

OUR COUNTRY'S CALL.

BY FRED B. WOODS, WINSOR.
Hark! our country's voice is calling,
How it thrills the spring-time air!
Soldiers of the sea-girt city,
It to you doth summons bear.

Haste ye brave men to my succour,
Haste ye to the fur Northwest;
Riel is rising in rebellion,
Helpless settlers are distressed.

Haste and quell the dark disorder,
Bring the rebel chief to shame;
Do not let a murderous outlaw
Tarnish your fair country's name.

Soldiers of the sea-girt city,
All men's eyes are fixed on you;
Some have said that ye are cowards,
Mean, ignoble, base, untrue.

Soldiers of the sea-girt city,
We believe you're strong and brave
Men who rather than dishonour,
Quick would choose an honour'd grave.

Go! and may success go with you,
Make the rebels quickly yield,
Go! and if Love's prayers availeth,
God himself, shall be your shield.

Soldiers of our great Dominion,
Brave men only may be free!
Show by deeds your land is worthy
Of the grandest destiny!

—Halifax Herald.

SHUT OUT.

Here is a pathetic story which comes to us from the prairie country of western Louisiana; a vast tract of swamps and cypress forest, sparsely settled by the Acadians who emigrated here to escape persecution a century ago, and have not in that time changed their language or their habits.

About fifty years ago Françoise Lassalle, the wife of Jean Lassalle, living near Bayou Lafourche, was struck with leprosy. Her husband cared for her until he died, then she was left alone in her little house, with its garden and orchard. She had no children.

The hunger within her for human companionship grew intolerable at times, it is probable, for she would creep on Sundays to a hill overlooking the chapel, and sit there watching her neighbors going in to worship. Many a prayer went up for "la pauvre Mere Lassalle," as they saw the crouching figure far away under the trees.

For a year or two she was busied with her orchard, grafting orange trees and trimming peaches. One September, a notice was affixed to the church-door in the night, stating on a certain day Mere Lassalle would hide herself in the marsh, in order that the children might take the fruit from the orchard. At the bottom was written, "Pray for the leper."

The children went, followed by their parents, and had a happy afternoon. When they had all gone, a lonely figure crept back to the house, to find many little tokens of neighborly kindness and sympathy.

Year after year this day came round in which the lonely woman thus came near to her kind, although she could neither see them nor hear their voices.

One September it passed without the usual pitiful message from her. Some of the neighbors ventured to the house. The humble body of the leper was there, but Mother Lassalle at last had gone to those who had loved her so well in old days, and who had been waiting for her long.

PRINTER'S FEE BILL.

The following fee bill is posted in a conspicuous place in a Western newspaper office.

To call a man a "progressive citizen," when it is known that he is lazier than a government male, \$175.

Referring to a deceased citizen as "a man whose place will remain vacant," when you know he was the best poker in town, \$175.

Calling a female a "talented and refined lady, a valuable acquisition to society," with variation, \$271.

Calling a man a "liar" during a campaign with proportionate reduction if the fight becomes warm, 79 cents.

Referring to an old citizen as a "relic of antiquity," 81 cents.

Calling a newly-made lawyer a "legal light of which the profession should feel proud," \$1.18.

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Reporting a man to have made a "thrilling speech," when two thirds of his audience fell asleep under his melodious voice, \$52.50.

To say a man is "sober" when such has not been the case in fifteen years, \$18.20.

For calling a new-made bride a "queen of society," \$1.70.

For saying of an amateur newspaper, which looks as though it had been run through a cheese press, with shoe blacking or coal tar for ink, that it is a "model of typographical neatness," \$1.709.

For referring to a political speech as a "masterly effort," \$4.

For saying that "Mr. Blank, through the earnest solicitation of his friends, has consented to the use of his name before the approaching convention," \$25.

For referring to a man as "the oldest abolitionist," \$25.

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S. R. SLEEP.

Wolfville Oct 1st, 1884.

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A. McPHERSON,

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Time Table

1884—Winter Arrangement—1885.

Commencing Monday, 1st December.

GOING EAST.	Accom. Daily.	Accom. T.T.S.	Exp. Daily.
Annapolis Leve	A.M.	A.M.	P.M.
14 Bridgetown "	7:00	7:15	2:30
28 Middleton "	7:45	7:15	3:30
42 Aylesford "	8:30	8:00	4:30
56 Berwick "	9:15	8:30	5:30
70 Waterville "	9:55	9:00	6:30
84 Kentville dpt	5:40	11:15	4:40
98 Port Williams "	6:00	11:35	4:55
112 Wolfville "	6:10	11:44	5:03
126 Grand Pre "	6:25	11:57	5:13
140 Avonport "	6:40	12:10	5:24
154 Hantsport "	6:58	12:30	5:39
168 Windsor "	7:50	1:20	6:05
182 Wolfville June "	10:00	3:45	7:28
196 Halifax arrive	10:45	4:30	8:05

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Halifax—leave	7:00	6:15	2:30
14 Windsor Jun- "	7:45	7:15	3:30
28 Hantsport "	8:30	8:00	4:30
42 Avonport "	9:15	8:30	5:30
56 Grand Pre "	9:55	11:15	6:30
70 Port Williams "	10:03	11:35	6:45
84 Waterville "	10:40	12:25	7:10
98 Berwick "	11:02	1:32	
112 Aylesford "	11:19	1:17	
126 Middleton "	11:25	1:40	
140 Bridgetown "	12:05	3:00	
154 Annapolis Arive	1:30	4:00	

N. B. Trains are run on Eastern Standard Time, One hour added will give Halifax time.

Steamer "Dominion" leaves St John every Mon Wed and Sat p. m., for Digby and Annapolis, returning from Annapolis same day.

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P. Innes, General Manager

Kentville, 15 April, 1884.

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monly called Hair Spring 50c.

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Watch Crystals 10c.

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