

THE DIGBY COURIER

CENTENNIAL EDITION

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Welcome to the Digital DIGBY COURIER

1877-1978

100th Birthday

The hundredth anniversary of the Digby Weekly Courier has brought to mind some fond memories as contained in the following historical chapter of the writer. But first, I wish to congratulate the current editor of the Courier, Mrs. J.M. (Edith) Wallis, for a job well done over the years and still being well done, good service rendered with great fortitude.

According to any record, I have at hand, the Digby Courier, in one hundred years of publication, was controlled under the same family management for 42 years, 1931 to 1973, under the control of Wallis Print Limited. The late J.J. Wallis became editor of the Courier the second time, in 1929, and at the same time of the business, which he had been running for some time previously and which became Wallis Print Limited sometime between 1929 and 1931.

I well remember the last year of the twenties when I worked in the office of the son with the husband and father of the late J.J. Wallis, the Courier. Sometime in 1928 or early 1929, the late J.J. Wallis (Mac), son of "J.J." engaged me to work every day after school hours, Saturdays, and for some months after full time. The place of work was in the building of the present Digby town hall on First Avenue. J.J. Wallis then worked occasionally at the print shop but mostly across the street at the Courier office which was then located on land in the general area where The Royal Bank of Canada is now.

Wallis Job Print operated in 1929 with a staff of four consisting of J.J. Wallis, J.M. Wallis, Miss Eva Haynes, who later became Mrs. George Kicup, and myself. I was engaged as a printer in the left

Eva's job was to run the printing plant but mostly at the Courier office. "Mac" worked nearly full time at all the different jobs at the Job Print, and I worked at various duties, most of the time being spent at operating printing presses.

We worked ten-hour days, six days a week. "J.J." and "Mac" sometimes worked overtime. I worked only the regular hours being paid a weekly wage which was comparatively good for those times and my lack of experience. I received four or five dollars a week for working after school hours to six o'clock and on Saturday all day, and nine dollars a week for full weeks after finishing school. A two or three dollar a week raise was offered to me in the fall of 1929 for me to stay on at printing, but I had made up my mind to enter a branch of the Royal Bank of Canada, starting salary of \$300. The bank salary figured out about the same per hour as for the printing job. Nevertheless, the congenial atmosphere of the printing plant those days, and, experience however short, were helpful and appreciated by me.

"J.J." was very jovial in his occasional trip to the Job Print and did considerable kidding all in good fun. "Mac" was a witty person who mixed in a good natured sarcasm now and then for one reason or another. Eva most always had good answers to all the kidding she was called upon to take, and, generally held her own in a quiet sort of way, always busy setting type. We four all got along very well indeed. However, I do remember that some days did seem long and weary because of the monotony of some repetitious jobs.

In spite of the great demand for printing those last boom days of the twenties, business generally being brisk, it looked to me that people had to work long and hard to make any decent profit. There was

including treatment of the hands. However, nails and finger ends were used and I was soon back to work.

Now and then a printing job had a dose on parchment paper which required a special kind of printers' ink which smelled very bad those days. I always dreaded it when "Mac" would do that job on the largest press, in spite of the fact that we always opened an outside door to lessen the effects on the constitution.

One of the jobs I had to do, being the junior and printers' devil on the staff, was to clean up now and then. One day not long after I started my job at the printing plant, I decided to clean the floor that apparently hadn't been cleaned in some considerable time.

"J.J." came along and said, "how are you making out Vince?" I assured him that I thought I was beginning to see the floor. "J.J." laughed very heartily, he thought the remark pretty good and suitable.

Sometimes the gasoline engine or a piece of machinery would refuse to work, and after "Mac" the fix-it man had patiently worked for a certain length of time to get it going again, without results, "Mac" would then stand back and cuss quite strenuously, then he would immediately start working. "See," he would say, "all it needed was a bit of cussing."

On other occasions when some gadget refused duty for me and, seemed to be broken, "Mac" would say, "use a little oil," and sure enough, often that is all it took. How often since, have I thought of the value of that remark and the actual need of "oil" in many life situations, applied at the right time, right place and, in the right way.

Other things that sort of stick in my memory and come to mind now and then are, like the time I told "Mac" of four teenage boys who in the spring season of 1929 got together just before dark one evening and decided to initiate the newly built outdoor Pines Hotel swimming pool which had just been filled with water. Clothes were taken off near the road just east of the pool; nobody else seemed to be around except the four boys; no thought or time for bathing suits up to the pool they went. They stood on the edge of the pool and looked at the chilly water, one soon jumped in, the rest quickly followed and across the pool they swam. "Mac" listened to the story and hardly said anything, but the next "Digby Courier" had a good story on the episode. The heading of the story went something like, "Four Boy Scouts Officially Open Pines Hotel Swimming Pool." Who were the four? Many years later they are known as: the late Dr. Earl H. Anderson, veteran of two wars (second world and Korean), was awarded the Victoria Cross; Sidney L. Smith, now prominent druggist for many years in Digby; Clayton D. Snow, Digby wholesale lobster king merchant; and myself.

As a young teenager I used to like doing some writing about different events interesting to myself and mostly for myself. One day "Mac" said to me "how about writing your version of the story told about 'The Marooning of Jerome'." I had heard and read at least two somewhat different stories about the man who was found marooned on a beach at some point on the French Shore of St. Mary's Bay, Digby County. When found this man's tongue had been cut out and his legs quite freshly amputated, were surgically well dressed and bound. He was presumably left by some vessel before dawn one morning, all for some mysterious reason.

"Jerome" appeared to have been a man of some considerable social standing and possibly of some considerable wealth. However the only thing the man could or would ever say after being found and cared for by some family in the French shore was, something that sounded like the word "Jerome". He either could not, or, would not, write anything about who he was or why he was left the way he was. Well, it was, and is, one of Digby County's mystery stories, and, different ideas have been expressed over the years concerning this man. However my response to "Mac" was, I felt no urge to write anything more or different about this man. The mystery seemed to have been very well explored in the mind of many people, and, he was a sort of curiosity for many people who visited where he lived for many years.

Three years later I was quite a bit older and was working in the street that I loved back and forth, led a boat clanking noise, powered by a small engine, and a "plur", and as I remember it, it was a "plur". "J.J." was noted for his sense of humor and was a great storyteller. In 1928 during the time Mr. Wallis was editor of the Scott Act (Prohibition Law) he was about and advocated by some people, and attached a boys' conference to the



Digby in the early days. Date on picture 1974.

Digby 172 Years Ago

Compiled by David Sanford

From the files of the Courier of January 23, 1867, the following account has been copied concerning Digby in 1800.

"Among a number of old newspapers kindly sent to us by friends is a copy of the Saint John Gazette of May, 1802, says the Telegraph and among other advertisements contained in the issue before us is one describing the town and township of Digby, and offering for sale certain lots in the town. In this area we are told the township of Digby extends from the Gulf of Annapolis westward to the extremity of the province of Nova Scotia, and contains about 130,000 acres." The town plot is thus described:

"The Town Plot is situated at the east of the township just within the entrance to Annapolis Basin, and twenty miles from Annapolis Town, and six miles across land from the head of St. Mary's Bay. This laid out from the water's edge, partly on level ground and partly on the declivity of a modern hill, dry and pleasant, and having with an eastern aspect, a view of the Annapolis Basin and its cultivated shores for twenty miles in where it terminates with the Fort and River's mouth of that name. It was settled by Loyalists from New York in 1783, the most of whom went early to farms, or, moving to older countries, left the whole

side to be bought proved by about who now reside detached, built dwellings with orchards, and some fishery and. It has communal parts of the common provisions in a cheap, built readily to be from many circumstances, probability of place of some shipbuilding, the West India a cheap and of residence.

This advertisement, dated at Digby, December, 1800, were to be a No. 100.

free trade with the U.S.A., especially with the New England States. The question was then debated by some Digby High School students one of which was "J.J.'s" daughter, Florence (now Mrs. Melvin O. Tibert, Freeport, Digby Co.) Some days after the debate a man from some part of Nova Scotia came to the printing shop looking for Florence, one of the successful debaters; I had the impression that this man was interested politically but, maybe I was wrong.

Well, I felt that I had learned considerable from my short experience at "The Wallis Job Print". I was learning to do beginner jobs, receiving some knowledge about things like: embossing, stapling, perforating, counting, cutting and trimming paper stock, mixing inks for certain desired colors, and so forth, but, the only experience I had at setting type was just enough to make a "pi", the printers name for a confused mess.

There was a taste of trying to sell job printing outside the plant. Work was a little slack one early fall day and so "Mac" said to me, "how about trying your hand at taking orders for printed personalized Christmas cards?" I tried it, made several calls around town, spent most of the time at one particular house, and got an order, but,

Years and experiments with the last time I saw him of personal interest. The last time I saw him and talked with him was, after one day when he had been wanted to visit him at his home. He had been returned from the hospital after a week's absence. I made the visit and brought him some medicine and a bottle of medicine.

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1800's

- (1810) the first elections were held in the County.
- (1837) the County of Annapolis was divided to include the County of Digby.
- Old Post Road and rural school system improved.
- Weymouth Trading Post established.
- Ship Building is a major industry in the area.
- (1879) the District of Digby was incorporated.
- (1891) the railway (the missing link) between Annapolis and Digby was completed.
- Joshua Slocum sails around the world alone.
- Temperance Movement.
- Summer Tourism Industry develops.
- I.M. Singer invents the sewing machine.
- Canadian Confederation (1867)
- Klondike Gold Rush
- The Supreme Court of Canada is established
- Florence Nightingale takes London nurses to the battlefields of the Crimean War

1900's

- Poor Farm in operation
- Isaiah Wilson's Geography and History of the County of Digby Published.
- Prime Minister Sir Wilfred Laurier visits Digby.
- Marconi transmits wireless message across the Atlantic
- Queen Victoria dies
- The Boxer Rebellion breaks out in China.
- The Boer War in Southern Africa ends

1910's

- (1912) last race of the Brattain Cup in the Annapolis Basin.
- First motorized vehicle in the area.
- Communities collect cloths and money for the war effort.
- Spanish Flue kills many in the area.
- First Calgary Stampede
- Women in Canada get the vote
- Halifax explosion
- WW1
- The Titanic Disaster
- Norwegian Roald Amundsen becomes the first to reach the South Pole.

