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fill all orders in his line of business.

Owing to the hurry in getting up this  
Directory, no doubt some names have  
been left off. Names so omitted will be  
added from time to time. Persons wish-  
ing their names placed on the above list  
will please call.

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**LIFE'S JOURNEY.**

As we speed out of youth's sunny station  
The track seems to shine in the light,  
But it suddenly shoots over chasms  
Or sinks into tunnels of night,  
And the hearts that were brave in the  
morning

Are filled with repining and fears  
As they pause at the city of sorrow  
Or pass through the Valley of Tears.

But the road of this perilous journey  
The hand of the Master has made;  
With all its discomforts and dangers,  
We need not be sad nor afraid,  
Paths leading from light into darkness,  
Ways plunging from gloom to despair,  
Wind out thro' the tunnels of midnight  
To fields that are blooming and fair.

Tho' the rocks and the shadows surround us,  
Tho' we catch not one gleam of the day,  
Above us, fair cities are laughing  
And dipping white feet in some bay.  
And always, eternal, forever,  
Down over the hills in the west,  
The last final end of our journey,  
There lies the Great Station of Rest.

'Tis the Grand Central point of all ways  
All roads centre here when they end;  
'Tis the final resort of all tourists,  
All rival lines meet here and blend.  
All tickets, all mile-books, all passes,  
If stolen or begged for or bought,  
On whatever road or division,  
Will bring you at last to this spot.

If you pause at the City of Trouble  
Or wait in the Valley of Tears,  
Be patient, the train will move onward  
And rush down the track of the years.  
Whatever the place is you seek for,  
Whatever your aim or your quest,  
You shall come at the last with rejoicing  
To the beautiful City of Rest.

You shall see all your baggage of worries,  
You shall feel perfect peace in this realm,  
You shall see with old friends on fair waters  
With joy and delight at the helm.  
You shall wander in cool, fragrant gardens  
With those who have loved you the best,  
And the hopes that were lost in life's jour-  
ney

You shall find in the City of Rest,  
—ELLA WHEELER WILCOX.

**Interesting Story.**

**A MODERN OTHELLO.**

I am, if you will allow me to intro-  
duce myself, your humble servant, Mr.  
Pellam Palmer, of the firm of Potts &  
Palmer, white goods.

I was forty when I made up my  
mind to marry. I had never thought  
myself handsome, but having amassed  
a fortune and having decided to settle  
down as a married man, I was lucky  
enough to win the affection of the  
fairest of her sex, Miss Phoebe Pearl,  
and having offered myself to her was  
accepted. I had previously interview-  
ed her father who approved of our  
union, and I had gone through the  
courtship phase and was really married.  
Our carriage was rolling up one by  
one to Mr Pearl's door, while the  
crowd of little girls, boys, nursery  
maids and beggars, collected on the  
side-walk, uttered loud ohs! and ahs!  
of a Fourth of July and sky rocket  
nature, whenever a more than usually  
gorgeous train swept the dust from the  
striped carpet spread upon the front  
door-step and vanished under the fringe  
of the awning.

I was uncomfortable, as bridegrooms  
always are when making part of the  
wedding show; but I expected to be  
very happy when I got my wife to-  
gether; and after the lurch, or dinner,  
or breakfast—I really don't know what  
my respected mother-in-law called the  
feast—we were going off to spend a  
month at Niagara—and get acquaint-  
ed.

Even in that halcyon hour I was  
aware that we were not well acquainted  
yet. However, I knew I was a good  
sort of fellow and had the greatest con-  
fidence in Phoebe. In fact I had just  
repeated this to myself, when a post-  
man's whistle sounded in the area, and  
I saw Phoebe's own maid exchange a  
glance with my wife as she slipped a  
pink envelope into her pocket.

It was a foolish idea, I know, but I  
took it into my head that the letter had  
something in it that my newly-  
wedded Phoebe wished to keep from  
me. I flatter myself that I am a good  
reader of the expression of the human  
countenance, and that is what I  
thought I saw in the glance those girls  
exchanged. However I really wanted  
to kick myself for harboring the  
thought.

But afterwards, when the congratu-  
lations were over, and we were going  
down to supper, I saw Betsy Jane,  
under pretence of adjusting her mis-  
tress's dress, slip this pink envelope  
into the white satin lace trimmed pocket  
that was pinned by a bunch of

orange-blossoms to her belt. And I  
saw Phoebe dart a warning look at me.  
This time I was sure, and a memory  
of certain beaux who had caused me  
pain in their time did creep into my  
mind.

To be sure, Phoebe was mine, but—  
she should not have any secrets from  
me. I was older than she was, not  
handsome, and very well off, and—well,  
I felt that some of those other men  
had been young and fascinating and  
poor—and girls had married for money  
before now.

And so in a few moments, to drive  
all my doubts away, I said, in an airy  
manner, that seemed to me just the  
thing:

"Got a letter, dear?"

She blushed, scarlet.

"No; only a note," she answered.

"Whom from?" I asked.

"Oh, I am not a clairvoyant, Pel-  
lam," she replied. "I can't read  
through sealed envelopes."

"Open it, then," said I.

"I couldn't. It would be bad man-  
ners," said she.

"Where do you think it is from?"  
said I.

"Some belated bridesmaid, perhaps,"  
said she.

"Miss Smith, Miss Brown, and Miss  
Robinson are all here," said I.

"Oh, well, it is from my Grand  
Aunt Pendleton as she can't come  
and wishes me joy and sends a soup-  
lade to brides in the family," said Phoebe.

"Then I think you ought to read it  
at once out of respect to the old lady,"  
I said.

"What a tease you are!" she cried,  
and pulled her handkerchief from her  
pocket. The letter came with it and  
fell to the floor. I stooped to catch it  
up. So did she. Our heads crashed  
furiously together. I got the letter.

"Hope I have not hurt you, my  
dear," said I.

"You have, horribly," said she, and  
snatched the letter, but not before I  
had glanced at it.

"Your aunt writes a very fine mas-  
culine hand," said I. "Is she a strong-  
minded lady?"

"Very," she answered, and crammed  
the pink envelope into her pocket, and  
began to talk to a matron who had  
known her from a child. There are  
always such old ladies at wedding-  
parties, and it is more agreeable to  
meet them when young than when you  
are not. I feared she might have  
known me also, and I had clipped four  
years off the tag end of my life.

Somehow, thirty-six sounds so much  
better and younger than forty.

I hurried away and began to play  
with somebody's little girl—I think it  
was a cousin's—who had brought with  
her a hideous, staring doll, dressed up  
like a bride. I told falsehoods, and  
said I loved little girls, and that the  
manikin was "pretty!" and I babbled  
inly with rage and jealousy; and my  
head ached only less than my heart.

I suppose hers did also: This was a  
state of things for wedding day.

But we went down to dinner to-  
gether, and I responded to the proper  
toast, and forced myself to seem  
happy.

Champagne helped me.

After a while I said to myself:

"Idiot. It is some little bill she  
wants to hide. A shoe-maker's, per-  
haps. Her father lives up to his in-  
come; no doubt she has had hard work  
to get her things ready. Poor child!  
I've been cruel to her!"

So when she had gone away to get  
ready for the journey, and it was  
time for me also to go, I hurried to the  
room appointed for me, and knowing it  
was next to hers, softly opened the  
communicating door and peeped in,  
meaning to kiss her and tell her that  
she should always have everything she  
wanted after this. The room, however,  
was empty. Her wedding dress lay on  
the bed, and a ghostly veil and wreath  
floated from a gas fixture; but paper,  
pen and ink were on a desk, and I saw  
that even in this hurried moment she  
had taken time to write a letter.

It lay finished, but not folded, be-  
side an unaddressed envelope, and I  
darted eagerly across the room, hoping  
to read that she would settle this little  
account as soon as possible, and read  
this:

"Indeed, sir, you are right. I shall  
suffer miserably through my honey

moon, and it is your fault, not mine.

"I could hardly keep my tears back  
at the altar from the pain. My hus-  
band must not know, but I shall be a  
martyr till I get back. On the very  
day of my return I shall see you; but  
as for forgiving you—never.

"I relied on you so implicitly. How  
could you?" PHOEBE PALMER."

