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...Next meeting in Temperance Hall, Thursday, June 9th, at 3.30 P. M. The meetings are always open to any who wish to become members. Visiting members of other W. C. T. Unions are cordially welcomed.

Tobacco In Schools.

Many school directors and teachers are authorizing or giving instruction to the pupils under their charge concerning the injurious effects of the use of tobacco. In Centre County, Penn., the directors have notified the county superintendents of schools that the teachers should be non-users of tobacco, requiring him to enter on every male teacher's certificate granted, whether or not the holder is a user of tobacco in any form. The late Emperor of France, Napoleon the Third though himself a tobacco user, finding that paralysis and insanity had increased in the same ratio as the revenue from tobacco, and having learnt that the users of the product in the schools and colleges were inferior both in scholarship and character to the non-users, prohibited it, by edict, in the national institutions of learning, the minister of instruction likewise issuing a similar circular to the teachers in all the schools of every grade. Efforts in the same direction have been made in Germany. In 1880, the class of Yale University was divided according to grade of scholarship into four divisions, with the result that in the highest division 25 per cent. were found to be users of tobacco; in the second, 48; in the third, 70, while in the fourth, the division in which were the poorest scholars, tobacco was used by 85 per cent.—*Josiah W. Leeds in Christian Statesman.*

Cigarettes.

The figure of a youth with a cigarette has become so familiar upon our streets, that the sight fails to arouse any interest in the passerby. And yet there is nothing which so alarms those fully acquainted with the evil effects of the habit as its increasing prevalence. It is time the nation was aroused to the dangers that threaten its youth. The public should be educated, and a sentiment against the habit created, that the existing laws may be enforced.

"The Cigarette and the Youth," by E. A. King, president of the Anti Cigarette League, presents the facts of the case in such a manner as to arouse the most indifferent. It should be scattered broadcast that no one may be able to claim ignorance as his excuse for failing to condemn the habit. No better work could be done by teachers than to place a copy in the hands of every parent within his reach. Those who are interested in the nation's welfare should buy the leaflet in large quantities for free distribution The price is such that all can afford to do this.

Face Them.

Prof. Henry Drummond gives the following illustration of a boy's temptations: "You have heard of the old castle that was taken by a single gun. The attacking party had only one gun, and it seemed hopeless to try to take the castle; but one soldier said, 'I can show you how to take the castle,' and he pointed the cannon at one spot and fired, and went on all day, never moving the cannon. About nightfall there were a few grains of sand knocked off the wall. He did the same thing the next day, and the next. By and by the stones began to come away, and by steadily working his gun for one week he made a hole in that castle big enough for the army to walk through. Now with a single gun firing away at everybody's life, the devil is trying to get in at one opening. Temptation is the practice of the soul and if you never have any temptation you will never have any practice. A boy who attends fifty drills a year is a much better soldier than one that drills twice. Do not quarrel with your temptations; set yourself resolutely to face them."

The Boys and Girls.

Says President Eliot, of Harvard College: "It is always with the children that the best work is to be done for the uplifting of any community." That is a self-evident truth, and yet it is not so recognized that the state is acting upon it. It allows the boys and girls to be educated into hoodlumism, and then spends its money and its energies in arresting, convicting, and supporting the men and women who are the inevitable result. It is the easiest possible method to deal with them. A child can be prevented at slight cost from going to the bad; it takes hundreds and even thousands of dollars to deal with a confirmed adult criminal. An ounce of prevention here is worth many pounds of ineffective cure.—*"Bible Study.*

Anti-Narcotics.

The most wonderful advance has been made in this line of work. Sentiment is strong against cigarets. The tide is high, and our work seems to receive a response everywhere. The use of the cigaret is increasing, but the increase was less during the past year than for many years. The Dingley Bill prohibits pictures or prizes being placed in the boxes. Everything points to the death of the little "coffin nail" if our women will only continue faithful.

I ask every woman wearing the white ribbon to lend a hand this year in the work of exterminating the cigaret. Why this year? First, because the sentiment against this habit is at fever heat; now is the time to strike. Second, because manufacturers are becoming fearful and are leaving out the dangerous drugs, hoping in this way to stop the agitation.

Many people believe cigarets are injurious only because of these drugs. When they can be made to believe that opium, etc., is not used in the manufacture they will cease to fight. We know the most injurious ingredient is tobacco, and *that* drug we fight now and for all time, but we must crystalize all opposition and use it, and must do this very soon.

