

Poetry.

OLD AND NEW YEAR. New Year met me somewhat sad: Old Year leaves me, I'm afraid...

A BANK ACCOUNTANT WHO WAS CLEVER AT FIGURES.

Barber, the accountant in the Bank of Montreal in Toronto, held for trial on the charge of "abstracting" \$12,000 of the Bank funds...

Watch with me, men, women, and children war. You whom I love, for whom I hope and fear...

Miscellaneous.

If a man poisons a neighbour's dog, there is great wrath; if he poisons his man, he may still be treated as a gentleman.

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Jokers' Corner. BROOMSTICK LAW.

The morning train on the Ohio and Mississippi Road was whirling along to its destination, St. Louis, when Conductor Moff was seized by the button-hole and a pair of "innocents abroad" sought for information.