I glared about the room, looking  
wildly for the letter on which this was  
a reply. I saw a wisp of pink paper  
on the floor, and caught it up. The  
patter of little boot-heels was on the  
floor of the hall, and I closed the door  
behind me just in time.

Trembling with wrath—had I not  
reason for it?—I unfolded the paper.  
It was only a small part of the note;  
but I read what it contained over and  
over. It was this:

"I did not think it would give you  
pain; but I can scarcely expect you to  
forgive me for breaking my engage-  
ment with you. I am so sorry I can-  
not see you before I go, but your hus-  
band"—

There the fragment ended, and left  
me in a state of mind that threatened  
congestion of the brain, to put myself  
into my travelling-stuff and start on  
my wedding journey with a bride I  
believed already false to me.

Yet what could I do? Make a  
scene before the wedding-party! Get  
into the papers, perhaps!

"No," I said to myself, "I'll have  
revenge, but I won't disgrace myself  
publicly." I put the fragment into  
my pocket book. Betsy Jane had  
been the children's nursery maid. I  
had promised her to be Phoebe's own  
waiting-maid, and she was to go with  
me. There she was already, and I  
thought of all the diabolical maids in  
French books as I looked at her. We  
got into the carriage, and rattled fur-  
iously away toward the depot, for we  
were late. Phoebe was in tears "at  
leaving home," she said. I made no  
attempt to console her. I sat stiffly on  
my seat, and a hand on each knee,  
Betsy Jane's round, little bullets of  
eyes staring hard at me, as though she  
saw something was the matter.

My heart burst, and my head ached;  
I wonder I was not seized with apoplexy,  
being of such a full habit. We  
got into the cars at last, and Phoebe  
looked at me, in her dove-like way, as  
I stood beside her, looking Heaven  
only knows how.

"You mustn't be angry at me. It  
is so hard to leave mamma," she said,  
pleadingly. "I won't cry any more."

"You are at liberty to cry as much  
as you like, madam," I said, "I  
should think you would feel like shed-  
ding many bitter tears."

With this I strode away into the  
smoking-car, and staid there for hours.

When I came back Betsy Jane had  
my seat and seemed to be consoling her  
mistress, for I heard her say:

"I shouldn't mind it, mum. Men  
nearly is brutes by nature."

I left her in the enjoyment of her  
position, and took my solitary position,  
resolutely, among the bags and parcels,  
in her former corner.

All through that wretched bridal  
journey to Niagara, I never gave my  
wife a civil word or kindly look.

When she called to me, "Don't you  
feel well, Pellam?" I replied, "Very;  
you'll not be a rich widow just yet,  
my dear." And after that we did not  
speak again.

So we reached the hotel on the  
American shore, and after I had or-  
dered rooms, I had an interview with  
Betsy Jane alone.

"Young woman," I said sternly, "I  
am going to give you a month's wages  
and discharge you. I will also pay  
your passage home."

"My goodness!" cried Betsy Jane.  
"Don't misus want me? Is she so  
double-dealing as that?"

"It is I who don't want you, you  
said. 'You have helped to deceive  
me.'"

"About what?" asked Betsy Jane.

"You gave your mistress a letter to-  
day," said I.

"Well," said Betsy Jane, "do you  
think I'd order keep a letter directed  
to misus?"

"You prevaricate," said I.

"If that's French for 'steal,' I don't,"  
said Betsy Jane.

"I know the contents of that letter,"  
said I.

"There, now," said Betsy Jane. "I

told her you'd fled out. But you don't  
mind, do you? It's a great deal com-  
moner than you'd think, and she's  
only got two. Some young ladies has  
a whole lot."

"Two!" I gasped. "Unhappy girl!  
I only know of one."

"Why, I've got four," said Betsy  
Jane, "and I'd tell anybody."

"Hardened young woman!" said I.  
"But I am as good as proved, that  
is one comfort. I will send that wo-  
man back to her parents with you."

"Betsy stared at me.

"I think you're crazy, Mr Palmer,"  
she said. "So much better-looking  
and younger as she is than you, now.  
And you've got a whole upper set, I  
believe. So there, now!" She stop-  
ped and laughed. "I believe you're  
mised somehow," she said. "You  
don't think that letter was one from  
misus' old bean?"

"I have read a portion of the letter,"  
I said fiercely. "I have it here."

"Oh," said Betsy Jane, "I have  
got the other two bits in my pocket.  
I tucked 'em out of your way in a  
hurry. I'll show you the whole to-  
gether here."

She took from her pocket the two  
pieces of pink paper.

"You'll feel better when you've  
peeced that out," she said, with a mal-  
icious grin. "Old bachelors do beat  
all."

I sat down at a table with an empty  
inkstand and a water-cooler upon it,  
peeced the letter together, and read  
this:

"MY DEAR MISS PEARL: I was called  
away to extract a tooth from the  
mouth of a gentleman too ill to leave  
his house. I am sorry the plate does not  
fit. I did not think it would give you  
pain, but I can hardly expect you to  
forgive me for breaking my engagement  
with you. I am so sorry that I cannot  
see you before you go, but your husband  
can certainly find some good dentist who  
will do the little that is necessary. Why  
need you make two false teeth a secret?  
Everybody has them nowadays.

THE ACADIAN.

WOLFVILLE, N. S., SEPT. 9, 1887

Ourselves.

We are continually receiving kind words of encouragement from our many friends and readers in all parts of the country. This is very pleasant, and we are glad to know that the ACADIAN is giving such universal satisfaction. Since we entered upon the arduous duties of conducting a newspaper, it has been our great desire to make the ACADIAN a paper that would be favorably received into every home. We believe that the local paper has an influence as an educator in a family that is not possessed by anything else, and if the local paper is what it should be, the benefit of this influence upon a family of children cannot be over-estimated. On the other hand, if the paper is not carefully filled, and if such trashy and sensational articles as are found in some papers are allowed to find their way into its columns, it is capable of doing a large amount of injury. It has been our endeavor to have the matter contained in the ACADIAN, as far as possible, and selected, such as parents may wish perfect safety place in the hands of their children without fear of harm. We have made our selections with care, endeavoring to make them instructive as well as interesting. That our efforts have been appreciated, we are receiving abundant proof every day in the words of praise and encouragement which we are constantly receiving. In the future we hope to make the ACADIAN still better, as we see many improvements that might be made. We are not satisfied with the paper yet; but owing to want of funds are unable at present to make the changes we have in view. We thank our many friends for the help they have given us and hope they will continue in the future as in the past to take a lively interest in their local paper. We have received considerable aid in the way of valuable communications in the past, yet we feel that there are many who might do much more. To such we would say, let us hear from you—remember the local paper has claims upon you that cannot be denied. From our correspondents in the different parts of the county we would ask a little more promptness in the matter of forwarding items. We want lively letters from all parts of the county—every town and village. We will not occupy more space at present on the matter, but may refer to it again. In the meantime we ask our readers to pardon our using so much space in referring to ourselves. An revoir!

Railway Station.

During the past week we observed that a considerable amount of work has been done on the street leading from Main Street to the W. & A. R. station. The street and approach to the station has been gravelled and the sidewalks and roadway built up, so that the street will probably be in a much better condition during the spring and autumn months than heretofore. We believe that Mr. Jones, the manager of the railroad, furnished the gravel which was placed in position by the Commissioners, who at the same time raised the grounds around the station and opened the water-courses on the street. This is an improvement that is much-needed, and though at present the street does not seem to be greatly improved to pedestrians, we look forward to a vast improvement when the rains of early winter set in. Formerly it was necessary to wade through from one to two feet of mud; we hope in the future this will be unnecessary. While these improvements add much to the appearance and comfort of the place and will be received by our citizens with a large amount of satisfaction, there is another improvement that has been long talked of, long expected, and as long needed. We refer to better station accommodation. To anyone who is at all acquainted with the facts it must be evident that Wolfville deserves better accommodation in the way of a railway station than we now possess. The present station has done service since the opening of the road, and though at that time it may have answered every purpose, it is now too dilapidated to give any kind of satisfaction. Probably there is no station on the line between Halifax and Annapolis that has a larger passenger traffic than has Wolfville, and it is not an unusual thing to see the one waiting room filled to overflowing with not seating accommodation for a quarter of those waiting. A new station is much to be desired and we hope the management may see the necessity for it and govern themselves accordingly. History of far less importance have had new stations and old ones improved while ours remains. Surely we are deserving of better station accommodation, and we should have it at once.