1920's

- Motorized vehicles becoming more common.
- Last wooden ship built in Bear River.
- Electric lights installed in villages.
- Motorized vehicles becoming more common
- Canadian Schooner "Bluenose" wins the International Fisherman's Trophy
- Agatha Christie launches her career as a mystery writer.
- George Carnarvon and Howard Carter unearth King Tutankhamen's tomb

1930's

- Economic Depression.
- Rural electric lines being installed.
- Electric lights installed in villages.
- Highway paving projects underway.
- First crossing of the Princess Helene Ferry.
- Rum running along the coast.
- Rum running in its heyday
- Dionne quintts born in Ontario
- Movie "King Kong" released starring Canadian Fay Wray
- WW II begins

1940's

- Digby home to WWII submarine base.
- CFB Cornwallis largest training base in the Commonwealth.
- Scallop Industry expands.
- Hog farming expands.
- Population decline in rural communities.
- Newfoundland enters confederation
- UN Formed
- U.S. planes drop atomic bombs on Hiroshima and Nagasaki
- Orson Welles' film Citizen Kane, premieres

1950's

- Bus service along the Digby Neck.
- Population in villages continue to decline. NORAD formed with USA
- National Ballet of Canada founded
- Bear River Power Plant built
- Korean War
- Smoking linked to lung cancer
- Sputnik launched
- Castro takes over power in Cuba
- Elizabeth II coronation - Queen of England

1960's

- Sissiboo Power Plant built.
- Kejimikujik Park established.
- Conners Brothers Fish Cannery Plant closes in Freeport.
- Fish Meal Plant opens in Mink Cove.
- Weymouth Industries closure.
- Bear River Village Fire.
- Canada celebrates 100th birthday
- Pierre Trudeau sworn in as Prime Minister
- Bay of Pigs invasion
- Thalidomide deformities revealed
- Cuban Missile Crisis
- John F. Kennedy assassinated
- Demonstrations against Vietnam War

1970's

- Evangeline Mall built.
- New CN Ferry Terminal built.
- Ground Hog Day Storm.
- Municipal Airport opens.
- Hwy 101 completed to Digby.
- First Computer used.
- Jones Bottling Plant burns in Weymouth
- War Measures Act invoked
- Pierre Laporte murdered
- Canada-Soviet Summit Series in hockey begins
- Quebec language legislation (Bill 101) passes
- Munich massacre at the Olympics
- Rock stars Jimi Hendrix and Janis Joplin die.
- At Kent State University in Ohio, protesting students are killed by National Guardsmen

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Plain and Fancy China Was never so large, consisting
endless variety, 10c. to 60c. F.S. and SAUCERS, from 10c.
TEA SETS, from 55c. to \$2.90; DISH
TEA SETS, BERRY DISH

Hanging Lamps from \$2.10 to \$6.00
Fancy Table Lamps from 70c. to \$5.00

FANCY ROCKERS In Rattan and Oak, \$2.15 to 2.50. CHILD'S COMBINED WRITING DESK, GENTS' EASY CHAIRS, WRITING DESK and BOOK CASE in Oak only \$12.75. What more useful present for a lady than one of our Astrachan

They range from \$5c. to \$19.00.
1.25. Novelties in LADIES' TIES
cluding Plain and Initial Silk Har
MEN'S NECK

Men's Neck Derby Ties, put up one in a box. Special make at a special price.

Men's Lined and Unlined Gloves From 75c. to \$2.00

We can only describe a very few to see them. We can save you most of the desirable lines we have to offer for the Christmas tree that many lines.

Our 10c. Counter
Is chock full of Great **J. L. Peters**

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DISBY, AND BOSTON VIA YARMOUTH
"LAND OF EVANGELINE" ROUTE
See what we have to offer you in

On and after Wed., Jan. 1st, 1902,
the Steamship and Train service at
this Railway will be as follows:

Trains will Arrive at Digby:

(SUNDAY EXCEPTED.)
Express from Halifax.....12.30 P. M.
Express from Yarmouth.....11.20 A. M.
+Accom. from Yarmouth.....4.32 P. M.
Accom. from Annapolis Mon-
day, Wednesday, and

Trains will Leave Digby:
(SUNDAY EXCEPTED)
Saturday... 8.50 A.
Accom. from Annapolis Tues-
day, Thursday Saturday... 7.01 A. M.

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| Express for Yarmouth | 11.35 A. M. |
| Express for Halifax | 12.45 P. M. |
| Accom. for Annapolis | 4.40 P. M. |
| Accom. for Yarmouth | 7.11 A. M. |
| Accom. for Annapolis (Monday, Wednesday, and Saturday) | 3.20 P. M. |

Royal and U S Steamships
BOSTON, 1649 Tons, 3945 H P

Leave Yarmouth, N. S. Wednesday, and Saturday, immediately on arrival of the Express Train, arriving in Boston early the morning. Returning, leave Long Wharf, Boston, Tuesday and Friday, at 2.30 p. m.

R. M. S. Prince Rupert

1300 gross tonnage, 3,000 horse power"
St John and Digby, Monday, Wednesday and Saturday
 Leaving St. John arriving in Digby at 9:45 a. m. Returning will leave Digby 1:00 p. m. and arrive in St. John at 3:45 p. m.

Bureau of Rail Road
Engineers Between **Halifax** and **Yarmouth**, where close connection is made with the **Halifax** and **Yarmouth** roads.
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Mechanical Toys.

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The New

Year.

We take this opportunity of
thanking our numerous cus-
tomers for their very liberal
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D. F. DUNHAM

With our new Cash System
which we will shortly introduce,
we expect to double
our cash sales for this year.

Wishing you, one and all, a happy and prosperous New Year, we remain,

Yours very truly,
South End Grocery.
 O. FAIRWEATHER, - Proprietor.
 Telephone No. 14.

NOTICE.

Thereby giving the Municipal Council the District of Dugby, to meet at the Court House, in Dugby, for the dispatch of business, on TUESDAY, the 20th day of January next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon. By order,
W. B. B. H. T.
Clerk of Municipality.

**Stops the Cough
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Lozative Bromo-Quinine Tablets cure a cold
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We



H. E. JONES,

Tiverton.

Mrs. C. Stella Outhouse is visiting old friends in this town.

Miss Rita Outhouse is expected home after a few months visit to the States.

Our merchants have all had a good trade the last year and hope the year of 1902 will be better.

Mr. D. McLean and daughter have returned home to Weston, after spending a long time with old friends.

Louise Ross, are coming home. Their school has just returned from the French shore with lumber and wood.

Schr. A. B. Parker is ready for St. John with fresh loads. The boats have done well since commencing, have made some runs in the night.

Mr. Lyman H. Outhouse has bought the schooner Bay Queen. Capt. John McKay and Mr. Outhouse have gone to bring her home with a load of coal.

Mr. A. Hunsbaker, our butcher, is busily engaged in the business. The ceremony taking place at three o'clock for several weeks, selling mostly at Westport and Westport town.

We have now our old pastor, Rev. E. B. Jones, with us again. He has been absent about fifteen years. They are now comfortably situated both he and his good wife, in Mrs. Faranworth's house.

The roads at present are in a fearful condition through the island; the result of so much late road work. There should be some way provided by the municipal council to stop this late road work as it is a great inconvenience to the travelling public and greatly interferes with the progress of the mail service.

On Sunday, Dec. 29th, a very interesting event took place at the home of Isiah VanTassel, Esq., of this town. His youngest daughter, Miss Ella F. VanTassel, was married to Mr. George L. Saloway, of this place. The bride and groom were unattended. The bride looked charming in a French grey suit of black cloth and white cashmere waist trimmed with satin lace and ribbon, with hat and gloves to match. The ceremony was performed by Rev. E. C. Ford in the presence of only intimate friends, after which a supper was served and the happy couple left for their newly furnished home with many wishes for future prosperity.

Brighton.

Dr. Eager returned on Monday from his trip to Halifax.

The social in the vestry of the Baptist church on New Year's Eve was well attended.

Mrs. J. E. Reop left on Christmas for San Francisco where she expects to visit her husband.

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Of the beautiful and useful sort are ready for you in our big stock of Toilet Articles. We have a nice line in

PERFUMES put up in attractive form, the most attractive.

A Kodak or Plate Camera will make an excellent Xmas gift. Call and see them.

High quality goods at reasonable prices.

Chemist and Druggist.

Telephone No. 21.

Miss Edith M. Bacon expects to accompany her sister when she returns to St. John on Saturday next.

The drop in kerosene may be a good thing for some people but there is one person in this place who fails to see the point.

We were all much pleased last week to see the guest of Mr. Wade VanBlarcom.

Mr. Fred Hutchinson is doing a flourishing trade in Bishop pippins this winter. We hope he will not be disappointed in his expectations.

Sandy Cove

A happy and prosperous New Year to the Courier staff.

Mr. Ford of St. John, is the guest of Mrs. Eugene Leary.

Mr. McLean, jeweler, and daughter, were registered at the Sandy Cove Hotel this week.

Mr. John Morehouse spent Christmas in Prospect, the guest of his sister, Mrs. St. Clair Brown.

There was a number of people on the sick list. We are sorry to report that Mr. Adams, who has been ill for some time, is no better.

Mr. J. A. Delaney, principal of the schools at Great Village, Colchester Co., is spending his vacation here, the guest of Rev. and Mrs. J. C. Morse.

