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TOWN OF WOLFVILLE.
T. L. HARVEY, Mayor.
A. E. COLWELL, Town Clerk.

OFFICE HOURS:
9.00 to 12.30 a. m.
1.30 to 3.00 p. m.
Close on Saturday at 12 o'clock.

POST OFFICE, WOLFVILLE.
OFFICE HOURS, 8.00 a. m. to 8.00 p. m.
On Saturdays open until 8.30 p. m.
Mails are made up as follows:

For Halifax and Windsor close at 6.15
a. m.
Express west close at 9.45 a. m.
Express east close at 3.30 p. m.
Kentville close at 6.30 p. m.
E. S. CRAWLEY, Post Master.

CHURCHES.

BAPTIST CHURCH.—Rev. E. D. Webber,
Pastor. Services: Sunday, preaching
at 11.00 a. m. and 7.00 p. m.;
Sunday School at 2.30 p. m.; E. Y. P.
U. prayer-meeting on Sunday evening
at 6.15, and Church prayer-meeting on
Wednesday evening at 7.30. Women's
Missionary Aid Society meets on Wed-
nesday afternoon, 3 o'clock, in the
month, and the Women's prayer-meeting
on the third Wednesday of each month
at 3.30 p. m. All saints welcome at
the door to welcome strangers.

PREBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Rev. David
Wright, Pastor. St. Andrew's Church,
Wolfville: Public Worship every Sunday
at 11 a. m., and at 7 p. m. Sunday
School at 10 a. m. Prayer Meeting on
Wednesday at 7.30 p. m. Chalmers'
Church, Lower Horton: Public Worship
on Sunday at 3 p. m. Sunday School at
10 a. m. Prayer Meeting on Tuesday at
7.30 p. m.

METHODIST CHURCH.—Rev. J. W.
Beastwood, Pastor. Services on the Sab-
bath at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sabbath
School at 11.00 a. m. Prayer Meet-
ing on Wednesday evening at 7.45. All
the saints are freewillers welcomed
at all the services. At Greenwood, preach-
ing at 3 p. m. on the Sabbath.

CHURCH OF ENGLAND.
St. John's Parish Church, or Horton.—
Services: Holy Communion every
Sunday, 8 a. m.; First and Third Sunday
at 11 a. m. Mattins every Sunday 11 a.
m. Evensong 7.15 p. m. Wednes-
day Evening, 7.30 p. m. Special services
in Advent, Lent, etc., by notice in
church. Sunday School, 10 a. m. Super-
intendent and teacher of Bible Class, the
Rector.

All seats free. Strangers heartily wel-
come.

Rev. R. F. Dixon, Rector.
Geo. A. Pres., Warden.

St. Francis (Catholic)—Rev. William
Brown, P. P.—Mass 11 a. m. the fourth
Sunday of each month.

MASONIC.
St. George's Lodge, A. F. & M. M.
meets at their Hall on the second Friday
of each month at 7.30 o'clock.

A. M. WEAVER, Secretary.

ODDFELLOWS.
MATHER'S LODGE, No. 92, meets every
Monday evening at 8 o'clock, in their hall,
a Harris Block. Visiting brethren al-
ways welcome.

Dr. F. Moore, Secretary.

TEMPERANCE.
WOLFVILLE Division B. of T. meets
every Monday evening in their Hall at
7.30 o'clock.

FORESTERS.
Court Blomfield, I. O. F., meets in
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day of each month at 7.30 p. m.

F. J. PORTER,
Licensed Auctioneer,
WOLFVILLE, N. S.

Will receive except calls to sell in any
part of the county.

More bread and Better bread
—And the Reason for it

A STRONG FLOUR can only
be made from strong wheat.
Manitoba hard wheat is acknowl-
edged the strongest in the world—
and that is the kind used for
Purity Flour.

But that's not all. Every grain
of this wheat contains both high-
grade and low-grade particles.
In separating the high-grade parts
from the low-grade, the Western
Canada Flour Mills use the best

wheat through a process so exacting
that not a single low-grade particle
has the remotest chance of getting
in with the high-grade.

It means that Purity Flour is
made entirely of the highest-grade
flour parts of the strongest wheat
in the world.

It means a high-class, strong flour
and therefore yields "more bread
and better bread."

Purity may cost a little more
than some flour, but results prove
it the cheapest and most economi-
cal after all.

PURITY FLOUR
WESTERN CANADA FLOUR MILLS COMPANY, LIMITED
MILLS AT WINNIPEG, GODBICHL, BRANDON

Professional Carps.

DENTISTRY.
Dr. A. J. McKenna
Graduate of Philadelphia Dental College
Office in McKenna Block, Wolfville.
Telephone No. 43.
GAS ADMINISTERED.

