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POETRY.

Unspoken Words.

The kindly words that rise within the heart
And thrill it with the sympathetic tone,
But die unspoken, fall to play their part,
And claim a merit that is not their own.

A sign that wraps itself in purest guise,
And tells the heart that, doubting, looks within,
That not in speech, but thought, the virtue lies.

But 'tis not so; another heart may thirst
For that kind word, as Hagar in the wild,
And find it not; and, kneeling, pray a well-merited
From out the sand to save her parching child.

And loving eyes that cannot see the mind,
Will watch the expected movement of the lip;
Ah! can you let his cutting sentence wind
Around the heart and sear it like a whip?

Then hide it not, the music of the soul;
Dear sympathy, expressed with kindly voice;
But let it, like a shining river, roll
To desert dry—to hearts that would rejoice.

Oh, let the sympathy of kindly words
Sound for the poor, the friendless, and the weak;
And He will bless you—He who struck
The stone which rolled away from the tomb.

SELECT STORY

Wolfe the Ranger.

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pleased when he comes back. He has been so anxious about you."

Constance met with downcast eyes and blushing face.

"Don't you think you could come down to dinner to-day?"

"Oh, no," said Constance; "I—I would rather not."

"What's that she would rather not?" said the deep, musical voice of the marchioness.

"You startled me, Wolfe," said his mother. "I was just saying that Miss Grahame might stretch a point and come down to dinner with us to-day. But she says she will not. Really, there is no reason why she should not; Arol is quite well enough to be left. Ask her, Wolfe."

"I'll do more—command her," he said; and he went round to where she sat behind the curtains, and put his arm round her. "Stand up," he said, "and say that you are ready to obey your future husband, Constance."

Constance, growing pale, would have shrunk back, but his strong arm was round her and supported her.

The marchioness looked at them speechlessly; Arol's eyes dilated with wonder and a dawning delight.

"Mother," said the marchioness, very gently, "here is my future wife and your daughter. What do you say to her?"

The marchioness turned pale, and stood for a moment overwhelmed with surprise; then she held out her arms to Constance.

"Oh, my dear," she said, brokenly, "come to me!"

The marchioness laid her trembling hands on Constance's head.

"God bless you, my dear, and make you both happy!" she murmured.

Constance took her hands in hers and kissed them, but the old lady drew her up to her bosom and embraced her lovingly.

"And I never thought of it!" she said, with a smile; "I had no idea."

"You thought that you and Arol were the only sensible people in the house, eh, mother?" said the marchioness, looking on with happiness beaming in her dark eyes. "Did you think that I had no heart or that I was invulnerable?"

"—I never thought of it at all!" responded the marchioness; "and yet sometimes—But—oh, my dear, I am so glad, so happy!"

"What are you all doing and talking about?" exclaimed Arol, with not unusual impatience. "Why are you so happy? What are you kissing Constance for, grandma? What's she been doing?"

"Something very foolish, my boy," said the marchioness. "What do you say to having a new suit, Arol?"

Arol stared; then he uttered a shrill cry of delight.

"Do you mean that you are going to marry Constance, Uncle Wolfe?" he exclaimed.

"You have guessed it at once, my boy."

"Oh, I'm so glad I so very, very glad!" he cried; "though," and his face fell for a moment, "I always thought that I should like to marry her myself."

Constance put her arms round him and pressed him to her.

"Never mind," he said, "so long as one of us marries you, it's all right; you'll never, never leave me now, will you, Constance, dear?"

"No, Arol," she murmured.

"For the best of all reasons," said the marchioness; "she won't be able, and with a laugh he left the room."

The marchioness signed to Constance to come and sit beside her.

"I am all in a flutter, my dear," she said; "I am so surprised! But the news has made me very happy."

"That seems so strange," said Constance in a low voice. "I thought—"

She paused.

"Well, my dear," and the old lady patted the soft, warm hand.

"I thought you would be angry and disappointed," continued Constance, looking down.

"Why, my dear?"

Constance was silent for a moment, then she said, not without a touch of dignity:

"Persons of Lord Brakespeare's rank do not often marry so far beneath them."

