A HAPPY NEW YEAR TO ALL OUR PATRONS.

Miscellaneous.

Courting Days.

As long as life is worth having, we always fancy that there is something better than we have yet attained awaiting us. To enjoy the present, and refuse to think of the future would be wise, of course, but such a state of resignation as that would imply, would be a token of the departure of youth. The distance ahead is always seen through rose-colored gauze by happy folk—by people with young hearts or few years; and never more so than by Jack when he is courting Kitty, and by Kitty when she is to be married.

That home of theirs; what a paradise it is to be! a nest for two 'love-birds,' into which nothing but joy can ever enter!

The period of the engagement is an unusually refining position of life. The gentle thoughts of lovers who respect themselves and each other soften every look and gesture. The girl is treated with extra consideration by the members of her family. He finds her every evening dressed to receive him. She sits in the best room of her father's house, waiting like a saint in a niche, to be adored; and he comes to her her freshly attired, delicately blotting out the atmosphere of leather and broadcloth by a touch of dainty perfume on the snowy handkerchief in his pocket. He has left the clothes associated with office or work shop at home—probably in a pile on the floor; but of that she knows nothing. Perhaps they spend the evening at home, or he takes her to a concert, or to some improving lecture; or it may be that they walk in the moonlight in quiet and elegant streets.

They lead a dainty, delicate life in those evenings of their courting days, which blots out the work-a-day world. On Sundays they worship together in the place of her choice.

If he sees any fault in the members of her family, he never alludes to it. She does not know his relatives well enough to have any particular opinion about them. So life glides on for a few months, and then they are married, and go on the little bridal trip. Then home—to the home of their dreaming!

I am not writing of rich people, but of the ordinary young people who must live on a small salary; who keep one inexperienced servant, or none at all.

Suddenly it becomes the wife's duty to feed, clothe, and care for the young husband—to be the steward of his possessions—to see that her expenses do not run beyond his income. Hitherto her pin money was earned in some way, or it may have come from her father's pocket. Now she discovers that in order to dress well she must not live too expensively, and that in order to live well she must economize in her dressing. She tries to do a thousand things, any one of which requires a year's apprenticeship. The ironing of his shirt bosoms is not among the least of these tragic performances.

She finds that she must do a great deal more hard work than she ever dreamed of to keep her new home pretty. She finds out that her husband's habits really are now that they see each other in the early morning. Men are desperately careless in their ways. And now he comes home in his work-a-day costume whatever it may be. The perfume of verbena does not herald his entrance. His kiss smells of the cigar he always smokes on the railway platform. And she? Well, how can she be the "white waxen saint in a niche" now? She has cooked the dinner, and set the table perhaps. Well for her if she has not made the pudding after a receipt in some "Young Wife's Assistant," and guided by some printer's error, made a mess of it.

The girl who loved to be courted has become a housekeeper. She has also been suddenly forced into an important branch of the tailor's trade. She has taken to mending cloth garments. For what man does not think a woman who is capable of using her needle able to execute the work of an expert on his coats? What woman does not think not think this true until she tries? As for Jack, responsibilities of all sorts weigh him down. Hitherto he has felt that, under no circumstances, could he fail to earn a living. Now he thinks with horror of the condition of his 'family,' if he should be out of work a week.

It is pleasanter to think of all the world as millionaires and lifted above common worries; but out of every ten young couples eight are living from week to week, and must so live.

Jack and Kitty would like to live aloof from common things, in a dream of love and tenderness, but fate is too much for them. Taken, as I have said—with moderate circumstances, some romance, and a few of the ordinary human failings on both sides—that first year in the new home is apt to be the severest test to which John and Kitty are ever to be put in all their lives. But, little Kitty, if you by chance should read this sketch some day, when things are going very wrong, and you are shedding tears over Jack's best trousers, which you finished off—finding them a little worn—with just such a nice binding as you put on your dress skirt—if, I say, you sit in tears, ripping the 'nice binding' off again, remember that there must be an apprenticeship to every trade—the housemother's amongst them—and that everyone, more or less has been through the same experience. And have faith that, if you love each other, everything will come right at last, so that you will some day look upon all the trials of this first new home with tender smiles and fond hands clasped together.

One Dies Every Second.

SOME FACTS ABOUT THE WORLD'S POPULATION. OVER A BILLION INHABITANTS.

Here are some interesting facts about the people who compose the population of the world:

There are 3,064 languages in the world, and its inhabitants profess more than 1,000 religions.