Apples Ripe.

BY BEN FEEZE.

Apples ripe are better than apples green, I notice. They taste better and are easier chewed up. They are a more healthful fruit too, and in eating them people run fewer risks of biting the end off a worm-hole than in green apples. They are the best fruit that has ever been known to grow, so far; and anybody that would want a better fruit must have a depraved taste indeed. It's hard to imagine a fruit that could taste better. They are as much above the ordinary run of fruit in my opinion as blueberry pie is above skim-milk or going to picnics is above staying home. The season when apples first begin to get ripe commences about the first of August, and from then till the cold autumn nights come around and makes the late apples ripe and mellow, they get better and better every day. The best kind of apples known are the green-groves, and the worst the bitter-sweets. Green-groves are a new-fashioned apple; they have only been around within a comparatively short time. But the bitter-sweets are old. Like all new-fashioned things, the green-groves have n't much stability about them; they don't amount to much later than Christmas. But the bitter-sweets are always good; that is to say, they are as good as one season of the year as at another; in fact, I don't know but they're better. But bitter-sweets are not much of a credit to the apple family. Next to cod liver oil and store-butter, they are the hardest stuff to take I know of. To eat them without shutting your eyes and twisting your face up in all sorts of shapes, is an impossibility. It's been tried, but can't be done.

The apple-tree belongs chiefly to the northern temperate zone. It grows spontaneously in every part of Europe except the frigid zone, and throughout Western Asia, China and Japan. We have also two or three varieties of apples indigenous over in this continent. The cultivated apple-tree was first introduced into this country by the earliest settlers and it has been shown that it does better here in this little Annapolis-valley of ours than anywhere else in the whole world. Probably some of the varieties which are now cultivated were first introduced into Britain by the Romans.

Not only the Indians, but many indigenous insects, birds and quadrupeds, welcomed the apple-tree to these shores. The tent caterpillar saddled her eggs on the very first twig that was formed, and it has since shared her affections with the wild cherry; and the canker-worm also in a measure abandoned the elm to feed on it. As it grew apace the blue-bird, robin, cherry-bird, king-bird, and many more, came with haste and built their nests and warbled in its boughs, and so became orchard-birds, and multiplied more than ever. It was a sign in the history of their race. The downy woodpecker found such a savory morsel under its bark, that he perforated it in a ring quite round the tree, before he left it. It did not take the partridge long to find out how sweet its buds were, and every winter eve she flew, and still flies, from the wood to pluck them, much to the farmer's sorrow. The rabbit too was not slow to learn the taste of its twigs and bark; and when the fruit was ripe, the squirrel half-rolled, half-carried it to his hole. The owl crept into the first apple-tree that became hollow, and fairly hooted with delight, finding it just the place for him; so, settling down into it, he has remained there ever since.

The apple is an old fruit. Geologists say it was invented before man, and ever since it's been on friendly terms with him. Some have thought that the first human pair were tempted by it, but it isn't settled in my mind positively as yet. If the gravenstein had been invented then, there would be no doubt of it. The apple-tree has been celebrated by the Hebrews, Greeks, Romans, and Scandinavians. Goddesses are fabled to have contended for its fruit, dragons were set to pluck it, and heroes were employed to pluck it. In not less than three places is the tree mentioned in the Old Testament, and its fruit in two or three more. It was evidently one of Solomon's favorite herbs, for he sings: "As the apple-tree among the trees of the wood, so is my beloved among the sons." And again, "Stay me with figs, comfort me with apples." The noblest part of man's noblest feature is named from this fruit, the "apple of the eye."

Yes, apples are a good kind of a fruit—in their ripe state, that is. In their unripe state they don't amount to much. They are a fruit that nobody gets tired of, and the more a person eats of them the better he likes them. They are about the only kind of fruit that a person can walk right into a man's orchard for and fill his pockets with, without giving offence. There's a dangerous risk attached to even a mild exploit like this though, of late years. As time rushes on, and people get to think that they know more than their ancestors did, the old customs are disregarded and new ones made to fill their places. This one, I notice, is being disregarded by a certain class of orchardists, and another, that of keeping a base dog in connection, taking its place. It is needless for me to say to an intelligent public that this vile practice should cease. The customs of our forefathers should be rigorously adhered to, and especially one that can only be advantageous. I am fond of apples myself, and I would like to see this good old custom die out—not till my own orchard comes into bearing to-day, any way.

King's Co. S. S. Convention.

BY BEN FEEZE.

The second annual meeting of the King's Co. Sabbath-school Convention was held in the Methodist church of this town on Tuesday last at 10 a. m., Dr. Woodworth, President, in the chair. After singing and prayer, the minutes of the executive were read and adopted. On motion, the nominating committee retired to elect the officers for the ensuing year. They reported as follows:

J. W. Caldwell—President. A. J. Fries—Vice Presidents. F. W. Chipman } Rev. W. Dawson, B. D.—Secretary. A. Kempton—Assist. Secretary. G. H. Wallace—Treasurer.

The morning session was largely employed in routine work and committees during the sessions of which committees, the Revs. Mr. Price, D. W. Johnson, A. B. and F. Frigginis spoke at some length on the necessity of a closer bond between the Sabbath-school and the church. At a late stage of the meeting the secretary presented the statistical report which, though incomplete, was very encouraging, showing an increase of schools and also a larger percentage of those that are opened the whole year. Rev. S. B. Kempton, speaking on the report, gave prominence to the advisability of striving to ascertain the numbers of children not yet meeting in our Sabbath schools.

Meeting adjourned till 2 p. m. Afternoon session at 2 p. m., J. W. Caldwell, President, in the chair. After the opening exercises, the Rev. D. Freeman gave a stirring address on "Mission Schools," in which he showed that the great commission of Christ was being accomplished by this agency. The speaker touched with great force some of the motives that should stimulate Sabbath-school workers. These were "The conversion of the scholar, God's reward both now and in eternity." The right ring was in it throughout; for the charter of all our privileges, the great magnet of God's church, was to be by the only lever under the energizing power of the Spirit to make our work a success.

The paper given by the Rev. Wm. Ainsley on "Suitable Teachers," pleaded for workers who possessed piety, likeness to Christ, intelligence, and who were punctual, regular in their attendance at all times, so in sympathy with their scholars that there should be a bond of the greatest intimacy between teacher and taught. The whole tenor of the paper was that the teachers should "study to show themselves approved unto God and to be workmen that need not to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth."

The evening session at the Baptist Church gave us two addresses. Mr. J. W. Bars spoke on "Lesson helps, their use and abuse," and made some wise suggestions as to when and how to use those helps. He strongly deprecated their use in the open class.

The Rev. W. P. Begg then addressed the audience on "The most potent and permanent influences in the Sabbath-school." The speaker referred to the building; prompt, energetic and cheerful action of the superintendent; character and behavior of the teachers; influence of the lessons and hymns, as being some of the most potent, permanent influences in this work.

The character of the addresses were throughout of a high order, and the discussions that followed gave birth to some valuable suggestions that no doubt will be successfully adopted during the ensuing year.

The Convention has already proved itself a power for good in the county, and the aggressive Christian spirit manifested in the deliberations of its sessions seems to warrant us in looking for large success in our work among the young.

The Convention expressed its appreciation of the services of Mr. Rand and the cultured choir of the Baptist church and also tendered a hearty and unanimous vote of thanks for the hospitality enjoyed in the homes of this town.

The next convention is to meet at Berwick.

St John's Church.

