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### POETRY.

#### If We Knew.

If we knew the cares and crosses  
Crowded round our neighbor's way;  
If we knew the little losses,  
Sorely grievous day by day,  
Would we then so often chide him  
For the lack of thrift and gain—  
Leaving on his heart a shadow,  
Leaving on our heart a stain!

If we knew that clouds above us,  
Held by gentle blessings there,  
Would we turn away all trembling,  
In our blind and weak despair?  
Would we shrink from little shadows,  
Lying on the dewy grass,  
While in our holy hills of Eden,  
Just in mercy lying fast!

If we knew the silent story  
Quivering through the heart of pain,  
Would our womanhood dare doom them  
Back to haunts of vice and shame?  
Life has many a tangled crossing,  
Joy has many a break of woe,  
And the checks, tear-washed are whitest,  
This the blessed angels know.

Let us reach within our bosoms  
For the key to other lives,  
And with love to erring Nature,  
Cherish good that still survives;  
So that when our cherished spirits  
Soar to realms of light again,  
We may say, dear Father, Judge us  
As we judge our fellow-men.

### SELECT STORY.

#### Why She Refused Him.

She drew up her horse at my gate,  
"Mr. Landon!"  
I laid down my book and went down  
the path to her. She was always beautiful in her riding habit, and the opiate of her cheek was a little lovelier than usual, I thought, that morning.

"How do you do?" she said solemnly.  
"Are you very busy?"  
"Not very," I answered, glancing back at Valentine Vox turned upside down on a piazza chair. "What is wanted? Can I be of service to you?"  
"Not to me. But papa wished me to ask you if you would come in and direct Tom about trimming our poplar trees. The row by the south wall, you know. He knows nothing about it, and spoiled them five years ago."

"Certainly. I will be at the Three Elms in an hour or two, Miss Vattie."

She gave me a dainty military salute and galloped away. That, and all her little tricks and ways were indescribably pretty.

Before I came to Baywater, my sage sister had warned me how beautiful Miss Vattie Somers was. She begged me not to fall in love with her, and I had promised not to, I believe. But after my house was built, and I had settled at Baywater—for the sake of being near my manufactory—I got in the way of spending my evenings very often at the place where she lived, called the Three Elms for the trio of trees that stood before the door.

The family consisted of Mr. Somers, who was aged and infirm; Vattie, as she was called; two younger sisters of 12 and 14, and their governess, Miss Stowell. Mr. Somers had taken quite a fancy to me, and entertained me with the garrulousness of old age; and the children were pretty pets, and Mrs. Stowell was a sensible lady. All this goes to say nothing of Miss Vattie's prettiness, made her sitting-room an attractive place for a solitary old bachelor. My sister, who was plain, old-fashioned and practical, would have suffered untold anxieties had she known it. Being one of the working bees of the world, she could see no use or virtue in such a pretty, dainty being as Vattie Somers. The bare suggestion of her becoming my wife would have shocked her as a plain-fraught with most disastrous consequences.

But I don't know that I really ever thought of such a thing until the morning that I went up to superintendent the trimming of the poplars.

Vattie had returned from her ride. She had replaced her habit by a wrapper of some colored gauze, and was sitting on a flower in the garden, attended by a gentleman. He was a stranger. He was young and handsome. I saw him lift her basket; I saw her smile in his face, and—well I was madly jealous.

It was a revelation of my own heart that I was not prepared for, therefore I did not go forward to greet her. I turned up a side path and went round to the side door. Two little girls, who were there studying came forward to meet me.

"Mr. Landon," said Rose, "has Vattie come home from her ride?"  
"I believe she is in the garden," I answered.

"Then she is with Mr. Louvois said Lilly. "He came while she was gone. He is very handsome. Mr. Louvois is, primarily, 'and sister Vattie is going to marry him.'"  
Rose who was younger and not so romantic, laughed at her.  
"Lilly thinks he is so nice," she said.