The marchioness shook her head and smiled.

"My dear, you don't think yourself really so far beneath him," she remarked shrewdly, "and you are quite right. A pure, true-hearted woman, if she be a lady, is the equal of any man. I think Wolfe has been very wise as well as fortunate. If he had asked me to choose for him—which is the most improbable thing I can think of, and she smiled, "I could not have chosen a wife for him more after my own heart. He was quite right when he said that Arol and I love you. We do, my dear, and you know it."

"And—yet you know nothing about me," said Constance, tremulously.

"Well, not very much, perhaps," my dear," responded the old lady; "but then, you see, what we do know is so good and lovely that we take all the rest for granted. But we do know something. Doctor Griffin has told me that he knew your father, and that he was one of the best of men."

Constance's eyes filled with tears.

"My dear, if an old woman may offer a word of advice—may she?"

"Yes, oh, yes; anything, any thing; do not keep anything from me," said Constance, fervently.

"Well, then, I'd say, put away all such thoughts as that which was worrying you—it was worrying you a little; wasn't it?"

"Ah, yes, yes," and she stifled a little sigh.

"Well, then, don't think of it any more. It is true that Wolfe might have found a wife in what is called our own class—might have married rank and money; but, and the Brakespeare look came into the old lady's eyes, "we are not, I think, in want of money; and as for the rank"—she smiled—"well, we are proud to think of it of very little consequence."

Constance bent and kissed the sweet, placid face.

"Oh, how good, how good you all are to me," she murmured.

"Are we," said the marchioness, laughing; "it is nothing to what we will be. You shall see—you shall see! My dear, this is the happiest day I have spent since Wolfe came back to me, and it almost seemed that night as if you had brought him."

"If"

"You both came together, and it was you who brought me the news of his return. I shall never forget that. And then there is another thing. Who knows how long he would have remained with us but for you? He was getting restless, he might have gone any day or any moment, but now that he has fallen in love with you he will stay. Yes, he will stay, and it is to you I shall owe his presence. So you see, my dear, what good cause I have for loving you."

"It seems like a dream," murmured Constance, softly. "So strange, so improbable."

"That he should have fallen in love with you?" asked the old lady with a smile. "Well, I think it would have been stranger if he had not. You see, my dear, for one thing you are very pretty; there will be another 'beautiful lady' in the portrait gallery presently," and she laughed at Constance's crimsoned face. "Then you have that sweet, money little way with you which men find so irresistible, and naturally; and then, my dear, we all know how good you are. But there, I don't want to make you vain, and so spoil Wolfe's wife. Happy Wolfe!"

"Happy Constance!" murmured Constance, hiding her face on the old lady's shoulder.

"And now, my dear," said the marchioness, "you must tell us exactly what you would like to do. You will want your friends to know."

"My friends?" echoed Constance.

"Yes; so doubt you would like some of them to come and see you. Remember that this place will be yours very soon, and that you must consider it as such. Now, whom shall I ask to come and stay?"

"No one," said Constance, quickly. "There is no one. I do not think I have a relation in the world; at least, there is none that I know of or remember."

"My poor child, how lonely you must have been!" and the tender-hearted old lady stroked her hair.

"Yes," said Constance, gently. "I have been very lonely since my father died."

"But you will be so no longer, my dear," said the marchioness. "You are among your own people now. Then there is no one whom I can ask? Is there no one to whom I shall write?"

"No," replied Constance, shaking her head. "There is no one excepting Lady Armistead."

"Well, then, I'll write to her at the same time you do, my dear," said the marchioness. "I suppose the wedding will be very soon?"

"Oh, not soon," murmured Constance, blushing.

"I hope so. You see, when you are married I shall feel as if I had got Wolfe quite safe and secure. Oh, my dear, I little thought that night when you came and told me that my son had come back to me, that I should gain a daughter as well! I hope, I pray he may make you happy, and I think he will. The Brakespeare's are not half-hearted in their love; with all their faults they are true and constant. God bless you both, my dear!"