IMPOVERISHED BLOOD.

A Condition That Frequently Causes Much Suffering.

MRS HENRY GIFFORD, OF KENTVILLE, PROVES THE VALUE OF DR. WILLIAMS' PINK PILLS IN THIS CONDITION.

The case of Mrs Henry Gifford, of Kentville, who some time ago was cured of a distressing malady through the medium of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, is of peculiar value as illustrating the rapidity with which this remarkable medicine operates. A representative of the ACADIAN who called upon Mrs Gifford the other day to elicit information concerning her cure, found her to be a very intelligent lady, and a hearty advocate of the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Upon learning the object of his call Mrs Gifford expressed herself as pleased at the prospect of having an opportunity to give publicity to her remarkable cure. "I have told all my friends about it," she said, "but have often felt that it was my duty to have a statement of my case published in the papers. Three years ago this spring my system was in a badly run down state. In this condition I was attacked by a heavy cold and an enlarged tonsil of great size and extreme painfulness was the result. For nine weary months I was unable to turn my head and my health became such that I could not exert myself in the least. Several physicians were consulted, but without the slightest benefit. The swelling was finally lanced but the operation only aggravated the matter as my blood was so impoverished that the incision did not heal but developed into a running sore. Despondency seized me and at times I almost wished that I was dead. At last by a happy chance I was advised to use Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. After using a few boxes the swelling disappeared and perfect health and buoyancy of spirits returned." Since that time Mrs Gifford has had implicit confidence in Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and has used them for any physical disorder of herself or children with the same happy results.

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There are thousands of women who have heard of the great saving that can be effected by home dyeing when the Diamond Dyes are used, and have decided to experiment for themselves.

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The Diamond Dyes are the only dyes that reputable dealers handle and sell The wise merchant keeps a full stock of Diamond Dyes, because the daily demand is so great for these guaranteed and world-famed coloring agents. The woman who uses Diamond Dyes for her first dyeing operation will never use other makes. Bright, strong, clear, lasting and fashionable colors are obtained only from the Diamond Dyes.

Book of directions and card of 48 colors free to any address. Write to Wells & Richardson Co., Montreal, P. Q.

Sarcastic Novelist.

The people who want—and do not scruple to ask for—favors from public men are sometimes so unreasonable as almost to deserve a rude answer. Such an answer, for example, as "The Golden Penny" quotes:

A certain novelist, not unknown to fame, received from a lady an unstamped letter asking the loan of his book, on the plea that she could not obtain it at the bookseller's in her town. His reply was worded as follows:

DEAR MADAM,—In the town where you reside there appears to be a lack of all sorts of things which are easily procurable elsewhere—not only of my recent work, but also of postage stamps for letters. I have in my possession, it is true, the book you desire to obtain and also the stamps to pay its carriage, but, to my regret, I am without the necessary string to make it into a parcel. If you can supply me with a piece, I am at your service."

For Tea Drinkers.

How many ladies when sipping their tea think of the legend pertaining to the tea plant? Dharma, the ascete priest, was the son of a king of India. He went into China and for the space of nine years he remained in contemplation of a temple. Later he went to Japan, and he died on Mt. Katawka. He imposed upon himself, as the first rule of his life, privation from sleep. One day, indignant at falling asleep, he cut off his eyelids and threw them away as miserable sinners. From the spot where the eyelids had fallen sprang up a bush which is the tea plant, affording the perfumed beverage which chases away sleep.

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WM. REGAN.

Wolfville, Oct. 14th, 1896.

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WE want to sell this month 50 PIANOS and 100 SEWING MACHINES and to do this we expect to make BIG discounts from our regular prices. If you do not expect to buy a PIANO or a SEWING MACHINE for MANY YEARS to come, we can make it pay you to buy now.

Please do not keep back because you cannot pay more than $3.00 per month on a Piano or 75c on a SEWING MACHINE. To call does not mean to buy unless you wish to.

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Solid Klondike Gold Rings, with Opal, $2.00; Klondike Solid Gold Rings, with Ruby and 2 Pearls, $1.50. 1000 Solid Gold Rings to select from. We have the largest stock of Silverware of any Jeweller in the Province. Silver Cake Baskets from $2.25; Castors, with 5 bottles, from $2.00; Pie Knives, Gravy or Soup Ladles, Cream Ladles, Spoons, Forks, Knives, Berry Spoons, etc. Klondike Gold Watches, with fine American Movements, from $6.00 to $90.00.

