

THE DYING DAY.
 The day is dying; yet again
 From the last lustre of its crown
 Take thou its lesson, not in vain
 Its cross has weighed thy spirit down.
 And as its lingering heights decline,
 As sink its deepening fires below,
 Thy thoughts shall wear the heavenly
 The symbol of its afterglow. [Sign,

A NON-COMMERCIAL TRAVELER.
 "I have taken my last order. I am going home," he said as the clock struck the midnight hour.
 The nurse looked at the doctor with a significant glance and whispered:
 "His mind wanders."
 Presently he lifted his feverish head from the pillow. "Any letters from the house?" he enquired. "There ought to be letters from the house here."
 Then he slept, and in his sleep he was a boy again—babbling of fishing streams where the trout played—of school hours and romps with his mates. At twelve he suddenly awakened.
 "All right!" he called in a strong voice, "I'm ready."
 He thought the porter had called him for an early train. The doctor laid a soothing hand on him and he slept. In his sleep he murmured:
 "Show you samples of our goods. I'm going off the road now. This order closes me out. The house has called me in. Going to have my first vacation, but I shall lose time—time—time!"
 He drowsed off and the doctor counted his pulse. Suddenly the sick man started up.
 "Give me a letter from home. Ellen always writes to me here. Dear girl, she never disappointed me yet—and the children. They will forgive me if my trips are too long. I have only a few more towns to sell. I promised to be home Christmas—I promised to be home—promised—"
 He slept again and again awakened with a start.
 "No word from the house yet?"
 He was going fast now. The doctor bent over him and repeated in a comforting voice the precious words of promise:
 "In my Father's house are many mansions. If it were not so I would have told you."
 "Yes—yes—" said the dying traveler faintly. "It's a clear settlement. It is a good house to travel for. It deals fair and square with its men."
 The chill December morning dawned—the end—was very near. The sick man was approaching the undiscovered land from whose bourne no traveler returns.
 "I've changed my route," he murmured faintly. "The house is calling me in—write to Ellen and the children that I'm—or—my—way—home—it's in my sample case—without money and without price—a good house—fills all its orders as agreed. Call me for the first train—I am going to make the round trip and get home to Christmas."
 They laid his head back on the pillow. He had made the round trip. He had gone home for Christmas.—*Detroit Free Press.*

This world is full of purposeless men. The men who have written their names high above their fellows, in statesmanship, in literature, in commerce, in anything, have been men of steady purpose and strong will. When you find occupation that is congenial to your tastes and suitable to your ability, stick to it.
 Listen to the voice of your conscience; watch its very indication. It is the compass of life. No man will drift much who is heedful of it. Longfellow sings:
 Oh, if your souls but poise and swing,
 Like the compass in its brazen ring,
 Ever level, ever true
 To the toil and task we have to do,
 We shall sail serenely, and safely reach,
 The fortunate isles, on whose shining beach
 The sights we see and the sounds we hear
 Will be of joy and not of fear.
 Look out for rocks upon which others have split, and avoid them. I can only name some of them. There is Debt Rock; this has stranded thousands. There is Smartness Rock—smartness without honesty or principle. There is Speculation Rock; look out for that, young man. Almost all the defalcations, the bankruptcies, the failures, the misery of burst bubbles in our age are due to this gambling business. Avoid all these.
 Do legitimate business, and then you can be proud of every dollar you win. Steer toward a home of your own. Work hard; be honest; be earnest; be a good, true citizen. Marry a good, healthy, loving girl. Thrust behind you all temptations to "illicit gain." Fear God and work righteousness. Then when life ends, with a clear conscience, honored by men, loved by those you leave behind you shall
 "Sail into the sunset,
 Sail into the dusk of evening,
 To the islands of the blessed,
 To the kingdom of the Father,
 To the land of the hereafter."
 —Ed.

—What is that which by losing an eye has only a nose left?—A nose.

ATTENTION!
S. R. SLEEP,
 Desires to call the attention of the people of King's to the fact that he is selling off a large stock of
STOVES,
 the remnant of stock manufactured by **THE ACADIA IRON FOUNDRY,** at exceeding low prices. Parties wishing to purchase will do well to call and inspect as the stock must be sold even at a sacrifice.
S. R. SLEEP.
 Wolfville Oct 1st, 1884.
6 Horse power Engine, 8" Boiler, No. 4 Fan,
 Almost as good as new.

