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BY CHARLES M. SHELDON.

CHAPTER XIII.—Continued.

It was about 11 o'clock in the morning, and Malcom Kirk was up, as in his study. The boys were at school, and Faith, who had finished the high school, had been staying at home for two years helping her mother.

"Mother, how does Gilbert manage to keep his coat across the back like that?" asked Faith, holding up that garment and looking at it with great astonishment.

Dorothy could not help smiling, although the next instant she sighed a little.

"He said one of the boys pushed him against a wire fence last Saturday while they were out fishing near the Perks."

"Well, the boy that did it ought to be made to wear it after I have mended it. That would be 'making the punishment fit the crime,'" said Faith, as she stabbed the back of the coat with a big needle, and began to

sew, but still occasionally blocking the traces.

Malcom Kirk came out of his study at the top of the upper hall. "Is that Mr. Barnes, Faith? Tell him to come up."

Faith at once stopped sewing, and a shabby-looking man came in. As he passed the door of the sitting-room he looked at Faith, and said, "Good morning, Mrs. Kirk." Then he ascended the stairs and entered Malcom's study. The door closed, and Faith went back to her work.

CHAPTER XIV.

As she picked up the coat she was looking at her mother closely, and could see that she was troubled.

"Mother," said Faith, suddenly, "I don't think people ought to impose on father the way they do. They know he would take everything he has and give it away, if we don't prevent him, and they just impose on his great-hearted generosity. And you and the boys have to suffer for it."

"Hush, Faith! Your father does what seems to him the wise and Christian thing to do. It is true that everybody in the county comes to him for help. But that is what makes his work what it is. There is no one else they think of that way."

Faith spoke with the pride of twenty-five years' companionship with the man of her choice. She loved him not with deeper, truer devotion than she had ever known in her younger days.

Faith was silent a moment. "But how can father afford to give money to people? I don't think he ought to."

Dorothy did not answer at once. "If people need the help of money more than anything else, how else shall we help them? Sympathy and prayers don't seem to be enough in such cases."

"I think father might make Mr. Barnes a present of a box of soap," said Faith. "I am sure he needs that as much as any one else."

"They are very poor," sighed Dorothy.

"So are we," replied Faith. "Or we shall be if we always give to everybody."

Dorothy did not answer this, and Faith picked up the coat and worked on in silence. She was evidently planning something serious in her mind. It was not the first time she had ventured to remonstrate about the habit her father had of helping all sorts of people. Until a few years past, Dorothy had not allowed a thought of the matter to disturb her.

Malcom's salary was very small still. The most rigid economy was necessary to keep the family expenses within the income. The annual income from his writings now amounted to about five hundred dollars, and a large part of it was given away, and Dorothy faced increasing difficulty each year in managing the household finances.

The study door stood open, and Malcom and his visitor came down stairs.

"I'm going out for a little while, Dorothy. Mrs. Barnes is very sick, and I am going over there. Don't wait dinner for me, if I'm not back before half-past twelve."

He kissed his wife and went out. Faith and her mother watched the tall heavy figure go out of the yard with the austere Barnes shambling after him. Malcom was growing gray, but he was erect and vigorous in his prime, and to those two women watching him out of the window, he was the best man in the world.

"I'd like to see anyone say anything against father!" said Faith decidedly, while an unusual tear came into her eyes. "At the same time her mother and herself were wondering how Malcom ever found time to write his sermons or anything else."

Faith stole up to the study and looked at the loose leaves of the sermon on the father's desk. The last words he had written were "quiescence: 'Whoso loveth in the poor, lendeth unto the Lord.'"

"Dear old father," said Faith softly. "I'd better let the Lord rebuke him. At the same time we've got to live. Here I am a woman grown and earning no bread, and the boys want to go to college, and mother saving every cent—"

She went off to her own room that afternoon and brooded. When Faith brooded, something happened. And it was not altogether a surprise to Dorothy when a few days afterwards Faith announced her decision.

"Mother, I've made up my mind to go away and earn something for the family. I've tried every possible place here, and you know how it is."

Dorothy looked at the girl gravely, but did not say anything.

"I have been writing to Grace Haley, who went to Chicago a year ago to learn re-touching in Kellon's studio. She is earning as high as seventeen and eighteen dollars a week. She says there will be a vacancy there soon, and if I apply at once I may get the place. You know I have learned re-touching here, all they can teach me, and I like it. Mother, I can't stand it any longer to remain here at home doing nothing. The boys will soon want to go to college. I never cared about it. I want to be a photographer, or an architect, or a paper-hanger, or something useful. If father can't spare enough money to get me started, I can be in a position before the year is out to help the family. We never can break father of his habit of helping everybody, and I want to be self-supporting and help the rest, too."

