

The Queen's Biography.

Mr. Richard Holmes, the librarian of Windsor castle, is preparing the material for the authoritative "Personal Life of Queen Victoria" to be published this year.

Rural Journalism.

"Pardon the criticism, Mr. Hand-press," deferentially said the high-browed young Academy student who was acting as assistant to the able editor of the Ruralville Bazaar.

Habit.

Habit plays a part in the formation of character. By constantly performing any action the discontinuance of the action becomes almost impossible.

Following British Models.

Newspapers are becoming larger in the French capital, where small sized sheets have so long been popular.

Gravel in the Bladder.

Used Eighteen Boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills—The Stone Dissolved and Removed—Knew of Others Cured.

Shelburne, Jan. 25 (Special)—Mr. John Medill known locally as well as far and near as a physical giant and glorying in his strength came to be a great sufferer and tells of his cure as follows:

"I do not hesitate to speak of Dodd's Kidney Pills or anything else exactly as I find them. If a medicine cures me and if I think it will cure others why not say so?"

"It is true I had been suffering for some time with Bladder trouble and learning of a cure made in a similar case, by Dodd's Kidney Pills, I commenced using them."

"In all I have used eighteen boxes and have entirely cured me of any sign of such difficulty. I do not hesitate to speak of Dodd's Kidney Pills in the highest terms of praise for I know of many persons who have been cured by them."

The English papers are telling an amusing story about Lord Carrington, to the effect that at the last drawing room held by the Queen he, in announcing the names of the ladies presented, according to his duty of Lord Chamberlain, got "mixed," and announced a certain Mrs. M. as "Lady M."

GREATER THAN EVER.

January Victories Over Disease and Death.

The Grandest Record Ever Attained in One Month.

PAINE'S CELEBY COMPOUND THE ACKNOWLEDGED KING OF MEDICINES.

The Kind the People Need in Order to Restore and Preserve Health.

The acknowledged king of medicines in the world to-day is Paine's Celery Compound.

Surely, poor sufferer, this is sufficient proof that Paine's Celery Compound is able to meet your case, even though it be serious and desperate.

Life is Real.

From the cradle to the grave life is one long constant reality. It cannot be trifled with as a child plays with a toy, and thrown aside when it no longer affords its possessor pleasure.

That Wonderful Ten Cent Combination.

Having a desire to please and entertain the young, the manufacturers of Diamond Dyes will send the following valuable combination for ten cents to any address in Canada.

One "Excellent Rhyming A B C Book, Illustrated," a gem of lithographic art.

Send small silver coins, or the proper amount in one, two or three cent stamps.

Seal your letter securely, and before mailing be sure you put on full postage, three cents in stamps.

A Detroit dressmaker lately received an order from a woman living in a country village where there is no dressmaker.

DIRECTIONS FOR BONNET.

Measure of head from ear to ear over top the head 12 inches; from ear to ear under my chin 9 1/2 inches; from forehead to back hair 7 inches.

The average untutored mind is unable to cope with fractions.

What are you going to do with that dog, Mike?

Well, Mike, as it's your dog, I'll sell him to you cheap, and a better dog never walked in shoeleather.

What breed is he?

Well, sor, he's—he's—he's half terrier and half Newfoundland, and—half mastiff, sor.

Ah! Well, this is the first time I ever knew of a dog having three halves.

Judge—you have been systematically robbing her rucce.

Prisoner—Dead, Judge, I see not so bad as dat. I nebbar eben heard ob dat way ob doin' it, Judge.

Conscience of error, is, to a certain extent, a consciousness of understanding and correction of error is the plainest proof of energy and mastery.

We go to the grave of a friend, saying, A man is dead, but angels through about him, saying, A man is born.

THE WHITE RIBBON.

"For God and Home and Native Land." Conducted by the Ladies of the W.C.T.U.

President—Mrs R. V. Jones. Vice-Presidents—Mrs Hale, Mrs R. Reid, Mrs A. Johnson.

Evangelistic Work—Mrs DeWitt. Literature—Mrs DeBlois.

Health and Heredity—Mrs Trotter. Mother's Meetings—Mrs Hammett.

Next meeting in Temperance Hall Thursday, Feb. 11th, at 3.30 p. m.

Press Clippings.

A recent number of the Halifax Herald gives us the following item from Amherst:

It is interesting to note the steady growth of sentiment in the medical profession against the use of alcohol.

The following is an excerpt from an address made before the State League of Ohio:

Upon motion of one of the trustees of the United Society of Christian Endeavor, a member of the board, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

The following is quoted from an English paper and carries its own message of good cheer:

"A society for the prevention of hereditary diseases"—and may heaven bless the brave young women who have organized this new body.

It is authoritatively stated that the Queen of England has for three years been a total abstainer from alcoholic liquors.

THE ACADIAN.

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS ALWAYS CURE. AFTER TEN YEARS SUFFERING. Two Box Cure. MILDNESS, 29th JULY, 1895. Gentlemen—For the last ten years I had been troubled with kidney disease, being so bad at intervals that I could not lie in bed at night nor stoop to the ground.

WE DO NOT CLAIM TO SELL House Finish, Doors, Sashes, Blinds, etc. more cheaply than our competitors, but we do claim to use better Stock, and give you better value.