Dr. J. T. Roach
DENTIST.
Graduate Baltimore College of Dental
Surgeons. Office in
HERBERT BLOCK, WOLFVILLE, N. S.
Office Hours: 9-12 a. m.; 1-5 p. m.

Dr. D. J. Munro,
Graduate Baltimore College of Dental
Surgery. 47
Office Hours: 9-12 a. m.; 1-5 p. m.
Barriss Building, Wolfville.

Leslie R. Fain,
ARCHITECT,
AYLESFORD, N. S.
W. B. ROSSOR, E. C. BARRY W. ROSSOR, LL. B.
ROSCOE & ROSCOE
BARRISTERS, SOLICITORS,
NOTARIES, ETC.
KENTVILLE, N. S.

E. F. MOORE
PHYSICIAN & SURGEON.
OFFICE: Delaney's Building, Main St.
RESIDENCE: Methodist Parsonage, Gasperaus
Avenue.
OFFICE HOURS: 9-10 a. m.; 2-3 p. m.,
7-9 p. m.
Telephone connection at office and
residence.

KING EDWARD HOTEL
Corner North & Lockman Sts.,
HALIFAX.
Fitted with all modern improvements,
commodiously furnished. Situation and
view unsurpassed in Halifax. Within five
minutes ride by street cars to the centre
of the city.
Terms—\$2.00 to \$2.50 per day, accord-
ing to location.
WM. WILSON, Proprietor

Expert Piano Tuning
Guaranteed.
Voicing, Regulating and Repairing.
Organs Tuned and Repaired.
M. C. COLLINS,
P. O. Box 341, Wolfville, N. S.

CLARKE'S
AUCTION SALES ROOMS
is the Oldest Established and Best in the
Province.
WEEKLY
Sales of Horses, Wagons, Harness,
Sleighs, etc.
Also—House Furnishings of every
description.
Telephone No. 76 & 80 Argyle St.,
Halifax, N. S.

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Rates quoted and tickets issued from
ANY PLACE EAST
TO
ANY PLACE WEST
And Vice Versa.
W. B. HOWARD, D. P. A., C. P. R., ST. JOHN, N. B.
Full Information
on Application.

Useless.

A life without a motive
Is a motion thing at best,
When so many waste doing
Which would bring us peace and rest.
It brings us pain and worry,
And all efforts poorly spent.
A life without a motive,
Like a plant without a flower,
Rarely ends in disappointment
As the wilting of its power.
Each life is sent for something,
That something each must find.
We know that ever we grasp it,
We must work among our kind.
A life without a motive
Is a thing that can't exist
Unless we do our duty—
And bring light down through the
darkness of our kind.

The Playactress.

BY S. R. CROCKETT.
CHAPTER IV.—Continued.
Gilbert was so surprised that for a
moment he looked doubtful and was
wondered. Looking up, the child
caught the expression. Her face fell.
"Didn't Ailie say them good?" she
asked, anxiously.
"Say what good?" he queried, in re-
turn, looking down at her.
"Why, Ailie's prayers of course."
"Yes, very good indeed. They were
good prayers," said Gilbert, with con-
fidence.
"His own were often not so good."
"And plenty of them—no skipping—
or skimpin'?"
The little white had a sing-song,
slow way of speaking, sometimes
dwelling on the syllables—which was
indeed one of her permanent and
most delightful characteristics. Then
again she would rap out her words
like rindrops falling on the bottom
of a tin water-can sitting under the
eaves.

"No," said her grandfather, "no
skipping or skimpin'."
"Well, then, my fairy story, if you
please," she said, laying her head
down contentedly to listen. "I like
'bout Jack the Giant-killer best—'g'
best, because he was a kind of tea-
ter, and—
"The Great Preacher had no stock
of the article required, and he looked
more nonplussed than if he had been
asked to preach a sermon without
knowing his own text. And this was
his own particular brand of night-
gown."

"Not fairy stories good for little
girls!" said the small Ailie, very
anxiously indeed. For the whole
future was at stake.

"Oh, yes, good enough," said Gil-
bert, hastily; "but you see it is long
since grandfather told any, that he
has forgotten."

"But you can make it up as you go
along, such as Aunt Bessie. Or, if
you aren't clever like her, you can
tell me the same story you did in
church this morning. That was
nearly as good as Jack the Giant-
killer. It was that one, you know,
'bout the boy that runned away from
his father—but afterwards when he
got very hungry he came back—and
his father gave him things. But,"
she added, sternly and frankly, "if
he had been my boy, I'd have whupped
him right soundly and sent him to
bed. Tell that grandfather—tell it
long and good."