This was a long speech for Faith to make, but it was the beginning of several family conferences, and the end of it all was that one day in winter of that year, Faith and her father went down to the station, and Faith took the express for Chicago. The arrangements had all been completed for her to enter the studio, where she was to receive eight dollars a week to begin with, and promise of rapid increase if the work was satisfactory.

"Good-bye, father. Don't give away your overcoat before you get home, will you?" Faith called out of the window, as the train started.

Malcom Kirk smiled and waved his hand and handed up an envelope to Faith. She managed to kiss his hand as she took the envelope, and then leaned back in her seat and cried.

When she opened the envelope, she checked for \$25 dropped out.

"This is a 'Youth's Companion,' my dear. You will find it good company on the road. Your father."

She was written hastily in a note with the check. Faith understood it was the price of a story Malcom had written for the Companion that fall. She tucked the check into her purse and cried harder than ever.

But when she found herself in Chicago next morning, she set herself resolutely and with courage toward her new life.

The work in the studio was extremely interesting to her. Her letters to the people at home were very interesting, and even funny. But after she had been in the city a few months, she was obliged to face a serious condition, one that she had not anticipated.

In the first place, it cost her nearly every cent of the eight dollars a week to live. But, anxious as she would, after consulting out rest, and fuel, and light, with what her clothes and car fare cost, with everything that must enter into the account of daily existence, she had very little left when Sunday came.

One day she realized with a shock that she had been obliged to draw on the \$25 check. She had used all the money her father had been able to spare. The work in the studio had for several weeks been piece work, and it happened that business was dull, and several weeks she had been able to earn less than five dollars.

Then came a crisis that she had not counted on. The studio changed hands, and the new proprietor began to cut down expenses and dismiss some of the retouchers. Faith was one of the latest arrivals, and one evening as she came down to the office from the little workshop under the roof, she was notified that her services would not be wanted after the next week.

She went out of the studio, and instead of taking the car as she usually was obliged to do on account of the distance to her room, she walked on until she was at the corner of Madison and State streets.

She plunged through that boiling crowd of humanity, and started to walk up State street the four miles that yet lay between her and her room. And as she walked on, she was deeply thinking of what she should do. The idea of writing home for money was as distasteful that she could not bear to entertain it. Her lips closed firmly, and she said to herself, "I never will do it while I can live. I have made a failure out of it so far here, but I can't burden father and mother right now. I know how matters are going at home with all the expense there, and Herman's illness last month. No, no. I started out to be a bread-winner. I must earn my own living."

She was suddenly brought to a stop by a crowd that filled up the sidewalk in front of a large window. There was a picture on exhibition there, and Faith, after running into one or two people, seeing what was the object of attraction, stopped herself, and gradually was pushed up to the window as the crowd went and came.

It was an oil painting, with life-size figures, representing the deck of an ocean steamer. A man was holding a baby in his arms, and the baby was looking up into the man's face and smiling. The title of the picture in gilt letters on the frame was simply, "Motherless."

It was one of those pictures that appeal to a common humanity, and the crowd on the sidewalk was irresistibly drawn to it. But the effect on Faith was electrical. As soon as she had seen the face of the man on the canvas, she exclaimed aloud, "Why, that's father!"

These nearest her looked at her in surprise. She checked herself and was silent. But there before her was the likeness of Malcom Kirk as she had seen him in the sketch her mother had often shown her. And the story of the baby whose mother had died in mid-ocean was familiar to all the children at home.

She looked at the corner of the Francis Raleigh. A card in the window announced the fact that the picture was sold, and that the artist's studio was in one of the new blocks on Randolph street.

Faith pushed out of the crowd and went on her way. But the picture affected her deeply. The sight of the dear father protecting that motherless baby made her cry. And it also strengthened her purpose not to appeal for financial help from home. She could not have told why that feeling accompanied her sight of the picture. But it did, and she determined that she would make every effort to support herself without help from home.

The end of the following week found her without a place, and as she came away from the studio that Saturday evening she realized, as never before in her life, what it meant to a girl with no friends or a home to face a great city without work or means. She knew that she could go home at any time, or get help from that source if she asked for it. But how about the great army of unemployed that had not even that resort? She shivered as she turned down towards the great artery of the city's human traffic, and was swept along with it.