HALEY BROS., & CO., ST. JOHN, N. B. F. W. WOODMAN, Wolfville, is our Agent. MONUMENTS In Red and Grey Polished Granite and Marble.

WARNING! TO PIANO AND ORGAN PURCHASERS! THE great popularity of the "BELL" PIANOS and ORGANS has created much jealousy among certain Piano dealers.

Willis Piano and Organ Co. Any other advertisers, therefore, who may claim in any way the agency for the Bell Pianos, or Bell Organs, do so under false pretences.

JOB PRINTING OF EVERY DESCRIPTION Well and Cheaply Done. "The Acadian" Office.

STOP AND READ. COAL! COAL! COAL! We have in stock the celebrated LACKAWANNA HARD COAL in all sizes—fresh from the mines.

Granby Rubbers. Modelled each year to fit all the latest shoe shapes. Extra thick ball and heel. Sold everywhere. They Wear like Iron.

DR. E. N. PAYZANT Will continue the practice of Dentistry as formerly, at his residence near the station, Wolfville. Appointments can be made by letter or at residence.

W. W. HOWELL & CO., 121 LOWER WATER ST., Halifax, N. S. Mechanical Engineers, Machinists, Builders of Marine, Stationary and Hoisting Simple and Compound Engines, Mill and Mining Machinery.

Yarmouth Steamship Co. (LIMITED) 1896-1897. THE 1896-1897. THE QUICKEST TIME, 15 to 17 hours between Yarmouth and Boston!

Commencing Nov. 4th. STEEL STEAMER "BOSTON," UNTIL further notice, will leave Yarmouth for Boston every

Wed. and Sat. Ev'g after the arrival of the Express train from Halifax. Returning, leave Lewis' wharf, Boston, at 12 noon, every TUESDAY and FRIDAY.

NOTICE. Having secured the Shop recently occupied by Mr W. Regan, I am now in a position to supply the public with all Goods in my line.

Custom Boots & Shoes. Men's Women's and Children's Boots and Shoes made to order.

Lewis Rice & Co's. PHOTO STUDIO AT WOLFVILLE will be open for business Every Monday & Tuesday.

For Farm and Dairy Use E. B. EDDY'S Indurated Fibreware is always sweet and clean.

W. J. Balcom has secured an Auctioneer's license and is prepared to sell all kinds of Real and Personal Property at a moderate rate.

Fred H. Christie Painter and Paper Hanger. Best attention given to Work Entrusted to us.

Fruit Growers and Gardeners. Should have the Canadian Horticulturist, published by the Ontario Fruit Growers' Association.

There are women who sometimes think on Sunday that they have religion, but when the Sabbath breaks down on Monday they find out that they haven't.

Minards Liniment is the best. First Pig—And they'll cut us up for pork and use our skins to make footballs.

Minards Liniment Cures LaGrippe. You're pretty fly, aren't you? I said the old lady's complexion to a fly, who had lit on it.

Legs. 1. Any person throughly dressed to the hilt, who has subscribed for the publisher's payment is made amount, whether the office or not.

Scraps for Odd Moments.

Mother—Dear me! the baby has swallowed that piece of worsted.

Ingham—Every time I get on a street car it reminds me of my schoolboy days.

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"His aim in life seems to be a poor one." "Yes; he inherits that from his mother. I once saw her throw a stone at a dog in the street, and hit her husband in the back yard."

Minards Liniment the best Hair Restorer. The Foreman—"We find that the deceased died from natural causes."

Willis—Papa, has Mr Wigley got a throat disease? "Papa—Why, no! What makes you think so?"

Consumptives obtain relief by using Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. No other cure is so effective.

A gentleman saw the following advertisement in a paper—"The Road to Wealth. Send twelve stamps to—"

Bookkeeper's Dye for the Whiskers does its work thoroughly coloring a uniform brown or black, which, when dry, will neither rub, wash off, nor soil linen.

Yes, said the doctor, on entering, I can see madam that you are far from well. But a careful diet and a week in the country and an entire rest will remove the symptoms that are at present decidedly disconcerting.

Unlike most proprietary medicines, the formula of Dr. J. C. Ayer's Sarsaparilla and other preparations are cheerfully sent to any physician who applies for them.

Teacher—Johnny, what is wind? Johnny—Wind, sir, is air put in motion.

Were you hurt when she refused you? Yes, very much. Her father fell on me at the same time.

I really need \$50 for some new clothes, George, said Mrs Shaggs to her husband. "I'm sorry, but I haven't as much as \$5 about me now," replied Mr Shaggs.

I supposed you wouldn't have any money, so I got a blank check book out of your bank and cashed it for that amount. Here is the check, dear. Write your name here, love.

His signature was soon appended. There was really nothing else to do.

DEAR SIR,—I cannot speak too strongly of the excellence of MINARD'S LINIMENT. It is THE remedy in all household troubles, sprains, etc., and we would not be without it.

One day at a jovial dinner party in the last century, where no less than ten persons were among the guests, Lord Sandwich, generally known as Jenny Twitcher, slyly laid a guinea wager with a friend that the persons had not a prayer book among them.

Would any gentleman kindly lend a screw? Instantly ten corkcrews were offered by as many persons, and Lord Sandwich, with a cynical leer, slyly pocketed his guineas.

This is a monthly journal of 48 pages, and contains numerous illustrations; it will be enlarged with January number, to contain a floral department.

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