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Mr. Banks, who writes on "Our Birds" in this number of the REVIEW, has been a close and sympathetic observer his whole life of these friends of ours. He has followed them into their haunts with a love for them and a desire to know more of their ways. In the series of articles that will follow during the spring and summer our readers may feel confident that they are getting the results of a long and careful study of birds from one who knows them and wishes others to know them. Any ques-

tions about birds will be cheerfully answered by Mr. Banks through the REVIEW.

This month's supplement picture will furnish a subject for the children to write a story about. Is the girl on her way to a city or a country school? Does her dress indicate a March or a May morning? Her satchel is not overloaded with books, and there are suggestions that the basket may contain a dainty lunch prepared by mother;—and there are other hints from the picture that will enable the children to write a good story.

A circular has been sent from the Education office of Nova Scotia to the schools of the Province, inviting them to contribute to the cost of the Memorial Tower, now being erected near the city of Halifax. This tower is to commemorate the meeting of Nova Scotia's first legislature, October 2nd, 1758, the first colonial parliament in the British Empire. Contributions may be made by the children in sealed envelopes, to be sent to the inspector before Empire Day.

The April REVIEW will be an Arbor Day and Bird Day Number. Let us all realize that birds and trees give us a brighter, richer and better world. Let the teacher now begin to make plans for a useful Arbor Day programme.

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