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WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 8TH 1899.

Halifax having lost a large portion of the trans Atlantic trade that was formerly thrown into its lap by the completion of the government patronage, is now exhibiting a commendable spirit of business enterprise.

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The Good Roads Question. Ottawa Free Press: It is stated that one of the first bills to be presented in the Ontario legislature at the coming session will be a "Good Roads" bill.

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Local and Special News.

—7-lb. Lumberman's Blankets for \$1.00 a pair at J. E. Burns.

—The Paradise Quartette will sing at the Y. M. C. A. service next Sunday afternoon at 3.30 o'clock.

—The Bear River Electric Light Heating and Power Company have decided to extend their system to Digby.

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—Lumbermen are working at a great disadvantage this winter on account of the slight deposit of snow in the woods.

—The meeting of Court Bridge-own I. O. O. F. will be held in their hall on Wed., Feb. 10th at 8 p. m. sharp.

—The death of Dr. Lewis Johnston, of Stellarton, took place last week and his funeral, occurring on the 3rd inst. under Masonic auspices, is reported as the largest and most impressive ever witnessed in the province.

—The Grand Division, Sons of Temperance, met in its first quarterly session for 1899 at Roundhill on Tuesday, 31st ult.

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JOHN LOCKETT & SON'S Grand Cash Clearance Sale OF WINTER GOODS

Having temporarily rented the store recently occupied by Edwin L. Fisher in Murdoch's Block, while our store is being remodelled, we will continue to offer exceptional Bargains in all lines of Winter Goods in order to clear out our old stock and begin in our new store with a fresh stock throughout.

Table with columns: DRESS GOODS, WAIST PLAIDS, DRESS PATTERNS, MANTLE CLOTHS, Light, Plain and Plaided Cloakings, Ladies' Winter Jackets, LADIES' WINTER CAPES, LADIES' FURS, FUR ROBES, LADIES' WINTER VESTS, BOYS' WOOL HOSE, Misses' Cashmere Rib Hose, Ladies' Plain and Ribbed Cashmere Hose, CORSETS! CORSETS!, PRINTS! - PRINTS!, FLANNELETTES

Table with columns: TOWELLING, Heavy Flannelette Skirting, Ladies' Fleece Lined Gloves, Ladies' Lined Kid Mitts and Gloves, BLUE AND GREY FLANNELS, TWEEDS, TWEEDS, CLOTHING, MEN'S PANTS, MEN'S SUITS, ENGLISH WRAPPERETTES, FLANNELETTE WRAPPERS, Sheetings & Pillow Cottons, TABLE LINENS, NAPKINS, APRON LINEN, CHILDREN'S SUITS, YOUTHS' SUITS, GENTS' FURNISHINGS, Underhirts and Drawers, TOP SHIRTS, Gents' Lined Kid Gloves and Mitts, MEN'S HAY CAPS

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS. Mr. Albert Morse is recovering from a severe attack of grippe. Councillor P. E. Lloyd, of Kentville, was in town last Saturday.

FARMERS' General Store AT PARADISE. Samuel McLaughley & Co. PARADISE, Feb. 8th, 1899. 47 1/2. ST. VALENTINE'S NIGHT, February 14th. Band Concert IN THE COURT HOUSE.

Our River of Bargains flows Steadily On

NEW GOODS For the Early Spring Sewing. No such Value ever before shown by Us.

8000 yds. NEW PRINTS, (Not a yard of old stock left.) NEW WHITE COTTONS, NEW GREY COTTONS, NEW PILLOW COTTONS, NEW SHEETINGS.

Do not overlook our Extra Discount on Dress Goods. Must be cleared out to make room for our immense new stock soon to arrive. Kindly review our great discount on balance of Winter Overcoats and Suits, Ladies' Saques, etc.

J. W. BECKWITH. 1 LADIES' FUR COLLAR, \$18.50. " \$10.00. " " " \$10.00. " " " \$6.50. " " " \$4.00.

1899! SHAW & LLOYD'S BARGAIN SALE! As bargains are now in order we offer our stock of Fancy China and Glassware at a discount of 10 per cent for cash for the next 30 days.