I smiled at the children, but my heart ached. But I was not fond of being miserable, and strove to throw off my depression. I called Tom, trimmed the trees, received Mr. Somers' thanks, and went home. I think I went home about my business as usual, but everything seemed changed. I had a strong disposition to run away from Baywater and everybody I had ever known.

I did not go near the Three Elms for more than a month. This was unusual and I knew would attract more attention but I could not help it. The more I thought of Vattie Somers' marriage the more deeply miserable I was.

So I staid at home. I spent whole evenings with a book without reading; I took long rides over the country coming home dull and dazed. Or I invited a few guests to my house, entertained the company, and bored myself excessively.

But one night, as I tossed on my pillow tormented by my disappointment, a thought occurred to me, I would propose to Vattie; put myself out of misery or plunge myself into darker despair. I am aware that I was not a very brave lover from the first, for I wrote my momentous question instead of delivering it by word of mouth. I shut myself up in my chamber and spent the evening writing letters to her. The one which I finally dispatched was incited with the brightness of desperation.

"MISS VATTIE SOMERS—I love you. Will you marry me?"  
AUBREY LANDON.

Then I rested from my labors. He replied name back the next night.  
"MR. AUBREY LANDON—I think you are mistaken. No?"  
VATTIE SOMERS.

Then of course, there was nothing for me to do but forget her. This I did not succeed in doing.

But time waits not for miserable lovers more than for happier men. The summer went, and it chanced that I never saw Vattie Somers' face until a certain day about Christmas.

During the hot weather I drove to my counting-room. But on the fine winter days I preferred to walk. The road lay along the edge of a large sheet of water called Swan's pond. This in the middle of December was frozen across.

But one morning I was rather late to my business, and wishing to make a short cut, I started to go across the pond on the ice. I had proceeded but half way across when the brittle substance gave away and I was plunged into the cold flood beneath.

At first I went under the ice, but though I could not swim I struggled back to the surface and laid hold of the edge of the ice. It was thin, however, and kept breaking in my grasp, and a numbness began to come over me. I felt myself grow pale and my heart sank as I struggled.

Meanwhile I was half conscious of shouts and confused voices. I did not realize that they had any connection with me, however, until a slender figure in scarlet bounded like a redbud on the ice above and beside me, and at the same moment a rope splashed into the water.

My brilliant preserver was away like the wind, but I had the means of escape in my hands and I clung to the rope, breaking the ice before me until I was drawn by unseen friends upon the bank. Then a dozen hands reached to my assistance, and I found myself surrounded by a crowd of men.

I was in a very exhausted condition. They put me into a carriage, and I believe it was Mr. Somers' Tom who drove home with me.

At any rate, it was Tom who assisted in putting me to bed, and dosed me with hot compounds until I felt as if I should explode.

"That will do, my good fellow, that will do," I said, at last. "I can't drink any more of anything. Just put away that glass, if you please, and tell me who it was that threw me the rope."

"Who should it be but Vattie Somers?" demanded Tom, who was but six years from Cork. "What other skater is there

in Baywater like her? Sure, no man could have ventured on that thin ice and it was as much as her life was worth to go; but she did it—bless her party-flying feet!"

The hot tears came into my eyes. I went asleep very happy.

They kept me in bed two days, but I got out of their hands on the third and drove to the Three Elms.

Vattie faltered and turned a little pale as she gave me her hand. But I took both little hands and drew her aside, though Rose and Lilly were looking on wonderingly.

"Darling, it is very noble in you to risk your dear life for a man you despise."  
"But I do not despise you."  
"For a man you dislike."  
"But I do not dislike you."  
"For a man you do not love."  
"But I do love you!" sobbed Vattie, yielding to my embraces.

Then she tried to release herself and talk of other things, but I had been denied too long to permit this, and I held her close kissing lips and hands and hony hair.

"Vattie, why did you refuse me?"  
"Because I thought you were crazy to ask me in such a strange way, after slandering me for six weeks. Why did you do so, Aubrey?"  
"I was troubled about Mr. Louvois," she said to my surprise.

"That was only a child's story. Mr. Louvois has married my cousin, Margaret."  
The rest of my happiness I shall keep to myself.

