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Dear Puck and Beavers.—As I did not see my letter in "The Farmer's Advocate," but saw my name in the Honor Roll, I thought I would write again and see if it would be in print. The name of our best horse is "Darkey." He is twenty-five years old, and is as lively as a seven-year-old. Yesterday morning my sister Ollie, and my brother Frederick, went on a trip to Saginaw to visit my aunt, uncle, and cousins. Santa Claus used me pretty well this Christmas. He generally does.

(VA JOY LOBB (age 12, Sr. IV). P. S.—Will you please put my name in the paper as "Joy"?)

[It is against the rules to use pen-names in the Beaver Circle, Joy.]

Dear Puck and Beavers.—After having been a silent reader of your charming Circle for five years, I will now write my last letter. I wrote one letter before. It was my introduction to your Circle, and this is my farewell. I am 15 going on 16. I will be a Beaver no more after the 19th of February.

When I last wrote we lived at Granton. Now we live at Kirkton. I asked for correspondents last time. I got two, or three, rather, but I answered one, and that is almost eight months ago, and have not received an answer. Where is Sadie Bageint gone, and Effie Groh? We never hear of Effie now. Perhaps she is busy.

I am a great bookworm. Some of my favorite books are "Black Beauty," "Black Rock," "Beulah," "Inez," "St. Elmo," "A World of Girls," and "A Bevy of Girls." How many Beavers have read the Henty books? I have read two. They are, "By Right of Conquest," and "Under Drake's Flag." I like books with lots of adventure in them. The Henty books have a great deal of adventure.

Well, I think I have taken up all the room that the precious Circle can spare. Farewell, Puck and Beavers. Hoping to see this in print.

IVA DENHAM. Kirkton, Ont., R. R. No. 1.

P. S.—Here is a riddle for Beavers to answer. "How many peas in a pint?" We have decided not to set any age limit for the Senior Beavers, Iva, so your farewell need not be a real farewell after all.

Our Junior Beavers.

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When I am tucked in bed at night
As safe as safe can be,
The gentle Darkness comes around
And snuggles up to me.
Close to my ears it whispers thoughts;
It very often seems
To be a blackboard where I draw
The nicest kind of Dreams.
The Darkness gives my tired eyes
Another kind of sight,
So I can see the tenderness
Of all the quiet Night.
The Darkness watches near to me;
I rest beneath Its arm
That spreads above my cozy bed,
Protecting me from harm.
O, how can children be afraid
Of Darkness, anyway?
Why, Darkness is the satin cloak
That hides the Heart of Day.

Junior Beaver's Letter Box.

Dear Puck,—I wrote a year ago last August, but did not see it in print till near Christmas. I hope that it was not

that my writing could not be made out, and hope it is better now.

I am going to tell you about my garden. In the spring I planted seeds in a quite large spot. They came up, only my corn and parsnips did not grow very well. One day when my corn was growing, the geese ate all the ears off. I am getting ten cents for my turnips, and five for my parsnips. My cucumber vines had cucumbers on before my mother's. My carrots, beets and sunflowers, were the best of my garden.

I have read quite a few books this year, "Seven Little Sisters," "The Guiding Angel," "The Danglest Guest," "The Hoosier Schoolboy," "Outdoors," "Plant Life in Field and Garden."

Our school-teacher's name is Miss Edna Frost.

GRACE PRINDLE. (Age 8, Book II.)

Thomasburg, Ont.

This is a very good letter for a little girl, Grace.

Dear Puck and Beavers.—I thought I would write you a letter. This is my first letter. My father has taken "The Farmer's Advocate" for as long as I can remember. Just as soon as "The Farmer's Advocate" comes I want to read the letters. I have a little sister only five months old. Her name is Martha Pearl; we call her Pearl. She also likes to see "The Advocate." I go to school every day I can. I am in the Junior Third Class. We are going to have a Christmas entertainment in our Sunday-school. I guess that will be all this time, so good-bye.

HAZEL M. SPURTZINGER.

Dear Puck,—As I did not see my other letter in print I thought I would write another. I am going to tell you a story about a dog which I think the Beavers will be very much interested in.

