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THE ACADIAN.

WOLFVILLE, N. S., JAN. 1, 1897.

The Old Year.

With this issue the ACADIAN begins the new year. For the last time 1896 has appeared in our date line. In our capacity we must change quickly the old for the new, and hurriedly follow the strides of time.

Twice during the year has the world been threatened with a gigantic war. Once when by President Cleveland's uncalculated interference, a collision between England and the United States over Venezuela, was narrowly averted.

The year of '96 has not been one of peace. England has had trouble with China, the Ashantee, in Soudan, Egypt and Zanzibar. An unsuccessful rebellion has taken place in Nicaragua.

The troubled and protracted session of the 7th Canadian parliament; Sir Mackenzie Bowell's resignation, and Sir Tupper's short lived ministry; the elections, placing Mr Laurier in power, the change in premiers which Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, Quebec and Ontario have undergone, will all tend to make a year noticeable in Canadian history.

In Ireland the year will be remembered for the release from prison of the Irish dynamites, McCarthy's resignation and Dillon's acceptance of the leadership of the party in the Commons and the alleged detection of an alleged American-Irish conspiracy against England.

A number of noted personages have died during the year. Among the number are: Prince Henry of Battenburg, son-in-law of Queen Victoria; the noted Russian statesman, Prince Lobanoff; the Queen's physician, Sir Russell Reynolds; the Shah of Persia, the Archbishop of Canterbury, Mrs Harriet Beecher Stowe, Baroness Tennyson, Charles Flouquet, President of the French Chamber of Deputies; the English painter, Sir Frederick Leighton and the humorist, Bill Nye.

The famous Chinese statesman, Li Hong Chang, in this year made his noted tour of Europe and America.

During the year the Deceased Wife's Sister bill and Mr Balfour's Irish Land Bill have passed the British parliament and Sir William Vernon Harcourt has succeeded Lord Rosebery as leader of the English Liberal party.

The Presidential election in the U. S. which resulted in the overwhelming defeat of Mr Bryan, the candidate of the bimetalists, by Major McKinley, the champion of sound currency, belongs also to the record of this year.

We have mentioned but a few of the many events for which '96 will be remembered. But they are enough to show what a really important year it has been. We have seen that the year which has just gone out has witnessed much of good but much also of ill. Let us hope that brighter things will be in store for the year which has risen from the old year's funeral pile.

The new Baptist church in Main street, St. John, cost \$25,000, about \$16,000 of which has been paid. At the dedication service on Sunday last, Rev. G. O. Gates preached. In the evening Rev. Thomas Trotter preached on the Resurrection. On Tuesday evening an educational meeting was held, when addresses were delivered by Dr Keirstead, Dr Stewart, of Sackville, and Rev. W. C. Vincent. A branch of the associated alumni of Acadia College was formed for New Brunswick. Rev. J. A. Gordon, pastor of Main street church, is President, and Rev. E. E. Daley is Secretary.

The Lunenburg Argus celebrates Christmas by...

Personal Mention.

(Contributions to this department will be gladly received.) M. S. Read, Ph. D., of Colgate University, was in town for a few days this week.

Miss Gertrude Fleet, of Bear River, spent Christmas with Mrs H. D. Harris of this town.

Mr and Mrs C. R. Burgess, and Miss Abbie Burgess, returned last week from their trip to the U. S.

Dr Horace Bigelow, of Halifax, spent Christmas with his parents, Mr and Mrs J. W. Bigelow, of this town.

Miss George Palmer, of this town, came home from Sackville Ladies' College last week, to spend the Christmas holidays.

Miss Ida Jones, who has been located in Amherst for some months, came home last week to spend Christmas. She will return in a few days.

Mr C. E. Seaman is home from Harvard spending the holidays. He has a position as assistant professor of political science at that University.

Privates Sheppard and Mahoney, and Lieut. Starr, of "Company 9," leave on Saturday of next week, for Fredericton, to take a three months' course at the Military School.

Dr. J. A. Peysant, of Burlington, Hants county, spent Christmas at his old home in Wolfville, and is spending this week in town, renewing old associations. He contemplates going to British Columbia.