The weather we are having at present may be rather discouraging to the owners of the fast horse-flesh around town. It is to be hoped that the old trotting park, the Lake, will soon be in condition for some sport in that line.

Westport

Miss Bessie Gates is on the sick list.

Mr. R. W. Ford is in town for a few days.

Miss Ruth Perry is at Mr. Ernest Colburn's.

Mr. Frank Titus paid a flying visit here last week.

Stearns and R. Crane was in for a harbor Sunday.

Mr. William Kempton and wife are visiting relatives here.

Steam trawler Harbinger put in for a harbor Saturday night.

Schr. Urban R., Capt. Elias, is in for a harbor home on Monday last.

Mr. Lee Elliott, who spent Xmas at Mrs. Robert Cameron's, returned home Saturday.

Mr. Wallace Cogins, who has been very ill, we are glad to state, is somewhat improved in health.

Sachs, Parnell O. Harris, Capt. Snow and Samuel R. Crane, Capt. Apt, left for Westport on the 28th inst.

The people in this county will be surprised.

New Steamship Companies

Mr. Messrs. Robert Thompson, J. H. Thompson, Percy W. Thompson, Al. Thompson, and R. T. Lewis, of St. John give notice that they will apply for incorporation in the Dominion of Newfoundland as the Newfoundland Steamship Company, Ltd. The capital stock of the firm is \$250,000, of which \$100,000 has been paid up. The company is to be incorporated in the Dominion of Newfoundland.

Will Adopt Marconi's System

LONDON, Dec. 30.—The system of electric telegraphy, by which messages are sent by means of electric currents, is to be adopted by the Marconi system.

United States vs. Germany

LONDON, December 30.—A communication on the London Times statement from Washington that persons of considerable importance in official circles there profess to believe that war between the United States and Germany is inevitable, the St. James' Gazette, though it does not believe that such a disaster will be allowed to occur over the Atlantic, says that if it does there will be no doubt that English sympathies will be with America.

To Cure a Cold in One Day.

Take LAXATIVE BROWN ONION TABLETS. All cases of colds, coughs, and bronchitis, and all other ailments of the throat and lungs, are cured by the use of these tablets. The tablets are made of pure brown onion, and are the only remedy of the kind.

Abandoned Too Soon.

HIGHLAND LIGHT, Mass., December 29.—The three-masted schooner *Maude* of Bangor, Me., with a general cargo, was abandoned off Cape Cod, and crew of the *Maude* station was promptly on the scene and to the dark, the vessel being unable to discover that the vessel was abandoned, first two shot lines over her. When daylight came it was seen that there was no one on board. The vessel's bowprit is gone with everything attached to it. Her fore, main and mizzen sails are hoisted. The vessel's boat drifted ashore on the beach. Late the vessel broke up and the wreckage scattered along the beach. Strong southeast gale with rain and rough sea prevails.

Big Jewelry Robbery

\$200,000 WORTH OF DIAMONDS, PEARLS AND OTHER JEWELS STOLEN FROM WESTPORT, N. Y.

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—Last night it was learned that Mr. and Mrs. Paul C. Thebaud, of Madison avenue, had been robbed of jewelry worth \$200,000. The robbery was perpetrated by a man in a fur coat, who was seen by the Thebauds, and who was seen by the Thebauds, and who was seen by the Thebauds.

Infant lay on Dead Mother's Breast

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Dec. 29.—The dead body of Mrs. George McCarthy was found in her home here today. The body was found by the police, and was found by the police, and was found by the police.

Two Hundred Were Drawn

TASOIR, Dec. 29.—A water supply of 200,000 gallons was drawn from the town of Tasoir, Morocco, for the purpose of the water supply.

Will be a Total Loss

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., Dec. 28.—The schooner *St. John's*, which was wrecked on the rocks off the coast of St. John's, Nfld., is a total loss.

Halifax Bride Murdered

BOSTON, Dec. 30.—Mrs. Bridget Ryan, who was married to a man in Halifax, was murdered in the city of Boston.

Marconi in Montreal

MONTREAL, Dec. 30.—Marconi arrived in Montreal this evening from London, and will be in the city for a few days.

Death From Smallpox in Halifax

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You can buy Best American Oil at
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Do not fail to look at their 10c. Counter and their great display of Xmas. Goods. They will sell the balance of their Winter Jackets away down. They are headquarters for

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May Be Extensive Strike

DORRIN, N.H., December 30.—Assuming that they have been paid less than other workmen employed on the same job, the cotton mill workers here are likely to obtain further conference with Agent Fish, 300 weavers at the Company's cotton mills here struck today.

As the strikers have the sanction of their national organization, it is feared that the entire mill forces of the country may number from 3,800 to 4,900, will become involved if a settlement is not speedily reached.

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NOTICE.

I hereby given that the Municipal Council for the District of Dufferin, will meet at the Court House, in Dufferin, for the despatch of business, on TUESDAY, the Fourteenth day January 1922, at ten of the clock in the forenoon.

By order,
 W. B. NEWART,
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REMANANT SALE.

Our annual sale of ends and remnants which always follows at our store after stock-taking will commence

Wednesday, Jan. 22, 1902

Our store will be open at 9 o'clock, a. m.

CASH IS KING.

We do not sit down expecting buyers to walk in uninvited, we are out after them morning, noon and night, and to get it we know we must do something for you. We offer you the remnants of our entire stock at crowd-drawing prices. Consisting of ends of—

Dress Goods, Prints, Flannelettes, Muslins, Dress Trimmings, Ready-to-Wear Hats, Neck Furs, Boots, Shoes, Rubbers, Etc.

On the first floor you will find our counters filled with remnants, the number of yards marked on each end, and the price per yd. Our

Boots, Shoes and Rubbers

will be found at the rear of our store, and in the Grocery Department.

LADIES' DEPARTMENT.

On the counters in this department ends of

HAMBURG, LACE, FURS, VELVETEENS, GLOVES, ETC., WILL BE FOUND.

High values will go at low prices during this sale. It is impossible for us to itemize every article and quote you price. Wednesday the 22nd will be the day of days. Taking advantage of it will be your duty.

Again thanking all our customers for their patronage during 1901, and soliciting your custom for 1902, we are

Yours very truly

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Christmas Goods.

Of the beautiful and useful sort are ready for you in our big stock of Toilet Articles. We have a nice line of

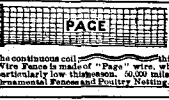
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Sgt. Sarah has gone into winter quarters.

Sgt. Collins Titus arrived home Thursday.

Mr. St. Clair Cuth has returned home after being absent on business.

Miss George Welch, who we thought was here taking orders for enlarging pictures, has just returned from St. John.

Mr. Augustus Morehouse and son Jason, were passengers by mail Thursday.

As we are soon to have wedding bells, I suppose Westport is to lose one of her young ladies.

Mr. George Clements, agent for the Singer Machine, put the town a flying visit last week.

Mr. Barker Southon, who has been visiting her parents at Yarmouth, returned home last week.

St. Westport arrived home from Yarmouth last Thursday with quite a large passenger list.

A number of young ladies and gentlemen enjoyed themselves skating on the rink for a couple of days last week.

Mr. Hathaway Collins, who has been ill for the past few weeks, is slowly improving in health, with Dr. Dias in attendance.

Sgt. Bels was taken off the rocks at Plover Island on Sunday morning the 15th inst. in a gale of wind, and docked at Plover Wharf.

The concert given by Brayley on Friday evening was quite well attended. The music between the acts was furnished

by what we can glean by the description given by the Barton correspondent, we are afraid "Wild Archie" has appeared in town.

Miss Nora Johnson returned from Westport on Tuesday last, where she has been spending a few weeks with her aunt, Mrs. St. Clair.

It is our painful duty to report the death of Mrs. Leah Smith, who died on Saturday the 10th inst. Mrs. Adams had been a sufferer for some months from the effects of paralysis. The funeral will be held on Sunday.

A bean supper was given in the hall on Saturday evening last. The proceeds were used to purchase apparatus for the school. The supper was gotten up by Principal

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More, ally assisted by Messrs. Archie Crowell and Andrew Morehouse. Quite a large number of delegates and other visitors were in town on Tuesday the 14th attending the District Convention. The annual business was transacted through the day and in the evening an open meeting was held in the Methodist church, which was well attended. A program was given by the members of St. Mary's division.

Brighton.
Mr. Fred VanBuren and Miss McDougall, who are visiting friends at Brighton.

The Workers Band will meet at Mrs. C. VanBuren's on Tuesday evening. They are doing good work.

Mr. W. H. Dyer, on his return from John to Newton, Mass., paid his many friends of Brighton and Brighton, a short visit.

Thomas R. S. Smith, left Brighton on Saturday the 11th, for St. John Business College, where he will take a full course in all its branches. His many friends wish him success.

Mr. Rankin, from the gold land, has a visit to his neighbors. Mr. Fraser and other friends of Brighton. He had a fine specimen of gold with him. And a description of the gold fields in the interior of the gold fields.

The first of 1901, Mrs. Smith, the Superintendent of the Baptist S. S. offered to give a table to the school, who attended the most Sabbath in the year. Mrs. VanBuren was present with the Bible the first Sunday of the year 1902.

North Range.
Mr. Alfred Amero met with a serious accident one day last week by cutting his foot quite badly.

Mr. W. H. Chute, the noted Keweenaw fisherman, has been on the quiet on his way to Jerusalem.

Mr. Edward Grant is confined to the house by a severe cold. His many friends hope he will soon be around again.

One of our enterprising citizens intends taking a course at McGill Medical College in the near future. We wish him success.

Mr. Melvin McNeill and Mr. John Trevelyan, a flying trip to Riverview on important business Saturday, returning on Monday.

