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The Best Returns For the Least Money ARE OBTAINED FROM THE OLDEST, LARGEST AND MOST POPULAR CANADIAN COMPANY.

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Direct Evidence ALL persons indebted to the estate of the late J. AVARD MORSE, either by accounts or promissory notes, are hereby notified that all payments of the same must be made to the undersigned, as no person has been authorized by them to collect said accounts or notes.

A. STANLEY BANKS, Waterfront, Kings Co., Nov. 13, 1896.

Weekly Sun

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BOWKER'S PURE FRESH Ground Bone AND CHEMICALS.

STOCKBRIDGE MANURES. (Double strength.) For Fruit Trees, Straw Berry Plants, Potatoes, Corn, and Cereals.

HUGH FOWLER, General Agent for Annapolis County, 1896!

SPRING! The subscriber has now on hand a large and complete stock of Agricultural Implements.

PIANOS - ORGANS, Sewing Machines. 500 RODS WATER PIPE.

2 Carloads of Shingles expected to arrive in a few days.

ORGANS CLEANED AND REPAIRED. N. H. PHINNEY, Manager.

A SUPERIOR ARTICLE FLOUR, CORNMEAL, Rolled Oats and Oatmeal, Feed Flour, Middlings, and Barley Chop.

MASSON BUILDING, GRANVILLE STREET. ALSO A NICE ASSORTMENT OF Standard Groceries.

W. M. FORSYTH, BRIDGETOWN, APRIL 18, 1896. DO YOU Want a Farm?

The subscribers offer for sale that valuable property known as the Elias Beals Farm situated at South Williamston.

ST. JOHN'S PACKETS. Commencing the 1st of April, 1896, the packets will make regular trips between Bridgetown and Annapolis Royal.

ANNAPOLIS VALLEY Real Estate Agency. JOHN EBYN, Solicitor, Bridgetown.

New Departure. Having added a Boot and Shoe Department to our factory, we are now prepared to take your order for a first-class pair of Custom Made Boots or Shoes.

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J. B. GILLES, Executor. BRIDGETOWN, March 10th, 1896.

Every Mother should have it in this property. It is always ready for use. It is the best. It is the oldest. It is the most reliable. JOHNSON'S ANODYNE LINIMENT.

CURRY BROS. & BENT, BRIDGETOWN WOOD-WORKING FACTORY, BRIDGETOWN, N. S. Contractors - and - Builders.

A WORD IN THE EAR OF THE WISE MAN SUFFICETH. There are many wise men in Annapolis Valley, and some of them have and others have not.

Plans, Specifications and Estimates can be had of us at small cost. We have just received direct from British Columbia one carload of C. Cedar, and on the way Waterwood and Quarters Oak.

SCOTT & CROZIER, MERCHANT TAILORS, BRIDGETOWN, N. S. ARE OFFERING THE GREATEST.

Bargains in Clothing. A LARGE ORDER OF SILVERWARE HAS JUST ARRIVED. WEDDING PRESENTS never so beautiful or so low before.

WATCHES! We are overstocked with Watches, so will make a BIG OUT ON THEM. Call, get prices and examine them, and if you want a good time keeper do not let this chance go by.

JOHN E. SANCTON & SON, Watchmakers and Jewellers. STARTLING INDUCEMENTS!

As the Spring Season is now rapidly approaching, doubtless there are many households in the town, county and elsewhere who have decided upon placing in their dwellings new appointments in FURNITURE.

ANNAPOLIS VALLEY Real Estate Agency. JOHN EBYN, Solicitor, Bridgetown.

Undertaking! Besides the usual complete stock always to be found in store at the establishment on Granville Street, a branch has been opened here at the residence of MR. JOHN E. FARNSWORTH.

Crocker's Pickles MIXED PICKLES Prepared and put up at the ANnapolis VALLEY VINEGAR AND PICKLE FACTORY.

C. H. R. CROCKER, Prop., South Farmington.

Poetry. "With Compliments of the Author." Look on your door, dear heart, and see The messengers of morning, Day's canopy adorning.

The lilies of the valley ring Their bells in shadowy places, And violet blue, with eyes so true, Life up their smiling faces.

The bald and barren mountain peak, The moon's pale light, the solemn night, The bright or sombre weather, Are all for you.

And life, this ever pulsing life, With issues vast, supreme, Its earthly fears, its hopes and tears, And promises of life to come, Is all for you.

Select Literature. Burglars Bagged. If Detective Sergeant Collie had arrived sooner he might have been able to discover a workable clue, he thought, but when he was called in the burglary was three days old.

By that time the local police under the able direction of Inspector Boodie had succeeded pretty well in obliterating everything which might have served as a clue to the burglar.

Although Sergeant Collie thought he might have been able to do something had he been called in immediately, yet he fully recognized that it was no great disaster to the local police that they had to trail the guilty persons. It was clear that from the first there was little to indicate who these were.

Not a single suspicious-looking man or woman had been seen in the neighborhood since the burglary had taken place. The second burglary had taken place on the night of the first, and yet the number and weight of the articles were such as to render it highly improbable that they were carried off by the help of a vehicle of some sort.

At the end of a fortnight Sergeant Collie reported to headquarters that he had done all he could, and had completely failed to trace the criminals. As he was convinced that further investigation on the spot—at least for the present was useless, he was recalled to town.

Sergeant Collie had not returned to town above two or three weeks before a telegram was received at Scotland-yard from the respected Inspector Boodie. It ran as follows: "I have just received a telegram from Mr. St. James-Jones, similar in all respects to that of Longleaf, sent of Mr. St. John-Smith, Immense robbery. Send help."