The number of men is about equal to the number of women. The average of life is about 33 years. One quarter dies previous to the age of 17. To every 1,000 persons only one reaches 100 years of life, says the *Golden Argosy*. To every 100 only six reach the age of 65, and not more than one in 500 lives to 80 years of age.

There are on the earth 1,000,000,000 inhabitants. Of these, 33,033,033 die every year, 91,824 every day; 3,730 every hour, and 60 every minute, or 1 every second.

The married are longer lived than the single, and, above all, those who observe a sober and industrious conduct. Tall men live longer than short ones. Women have more chances of life in their favor previous to fifty years of age than men have, but fewer afterward.

The number of marriages is in the proportion of seventy-five to every thousand individuals. Marriages are more frequent after equinoxes—that is, during the months of June and December.

Those born in spring are generally of a more robust constitution than others. Births are more frequent by night than by day, also deaths.

The number of men capable of bearing arms is calculated at one-fourth of the population.—*Mail and Express.*

ADVICE TO A WRITER.—As to the form in which your work should be cast, I have thought that the great duke of Wellington's advice to a nervous friend on parliamentary speaking was no bad advice to a young critic: "say what you have to say, don't quote Latin, and sit down." Do not waste your time in hunting for new words, or balancing your sentences, but say what you must, or may say, in the best English you have, and the simplest. 'There are people,' says Landor, 'who think they write and speak finely merely because they have forgotten the language in which their fathers and mothers used to talk to them.' Do not be one of these people; if for no other reason, for this, there are so many of them about, that you will really be nearer to attaining that much-coveted originality by keeping aloof from them.—*McMillan's Magazine.*

A Severe Attack.

'I never felt better in my life than I have since taking Burdock Blood Bitters. I had a severe billious attack; I could not eat for several days, and was unable to work. One bottle cured me.' John M. Richards, Sr., Tara, Ont. For all bilious troubles use B, B, B.

A Precaution Against Pneumonia.

'Nothing is more injurious,' said a prominent physician to a reporter, 'during these winter days than any continued confinement to the house without exercise of some description in the open air. It is on this account that so many people are now afflicted with hard colds, and no small portion of the cases of pneumonia under my own observation are traced directly to the same cause. People allow themselves to get run down and then dislike any exertion. The hot, close atmosphere of the house—no worse in this respect than places of public entertainment—so softens the muscles and tissues as to make them tender and sensitive to every unusual breath. The result is that the blood soon gets in an impure condition, grows worse every day from such practice, till the whole system suffers with trouble that oftentimes leads to serious results. The origin of it all, in the majority of cases, lies in the timidity or the inertness that prefers the warm and debilitating pleasure of the house to an active walk, breathing fresh, bracing air, under a heaven full of wind. What are the symptoms usually attending what is popularly known as the epidemic cold, which usually follows a few weeks of this unwise seclusion? First, one begins to feel a headache, and a very little thing seems tiresome. Then there follows a slight sore throat, depression, fretfulness and general irritability, until before one is aware of it the bed is the only refuge. And an afternoon walk, made with some effort and exhaustion, might have prevented the whole ailment.

To the person who knows the wisdom of the long, brisk walk, or exercise of any sort, daily, in the open air, no matter what the weather, when well protected, and followagood advice, ill health is almost an impossibility. There is a glow of carnation itself in the cheeks, the pure lustet of health in the eye, and the smile of well being and comfort and enjoyment of life over all. If there were more of this sort of thing among our people, the female portion especially, hard colds and pneumonia would be a very rare occurrence in this community.—*Worcester Telegram.*

Cultivating Colt Courage.

A horse that is naturally courageous may be made cowardly by abuse. If he often receives blows the fear of them is uppermost; and any unknown noise is imagined to be a coming hurt to escape from which is an uncontrollable impulse. The man who abuses his horses is often rewarded by the destruction of his property and injury to himself, the result of runaways. But when the courage of the colt is developed, it is not nearly so likely to run away, though it be hampered with blinds or abused by a cruel master; and it is hardly saying too much to assert that it is properly treated it will never run away. Too often the training of the colt has an effect contrary to the cultivation of its courage. Forgetting that temper is the most valuable quality of the horse, its owner tries to 'break' its temper—to cow the animal. The horse should be trained, not broken, and training requires firmness, mixed with much kindness. The man who has no control over his own temper and whose judgment is warped by anger is not fit to train a colt. As abuse will make it cowardly, so kindness will make it courageous. The basis of courage is confidence, and the first point is to secure the confidence of the colt. The next is to make the colt sure of his surroundings. Watch closely and whenever he shows fear of anything, allow him to smell of it. If he has confidence in his trainer this will not be difficult. If he shies at a stump or rock, ride or drive him up to it. Drive him nearer and nearer the cars until he is no longer afraid of them. Have the whistle sounded when his head is turned toward it, and repeat this till he ceases to start at the sound. Handle his limbs and touch them with a strap until he no longer shrinks.