She went up by the window where the picture was still on exhibition, and there was the usual crowd in front of it.

She stopped again and looked hungrily at it. It was like getting a glimpse into the dear home circle in the parsonage at Currid.

It was, perhaps, a little strange that she had not entertained the idea of calling at Raleigh's studio and telling him that she was the daughter of his subject in the picture. But Faith was very shy in crime ways, and she simply never thought of trying to meet the artist.

As she stood there this Saturday night, two men in the crowd were talking about the picture. They stood so near her that she could not help hearing what they said.

"It seems too bad to take the picture out of the window."

"We can leave it there another week."

"When do you start west?"

"The last of next month."

"Better leave it till then."

"I think so, too. But what a force it has, Malcom."

Faith started at the familiar name, life,

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The man who spoke was a middle-aged, gray-bearded gentleman, and the man whom he called "Malcom" was, perhaps, twenty-five years old, a stalwart, fine-looking fellow, with something in his face that made Faith puzzle over something foreign there. For an instant their eyes met. Then Faith blushed and moved back out of the crowd, and went on. She did not look back, but she seemed to feel that the two gentlemen were looking after her.

"They are the persons who have bought the picture and will take it away," she said as she walked along. She was sad at the thought, for she had come to cherish the look at the father's face, which she had enjoyed every day since she first saw it there.

During the next few weeks Faith had an experience that tried her as she had never been tried.

She visited scores of photographers' studios to get piece work. In some of them she would find waiting a dozen girls all on the same errand. She proved the value of her work on several occasions, for she had learned to do the retouching in a superior manner, and still, work so hard as she would, the orders she could get did not equal her expenses, which she had reduced to the lowest possible figures.

Only after an unendurable oppression for orders in twenty places, thoroughly tired, for she had walked a good many miles, and the streets were running over with mud and snow.

She consulted over her money, and, for the first time, realized that she had reached the end. She was determined not to run in debt, although her landlady in the flat had been very kind.

She went down to a little news stand on the corner and bought an evening paper, and looked over the wilderness of "wants," and wondered how, in a city like that, anyone ever found anything to do. She envied the butcher's boy, who was just coming out of a market near by, and thought of asking him how he managed to get his position, while so many boys were probably without any.

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Within a few weeks the ACADIAN will publish a special magazine number, illustrated with photogravures of Wolfville, Grand Pré, and other Kings county scenery.

The Dreyfus Case.

Justice has moved very slowly in the Dreyfus case, but it has moved surely, notwithstanding the tremendous obstacles in its way.

Acadia's Anniversary.

Sunday was one of the most beautiful days of the season, and inaugurated the anniversary exercises of 1899.

On Tuesday afternoon the closing exercises of Horton Collegiate Academy were held. While the processional was being played by Miss Annie E. Chipman the students and faculty marched in from the adjoining library and took their places.

At the close an interesting address was given by Lieutenant-Governor McLellan. The following comprises the class of '99:

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The gold medal of the Association was won by Steele, of Amherst; the silver medal by Richardson, and the third prize by Rice.

The annual address before the Senate of the University was delivered on Monday evening in College Hall, by James Hannay, Esq., editor of the St. John's Telegraph.

Assembly hall was crowded Tuesday morning to see the graduating class and hear the class-day exercises. Above the platform was the class banner designed by Damasesq and bearing their motto: "Palman qui Meruit Feral."

The class history, by F. M. Pidgeon, of St. John, was very cleverly written. He reviewed in a witty and somewhat striking manner the various experiences of the class from their first entrance into college life to their exit therefrom.

The class poem, by J. W. Keirstead, took up pleasantly through the realms of fancy. The valedictory, by H. S. Baker, surpassed in that line all previous efforts. It was a prose poem, rich in imagery.

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Prizes were awarded as follows: Godfrey Payson prize—1st, excellence in piano, Miss Trites, \$20; 2nd, excellence in French, Miss Besie McMillan; 3rd, excellence in the branches of an English education, Miss Lillie Webster.

Wednesday morning the commencement exercises of the university were held. Assembly Hall was packed to the doors. Shortly after 10, the inspiring strains of a well executed march, came in the long procession of senators, governors, fellows, president and professors in scarlet heads, with the 23 assistants cap and gown ready to pass into the arena.

