

Cheice Miscellany.

WONDERFUL WORDS

For words are wonderful things : They are sweet like the bees' fresh honey, Like the bees they have terrible stings. By and by the little one grows sleepy. This is the season of the y They can bless like the cheering sunsh And brighten a lonely life ; They can cut in the strife of anger Like an open two-edged knife.

Let them pass through your lips unshal-

Jenged, If their errord is true and kind ; If they come to support the weary, To comfort and help the blind, If a bitter, revengin's pirit Prom, ts the words, let them be unsaid ; They may flash through the brain like Webtersize lightening, Or fall on the heart like lead.

Keep then back, if they 're cold and eruel Under the bar and lock and scal; The purse is empty. Quietly, and to Under the bar and lock and seal; The wounds they make, my darlings, Are always slow 'to heal. May pence guand our lives, and ever, From this time of your early youth, May the words that we daily utter Be the beautiful words of truth.

THE FARM-BOY.

rushes to a pawn broker's. She does not \$100 PER ANNUM \$100 coming year Full, Complete and My son do not smile deri-ively at the stay to argue with him, though she knows farm-boy, toiling contentedly yonder by he is cheating her, but hurries to the the wayside. He is not attired as trimly nearest liquor saloon, and slips in the as you are ; nay, his trousers tag at the door above which is written "Family Enknees and hang on him loosely by one trance." A few hours afterward a suspender, his hat is less shapely than it carriage stops at her father's mansion was spring before last and his boots are coarse and rociny; but some years hence cated to her daintily-furnished room. you may be down at Washington begging his influence to help you get a little \$1, Weary, sad. anxious years. Tears, ent-

oco postoffice. And the farm boy may not write as prettily as you do, but in the near future his plain, zevery day signature may draw a great deal better than your beautiful of kin cross the threshold. In a padded, darkened room, with autograph, at the bank.

No, my son, the farm-boy does not chains upon the white wrists and chains No, fuy son, the farm boy does not chans upon the white write write a stard of plug upon the ankles, sits the fair haired, blue-begin his active career under a \$to plug upon the ankles, sits the fair haired, blue-extend daughter not yet sixteen. The is writing write and fade away to a shadow be-cause he cannot have a single-bairelled scarlet, the light of reason is gone. eve-glass to his back.

e-glass to his back. The farm-boy is not familiar with the pas-ionately for the poison which has edged to be the Best Dollar Weekly lap of lazary and in his working clothes ruined her, and then they go away, and he does not resemble a fragile hot bouse leave her alone with the misery which is he does not resemble a fragile not nouse flower, but he is full of grit, my son check full of grit, Very likely he is not gettig much more than his beaide her, she moans : "Won't you call my mother ! O, I've dollar may seem almost as big as a cart wheel to bim, but he is storing up ex-all-wool experience that will pull him through answes of ber childhood. All in vain ! "Won't source that will pull him through pite of your college education and "I've lost my mother ! O, I want my

highly cultured legs, mether ?" I know that you can waltz all around God pity her ! that uncouten farm-bey, my shapely Fancy sketches, these 7 Nay: 1 wish sob, for he has not had time to educate they were. The are painted from life !- 100. Column and inc. F Lis feet so that they might flot get tang-led up with each other in the mad, mazy

whirl; but if you don't keep your eyes open and the inside works of your head What changes the last century has busy he will be likely to waitz so far brought in the education of women ! aliead of you on the race course of suc-cess that you won't see his coat tails college in the land whose doors were

cess that you won't see his ceat tails after the end of the first quarter. Oh, no, the farm-boy hash't much time to read, but I do not doubt but that he uses well the little be has. His life is not sedentary. He has a greet deal of exer-cise in the open air. His father is a very invely old man. He works like a barrel of new eider, and when his resonant voice is heard thundering through his ancestrat halls at 4 s. m. there is a general resur-rection on the premises. Tection on the premises.