"I shall tell you as long as one I
can, Ailie, my lassie, but not that one
to-night. Are you not cold?" he said,
anxiously and suddenly.

"He new his plaid jealously about
them, but as they sat on the edge of
the bed. Now, Stephen Armstrong's
Gizie had her ear at the keyhole
outside. That is how nearly every
one in the village knew all this the
next day."

"Well," said little Ailie, just
tell me as long as one as you have
for, before you go out. Are you on
your feet, now?"

Bishop & Porter,
(Successors to J. C. Bishop.)
Carpenters and Builders.
Repairing and Shop Work
a specialty.
Metallic Shingles and all kinds of
inside Metallic Fittings.
Agents for all kinds of outside and
inside House Finishes.
WOLFVILLE, N. S.

Have One
Doctor
No sense in running from one
doctor to another. Select the
best one, then stand by him.
Do not delay, but consult him
in time when you are sick.
Ask his opinion of Ayer's
Cherry Pectoral for coughs and
colds. Then use it or
not, just as he says.

Ayer's
Cherry Pectoral
Always take a box of Ayer's Pills in the
house. Just one pill at bedtime, now and
then, will ward off many an attack of
biliousness, indigestion, sick headache,
How many years has your doctor known
these pills? Ask him all about them.
—Sold by Dr. C. G. Apple, Wolfville, N. S.

in front act, grandfather?
The Great Preacher's heart gave
a little less went on, heedless—
"Aunt Bessie tells me a long
one when her call is not till the
end—and, oh my!—a regular free
decide when she gets off till the
end." "An' sometimes old Aunt Re-
becca hands quite a while with her
knee-basket over her arm, scolding
Ailie, and telling her that she'll
be—
"and catch it from Mr. Cart-
wright. He's stage manager—you
know."

The little girl nodded severely.
"Aunt Rebecca," asked Gil-
bert, "did she ever scolding you?"
"I don't remember," said the
child, "but she was a regular
scolding."

"Why she's just old Aunt Rebecca,
that has got white hair and, knitting
—and says, 'You mustn't.' She
waits for Aunt Bessie when she's on,
and comes home with her."

It seemed an unnecessary expla-
nation. Every one knew who Aunt Re-
becca was.

"Now, the story!" said Ailie, with
the air of one who has talked enough
about nothing.

"So out of the treasures of his mind
overlaid with a myriad sermons and
infinite store of reading. Grandfather
Gilbert fished an old child's story of
fairies and giants and green rings till
the little figure nestled closer in a
rapture of content, saying at every
pause—
"So on it's just splendid; and what
did the wicked giant do next?"

"It was fair, scandalous," said
"Stephen Armstrong's Gizie the next
day, over the hedge to her pet gossip."
"It should be kenned. Her pet gossip
was the man that silly folk
about here delights to honor, an'
there he was at nine o' the clock on
a Sabbath night forgettin' to come de-
cently to the parlor to take 'er
"But—
"Na, I kennal said Mistress Mac-
Clever, looking out with eager eyes,
in a way that showed that she for one
proud to be the object of the wisdom
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THE GREAT PREACHER PLAYS 'HARD'
HEADS.

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shall feel like singing."

"With many failures on the minis-
ter's part, and many inquiries on
hers, the little girl took upon her
something like the appearance she
presented on the day before; but the
tying of a bow in her hair was beyond
the resources of the Great Preacher.
For this contingency had not been
provided for in his study of the
original tongue. Finally, it was tied
in a wisp in front, in which form it
shortly after excited the pity and
contempt of Jeanne Greig of the
Nether Larg when they arrived at
that striking farm town upon the
wide moor."

"Stephen Armstrong seemed much
troubled that Dr. Rutherford and his
little girl would no longer abide with
him, but he recognized the wisdom
of the arrangement. It was about
eleven when William Greig came in
person with his ample gig, round in
the back and set low, at once wide
and easy. William Greig always
adorned a gig for three, and he could
elegant was his sole direction to his
admirable coach-builder along at
the 'General's Suidy'."

"So the Great Preacher and his
little maid took their way, and
Stephen promised to visit them dur-
ing the week. On the road up, there
were many things for the town-
bore little lass to see.
"Do the trees never get dirty here?"
she asked, looking at the noble oaks
that held broad and massive spreads
of foliage over the wayside. Next
she admired the great grey-stemmed
beeches, with their dry rustling
leaves that were so fresh and sweet.

"Yes, I talked to the bairn 'bout
plants and praxtors, 'bout giants an'
sleazh baird daugh—on the Sabbath
nicht, too, mind ye, after preaching
twice! An' then, to crown a', what
did the man do but licht a bit stick
that was in the grate, and make red
foggy-doories, waving the burnt
stick