For the past few months St John's Episcopal church has been undergoing extensive repairs. After a despatch last week, and on Friday evening it was formally opened. The church was tastefully decorated for the occasion with floral offerings by the ladies and presented a very pretty appearance. The chancel walls are covered with pine walnut, disposed in squares placed diagonally. The east window is taken from Sleyford church, Lincolnshire, England, and adapted to situation and changed in material. The nave is finished, both walls and ceiling, in diamonds. The west window is an adaptation from St Matthew's church, Brandon, Mass., after a design of an English architect of eminence. The lower openings of the east and west window are to be filled with proper lead sash and stained glass, also side windows the same as soon as possible. The whole design has been brought into the Gothic style as near as circumstances would permit by Mr. G. A. Prat, who planned, designed, and drew up the specifications by which the contract was let to Mr. D. A. Munro, and who also superintended the work for Mr. Munro, which has been creditably carried out to the satisfaction of all, by both parties. The seats have been nicely painted and grained by Mr. Dakin, of Windsor, and newly cushioned by Mr. C. A. Patriquin. This expense was met by a fund which was furnished by the "Mits Society," consisting of the ladies of the church. Among the clergy men present were Rev. Canons Brock and Maynard, also Revs. Murray, Hind, Axford, Gyllin, and Ruggles. A fine extemporaneous address was delivered by Rev. Mr. Murray, of St. Luke's, Halifax, followed by short addresses by Rev. J. O. Ruggles and Canons Maynard and Brock. St James choir, of Kentville, was present by invitation, and assisted by Mr. Burnett, organist of that church, rendered a full choral service very successfully, and was much appreciated. At the usual time a collection was taken up which amounted to the munificent sum of \$45, which was further increased by the amount of \$6 through the kindness of ladies staying at the American House, making an aggregate of \$51. After the service the clergy and choir were entertained by Mr and Mrs Samuel Prat at their residence Acadia Villa—the dwelling and grounds of which have been recently greatly beautified, making it now one of the handsomest places in the county. These beautiful premises are the property of Mr. H. B. Mackens, of New York, who and family have spent the past few summers here.

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CORRESPONDENCE.

[We do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions of our correspondents.]

Streets Again.

To the Editors of the ACADIAN: I was pleased to see by last week's ACADIAN that the commissioners of streets had resolved to proceed against those parties who illegally obstruct the sidewalks and Queen's highway, and to deal with them in a "summary" manner, as the law directs. It is a strange coincidence that at the very time the commissioners were preparing this notice and proclaiming their purpose to have the law observed, a certain individual belonging to the village was, on his part, preparing to have a fire in the street before his place—which fire he proceeded to have according to his good-will and pleasure, and in contempt of the law and of the commissioners of streets. As there is no doubt that there was such a fire lighted and burning in the highway, one of the commissioners, at least, having seen it, and scores of people having been annoyed and discommoded and endangered by it, it is hoped that the commissioners will proceed against the offending and lawless individual as the law requires, and punish the culprit with fine or imprisonment or both, as they may deem best. A RATEPAYER. Sept. 6th, 1887.

Too True.

If country newspapers were to publish the names of subscribers who take, read and enjoy, and are gratified by, yet refuse to pay for their home papers, the reputation of most communities for moral honesty would depreciate 20 per cent. An editor's labor is seldom appreciated or compensated. A lawyer gives you five minutes' advice on a topic and charges you \$5 for it. An editor will give you advice on a hundred topics, and charges you five cents a copy for his paper, and very often five cents given to an editor would save \$5 given to a lawyer. In fact, no other business man are so universally robbed and swindled out of their labor and capital as country newspaper publishers.—New York Sun.

Old Sydney Mines Coal.

To arrive at Wolfville about 1st October, Cargo Old Sydney Mines Coal. Messrs Fullerton.

NOTICE!

Applications from Teachers for Primary, Intermediate and advanced Departments of Wolfville Public School will be received until Wednesday September 21st. A. DEW. BARSS, Secretary of Trustees Wolfville, 6th September, 1887.

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W. A. PAYZANT. Wolfville, July 26th, '87

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Mothers Should Read This

GENTLEMEN.—I again have to ask you to send us some more of your excellent Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil. It has proved such a valuable remedy in all cases of Pulmonary complaints and for building up the constitution of our little ones, many of whom come to us in a very weak and debilitated, we have come to think that we cannot do without a supply of Putner's Emulsion in our Home. We have no trouble in getting the children to take it, in fact they often ask and sometimes cry for it.

MRS L. E. SNOW, Matron Infant's Home, Halifax, Dec. 5th, 1886.

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JAMAICA—30s, 25s, 30s. JAVA—35s, 40s. MOCHA AND JAVA—40s.

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Local and Provincial. RAIN.—Quite a heavy rain fell yesterday.

NOVA SCOTIA STATUTES.—We extend our thanks to the Queen's Printer for bound copy of the statutes passed at the last meeting of the House of Assembly.

PARTRIDGE.—The partridge shooting season will open on the 20th inst., and all true sportsmen will try and preserve their patience (and ammunition) till then.

THE DYKER.—The cattle were turned on the dykes this week, as is usual each autumn. On the Grand Pre they were turned on on Wednesday, and on the Wickwire on Thursday.

S. S. PRITCH.—The Episcopal Sunday school, of Port Williams, held their annual picnic at Long Island, on Wednesday. A large number attended, and a very enjoyable time was had.

METHODIST.—Rev. J. A. Rogers, of Windsor, chairman of this district of the Methodist church, is expected to preach in the Wolfville Methodist church on Sunday next, morning and evening.

It has been said that B. G. Bishop is a crank. If so he would like to turn your attention to his fine stock and low prices.

OLD AGE.—Mrs Elizabeth Taylor, of South Berwick, who has been frequently mentioned in these columns before, celebrated her 70th birthday on the 1st inst. Mrs Taylor is probably the oldest person in Nova Scotia.

JOURNALISTIC.—The Digby Courier came to our table last week in an enlarged form. It now contains 32 columns, all well filled. The Courier occupies a foremost place among provincial journals; long may it prosper.

CHERRY CHEW.—Just received, a fine lot of American Chewing Tobacco, also Macdonald, Black Diamond, Napoleon, T. & B. Virginia Leaf, all of which are of the very best quality.

PEARS.—Two years ago last spring Mr Lewis Murphy, of this place, set out in his garden some half dozen dwarf pear-trees, from which he gathered a few days ago two barrels of choice fruit. We believe this fruit is now selling at \$3.00 per barrel.

NEW BUFFER.—A stout buffer has been placed at the end of the railway track leading on to the wharf, which will probably prevent further accidents by cars going over in the future. It has been provided none too soon, as several accidents have already occurred on account of its absence.

SUGAR.—2 Tons Porto Rico and refined Sugars just received and for sale low. At R. PRAT'S.

PROBATIONARY LADIES' COLLEGE.—The new Ladies' College, at Halifax, opens on Thursday next, the 15th inst. Miss Leach, educated at Wesley College, has been selected as the management of the Conservatory of Music. Her Klengenfeld will be instructor of the violin.

The crank has just got a fine new lot of Bradman's lead and English oil and colors. For sale low. B. G. B.

CONFETTI.—It is with pleasure we call attention to the adv. of Mrs Weston, which appears elsewhere in this issue. Mrs Weston has a large and varied stock of confectionery, all of the very best quality. We have inspected her stock, and were much pleased with its freshness and purity. Such an institution has long been needed in Wolfville, and we trust it will receive a liberal support.

H. G. McMURTY says:—"I was suffering from an attack of cholera, and was completely cured by using Seavey's East India Lintiment."

TEA-MEETING AT CANAAN.—The tea-meeting at Canaan, which was to have taken place on Thursday evening, the 25th ult., was postponed on account of unfavorable weather till the following Monday. Although very few were present except those living in the vicinity, a most enjoyable evening was spent, and the affair passed off very successfully. The handsome sum of \$108.00 was realized, which is to be devoted towards building a temperance hall at that place.

TAKE NOTICE.—If your favor is done, take it to J. M. Shaw's Barber Shop, and he will put it in first-class order for the small sum of 15c. 10

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C. H. BORDEN.

Wolfville, August 26th, 1887

Local and Provincial.

CONDUCTOR CLARKE ILL.—We were sorry last week to hear of the serious illness of Conductor John Clarke, of the W. & A. R. However we are glad to see him back on his train this week, and trust he has entirely recovered.

GREENFIELD TEA-MEETING.—The tea-meeting at Greenfield on Wednesday last was a complete success. Though the weather was rather unfavorable, a large number were present, some coming from quite a distance. The sum of \$143 00 was realized.

