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WEDNESDAY, MAY 15th, 1901. The recent arbitration over the wage scale of the miners in the Dominion Coal Co.'s employ discloses what may be taken as a reason for the recent sharp advance in the price of coal.

Local and Special News. -Mayor Shafer's new schooner will be launched on July 1st. -Mr. E. O. Kinney has added two new horses to his livestock recently.

The Nova Scotia board of fire underwriters have agreed to advance the fire insurance rates in the province. -Messrs. W. A. Kinney and F. R. Fay are on a fishing expedition to a mountain lake south of Kingston Station.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS. -Miss George Bath returned on Saturday from New York. -Mrs. W. W. Scoble, left on Saturday for a visit in the United States.

A remarkable illustration of the development of the Salvation Army operations is given by a glance at the history of what is known as the "Self Denial Effort," an annual event which this year falls on the date from May 26th to June 1st, inclusive.

New Advertisements. COMING! RAVEL'S Spectacular Pantomime Humpty Dumpty at the Court House, SATURDAY MAY 18th

AMATEUR PHOTOGRAPHERS' SUPPLIES. Cameras, Plates, Paper, Toning and Developing Solutions. Free Use of Dark Room to Customers.

A NEW Grocery with a new and complete stock of Staples and Fancy Groceries, fresh and clean, ought to be a good store to purchase the family table supplies at.

New Advertisements. LOST. At Carlton's Corner, near Walker's Brook on Saturday, 27th ult., a trace from a double harness. Finder will confer a favor by leaving at the Monitor office or with F. H. Johnson, Carlton's corner.

WANTED. A Man and Woman are wanted in Annapolis County to assist in the collection of the Dominion Coal Co. dues from the miners in the county.

WARREN GUY, 212 1-4. Will stand at the Grand Central station, Bridgetown, on May 15th, and every two weeks thereafter, from 10 o'clock to 12 o'clock.

The Bridgetown Importing House OUR CASH SALE OF READY-MADE CLOTHING Begins this week. We reduce sixty-three \$8 All-Wool Tweed Suits to \$5.00. J. W. BECKWITH.

NEW SPRING GOODS JOHN LOCKETT & SON'S SUITS. A suit that suits is worth having. There is so much in the intrinsic value of Ready-to-Wear Clothing that one is indeed fortunate to get a genuine bargain.

THE PEOPLE'S STORE Spring Styles in Hats, Coats & Costumes. YOU WILL FIND A FULL LINE OF Fine Millinery and Ladies' Goods At MRS. HAVEY'S on Queen Street.

B. M. WILLIAMS' Is the place to buy Easter Beef. A REWARD OF \$5.00 is offered to any person who gives information concerning the whereabouts of a brown and white rabbit dog, cross between beagle and foxhound, and answering to the name of "Rattler."

The Australian Federation. The parliament of the Australian Commonwealth has been opened with an amount of circumstance which throws entirely into the shade the modest birth of our own institutions.

The Bridgetown Electric Light Heat & Power Co. have the poles on hand for the extension of the lighting system under the new contract which commences not later than August 1st.

Summer Millinery. Millinery Novelties, Up-to-date styles in Ready-to-wear Hats and Suits. MISS A. CHUTE'S. Next door to Sancton's Jewellery.

As an inducement to get customers to try a pound tin of Oxford Baking Powder, we offer to the purchaser of the tin containing the number five as the prize.

PHOTOS! The Photo Saloon formerly run by E. J. Lumsden is re-opened on Thursday, May 16th. I am prepared to do photographing in all its branches.

HELLO BILL! I have just returned after taking a course in the C. B. B. and I am prepared to attend to the wants of the public in my line of profession.

Canada's Mining Fever. Canada has had its day of mining fever, and the cost is now being reckoned, with results that will amaze people who have not paid close attention to the work of company promoters.

The London Imperial Moving Picture, giving views of the funeral procession of Her late Majesty, is to be shown at the Court House here on Wednesday next, May 22nd, under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A.

The McCormick Mowers and Rakes! These goods speak for themselves, obtaining the highest awards both at the Paris Exposition and at the London Exhibition.

Every Farmer should spray his crops for the destruction of insect and fungus pests. The increase in the yield and quality of sprayed crops over the unsprayed is phenomenal.

BEELER & PETERS, Music Building, Opposite 1st Office Bridgetown, May 15th, 1901.

Photographer, GRANVILLE STREET, BRIDGETOWN.

PROF. WM. JACKSON, K. B. B. I remain yours truly,

The American Cup Challenger. Sir Thomas Liffon's new American cup challenger, Shamrock II, was fitted up last week. The new challenger proved far more superior to the old boat in reaching and pointing, although when racing from the latter was able to hold her own in good style.

The Spramoter is the most satisfactory machine for spraying. It is a practical machine for practical purposes and no farm should be without one.

AGENT FOR N. S. Carriage Co.'s Carriages. There are none better in Canada. Massey-Harris Farm Implements of every description, including Plows, Harrows, Cultivators, Tractors, Mowers, etc.

WAREHOUSES on Church Road near Granville St., Bridgetown, N. S.

Practical Talks and Plain Precepts for Farmers.

Edited for the farmer readers of the MONITOR by an Annapolis Valley Agriculturist.