The Impressions of Childhood.

The impressions of childhood last through life, and go much further to wards influencing children for good or bad than most mothers imagine. One of the sweetest and loveliest women we ever knew was reared by doating parents with the idea that nothing would do for her but to be a saint. No matter how glorious, no devotion, however generous, can win a sudden triumph; for at the best human progress cannot be measured from year to year; its movements, though sure, are imperceptible; only by generations can loss or gain be reckoned. But when a new spirit enters into the world, which the ideal of the few becomes the enthusiasm of many, and the vision once seen only by lone watchers on mountain heights is revealed in its glory to the toilers of the plain; when a faith once dim and faint begins to stir with a new fire and a new life, we cannot for long be unconscious of such a change. And such a change is surely coming on. The long night, with its darkness and silence, is passing away, and though the awakening world rings the trumpet sound, "Let the King reign!"

Superstitious and false ideas of many things which cling to people always, and cause them lives of unhappiness, can often be traced to the teachings of a thoughtless mother or ignorant nurse. "There are many things so mixed in my brain with the stories heard from my old Negro nurse in childhood, that it often troubles me to distinguish truth from falsehood—light from darkness," said a very intelligent woman, some time since in our hearing, thus showing how early evil impressions prevented even the proper cultivating of the mind, enlightening the understanding as it should. Then try to give children every day of happiness in your power by loving kindness and tender care, and above all, let no long remembered falsehood of ghosts, hobgoblins, or fears from mother's lips destroy their love and respect for her who should be so dear to them.

"If there is no radiant sunshine in the days of mud pies, dolls, tea parties and hobby-horses, let us ask when there will be?" says a wise writer on the subject.

No lovelier love is given parents than to brighten the lives of the little ones entrusted to their care, and give nothing but brightness to their childhood's memories is a blessing that will go far to lighten the burdens and sweeten the bitterness of after life, let its trials be what they may.

Temperance Longevity.

An endeavor has been made to show that total abstinence do not live so long as those who consume alcohol in moderation; also, strange to say, that those who often drink to excess outlive the teetotalers. Statements purporting to come from the medical profession in England were adduced in support. The facts were evidently cooked, but so skillfully as to deceive unwise people. All persons possessing common sense are aware that an excessive consumption of alcohol leads to ill health and a high rate of mortality. But many are not convinced that even what is called

moderate indulgence tends to lessen the duration of life. The United Kingdom Temperance and General Provident Institution, London, England, has two classes of insurance, one of total abstinence, and another for temperate people who are not total abstainers. All insurance offices carefully avoid insuring the lives of drunkards, of those whom they suspect to be inclined to over-indulgence. That of itself is sufficient to show that the universal experience of the life officers is that alcoholic excess means a high rate of mortality. The directors of the before mentioned institution at their annual meeting for 1880, reported that for the total abstinence section on the whole number of policies of every 100 claims estimated to fall due by the actuary tables there had been only 50 deaths, but that in the general section—that is among those who drank in strict moderation—the deaths amounted to 86 out of the expected 100. Therefore out of equal numbers of two lots of insurers—total abstinence and temperate men—the abstainers show 12 per cent better than the temperate drinkers.—Toronto Mail.

A Future Full of Hope.

Look where we may, the future seems full of hope. The great world, slowly and reluctantly it may be, is still opening its eyes to the appalling spectacle of wretchedness, degradation and sin that lies so close to us on every hand. The cry of the afflicted and down-trodden is heard in last. We refuse to acquiesce in what selfishness and cowardice assure us to be inevitable. The few who have taken upon their shoulders the burden of suffering humanity are beginning to find not only sympathy but help in their efforts to do battle with the evil power which now desolates so vast a portion of mankind. The struggle must be long. No matter how glorious, no devotion, however generous, can win a sudden triumph; for at the best human progress cannot be measured from year to year; its movements, though sure, are imperceptible; only by generations can loss or gain be reckoned. But when a new spirit enters into the world, which the ideal of the few becomes the enthusiasm of many, and the vision once seen only by lone watchers on mountain heights is revealed in its glory to the toilers of the plain; when a faith once dim and faint begins to stir with a new fire and a new life, we cannot for long be unconscious of such a change. And such a change is surely coming on. The long night, with its darkness and silence, is passing away, and though the awakening world rings the trumpet sound, "Let the King reign!"