The courageous horse, the one with spirit trained, not broken, is the horse that does the most work. It does not lag; to drive it is a pleasure. It does not 'give up' and leave you mired in a mudhole; it has the spirit, the courage, to exert itself to the utmost. Among horses, it is the one with trained spirit, with fine temper that does the most work, the least harm, and in danger acts quickly and intelligently. What horse has more courage than the Arabian, and what horse is more docile, enduring, or admirable?—*American Agriculturist.*

CARE OF THE TEETH.—The average girl in brushing her teeth puts the upper and under sets close together and brushes only in the center. This is all very well for a finishing polish, but before that she should take a small brush, give each row its proper attention and be certain that every particle of powder or paste is removed from between the teeth. If it is absolutely necessary that a pick must be used, let it be a very small quill one, or it is better still, if the work can be accomplished with a thread of silk. Wooden toothpicks are not advised, inasmuch as they are apt to break between the teeth and very often a great deal of difficulty follows in attempting to remove the bits. Gritty powder is not good; it breaks the enamel and lodges between the teeth in a very unpleasant way. A powder recommended by physicians and very easily made is composed of one part of precipitated chalk, one part of powdered castile soap, one part of powdered orris root. A very good soap, and every woman ought to have a good soap, is just as good for the teeth as it is for the skin.—'*Bab' in Philadelphia Times.*

FATTENING POULTRY.—A visit to the markets will show that the greater part of the poultry marketed by farmers, not professional poultry-raisers, is not fully fattened. This is unwise as it is to market hogs, or cattle, or sheep, without fattening them. While the fowls were gathering their own food on the farm they could not be in more than first-class growing condition. Before they are marketed they should be confined where can take only moderate exercise, and liberally fed, for about ten days, on fattening food. For the first two days do not feed all the fowls will eat, but gradually increase the amount given them until they have each meal all they will eat up clean. Feed three times a day. For the morning and noon feed give boiled potatoes, beets or carrots mixed into a stiff mass with corn and barley meal; at night give whole corn. Give what skim-milk you can; if you have enough, mix their food with it. Of course keep before the fowls an abundance of gravel, charcoal and pure water. During the last three or four days mix a handful of pulverized charcoal with each pailful of soft feed. For twelve hours at least (better twenty four) before the fowls are killed, give them no feed. They should not be marketed with full crops; in fact, this is prohibited by law in many of the principal markets.—*American Agriculturist.*

—A construction detail that is gaining great popularity among carpenters and builders in Western cities is the bricking in of frame houses. The building is sided up with matched stuff as it complete; then a brick face wall four inches thick is laid in contact with the exterior, and is fastened with spikes about every sixth course. When completed the walls present the appearance of solid masonry. They are durable, and as they add to the warmth of the buildings, it seems destined to become popular, especially in severe climates.

A Hint To Housekeepers.

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—There is some talk of the Ottawa Conservatives getting up a demonstration there in honor of the 74th birthday of Sir John A. Macdonald, on the 11th January next.

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Miles.	GOING EAST.	Express Daily.	Pass. and Freight Tues., Thurs., and Sat. only.	Passenger and Freight Daily.
		P.M.	A. M.	A. M.
0	Annapolis—leave	1 40	6 00	.....
6	Round Hill	1 58	6 25	.....
14	Bridgetown	2 18	6 55	.....
19	Paradise	2 33	7 15	.....
22	Lawrencetown	2 43	7 30	.....
28	Middleton	2 58	7 55	.....
32	Wilmot	3 10	8 11	.....
35	Kingston	3 19	8 25	.....
42	Aylesford	3 37	9 00	.....
47	Berwick	3 55	9 20	.....
50	Waterville	4 05	9 35	.....
57	Cambridge	4 13	9 45	.....
54	Coldbrook	4 20	9 55	.....
59	Kentville—arrive	4 32	10 15	.....
	Do—leave	4 47	10 50	5 40
64	Port Williams	5 00	11 10	6 00
66	Wolfville	5 08	11 18	6 10
69	Grand Pre	5 18	11 32	6 25
70	Horton Landing	r5 22	r11 37	r6 30
72	Avonport	r5 29	r11 45	r6 40
77	Hantsport	5 44	12 05	6 58
82	Payzant	r6 00	r12 25	7 16
84	Windsor	6 10	12 55	7 50
			P.M.	
90	Newport	6 26	1 18	8 10
93	Ellershouse	6 35	1 33	8 35
103	Mount Uniacke	6 57	2 13	9 15
113	Beaver Bank	7 23	2 43	9 43
116	Windsor Junct.	7 35	3 23	10 00
121	Bedford	7 46	3 39	10 15
129	Rockingham	r7 57	r 3 52	r10 28
129	Richmond	.....	4 03	10 42
130	Halifax—arrive	8 10	4 10	10 45