A rapid investigation showed the detective that Inspector Boodie's description of the burglary was absolutely correct. The second burglary corresponded with the first in every detail. It was executed with the same skill and daring; the thieves had forced with the same dexterity an equally strong plate safe, and had removed with the same rapidity and noiseless as an equally large amount of plate and valuable, and finally they left as few traces as might be followed up and identified.

Sergeant Collie, after three hours' most careful and intelligent inspection of the house, its ground and everything in the neighborhood which by any possibility could throw light on the mystery, felt compelled to acknowledge that he was as much at sea as he was before.

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Familiar Sayings. ALLEGED ORIGIN OF MANY WELL-KNOWN VERBAL EXPRESSIONS.

"Go to the dickens" is a popular abbreviation and corruption of "go to the devil's" or "little devils."

"Going to pot" is a reminder of the day when boiling to death was a legal punishment of pardons.

"To be in a brown study," is a corruption of brown study, a study requiring much thought and concentration of the brow.

"To be as dead as a herring" is an expression arising from the fact that herrings die very quickly after being taken out of the water.

"To catch a wren asleep" is indicative of the extreme vigilance of these animals who are disturbed and made wide awake by any sound, however slight.

"To knock the spots out of anything" is an illustration to the skill of Western cowboys who would ride about on horseback, and "spots out of a card held between the fingers of a friend."

"Do as Rome as the Romans do" is credited to a Roman authority than St. Augustine, who advised a convert observed at Rome, to do as other people did.

"All that glitters is not gold" indicates the contempt, which, even to the present day professional sailors feel and express for the compliment on board a man-of-war.

The term "china shodding" is as old as the year 1400, at which date in Venice a society of literary ladies and gentlemen was organized, the members of which as distinguished badge wore pink stockings.

"By the holy poles" is a popular abbreviation of an oath which became common during the Crusades. "By the holy sepulchre" was in the mouths of all Englishmen during the two centuries that the crusades went on.

"To haul over the coals" recalls the formal legal course of trial by fire, the accused walking barefoot over a bed of glowing coals, and his innocence or guilt being deduced from the condition of his feet after a certain number of days elapsed.

"To get into a hurry and could afford the expense travelled by post; that is, with relations of horses at the end of every five or ten miles of the journey, the fresh animals thus enabling greater speed to be made.

The expression "a grass widow" has several fanciful explanations, but it is most probably a corruption of the French, where the grass, a widow of grace or courtesy; that is a woman who has left her husband, or has been deserted by him.

"To give the cold shoulder," was originally a piece of butchery slang. In the colonial days of America purchasers would frequently buy a whole hog to be cut up at home, hence the butcher would ask if the customer meant to give the whole hog or wanted only a part.

"To catch a tartar" recalls a story, told at least two centuries ago, of an Irish exile in the service of the Austrian government who was captured by a Tartar horde, and who called back to his captain that he had caught a Tartar, but that the Tartar refused to be taken into camp.

"There is many a slip 'twixt the cup and the lip," is as old as the days of Anaximus, who, one day, having filled his cup, set it down before drinking, on the information that a wild bear was ravaging his field. Taking his spear he went out to slay the animal, but was killed by the bear.

"Robbing Peter to pay Paul" is said to have originated in an act of the church government of England in 1550. At that date the Cathedral of St. Paul in London being out of repair, and no funds available, a portion of the income of Westminster, which was consecrated to St. Peter, was diverted to the repair of St. Paul's.

"To give the cold shoulder," is said to have originated in an act of the church government in France, and during Norman days in England also. When a guest had overstayed his welcome, instead of the haunch of mutton or other delicacies which were usually served, he was once universally used. Beneath the knocker, in order to prevent disgracing the door, a large nail or bolt was driven. An impatient caller, waiting for the door to be opened, would frequently use the knocker with great force, and the irresponsiveness of the nail gave rise to this expression.

"By hook or by crook" recalls the day when the poor of the English county districts were allowed to go into the forests and pick up such branches as had fallen from the trees. As a hook at the end of a short stick was frequently brought to assist in this labor, and as the straight branches must be left for the landlord, the expression, "by hook or by crook," came to mean the accomplishment of an end in any way or another.

"Whom the gods love die young" is an adage which has come down to us from the Greeks, who believe that long-living years invariably mean increase of sorrow and misery. There is a story told of a mother in Athens who, having rendered the gods some service, was assured that any petition she offered would be heard and answered. She prayed for her three sons the best gifts the gods could bestow; the next morning they were all found dead.

A Minister of the Gospel is Pleased to Tell of the Wonderful Curative Powers of South American Kidney Cure. Rev. James Murdoch, of St. John, N. B. "I have used by South American Kidney Cure with marked success. It will do all the manufacturers claim for it. I felt much benefited after taking the remedy but a couple of days. I have taken in all four bottles, and feel as well as I have ever felt since I was born."

Best Method of Cleaning Black Dress Goods. Every one who wears a black dress, cashmere, Henrietta, etc., are easily cleaned. First remove the grease spots with magnesia, and remember that this fluid is very explosive when exposed to either light or fire.

Make a lather of warm soaps, using a good, strong soap, and a teaspoonful of the above, and wash the goods with water. Into this dip the goods up and down and wash between the hands; then wring gently and pat partly dry; hang in the shade, and when nearly dry iron on the wrong side with a moderately warm iron. Always raise one in lukewarm water, and iron until the material is perfectly dry. Never rub a fabric that is being removed on the washboard, nor wring it tightly, and in using naphtha remember that it roigns the hands, and that after using it is well to put vasoline upon them and to wear old gloves. Wash always in the same manner as cashmere, adding a little gum-arabic to the rinsing water.

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