Rev. P. M. Macdonald has been quite ill during the past week. His pulpit here was filled on Sunday morning by Rev. A. Martell. We are glad to learn that his health is improving and hope he may be around again soon.

Mr E. Blackadder, agent and lecturer of the Grand Division, S. of T., is spending the holidays in Wolfville. He has been doing good work in Pictou county for the past month or so, and will proceed to East Hants next week.

Mr B. T. Vaughn, of Denver, Colorado, arrived at the home of his brother, Mr John W. Vaughn, this town, on Christmas eve, quite unexpectedly, after an absence of eighteen years. He is accompanied by his wife and two children, and expects to spend the winter here. Mr Vaughn is one of the most successful miners of Colorado.

The ACADIAN, on Tuesday, January 1st, thirty-one years ago, was worked at the case in the office of the Acadian, published in this town by Major Theobald, now of Halifax. Arthur J. Lockhart, at the same time a compositor in the office. Mr Hall has seen many changes of fortune, but is still enthusiastic as regards the newspaper business.

The Christmas Farmer's Advocate. The farmers of Canada have received a great treat in the Christmas Number of the Farmer's Advocate, of London, Ont. It is a unique and valuable production, the splendid articles and illustrations of which give probably the best representation ever published of Canadian agriculture. Able representative writers in every province of Canada, from British Columbia to Nova Scotia, discuss the important questions of Agriculture, such as "The Canadian Live Stock Husbandry," "The Fruit Year in Nova Scotia," "The Northwest Territories," "R. E. Gonnell, Provincial Librarian of British Columbia, a most graphic article on the "Golden West"; Richard Gibson, on the "Madison Square Garden show"; Mr John L. Inches, Secretary for Agriculture, Nova Scotia; and Mr Wm. Clark, Prince Edward Island, write on agriculture in the Maritime Provinces; Prof. E. B. Paville, on "The Fruit Year in Nova Scotia." The Advocate has done a distinct service to the country in issuing this fine Christmas Number, which goes to every new subscriber for 1897. We notice that the paper continues to be published twice a month in large size, and on after Jan. 1st will appear in a colored cover ("gold" tint) together with a largely increased contributing staff of the ablest and most practical writers in Canada.

WHITSON & FRAZER'S College—the largest, oldest, and best Commercial College in Nova Scotia—has a staff of seven skilled instructors. A Diploma from this college gives the best chance for a good situation. More applications are received by the college for first-class positions than can be filled. The College re-opens on Monday, Jan. 4, 1897. Students can join the College at any time.

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Sir Chas. Tupper and Lady Tupper sail from Liverpool on Jan. 7th for Canada.

A well-known Truro gentleman, who consulted Madame Klakade, during her stay in Windsor, as to his future, was told by her that money was buried in a certain place in Annapolis county for him, and gave minute directions as to its exact location. Last week he went down to get it, taking with him a large canvas bag, pickaxe, etc., but most remarkable to relate, the money was not there. The aforesaid gentleman has come to the conclusion that those "spirits" are not infallible.

Dr. Joseph Cook, Boston, has read since July, over 1000 books. This fact is an evidence that during his recent illness his mental activity has not been impaired.

Ayleford cranberries are selling at \$4.00 and \$5.00 per barrel in Halifax. The prices netted from shipments to the upper provinces averaged fully \$5.00.

There were 52 trotters, and 146 pacers in the 2,10 list, at the end of the 1896 trotting season.

The revenue from New Brunswick crown lands this year will be considerably over \$140,000.

HERBIN'S JEWELRY STORE.

Christmas Goods.

A full line of Silverware, Watches, Clocks and Jewelry, Gold Spectacles and Eyeglasses. The Xmas display this season will be the finest ever shown in Kings County. New Goods. Low prices.

Wolfville, N. S.

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Rev. D. H. Simpson and Mr Edgar Bishop attended the ordination of Frank Bishop, B. A., of class '96, of Acadia University, at Greenfield, Queens Co., last week.