BRIDGETOWN CUSTOM CLOTHING CO. C. McLELLAN, Manager. A few of the things You can buy for 25c.

SHAFNER & PIGGOTT'S. 10 lbs. Onions, 10 lbs. Buckwheat Flour, 3 lbs. Raisins, 3 lbs. Currants, 3 lbs. Pulverized Sugar, 3 lbs. best Soda Biscuits, 1 lb. good Tea, and other goods in proportion.

War Declared JUST ARRIVED Masonic Store BRIDGETOWN. Pickles, Sauces, Jams, Orange Marmalade, etc. W. M. FORSYTH.

BARGAINS! We have a small lot of Fancy goods left over from the holiday trade that we will close out below cost. 1 Photo Album, price 50c. Reduced to 35c. 4 Photo Albums, price 50c. Reduced to 35c. 1 Toy Lamp, price 90c. Reduced to 60c. 1 Porridge Set, price 65c. Reduced to 45c. 2 Shaving Sets, \$1.00. Reduced to 70c. 1 Necktie Box, price 75c. Reduced to 45c. 1 Fat Man Target, 45c. Reduced to 18c. 2 Flying Birds, price 25c. Reduced to 18c. 1 Baggage Truck, 40c. Reduced to 25c. 3 Children's Suits, Knit, Felt, and Suede, price 30c., 35c. Reduced to 20c. and other goods at same rate.

R. R. & Co. Christmas AND New Year A Happy Season to all OUR STOCK OF Holiday Wants IS COMPLETE.

Fancy Dress Goods, Plain Black and Figured Dress Goods, Ladies' Undervests, Ladies' Winter Jackets, Corsets, Gloves, Dress Trimmings, Men's Heavy Wool Hosiery, Misses' and Women's Ribbed Cashmere Hose, Boys' Knickerbockers, Men's Half Hose, Men's Gloves, Ties and Braces, Maple Leaf Blankets, All-Wool White Blankets, Heavy Colored Blankets, Carpentry and other Carpets. OUR STOCK OF Men's Underclothing, Top Shirts and Dress Shirts, is the best value and prices the lowest in town.

Discount of 10 per cent on all CASH purchases. Oats, Butter and Eggs taken in exchange. Hard and Soft Coal constantly on hand. W. A. KINNEY, Queen Street.

THE PEOPLE'S BOOT & SHOE STORE Our stock is now complete in all lines, and we offer a special inducement during the holiday season - OF A - Discount of 10 per cent on all CASH purchases. Oats, Butter and Eggs taken in exchange. Hard and Soft Coal constantly on hand. W. A. KINNEY, Queen Street.

You Can Buy HORSE BLANKETS, SURCINGLES, HALTERS, CURRY COMBS, BRUSHES, RITS, TEAM COLLARS, LIGHT COLLARS, COLLAR PADS, LAP ROBES, WHIPS, SLEIGH BELLS, ANKLE BOOTS, AXLE GREASE, HARNES OIL, HARNES SOAP, HALL CURE, CONSTITION POWDER, LEAMING'S ESSENCE, FRISBIE'S BALSAM, and everything to make your horse shine.

Finest Groceries AT... Flour, Meal, Feed, Groceries and Confectionery. so cheap that it will make you laugh. Because he gives no credit, it will pay you to get prices before purchasing elsewhere. ALL GOODS FIRST-CLASS. E. YOUNG, LAWRENCEVILLE, Nov. 26th, 1898.

Finest Figures AT... BONE AND MEAT SCRAP. Makes Hens Lay. Makes Chickens Crow. Good for Pigs. Send for "The Egg". "Bovkers' Cattle Bone." ALL IN 25 LB. BAGS. \$1.00 each. HUGH WILSON, BRIDGETOWN, N. S.

CALL AT B. M. WILLIAMS' and get your Thanksgiving Dinner. Choice Beef and Lamb, Ham, Bacon, Sausage, Corned Beef, Fresh and Salt Pork, Chickens, Ducks, Geese, Turkeys, etc.