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☞ *Sole Agent for Klondike Gold Jewellery for the County.*

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A talkative tag.

The tag on every pair of "Slater Shoes" tells the leather, its wear, service adapted to, how the shoe is made, how to care for it and the factory number, by which any faults may be traced to the operative. This tag is good for five cents on a bottle of Slater Shoe Polish. Goodyear Welted and stamped on the sole by the makers. $3.00, $4.00 and $5.00 per pair.

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TRAINS WILL ARRIVE WOLFVILLE.
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Express from Kentville	5 35, a m
Express " Halifax	9 02, a m
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TRAINS WILL LEAVE WOLFVILLE.
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Express for Halifax	5 35, a m
Express " Yarmouth	9 02, a m
Express for Halifax	3 13, p m
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By far the finest and fastest steamer plying out of Boston, leaves Yarmouth, N. S., every MONDAY and THURSDAY, immediately on arrival of Express Trains, arriving in Boston early next morning. Returning, leaves Long Wharf, Boston, every SUNDAY and WEDNESDAY at 4.30 p. m. Unequalled cuisine on Dominion Atlantic Railway Steamers and Express Trains.

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Regular mail carried on steamer. Tickets sold to all points in Canada, via Central Vermont or Canadian Pacific Ry., and to New York via Fall River Line, Stonington Line, New York, Haven & Hartford and Boston and Albany R. R.

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W. A. CHASE, Secretary and Treas. L. E. BAKER, Manager.

Yarmouth, April 26th, 1898.

Sheriff's Sale.

1898 A No. 582

In the Supreme Court.

Between—William S. Pineo and Robert V. Jones, Executors of John O. Pineo, deceased, Plaintiffs,
and
Joseph H. Pineo, Defendant.

TO be sold at Public Auction, by the Sheriff of the County of Kings, or his deputy, at the Court House in Kentville, in said County, on Tuesday, the fourteenth day of June, A. D., 1898, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, pursuant to an order of foreclosure and sale made herein dated the third day of May, A. D., 1898, unless before the time of sale the sum due the plaintiffs herein for principal, interest and costs be paid to them or their solicitor.

All the estate, right, title, interest, claim, property, demand and equity of redemption of the above named defendant and of all persons claiming by, through or under him, of, in, to or out of all that lot and piece of land situated in Lower Pereau, in the County aforesaid, and formerly owned and occupied by Mayhew L. Newcomb, deceased, and bounded as follows, on the north by the main road passing through Pereau, on the east by lands of Philip Brown, on the south by the Basin of Minas, and on the west by lands of D. H. Newcombe, containing thirty-seven acres more or less, together with the buildings, ways, waters, water courses, easements and appurtenances thereto belonging or in any wise appertaining.

TERMS OF SALE:—Ten per cent. deposit at time of sale, balance on delivery of deed.

STEPHEN BELCHER,
High Sheriff.

E. S. CRAWLEY,
Plaintiff's Solicitor.

Sheriff's Office, Kentville, May 13th, A. D., 1898.

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☞ Orders left at the store of L. W Sleep will be promptly attended to. 7

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Four years ago Jacob Dewitts, of Hay Island, was dragged to the verge of death by dreadful heart disease. He was given up to die. From vigorous manhood he had gone to a broken despondent wreck. He procured Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart, used it faithfully, and to-day weighs 218 pounds, and lives to bless the day the great remedy was recommended to him. It relieves in 30 minutes.—24.

For sale by Geo. V. Rand.

Automatic Hot Air and Vapor Bath Cabinets.

Fully tested in thousands of cases with perfect success, from Press and Medical Profession. An adjunct to the doctors. A child can operate it. Bath in your Bedroom costing about 4 cents each time used.

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NO SLEEP—NO REST.

ALL do not appreciate the words of John G. Saxe, who sang, "God bless the man who first invented sleep!" But appreciation is not wanting to those who have suffered as Mrs. White, of Mara Township, Ont., who became so ill with nervous troubles that, to quote her brother, Mr. Donald McRae, a well-known resident of that illustrious section of North Ontario: "My sister had not slept a night for over three months. She could not have stood this much longer, and it was only when death seemed imminent that South American Nervine became the good physician. After taking the first dose of the Nervine she slept all night, and gained in flesh quite perceptibly, and has now no sign of nervousness." This is a wonderful medicine in the severest cases of nervousness, and the greatest flesh-builder to be found anywhere in the world.—25.

For sale by Geo. V. Rand.