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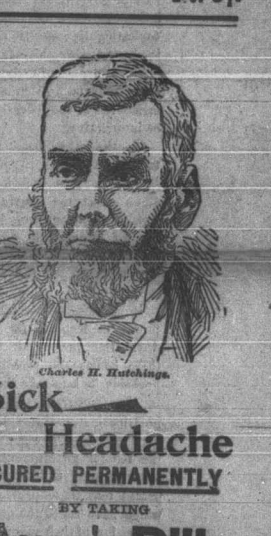
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Sick Headache CURED PERMANENTLY BY TAKING Ayer's Pills

"I was troubled a long time with sick headache. It was usually accompanied with severe pains in the temples, a sense of fullness and tenderness in one eye, a bad taste in my mouth, tongue coated, lurch and feet cold, and sickness at the stomach. I tried a good many remedies, but succeeded in this complaint; but it began taking
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Constance sat beside the window in her own room trying to realize it. Would she wake presently to find that it was all a dream? She thought of the marchioness of Brakespeare; it seemed too wildly improbable to be true. What had she done to deserve such happiness—for she was thrilling with such happiness as she had never yet dreamed of.

She could feel his kisses on her face and hair, hear his voice ringing in her heart. She knew now that she had loved him from the first; she understood now why, whenever she thought of him—and when had she ceased to think of him?—her heart had throbbled with a strange mixture of pleasure and pain.

With the unspoken joy that filled her whole being there came, too, a sense of peace and rest.

She had been alone in the world, at the mercy of every wind that blew; at the mercy of Rawson Fenton, and she thought of him—a faint shudder ran through her. She need fear him no longer; one stood beside her now who could and would protect her from any harm Rawson Fenton might attempt to do her. She would put all remembrance of him away from her. It would have been better if she had told Wolfe about him; it would have been wiser and sweeter to have told the whole story of her past life, in which there was nothing for which she should blush; but he had not permitted her to do so.

Well, she would sink it forever. And of him she, for her part would ask nothing. He had said that there was a secret connected with his past, a secret which might bear bitter fruit in the future. He had bidden her trust him and be brave. Yes, she would trust him fully and entirely, and if the trouble of which he spoke so vaguely should come—well, she would bear it, and try and help him to bear it. At any rate, her love should comfort and console him, let what would befall.

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THE ACADIAN.

WOLFVILLE, N. S., MAY 15, 1896. Privy Council Decision.

The decision of the judicial committee of the privy council in reference to the Ontario prohibition case, which, since August, has been anxiously looked for all over the Dominion, has at length been arrived at. The real task before the privy council was to decide on the power of the provincial legislatures to pass prohibitory liquor laws.

The committee has decided that the federal government can alone pass legislation to stop the importation of intoxicating liquors into the several provinces and also the manufacture of such for the purpose of exportation; and that any provincial legislation conflicting with legislation of the federal parliament will be inoperative.

On the other hand the judgment establishes the authority of the local legislatures to pass such legislation as will alone affect the province for which it legislates; to suppress by legislation the sale of intoxicating liquors within the province or the manufacture of such liquors there for the purpose of local consumption.

It will hence be seen that considerable power to legislate for prohibition rests with the provincial legislatures. To these bodies the prohibition party will probably look to take the initiative steps in the temperance reform. After the provincial legislatures have dealt to the limit of their power with the question, the federal government will be called upon to act.

It is to be desired and expected that those provincial legislatures which have asked the people for a direct expression of their views on this question, when their power is thus decided upon, will use it in accordance with the wishes of the people as expressed through their plebiscite.

Cleveland and the Civil Service. Grover Cleveland may disappear from American public life with the expiry of his present term—and he may not—but his name will always be connected with a great reform in the civil service of the United States.

It was also voted that the balance of that fund in the Treasurer's hands be drawn and deposited in the bank on interest. This amount was \$204, and that the whole sum amounting to more than \$1100, be kept bearing interest in the bank for the next year.

By vote the "Poor Section List" of last year had West-Brooklyn added to it, and thus changed it to continue for another year.

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The Press. Mr. W. H. Spry has purchased the plant of the Liverpool Times, and will remove it to Barrington, where he will publish a paper, presumably in the Liberal interest.