WANTED! WANTED! 5,000 Hides, 15,000 Pelts. For which the highest prices will be paid. Spot Cash. Those having hides to sell will please bring them to the tannery. MacKenzie, Crowe & Company.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE. THE NEW KINETOSCOPE! All persons having any legal demands against the estate of Miss Mary Farmer, late of Bridgetown, in the County of Annapolis, deceased, are required to make the same, duly attested, within twelve months from the date hereof, and all persons indebted to the said estate are required to make immediate payment to the undersigned. T. J. BLAGDEN, QUEEN ST., BRIDGETOWN.

To be continued! STRONG & WHITMAN WILL CONTINUE THEIR GRAND CLOSING-OUT SALE DURING THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY. this space next week for clearance prices on lines of goods not previously advertised.

PROVINCIAL PARAGRAPHS. Digby dealers are importing haddock from Boston. The Village Creamery paid a dividend of 10 per cent last year. The customs receipts at Halifax for January show a decline of \$24,700. Alderman John Foley, of Chelsea, a Colchester man, has recently with the Independent Order of Foresters were organized in Nova Scotia. Bridgewater voted for incorporation last Saturday. The town of Windsor has voted \$2,000 for a site for a public building, \$5,000 for a town building, and \$3,000 for a steam fire engine.

Canned Goods. CORNED BEEF, SALMON, OYSTERS, FINNAN HADDIES, SCALLOPS, TOMATOES, CORN, WORCESTER SAUCE, YORKSHIRE RELISH, AND A FULL LINE OF GROCERIES. R. SHIPLEY.

The People's Faith. Firmly Grounded Upon Real Merit. They know Hood's Sarsaparilla Absolutely and Permanently. Hood's Sarsaparilla is not merely a simple preparation of Sarsaparilla, Dock, Bile Beans, and other ingredients. It is a scientific preparation of the most potent and reliable ingredients of the Sarsaparilla family.

CHEAP Clearance Sale FOR CASH. Ladies' Fine Kid Boots, \$2.25, Reduced to \$1.75. Ladies' Pebble Bottom Boots, \$1.75, Reduced to \$1.25. All Wool Tweeds, 68c and 70c per yd. Extra Choice Porto Rico Mollasses, Per gallon, 41c. Red Rose and Provincial Blend Tea, Per lb., 31c.

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First Ride Upon a Newfoundland Railway. A Journey by the French Shore Upon a September Morning. (From a Traveller's Diary) Our train, the "Bruce Train" or "Cross Country Train," is one that performs a considerable number of important functions, and its own way, is equipped for the various needs of a long journey, more for comfort or convenience is supposed to be found at the stoppings by the road. It is arranged in a special way in a few minutes survey only, or as we change our modes of conveyance; for our attention must now be directed to the nature of the great work of nature which we have about us on every hand. It is unique, not to be forgotten, though we have, to our regret, but a few minutes given to us to gaze upon any particular picture. These rocks and water scenes vary so constantly upon this irregular coast, and our roadway winds in such a circuitous and surprising way, that we find ourselves entertained by a veritable dancing panorama.

Ontario Letter. Port Burwell, Feb. 2nd, 1899. Dear Sir, Since last writing we have had some very cold weather, and snow lying up to 20 or 30 inches, but the weather has been fine, no storms to speak of since then. The weather prophets who were predicting plenty of snow, have been proved wrong.

Outbreak in the Philippines. The long expected rupture between the Filipinos and the United States troops occurred on Saturday evening, when the natives attacked the American regiment stationed at Marikina. The fighting was very fierce and the Filipinos were in the end victorious. The Americans were forced to retreat to Marikina, and the Filipinos followed them closely.

Report of the advanced department of the Bridgetown schools for 29 days ending Feb. 2nd, 1899. This report gives the names of the pupils, number of days lost and the number of times late. The asterisk (\*) indicates those who took part in examinations.

Table with columns: GRADE, AVERAGE, Days, Times. Lists names of students and their performance in school.