Come and see those fine Garden Vases at the cranks. B. G. B. 50

GOOD PASSAGE.—The steamer Yarmouth left Yarmouth at 8:30 p m on Wednesday, August 31st, and arrived at Boston at noon on Thursday, making the trip in fifteen and a half hours. She had 250 passengers. Those who wish to reach Boston quickly cannot do better than buy a ticket by this first-class steamer.

INSTRUCTED.—Mr J. W. Porter, B. A., was ordained pastor of the Parrsboro Baptist church on Wednesday of last week. Revs. D. H. Simpson, W. H. Clive, Joseph Murray, Professor Keirstead, D. McKee, J. R. Skinner, and E. O. Reid were present, and took part in the public services, which were of a most interesting nature.

HORTON ACADEMY.—Quite a large number of pupils have already arrived, and more are expected. The new boarding house is pretty well filled, and presents quite a lively appearance when lighted in the evening. E. R. Morse, B. A., a graduate of last spring, takes a place on the staff of the Academy as teacher of English and Mathematics. We are glad to have him back among us.

ALDRYMAN.—The militia went into camp at Aldershot on Tuesday, and will remain twelve days. A special train with 20 car-loads of volunteers passed through here Tuesday evening, and numbers went by regular trains. The Young Men's Christian Association, of Halifax, have established a gospel and reading tent on the grounds, for the use of the men.

PAILOR CONCERT.—The Maple Grove Concert, on Tuesday, August 30th, at Mrs. S. Borden's, Canard, for the benefit of the Presbyterian church, was a grand success. About 700 were present, and were beautifully decorated, and the music was very excellent. The Kentville brass band left a very favorable impression. The audience were well pleased with the entertainment.

WANTED.—Nice fat pigs, weighing from 150 to 250 lb, live weight, to be delivered at Port Williams Station. Will pay cash, 5c. P/B live weight. (50-3m) SILAS FADER.

PRIZE LIST.—We have received the prize-list of the Hants and King's counties exhibition, to be held at Windsor, Sept. 27th, 28th, and 29th inst. It is a very neat pamphlet of some 50 pages, containing a full prize-list of the exhibition, officers and committees, and a number of advertisements—the whole put up in an attractive form. The pamphlet was printed by Mr J. J. Anslow, of the Hants Journal, on whom, as well as the committee in charge, it reflects the greatest credit. The prizes aggregate \$2,000.

A beautiful stock of Crocker and Glass just arrived. Finest in town! B. G. B. the crank, wishes to turn it into money, and will give big bargains.

WEDDING AT GREENWICH.—On Thursday, the 1st inst., a large number of invited friends gathered at the residence of Vernon Griffin, Esq., to witness the marriage of his daughter Covelia, to Mr Edwin D. Pick, of Somerville, Mass. At the appointed time the blushing couple made their appearance, and the ceremony was impressively performed by the Rev. D. W. Johnson, assisted by the Rev. Mr Friggins, after which the guests were treated to a sumptuous lunch; but, having once partaken of the good things provided, the majority were quite willing to remain to tea, and a very pleasant evening was enjoyed by all. The bride was tastefully dressed in cream nun's veiling trimmed with brocaded satin and wearing lace. The numerous, useful and costly presents show the esteem in which the bride is held by her many friends. On the 3d inst. the happy couple took the train at Port Williams station for Somerville, Mass., where they will make their future home. Com.

A positive cure for cramp in the stomach, diarrhoea, cholera, sore throat, stiffness in the joints, colds, sudden chills, &c.—Seavey's East India Lintiment.

Local and Provincial.

A STRANGE CRAFT.—On Wednesday evening there arrived at the port of Wolfville from Kentville, a genuine Eskimo Kayak, 21 feet long, navigated by Mr Perry C. Woodworth, son of D. B. Woodworth, Esq. Mr Woodworth obtained this Kayak from the natives on the shore of Hudson's Bay, where he spent the winter of '85-'86, in connection with the expedition sent out by the Government, to obtain accurate information concerning the navigability of these waters. This craft, together with the paddles, a larlat and harpoon for spearing seals, a seal skin to be used as a float, bow and arrows, etc., have been generously given by the owner to the museum of Acadia College.

A fine stock of tinware, coal-scuttles, stove-piping, &c., &c., just received at the cranks. 50-3

PERSONALS. C. A. Borden left on Wednesday for Boston, to spend a few weeks' vacation. He went via Yarmouth. We wish him a pleasant trip.

H. H. Welton has been spending the past week in Wolfville, visiting old friends. We believe he is about entering on the practice of medicine at Brooklyn, N. Y., after several years' experience in the leading hospitals of New York.

We are pleased to welcome Madame Bauer again to her old position at Acadia Seminary. After a year's rest and sojourn on the continent of Europe, Madame Bauer must be in a position to make her instruction even more valuable than before. We wish her every success in this resumption of her work.

Miss M. E. Graves, formerly principal of Acadia Seminary, which position she was forced to resign on account of ill health, has been travelling, in company with Mrs. Bauer, in Europe during the past year. They have recently returned, and Miss Graves spent several days in Wolfville, the guest of Dr Sawyer. A few days since she took her departure for her home in New Hampshire.

PUTTON'S EMULSION.—Highly endorsed by the Medical Profession for its wonderful curative effects produced in cases of Pulmonary Consumption, Chronic Coughs, Bronchial and Throat Affections, Asthma, Scrophula, and Wasting Diseases of Women and Children. In cases of the NERVOUS SYSTEM, Mental Anxiety, General Debility, Loss of Vigor, Want of Energy, Languid Appetite, Paralysis, and the many diseases due to insufficient supply of NERVOUS FORCE.

Avonport. Mr Walton has already got fires in his second kiln of brick this summer, and Mr Shaw is preparing to do likewise.

The new school house is nearly finished, and it is (as the correspondent of the Western Chronicle some time ago said) "destined to become an ornament to the place, and the pride of a noble race." If it was in the centre of the school section it would be a little better, but as it is not cannot be helped now. It is hoped that the next time that they build a school house they will understand the business.

We also need a new station at this place, but as we have the promise of one next year we will not grumble if we get it then.

The recipe of Seavey's East India Lintiment was obtained from a native of India. It cures all other lints and pain-killers, for the relief and cure of internal and external pain. Sold by G. V. Rand, Druggist, Wolfville, and by dealers and druggists throughout the country. Price 25c.

Londonerry. One hundred and thirty shad were caught by a boat here Monday, and several catch of from sixty to eighty through the week.

A big picnic was held at Bass River on the 6th.

Rev. J. S. Coffin lectured at Great Village on Tuesday evening.

BORN. PORTER.—At Blomidon, Aug. 30th, the wife of Wm. Porter, of a daughter.

MARRIED. FOREYER—LOCKWOOD.—On Wednesday, Aug. 31st, at St James' Rectory, Kentville, by the Rev. J. O. Ruggles, James, son of the late Richard Forey, and Augusta E., daughter of James Lockwood of Port Williams.

ENGAGEMENT.—Cross.—At White Rock, on the 7th inst., by Rev. M. P. Freeman, Mr Marston P. Fenilson, of Sherman, Maine, and Miss Emma M. Cross, of White Rock.

DIED. BOLES.—At Canada Creek, Aug. 30th, Mr Hiram Boles, aged 88 years.

Notice.

After a number of years experience in business I have at last discovered that quick sales and small profits is the most successful way of making money; and from this date until further notice I will discount 5 per cent on all cash purchases from \$1.00 up.

MY

STOCK CONSISTS OF

Staple and Fancy Dr Goods, Gents' Furnishings, Clothing, etc., etc.

All goods sold at the same reasonable rates. Yours, respectfully,

O. D. Harris, Glasgow House, Wolfville (Opposite Rookwell's Bookstore.)

June 3d, 1887.

CONFECTIONERY!

The undersigned has opened a stock of all the finest and best varieties of all Confectionery, etc., and will be pleased to wait on all wishing the same. All goods are new and fresh and warranted first quality. Syrups of all kinds can also be obtained.

Mrs Jos. Weston.

Wolfville, Sept. 6th, '87 6mos

500,000,000,000.

EGGS!

Five Hundred Thousand Million Dozens wanted this week at 14 Cents, by

G. H. Wallace.

Wolfville, June 23d, '87

Have you a Pain anywhere about you? USE PERRY DAVIS' "PAIN KILLER," and Get Instant Relief. BEWARE OF IMITATIONS. 25 Cts. Per Bottle.