The most recent addition to our exchange list is the *Lafayette Gazette*, a Liberal journal published at Bridgewater, by Mr. J. H. Hall. It is well edited, and its local columns are bright and new.

We gladly welcome to our list of exchanges the *Amherst Record*, a copy of which has recently reached our table. The *Record* is a bright and well printed little journal, published weekly and filled with interesting matter.

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Mr. T. C. Allen, of Halifax, was in town for a few days last week. Mr. Fred Hay, of Woodatock, is spending a few days in Wolfville, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. Harris.

Meeting of School Commissioners.

The Board of School Commissioners for King's County met in the Court House, Kentville, on Tuesday, May 12th, 1896, at 10 a. m.

Commissioners L. DeV. Chipman, S. S. Strong, F. J. Porter, G. E. Reid, C. E. Sandford, W. W. Pineo, James Hill, J. S. Woodworth, J. L. Franklin, A. S. McDonald and A. deV. Bars were present.

L. DeV. Chipman was elected chairman for the incoming year. The Inspector's report was read and various points in it considered. He reported one hundred and twenty-two schools in operation. In these were employed one hundred and thirty-nine teachers. He stated that the new section, created provisionally at the last annual meeting of the Board, had been sanctioned by the C. P. I., had organized for work, and the trustees were proceeding to build a school house and hoped to have it ready by the first of the school year.

The name of the action to be West-Brooklyn, No. 109. Bonds being given in the East corner of Adolphus West's line, thence Southerly to Brookland; thence from Brook Road South, only by David Hutchinson's West line to the land of the late Thomas Fitzgerald; thence Westerly to old Telegraph Road at the junction of Faldon Road; thence Northwesterly to Mill Brook, following the course of Mill Brook to the Gaspean River; thence by said river to Deep Hollow bridge; thence Easterly to the West corner of William Carey's land; thence by John Hutchinson's West line to the Mountain Road; thence by the Mountain Road to the place of beginning.

Fifteen Graded Schools were reported in which forty-one teachers were employed. The schools are improving and fairly satisfactory. The report dealt at length with the condition of the miscellaneous, as compared with the graded schools, named the districts in which the registers for the past year were not completed as required and promised to report both teachers and sections to the superintendent if any registers were left unfinished in the future.

A school was reported in the Pine Woods as having begun soon after the Christmas vacation. The Board reaffirmed the vote of last year in re the \$50 for the Pine Woods school, which had not up to date been drawn by the Inspector from the Treasurer. This sum comes from the School Land Fund of Cornwallis, and is placed in the hands of the Inspector to supplement the ordinary grants, in maintaining a school in that section.

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Miss Cornelius, of Halifax, who has been spending a few weeks in Wolfville, returned to her home on Saturday last.

Mr. Elliott Smith, of Halifax, who some time ago purchased the X. Z. Chipman property in this town, has taken possession.

The family of Mr. J. A. McNeil, the popular manager of E. P. White & Co.'s tailoring establishment of the town, arrived in Wolfville last week, from Canada.

We were glad to see Mr. W. C. Blackadder out on Thursday. Mr. Blackadder has been ill for some months, and his many friends are pleased to see him around again.

Canning. The pulpit of the Methodist church was occupied last Sunday by the Rev. J. Rogers, of Halifax.

Rev. Mr. Fisher expects to go on a fishing excursion soon.

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PRICES LOWER THAN THE LOWEST. Call early and inspect.

A. J. WOODMAN. Wolfville, March 24th, 1896.

Fatal Railway Accident. A terribly sad accident occurred on the Dominion Atlantic railway, at Windsor Junction, on Saturday last, by which William McIntyre, one of the most popular conductors on the road, lost his life.

The celebration of Arbor Day in the Wolfville schools was a very pleasant and profitable occasion. Notwithstanding the fact that the programme was hurriedly prepared, the whole exercises passed off most successfully. The day was a very pleasant one, and at the appointed hour the pupils with a goodly number of parents and friends assembled on the school grounds.

The first on the programme was an excellently rendered piece of music entitled "A Song of Arbor Day," by Miss Eva Godfrey, Annie Murray, Lorinda Brown and Beatrice Franklin.