Captain Edward (Grafton) passed through here on Monday en route to Bear River to join his ship, which will soon sail for Buenos Ayres.

Central Grove.
Mr. Sarah J. Merrill visiting friends here last week.

Mr. Charles Bates is spending a few weeks with his sister, Mrs. W. H. Thibault. Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Guyer, on the arrival of a daughter, Jan. 5th.

Mr. Harry Addison, of Little River, gave a Grand Opera concert, here in the hall last Friday evening.

Mrs. Jane Thibault has gone to Westport to spend a few weeks with her daughter, Mrs. James Morrill.

After a winter of confinement, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Little's dramatic company, presenting "The World and the Flesh," has been in town for a few days, and has been very successful.

Many Inaugurate Surrender.
MANILA, Jan. 15.—The full surrender of the forces of Gen. Macarayan (who, with Major Caban, and other officers, had been in the hands of the insurgents since the capture of Manila on Jan. 1st), occurred today at Taal, Batangas province. The insurgents' leaders, including Gen. Macarayan, were taken to the city of Manila, where they will be held in custody.

The Filipinos surrendered include three colonels, one major, five captains and one lieutenant. All are being held in custody. The surrender was a complete one, and the Filipinos are now in the hands of the government.

A Serious Matter.
We clip the following from an exchange in reference to the assessment of the town of Windsor, N. S., for 1902: "Windsor, N. S., Jan. 15.—The town of Windsor, N. S., for 1902, has been assessed at \$1,250.17. Last year's assessment was \$1,100.00. This gives a decrease of \$150.17. The assessment is a serious matter. Last year the rate was \$1.50 per hundred, and it is feared this will have to be increased."

A Big Deal.
YOUNGSTOWN, O., Jan. 14.—The Bessemer Association yesterday closed a deal to sell 100,000 tons of Bessemer standard iron to the steel works at Yarnmouth, N. S., for \$1.15 a ton. The sale price for the last lot was sold at \$1.10 a ton. The deal is a big one, and the Bessemer Association is very pleased with the result.

Test Vaccination Law.
ST. JOHN, Jan. 13.—Several propositions of persons refusing to be vaccinated, began in the police court today. The only defendant, who defied the law, was Dr. Russell Jack, who was fined \$100. The court is very strict in enforcing the law.

South African Market.
OTTAWA, Jan. 15.—Authority has been secured from the war office that the 100,000 tons of general merchandise, which was chartered for the imperial government to carry heavy flour, oats, etc., Canadian manufacturers will then get a grand chance to open up new markets.

Tired of Quarantine.
ST. JOHN, Jan. 13.—Mr. McGrath, secretary of the Queen Street Methodist church, who was confined to his bed by a severe cold, has been discharged from the hospital, and is now at home.

A Long Walk.
WINNIPEG, Jan. 15.—Capt. Woodhouse, formerly quarter master sergeant of the British police in the Yukon, has been through here yesterday on his way to join the C. M. R. at Halifax. He walked the entire distance from Winnipeg to here, a distance of about 400 miles.

Prominent Men Dead.
MONTREAL, Jan. 15.—J. H. Isaacson, for the past twenty-four years general secretary of the League of Quebec, A. F. and A. M., died at his home in Montreal on Saturday last. He was a prominent man in the community.

An Editor's Daughter.
OTTAWA, Jan. 13.—Miss Florence Cameron, one of the daughters of the late John Cameron, editor of the London Standard, died at her home in London on Saturday last. She was a prominent woman in the community.

Next Year's Biscuit Team.
OTTAWA, Jan. 15.—Colonel A. P. Sherwood, 43rd regiment, has been appointed as commandant of next year's Biscuit Team. Captain W. Davidson, 8th Rifles, would likely get the adjutant.

Rebels Sentenced.
CAPE TOWN, Jan. 14.—Two rebels who were convicted of taking up arms against the government at Port Elizabeth, were sentenced to ten and five years' penal servitude respectively.

Big Fleet is Planned.
LONDON, Jan. 12.—A powerful British American syndicate has been planned to build a fleet of refrigerator steamers to sail weekly between New York and Boston. The project is the outcome of a proposal to establish a line between New Orleans and Bristol. The line is proposed to be operated by the British American Syndicate, Messrs. Fry, the chocolate manufacturers, and Messrs. W. H. & J. Fry, the confectioners.

On the wall back of the guests' table was a black table with electric lights forming the letters and word "MARCONI." Two smaller tables, same distance apart, bore similar arrangements. The tables were arranged in the shape of a "V" on the floor.

The menu cards was a half-ton picture of the inventor in the center of a scene representing the transmission of the ocean cables. The letter "S" was the letter used in making the record signal.

The only formal address was that by President Charles Protton Steinmetz, Signor Marconi, Professor Thompson and Dr. Michael I. Pupin. Thomas A. Edison wrote that he would like to be present as he would like to meet the young man who had the monumental audacity to attempt and succeed in carrying out the electrical wave clear across the Atlantic.

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Parliament Called.
AN EXTRA OF THE CANADA GAZETTE WITH THE USUAL PROCLAMATION WILL BE ISSUED AT ONCE.

OTTAWA, Jan. 11.—At a meeting of the Cabinet, today, it was decided to summon Parliament to meet on February 19th. The business of the session will be the despatch of business on the date mentioned.

It is expected that the session will be a short one, as no legislation of a constitutional character is likely to be introduced. Another reason for a short session is that there will be a common election on the part of the members of both sides of the house to facilitate the work of the session in 1903.

Childhood Indigestion.
OFTEN LEADS TO SERIOUS TROUBLE UNLESS PROMPTLY TAKEN TO CURB. IT SHOWS THAT CAN BEHOLD ME DOWN.

Indigestion is a trouble that is very common in infancy and early childhood, and unless prompt measures are taken to control it the result is often very serious. It prevents the proper growth of the child and weakens the constitution, so that he is unable to resist other diseases that are more dangerous.

Fortunately, however, the trouble is one that is easily controlled. Proper food—not too much, but absolutely pure—plenty of fresh air, and Baby's Own Tablets, freely administered according to their directions, will soon put the sufferer on his feet, and both mother and child happy.

Leaves Salvation Army.
GENERAL BODLEY'S DAUGHTER AND SON IN-LAW JOIN THE DOWNSIDE.

LONDON, Jan. 15.—The Central News learns that owing to grave doctrinal differences, General Bodley's son-in-law and daughter, and Mrs. Bodley, have resigned from the Salvation Army. The resignation was accepted by the General.

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Our Stocktaking is over and our bargain sale will begin on

MONDAY MORNING, January 20th,

Which will consist of all lines of goods. Below are mentioned a few.

DRESS GOODS, CLOTHS, WAIST SILKS, LADIES'

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NOTICE.

All persons having legal demands against the estate of the late John A. Smith, deceased, are required to present them to the undersigned on or before the 15th day of February next.

James M. Keen.

Notary Public for the County of Digby, N. S.

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OUR SCHOOL SYSTEM.

We copy in this issue a letter from the Halifax Herald of the 20th inst., addressed to the Council of Public Instruction and signed by the name of "Josephus Tobin." This letter has received comment in the editorial columns of the Halifax Chronicle. In the course of its remarks that journal says: "We must candidly confess our belief that, rightly or wrongly, the opinion expressed in the letter is one entertained by a great majority of the people of Nova Scotia including not a few of our most thoughtful educators." Thereupon it goes on to express its own opinion and to invite expressions of opinion from educators and others interested from all parts of the province.

Several responses to this invitation have appeared during the past week in both Halifax papers. All, with but one trifling exception, support the "sentiments" contained in the letter which we quote and exhibit beside many other objectionable features. For ourselves, though not convinced enough with the details of our school system to express our own views, we are not inclined to dissent from the conclusions reached by the majority of the Halifax papers. We are not inclined to dissent from the conclusions reached by the majority of the Halifax papers.

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That this state of affairs may be sooner remedied we feel induced by the importance to urge all who are fully aware of the unsuitability of the present system and are desirous of seeing it improved to publish their testimony now while the matter is warm before the public. Only in this way may the "powers" be influenced to grant us reform.

THE GERMAN PRINCE.

Great preparations are projected, if not really under way, for the reception of Prince Henry, brother of the German Emperor, who in a few weeks will visit the United States. The interest there is some intimation from the German Emperor that he does not desire the Prince to be specially recognized by the German Empire. In some of the larger American cities there are German societies of many kinds. In Philadelphia there are said to be five hundred of these, and by union among themselves they could get up a great demonstration. But the Prince is coming to America to visit the Americans and not the Germans. Perhaps, too, it may be good policy not to display publicly the number of Germans who have left their Fatherland to visit the republic. The Massachusetts State Board of Trade is inviting the Prince to Boston in March.

The King of Italy has conferred the order of St. Lazarus on Signor Marconi, and when Marconi, after he has returned to his native land, his invitation is addressed at his Fatherland, he will wish there no such thing as a kindly decoration of the world.

Without Shelter.

We copy the following from the Digby Monitor, which does not reflect credit on the Digby community. There was considerable excitement here on Saturday night, when it was discovered that a young girl who had been in contact with a case of smallpox, was in town. The girl, who was named Mary, was the daughter of a family in the town of Digby. She had been in contact with a case of smallpox, and was now in town. The girl, who was named Mary, was the daughter of a family in the town of Digby. She had been in contact with a case of smallpox, and was now in town.

Gleanings.

Mr. J. K. Trask, proprietor of John Street Market, Yarmouth, has our thanks for a very valuable contribution of sign of which is very appropriate. The sign is a small one, but it is a very valuable one. The sign is a small one, but it is a very valuable one.

Smallpox at Annapolis.

Two more cases of smallpox have been reported at Annapolis. Charles Brown, an employee in the Annapolis station at Digby, who had been at Annapolis, is now in Digby. The other case is a young man named John, who is also in Digby. The other case is a young man named John, who is also in Digby.