Mrs Simpson is visiting her mother who is very sick, in Boston, Mass. Mr C. Norwood, one of our oldest men, spent Christmas with friends in Weston.

Mr Gould has been shipping apples, from Oglivie's wharf to ports around the bay in N. B. The last cargo was shipped this week.

Trade for Christmas was unusually brisk, though great inducements were offered at Kentville.

Hantsport. Mr N. J. Lockhart, B. A., of "Acadia," spent Sunday last with his uncle, Mr William Whitman.

Mr William Parsons, of Middleton, and Mrs Robert Ross, of Windsor, were the guests of Mr and Mrs H. B. Short, of Digby, spent Christmas with the latter's parents, Mr and Mrs T. A. Robinson.

Hon. J. W. Longley spent Christmas with friends here.

Billtown. The S. School had their Christmas Concert last evening, and it was pronounced by all the best of any that preceded it. The children of the school assisted in the singing, and did it well. It was gratifying to see so much musical ability among the young people.

Mr William Hamilton, of Delhaven, was taken suddenly ill a few days ago at Mr John Bill's. He is now convalescent.

On Christmas day fire broke out in the east slope of the Springhill mines. From the first reports it was feared the result would be of the most serious character, but later accounts represent that the fire is under control and that the damage is not nearly so great as was at first supposed.

NOTICE. Beginning Jan. 8th, '97, we will send a man through the town to gather Laundry. Customers will kindly have their bundles ready and oblige. ROCKWELL & CO. Agents Steam Laundry.

Only \$1.00. Since the drop in price of Steel, we are able to buy Steel Shoes almost as cheap as iron formerly cost us. Therefore we will be pleased to show your horses with Steel Shoes for \$1.00 per pair.

Thanking the public for past favors, and soliciting a continuance of same, wishing you the compliments of the season, and hoping that 1897 will be a happy and prosperous year for you. I am sincerely yours, George Wood. Wolfville, Dec. 29, '96.

NOTICE. The Overseers of the Poor for the Township of Horton, will receive tenders by the undersigned, or his successor in office, until 12 o'clock, noon, on Wednesday, the 20th day of January, 1897, for supplies for Poor's House.

For 25 barrels Flour, 80 per cent. roller process, at cost per barrel, to be delivered 1st April, 1897, at the store of the person whose tender is accepted. Also for general Groceries, at rate per cent. above cost, and charges. TERMS.—Flour, cash 60 days after delivery, payment for general groceries will be made quarterly. The Overseers do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender. By order of the Overseers, H. M. NEARY, Clerk, Greenwich, Dec. 30th, 1896.

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Nothing could be more appropriate than one of those Rattan or Cobbler Seat Rockers, Music Cabinets, Secretary or Work Basket, Esels, Etc.

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Special attention given to Wedding Cakes and Fancy Baking of all kinds. J. W. VAUGHN. Full stock of Fresh Groceries always on hand.

Miss Seabourne, Teacher on Piano & Organ. WOLFVILLE, N. S. DENTISTRY. The subscriber will be at his office in Wolfville every Thursday, Friday and Saturday. J. E. MULLONEY.

Next Week A Special Sale in Trimmed Hats and Bonnets! FROM \$1.50 UP! GREAT BARGAINS! S. E. WELTON. Opposite the American House.

CHRISTMAS NOVELTIES! We are showing a nice range of above at prices which cannot fail to meet the approval of all. OUR PRICES ON Ladies' Initial Silk Hdkfs. 27c.; Gentlemen's Initial do. 40c.; Boxes Soap, 8 pieces 10c.; Children's 8-piece Silver Set, Cup, Napkin Ring and Spoon, 75c.; Napkin Ring, silver-plated, 15c. each; also, Dolls, Books, Lacy Cups and Saucers, Bique Figures, etc.

Dress Goods marked down to meet the Xmas trade. Headquarters for Ulsters and Overcoats. PORT WILLIAMS HOUSE, Chase, Webb & Co.

Houses to Let. To let—furnished or unfurnished—"Rose Cottage," lately occupied by Mr F. P. Ross, 5 rooms, town water, etc., etc. —ALSO—The Cottage adjoining the church. Immediate possession Apply to DR. BAI Wolfville, Oct. 1st, '96.