One time a man had a dog. The dog was old and not very useful. He heard his master say he was going to kill him. The next day the dog told a wolf that was a friend of his to come and carry away the man's little child. The dog would run after him and would take it back, and his master would not kill him for saving his child.

Wishing the Beaver Circle every success.

JEAN ANDERSON. (Age 9, Class III.)

Winchester, Ont.

Dear Puck and Beavers,—My father has taken "The Farmer's Advocate" for a number of years, and he likes it fine. I have a dog; his name is Sport. I have harness for him. One day I hitched him to my sled, and he ran everywhere. I fell off my sled and he ran away on me. One day he pulled me down the hill against the fence and hurt my leg. Another day he pulled me so fast past our pig-house, that I fell off and hit my head against it. I have two sisters; their names are Grace and Anna Mae. We have a new teacher at our school. Our old teacher's name was Miss McDonald. She went away at Christmas. I guess I will close, wishing the Beavers every success.

RAE TUSSLER. (Age 11, Jr. III.)

Wellesley, Ont.

Dear Puck and Beavers,—This is my first letter to your charming Circle. My brother has taken "The Farmer's Advocate" for over two years, and he would not be without it. I enjoy reading the letters very much, but never had courage to write before.

I have two pets, a dog and a colt. My dog and I go after the cows in summer; his name is Sport. My colt's name is Polly. She is very quiet. She will come up and taste salt out of my hand. Well, my letter is getting long. I would like some of the Beavers my own age to write to me.

GREETA BAILEY. (Age 9, Book Jr. II.)

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A MAN tried to sell me a horse once. He said it was a fine horse and had nothing the matter with it. I wanted a fine horse, but, I didn't know anything about horses much. And I didn't know the man very well either.

So I told him I wanted to try the horse for a month. He said "All right," but pay me first, and I'll give you back your money if the horse isn't all right." Well, I didn't like that. I was afraid the horse wasn't "all right" and that I might have to whistle for my money if I once parted with it. So I didn't buy the horse, although I wanted it badly. Now, this set me thinking.

You see I make Washing Machines—the "1000 Gravity" Washer.

And I said to myself, lots of people may think about my Washing Machine as I thought about the horse, and about the man who owned it.

But I'd never know, because they wouldn't write and tell me. You see I sell my Washing Machines by mail. I have sold over half a million that way. So, thought I, it is only fair enough to let people try my Washing Machines for a month, before they pay for them, just as I wanted to try the horse.

Now, I know what our "1000 Gravity" Washer will do. I know it will wash the clothes, without wearing or tearing them, in less than half the time they can be washed by hand or by any other machine.

I know it will wash a tub full of very dirty clothes in Six Minutes. I know no other machine ever invented can do that, without wearing the clothes. Our "1000 Gravity" Washer does the work so easy that a child can run it almost as well as a strong woman, and it don't wear the clothes, fray the edges, nor break buttons, the way all other machines do.

It just drives soapy water clear through the fibres of the clothes like a force pump might.

So, said I to myself, I will do with my "1000 Gravity" Washer what I wanted the man to do with the horse. Only I won't wait for people to ask me. I'll offer first, and I'll make good the offer every time.

Let me send you a "1000 Gravity" Washer on a month's free trial. I'll pay the freight out of my own pocket, and if you don't want the machine after you've used it a month, I'll take it back and pay the freight too. Surely that is fair enough, isn't it?

Doesn't it prove that the "1000 Gravity" Washer must be all that I say it is?

And you can pay me out of what it saves for you. It will save its whole cost in a few months in wear and tear on the clothes alone. And then it will save 50 to 75 cents a week over that in washwoman's wages. If you keep the machine after the month's trial, I'll let you pay for it out of what it saves you. If it saves you 60 cents a week, send me 50 cents a week 'till paid for. I'll take that cheerfully, and I'll wait for my money until the machine itself earns the balance. I'll stop me a line to-day, and let me send you a book about the "1000 Gravity" Washer that washes clothes in six minutes.

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I. U. MORRIS, Manager 1900 Washer Co.,
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