

Choice Miscellany.

WET WEATHER TALK.

It ain't no use to grumble and complain, It's just as cheap and easy to rejoice;

Men generally to all interests— Although they're apt to grumble some—

With some, of course, it's different— I've seen young men that knowed it all

In this existence, dry and wet Some little shift o' clouds'll set

It aggravates the farmers, too— There's too much to do to match sun,

These here cyclones a-foolin' round— And back'ard crops—and wind and rain—

LET US SMILE. A paper called the Golden Rule, has an article on smiles which contains the following:

"The world is suffering for smiling faces. The age is too intense in the business direction, too flippant in the social lines, too sarcastic in its political tendency, too aimless in its religious life, too heartless in its literature. The world needs more smiles and fewer frowns, more sunshine and less lightning."

No paragraph ever contained more truth than the above. A good, healthy smile, one that comes naturally, without being sent for, or coaxed, one that seems to bubble up among the dimples like the water at the bottom of the spring, showing nearly tooth like the jutting pebbles thrown up by the water of the spring, a smile that goes rippling along the face like the swarded water among the daisies and water course, on its way to the sea, is worth more to the world than a gold mine.

HOW TO USE PIANOS IN SUMMER. In the hot weather a piano should not be placed in a damp room or left open in a draft of air, for dampness is its most dangerous enemy. It causes the strings and tuning-pins to rust and the cloth used in the construction of the keys of action to swell, whereby the mechanism will move sluggishly or often stick together. Continued dampness will also injuriously effect the varnish and cause the soft fibers of the sound board, thus forming ridges. Extreme heat is scarcely less injurious. A piano should be closed when not in use, in order to prevent the accumulation of dust, pins, etc., on the sounding board, and yet it should be opened occasionally and daylight allowed to strike the keys; otherwise the ivory may turn yellow. An Indian rub-ber or cloth cover should protect the instrument from heat and scratches. Moths may be kept out of a piano by a lump of camphor wrapped in soft paper, placed in the inside cover. A new piano should be tuned at least once every two or three months during the first year and at longer intervals thereafter.—Mail and Express.

ONE THOUSAND DOLLAR PRIZE. The American Sunday-school Union offers a premium of One Thousand Dollars for the best book, written for the Society, upon "The Christian Obligations of Property and Labor."

Memory, Strength, and Energy restored to those afflicted with any form of Wasting Disease by EAGAR'S PHOSPHOLEINE.

brush. A good, old-fashioned, natural, unadorned smile costs nothing, wears out no costly machinery, but rather oils it and makes it run smooth, and it is a medicine that we all like to take, and it leaves no bad taste in the mouth. Blessed if we wouldn't like to see one this very minute, as late as it is and sleepy as we are, as the clock tolls the wee small hours and the compositors yawn and say there is copy enough for to-night.

BE CAREFUL.

The world has no concern with your troubles, and will not thank you for burdening it with them. Face life with a smile, and misfortunes will avoid you. The most miserable living creature is the misanthrope. He may be buried in gold, and a hungry tramp be happier than he. Troubles come to all of us, but they come least heavily to those who meet them with good-humor and fight them down. The best way to drive dull care away is with a laugh, for it hates earnestment and vanishes in the sunshine of a smile.

If you are worried from overwork, take a rest, read, walk, and try to forget your cares. If you are gloomy and sad, seek the society of people who are not, and let them charm your sober mood away. Life is only hopeless to those who willfully seal their souls to hope, and the future a blank only to those who voluntarily close it to themselves. The worst enemy careworn men or women can have is themselves. The worst misfortune that can befall them is to surrender themselves to a world brooding over their cares. A few hours spent in pleasant company are better antidotes for melancholy than any in the pharmacopoeia. The physician may minister to your body, but you must be the physician of your own mind. Good friends, good books, and a resolute heart to conquer your own damped reflections will effect a cure in the most obstinate cases, and nothing else will.

SHALL WE MEET AGAIN.