DOMINION ATLA RAILWAY "LAND OF EVANGELINE" R On and after Monday, 28th 1896, the trains of this Railway daily (Sunday excepted). Express "Halifax".....5.30 Express "Yarmouth".....5.45 Express "Kentville".....5.58 Accom. "Richmond".....6.0 Accom. "Annapolis".....6.11 TRAINS WILL LEAVE WOLFVILLE: Express for Halifax.....6.15 Express "Yarmouth".....6.30 Express "Halifax".....6.45 Express "Kentville".....6.58 Accom. "Annapolis".....7.11 Accom. "Halifax".....7.25

Royal Mail Steamship Prince Rupert, Monday, Wednesday, Friday, Saturday, St. John and Digby. Leaves St. John, 8.00 a. m.; arrive in Digby, 11.00 a. m.; leave Digby 1.00 p. m.; arrive St. John 4.00 p. m. Trains are run on Eastern Standard Time. W. R. CAMPBELL, General Manager, E. RUTHERLAND, Superintendent.

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DAVID THOMPSON, PAINTER & PAPER HANGER, WOLFVILLE, N. S. Orders may be left at Rockwell & Co's or at L. W. Slay's. [36]

NOTICE. ALL PERSONS having legal demands against the estate of James E. Armstrong, late of Wolfville, in the County of Kings, deceased, are requested to render the same duly attested, within one year from the date hereof, and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to make immediate payment to M. A. ARMSTRONG, ADMINISTRATOR, FENTON B. HARRIS, ADMINISTRATOR. Wolfville, Nov. 6th, 1896.

Farm for Sale. The very desirable property in Lower Wolfville on which I now reside, consisting of good dwelling and out-buildings and about nine acres of land, all thoroughly cultivated, and produced this season 255 barrels of apples, besides plums, peaches, cherries, grapes, etc. Gate for horse and cow and furnishes pasture for same. Situated on the main road just outside the town limits, and within easy distance of post-office and churches. Part of the purchase money may remain on mortgage if desired. Cause of selling, other business. John E. Palmeter. Wolfville, Nov. 30, '96.



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WOLFVILLE, N. S.

### THE ACADIAN.

WOLFVILLE, N. S., JAN. 1, 1897.

#### Local and Provincial.

The ACADIAN wishes all its patrons and friends a happy and prosperous New Year.

The next meeting of Court Blomidon, I. O. F., will be held on Wednesday evening next in Temperance Hall.

Rev. J. Higgins occupied the pulpit of the Baptist church on Sunday morning last, Rev. Mr. Cahoon preaching in the evening.

On Christmas morning, Rev. K. O. Hind, Rector of St. John's church, was presented with a very handsome silk case and girdle, and a pair of sanctuary shoes, by the members of his congregation.

The death is announced of Frederic A. Hobart, second son of the late D. K. Hobart, U. S. Consul of Windsor. He died at Chester, Pa., on Dec. 12th. He was a graduate of Acadia in the class of '79.

Abundant Rink was opened to the public for the first time this season on Christmas night. The ice was in good condition, and quite a number took advantage of the opportunity to enjoy a glide over the icy surface.

The School of Horticulture's short winter course opens on Jan. 7th. Certificate of proficiency will be granted to those who finish the four month's course. The privileges of the school are accorded to those who can only attend for a short time.

Christmas passed off quietly as usual in Wolfville. It was a holiday in every sense of the word. Christmas is a day of home gathering and all who could do so were at home on that day. The faces of many old friends were seen in Wolfville. Quiet prevailed and the day was fittingly observed.

Wolfville has now three blacksmith shops. Mr. Harvey Collins, who has lately finished a handsome residence on Locust avenue, has leased the old shop near the bridge, and with the assistance of his son will carry on a general smithy business. A new shop will be erected shortly by Mr. Collins, near the one occupied by Mr. Wood.

The Christmas number of the *Pictorial* is a work of art. It was beautifully printed on toned paper, and contained a number of historical and other articles. Cuts of leading public men and some of the important buildings were also given. The *Advocate* is one of the most artistically gotten-up papers in the Province.

