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JUST RECEIVED By the undersigned, ONE CAR OF GOLDIE'S FLOURS

"BEST," "CROWN OF GOLD," "SUN," "VICTORIA," "FIVE LILIES," "FIVE ROSES," "KING OF PATENTS," "CREAM OF ROSES," "QUEEN CITY."

Prices are Right! Satisfaction Guaranteed!

W. M. FORSYTH, Bridgetown, Feb. 12th, 1897.

1897 - - 1897 PUMPS! Spray Pumps, House Pumps, Wash Tubs, Wringers, Wash Boards, Garden Hose, Barrel Covers, Maslin Kettles, GRANITE IRONWARE

Nickle-Plated Tea Kettles, KITCHEN FURNISHINGS, Cook Stoves and Ranges, Custom-made Tinware, Factory Cans and Cheese Factory Work a specialty.

R. ALLEN CROWE, Head of Queen St., Bridgetown.

"Sir William" 2.25 1/2 Exercise half mile, 1.07 1/2

Will stand for service during a portion of the season in charge of W. F. Gibbons, at the Grand Central Hotel Stables, Bridgetown.

W. F. GIBBONS, On HUGH FOWLER, Bridgetown, April 13th, 1897.

THE HICKS & SANCTON MANUFACTURING CO., BRIDGETOWN, N. S., WOOD-WORKERS!

To be brief, we cover the entire line of building finish and fittings, and furniture for houses, stores, halls, etc.

Glass and Putty, Picture and Room Mouldings, Fly Rods of Lance Wood, Screen Doors and Windows.

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Write to full particulars. Option of Ladies' Gentlemen or Boy's Wheels. We have made a SPOT CASH PURCHASE of a large number of Bicycles from one of the Largest Manufacturers, and offer this Special Opportunity to everybody to own and ride for a small amount.

Buy the Famous Welcome Soap and Save Your Wrappers The WELCOME SOAP COMPANY, St. John, N. B.

DOMINION DAY! Season 1897. - - TROTTER RACES

Thursday, July 1st, 1897. 3-Min. Class, Trot, - - - Purse, \$150.00 2-30 Class, Trot, - - - Purse, \$200.00

CONDITIONS - Mile heat, best three in five, to harness. Sit to enter, four to start. Purse divided into four months - \$25, \$25 and \$50 per cent. Any horse disqualifying the field entitled to first money only. Entrance, ten per cent of Purse. Entries close Thursday, June 24th.

For further particulars apply to J. R. PUDSEY, Secy.

CURRY BROS. & BENT, PROPRIETORS OF THE BRIDGETOWN WOOD-WORKING FACTORY, BRIDGETOWN, N. S. Contractors and Builders.

A WORD IN THE EAR OF THE WISE MAN SUFFICETH. There are many who were in Annapolis Valley, and some of them have and others have not caught on to the benefits of the new machinery.

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DRY LUMBER, SHEATHING, FLOORING, MOULDINGS OF ALL KINDS, WOOD MANTLES, COUNTERS, STORE AND CHURCH FITTINGS, SASHES, DOORS, AND FACTORY WORK OF EVERY DESCRIPTION AT SHORT NOTICE.

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WE HAVE JUST OPENED An endless variety of Spring Cloths

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FOOTY. The Old Songs. We sang together long ago, beneath the honest trees: "Come, come away!" "Sweet Afton flow,"

The judge thought it not unlikely as he looked with twinkling eyes at the highly unconventional form and daring colors of these striking original works of art.

"I don't want to give them to you," she faltered. The judge regarded her with very friendly eyes.

"What is your name child?" asked the judge. "Dorothy Maxwell," faltered the little girl, timidly, awed by the sudden silence.

"Dorothy Maxwell," said the judge severely, as though the little girl before him were standing in the prisoner's dock awaiting sentence.

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Maxims in Rhyme. BY FAYTON J. CLARK. Dangers lurk in wily schemes; Sin is wiler than it seems.

Honest truth is always fair; Lies are loathsome anywhere. Many a guileless soul is stung Through some thoughtless prattling tongue.

Secret springs of joy are found Wherever's true faith is found. Solemn vows no triumph win While the heart delights in sin.

Not in crowds we greatness seek; Worth must dwell within the man. Love the truth, and live it too, Day by day, and all life through.

Vanity may end in vice; Not one sin is worth its price. Basv River, N. S.

Dr. C. E. Fellow on the use and Abuse of Alcohol.

THOUGH INDISPENSABLE IN MEDICINE, WHEN USED IN EXCESS IT IS A GREAT TRAIL OF VITIAL CHARGE. ACTER AND INTERL.

Dr. C. E. Fellow, of Columbia University, in the last of a series of lectures discussed the other night, says The New York Times, "The General and Special Properties of Alcohol."

"It has been talked about the theory that alcohol is a food, and admitted that it is such when taken in quantities below a certain limit, beyond which it becomes a poison.

According to Chittenden's experiments, alcohol has no effect on the temperature of the body in 2 degrees below the normal.

If you wish to endure the cold take something to keep the blood in motion. Food will do this. So will coffee. But if you have got wet and come in cold and fearful of pneumonia, take some whiskey. It will drive the sluggish blood in your body, and then take food and go to bed, and you'll be benefited. But notice, take your whiskey after exposure, not before.

But in the use of alcohol, the blood is driven through the brain more rapidly and produces exhilaration. That's why men use it. If they would stop when the point of simple exhilaration is reached, it would not do them any harm. But when it is taken, it becomes a poison. The quantity which may be described as too much differs with individuals, and must be determined each one for himself. But the dividing line between alcohol taken in moderation and that which is too much for the individual is succeeded by sluggishness. It differs in individuals, in races and in the same persons under different circumstances."

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