.

WANTED! 1000 Cords Spruce Wood. WANTED in lots of not less than 2000 Wood, 1000 Cords Hard Spruce, in the ROUND NOT SPLIT, to be delivered in April or May, at any place on the Annapolis River where a vessel can safely load, drawing 12 feet of water. To be cut with saw exactly 4 feet long, and not less than 5 inches in small end, or in 12, 14 or 20 feet lengths, delivered in rafts at Annapolis Royal in April or May next. Send your offer to THOS. S. WHITMAN, Annapolis, Dec. 12th, 1888. 6H42

NOTICE FOR TENDERS. TENDERS will be received at the office of the Clerk of the Municipality of the County of Annapolis, up to noon, on Saturday the 16th day of January, 1889, for supplying the Alma House with 60 cords of Merchandise Hardwood. Tenders either to be for the whole or in lots of not less than 2 cords. Parties tendering on the south side of the river, can deliver at Bridgetown. Tenders will also be received for supplying the Alma House with wood, both hard and soft, for the year beginning the 15th of January, 1889. The committee do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender. A. VIDRO, WM. H. YOUNG, JOHN W. FIDGOTT, Committee. Bridgetown, Dec. 17th, 1888.

FOR SALE H. FRASER, THREE SECOND HAND STOVES! ONE Cooking Stove, one Franklin, one Cylinder. Will sell LOW FOR CASH.



A HAPPY NEW YEAR TO ALL OUR PATRONS.

Miscellaneous. A Prescription Against Pneumonia. Nothing is more injurious...

Windsor & Annapolis Railways Time Table. GOING EAST. 6 Annapolis-leave...

FOR OLD PEOPLE! In old people the nervous system is weakened...

Flour. Flour. 300 Bbls. Flour and Meal, Feeding Flour and Shorts...

AMHRSY BOOTS and SHOES. All sizes and quality of hand made and machine made...

SALT & LIME. Also a nice selection of Hats and Caps, Dry Goods...

ANSELY ELLIOTT. FRANK LAZARUS. PRESERVE YOUR SIGHT BY WEARING THE ONLY FRANK LAZARUS...

Bath Brothers' Livery Stables BRIDGETOWN. WE have purchased from Mr. F. Pitkin...

Schooner A. M. HOLT, CAPT. D. R. GRAVES. Will ply between St. John and Bridgetown...

John Ervin, Barrister and Attorney at Law. OFFICE, COV'S BUILDING, BRIDGETOWN.

W. G. PARSONS, B.A., Barrister, Solicitor, Etc. MIDDLETON, N.S.

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Marble Works. AGAIN THE MASCOT SPRING STOP SHADE ROLLER, SELLING LOWER THAN EVER.

Furniture Tops! Call and inspect work. OLDHAM WHITMAN, BRIDGETOWN, Jan. 12th.

Spa Springs House. Wilmot Spa Springs, Annapolis County.

Excelsior Package DYES. Are recommended for Simplicity of Use, Beauty of Color...

H. H. BANKS, PRODUCE COMMISSION AGENT. Parker Market Building, Halifax, N. S.

Farm for Sale. The subscriber offers for sale his desirable property situated on...

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Oysters! Oysters! BY FRICK on half shell, by plate or stew. SAUBERS by hand makers in the city...

BEST ON EARTH SOAP. THE GREAT SELF WASHER TRY IT.

Frost & Wood's Plows. Another carload of those celebrated Steel Plows Just Received...

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John's Corner. Work of an Office Boy. ONE who employed an UNDERBAKER to care covered for the...

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Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria. I never in my life had such a severe attack. I had a severe bilious attack...