After prayer by the Rev. J. H. Bancroft the following orations were delivered by members of the senior class: England's colonial policy—John Oliver Vioce, England.

These essays exhibited mature thought, with a praiseworthy command of a good style, and were delivered in a graceful and effective manner. After the class had retired to don their bachelor's hoods Dr. Trotter announced that the following members of the senior class had won honors in economic science: P. W. Bill, A. H. May, J. W. Keirstead, J. W. Farris, F. M. Pidgeon, J. O. Vioce.

The following members of the senior class, having completed the honor course will graduate with honors: Miss Clark, in Latin and Greek; Miss Cook, in Latin; Mr. Dodge, in Mathematics; Mr. Harper, in Mathematics; Mr. Randall, in English Literature; Mr. Simpson, in English Literature.

The degrees of D. D. causa honoris was conferred upon Rev. G. O. Gates, M. A., of St. John, (Acad. '75) and Rev. H. K. Perreave, of Jamaica Plain, Mass. The degree of D. C. L. was conferred upon James Hannay, of St. John, and B. H. Eaton, Q. C. (Acad. '98) of Halifax, and the degree of M. A. causa honoris upon Nicholas Smith, Milton, N. S.; J. C. Craig, of Amherst, inspector of schools, and Rev. Geo. Churchill, missionary to India.

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President Trotter called attention to the students movement in behalf of a new building for college societies, and made an earnest appeal for help in that direction.

The governor-general's medal for general proficiency in class work was won by Hay, of the graduating class. The anniversary exercises were brought to a close by a conversation in College Hall on Wednesday evening.

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Contributions to this department will be gladly received. Mrs. W. E. O. Jones, two children and maid are spending a month at Dr. Jones'.

Among the large number of former residents of Wolfville who have been here attending the anniversary exercises was Mrs. Barbara Witter, of Halifax.

The following graduates of Acadia were then admitted to the second degree the M. A. in course after passing satisfactory examinations: Mabel E. Caldwell, '96; Iseal M. Longley, '75; William M. Smallman, '91; Edward Blackadder, '94; Rita J. Youll, '97; Frank B. A. Chipman, '98; Evelyn F. Keirstead, '98; J. E. Forsyth, '98; A. F. Newcombe, '98.

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THE ACADIAN.

WOLFVILLE, N. S., JUNE 9, 1899.

Local and Provincial.

Good-bye '99.

Rev. J. W. Keirstead, of the graduating class, occupied the pulpit of the Methodist church last Sunday evening.

One of Mr Herbin's charming sonnets, revised by the author, will appear in the special illustrated number of the ACADIAN.

A fresh stock of Garden Seeds at the Drug Store.

The street authorities have been making considerable improvement in some of the streets this week by the use of the road machine.

Last Saturday evening was one of the busiest seen in Wolfville for a long time. The streets and places of business were thronged, and merchants report a big trade done.

Acetylene Gas Bicycle Lamps! See them at Wolfville Book Store.

A severe electrical storm accompanied by torrents of rain occurred on Monday night. The lightning was very vivid. The rain was much needed and will be of great value to growing crops.

Mr C. A. Patriquin is adding the finishing touches to a new little cottage on Gaspereau avenue, which will be occupied as soon as ready by Mr and Mrs J. R. MacDonald.

See the Solar Acetylene Lamp at the Drug Store. It is the best.

The Art Association meets next Monday evening at half past seven, at the home of Mrs Hatch. A full attendance is requested as this will be the last meeting in the present course of study, and important business will be brought up for discussion.

JOHN ARRIVED—One Cargo Springhill Cal—First of the Season. COLDWELL & BORDEN.

April 11th. The east window of Mr J. D. Chambers' dry-goods store was very prettily and appropriately decorated on Wednesday, being draped in the College colors, green and blue, while the words "Good-bye '99" were neatly arranged in white down. The effect was a very pleasing one.

Blue Serge Tailor made Suits \$2, 34, 36 busts, \$14.50. Tweed Skirts \$4.75. Bicycle Skirts \$4.75. G. W. BURRELL.

The baseball match Wednesday afternoon between the Acadia team and a team from Melvern Square created quite an interest and was witnessed by a large number of spectators. During the first half of the game the visitors had the advantage but the college team played better later and succeeded in defeating the visiting team by a score of 11-9.

News for Ladies—Tailor made Skirts and Suits selling tremendous bargains—see window. G. W. BURRELL.