Experience of Advertisers.

Upon the death of Mrs. Lydia E. Pinkham, four years ago, her sons who took charge of the business considered it so enormous that they could get along without advertising, and thus save the \$300,000 which their mother spent annually for that purpose. For three years this attempt was kept up but experience showed that it meant the failure of the business, so this year they are advertising on a more extensive scale than formerly. In other pieces, such as Detroit, large firms who thought themselves well enough known have found that by not keeping their names before the public they have lost business. What is true of the wholesale is also true of retail business, it must be advertised. That "Judicious advertising is the keystone of success," is demonstrated by an investigation of the record of any successful business man; and if another example besides that given above is wanted, one need only refer to the world's greatest showman, F. T. Barum. The man who arrests the attention of the public by a well-worked advertisement, and just what he advertises will outstrip any and all competitors who do not place so much stress on gaining the public eye.

Men and Marriage.

Many men have married only a face. It was enough for them in the first instance to have their imagination satisfied by what they could see of a beauty. As a matter of fact, where there is only a face, beauty is simply impossible. In such a case beauty is not a question of form, or outline, or colour; the deepest beauty, the truest and most abiding

beauty can only be secured in association with mental and moral qualities. The form itself may be destitute of beauty and yet in the very form and figure there may be strange and happy fascinations because of the energy of the indwelling and all directing life. To imagine that face beauty will last, supposing it to be nothing more, is self-delusion of the most vexatious kind. Where face beauty is associated with mental beauty so much the better. Never forget the old proverb, however, which says "Handsome is that handsome does." Beauty of character will outlast beauty of form and beauty of color. The latter may be pleasant enough for a few days or a few years but can avail nothing in the night of darkness, in the hour of sorrow, in the pain and need of growing weakness. Under such experiences we need moral qualities of the very highest kind. Look out, then not for mere beauty of a facial or superficial kind, but for beauty of soul, which shows itself in benevolent thinking religious aspiration, readiness to help and sympathize with all mankind.

Talking of patent medicines—you know the old prejudice. And the doctors—some of them are between you and us. They would like you to think that what's cured thousands won't cure you. You'd believe in patent medicines if they didn't profess to cure everything—and so, between the experiments of doctors, and the experiments of patent medicines that are sold only because there's money in the "stuff," you lose faith in everything. And you can't always tell the prescription that cures by what you read in the papers. So, perhaps, there's no better way to sell a remedy than to tell the truth about it, and take the risk of its doing just what it professes to do.

That's what the World's Dispensary Medical Association, of Buffalo, N. Y., does with Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. If they don't do what their makers say they will, you get your money back.

Handie Colts Kindly.

A colt's education should begin at weaning time. Kind treatment and care in handling and breaking to the halter are essential. He should be made thoroughly halter wise and not afraid of those who are to handle him at an early day. There will not be the trouble or danger usually attendant at breaking time if he be broken gradually thus. When he is first driven it should be with a steady, gentle animal, but he should not be taught to drive beside a slow horse. If he is to walk beside a slow horse, and a slow walking horse on the farm loses much money and precious time.

Over fifty cases of Liver, Stomach, Kidney and Blood diseases have been cured the past year in this Province by using Dr. Norton's Dock Blood Purifier after doctors and all other remedies failed.

Energy will do anything that can be done in this world; and no talents, no circumstances, no opportunities will make a two-legged animal a man without it.

The man who haunted the first lead and sand used in building the Polk County, Iowa, penitentiary has just been sentenced to that institution for six months.

Minard's Liment cures Dietsemper.