Amateur Photographers! Just in, fresh stock of Stanley, Hanman & Hford Plates, Flash Powder, Mounts, Higgins' Paste and the Modern Developer. Wolfville Drug Store.

The regular union week-of-prayer services will be held in Wolfville next week. The programme this year will be as follows: On Monday evening the meeting will be held in the Presbyterian church, Rev. T. Trotter to preside; Tuesday evening in the Baptist church, Rev. P. M. Macdonald to preside; Wednesday evening in the Methodist church, Rev. J. Denovan to preside; Thursday evening in the Presbyterian church, Rev. Dr. Higgins to preside; Friday, a Bible conference, the meetings will begin at 7:30 o'clock, and will be closed by a social interlude.

Desirable property in Lower Canada which I now reside, covered dwelling and out-buildings, situated on the main line of the town limits, and consists of post-office and out of the purchase money as mortgage if desired, give other business. E. Palmeter. Nov. 20, 1896.

#### Local and Provincial.

Attention is directed to the adv. of our enterprising horse-shoer, Mr. Geo. Wood, in another column. He has something of interest to horsemen.

The members of Cornwallis Baptist church, presented their organist and choir leader, Mrs. Robert Chisholm, with a handsome dogskin coat last week as a Christmas gift.

An exchange has discovered that defective eyesight is caused by reading newspapers on which the subscription price has not been paid. It may be avoided by paying in advance.

Mr. S. H. Newcombe, of Port Williams, sent ten barrels of Cox's Orange Pippin apples to London by a recent steamer and received returns, showing that they sold at sixteen shillings per barrel.

W. C. Archibald, of Earncliffe Gardens, who has been selling his small fruit in the Western Counties, secured about \$1200 worth of orders in a six week's trip. Evidently there is still much faith in the future of the fruit growing industry.

Madame Kinkade, who for the past couple of weeks has been passing into the future for the benefit of Wolfville, joined her tent and went to New Brunswick, on Friday last. The people here didn't seem to be quite curious enough to please the Madams.

Sensational reports come from Kentville with reference to railroad matters. A number of dismissals are reported, including officials and heads of departments. The names of Messrs. Carroll, Grierson, H. M. Bailey, and Chipman are mentioned as being among the number.

At their regular meeting on Monday evening the members of Wolfville Division had a Christmas tree, which afforded considerable pleasure and amusement. The hall was well filled and the large tree looked very pretty with its burden of presents for all. The meetings of the Division are increasing in interest.

The *Colliery News*, a weekly journal recently started at Glace Bay, C. B., has come to hand. It is edited and published by Mr. S. P. Challoner, and is a well printed and interesting sheet. Its principal object will be to boom the mining interests of Cape Breton, and it should be liberally supported by the residents of that sturdy little isle.

MONEY TO LEND ON MORTGAGE.—Apply to E. S. Crawley, Solicitor, Wolfville, N. S.

St. Andrew's (Presbyterian) church, this town, had a narrow escape on Sunday morning last. During the service smoke was noticed coming through the floor, and on investigation it was discovered that an over-heated furnace had ignited the wood work near it. The fire was making good headway when discovered, but was extinguished with little damage being done. Had it broken out a little later, or after the congregation had left the church, the building would probably have been destroyed.

**Died.**—At Upper Dike Village, Dec. 22d, Mrs. Charles E. Sheffield, aged 44 years.

**WILSON.**—At King's College, Windsor, on Christmas eve, Margaret F. C., only daughter of Rev. G. E. and Grace C. Wilson, in the thirtieth year of her age.

**NEWCOMB.**—At Upper Dike Village, Dec. 22d, W. E. Newcomb, aged 72 years.

#### Local and Provincial.

**XMAS!** The Xmas Season is here and so is our

**Stock of Xmas Goods.** Our China, Glassware and Fancy Goods have been carefully selected from the largest and best Houses in the trade and we therefore we feel confident that we can suit everybody in

**QUALITY AND PRICE.** Our Xmas Groceries are as usual the best and cheapest, and we have enough for all. We invite inspection of our stock, which will be shown with pleasure.