Notwithstanding the great amount of cold weather we have had this spring the country is now looking very well, and they appear to be good prospects of an abundant crop. Grass is looking unusually well and grass promises to be at least an average crop. The fruit trees in most sections are blossoming full, and while it is not certain impossible to estimate at present, there is every indication of a good crop.

Willet's Washers and Ball Bearing Wringers, at J. W. SANDERSON'S, agent for Massey-Harris Farm Machinery, with, 1899.

Local and Provincial.

Hantsport is to celebrate Dominion Day with calabsonian parade, bicycle parade, procession of school children, sports, &c.

The ACADIAN Illustrated, which will be published in a few weeks, will be the finest thing yet produced in Kings county. Its aim will be to worthily represent the excellencies of Wolfville.

Seed Potatoes For Sale. STARR SON & FRANKLIN.

Most of the visitors and students took their departure yesterday. The railway station presented a busy scene at the departure of each train. It was a good day for the railway evidently.

Tweed Skirts made to order any size, complete \$6.75. G. W. BURRELL.

The case of the Queen vs Palmer was tried on Tuesday and Wednesday in the supreme court at Kentville. The prisoner was charged with committing a highway robbery near Upper Dike Village, and a verdict of guilty was returned by the jury.

\$6000 to loan on Real Estate. 18 AVARD V. PINZA, Barrister, Wolfville.

The death of Mr J. Lawin Bishop, one of Wolfville's oldest and most respected citizens, occurred on Tuesday. Mr Bishop was born at Greenwich 50 years ago and has spent his long life in this vicinity. He has always been in good health up to a few weeks ago.

BICYCLE SUNDRIES! Full line at Wolfville Book Store.

The new roller ordered some time ago by the town council for use on the streets has not come to hand yet. The delay has been caused by the firm being unable to have the machinery constructed fast enough to supply the demand. A letter received by the town clerk this week states that the roller will be shipped the 15th of this month.

Do you know that you can buy Room Paper cheaper at Wolfville Book Store than at any other place?

Caterpillars are very numerous this year. We notice that many of the ornamental trees on the streets have been attacked by them. The authorities should take some steps to destroy the pest, as they not only injure the appearance of the trees, but if allowed a lodgment there will breed and prove a great annoyance to orchardists who are now kept busy destroying them on their own trees.

KARN PIANO AND ORGAN BARGAINS—Miller Book, 101-103 Barrington St. are offering until March 1, 1899, great bargains in slightly used Karn pianos and organs. They are doing this to reduce their immense stock of slightly used Karn pianos and organs. Big discounts. Easy terms. Quick sales with small profits may be expected.

Alumni hall was comfortably filled on Friday evening by those who had assembled to listen to the graduating recital in music of Miss Beattie Triller, of Sussex, N. B., the only graduate in piano this year at Acadia Seminary. The hall, tastefully trimmed in apple blossom, presented a very pretty appearance. Dr. Sawyer and the teachers of the Seminary had seats on the platform, while the young lady pupils occupied seats in front and rivalled the apple blossoms in their beauty and sweetness. Miss Triller rendered selections from Chopin, Rubens, Mendelssohn with much expression and taste and received two beautiful bouquets of roses. A solo by Miss Lida Munro added greatly to the evening's pleasure. The class ode was sung by the members of the graduating class.

The Spring is Here!

and Farmers will want the following Goods which are the best on the market, and at prices which are lower than you can buy them elsewhere.

Bradley's No. 1 Pure Ground Bone. Bradley's Potato Fertilizer.

SEED OATS: No. 1 White Oats No. 1 White Banner do

No. 1 Western Timothy Seed Extra Choice do do No. 1 L. Canadian do No. 1 Mammoth Clover Seed No. 1 Alaike do

Also a full line of all kinds of Garden Seeds in stock. These goods are all fresh and of the best quality, and we would ask all intending purchasers to call and inspect our stock, and get our prices before buying elsewhere.

T. L. Harvey, Wolfville, April 28, 1899.

DENTISTRY.

Dr. A. J. McKenna.

Graduate of Philadelphia Dental College. Office in McKenna Block, Wolfville. Telephone No. 43 A.

Dr. H. Lawrence,

DENTIST,

Wolfville, N. S. Office opposite American House. Telephone No. 29.

Mme. Andrews,

Fine Millinery.

Millinery Parlors—Main Street, Wolfville. Opposite Hotel Central.