Notice to Ladies and Dyers.

The best known for all such purposes as coloring yarn, ratags, wool, stockings, carpet rags, shawls, hoods, and in fact everything you can think of, are the EXCELLENCE DYES. They are only 8c. per package and will dye more goods and give better results than any other known dyes. Sold by G. H. Wallace and B. G. Bishop, Wolfville, and other dealers throughout the Province, and wholesale by 2953 C. HARRISON & CO., CAMBRIDGE, KINGS CO., N. S.

FARM FOR SALE.

The subscriber offers his farm in Wolfville for sale, consisting of 50 acres of upland, about one half of which is under a good state of cultivation, the remainder in pasture. Situate south of the Baptist Meeting House. There is upon the property 125 Apple-trees of good varieties, 2 Hard Fruit, 75 of which are now in bearing, about 20 Plum-trees, besides Pear-trees, Grape Vines, etc.

A Commodious Dwelling House with a Superior Cellar, thoroughly finished throughout, and comparatively new. Barn, 75 feet in length and 2 Barn Floors, 2 Stables and Manure Pit. An Out-building thoroughly built and covered with shingles. Horse Barn Piggery, Wood House, Henney and Carriage House, near the Dwelling House. A never-failing supply of Soft Water conducted to both House and Barn.

The above property is pleasantly situated within fifteen minutes' walk of the Railway Station, and within ten minutes' walk of Acadia College and Seminary and Public School. Within a radius of 1 1/2 miles there are 6 Churches, Grist and Saw Mills, Barrel & Shingle Manufactory, 2 Post Offices, etc. An Out-building thoroughly built and covered with shingles. Horse Barn Piggery, Wood House, Henney and Carriage House, near the Dwelling House. A never-failing supply of Soft Water conducted to both House and Barn.

Possession will be given at any time. For Terms apply to the subscriber on the premises.

James A. Caldwell.

Wolfville, July 27th, 1887.

Commercial Palace!

1887-SPRING & SUMMER 1887. WAREHOUSE STREET, KENTVILLE. We take much pleasure in informing our Friends and the Public that we are opening an Entire New Stock of Dry Goods, consisting of Ladies' Dress Goods (Goods, in all the fashionable shades and materials; Gloves, in Silk, Taffeta, Lisle; Hose, for Ladies Misses and Children, in all shades; Handkerchiefs, in all shades; Lace, Mullins, Veilings, and all requisites for Ladies' Misses' and Children's wear.

Gent's Furnishings.—Cloths in Stock of all the best makes for Gents', Youths', and Boys' Suits. G. M. Donaldson, best Tailor in the county, is always ready to make up suits at short notice. A few tons Wool wanted in exchange for goods.

F. W. Chipman, Agent.

THE Yarmouth Steamship Co., (LIMITED)

The Shortest and best Route Between Nova Scotia and Boston.

The New Steel Steamer YARMOUTH will leave Yarmouth for Boston every WEDNESDAY and SATURDAY EVENING, after arrival of the train of the Western Counties Railway.

Returning, will leave Lewis' Wharf, Boston, to a. m., every Tuesday and Friday, connecting at Yarmouth with train for Halifax and intermediate stations.

The YARMOUTH is the fastest steamer plying between Nova Scotia and the United States, being fitted with Triple Expansion Engines, Electric Lights, Steam Steering Gear, Bilge Keels, etc., etc. For tickets and all other information apply to D. MUMFORD, Station Master, Wolfville, or to any Ticket Agent on Windsor and Annapolis and Western Counties Railways.

W. A. Chase, I. E. BAKER, Secy-Treas. Presdt and Manager. Yarmouth, N. S., Aug 18. 6 mos

BOOKS! BOOKS!

Fair God, by Lew Wallace, paper 45c., cloth, 60c. Ben Hur, by do. paper 30c. cloth 60c. 'He,' a companion to 'She,' paper, 25c. 'Pa,' by the author of 'He,' paper, 25c. 'It,' by the author of 'He,' paper, 25c. King Solomon's Treasures, by do 25c. King Solomon's Wives, " 25c. King Solomon's Mines by Haggard 25c. Also 'She,' 'Dawn,' 'Jess,' 25c. 'Witche's Head,' 25c.

Any of these sent Post Paid, on receipt of price, by

KNOWLES' BOOKSTORE, A. M. HOARE, MANAGER, Cor. George & Granville Sts., HALIFAX, N. S.

P. S.—Having made arrangements with a reliable Binder, we can get books, magazines, etc., bound in any style at quick notice. We are giving this department our especial attention and can guarantee promptness.

MY STOCK

Flour, Corn Meal, Bran, Shorts Chopped Feed, Salt, Molasses, CIDER OR FISH BARRELS, Mowers, Wheel Rakes, &c.

All of which are first class and will be sold low for cash.

WANTED!

In exchange for the above, good sound ROSE, FROLIFICS, CHILIS and BURBANK POTATOES, also a few corns WOOD.

Johnson H. Bishop,

Wolfville, Oct. 1, '86 AGENT

WOOL! WOOL!

ST. CROIX WOOLLEN MANF'G CO., (LIMITED.) Are situated one mile and a quarter from Newport Station, W. & A. Rly. We have in stock Gray Homespun, Pattern Homespun, Women's Wear cotton and wool, Boys' Wear cotton and wool, Blankets, Yarn, etc. These Cloths are finished nicely, look well and will outwear anything similar in the market.

If your dealer don't keep our Cloths, send fifty pounds wool, or over, to Newport Station at our expense.

Geo. B. Dawson, Manager

June 2d, 1887.

Caldwell & Murray.

SPRING ANNOUNCEMENT!

Grand Display of Staple and Fancy Goods.

Goods to please the eye and suit the pocket-book of the most economical. Our Stock is carefully selected in those lines which our trade demands.

WE MAKE A SPECIALTY OF HOUSE FURNISHINGS.

Our stock in this line is very complete, comprising LACE CURTAINS, in White and Cream; LAMBREQUINS, All Sizes, CURTAIN NET, in White and Colors, SCRIM CURTAINS, DAMASK AND CRETONNE FOR CURTAINS.

Colored Blind Linens, Lancaster Blinds and Rollers, Table Linens, Towels, Napkins, &c.; Twilled and Plain Sheetings, in grey and bleached; Pillow Cottons, Circular Pillow Cottons, Tickings, Hosiery, Crash, Gibson and Halifax Cottons.

Splendid Variety of PRINTS.

New Wool Carpets, Unions, Tapestry, Hems, Venetians, Oil Cloths, Linoleum, &c., RUGS and MATS.

OUR FURNITURE ROOM Is well stocked with all kinds of Staple and Ornamental Furniture. Beautiful variety of Bedroom Sets in Painted and Ash, Venetian Blinds, Spring Mattresses, Combination Iron Beds, Excelsior and Flock Mattresses.

WE ARE SHOWING A SPLENDID STOCK OF Boots and Shoes,

MEN'S WEAR—in fine Bals, Congress, Shoes in great variety. LADIES WEAR—in Oil Goat, Feh Kid, Swiss Kid, Oil Pebble Polish Calf, fine Lace and Tie SHOES.

Trunks and Valises, Shawl Straps, Satchels, etc., Fancy Work Baskets, Table Mats, &c., &c.

All kinds of Country Produce taken in exchange for goods. CALDWELL & MURRAY. Wolfville, May 6th, 1887

Boston Marine INSURANCE COMPANY

17 State St., BOSTON. 43 Wall Street, NEW YORK.

Capital Paid in Cash ONE MILLION DOLLARS.

ASSETS OVER TWO MILLION DOLLARS. Net Surplus as to Policy Holders \$1,651,161.94.

This is the largest American company doing business on this continent upon the stock plan, taking Marine Risks only, and the business of the Company exceeds that of all other Massachusetts companies combined.

Correspondence solicited. THOS. H. LORD, R. B. FULLER, SECRETARY, PRESIDENT.

Represented by WM. LAW & CO., Agents, YARMOUTH.

R. W. EATON

Has in stock a very large assortment Stationery, School Books, Bibles, Poems, etc., also a choice lot of Fancy Goods.