Then followed a recitation by Miss Lorinda Brown, "He who Plants a Tree." This selection was most appropriate and well delivered.

The chairman next called upon Mayor Digelow, who delivered a short and very practical address. He was glad to see the teachers and students of our public schools taking up the planting of trees, a work which, to too great an extent, had been neglected in this community.

A piece of music, entitled "Hurrah for Canada," by a number of the pupils was then enthusiastically given. Next was a paper, delivered by H. H. Curry, a pupil of the advanced department. The subject was: "A well-kept school ground shows the character of the neighborhood."

Prof. Exallie was the next speaker. He explained the origin and working of Arbor Day in other countries, and congratulated the schools on the success of their first effort at the celebration of Arbor Day here, promising his assistance in the work in every way possible.

A responsive recitation by nine little girls, was very well given and much enjoyed by all.

Principal Oakes delivered an excellent address. He spoke of the origin of Arbor Day and the introduction of its celebration into New Brunswick, where he was familiar with its workings, and more recently into Nova Scotia. He set forth very clearly the advantages of tree planting by the school children, and the exercises connected therewith.

At the dinner of the Canada Club in London lately, at which Mr. Chamberlain, the Colonial Secretary, made his great speech on an Imperial trade policy, the toast of "The Press" was coupled with the name of Mr. C. Morley Bell, the able manager of the Times, reference being made to that great paper's sympathetic course toward Canada.

When Run, Get Down. That's our advice to every weakly, sickly, ailing woman and girl, and there's nothing equal to INDIAN WOMAN'S BALM for purifying the blood, & toning up the nerves and building up the brain.

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CARVER'S HALF-PRICE SALE FOR SATURDAY, MAY 16th

Fashionable Dress Goods & Dress Trimmings. This is the greatest sale ever offered. All these goods will be on exhibition on Thursday and Friday.

SALE ON SATURDAY! Come one, Come all, and buy your Spring and Summer Dress. Write for samples.

Telephone 66. Carver's DRY GOODS Importing House. WINDSOR, N. S.

MILLINERY! A FULL LINE IN LATEST STYLES OF Spring & Summer Millinery! JUST OPENED.

A cordial invitation is given to call and inspect. Orders promptly filled. S. E. WELTON. Opposite the American House.

SPRING OF '96. THE TIME TO TAKE SARSAPARILLA. RAND'S is only 50c. a bottle. We have all the others.

WOLFVILLE DRUG STORE. WE DO NOT CLAIM TO SELL House Finish, Doors, Sashes, Blinds, etc. more cheaply than our competitors, but we do claim to use better Stock, and give you better value.

Write for Catalogue. HALEY BROS., & CO., ST. JOHN, N. B. F. W. WOODMAN, Wolfville, is our Agent.

COAL! COAL! We have in stock Hard and Soft Coals in all sizes. Also, SOFT-WOOD KINDLINGS, which will be delivered promptly on receipt of orders.

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Just arrived, ex sebr. "Utility," a cargo of Bone Meal, Murate of Potash and Bowler's Celebrated Fertilizers!

Which will be sold at prices that defy competition. WOLFVILLE COAL CO., AGENTS. Wolfville, May 13th.

Shorthand Classes. Classes in the Ben Fittman Reporting Style are taught daily at Whiston & Frazee's Commercial College, by Miss L. E. McCoolough, graduate of the Phonographic Institute, Cincinnati, Ohio, and the Pennin System by Thornton H. Lodge, certified teacher of the Pennin Institute, Detroit, Michigan.

CHRISTIE & WALLACE, Painters and Paper Hangers. Best attention given to Work entrusted to us.

Orders left at the store of G. H. Wallace will be promptly attended to. PATRONAGE SOLICITED. S. E. WHISTON, 95 Barrington St., Halifax, N. S.

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Our Flowers cannot be equalled in price, or surpassed in variety. Be sure and see them. 25 pieces entirely new Velling in Standard colors.

Latest Designs in Ribbons, Jet, Steel, Rhinestone Ornaments, etc. New Seguin Trimmings. Ladies' Shirt Waists from \$1.00 to \$2.50.