Biltown.

Mrs Geo. Churchill last Sunday morning gave an address in the church under the auspices of the W. M. A. Soc. on mission work among the Teleges.

In 1876 a company of eight from the Maritime Provinces commenced work in India in behalf of that people. Mr and Mrs Churchill went to Bobbili and for many years bravely held on to the work amid many discouragements. More recently the prospects for the mission have brightened, and it is now one of the most promising stations on the sea.

Mr and Mrs O. are now enjoying a well-earned rest in the hope of again returning to the work in the near future.

The church here held its annual sell-off on the 3rd inst. A goodly number from various sections came together to answer to their names.

We are pleased to see Mr Roy Lowden back among his old friends. He returns in a few days to Brookfield, Queens Co., where he holds a position in the service of the mining company.

Miss Beata Pressman has gone on a visit to friends in Clarence.

DELIVERY MAN WANTED—At Once for the grocery business. Must be acquainted with the trade in Wolfville. Apply at ACADIAN OFFICE.

Lakeville.

Miss Stella Dunham, whose death was noticed in the last issue of the ACADIAN, was a most estimable young lady and will be greatly missed.

Miss Violet Lamont, who has been very ill, is, we are glad to learn, rapidly improving.

One of the residents of this place got into a quarrel with a Kentvillian a few days ago, and came home considerably the worse for the conflict. It seems that whiskey may still be had in Kentville, and that it is as destructive to peace and morals as ever.

FOR RENT.—Furnished House. Apply to DR. H. LAWRENCE.

Temperance Sunday. The 18th of June will be Temperance Sunday for this quarter. We therefore urge all presidents of districts to notify the schools under their care that total abstinence may be taught them on that day. We would advise organizing a branch of "White Ribbon Army." Any wishing leaflets "How to organize" can have them by applying to Miss LAUREA J. POTTER, County Supt. Temperance Work, Canning, N. S.

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

On account of the large criminal docket at the session of the Supreme Court this week it was decided to hold a special term in August to dispose of the civil cases.

The frame for the new apple ware, house has been raised and the work is being pushed along rapidly.

The Baptist Sunday-school at Port Williams is to give a concert on Sunday evening next.

The St. John exhibition will open this year on September 11th and close on the 20th.

Nova Scotia apples sold in London a few days ago for \$6.50 per barrel. The class ode was sung by the members of the graduating class. Bicycle Sundries at the Drug Store.

Special Sale!

CURTAINS, PORTIERS, AND DRAPERIES!

LACE CURTAINS in all the newest makes, from 35 cents per pair upwards.

Chenille and Tapestry Portiers, in all shades. Half Blind Muslin Nets from 6c upwards. Art Muslins and Art Draperies from 5c upwards. Cretonnes and Tapestry Furniture Coverings.

CARPETS!

Velvet Tiles, Axminsters, Brussels, Tapestries, All-wools, Unions and Hems, from 15 cents upwards. China and Japanese Matting, from 15c upwards. Oilcloths in all widths, from 23c per yd.

The largest and best assorted stock of these goods in the county. Call or send for samples.

Carpets made and laid on your floor for a small charge for making.

GLASGOW HOUSE. *O. D. HARRIS.

DYKEMAN'S.

Three Entrances: 97 KING ST., 50 CHARLOTTE ST., 6 SOUTH MARKET ST. ST. JOHN, N. B.

The Great Letter Order House of the Maritime Provinces.

We know that fields look green far away and that you have been induced in the past to send many of your orders to Montreal and Toronto. We do not ask for your trade from a sympathetic standpoint but on pure business principles.

Send your orders to us for any samples of dry goods you may want and we guarantee to sell you goods as cheap or cheaper than any house in the Dominion and we pay express charges on all parcels amounting to \$3.00 or over

SPECIAL BOX CLOTHS FOR TAILOR MADE SUITS, 56 inches wide, good weight, smooth finish in two shades of green, navy, black and fawn, only 85c per yard. Send for samples.

ONE DOLLAR BLACK CREPONS for 65c. We have made a special large purchase of these rich black mohairs and will dispose of this lot at the very low price of 65c. Ask for samples.

Fred. A. Dykeman & Co.

BUY YOUR SEEDS AT THE DRUG STORE

THEY ARE FRESH AND RELIABLE.

THE BEST PLACE TO BUY L. W. SLEEP'S.