Miles.	GOING WEST.	Express Daily.	Pass. and Freight Mon., Wed., & Friday only.	Passengers and Freight Daily.
		A.M.	A.M.	P.M.
0	Halifax—leave	7 00	.....	2 30
1	Richmond	.....	6 15	2 33
5	Rockingham	r 7 13	r6 26	r2 44
9	Bedford	7 24	6 37	2 55
17	Windsor Junc—leave	7 40	7 15	3 30
17	Beaver Bank	r7 47	r7 25	3 40
27	Mount Uniacke	8 10	8 25	4 15
37	Ellershouse	8 35	9 00	4 45
40	Newport	8 43	9 12	5 00
46	Windsor	9 00	10 05	5 35
48	Falmouth	r9 07	r10 15	5 45
53	Hantsport	9 22	10 37	6 08
58	Avonport	r9 35	r10 55	r6 24
60	Horton Landing	r9 41	r11 05	r6 30
61	Grand Pre	9 44	11 10	6 34
64	Wolfville	9 54	11 25	6 47
66	Port Williams	10 00	11 35	6 55
71	Kentville—arrive	10 15	11 55	7 10
	Do—leave	10 30	12 25	.....
76	Coldbrook	10 42	r12 40	.....
78	Cambridge	r10 49	r12 51	.....
			P. M.	
80	Waterville	10 57	1 02	.....
83	Berwick	11 05	1 17	.....
88	Aylesford	11 21	1 40	.....
95	Kingston	11 39	2 10	.....
98	Wilmot	r11 48	2 23	.....
102	Middleton	12 00	2 58	.....
108	Lawrencetown	12 17	3 18	.....
111	Paradise	12 27	3 33	.....
116	Bridgetown	12 42	3 55	.....
124	Roundhill	1 02	4 25	.....
130	Annapolis — arrive	1 20	4 50	.....

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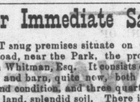

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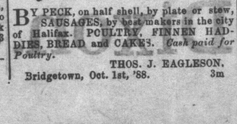

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STIPENDIARY MAGISTRATE, DISTRICT NO. 2

Office in LOCKETT'S BUILDING, BRIDGETOWN

Office hours, from 2 to 5 p. m.

April 2nd, 84. 51tf

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RUBBER STAMP with your name in Fancy Type, 25 Visiting Cards, and INDIAN INK to mark Linens only 25 cts. (stamps.) Book of 2000 styles free with each order. Agents Wanted. Big Pay. THALMAN MFG CO., BALTIMORE, MD.

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Another carload of those celebrated Steel Plows Just Received,

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25 ONE HORSE PLOWS.
60 NO. 6, ALL STEEL.
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All will be sold on EASY TERMS and WARRANTED.

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THE MASCOT SPRING STOP SHADE ROLLER,

SELLING LOWER THAN EVER.

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INCLUDING a nice variety of DRESS MATERIAL, for 12 cents per yard upwards, in all shades and textures.

In *WOOLLEN GOODS*, Boating and Breakfast Shawls, Children's Sacques, Hoods, and Fascinators.

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Highest Market Prices paid for Butter and Eggs.

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South Farmington, Oct. 18th, '88.

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—A fine Stock of—

COATINGS, TROUSERING, TWEEDS, HATS & CAPS, BOOTS & SHOES, HARDWARE, GROCERIES, FLOUR, MEAL, ETC., ETC.

In short everything kept in a first-class Country Store.

For Cash or Reasonable Credit I will sell at prices that will astonish you.

B. STARRATT.

Notice of Assignment.