Death of H. Crosskill, Esq.

LATE DEPUTY PROVINCIAL SECRETARY DIED AT HIS HOME WEDNESDAY NOON.

We regret this week to chronicle the death of Herbert Crosskill, Esq., late Deputy Provincial Secretary, who died at his residence, Queen street, at one o'clock Wednesday afternoon after an illness of several months. The deceased was born in Halifax in February, 1827, and was the son of the late John Crosskill, and grand-son of Capt. Crosskill, who at one time owned all the land on which the town of Digby is now situated. Mr. Crosskill was a member of the Nova Scotia Yacht Club, and was a very popular man in the town. He was a member of the Nova Scotia Yacht Club, and was a very popular man in the town.

Fire at Weymouth.

Two fires occurred at Weymouth Wednesday within a couple of hours, but the buildings were not damaged. The first fire broke out on the roof of J. Boyd McNeill's house, and the second fire broke out on the roof of the same house. The fires were caused by a defective chimney, and the buildings were not damaged.

An Explanation.

On the third page will be found a letter from Capt. Andrew McNeill, master of the yacht Salut, during last week's regatta. The letter was written to explain the course of the yacht, and the results of the regatta. The letter was written to explain the course of the yacht, and the results of the regatta.

Town Elections.

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Digby Vessels Sold.

Shoemaker Cutler, 63 tons, built at Shelburne in 1883, and owned by Capt. John Sims, Sydney and others, was sold to the Government for the purpose of being used as a tugboat. The vessel was sold to the Government for the purpose of being used as a tugboat.

Private Telephone Lines.

Mr. Edwin Langille, of Springfield, N.S., has just completed a private telephone line to his home in Digby. The line is a private one, and is not connected to the public system. The line is a private one, and is not connected to the public system.

Cablegram from Mr. Bidden.

On Saturday evening, says the Annapolis Press, Mr. Bidden received a cablegram from his brother, Mr. Bidden, who is now in South Africa. The cablegram was received from his brother, Mr. Bidden, who is now in South Africa.

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Death of Mr. Robert Smith.

We copy the following from the St. John's Telegram: Robert Smith, aged 68 years, died at his home in St. John's, Nfld., on Saturday, January 25th. The death was caused by a heart attack. The death was caused by a heart attack.

New Ad. This Week.

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Officers for 1902.

The following officers were appointed at the annual meeting of the Digby Board of Trade: President, J. K. Trask; Vice-President, J. K. Trask; Secretary, J. K. Trask; Treasurer, J. K. Trask. The following officers were appointed at the annual meeting of the Digby Board of Trade.

Miserable Claimant Carried Dead.

On Tuesday, 26th, from the residence of J. K. Trask, at 230 o'clock, Coach No. 1 was carried dead. The coach was carried dead, and was not able to move. The coach was carried dead, and was not able to move.

OF A LOCAL NATURE.

Little Paragraphs Which Tell of the News Round About Town.

NEWS GATHERED DURING THE WEEK.

AND RECORDED IN BRIEF FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE PUBLIC.

The Digby Cornet Band.

The Digby Cornet Band will play the carnival music which will be held on the north end of the town. The band will play the carnival music which will be held on the north end of the town.

The weather has been cold this week.

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Great Bargains in Boots and Shoes.

Commencing Feb. 1st, and continuing throughout the month, we will make sweeping reductions in all lines of

WINTER FOOTWEAR.

We have also a lot of general lines, only a few sizes in each lot, which will be sold at 25 per cent. discount; they are not shop worn goods by any means, but good serviceable shoes, every pair a genuine bargain. We are determined to clear out a lot of our stock before our new goods arrive, and have therefore put them at a price that they are bound to go. Don't wait until the best shoes are gone but come at once and see if we have not just what you want. The price will surprise you.

DIGBY BOOT & SHOE STORE.

H. B. SKOTT, Proprietor.

LAST WEEK I SOLD

Thirty-one boxes of Twenty-two bottles of Jenner's Headache Wafers, Twenty-two bottles of Jenner's Liniment, Twenty-two bottles of Jenner's White Pine and Tar Syrup, and Twenty-two bottles of Jenner's Imperial Plate Polish.

A lot of one hundred and thirty-three sales of my own preparations.

which realized nearly thirty-four dollars. Besides the articles above enumerated, I sold quantities of Colman's Mustard, Hair Restorer, Hairbrush, and Fruit Salt. I traced four orders for Headache Wafers to one lady who has been relieved by the use of mine, and recommended them to her friends.

If That Cough

Proves obstinate and refuses to leave you, try a bottle of our White Pine and Tar Syrup. It is a bottle of our White Pine and Tar Syrup. It is a bottle of our White Pine and Tar Syrup. It is a bottle of our White Pine and Tar Syrup.

DRUGS, CHEMICALS, TOILET ARTICLES, SUN DRIES AND PERFUMES.

of which we are carrying a very nice line in bulk. Special attention given to dispensing.

H. E. JONES, Pharmaceutical Chemist.

Cor. Sydney and Water Sts., Phone 12.

Page Woven Wire Fence.

The reliable fence for holding stock, fencing gardens, and for all other purposes. The fence is made of wire, and is very strong. The fence is made of wire, and is very strong.

Special Ad. Locals.

WANTED—100 cords hard wood, and 60 cords of soft, at D. & O. Spruill's. Now is the time to insure your property against fire. For particulars apply to Mr. J. K. Trask, at 230 o'clock.

Red Advertisers.

A number of farmers are enquiring about red admen as a ben fond, long article in the Western Druggist. The article is a very good one, and is worth reading. The article is a very good one, and is worth reading.

Lady R. Wins.

A special telephone message to the Courier last evening, stated that Capt. Manning Trask's Lady R. won the second place in the race. The lady won the second place in the race, and was very happy. The lady won the second place in the race, and was very happy.

To the Electors of the Town of Digby.

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On all our regular lines of Heavy-Winter Goods, including Ladies' Fur Coats, Caps, Collars and Muffs, Ladies' Winter Coats and Capses, Heavy-Winter Cloths, Men and Boys' Overcoats, Ulsters, and Reefers, Fur Robes and many other lines,

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A LADIES' WINTER COAT for about half price.

We thank our many friends for the very liberal patronage extended to us during the past year, and we expect to be in a position this year to command even a greater share of it.

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GREAT BARGAINS IN WALL PAPERS.

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CORN MEAL. We take this opportunity of thanking our numerous customers for their very liberal patronage, for the year just closed, and hope they will continue to us for 1902.

The New Year.

With our new Cash System which we will shortly introduce, we expect to double our cash sales for this year. Wishing you, one and all, a happy and prosperous New Year, we remain, Yours very truly,

SIX NOVELS FOR 25 CENTS.

The novels are offered at the above price for sale of the year. The novels are offered at the above price for sale of the year. The novels are offered at the above price for sale of the year.

DON'T SAY A WORD.

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AM offered for sale my mare, weight 1100 lbs. Will be sold right for the owner. C. H. COSEBROM, Digby, N.S.

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She is still wondering—

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Every one who would have a clear, soft skin free from pimples, blackheads and disgusting eruptions, must use Chase's Ointment. It is a true food for the skin; does not clog the pores as do

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He—My people are bothering me to marry Miss Mayford.

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She—Oh, I don't want to marry brains and beauty. I want to marry you.

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"Young man," said the serene son, "don't you realize that the money is the root of all evil?"

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Two West India Bound Vessels Wrecked at Digby.

TELEPHONE AND ELECTRIC LIGHT WIRES BROKEN.—TOWN IN DARKNESS AFTER NINE THIRTY.—DAMAGE DONE BY WIND AND RAIN.—DAMAGES CAUSED BY THE SOUTH-EAST GALE.

One of the worst storms that has visited Digby for many years prevailed here Sunday and continued until early Monday morning. The wind, which was from the south-east, was of a force of about 40 miles an hour, and the rain fell in torrents. The damage done by the wind and rain was considerable. The telephone and electric light wires were broken, and the town was in darkness after nine thirty. The damage done by the wind and rain was considerable. The telephone and electric light wires were broken, and the town was in darkness after nine thirty.

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THE DIGBY WEEKLY COURIER, FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 1902.

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RECENT railway wrecks have raised the question as to the best material for the construction of passenger cars. The wooden cars are considered too frail and too combustible, and cars made of steel are advocated to replace them. Had the cars in the tunnel disaster in New York been of steel construction, or even strongly built of wood, the loss of life and injuries among the passengers would have been much less. In support of this view it is pointed out that the new heavy steel-built Pullman cars suffer less damage in railway crashes than the lighter wooden day coaches. Steel cars would also reduce the horrible chances of the passengers, pinned in the wreck of a train, being burned alive, as too often happens in cars made of wood. Mr. Carley, who is equipping an underground railway in London, is having all coaches made of steel, and fireproof, and his example will doubtless be followed by other passenger lines. Accidents to passengers are so extremely rare in comparison with the amount of travel, that the railway companies could not be expected to change their methods of car construction merely on this account, but steel lasts longer, is more easily kept in repair, and simply makes up in these respects for the difference in cost. Steel freight cars are rapidly coming into use, and steel passenger cars may be expected to appear soon.

KING Edward is to re-open Holyrood Palace in Edinburgh, and great preparations are being made for the occasion. The last royal resident at Holyrood was Prince Charles Edward, the "young pretender," who held court there for a short time in his invasion of Scotland in 1845. Queen Victoria and George III. and IV. made short visits to the old palace, but the last of the House of Stuart to reside there was the last sovereign to be remembered throughout Scotland to this day. Only a few of the apartments will be opened, and the King, in deference to Scottish sentiment, seeking to preserve the historical interest of the ancient pile.