New Japanese Silks for Waists at 45c. a yard, only. Silk Gloves 40c. to 75c. Hermsdorf Hosiery, warranted Seamless, at 25c. a pair.

Other Articles for Ladies' Wear, too numerous to mention, but all in stock. Hardwick & Randall, Wolfville, April 15th, 1896.

James Halliday.

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TWEEDS in the latest styles. WORSTEDS in the newest designs. TROUSERINGS in the most select patterns.

C. E. Stevens & Co., have opened up quarters at 87 Greatville Street, Halifax, for the sale of Bicycles, and to do first-class repair work.

We have on hand all Sundries that are required in the using of a Bicycle. Our repair shop is complete, and we are able to attend promptly and properly to all kinds of repair work.

Call and see our machines, and by our workmanship, and you will never have cause to go elsewhere. C. E. STEVENS & CO. Agents for "Cleveland," "Bavay" and "Floeting" Bicycles.

NOTICE. All amounts due J. L. Franklin not settled by June 1st, will be left for collection. April 29th, '95.

"If you ever go to house-keeping," it will be well worth your while to remember that in all plain and fancy cooking you should USE MOTT'S SPICES.

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Cycle Repairs always in Stock. Difficult Repairs Solidified. Samples on Exhibition at Wolfville. Represented in Wolfville by GEORGE H. HARRIS.

Ten Dollars Reward! To any one (other than the perpetrator of the act) giving information that will lead to the conviction of the person or persons who set fire on the property of H. B. Masters, Esq., thereby causing injury to the hedge and all persons found trespassing on the said property will be presented to the full extent of the law.

The subscriber desires to thank in his Master's name those young men who promptly put out the fire and so prevented what might have been most serious damage.

GEORGE A. PRAT, Agent for MR. MASTERS. \$100.00 REWARD! To any one giving me the information of the person who during the past week destroyed two apple trees and a plum tree on the Wolfville Fruit Land Co.'s land, just east of W. C. Archibald's land, will receive \$100.00.

G. E. DEWITT. DAVID THOMPSON, PAINTER & PAPER HANGER. WOLFVILLE, N. S.

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Perfect fits guaranteed. Rooms in Acadian building. F. E. DAVIDSON. M. A. ZINK. FARM SALES. Having completed arrangements for facilitating sales applications with particulars of property and price will receive attention.

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The Windsor (N. S.) Rubber Stamp Co. can fit you out with anything in the way of Rubber Stamps, Seal Presses, Rubber Stamps, Rubber Type, Pads, etc. Call and inspect our catalogue. All goods guaranteed.

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Table listing various clothing items such as Men's Navy Blue Suits, Men's Oxford All Wool Suits, etc., with prices.

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C. H. BORDEN.

N. B. Look at the advertisement of Slater Shoes on 4th page, 4th and 5th column of this paper. We are sole agents.

THE ACADIAN.

WOLFVILLE, N. S., MAY 15, 1896.

Local and Provincial.

We are informed that firm in Toronto are offering bicycles as premiums with ten cent shirts. This explains it.

Rev. W. V. Higgins, who has lately returned from missionary work in India, preached in the Baptist church on Sunday evening last.

Mr. W. H. Chase has begun operations for the erection of a new warehouse at Port Williams station, to replace the one destroyed by fire last winter.

Lost.—A thin, black Overcoat. Finder will oblige by leaving at this office.

A Liberal mass meeting was held in the Drill Shed, at Kentville, on Wednesday afternoon last. Premier Fielding, Dr. Borden, M. P., H. H. Wickwire, M. P., and others, addressed the meeting. A large number were present.

HALF-PRICE SALE at Carver's on Saturday, May 16th.

We understand that a game of baseball will be played on the Campus on Saturday afternoon, between a "town" team and the "Seniors" of Acadia.

This will no doubt be a good game, as some of the old-time players will be on the Wolfville team.

General manager Briggell, of the Nova Scotia General Railway, will issue a guide book to tourists in the near future. It will be highly illustrated and contain much valuable information respecting the beauties of Lunenburg county and the waters of the placid LaHave.