The following is one of the most brilliant paragraphs ever written by the lamented Geo. D. Prentice: "The hat of death is inexorable. No appeal for relief from that great law which dooms us to dust. We flourish and fade as the leaves of the forest, and the flowers that bloom, wither and fade in a day have no firmer hold upon life than the mightiest monarch that ever shook the earth with his footsteps. Generations of men will appear and disappear as the grass, and the multitude that throngs the world to-day will disappear as foot-prints on the shore. Men seldom think of the great event of death until the shadows fall across their own pathway, hiding from their eyes the faces of loved ones whose living smiles was the sunlight of existence. Death is the antagonist of life, and the thought of the tomb is the skeleton of all feasts. We do not want to go through the dark valley, although its dark passage may lead to paradise; we do not want to go down into damp graves, even with pinnes for bed-fellows. In the beautiful drama of life, the hope of immortality, so eloquently uttered by the death-devoled Greek, finds deep response in every thoughtful soul. When about to yield his life a sacrifice to fate, his Clemence asks if they should meet again; to which he responds: 'I have asked that dread question of the bills that look awful—of the clear streams that flow forever—of stars among those fields of azure my raised spirits have walked in glory. All are dumb. But as I gaze upon thy living face, I feel that there is something in the love that mantles through its beauty that cannot wholly perish. We shall meet again, Clemence.'"

There is one sort of drinking house no State enactment can touch, and that is a private house with a decanter in its cupboard. Good friends, guard your own doors with testotalism! A foolish rich man, who died lately, disinherited his drunken son. In that same will he bequeathed his "wine cellar" to certain heirs. The father most ingeniously tempered his own son to drink, and then on his dying bed gave the boy a last kick into open disgrace! The most effectual of all home protection is to guard our own home. From such temperance homes will come the power to close up the public drinking dens.

ADVICE TO MOTHERS.—Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with pain of Cutting Teeth? If so send at once and get a bottle of "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for Children Teething. Its value is incalculable. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Depend upon it, mothers; there is no milk like about it. It cures Dysentery and Diarrhoea, regulates the Stomach and Bowels, cures Wind Colic, softens the Gums, reduces Inflammation, and gives tone and energy to the whole system. "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for children teething is pleasant to the taste and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States, and is for sale by all Druggists throughout the world. Price twenty-five cents a bottle. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup," and take no other kind.

Nothing is easier than fault-finding. No talent, no self-denial, no brains, no character is required to set up in the grumbling business. But those who are moved by a genuine desire to do good and benefit their fellows have little time for murmuring or complaint. BERRIS HILLS, October, 1883.—For several years I was a great sufferer with Neuralgia in my head, so that all my hair came out and left my head entirely bald. I used "Minaid's Liniment" freely on my head which entirely cured my neuralgia, and after using several bottles to my astonishment I found the hair rapidly growing on my head and now I have as good a head of hair as I ever had and would recommend all to use "Minaid's Liniment" who have lost their hair from disease, as the Liniment will positively give you a good crop again.—WM. DANIELS, Jan. 12, 1883.

An energetic Editor, who recently had charge of two local papers at Pointers France, has died. He nestled himself in one of his journals, and subsequently shot himself in a duel. A merchant writes us: "Minaid's Liniment has saved many from a terrible death here, as diphtheria has been very prevalent and 'Minaid's Liniment' cures it every time when taken internal and external. For Croup and all throat and lungs diseases it is equal to a doctor in the house. We know of no way that can benefit our readers more than by calling attention to Johnson's Anodyne Liniment. It is the oldest and most reliable patent medicine in the world. Everybody should keep it in the house. It will check diarrhea and dysentery in one hour. The girl who makes good bread usually marries a poor man, and yet poor men as a rule grumble at their lot. There is a good deal of perversity in human nature. If the fountain is pure the stream will be pure also. No flow with the blood. If that be pure the health is established. Parson's Purgative Pills make new rich blood, and taking them will change the blood in the entire system in three months. "The born poet," truly remarks Miss Cleveland, "has no agency in his song." Indeed no. It is the poor wretch who listens to his song who has awake and means for the chorifone.

Memory, Strength, and Energy restored to those afflicted with any form of Wasting Disease by EAGAR'S PHOSPHOLEINE.

Memory, Strength, and Energy restored to those afflicted with any form of Wasting Disease by EAGAR'S PHOSPHOLEINE.