HALIFAX people have become alarmed over the increase of taxation, and have organized a "Property Owners' and Ratepayers' Association," the object being to keep the ratepayers of the city government. The speakers made at the organization meeting resemble those made in other cities when civic reform was being advocated. The close of the proceedings of the ratepayers' association, that the "meeting had been cooked," but that was indignantly denied.

THE world is growing economical. A few years ago the leaves of the sugar beet which hitherto have been wasted by the sugar makers, are converted into molasses. A few years ago the millers nearly half of the timber was wasted, but not so now. We remember when the cotton seed was a nuisance, and the planter, after the cotton almost as much as the cotton itself.

ACETYLENE gas lamps are being introduced into the omnibuses of London in place of the oil lamps now in use. An acetylene light, which has been in operation for two years at the London Electric Light Co., has been the subject of a number of experiments have been tried, it is said has fully demonstrated the superiority of the light to electricity for lighting purposes. It is also much cheaper.

QUEEN Alexandra has selected the ladies Lady and Althea Gardner, daughters of Lord Broughmore, to be her train-bearers at her coronation. They are lovely little girls, and the Queen is very fond of them. Their father is best known as Mr. Herbert Gardner, a liberal politician and was president of the board of agriculture in the last parliament. His wife is the eldest sister of Lord Carnarvon.

THIRTY million stamps, bearing the portrait of King Edward, were put on sale in the post offices on New Year's day. About 200,000,000 of these stamps will be required every year while the King lives. The world has seen more portraits of the late queen than of any other person that has lived, and may it be seen as much of King Edward.

MADAME Ristori the great actress, has just celebrated her 80th birthday in Rome. She was famous before Fanny Kemble, Jenny Lind, Charlotte Cushman, Camilla Urso or any of the great actresses and singers of forty or fifty years ago had been heard of.

PROFESSOR Lodge, of Birmingham University, and Sir William Preece, late consulting electrical engineer of the British postal service, are united in the belief that the Marconi experiments as yet present nothing that the submarine cable companies have to fear.

KING Alfonso's coronation is to be commemorated by the issue of thirteen new kinds of postage stamps, each of which is to bear the head of one of the thirteen kings of the same name who has ruled over Spain.

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Stock Taking

We are now taking an account of stock, and we are laying out everything in the shape of

REMAINANTS

of every description, and marking them very low, including all broken lines and sizes of BOOTS AND SHOES, on which we are offering large Discounts.

On all our regular lines of Heavy Winter Goods, including Ladies' Fur Coats, Capes, Collars and Muffs, Ladies' Winter Coats and Capes, Heavy Winter Cloths, Men and Boys' Overcoats, Ulsters, and Hosiery, Fur Robes and many other lines,

We are making very low prices for cash in order to clear them out to make room for our large spring purchases. Remember you can buy

A LADIES' WINTER COAT for about half price.

We thank our many friends for the very liberal patronage extended to us during the past year, and we expect to be in a position this year to command even a greater share of it.

J. L. Peters

TELEPHONE NO. 24.

GREAT BARGAINS

WALL PAPERS

From Friday the 1st up to

Boots and Shoes.

Continuing throughout the month, we will make sweeping reductions in all lines of

WINTER FOOTWEAR.

We have also a lot of general lines, only a few days in each lot, which will be sold at 20 per cent. discount; they are not shop-worn goods by any means, but good serviceable shoes, every pair a genuine bargain. We are determined to clear out a lot of our stock before our new goods arrive, and have therefore put them at a price that they are bound to go. Don't wait until the best shoes are gone but come at once and see if we have not just what you want. The price will surprise you.

DIGBY BOOT & SHOE STORE.

H. B. SHORT, Proprietor.

LAST WEEK I SOLD

Thirty-one boxes of Twenty-two bottles of Seventeen 35c bottles of Twenty-nine bottles of Twenty-five bottles of Eight bottles of

A total of one hundred and thirty-three sales of my own preparations, which realized nearly thirty-four dollars. 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THE DIGBY WEEKLY COURIER

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OUR EDUCATIONAL SYSTEM.

Public interest in the question of our educational system seems to be growing apace. Three weeks since the first letter of the long and apparently endless list made its appearance in the *Halifax Herald*, and no let up yet! The remarkable interest shown bears testimony alike to the vital importance of the question and the extent of the defectiveness and faultiness that have been felt to exist. The public have long felt that the system of education and conviction was no longer keeping pace. But, though many have expressed themselves, it has always been with calmness and generally with judgment. One feature of the discussion is highly commendable. In spite of the natural, though perhaps unjustifiable, tendency to drift away from the real question into personal criticisms of the Superintendent of Education, all such has been resisted. That gentleman has been given due credit for the many improvements made during his period of office. For the time being, it is thought fitting to place that upon the Council of Public Instruction, which, it has been of little help to the superintendent, may nevertheless have been very much of a hindrance to him. That is certainly generous; let the C. I. bear the whole brunt; it is a corporate body, and the corporate body is said to have no nerves.

The school system, however, has not been spared. That part which relates to the High School course and grading system has been the subject of much criticism. The common school has received but little attention, while the inspectors and Normal School are as yet untouched. This does not signify, however, that no fault can be found with them. We believe that they are hardly on a par with those parts of the school system which have already been attacked, as far as results really value are concerned. They will doubtless come in later for a share. But so that the educational system may not receive too great a shock, it is best perhaps to let this continue yet a little while.

It would be interesting to speculate upon the outcome of this discussion. The *Halifax Morning Chronicle*, of the 8th inst., sums up what would appear to be a consensus of published opinion received by them upon the subject to date. There are different counts in this summary, which, somewhat abbreviated, is as follows: (1) public confidence in the superintendent has not been affected by the discussion; (2) the common school course of study as improved under the present regime has no serious fault; (3) the high school curriculum is fairly good, it is practically compulsory and deprives pupils from a choice of subjects suitable to their individual conditions; (4) the individual control of the common system is open to serious objection; (5) rural school sections by combining and establishing a central graded school would be a great step benefit; (6) there should be at least one inspector for each county; (7) the Council of Public Instruction should be composed of leading educational bodies of the province; (8) the method of grading by written examinations should be abandoned; (9) the conclusion (10) (11) (12) (13) (14) (15) (16) (17) (18) (19) (20) (21) (22) (23) (24) (25) (26) (27) (28) (29) (30) (31) (32) (33) (34) 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RHEUMATIC PAINS.

Caused by an Impure Condition of the Blood.

LIVERTIES AND OTHER OLD FASHIONED REMEDIES WILL NOT CURE—THE RHEUMATIC TENDENCY MUST BE REMOVED FROM THE BLOOD.

The lingering tortures of rheumatism are too well known to need description, but it is not so well known that the cause of rheumatism is an impure or diseased blood. The result is that the system is unable to dispose of the poisons which it accumulates, and these poisons settle upon the joints, causing the inflammation and pain which characterize the disease. The only thing that will really cure rheumatism is an internal medicine that will enrich the blood and flow from the joints. The surest, quickest and most effective way to do this is to take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, which are proved to be a blood purifier and a blood tonic. Rheumatism may then be cured after all other remedies have failed. The case of Mr. Philip Harris, one of the pioneers of South West, Ont., is proof of this. Although Mr. Harris is 70 years of age, he is as active and energetic as a man of 40. He has never enjoyed good health. Mr. Harris has the following to say about his illness and cure—

"For fifteen years I suffered greatly from rheumatism. At times I would have severe pains in the knees, while others the pain would spread to my hips and shoulders. I tried every remedy, but nothing would cure me. I began using Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I took eight or ten boxes and they cured me. The trouble and I am now as strong as a young man. I have a great deal of faith in the pills for I know of other cases where they have been equally as successful as in mine."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills make new, rich blood and strengthen the arteries with every dose. It is in this way that they cure such troubles as rheumatism, sciatica, neuritis, kidney and liver trouble, neuralgia, paralysis, St. Vitus' dance and erysipelas. Through their action on the blood they restore color to pale and sick cheeks and cure the ailments that make the lives of so many women miserable. The genuine always have the full name "Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People" on every box. Sold by all druggists or sent post paid at 30 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 by addressing The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Yarmouth Market Forecasts.

ARRIVES AT HALIFAX WITH CREW FROM BATTLESHIP—DEPARTURE FOR THE SEAS.

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Ladies' Muslin Under- wear

There's not a lady who can be indifferent to the grand collection of dainty styles. Underwear that we are selling this season. Our collection comprises the best, the newest, the latest and most fashionable styles, all charmingly pretty, made from Muslins, Cambrics, Long Cloths, finished with Tucks, Ruffles, Embroideries and Lace. A collection of bewitching combinations. We're sure you'll find something to your taste. Every thing we sell is worth every penny we ask for it; and we buy it at the price paid for it or we are not satisfied. We invite you to our ladies' department where you will find these goods displayed, marked in plain figures and at one price.

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Nothing appeals more to a woman than a dainty Night Robe and "daintiness" is a weak description of the garments we will show you during this sale. Our prices are 49c, 55c, 75c, 80c, \$1.00, \$1.10, \$1.15, \$1.17, \$1.25, 1.50, 1.67, 2.00, 2.19, 2.25, 2.57 each.

DRAWERS.

A good way to test the truth is to try it. Take cost of materials, the cost of trimmings (We'll throw in the sewing worry) sum them up and compare with the values we are offering during this sale. You'll be surprised at the results. We sell these drawers in all sizes, trimmed drawers at 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c, 80c, 84c, \$1.00, \$1.10, \$1.15 and \$1.35 per pair.

SKIRTS.

The plainest, simplest sort of skirts are here, and then by easy stages advancing to the fluffy, embroidered, trimmed garments which are very attractive. Our prices are 15c, 25c, 30c, 35c, 40c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.10, \$1.15, \$1.20, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.67, \$1.83, \$2.29 and \$2.35 each.

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DIGBY COUNTY NEWS.