### A Great Event

In one's life is the discovery of a remedy for some long-standing malady. The poison of scrofula is in your blood. You inherited it from your ancestors. Will you transmit it to your offspring? In the great majority of cases, both consumption and catarrh originate in scrofula. It is supposed to be the primary poison of many other derangements of the body. Begin at once to cleanse your blood with the standard alternative.

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"For several months I was troubled with scrofulous eruptions over the whole body. My appetite was lost, and my system so weakened that I was unable to work. After trying several remedies in vain, I resolved to take Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and did so with such good effect that less than one bottle restored my health."

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**THE ACADIAN**  
WOLFVILLE, N. S., APRIL 24, 1891.  
Now in Order.

We are glad to note that our remarks last week concerning arbor day and street improvement have met with very general approval. Now what is wanted is action. What is to be done must be done at once. Let those who approve of the suggestions made be the first to take the matter in hand. So far as the improvement in the appearance of our streets is concerned the first move should be to have a public meeting called and an organization formed for the purpose. Such an organization if composed of suitable persons, backed up by the citizens generally, would be able to do a vast amount of effective work. In this connection we notice that some of our people are making an effort to improve the street in front of their respective places. This is a good move and highly commendable but it should go further. We shall be glad to receive and publish communications from any of our readers on this subject, and any suggestion will be in order.

**Immigration.**  
Ottawa Citizen: It is satisfactory to notice that the prospects of immigration to Canada this year have greatly improved during the past few weeks, and the indications now are that, not only will the immigrants be of a superior class, but they will be much more numerous than seemed probable earlier in the season. This is directly traceable to the influence of the visit of the tenant-farmer's delegates, last year, and to the wide distribution of the reports made by them, as well as to the effect of the speeches they made since they got home. Of course, the full benefit of these visits cannot be felt this year. The reports have only been distributed during the past few weeks, and it will take time for them to have their effect, but they have already been the means of attracting a fair amount of emigrants this season. The country has every reason to be thankful to the Hon. John Carling for inviting these delegates to visit Canada.

**Legislative Council.**  
Our sister province of New Brunswick appears to be ahead of us in getting clear of that expensive and useless body known as the Legislative Council. An act was passed recently to abolish the council in that province, which was afterwards amended so as to end its existence in 1894. Many good have been the reasons why the council should cease to exist, and on several occasions legislation has been introduced leading to its abolition. When both political parties are agreed that the council is of no further use; and are supported in this by the people, it seems a pity that some way cannot be devised whereby we can get clear of it. If the money spent on the Legislative Council were expended in some other way the people of our Province would reap a much greater benefit from it. Let us have government by our representatives.

**Coming to Manitoba.**  
The Canadian agents who went to Dakota to offer the impoverished farmers of that state land and good living in Manitoba are most popular with the land speculators and mortgage-holders, who wish to keep the fortunes where they are. However, quite a number have immigrated and others will follow. In the first place many of these settlers start out to go to the Canadian Northwest, but were induced by agents to try Dakota. They have tried it, and all have found it very bad, and they are now going to Manitoba to begin life over again. Had they gone thither in the first place they would now be happy and prosperous but their experiences will have this good result, it will deter other Canadians from going to desolate Dakota.

The following paragraph we clip from the New York Examiner. Mr Wallace's many friends will be glad to hear of his success:—"Rev. O. C. S. Wallace is fast becoming one of the most popular ministers in Toronto. His preaching is highly attractive and there is something magnetic about his personality. It was no easy thing to follow Professor Trotter; that Mr Wallace has been able in so short a time to show himself fully master of the situation is greatly to his credit. He has among his members the Chancellor of Ontario, three or four lawyers, and five or six professors. A more appreciative and sympathetic congregation it would be hard to find."

The Windsor & Annapolis Railway Co. intend to fill the piers of the railway bridge at Horton Landing with concrete. The experiment was tried on one of the piers last year and proved satisfactory, making it solid as granite.

Halifax has recently received its first installment of Chinamen—three in number—who have opened a laundry in the city, and are regular attendants of Park St. Presbyterian Sunday School.