Nov. Scotia Fruit Growers' Association. The thirty fifth annual meeting of the N. S. Fruit Growers' Association will be held at the Hotel Victoria, in St. John's, on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, Feb. 13th, 14th and 15th. The opening meeting on Monday will be at 7.30 o'clock, with three sessions each day on the two following days.

The N. S. Pork Packing Co. A meeting of the directors of the N. S. Pork Packing Co. Limited, was held at the Hotel Victoria, in St. John's, on Feb. 1st. Motion passed that the resolution fixing the lowest limit of subscribed capital be increased from \$100,000 to \$150,000, be rescinded. Motion passed that no orders for building or plant be made till \$100,000 of stock is subscribed.

Cementavale. Mr. James Floyd is suffering from a fall received last week on the ice. Mr. John Hicks and wife were among the congregation at church on Sunday last. Mr. Raymond and Mrs. Johnson of Bear River, are holding special services at Princeville with very good results.

Nov. Scotia Farmers' Convention. The Fourth Annual Convention of the Nova Scotia Farmers' Association will be held at the Hotel Victoria, in St. John's, on the 22nd, 23rd and 24th inst. The following is the programme: WEDNESDAY, FEBY 22nd. AFTERNOON SESSION. Annual Address - President J. Rufus Starr, St. John's.

Lawrenceville. A very little snow would make good sleighing here. E. J. Elliott, Esq., is shipping apples for England from this station this week. The Baptist societies last Thursday evening netted \$18.00. The W. L. U. meets at the home of Mrs. Wallace to-morrow (Thursday) at 2 p. m.

West Parade. Wood piles are very small in this vicinity, owing to the broken water and absence of ice. The grapple is making its annual visit to our community. It is a most unwelcome visitor. A little daughter of Miss R. A. Whitman one day last week.

Lower Graniteville. We regret to announce the death of one of our aged and most generally respected neighbors, Mr. Thomas Thorne, Esq., which will occur at his residence on Thursday last. Mr. Thorne had reached the age of 83 years, and up to within a few weeks of his death he enjoyed good health.

Sanatorium for Consumption. Dr. A. P. Reid, since his retirement to his country home in Middlebury, has been working on an improved plan for a sanatorium for consumption. It is in fact a special kind of house and glass, with rooms which side by side free from sunlight and air from all directions, and with a large hall in which disease germs may flourish.

The Oak Island Treasure Company is still working. They expect to strike the treasure before spring.

Marriages. STARR - JOHNSON - At the marriage of Mr. Starr and Mrs. Johnson, held at the residence of Mr. Starr, on Feb. 1st, 1899, the bride was Miss Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Johnson, of St. John's.

Miscellaneous.

Liquid Air. THE WONDERS OF THE SCIENCE OF LIQUID AIR. The discovery of the latest scientific marvels in the...

Liquid air, it seems, is obtained by a process of great pressure, wherein eight hundred cubic feet of ordinary air becomes one cubic foot of liquid air, and at the same time the concentration of its oxygen is increased...

M. Triple describes an experiment giving a constant current of cold. The apparatus which is used for the purpose is as follows: A tin of liquid air is placed in a vessel of water...

It is in the nature of a surprise that the invention of a steel wire, which is made of a special alloy of steel, is so simple...

An Old Disease With A New Name. The grippe has been known and described since the days of Hippocrates, who was born in the island of Kos, in the Aegean Sea...

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How Gleason Controls Horses.

Prof. Gleason is a horse trainer of national reputation. While in St. Louis recently he was interviewed and asked how he was so successful in training, and he answered: "The first essential will, the second patience, and the third is to have a good bit of intelligence...

"I do not believe in a horse that is not controlled by the reins," said Prof. Gleason. "If you have a horse that is not controlled by the reins, you are better off without it..."

"Take dogs, for example. I could not train a dog in 20 years. I don't care for them and they don't care for me. We are not supporters. You might take a dog and teach him a dozen tricks, and yet be unable to train a horse, and I might train 1,000 horses and be able to control a dog..."

"If you can like a horse and can control yourself you can handle the wildest after you know how. The last 'n' try to it. It is simply a matter of temperance and knowledge..."