NOTICE is hereby given that L. S. Bowlby, J. Haddon Balcom, and Ernest L. Balcom, of Lawrencetown, in the County of Annapolis, doing business under the name, style and firm of BOWLBY BALCOM & CO., Lumber Manufacturers, has, by deed of assignment, dated the 31st day of August, 1888, assigned to us all their property in trust for the general benefit of their creditors, subject to certain preferential claims. Creditors desiring to execute the same must do so within forty days from the date thereof, said deed lies at our office where the same may be inspected and executed by creditors.

Dated at Lawrencetown, this 31st day of August, 1888.

L. R. MORSE,
ALEX. OSWALD,
Assignees.

NOTICE.—The above mills of Bowlby, Balcom & Co., will be run as usual until further notice.

L. R. MORSE.
22tf ALEX. OSWALD,
Assignees.

Farm for Sale.

THE subscriber offers for sale his desirable property situated on the

Thorne Mill Road, Dalhousie,

consisting of about 200 acres; 40 acres cleared, cuts from 18 to 20 tons hay; about 40 apple trees grafted with standard varieties; comfortable Dwelling House and Barn; plenty of Timber, both hard and soft. A portion of the purchase money may remain on mortgage if so desired.

THOS. ANDERSON.

Dalhousie, Nov. 5th, 1888. tf

W. D. SHEEHAN

The American Tailor.

THE subscriber, in addition to his former Stock, has just received

Suitings,
Trowserings,
Beaver Over-coating,

and other Cloths. Also on hand:

Material for Wedding Suits, (a specialty) which I will make to order and guarantee to fit.

Bridgetown, October 17th, 1888.

J. R. HART,

—AGENT FOR—

W. N. WHITE,

Fruit Brokers,

London, Eng.

FRUIT SHIPPED BY REGULAR BOATS. CAREFULLY HANDLED. PROMPT RETURNS MADE AT BEST MARKET PRICES.

October 20th, 1888. 3m

Farm for Sale

THE subscriber offers for sale that very nicely situated property in MIDDLETON, County of Annapolis, and Province of Nova Scotia, on the Post Road and in the immediate neighborhood of Railway Station, Telegraph Office, Post Office and Churches, consisting of about forty-five acres superior soil, a thriving young orchard of about one hundred and fifty Apple Trees of choice selected fruit, and conveniently divided into hay, tillage and pasture lands. Is well watered, has a commodious and thoroughly finished house, woodhouse, barn, stables etc., in good repair. Terms easy.

JONATHAN WOODBURY.

Children Cry for

1888. "A," No. 227.

In the Supreme Court,

Between BERIAH B. DANIELS, Plff.,

—AND—

NORMAN G. CHARLTON, Dfdt.

TO BE SOLD AT

Public Auction,

by the Sheriff of the County of Annapolis, or his deputy, at the Court House, Bridgetown, on

Wednesday, January 16th,

A. D. 1888, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

PURSUANT to an order of foreclosure and sale granted herein on the 4th day of December, A. D., 1888, unless before the day appointed for such sale the amount due to the Plaintiff herein upon the mortgage sought to be foreclosed together with the costs of suit be paid to the Plaintiff or his solicitor or into court. All the estate, right, title, interest, claim and equity of redemption of the above named Defendant, of, in, to or out of the following described lot, piece or parcel of

LAND and PREMISES,

situated in the township and County of Annapolis and bounded as follows:—

Beginning at the south-east corner boundary between the lands hereby agreed to be conveyed and the lands of Hannah Charlton at the main road as at present situate; thence running westerly along the north side of said road until it comes to a certain road or way owned and occupied by Silas Margeson; thence running northerly along the said road or way as at present situate and defined by the fence, across the brook five feet to a post, which forms a part of the dividing fence along the said way; thence turning and running east at right angles with the said private road ten feet, taking in a water privilege, to a post as at present situate, being a part of the fence of the herein conveyed land; thence turning and running northerly the several courses of the curve in the said fence, as at present situate and defined, until it strikes the said line fence; thence northerly along said line fence to the corner boundary between the lands hereby agreed to be conveyed and the lands of the said Hannah Charlton; thence easterly along the line between the said lands until it comes to the lands of said Hannah Charlton; thence southerly along the lands of the said Hannah Charlton to the place of beginning, containing three quarters of an acre more or less.

TERMS.—Ten per cent. deposit at the time of sale, remainder on delivery of the deed.

J. AVARD MORSE, High Sheriff.

O. T. DANIELS, Solicitors for Plaintiff.

Annapolis, Dec. 10th, 1888. 5t41

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