**Death of Rev. Walter Barss.**

A friend has sent us a copy of the Geneva, N. Y., Courier, of April 8th, fully three columns of which is devoted to the death of Rev. Mr Barss. Our space will not allow of our copying in full, but below we clip a few paragraphs which will be of interest to our readers:—"This community, irrespective of any lines of religious faith, was saddened and pained, by the intelligence on Sunday, that the Rev. Walter Barss, pastor of the Baptist church, whose critical illness had been reported, had passed away; the event was made the occasion of special reference, morning and evening, from some of the pulpits, and on Monday, at a meeting of the pastors of Geneva, and officers of the Baptist and other churches it was decided to hold a memorial service on Sunday next at three o'clock in the afternoon, in the First Presbyterian church.

"It was not generally known, but will be remembered, that Mr Barss preached on Sunday morning and evening, three weeks ago, when he was scarcely able to be in his pulpit, and that once or twice he was so weak that he came near fainting and falling. He had been ailing, and on Saturday had taken his bed suffering from fever. By an effort that should not have been made, he preached; his discourses were appeals for better and more conscientious living; more complete devotion; and were peculiarly earnest, and almost sad in their utterance, but with less in some respects of the usual vivacity of his preaching. He took his bed at once; and on Monday evening a social was held at the parsonage; at which he was not able to be seen; and he did not rise again. He seemed to have an intuition of the end, from almost the beginning; and it was a cause of much concern to his physicians, who, recognizing in this the loss of an important aid to recovery, sought to strengthen his confidence, but without much avail. He took leave of his wife and three children several days ago, fearing he might become unable to recognize them; and after that was in an almost unconscious condition, though with mind entirely clear, till his death.

"The funeral of the late Rev. Mr Barss was held at the family residence, Lewis St., yesterday morning at 10:30 o'clock, and was very largely attended. Rev. Dr. David Moore, formerly pastor of the Baptist church officiated. The order of services was as follows: A hymn—"Forever with the Lord" was sung by the male quartette, consisting of Messrs Moore, Atchley, Chew and Fowler, after which Rev. Moore read from the scriptures, John 14:1-3; 21 Corinthians 5:18; Revelations 7:9-17, and 21:15. A very sympathetic and feeling prayer was read by Rev. Moore, which was followed by the quartette singing the hymn, "Nearer My God To Thee," followed by the benediction.

"The dead pastor's face wore a peaceful and happy expression, just as he had fallen asleep—"Asleep in Jesus," giving an impression not like that of the dead.

"The remains of deceased were taken to Rochester on the 12:55 train. Short and impressive services were conducted by Rev. Mr H. C. Peoples, a former class-mate of the late Rev. Mr Barss, in the chapel at Mt Hope Cemetery, where the interment took place, in the presence of about one hundred and fifty people, many of whom were former Genevans. When the casket was opened and the remains exposed to view beautiful bouquets of roses and choice cut flowers of the most fragrant varieties, the gift of the students of the Rochester Theological Seminary, of which Rev. Mr Barss was a graduate, were strewn upon the casket. The grave at Mt Hope cemetery was lined with evergreens and flowers. Dr N. B. Covert and Mr Walter A. Clark accompanied the remains to Rochester."

**Kentville Items.**

Mr J. F. L. Parsons, head of the census, department for Nova Scotia, was in town on Monday last, and T. R. Harris, Esq., ex-M. P. P., on the day following. The fences and buildings are lavishly decorated with the plants of Atkinson and Cook's Minstrels. Date of performance in Kentville, Wednesday evening, 23d.

Several strings of trout have been brought in by quite youthful fishermen, and displayed on the streets during the past week.

On Tuesday the band was out on the streets, and gave some fine music before opening up the Band Concert in Margaretson's Hall. The concert was fairly well attended and it proved quite a musical treat.

The C. Y. railway appears to be doing quite a stroke of business just now. Every day the train brings into Kentville quite a number of passengers from Canning and other places. It would be quite an unusual thing if this road should pay expenses for the first year.

A good many of late who come here from Cornwallis have complained of a very dangerous hole in the road near Mr W. E. Roscoe's house. A little road money, if there is some to spare, would help the place very much.