Memory, Strength, and Energy restored to those afflicted with any form of Wasting Disease by EAGAR'S PHOSPHOLEINE.

than 100,000 words. The MSS. must be submitted to the Committee of Publication on or before November 1, 1887. Each MS. should have a special mark, and the name and address of the author should be sent at the same time in a sealed envelope (not to be opened until after the award) bearing the same mark, and both addressed, pre-paid, to the American Sunday-school Union, 1122 Chestnut street, Philadelphia. The premium is offered in accordance with the terms and conditions of the John C. Green Fund.

CLUBBING OFFER.

Having made special arrangements with the publishers of a number of the leading periodicals of Canada and the United States we are enabled to make a large discount to subscribers. We will send any of the publications named and the ACADIAN one year for the following "Clubbing Prices," which will be seen in some cases giving two papers for the price of one. Cash must accompany all orders.

Table with 3 columns: Publication, Regular Price, Clubbing Price. Includes Farmer's Advocate, Toronto Weekly News, Toronto Daily News, Alden's Journal, American Agriculturist, Toronto Weekly Globe, London Free Press, Youth's Companion, Book Worm, Weekly Messenger, Canadian Dairyman, Grip, Family Herald & Weekly Star, Montreal, do with Premium, Buds & Blossoms (new), Detroit Free Press.

HOME DRINKING.

There is one sort of drinking house no State enactment can touch, and that is a private house with a decanter in its cupboard. Good friends, guard your own doors with testotalism! A foolish rich man, who died lately, disinherited his drunken son. In that same will he bequeathed his "wine cellar" to certain heirs.

ADVICE TO MOTHERS.—Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with pain of Cutting Teeth? If so send at once and get a bottle of "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for Children Teething. Its value is incalculable. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Depend upon it, mothers; there is no milk like about it. It cures Dysentery and Diarrhoea, regulates the Stomach and Bowels, cures Wind Colic, softens the Gums, reduces Inflammation, and gives tone and energy to the whole system.

Nothing is easier than fault-finding. No talent, no self-denial, no brains, no character is required to set up in the grumbling business. But those who are moved by a genuine desire to do good and benefit their fellows have little time for murmuring or complaint. BERRIS HILLS, October, 1883.—For several years I was a great sufferer with Neuralgia in my head, so that all my hair came out and left my head entirely bald. I used "Minaid's Liniment" freely on my head which entirely cured my neuralgia, and after using several bottles to my astonishment I found the hair rapidly growing on my head and now I have as good a head of hair as I ever had and would recommend all to use "Minaid's Liniment" who have lost their hair from disease, as the Liniment will positively give you a good crop again.—WM. DANIELS, Jan. 12, 1883.

An energetic Editor, who recently had charge of two local papers at Pointers France, has died. He nestled himself in one of his journals, and subsequently shot himself in a duel. A merchant writes us: "Minaid's Liniment has saved many from a terrible death here, as diphtheria has been very prevalent and 'Minaid's Liniment' cures it every time when taken internal and external. For Croup and all throat and lungs diseases it is equal to a doctor in the house. We know of no way that can benefit our readers more than by calling attention to Johnson's Anodyne Liniment. It is the oldest and most reliable patent medicine in the world. Everybody should keep it in the house. It will check diarrhea and dysentery in one hour. The girl who makes good bread usually marries a poor man, and yet poor men as a rule grumble at their lot. There is a good deal of perversity in human nature. If the fountain is pure the stream will be pure also. No flow with the blood. If that be pure the health is established. Parson's Purgative Pills make new rich blood, and taking them will change the blood in the entire system in three months. "The born poet," truly remarks Miss Cleveland, "has no agency in his song." Indeed no. It is the poor wretch who listens to his song who has awake and means for the chorifone.

Memory, Strength, and Energy restored to those afflicted with any form of Wasting Disease by EAGAR'S PHOSPHOLEINE.

Memory, Strength, and Energy restored to those afflicted with any form of Wasting Disease by EAGAR'S PHOSPHOLEINE.

Memory, Strength, and Energy restored to those afflicted with any form of Wasting Disease by EAGAR'S PHOSPHOLEINE.