Scraps for Odd Moments.

Man proposes, woman seldom refuses.

A person who never changes his mind is one who has so little mind that he can't afford to run any risks with it."

Dollie—He promised to send back my lock of hair, but he hasn't done it yet.

Mollie—That's the way with these hair restorers—all promise and no performance.

Miss Hiborn—It seems to run very well for a day and a half, and then it will not go at all.

Watchmaker—Yes; it should be wound occasionally.

"Why, Nellie dear," said the little girl's teacher, "I haven't seen you for several days."

"Nome," replied Nellie; "I've been on an exertion with mamma."

Minards Liniment is the Best.

"How's your brother, Tommy?"

"Ill in bed, miss; he's hurt himself."

"How did he do that?"

"We were playing at who could lean farthest out of a railway carriage window and he won."

"Victim of hard luck, of course?" asked the sarcastic citizen. "In every shape and form," answered Dismal Dawson. "W'y, my friend, I never git out of jail but what the weather turns cold er begins to rain."

"Isn't it curious," said Hawkins, "when a frog has its mouth open it can't breathe."

"What a pity our Congressmen aren't built on the same principle," observed Watson.

"Ah!" joyfully cried the young man who had got employment at painting the Union Station, "the prophesies of my family are now being fulfilled. They often said that I would adorn some great station before I died."

Minards Liniment for Rheumatism.

Dick—Yes, you see, I'm in no end of a fix. I would never have proposed if I'd had the least idea that she would accept me, but she did.

Jack—Well, propose again, as if you had forgotten. That ought to make her angry enough to refuse you.

Mrs Goodsoul—I am told that some of the persons who are tramping are thoughtful and religious men. Are you a criterion?

Seldum Fedd (at a venture)—Yes'm; I used to be an Episcopalian, but seen de error of me ways an' changed over.

Minards Liniment Cures La Grippe.

"Yes, dear, I met your father and told him that I wanted to talk with him as one man with another."

"And—"

"Well, that was the kind of talk I got. With all the temper he has I am sure he would never have used such language in talking to a woman."

Mrs De Fad (who cannot stand the odor of turpentine)—I would have sent for you to have done this cleaning last week, but we have been having the outside of our house painted, and it made us all sick.

Mrs McSead (sympathizingly)—Sure, I don't wonder. Thim colors is enough to make anyone sick."

First Sea Serpent—Say, it looks as if we were going to have a pretty dull time along the coast this summer.

Second ditto ditto—You may have a dull time, but I expect to scare more people than ever.

"How are you going to work it?"

"I'm going to tie a yellow Spanish flag to the tip of my tail."

How they say grace in Georgia.—A party of gentlemen having sat down to dinner, one of them, Colonel Waddell was asked to say grace, and, bowing his head, said: "Lord, make us honest and rich." An editor, who was present, promptly responded: "Amen. Give the colonel the former and thy humble servant the latter, as thou see'st we need, and do it quickly."

Minards Liniment the Best Hair Restorer.

A good many pastors have felt as Mr Beecher did when he was about to take a ride behind a hired horse at a livery stable. He regarded the horse admiringly, and remarked: "That is a fine looking animal. Is he as good as he looks?"

The owner replied: "Mr Beecher, that horse will work in any place you put him, and do all that any horse can do."

The preacher eyed the horse still more admiringly, and then humorously remarked: "I wish to goodness that he was a member of our church."

A native of Ireland landing at Greenock, wanted to take the train to Glasgow. Never having been in a railway station before he did not know how to get his ticket. Seeing a lady, however, going in, Pat thought he would follow her, and he would soon know how to get aboard. The lady, going to the ticket-box and putting down her money, said, "Maryhill, single." Her ticket was duly handed to her, and she walked off. Pat, thinking it all right, planked down his money, and shouted: "Patrick Murphy; married."

MINARD'S LINIMENT is the *only* Liniment asked for at my store and the only one we keep for sale.

All the people use it.

HARLAN FULTON.
Pleasant Bay, C. B.

"My poor mistaken brother," said the faith curist to the man who was moaning at the side of the road, "you have within your reach the simplest and most effectual of remedies. That remedy is the power of mind. Your agony is the result of a mental delusion. You believe you are in pain; therefore you suffer. You were expecting this disease of derangement, and nothing but the influence of mind over matter has led to believe that it has arrived."

"I was expecting it, was I?" howled the sufferer. "Great Guns! I have just been run down by a blankety blank bicycle."