At noon our merry farm-boy comes in and after he has swallowed his dimer his "Reminiscence of Wilmington" serves as

and after he has swallowed his dinner his father invites him out under the early harvest apple tree to turn the grind-stone while he is resting his back. The ener-getic old farmer can always find some-thing for the faim-boy to do while he is control to be a room, and he generalthing for the faim-boy to do while he is resting his back at noon, and he general-ly finds it. In the evening the tired farm-boy reads his few books, and is thus sosking in valuable information in scall but effect ive does, whilst you, my beautiful son, are forgetting a large part of that knowl-charaction was considered quite proficient bis few books, and is thus sosking in valuable information in scall but effect ive does, whilst you, my beautiful son, are forgetting a large part of that knowl-charaction was considered quite proficient be spent in making patchwork, spirming shifting and the like. "For what ue," said these simple villagers, "can it be for Annapolis Le've I4 Bridgetown " 28 Middleton " 2 Aylesford 7 Berwick 0 Waterville 59 Kentville d'pt 64 Port Williams'' are forgetting a argie part of the price a sind these simple vinegers, and these simple vinegers, and the set of the set 6 Wolfville 69 Grand Fre 72 Avonport to you because I paid figs it. But you are not such a had boy, after all is suid, and I arm not finding fault with you at all. I merely suggest in a gentle sort of way that you should not But for this perseverance she was tensed 77 Hantsport " 84 Windsor " 116 Windson June" 130 Halifax arrive smile derisively at the toiling farm-boy. Look about you, my son, among the successful men in every calling. A large hajority of them were once toiling farm-boys who absorbed book knowledge out

ed to taste it. Not a moment does the dan's Cavalry Condition Powders fed mother hesitate; not a shadow of the future falls across that gaily-li, hted table Keep a guard on your words, my darlings, For words are wonderful things; remembering, wishes it had been her last testing aber and is carried by the nurse to the couch which, years afterward, the guilty mother, remembering, wishes it had been her last testing blace. Ten years later. A young girl, with nervous air at d stealthy thread, creeping to the locked side board and looking for the missing year. Vainla board for

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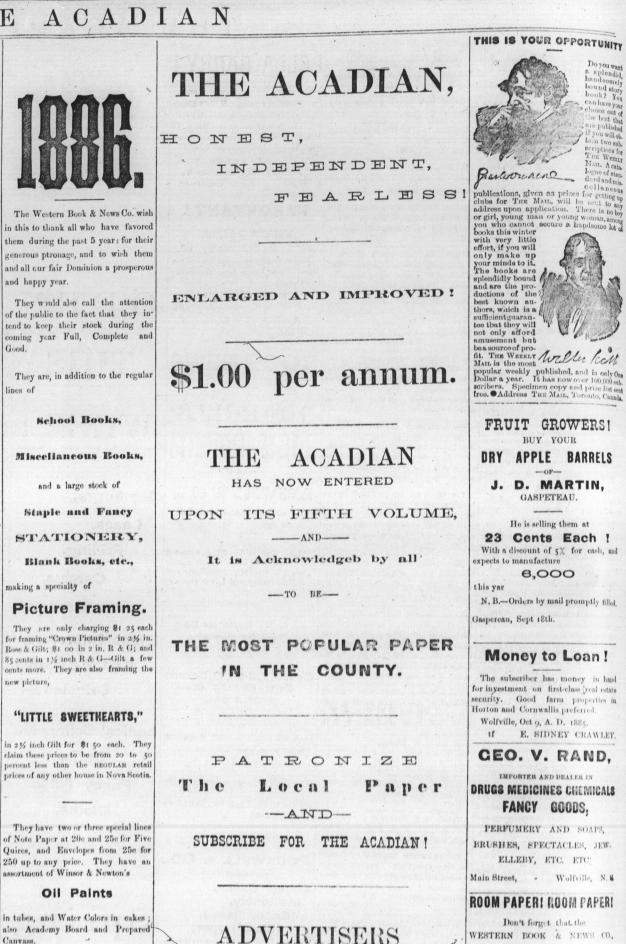
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be leaves it so hard that he never forgets The Generatal began a reminiscence of it. If he leaves the old farm to satisfy bis life, saying :

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