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strong will of their own it might be | We can warble like a buzz-saw, again just as well for them to keep away from the above. I would be very pleased to correspond with some of your Western subscribers and promise to answer any letters I may receive promptly. I trust I have not made my letter too lengthy. Wishing the W.H.M. every success. I remain, Yours in the mist. "Toronto."

To Archibald.

Sir,-In perusing the March number of the W.H.M. re the correspondence column, my eyes fell upon the letter of "Admirer of Archibald" and his strong denunciation of the opposite sex. I could hardly let his statements go unchallenged, as I think they are quite wide of the mark and unwarranted, and I for one take exception to them. I should think I am voicing the sentiments of the majority of your male correspondents when I say that, the progress, the happiness, the health and the destiny of the world depends upon wise marriages. A wise man has said that "Every wise woman buildeth her house," and the man who is wise marries her and lives in it, and his life is a triumphant song of peace, joy and contentment. If "Admirer's" life of single blessedness is synonymous with these last three essentials mentioned above, then let him continue in it; but such is not the case, and the sooner 'Admirer" falls into line with right thinking men the better the world will be for his having lived in it. I would like to remind "Admirer," that man's first duty to a woman is to see that she shall not be obliged to earn her own livelihood. But such would not be the ambition of "Admirer," if I have read his letter aright concerning his remarks of the pioneer days of Ontario. Those days are past for this generation. Surely "Admirer" would not have us stay in the same old rut in these days of enlightenment and advanced civilization? I believe that women of to-day would respond quickly enough if it were needed to do the pioneering of days gone by. In every walk of life and vocation of to-day women are taking the places of trust and responsibility, because shrewd business men recognize their trustworthiness, hence their living on a higher plane in many respects than we men. I would remind "Admirer" that woman ministers at the very fountain of life and happiness. Upon her health, her intelligence, her piety, her patience, constancy and temper, depend the comfort and success of mankind. Now, "Admirer," I trust that you will meditate a little on this all absorbing topic and that you will find food for thought in your lonely bachelor hours, and who knows what might happen? Instead of being an "Admirer" of Archibald might not you become an admirer of the opposite sex? For "of earthly goods the best is a good wife." I know nothing of married life personally, but from observations made from time to time I have come to the conclusion that we men by remaining single are missing the greatest thing in life. Thanking you in advance, editor, for space allotted, I am yours etc., "A Rocanville Observer." etc.,

quoting our big brother, but luckfly they never mean all they say. We had good luck last fall to hear Melba, the world's greatest lady singer. We would like a few correspondents for pastime only. No. 1 or "Wise" would like to hear from "Mountain Tough" of February number. No. 2 or "Otherwise" would like to hear from "Honey Boy" also of February issue, if they will write first. Wishing the W.H.M. every success, we remain, "Wise and Otherwise."

A Chance for the Ladies.

Sir,-We have been interested readers of your valuable paper for the past few years, especially the correspondence column. We would like to get into touch with some of your lady readers, as we are getting discontented with our lot as bachelors, this being our third year batching, and find it rather difficult to be housekeepers and hired men. I guess your readers would like to know more about us. We came from the sunny south of Ireland, and have been in this country five years. We have two dandy homes, and apply for our patents this fall, and are willing to share our lot for better or for worse with some nice sensible girl. One .f us stands over six feet high, weigh 187 lbs., can't boast of a handsome "mug" age 27 (that's right), smoke, don't chew, fond of music and sport and a strict T.T. The other stands 5 ft. 7 in., weighs 160 lbs., pretty good looking, fair com-plexion; no bad habits, and fond of all sport, especially football. We are quite satisfied with the country, though not being engaged in agricultural pursuits in "Ould Ireland," being "Pen Wallopers." We have sixteen head of stock, and will have forty acres in crop this summer, so will have everything comfortable if "any one" turns up. We don't believe having a wife as "Chore Bhoy," as lots of our neighbors do. We are in earn-est; "no blarney." Would like to hear soon if this escapes the waste paper basket. Yours, Pat and Mike.

An Interested and Persistent Reader.

Dear Sir,-I have been an interested reader of your well known paper for several years now, and have always wished to join your correspondence club. With this end in view, I wrote you last November and again in January, but am sorry to say that so far I have not been fortunate enough to have my letters appear in your columns. If you could possibly find room for this one I should feel more than grateful to you. I guess I had better describe myself as it seems to be the rule. I am twenty

Contracted a Heavy Cold. It Became a Lung

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Wise and Otherwise.

Sir,-We have been two silent (very unusual) but very much interested readers of your W.H.M. for two years, and think, as who would not, that it is the best magazine published? As for a description, well-our bro-

ther nicknames us, slim and stout. No. l is 17 years young, 5 ft. 6 in., short, fair straight hair, except when screwed up in ra s or curlers, grey eyes, weight, 120 lbs. No. 2 is 18 years old, height, 5 ft. 4 in., and nearly the same across, brown hair (never indulge in kinks and curls), eyes, indescribable shade, as for complexion-oh you peaches and cream! We have always lived in a village. No have no use for liquor, smoking or chewing, do not dance or play cards, but are very fond of music, reading, skating, and like a good clean game of hockey. Both play the piano. No. 2 learning to manipulate the mouth-or-gan is also the organist in the church 1 hates farming, No. 2 loves it. We

two years old, about five foot ten, dark hair and eyes, and am considered fairly well built. In your October issue, appeared a letter from "Smiling Sun" of Calgary, which rather appealed to me. I should very much like to hear from her, or from any other girl, who would like to take pity on a city bachelor, who gets mighty lonesome. I can't propose to be a model young man, as I like a pipe after meals, and I have been heard to drop a cuss-word, when using a hammer carelessly or upon picking up something a trifle over-heated. I believe those are my greatest faults, but of course, we can't see ourselves as others see us. So, now, girls ("Sun-beam" in particular), do you think you would like to do me a good turn, by writing to me, or am I too much of a black sheep to suit your maidenly fancies? Now, Mr. Editor, I guess I will not take up any more of your valuable space, that is if you will decide to insert this at all. Wishing you and paper every success, I will sign my-self. "Lonesome Calgarian."

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