Sweeping Reductions
 In **SUITS** made by me
 For 1 Month.
 Having a large stock on hand I wish to clear out to make room for New Stock.
A. McPHERSON,
 KENTVILLE.
 Sept. 25, 1884.

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The New York WonderLamp
 Is beautifully finished, is the nearest approach to the
ELECTRIC LIGHT!
 yet invented, and is superior to all other Kerosene Lamps in the market, in
 Nickel Plate or Gold Lacquer
\$6.00 EACH.
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R. PRAT,
 AGENT
 N. B.—Beware of cheap imitations.
 Wolfville, Dec. 16, 1884.
William Wallace, TAILOR,
 Corner Earl and Water Streets,
WOLFVILLE.

Caldwell & Murray

Give notice that on Nov. 1st we will stop doing a credit business, and in future sell only for cash or merchantable produce. We would also call your attention to our

FALL STOCK!

Which is almost complete, and is the best assorted and best value we have ever shown. Our **ALL WOOL DRESS GOODS and CASHMERES** We bought direct from PARIS, and customers may depend on their being the Newest colors and fabrics, and the very best value. We have a fine range of

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In all the new colors and in black. Splendid value and very pretty goods in **LADIES' MANTLES, LADIES' DOLMANS, LADIES' ULSTERS, LADIES' SHAWLS,**

MANTLE AND ULSTER CLOTHS, ASTRICAN, SEALSKIN,

And everything a lady wants in our line we can supply at the lowest market rates and in the newest materials

OUR STOCK OF

BEDDING, CARPETS, CLOTHING,

Boots & Shoes, Furnishings, Hats and Caps,

Is very full and better value than ever.

As we will henceforth make no bad debts and save the expense of keeping books, we will be able to sell goods at a smaller percentage and also devote our time more fully to looking after the wants of our customers.

On and after Nov. 1st we will allow a discount of five percent on all purchases for cash. Wool, Yarn, Eggs, dried apples, etc. taken in exchange as usual.
 Wolfville, Oct. 21st, 1884.

JOHNSON'S ANODYNE LINIMENT
 FOR INTERNAL AND EXTERNAL USE.

PARSONS' PURGATIVE PILLS
 MAKE NEW, RICH BLOOD.

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CHICKEN CHOLERA,

Carriages & Sleighs
 MADE, PAINTED, and REPAIRED
 At Shortest Notice, at
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Fruit and Ornamental TREES!
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And have now for sale for the **SPRING TRADE 100,000 HOME GROWN TREES!**

One and two years old at prices to suit the times.

Hold your orders until you see my Agents:
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 J. E. Moffat, J. W. Foster,
 R. H. Warner, John A. Shaw,
 W. T. V. Young, J. E. Morson,
 B. F. Congdon, Geo. S. Hoyt.

W. & A. Railway
Time Table

1884—Winter Arrangement—1885.
 Commencing Monday, 1st December.

GOING EAST.	Accm. Daily	Accm. T.F.S.	Exp. Daily		
			A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
Annapolis Leave			6 15	1 30	
14 Bridgetown "			7 10	2 13	
28 Middleton "			8 10	2 56	
42 Aylesford "			9 15	3 37	
47 Berwick "			9 35	3 52	
50 Waterville "			9 40	4 00	
59 Kentville dpt	5 40	11 15	4 40		
64 Port Williams "	6 00	11 25	4 55		
66 Wolfville "	6 10	11 44	5 03		
69 Grand Pre "	6 25	11 57	5 13		
72 Hantsport "	6 40	12 10	5 24		
84 Windsor "	6 55	12 30	5 39		
116 Windsor June "	7 50	1 20	6 05		
120 Halifax arrive	10 00	3 45	7 28		
	10 45	4 30	8 05		