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Every plant needs for its food something which contains the elements which go to make up the tissues of the plant. Every plant also needs food peculiar to itself, and different in kind and quantity from other plants.

When we say that our land has been impoverished by this kind of cropping, it means that only partly true. It is impoverished only in the sense that the soil is poorer in the elements of the ready made plant food.

Soil Manure. This process is going on in nature every day. We are seeing on our farms the rocks of twenty centuries ago, and countries hence, our bodies, which we regard as manures will be by and through their disintegration, giving nourishment to growing crops in their turn.

Every twenty rods both east and west and north and south, an open space is left for a roadway, which is the best of the best. In the space marked "X" this system gives 320 trees to the acre.

Advanced Farming. Around the store of many a country store during the stormy winter days will be a small book, the cover of which is printed with the words "The Farmer's Almanac."

Just now when so many of our farmers are clearing away the manure from their yards and cellars and getting it to the fields, it is, perhaps, a judicious time to raise the point which has been proposed at the Central Experiment Farm in regard to the manure.

Paris, May 10.—Mount Vesuvius is again in a state of active eruption, and many people, scientists, students and the curious, including American tourists, are leaving Paris by every train for Naples.

Experiments with wheat. 1. For eleven years, 15 tons of rotted (rotted horse and cow) manure were applied per acre to a plot of ground, the yield of wheat for the eleven years averaged 20 3/4 bushels, with 3,700 lbs. of straw.

Parsons Pills. Do not recommend them for Biliousness, Sick Headache, Constipation, Indigestion, Liver and Bowel Complaints. They cleanse the blood of all impurities.

As the 15 tons rotted manure was what was left of a pile of over 30 tons of fresh manure it is plain to see, that when ever

Pleasant People.

Says Mr. Thackeray about that "nice boy, Clive Newcome: "I don't know that Clive is especially brilliant, but he is pleasant."

Twenty tons will rot a bushel measure per acre, average of 11 years, manure being used the last season: Mangels, 22 tons, 1,174 lbs., Turnips, 15 tons, 183 lbs.

Plan of Hillside Orchard. The orchard of R. S. Eaton, of Kentville, N. S., is of interest to fruit growers for several reasons. There is nothing finer in the whole of Canada.

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DOMINION ATLANTIC RAILWAY Steamship Lines. St. John via Digby. Boston via Yarmouth. "Land of Evangeline" Route.

BOSTON SERVICE: S.S. "Prince George." 2,600 Gross Tonnage, 7,000 Horse Power. Express from Halifax, 11.00 a.m.

Royal Mail S.S. "Prince Rupert." 1,200 Gross Tonnage, 3,000 Horse Power. ST. JOHN AND DICBY, Thursday and Saturday.

PALLOR AND LEANNESS are the evidence of deficient nourishment or defective assimilation. Puttner's Emulsion contains in small compass and in palatable form a surprising amount of nourishment and tonic virtue.

Sure to Germinate! If treated well there is not one out of the large variety of Farm, Vegetable or Flower Seeds.

PALFREY'S CARRIAGE SHOP AND REPAIR ROOMS. Corner Queen and Water Sts. Undertaker and Funeral Director.

THE FRENCH COACH STALLION FANFARE. Imported 1890 by J. W. Akins & Son, of St. John, N.S. The French Coach Stallion, Fanfare, is a magnificent specimen of the breed.

LANDS FOR SALE! Belonging to the estate of Robert E. P. Dalhousie. The property is situated in the parish of St. John's, N.S.

Keep in mind that Scott's Emulsion contains the hypophosphites. These alone make it of great value for all affections of the nervous system.

REED BROS. We are showing one of the finest and most complete stock of Furniture Novelties that has ever been seen in the town.

REED BROS. YOU Need Them NOW! FURS! Men's Coats in Wallaby, Seal, Sable, Buffalo, Brown Dog, Black Dog, Persian Lamb and Coon.

"Rival Herb Tablets" GUARANTEE RHEUMATISM, DYSPEPSIA, LIVER COMPLAINTS, HEADACHE, NEURALGIA, BRUISES, FEMALE COMPLAINTS, ALL BLOOD DISEASES.

Notice to the Public. As an authorized agent of the Herbario Botanical Company, I have the honor to announce that the following list of goods is now on hand.

FLOUR, Meal & Feed. 250 bushels, Manitoba Patent, Belmont. Bought before the rise. Will be sold at old price.

Wanted! Wanted! 5,000 Hides, 15,000 Pelts. For which the highest price will be paid. Spot Cash. These having hides will be pleased bring them to the cannery.

BLACK CROW Stove Polish. Profoundly a brilliant, lasting luster. No dirt, no dust, it's the best. For sale by all grocers everywhere.

The Household.

Best as a Cure-all. HERE ARE SOME GOOD REMEDIES FOR THE HOUSEHOLD. When a patient is not confined to the bed, it may be well, in a case of sore throat, to use a gargle.

Nothing proves better than a good dry heat to quiet pain. Hot water bags and bottles are excellent if perfectly tight. Hot sand bags are also good to place beside the patient.

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Joker's Corner.

Take away the little plankton. We shall find them more or more; For soon the dust will rise in heaped Where the mud is left behind.

What are the two best ships that the world? Contraband and friendship. If Mississippi should give Missouri her New Jersey and Florida should keep her Cape Sable, what would Delaware? Alaska (I'll ask her).

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