Mr. Chas. Strong, our genial fish merchant, has had the carpenter at work on his shop for a week or two. The roof has been shingled, and two handsome panes of plate glass were placed in position on Wednesday last. It now presents a much neater appearance.

At a meeting of the Presbyterian congregation of Wolfville and Lower Horton on Wednesday it was unanimously decided that a call be extended to Mr. F. MacLaren Macdonald, of Pictou. Mr. Macdonald graduated at the Presbyterian college, Halifax, this spring. He has already filled the pulpit of the congregation several times, with much acceptance.

The Baptist congregation of this place has decided to build a new parsonage. The present house is to be moved back on the west line of the lot and used as a tenement, while the new building will occupy its present site. The parsonage will be a good building, will cost in the vicinity of \$5,000, and will make another addition to Wolfville's fine residences.

A party of gentlemen, consisting of Messrs O. D. Harris, D. R. Munro, A. J. Woodman and T. L. Harvey, tried their luck for codfish in the Basin, on Saturday last. They were conveyed to the fishing grounds in the gasoline launch. The "finny monsters" seemed, however, to have poor appetites on that day, as the aggregate catch was only three fish—two cod, and a haddock. O. D., as usual, was "high sea."

Dress Goods and Trimmings at HALF-PRICE on Saturday, May 16th, at Carver's, Windsor.

Acadia Villa School, Horton Landing, closes for the summer vacation on Thursday next, the 21st inst., and public exercises will be held throughout the day. The year's work in the various branches will be reviewed from 9 to 12 o'clock a. m. in the school room. In the afternoon this will be continued in the Assembly Hall from 1 to 2:30 o'clock, at which hour a literary and musical entertainment will be given by the students.

Local and Provincial.

Rev. Wm Brown, of Horton, occupied the pulpit of the Methodist church on Sunday evening last.

Capt. Clarence Eagles has the thanks of the ACADIAN for copies of the Newcastle (N. S. W.) Morning Herald, of March 30th and 31st.

The engine "Kentville," that was so badly shattered a few months ago, has been thoroughly repaired, and made her first trip over the C. V. R. branch last week.

Don't forget that we are selling out a lot of Room Paper at less than half price, at the Wolfville Book Store.

Rev. Mr Phillips, of Hantsport, will preach in the Wolfville Methodist church next Sunday, morning and evening, and at Greenwich in the afternoon. Rev. Mr. Hill goes to Hantsport on that day.

The local government of New Brunswick proposes to devote a sum of \$7,500 a year for seven years to assist the establishment of cold storage warehouses in St. John and throughout the province.

If you want Bargains come on Saturday, May 16th, to our HALF-PRICE SALE, at Carver's, Windsor.

The services in the Lower Horton Methodist church next Sunday morning, the 17th inst., will be in the interest of Acadia Villa School. Rev. James Hughson, of Halifax, a former pupil of the school, will deliver a farewell sermon to the boys, and special music will be furnished by the school Glee Club and Orchestras.

The recital given by the pupils of Acadia Seminary in Alumni Hall on Friday evening last was a very pleasing one. The programme has already been published in these columns. The whole exercises reflected much credit upon the pupils and teachers of the Seminary. The scenes from "A Midsummer Night's Dream" was one of the most pleasing features.

Another important event in the world's history took place on May 7th, when Mr. Channoy M. Dewey sent a message round the world by electricity generated at Niagara Falls. The message contained eight words, and went via England, Portugal and India to Australia, returning to the spot from which Mr. Dewey sent it, via Cape Town, Portugal and Brazil.

Plastering Hair for sale at the Brookside Tannery, Greenwich.

Forest fires have been raging in the western part of the county for the past few weeks, and a considerable amount of damage has been done. Large areas of woods have been burned over, and in some instances farm buildings have been in great danger. The spring has been unusually dry one, and rain is badly needed. The showers of Tuesday were barely sufficient to wet the ground.

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Come early and have your orders filled.