GOING WEST.	Exp. Daily	Accm. T.F.S.	Accm. Daily		
			A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
Halifax—leave	7 00	6 15	2 30		
14 Windsor June "	7 45	7 15	3 30		
46 Windsor "	9 03	10 05	5 33		
53 Hantsport "	9 28	10 37	6 03		
58 Avonport "	9 43	10 55	6 29		
61 Grand Pre "	9 54	11 10	6 33		
64 Wolfville "	10 03	11 25	6 46		
66 Port Williams "	10 19	11 35	6 55		
71 Kentville "	10 40	12 25	7 10		
80 Waterville "	11 02	1 12			
83 Berwick "	11 10	1 17			
88 Aylesford "	11 25	1 40			
102 Middleton "	12 05	2 00			
116 Bridgetown "	12 47	4 00			
120 Annapolis Arive	1 30	4 55			

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 a. m., for Digby and Annapolis, returning from Annapolis same day.
 Steamer "Evangeline" leaves Annapolis every Tues., Thurs. and Frid., p. m., for Digby.
 Steamer "Cleopatra" leaves Annapolis for Boston direct every Tues. p. m., and returns from Lewis Wharf, Boston, every Sat p. m.
 Through tickets may be obtained at the principal Stations.
 P. Innes,
 General Manager
 Kentville, 20 November, 1884.

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Repeating, Duplex, Lever, Cylinder and Verge Watches REPAIRED.

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 Wolfville Jewellery Store!

J. McLEOD, PRACTICAL WATCH MAKER & JEWELLER.
 (FROM LONDON, ENGLAND)

Respectfully informs the public of Wolfville, Kentville, and surrounding districts that I have bought for cash, direct from the Manufacturers, the largest and best selected stock of **Watches, Clocks, Jewellery, Silverware** etc., etc.

In King's County, which I can sell at a reduction from 25 to 50 percent beneath the Jewellery Fraternity of King's County. The public will find my stock of a superior quality to what is generally sold by traveling mountebanks, and others not legitimately brought up to the jewellery trade. Intending purchasers will find it to their advantage to give me a call before going elsewhere.

My Stock consists of Gold and Silver Watches, Necklaces, Earrings, Brooches, Gold Wedding Rings and Keppers, Bracelets in gold and silver, Gents Alberts in gold and silver, Gents Rings in gold and silver, Scarf Pins, Collar Buttons, Cuff Buttons gold and silver, Lockets, Fancy Dress Rings, Silver Trinkets, Charms, Pencil Cases etc., etc.

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 I have for sale the largest selection of English Jewellery out of Halifax in fine Gold Locketts, Ladies' Gem Rings set in precious stones, Brooches, Earrings, Chains, Gents' Gold Rings, etc., etc., too numerous to mention.

A full line of STANDARD SILVERWARE: Cake Baskets, Card Receivers, Sugar Baskets, Cream Jugs, Butter Coolers, Castors, Revolving Butter Coolers, Castors, Napkin Rings, Pickle Dishes, Call Bells, Nut Crackers, Butter Knives, Pie Knives, Fork Racks, Dinner and Desert Knives and Forks, Dinner and Desert Spoons Tea Spoons, Fish Covers, Sugar Spoons, etc.

CLOCKS! CLOCKS!!
 Manufactured by French, Canadian, and American makers, the best selection out of Halifax, French Gilt Clocks under glass shades, full finished Canadian Clocks in polished walnut, American Clocks in veneered cases.

I am in a position to sell the **WALTHAM WATCH**, which is a notorious fact the public of the county is charged \$30.00 which I can sell for \$20.00. Also Ladies' Stem-winders and setters, which are generally sold for \$15.00 I sell for \$12.00.

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Cleaning Watch 50c. (usual price 75c. to \$1.00)
New Main Spring 50c. (usual price 75c. to \$1.00)
New Jewel from 25--50c. (Usual price 75c. to \$1.00).
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Watch Crystals 10c. (usual price 20c.)
Watch Hand 10 to 15c. (usual price 20 to 25c.)
 P. S.—All other repairs at a reduced rate.
 Watch Work guaranteed 12 months.

JEWELRY
MADE TO ORDER & REPAIRED.
 P. S.—Hand-bills and Cards will be in circulation in a few days.

Wolfville, 5th Nov. 1884.