PICTURE & ROOM MOULDING. His stock of ROOM PAPER, comprising the choicest patterns ever shown here, will be complete next week. His prices are the lowest in the County. Kentville, March 5th, 1887.

N. B.—Frames made at short notice and cheap for cash.

NOTICE!

P. CHRISTIE, TAILOR, Begs to inform his numerous friends and customers that he has on hand a choice lot of Diagonals, Tweeds and Pantings in great variety and at prices To Suit Every One.

These goods he is prepared to make up in the latest Style and a perfect fit guaranteed, and all work finished when promised. Special Discounts given to Clergymen and Students. Don't forget the place—over J. R. Blanchard's Dry Goods Store. Kentville, Feb. 16, 1887

DR NORTON'S

Dock Blood Purifier

Is a peculiar medicine and is carefully prepared by competent persons. The combination and preparation of Burdock, Yellow Dock, Sarsaparilla, and Mandrake, and other remedial agents is exclusively peculiar to Dr Norton's Dock Blood Purifier, giving it strength and curative power superior to other preparations. A trial will convince you of its great medicinal value. Dr Norton's Blood Purifier

PURIFIES THE BLOOD, creates and sharpens the appetite, stimulates the digestion, and gives strength to every organ of the body. It cures the most severe cases of Dyspepsia, Headache, Bile, Flatulency, Scrophula, Salt Rheum, Rheumatism, Kidney and Liver Complaint, and that extreme tired feeling.

CURES SCITICIA.—I used Dr Norton's Dock Blood Purifier, after my doctor had failed to help me, and whose bill was \$25. Two bottles entirely cured me. J. H. ALBERTSON.

Burlington, May 15th, '87 CURES FEVER SORES.—I used 6 bottles of Dr Norton's Dock Blood Purifier and it cured me of two very bad sores on my legs, after having a doctor attend for one whole year who failed to do me any good and others told me they were incurable. MORTON BLACKBURN.

Newport, May 17, '87 CURES SORES OF ANY KIND.—Last year I had 15 running sores from my hand to my shoulder. Two bottles of Dr Norton's Dock Blood Purifier cured them. It acted unlike anything else I ever took. It cured the humor and seemed to tone up the whole body and gave me new life. JOHN OUTHOUSE.

Tiverton, Digby Co., Mar 25, '87 Sold by all Druggists and dealers. \$1 per bottle, 6 for \$5 00. Prepared only by

J. B. Norton,

June 2d, 1887, Bridgetown, N. S., 125 DOSES FOR \$1.00.

'86-SPRING!'-'86.

Chas. H. Borden

Begs to call attention to his stock of Carriages for the spring trade, in CONCORD and WHITE CHAPEL styles. He is also prepared to build Carriages in any style required, including the 'VILLAGE CART, at shortest notice, and will guarantee stock and workmanship in every thing turned out of his establishment. Wolfville, April 23d, 1886

REWARD!

\$500.00 REWARD! We will pay the above Reward for any case of Dyspepsia, Liver Complaint, Salt Rheum, Rheumatism, Kidney and Liver Complaint, when the directions are strictly complied with. Large BOTTLES containing 30 Pills, 25 Cents; 6 Boxes \$1.00. Sold by all Druggists.

Choice Miscellany.

Printers.

How do your Presidents and Kings Govern so many thousand things? 'Tis by the types, the screws and springs, Belonging to the Printer.

The farmer and mechanic too Would sometimes scarce know what to do, Could he not get a certain view Of work done by the Printer.

Among the tanks of human kind, Some go before and some behind, But mind them well and you will find Not hindmost is the Printer.

The lessons which you learn at school, That you might not grow up a fool, Had all, in scientific rule, Been published by the Printer.

The doctor cannot meet the crooks Of all the cases, till he looks Upon the pages of the books Supplied him by the Printer.

The lawyer for a will has passed, But high his head may cast, He would be lost a ducat at last, Were it not for the Printer.

Who is it that so neatly tells The various goods the merchant sells Inviting all the beaux and belles? Who is it but the Printer?

The classes of the human race, Of different size, or different face Appears in this and every place How obvious to the Printer.

One sings to the lute and flute, And looks how beautiful and sweet, And lovely to the Printer.

The Hymen's will of course, you know, These classes should in couples go, And since the world will have it so, 'Tis he it is, says the Printer.

There's not a man below the skin Who better understands to prize The charms that grace a lady's eyes, Than does this very Printer.

The Land of Evangeline.

As has been written, the extreme eastern point of the Bay of Fundy is where the waters whirl and surge through the straits or inlet to the Basin of Minas. This strait is formed by the giant mountain Blomidon, pushing its long body out from the backbone of Southern Nova Scotia across the prairie lands of Cornwallis to join the mountain chain that runs far up the northern shore. The continuation was probably once complete and the waters have worn out the vast channel that appears there to-day.

Blomidon is the bluest bit of land seen through that clear air, summer or winter, from the highlands forty miles away that mortal eye ever beheld. It is not the dull, soft, lazy blue of effluence, but the clear, keen, deep blue of genius as though the Creator had got done using a 'prentice hand' when he did that job of coloring.

Well, as you pass by Cape Split, the northern point of Blomidon, the shore bends rapidly away to the south for a dozen miles, and if you follow it up you will come to a charming little spot on the shores of the little Gaspareau, where all is pointed out the handlet in which Evangeline lived and loved and mourned. Standing there in a deep summer morning one cannot wonder that the land produced fair and loving women, for it seems like a garden of the Hesperides. From her home this beautiful Acadian peasant girl looked out upon the full tide, rippling in leaping whisps over the pebbled beach at her feet. Near on her left rose the wooded heights of Blomidon. On her right stretched far away the great level plains of the dyked marshes, that her industrious people had reclaimed from the domain of the tide, and converted into the most productive land then cultivated in North America.

While in front, away across the glassy bosom of Minas, rose the beautiful blue hills and mountains of the northern shore, sloping away to the East until they lost themselves a blue line over the far edge of the horizon, sixty miles away. But the vision remains, and the maiden, too, lives equally immortal in the charming history of her life, sung by our own sweet-souled Langfellow.

But, after all, there is more or less of the ideal in all such lives and lands as seen through the haze of tradition. In the days of the French Acadians the life of those people may have been more simple and virtuous than was that of the British, who rebelled them and drove them out, and yet that is extremely doubtful. But their successors brought with them from Scotland, the north of Ireland and from the New England colonies around the head of Boston Bay, customs that were very primitive, and which yet prevail in the old-fashioned rural villages and backwoods towns, and yet the same customs still prevail in the old-fashioned rural districts and fishing villages of Massachusetts, scarcely so in places on Cape Cod, where many of the early British settlers of Nova Scotia went at the evacuation of Boston rather than become citizens of the United States. Among the old observances is that of "Albaleeren," as they name All Hallow's. It is but a few years since the simple-minded people actually believed that if they went to a brook and filled their mouths with water and then walked backwards to a house and listened at door or window the first name they heard would be the name of their future husband or wife. Then they would melt lead on

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

A smoke-stack—a bunch of cigars.

THE QUEEN OF PERFUMES.—"Lotus of the Nile."

Baking powder should always be mixed with flour dry.

CONSUMPTIVES should try Allen's Lung Balm; it can be had of any Druggist.

Whiting or ammonia in the water, is preferable to soap for cleaning windows or paint.

PAIN-KILLER has cured cases of rheumatism and neuralgia after years of standing.

There were 7,558 photographers in the United States in 1870 and 9,900 in 1880. There are now about 15,000.

WE FIND CAMPBELL'S CATHARTIC Compound the best article we have ever used for Constiveness or Biliousness, and easy to take.

"Always aim a little higher than the mark," says our philosopher. What! Kiss a girl on the nose? Never.

DON'T PRACTICE false economy by buying common Flavoring Extracts. Ask for the "Royal," none other can equal them.

The susceptible youth is like a mosquito. There is little hope for him after he gets mashed.

West's Cough Syrup, a sure cure for coughs, colds, and all diseases of the throat and lungs, 25c, 50c, and \$1 per bottle. All druggists.

Never scrub oil-cloth with a brush, but after being swept it may be cleaned by washing with a soft flannel cloth and luke-warm water or cold tea.

INFLEXIBLE IN FAITH.