Westport.
Sch. L. M. Ellis is here leading fish for the school.
Miss Ruth Perry has returned to her home in Freeport.
Sch. Superintendent, Capt. Peters, arrived from Lunenburg the 24th.
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Barton.
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Mrs. Eleanor Lamberton, who has been ill, is slowly improving.
Miss Stella Abbott, who is teaching at Harlow, spent Sunday last at home.
Miss Hope Abbott gave a party to her young friends on Tuesday evening last.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Dunham, of Yarmouth, are spending a few days in this place.
We are pleased to hear that Mr. Joseph Unghart is recovering from his attack of rheumatism.
Mr. E. P. Speights filled his ice house the first of February, the ice being in splendid condition for cutting.
Miss Nora Lamberton and Mr. Archie Manner, of Port Point, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Lamberton on Friday evening last.
Capt. and Mrs. C. B. Dunham celebrated their Golden Wedding on Wednesday evening, the 26th, inst. A very pleasant evening was spent. There were quite a number of guests besides other valuable ones. Some of the guests present were Miss Mary Ann, and several pieces of music were performed at the first wedding were in use at the anniversary.

Lower Granville.
Special services are being held in the Lower Granville Methodist Church.
Rev. R. N. Archibald, a natural Baptist preacher, occupied the pulpit in the Union Church last Sabbath.
The annual Methodist donation at the residence of William VanBlarcom, Esq., on the 18th inst., was a grand success. The house was crowded with guests. The amount of money collected was \$100.00, which was a record for this place.
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North Range.
The Rev. J. W. Bancroft preached here on Sunday. Quite a large number attended.
Mrs. Leslie Haight, of Rossburg, has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Haight for the past few days.
Mr. Thomas Franklin met with quite a bad accident one day last week by getting his leg jammed with a load of timber.
Mr. Jones, who has been spending a few days with Mr. Leonard Gaudin, left on the east-bound train for Digby on Monday last.
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Mr. Edward Y. Tibert returned home last week with his bride.
Miss Mary Ann, who is teaching school in this place, has been visiting her father, Mr. E. A. Walker.
Mr. Byron Delaney has gone to Halifax to the Victoria General Hospital for treatment.
Mr. George Sanderson, of Waterford, spent a couple of days last week with friends here.
Mr. and Mrs. Wainstill Perry, of Freeport, spent a few days last week with their sister, Mrs. Frank Delaney, at her home in this place.
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THE DIGBY WEEKLY COURIER, FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 1902.

In a flourishing condition this winter. New members are being added nearly every week. The Band of Hope entertained last Saturday evening.

Smith's Cove.
Mrs. Howard Merritt, of Digby, is visiting at the Cove.
Mrs. James D'Arcy visited friends in Digby last week.
William Hutchinson, of Digby, is visiting his mother, Mrs. James D'Arcy, at the Cove.
Mr. and Mrs. Whitfield Potter, of Clements, visited Mrs. Charles Potter last week.
Mrs. (Dr.) Armstrong had an attack of paralysis, a short time ago from which it is thought she will not recover.
Elder L. B. Rockwell, pastor of the Advent Church, of Bear River, held service at the Advent Church, at the Cove, on Sunday morning last.
Mrs. William B. Snow, of Old Orchard Maine, arrived here on Wednesday of this week. He left on Thursday for Milton, Queens County, where he will make a short stay.
The first harbingers of spring made its appearance here on Wednesday of this week. The ice broke up in the harbor, and the first of the season's melt has given it the idea that spring had come. It is only a little early, and the weather is still very cold.

Bridgetown, Barbados.
Miss Bent, of Digby, is visiting Mrs. W. E. Read.
Miss Grace Hoyt is visiting friends and relatives in Barbados.
Miss Hattie Hoyt has recently visited relatives in Barbados and returned.

FEVER'S VICTIMS.
The After Effects Often Worse Than the Disease Itself.
A SUFFERER FROM THE AFTER EFFECTS OF TYPHOID FEVER HAS BEEN REPORTED TO BE IN A RAPID DECLINE.

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SOUTH AFRICAN NEWS.

Dr. Albrecht Says Boers Will Never Surrender.

IMPORTANT COMMUNICATIONS FOR
FROM BOER LEADERS IN
HAMBURG. - KATERS' PLANS -
CHANGES AT THE CAPE.

ANTWERP, Feb. 24.-Dr. Albrecht, who is said to be the most important communication from the Boer leaders in South Africa, has been received here.

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Advertisement in "Courier."

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Yarmouth county papers (at present). - At any rate she did
out and this is what she says:

PORT MAITLAND, Yarmouth County, Feburary
JENNIE:- For enclosed, please send me four packages of
have used several boxes and find them excellent for relieving head
all kinds of the best of Florida. Excellent, made in Canada for Tw
MRS. HENRY H. T.

only one of many who have used them.

Spring is at hand and you are wanting a spring medicine
Werner's Sarsaparilla is the choicest &
purifier on the market and
Talking about spring time your stock probably require medicine, as we
all know, and we have the best of Florida. Excellent, made in Canada for Tw

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| <p>Boston's Big Strike. INVOLVED IN THE LABOR BETWEEN RAILWAYS AND FRUIT HANDLERS.</p> | <p>Special Ad. Lo WANTED—100 cuds 50 cuds of soft, at E —Mr. J. E. Brown, ex</p> |
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March 10.—After nearly six weeks of the strike, the men who have organized the teamsters, the two great railroad corporations, New York, New Haven and the New York Central and Hudson River railroads, the railroad men, the men of the Atlantic and Pacific, the sympathy of the union men is in and about Boston, every where in the East has been accustomed to the sight of hundreds of men in uniform and express uniform. Stopping at the hotel, the men of the union moved freight cars, and the men of the union made every effort to-day to their sphere of influence to the hotel, while the men of the union, part, sent the day in trying to get the men of the union to catch roads offered them, the men of the union, the men of the local employees of the express companies, the Adams Express Company, the Boston Express Company, the men who will join the strike, while the men of the union, such as the men of the teamsters, the men of the freight handlers in East

other hand, the New York, Albany and Hartford railroad, by successfully obtaining freight by the aid of its own trucks, will augment the force to be sent to the Boston and Albany line, and have a large truck working in its freight sheds. Thus, to-night, while devoid of the incidents of a winter, the stubborn determination on both sides the business interests of the viewing it with great anxiety. But the situation is not so gloomy. Boston and Maine system on this side of the city, where freight men are nearly all knights of the white shirt who are the leaders of the American Federation

It seems probable that the
of the United States, and it
over 10,000 handlers of
indies.

Large Washington Returns

South End correspondent writes:
the community was shock-
"uesday morning, a week ago, to
at Geo. W. Tild, a prominent
of the *gratia homo*, had not occu-
suite of rooms in the Central
block since the day before. As
the new guests entered the room
tiding up she found they had
n occupied the day before. The
north end of the block.

ked from the outside. The citi-
the South End were in a great
excited during the week that
The general doctor telephone
teigned with the anxious questions
interested, while inquiries were
ed ill directions by his answers
to try and find some clue to his
sours. Had it not been a week of
nauts, the anxiety might have
been short, but not until Monday
whole week) did the *Sun* come
the intelligence and even before
murel of information was available
patients at this end of the city
resident and the news was dashed

to write by an interested financial adviser whom the doctor deposits his funds that George Washington returned to his usual haunts and was happily wedding his way southward. "George" was soon dishonored to all in- and "George," as his intimates call him, is now rushed catching up with his business. It seems that George was engaged in a religious discussion with one of the Prince Rupert's of the day of his ancestor's reported war against papists.

ing relatives in the foggy city be-
take his annual vacation now.
he feels much benefitted by his
bedded rest. SOUTH END.

for his entertainment during his stay had been made and were out without a hitch. The de L. L. D. was conferred upon Harvard university.

Marine and Shipping

Arrival from St John to Weymouth, and...
 ...Duché Sunday and resided here

Monday's north easter boomer Wanda, Capt. Wagner, arrived Saturday and sailed to Long Beach to load lumber for Cienfuegos, shipped to three.

Southwest Herald says: Simms Meesebach Harkins arrived in port Friday 11,400 lbs. habibut. Mr. Wm A. Kilham at both lots.

Golden City of the banquette Rescued on the 2nd inst. after a trip of days from Red River. arrived here

JAMES M.

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Personal Mention.
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John
Kridger, of Sandy Cove, made us a

On Wednesday
M. Smith of Digby, is attending the
opening at St. John
W. Hayden returned home Satur-
day a week's trip to Boston.
Baby Chisholm, of Saunders' Millinery
ment, is attending the millinery open-
ing at St. John.
Judge John Moor says: Mrs. Ruggles
of Digby Co. has been spending a week
in this vicinity.

James W. Abbott, of Barlow, left here
y for the Klondike. This is the cap-
trip to the gold fields of Alaska.
section of Oregon, who recently
barber shop at Weymouth. Bridg-
is doing a good business in our sister

FOR SALE

THAT property at present oc-
Mary E. Keen, situated on

New Ads. This Week.

Smith Watch this Space
..... For Sale
..... I Don't Know
& Co. Bradley's Fertilizers
..... K. W. Paper & Co. Not Goods
..... Easter Remembrances
Feet Market. Meat in Rhyme
..... For Sale
..... Notice to Fisherman
..... Spring Schedule
.....
& Co. Ladies' Supplies

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|---------------|------------------|------------|------------------------------|
| 188 Co. | Spring Schedule | fastenings | Will be sold at a bargain |
| Clarke Bros. | Thin Space | | Apply to |
| Letteney & Co | Ladies' Suitings | 28 41p | S. J. SMITH, Cheverie, Hants |

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Milinery Opening.

As already announced, we will hold our Grand Opening Display on

MARCH 26th and following days.