T. L. Harvey, "Crystal Palace," Wolfville, April 10th, 1896.

DAILY * EXPECTED.

by Schooner from Boston. 150 Bbls. "Stevenson's" Corn Meal. 150 Bbls. "Good Luck" high grade Flour. 100 Bags Manitoba Flour (in 95 lb. cask). 1000 Bush. "Kent Co." Oatmeal, White Oats.

HOME-MADE BREAD.

We will supply our customers with Graham and White Bread at 7c. Will receive daily from one of the best bakers in the County, so that ours will always be fresh.

F. J. PORTER. April 1st, 1896.

SEED OATS!

1 Car Double Fanned Seed Oats to arrive this week, also just arrived, a large stock of Timothy, "Lower Canada and Westerns," Alsike, Red and White Clover, Yellow and White Cow Corn, Field Peas, and a full line of

GARDEN SEEDS.

In Bulk, all New Fresh Seeds. Also, Lime, Salt, Cement, and a full line of Flour and Feed, Corn Meal, etc., all of which I will sell at lowest prices for cash.

Also to arrive Monday or Tuesday, 1 Car load

Farming Implements.

Comprising Plows, Harrows, Rakes, Forks, Mowing Machines, etc. A full line of Implements will be kept all of which I am instructed to sell to meet all comers.

Our many customers will find us at our old stand on the Corner after Monday, April 20th, when all who call will be welcomed.

R. E. HARRIS. Wolfville, April 16th, 1896.

DENTISTRY.

Dr. A. J. McKenna, Graduate of Philadelphia Dental College. Office in Herbin's building, Wolfville.

Local and Provincial.

Mr. Aubrey Brown has purchased a fine bay mare from Mr. Ernest E. Caldwell, of Union Street. Price paid \$115.

The Wolfville Quoit Club had their first game this season, on Saturday last. This amusement bids fair to become more popular in Wolfville than ever, this summer.

The schooner Utility, Capt. Copp, arrived on Saturday last from Boston, with general cargo. After discharging she left on Monday, being towed out by the gasoline launch.

Wolfville certainly has her full quota of lady bicyclists this season. We have counted over a score on our streets during the past few weeks. They ride gracefully and appear to be quite at home on the wheel.

House cleaning operations are in full blast just now, and tents have been pitched in the various back yards of the town for the temporary accommodation of the sterner sex. There is one consolation, however—it only comes once a year.

Mr. J. W. Beakwith, the enterprising proprietor of the Royal Hotel, of this town, has been making some improvements in the interior of that well-known hostelry, lately. Mr. B. expects a large tourist trade this season, and intends to be up to date.

An exchange says that Mr. B. B. Hardwick, the well known agent for Pyle's Pearline, has entered into a compact that he will not cut his hair until he sees Wilfred Laurier at the head of the Dominion government. Mr. Hardwick may have a hair cut on June 24th next, and he may not have such a luxury till 1902.

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

Married.

Best—FISHER.—At the residence of Dr. Marietta E. Newcomb, New York, May 4th, by Rev. C. B. Fiddis, Dr. Herbert B. Best and Lulu Newcomb, Fisher, of Fort Williams, N. S.

SHOW WEEK!

Ladies' Shirt Waists, Wrappers, White Cambric Underwear. THE LATEST AMERICAN GOODS!

CAPE, CAPE CLOTHS. THE NEWEST STYLES AND COLORS.

Special Prices this Week!

GLASGOW HOUSE! O. D. HARRIS, Wolfville, March 26th, 1896.

WOOL. WOOL.

Bring along your Wool! Highest Prices Paid! Goods Sold at Lowest Prices!

Men's Suits, Small Boys' Suits, Big Boys' Short Pant Suits, Big Boys' Short Pants, Summer Shirts and Drawers (25c, 30c and 35c, up.

LACE CURTAINS, ART MUSLINS, ART SATENS, FANCY SILKS.

BOOTS & SHOES!

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The Page Woven Wire Fence.

Is the best in the world. Every foot guaranteed Galvanized Steel. An upright wire every foot. Only needs one post for every two rods of fence. It don't blow over or drift full with snow. It is the cheapest fence. No farm animal can go through it. No paint needed, and it don't rot or rust.

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