Around the northern shores of the Basin of Minas, there may yet be found here and there one of the old-time people. They are representatives of an age that is dead. They speak a vernacular that can be found nowhere else on the continent, and it is in some antique spots in the Southern States, where the whites have never outgrown the idiom of the language that was spoken by their immigrant ancestors. These Nova Scotia people left New England because they were loyal. They did not believe in deserting the king. That same feeling kept them faithful to everything that came from "the old country," as they still call Great Britain. The child of New England to-day hearing one of those old-fashioned people converse would understand but little what was said. But the generation now grown and in its youth, are as pure in their accent as the Boston Yankee. But they were large-hearted men and women, and large-hearted as well. Almost a race of giants they were, and the hardships they endured and the primitive life they lived for many years kept them on the shores of Minas precisely the same kind of a struggle that was made by the Puritans and their ancestors on the shores of Massachusetts Bay. They were pious with a fierce piety. To them religion was something awful.—Charles Ellis, in Detroit Free Press.

A Big Mistake.

The moulting season, or the season when hens shed their feathers, will soon be at an end. The process is one that in certain respects facilitates and prevents hens from laying. The reason of this is that the growing of new feathers requires as all the nitrogen and phosphates contained in the food and there is none left to form the egg. A curious fact about the hen, and one that illustrates the foregoing statement, is this, if a hen's leg be broken during the laying season, she will lay her eggs without shells until the break is mended. The reason for this must be that all the lime contained in the food is required to unite the broken bone, there is none, therefore, for the formation of egg shells. The formation of new feathers does not require any carbonaceous or fat-producing food, consequently well fed hens get very fat during the moulting. Many farmers and poultry raisers, not understanding all about those things, kill off their old hens, because they think they have stopped laying and are fat. This is a great mistake, because if the proper material be furnished them with their food to supply the increased demand for nitrogen and phosphates before mentioned, the hens will be through shedding feathers much sooner and will begin laying on the approach of cold weather, and they will continue to lay vigorously all winter, while the young pullets, reserved to take the place of the old hens, may not begin to lay till much later in the season. Very many people have learned from experience that Sheridan's Condition Powder mixed once daily with their food, will supply the extra material needed to strengthen and invigorate their hens, enabling them to grow new plumage quickly and commence laying early. Those who commence now to use Sheridan's Condition Powder, will find that their young pullets will commence to lay at from four to six months old, and will lay continuously through the winter. The Farmer's Poultry Raising Guide, published by L. B. Johnson & Co., at 22 Custom House St., Boston, at 25 cents, contains a vast amount of information on this subject. Johnson & Co. will send post free, two 25c. packets of powder and one Guide for 60 cents, or a 1/4 lb. can of the powder, postage or express prepaid, for \$1.20, and a Guide free.

People who live in new countries are liable to be prostrated by malarial fevers. Inhabitants of cities, by reason of bad drainage and unwholesome odors, suffer from similar diseases. Ayer's Ague Cure is warranted a specific for all malarial poisons.

THE GREAT HEALTH RESTORER, West's Liver Pills.

The following touching notice was placed in the window of a western grocery store one day recently: "This store will be closed from three until half past five o'clock this afternoon, on account of the funeral of the wife of the proprietor. When opened at half-past five, we will display the finest lot of spring dress goods ever seen in this town, and, on account of being compelled to close this until half-past nine to-night, that our patrons may have an opportunity of seeing the magnificent line of dress goods just received."

ONE PACKAGE of "Mans S." Condition Powder contains more real medicinal virtue than twice its weight of any other Powder.

ADVICE TO MOTHERS.—Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with pain of cutting teeth? If so, send at once and get a bottle of "Mrs. Winslow's" soothing Syrup, for Children Teething. Its use is invaluable; there is no mistake about it. It cures dysentery and Diarrhoea, regulates the stomach and bowels, cures wind Colic, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, and gives tone and energy to the whole system. "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for Children Teething is sold by all druggists throughout the world. Price, twenty-five cents a bottle. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's SOOTHING SYRUP," and take no other kind.

Having made special arrangements with the publishers of a number of the leading periodicals of Canada and the United States we are enabled to make a large discount to subscribers. We will send any of the publications named and the ACADIAN one year for the following "Clubbing Prices," which as will be seen, is in some cases giving two papers for the price of one. Cash must accompany all orders.

Publication Regular Price Clubbing Price

Farmer's Advocate \$1.00 \$1.75

Toronto Weekly News 1.00 1.50

Toronto Daily News 4.00 4.00

Alden's Juvenile Gem 75 1.00

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do with Cyclopaedia 1.75 2.00

Toronto Weekly Globe 1.00 1.75

London Free Press 1.00 1.75

Youth's Companion 1.75 2.25

Book Worm 25 1.15

Weekly Messenger 50 1.40

Weekly Witness 1.00 1.75

Canadian Dairyman 1.00 1.50

Grip 2.00 2.50

Family Herald & Weekly Star, Montreal, 1.00 1.75

do with Prominent 1.75 2.00

Buds & Blossoms (new) 75 1.50

Detroit Free Press 1.00 1.85

L. Clear House 1.00 2.00

Transit Monthly 50 1.25

Ladies' Home Journal 50 1.40

Brooklyn Magazine 2.00 3.50

Our Youth 1.75 2.00

Central Gazette 1.00 1.75

Pain cannot exist after the patient has taken a single dose of West's Pain King, the magic cure. Do not be induced to take a substitute, but insist upon having West's Pain King. Genuine sold by all druggists.

The story goes that a big cotton commission house recently failed in New Orleans, and notified the Cotton Exchange of the fact, in the following quaint terms: "We have the honor to announce that we are unable to meet our obligations."

"Say, Aunt Chlo, you is getting around right smart." "Yes, 'deed I is, honey. I was pestered with sick ahead with rheumatism for six years, and done tried this West's World's Wonder or Family Lintment the people are talking so much about, and I was sure enough cured. It done saved me ole nigger's life." Price 25c, and 50c per bottle. Sold by all druggists.

A Western poker-player who was caught with a couple of aces up his sleeve, explained that the mustard plaster on his back must have drawn them there.

CONTRACTION OF THE MUSCLES.

C. C. RICHARDS & Co.,

Agents—I had the muscles of my hand so contracted that I could not use it for two years. I used Minard's Liniment and now have the use of my hand as well as ever. Mrs. RAGNER, BARNBERG, Dalhousie.

Changeable weather, produces colds, coughs, sore throat. For these diseases use West's Cough Syrup, the best. All druggists.

SCIENTIFIC SILENCED.

We say to those who are sceptical as to the hair-producing qualities of Minard's Liniment that in every case where the hair has fallen by disease, and by using 6 bottles of Minard's Liniment on the head will not produce a good growth of hair, or where one bottle will not remove dandruff and stop the hair from falling out we will furnish the Liniment free.

EIGHTH WONDER OF THE WORLD.

It is demonstrated by history that the ancients in many of the arts, notably architecture, far excelled the present age, but it is reserved for the present decade to produce the eighth wonder of the world, i. e., West's World's Wonder or Family Lintment, which is infallible for rheumatism, sprains, cuts, bruises, sores, and all diseases requiring external application, 25c, and 50c per bottle. All druggists.

Give Them a Chance!

This is to say your lungs. Also all your breathing machinery. Very wonderful machinery it is. Not only of the larger air-passages, but the thousands of little tubes and cavities leading from them.

When these are clogged and choked with matter which ought not to be there, your lungs cannot half do their work. And what they do, they cannot do well.

Call it cold, cough, croup, pneumonia, catarrh, consumption, or any of the family of throat and nose and head, all lung obstructions, all are bad. All ought to be got rid of. There is just one sure way to get rid of them. That is to take Busche's German Syrup which any druggist will sell you at 75 cents a bottle. Even if everything else has failed you, you may depend upon this for certain.

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The following touching notice was placed in the window of a western grocery store one day recently: "This store will be closed from three until half past five o'clock this afternoon, on account of the funeral of the wife of the proprietor. When opened at half-past five, we will display the finest lot of spring dress goods ever seen in this town, and, on account of being compelled to close this until half-past nine to-night, that our patrons may have an opportunity of seeing the magnificent line of dress goods just received."

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