Special efforts have been made to secure in our selections that Novelty and Style which should make a first-class. Ready-to-wear Milinery stock, and give confidence to buyers in making their purchases. We invite you to our Ladies' Department where we will show you English, French and New York designs in Women's and Misses' Head-wear. Our weather hats will keep you comfortable from summer, but it cannot keep you from our Summer Milinery. Our headwear adds a charm to every face from the child up.

During the opening we will have on exhibition Costume Suits, Skirts, Wash Dress, Fabrics, Zephyr Gingham, Printed Lawns, Percals, Lace Curtains, Etc., Etc.

Costumes and Skirts.

These are the days of delight for visitors at our store. Pleasure in seeing the latest fashions, and the reality is right here awaiting you. We are showing a large stock of Printed Lawns, Piques and Laines. The merest process, (a method of making cotton feel like silk) has reached the top notch and the effects are so perfect that the goods will be displayed on our counters as you enter, our store doors, all marked in plain figures and at our price.

Cotton Dress Fabrics.

What shall we say of them? Let your imagination run riot in the field of woven fabrics, and the reality is right here awaiting you. We are showing a large stock of Printed Lawns, Piques and Laines. The merest process, (a method of making cotton feel like silk) has reached the top notch and the effects are so perfect that the goods will be displayed on our counters as you enter, our store doors, all marked in plain figures and at our price.

Zephyr Gingham, Printed Lawns and Percals.

Some of the most beautiful patterns for Shirt Waists, little girls dresses, and shirt waist suits that have ever been brought into our town. The designers and makers have undoubtedly done themselves proud this season. As most of these goods are scarce you will be better pleased to make your selections early.

Lace Curtains.

Spring housecleaning suggests of course Fresh New Curtains. We have available ourselves of the best that we could secure for this season. Our prices are 30, 40, 50, 70, 90c, \$1.00, \$1.20, \$1.35, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.25, \$2.50, \$2.75, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00, \$4.50 and \$5.00 per pair.

DUCK SUITINGS.

Indigo dyed suitable for Costumes and Blouses, a large range of patterns to select from, 10c. to 13c. per yard.

Clarke Bros.

DIGBY COUNTY NEWS.

Deep Brook.
(Continued)
Miss (Catharine), of Digby, is teaching a class in piano and organ.
Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Nichols of Upper Chatham have moved to Deep Brook.
Evangelist C. H. Walden, who conducted special meetings here last fall, is now holding similar services at Clements.
The choir of St. Matthew's church are rehearsing for Easter service. We understand that two or more candidates will be presented for baptism at the 10:30 service.

Mr. C. G. Harris, formerly station agent here, was home for a few days last week, returning on Tuesday to Lawrence town where he is taking a course in telegraphy.

Our streets are being treated to a coat of gravel. Deep Brook carries the pain for smooth road work, the result of a liberal allowance of gravel at the right season of the year.

A vote will be taken at the next school meeting on the question of extending our school building as another department will soon be needed for the accommodation of the large attendance of pupils.

The post office was transferred on March 1st from the charge of Mr. Crenshaw, who has held it for the past thirty-two years, to Mr. W. W. Payson, Mr. Payson, who is chief messenger in the local post office, will be home on Thursday and in the meantime the office is managed by his son, Mr. Roy Payson.

Mr. A. R. Nelson is to undergo quite a change this spring. The school track is to be lengthened and connected with the bus line. The new station is to be extended to nearly double its present length, the new part to connect with the old station. The new part will be used for a freight house. Mr. R. W. Purdy, the agent, has secured the contract for this work and expects to have it completed about the middle of May. This will be a much needed improvement as the present building is rather too small for the rapidly increasing business.

North Range.
Capt. J. W. Abbott passed through here on the 12th inst., en route for Dawson City, where he is on a special assignment. Mr. Abbott is a well-known sportsman and has been hunting for several years. He is a member of the North Range sports club and has been hunting for several years.

Mr. James Briggs went to Digby on Saturday by the noon train, returning by the afternoon express.

Mr. A. E. Thompson, agent for the Northport and Lynn Co., passed through here on the 12th inst.

Mr. Frank White and Mr. Heron have been hunting for several years. They are members of the North Range sports club and have been hunting for several years.

Mr. Alpheus Marshall, of Weymouth, has been hunting for several years. He is a member of the North Range sports club and has been hunting for several years.

A number of men passed through here on the 12th inst., on their way to the 5th lake with their parties and other equipment for river driving.

David Gordon, of Digby, who has been visiting his sister, Mrs. R. C. McNell for the past week, left by train Saturday for her home.

Mr. Cogswell of Westport, agent for the celebrated "Fruit" brand of apples, here on Tuesday last. He was also advertising the book entitled "Darkness and Daylight in New York City."

Brooks made several sales while here. The Provincial Sunday School convention was in the Bay of Fundy here on Friday. A business meeting was held in the afternoon, and a public meeting in the evening.

Death has again been in our midst and removed one of our aged and most respected citizens. Mr. Joseph E. Morison, who passed away on Monday last after a lingering and painful illness of many months. Mr. Morison leaves a large family of relatives and friends to mourn their loss.

Barton.
Mr. James Specht arrived here on Wednesday from U. S.
Mrs. P. Dunn and daughter, Miss Alice, of Digby, are visiting at this place.

Mr. Bernard McNell, of Barville, spent a few days recently with his family. Mr. McNell is a well-known citizen of this place.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Rice on arrival of a little daughter, born last week.

Mr. Elworth Messenger is home from Boston visiting his parents, Capt. and Mrs. D. N. Messenger.

We are pleased to see Mrs. Sarah Ruggles, who has been spending the winter at Bridgetown and other places up the coast, home again.

Mr. George Adams, Jr., who has been in poor health for several years past, died at the home of his sister, Mrs. E. P. Adams, on Friday last.

Bear River.
(Telephone)
Mrs. W. H. Jones, with her daughter, who have been visiting here, returned home on Wednesday.

Mr. Albert Benson returned from Boston on Wednesday, where he recently spent some time on a business trip.

Capt. Geo. K. Purdy and E. J. Richardson, who were in the house on the 12th inst., returned home on Wednesday last.

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The Moloch of fashion, it seems, has now threatened the life of the poor. The great Bird of Paradise, which is now threatened with extinction, is a symbol of the poor man's life.

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We are showing a beautiful line of Silk Grenadine and Crepe-line. Ready-made Skirts a specialty. We ask your attention to our Wash Goods in

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We bid for your Business on the Merits of our Merchandise.

We aim to sell the best produced, but do not lose sight of the fact that our prices must be right to please. We cordially invite you to inspect our New Goods for Spring which have been carefully selected to fulfil your requirements.

Prints, Muslins and Gingham.
Reliable goods in the Latest Designs, and prices to suit all.

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Milinery Opening.

As already announced, we will hold our Grand Opening Display on
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Special efforts have been made to secure in our selections that Novelty and Style which should make a first-class. Ready-to-wear Milinery stock, and give confidence to buyers in making their purchases. We invite you to our Ladies' Department where we will show you English, French and New York designs in Women's and Misses' Headwear. The weather may keep your thoughts from summer, but it can't keep you from our Summer Milinery. Our headwear adds a charm to every face from the child up.

Costumes and Skirts.

These are the days of delight for visitors at our store. Pleasure in seeing, gratification in seeing handsome suits so early in the season. All new and fresh, same as if made to order. Our prices are \$2.00, 4.00, 6.00, 8.50, 10.00 and 12.00 per suit. Skirts \$3.00, 4.50 and 5.50.

Cotton Dress Fabrics.

What shall we say of them? Let your imagination run riot in the field of novel fabrics, and the reality is right here awaiting you. We are showing in large quantities, Printed Satins, Piques and Lawns. The mercerized wools, (a method of making cotton feel like silk) has reached the top notch and the effects are beautiful. These goods will be displayed on our counters as you enter our store doors, all marked in plain figures and at one price.

Zephyr Gingham, Printed Lawns and Piques.

Some of the most beautiful patterns for Shirt Waists, Little girls' dresses and shirt suits that have ever been brought into our town. The designers and makers have undoubtedly done their best for this season. As most of these goods are scarce you will be better pleased to make your selections early.

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Spring housecleaning suggests of course Fresh New Curtains. We have available ourselves of the best that we could secure and have them ready for your inspection.

DUCK SUITINGS.

Indigo dyed suitable for Costumes and Blouses, a large range of patterns to select from, 10c. to 13c. per yard.

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DIGBY COUNTY NEWS.

Freepoint

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Mr. Albert Ives has returned from his visit to Lynn, Mass.
Mr. Stanley Chubb has gone to Yarmouth for a few weeks.
Mrs. J. H. Howe has been holding special services at Central Grove for a few weeks.

North Range

Mr. James Langdale arrived home on the 24th inst.
Miss Ida Anderson left here on the 24th inst. for Halifax.
Mr. J. H. Langdale changed his milk route from Bloomfield to Brighton.
Miss Louisa Adams, of Brighton, passed through here on the 24th inst. for her home.

Westville

Mr. George Woodhead intends to leave for Boston soon.
We are pleased to hear that Mr. Robert C. Woodman is rapidly recovering from his late illness.
Mr. James W. Woodman purchased a fine milk cow, which affords much amusement for his friends.

Canada's Fourth Contingent

TWO THOUSAND MEN WILL BE SENT TO THE FRONT BY THE MOTHER COUNTRY NEXT WEEK.
OTTAWA, March 26.—The Dominion Government has offered a fourth contingent to go to South Africa to aid the cause of the empire. So far no official statement is available, but the Chronicle correspondent speaks on excellent authority that the contingent will be forwarded to Hon. Joseph Chamberlain, through Lord Milner.

Another Smallpox Victim

ST. JOHN, March 25.—Wm. McNeil died this morning at quarantine station, Port of Montreal, of smallpox. He was a native of St. John, and had been in the city for several weeks.

Maline Cart Car Wrecked

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