In the place you are looking for. If you want Stoves or Stove Fittings, Coal Hods, Ash Sieves, Shovels, Pokers, &c., the best place to buy is at

A full stock of General Hardware always on hand. We make a specialty of Plumbing and Furnace Work

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NOW ARRIVING AT *WOLFVILLE BOOKSTORE.*

NEW ROOM PAPER! Extra large stock, prices away down.

Fishing Tackle, Base Ball Goods, etc. BICYCLES!

The Massey-Harris leads them all. See our '99 samples. Other makes from \$30.00 upwards. ROCKWELL & CO.

J. D. CHAMBERS' SPECIALS! .. SPECIALS!

It is for your interest to read the following:-

Perrin's Shirts

Perrin's French Kid Gloves are the best. Every pair fully warranted.

We have a large stock of this celebrated make in all the leading shades—Tans, Browns, Castor, Blues and Greens—buton or Dome fastenings, and lacing.

ASK TO SEE THE "ADONIS"—OUR LEADER AT \$1.00

No. 1.—100 Ladies' Shirt Waists all purchased this season, good materials, and will fit, regular price from \$1.00 to \$1.25, now selling for 50c and 75c.

No. 2.—60 Boys' C-tion Blouses, ages 5 to 10 years, selling for 38c each.

No. 3.—75 pairs Boys' Strong School Pants, lined throughout, ages 5 to 15 years, selling for 38c per pair.

No. 4.—Lace Curtains, every line good value, here are the prices, 35c, 45c, 50c, 75c, 90c, \$1.25, \$1.75, \$2.25, \$2.75, \$4.00.

No. 5.—Circular Pillow Cotton ready for use, good quality, only 15c yd.

No. 6.—Plain Grey Suetting 2 yards wide, while it lasts our price will be 14c per yard.

We have not space enough to enumerate other lines, equally good value, sufficient to say we are willing to compete with any prices brought to our notice, quality considered. Extra good value in Carpets, Oil Cloths and Matting.

J. D. Chambers G. W. BURRELL

TAILORING STORE. WOLFVILLE, N. S. SPRING AND SUMMER SUITINGS! IMPORTED AND CANADIAN TWEEDS!

My claim on the attention of customers is founded on Smart Styles, Perfect Fitting Suits, Absolute guarantee of satisfaction, combined with a reasonable price.

LADIES' DEPARTMENT! Chic, Smart, and Exclusive styles. Both fancy and plain Tailormade. HERE IS A GOOD OFFER: Ladies' Suits made from 50 pieces of the best Summer Homespun, etc., for \$18.75, complete.

SHAD and HERRING! I still have on hand a few Half Barrels of Choice No. 1 Shad! ALSO—CANSO HERRING! in Half Barrels. All of which will be sold low for cash.

C. W. STRONG. Wolfville, Dec. 29th, 1898.

DR. BARSS, Residence at Mr Knowles', Cor. Acadia street and Highland avenue; Office over F. J. Porter's store. OFFICE HOURS: 10-11, a. m.; 2-3, p. m. Telephone at residence, No. 28.

JAS. PURVIS' Marble, Granite & Free-stone works, STANNUS ST., WINDSOR. Orders taken for STONE TRIMMINGS FOR BRICK BUILDINGS. Stone cutting of every description. Terms moderate to suit the hard times. Designs and prices furnished on application.

A. J. Woodman represents the above firm in Wolfville, and will be glad to show designs and quote estimates on all kinds of stone work.

STEAM BOILER! For Sale—Horizontal 3 1/2 x 14 ft. Boiler in splendid condition, with fittings, grate, front, etc. Economical Steamer working daily at my mill. Replacing with larger. BARGAIN. M. J. Matheson, Meal and Flour Mills, DARTMOUTH, N. S.

FOR SALE! The house and lot now occupied by Sidney Borden, Port Williams, consisting of 2 acres of land set with fruit trees and small fruit. Apply to SIDNEY BORDEN, Port Williams.

Caddledown. Caddledown is near Cradville, where the small men pitch their tents. In the distance of the river of life, which the Grandee Steaks watch over; While heavy fog hangs, 'neath sunny big trees, Green hillsides in sweet slaver.

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Well, I have not told you about our food, yet. The food we get is not up to first-class hotels—mostly pork and beans. We get fresh meat once a week, usually on Sunday. Sometimes we get it once during the week. The bread is poor, but we cannot complain as thousands of people here do not get half so good. But we will do justice to a good meal when we get out of this place.

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