JOHNSON'S ANODYNE LINIMENT. MAKE NEW RICH BLOOD. PARSONS' PURGATIVE PILLS. MAKE HENS LAY. CHICKEN CHOLERA.

THE ACADIAN, HONEST! INDEPENDENT! FEARLESS! "THE PEOPLES PAPER"

W.OLFVILLE, in King's County, Educational, Agricultural, Geographical, Political, Literary CENTRE Of the Province of Nova Scotia.

The Annapolis Valley! The Garden of Nova Scotia! The Seat of Acadia College!

The Acadian is not subsidized by any Political party, Corporation, or private individual; and expresses its own views and says what it thinks.

The ACADIAN's columns are open to persons of either Political Party for the discussion of the topics of the day, providing no personalities are entered into. The ACADIAN will give you all the Local News of the County, and all the important events taking place. The ACADIAN will give you all the important events occurring throughout the world.

The Acadian is devoted to Literature, Education, Temperance, Politics, Agriculture, Science, and General Information, and is the ONLY Weekly Paper in King's County.

ALL COMMUNICATIONS SHOULD BE ADDRESSED TO DAVISON BROTHERS, Editors & Publishers, Wolfville, N. S.

OUR JOB ROOM in complete. Plain and Fancy Job Work of every description done at shortest notice, and satisfaction assured.

J.F. HERBIN, WOLFVILLE, N. S., One door east of Post Office. Watches, Clocks, and Jewellery REPAIRED. ENGRAVING Done in Every Style! THE FARMER'S ADVOCATE HOME MAGAZINE

GRAND OFFER! By Special Arrangement we are enabled to offer the ACADIAN AND THE DETROIT FREE PRESS 4 MONTHS FOR 40 CENTS.

NOTICE. All Persons having Legal Demands against the Estate of Anderson G. Martin, of Horton, Kings County, deceased, are requested to render the same, duly attested to the undersigned within three months from date hereof.

NOTICE. All persons having legal demand against the Estate of Sarah Davison, late of Long Island, in the County of Kings, widow, are requested to render the same duly attested, within twelve calendar months from the date hereof; and all persons indebted to said Estate are required to make immediate payment to J. B. DAVISON, Adm'r.

W. & A Railway. Time Table. 1886—Summer Arrangement—1886. Commencing Monday, 14th June. GOING EAST. Table with columns: Station, Accm. Daily, Exp. Daily, Accm. M.F., Exp. M.F.

GOING WEST. Table with columns: Station, Exp. Daily, Accm. M.F., Exp. M.F.

W. & A Railway. Time Table. 1886—Summer Arrangement—1886. Commencing Monday, 14th June.

W. & A Railway. Time Table. 1886—Summer Arrangement—1886. Commencing Monday, 14th June.

THIS IS YOUR OPPORTUNITY. Do you want a splendid handwriting book? You can have it for 25 cents.

BUDS & BLOSSOMS. A FORTY PAGE, ILLUSTRATED, MONTHLY MAGAZINE, edited by J. F. AVBY, Halifax, N.S. Price 75 cents per year if prepaid.

Money to Loan! The subscriber has money in hand for investment on first-class real estate security. Good farm properties in Horton and Cornwallis preferred.

CEO. V. RAND, IMPORTER AND DEALER IN DRUGS, MEDICINES, CHEMICALS, FANCY GOODS, PERFUMERY AND SOAPS, BRUSHES, SPECTACLES, ETC.

GOOD HORSE SHOING! DONE BY J. I. BROWN FOR CASH 90c CASH. J. I. Brown took the premium on his Horse Shoes at the Dominion & Colonial Exhibition at St. John, N. B., in 1883.

CARRIAGES & SLEIGHS MADE, PAINTED, and REPAIRED. At Shortest Notice, and A. B. ROODS, Wolfville, N. S.

C. A. PATRIQUIN HARNESS MAKER. Carriage, Cart, and Team Harnesses Made to order and kept in stock.

EAGAR'S PHOSPHOLEINE. For the Cure of Consumption, Pasty, Chronic Bronchitis, Asthma, Dyspepsia, Scrophula, Salt Rheum, and other Skin and Blood Diseases, Rickets, Anemia, Loss of Flesh, Wasting both in Adults and Children, Nervous Prostration, etc.