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Agricultural.

POTASH WITH MANURE.

A SMALL FERTILIZER WHICH MAKES ACCOUNT FOR THE SUCCESS OF MANY CROPS. The potato has long been a staple crop of the farmer...

There is, however, some danger in doing this in connection with work-crops, for the nitrate of potash in connection with oil often results in spontaneous combustion...

Condition for Cranberry Culture. The best soil for cranberries consists of peat and muck bottoms, coated with pure sand...

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STOVES! STOVES!

R. ALLEN CROWE is still to the front with his usual large assortment of Ranges, Cook Stoves, Parlor, Hall and Office Heaters.

Furnaces and Heating a specialty. He would invite an inspection before purchasing elsewhere.

UNION BANK OF HALIFAX. Incorporated 1856. Head Office, Halifax, N. S.

W. J. STAIRS, Esq., President. E. L. THORNE, Cashier. Savings Bank Department.

HANDSOME RESIDENCE FOR SALE. The Homestead of GEORGE R. HERD, Esq., late of Bridgetown, is now offered for sale.

GRAND DISPLAY OF WINTER MILLINERY. Special show days THURSDAY and FRIDAY of this week.

WALTER FORD, Fruit Broker, BOROUGH MARKET, LONDON, S. E.

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DOMINION ATLANTIC RAILWAY

Land of 'Evangeline' Route. On and after MONDAY, Jan. 23rd, 1899, the Steamship and Train Service of this Railway will be as follows (Sunday excepted):

Trains will Arrive at Bridgetown: Express from Halifax..... 11.06 a.m. Express from Yarmouth..... 1.17 p.m.

S. S. 'Prince George,' BOSTON SERVICE. by far the finest and fastest steamship plying out of Boston, leaves Yarmouth on every Monday and Tuesday, immediately on arrival...

Royal Mail S. S. 'Prince Edward,' ST. JOHN AND DIGBY. Monday, Thursday and Saturday.

Yarmouth S. S. Co., Limited. The Shortest and Best Route between Nova Scotia and United States.

Two Trips a Week. 'BOSTON' Connecting Oct. 22nd and until further notice will leave Yarmouth on every Monday and Saturday Evening after arrival...

FREE. We give this free watch, and also a chain, to every customer who purchases two dozen...

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IMPORTANT TO FARMERS! It will pay you to place your order with us for fruit, fowls, hatching, etc., early in the season...

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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE. All persons having legal demands against the estate of Col. W. R. Strarai, late of Parrtown, in the County of Annapolis, deceased...

Ask your doctor how many preparations of cod-liver oil there are.

He will answer, "Hundreds of them." Ask him which is the best. He will reply, "Scott's Emulsion."

Then see that this is the one you obtain. It contains the purest cod-liver oil, free from unpleasant odor and taste.

Furniture! Furniture! GRAND Mark Down Sale! BARGAINS! BARGAINS!

H. S. REED. N. B.—Have one Sewing Machine in stock which will be sold at a great bargain.

EDDY'S Indurated Fibre Ware, TUBS, PAILS, Etc. have become household necessities.

MARBLE WORKS. The above works, for many years conducted by the late THOS. DEARNESS, will be carried on under the management of Mr. JOHN DEARNESS, who will continue the manufacture of

MONUMENTS, Tablets, Headstones, &c. All orders promptly attended to. Granville St., Bridgetown, N. S.

Just Received SCREEN DOORS, WINDOW SCREENS. To fit any size window. Can be placed on outside, allowing shut to be raised or lowered without taking out screen.

HAYING TOOLS! Fine Lath. Steel and Green Ribbed Clips. Silesia. Every Scotch Reel.

H. W. BENSON. CAN YOU AFFORD TO GAVE A small sum each month from your earnings A sure way to provide for a star in life.

The Household.

The Care of Jewellery. NOW TO CLEAN GOLD AND SILVER—PRECAUTIONS TO BE TAKEN WITH POPULAR KNIVES.

Now that jewelry is so lavishly worn and every woman carries about with her almost a burden of chains, charms, rings and bracelets...

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