**Merry Xmas to All.** T. L. Harvey, "Crystal Palace." Wolfville, Dec. 18th, 1896.

**To My Friends:** I take this opportunity of wishing the compliments of the season and also thank you heartily for many kind favors in the past, and hoping the year of 1897 will be a happy and prosperous one for you. I remain, Yours truly, F. J. PORTER. Wolfville, Jan. 1st, 1897.

**New Fancy Groceries!** Just Arrived, comprising—Rolled Oats, Rolled Wheat, Wheat Grits, Potyjohn's Feed (for porridge), Graham Flour, Pot Barley, Flake and Pearl Tapioca, Pea Flour, Cocoa Shells, Schopp's Coconut, Bunsdory's and Mot's Cocoa, Fresh new growth Tetley's Tea and Coffee, Root Beer, Oxtail and Libbin's Soups, Lazenby's Chow-chow and Pickles (new patent bottle).

**Canned Goods:** string Beans, Corn, Peas, Tomatoes, Pumpkins, Peaches, Plums, Pears, Strawberries, Boneless Pig's-foot, Ox Tongue, Lunch Tongue, Potted Ham, Canned Figs, Beef, Haddies, Salmon, Lobsters, Oysters, Apricots, Grapes, Cherries, New French Olives and 999 other lines all of which are of the best quality and finest price that can be produced. Remember we guarantee all goods as recommended. We will allow 12c. for Eggs for a short time.

**H. E. HARRIS.** Wolfville, June 12th, 1896.

**DENTISTRY.** Dr. A. J. McCona. Graduate of Philadelphia Dental College.

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Extra Heavy. Finest Wool.

Prices \$4.00, \$4.50, \$4.75, \$5.25.

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Yours truly, Calder & Co.

Wolfville, November 6th, 1896.

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WM. REGAN.

Wolfville, Oct. 14th, 1896.

## FALL, 1896.

Cold weather is coming and before it comes don't forget to get the stoves in order and buy new ones to replace those worn out.

### L. W. SLEEP'S

is the place to buy. We have the stock and prices right.

Also: Ash Sieves, Coal Hods, Pickers, Shovels, etc.

It will pay you to look at our line before placing your order.

Wolfville, Oct. 16th, 1896.

## CHRISTMAS, 1896.

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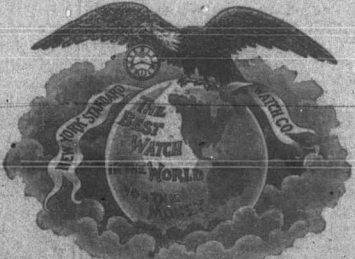
## Amherst and Bell's Boots and Shoes at Caldwell's.

Wolfville, December 16th, 1896.

You will save money by coming to Kentville to buy your

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Opposite the Porter House



Suitable for Presentations and Weddings!

See our new lines of Silver Bread Plates, Pickle Jars, Cake Baskets, Silver Cups and Saucers, Silver Nut Bowls, Cracker Jars, Tea Services in 12 pieces, Berry Dishes, Goblets, Card Receivers, Revolving Butter Dishes, Etc., Etc.

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1000 Solid Gold, Diamond Engagement and Wedding Rings, Gold and Silver Watches. If your Watch is out of order you had better take it to McLeod before you get it botched. His prices are: Cleaning, 50c; Watch's Main-Spring, 50c; New Jewel, 25c to 50c.

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What the New Year Brings. Vacant chair. Good wishes without number. Change, but not always silver.

The Folly of Unbelief. In view of the prevailing and abiding love of Him in whose hands all power in heaven and on earth is lodged what a folly seems our unbelief!

For the Ensuing Year. May the new Year, just opening to us be signalled in public and in private life by the growth of noble ideas.

The reason that he who is striving for wealth or renown for his own personal good or for the advancement of his own interests.

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Scraps for Odd Moments. "Sturton, have you any good rule for the use of shall and will?" "Yes; whichever I think it ought to be I take the other one."

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