Propos of the movement in England to organize a company there to buy Canadian horses, Ira Cornwall, Secretary of Canada's International Exhibition to be held at St John this autumn, has a timely letter in the English agricultural papers, drawing the attention of buyers to the chance of selection afforded by the mammoth Horse Fair to be held in connection with the Exhibition.

**Literary Notes.**

A story of unusual power and strange plot will begin in the May *Comopolitan* and run through three numbers: The story of a man, who three times in his life undertakes to paint Jesus. As a young painter full of health and life, full of joy, he puts on his canvas, a Greek ideal of strength and beauty; just as the picture is on the point of completion, he learns to love a beautiful woman who returns his passion. After weeks and his feet he returns to his studio one day, and is filled with disappointment when he gazes upon the face of the Christ. It bears no impress of that divine love which the painter now knows must belong there. His canvas is turned to the wall, and inspired by love he sets to work upon the image of a new Christ, who would be a God of Love. Again his picture is completed when the second great change comes over his life. She whom he adores turns from him to give her love to the Prussian officer whose Greek beauty had been the model for his first picture. Going back to work under the shadow of this deep sorrow, he looks upon the face of Christ upon his easel, and sees that once more he has failed. There is the beautiful face irradiating love, but there is not upon it the refining touch of sorrow that must have been in the face of Him who was "a man of sorrow and acquainted with grief." There was this wanting. He must set to work again, and paint not only the beauty of the Divine Perfection, and the love that embraced all mankind, but the Sorrow of the Man of God who suffered for our sins. The author, Hjalmer Hjorth Boyesen, thinks he has given the best work of his life in this singular story. Two other pieces of fiction will attract attention in the May number of the *Comopolitan*; two real war stories by men who have been in the thick of the fight. One is by Archibald Forbes, the famous war correspondent, and the other by Allison W. Tourge, author of "The Wolf's Errand." The illustrations of all these are something unusual. Boyesen's story, illustrated by Wenzell, so well known through the pages of "Life"; Forbes' story, by Fredrick Villiers, another famous war correspondent and artist, and Tourge's story by Zogbaum. In addition to its strong fiction, this number contains a beautifully illustrated article on the Celopapas of the Stages; another on New Philadelphia, for which the drawings were made by Harry Penn. Some wonderful flash-light photographs illustrate the underground workings of a Leadville Silver Mine. Kennels and Kennel Clubs, and Dr Koch and his Lymp, by one who went to Berlin to study the subject, are two articles with numerous illustrations.

It shows the modern spirit of cosmopolitanism and its accompanying love of fair play and free discussion without prejudice or sentiment that an article, lauding and defending the Loyalists should appear in an American magazine. Mr James Hannay, of St John, N. B. in the May number of the *New England Magazine*, of Boston, takes up the history of the Loyalists from the beginning of the troublous times of the Revolutionary War. His article shows an intimate acquaintance with the conditions which immediately preceded the outbreak of hostilities and in the calm spirit of research he destroys a great many of the illusions in regard to the men and doings of this period. The article is profusely illustrated by drawings especially made for it, during a long summer vacation, by Mr Louis A. Holman, a young New Brunswick artist, who is now settled in Boston and is doing much good work for the magazines.

**Country Roads.**

The following timely hints are clipped from the *Century Magazine*: "There is not a rural town within bounding distance of a great city which could not at slight expense amend itself all the city bores that it could accommodate by the simple process of systematically and intelligently hardening its roads. If it were to appoint a town committee with power to employ experts, or to obtain expert advice, and to carry out the suggestions thus obtained in road improvement, the mere public advertisement of that proceeding would attract boarders from all directions. The expense would not be great. In nearly every case the gravel or cracked stone necessary for the construction of a serviceable, well drained road can be obtained within moderate distance. There of, for example, in some parts of Orange County, in New York State, a kind of soft, red sandstone to be found in great abundance, which crushes readily under the wheels and makes a hard, firm road-bed, which is never dusty and never muddy, which is yielding to the horse's feet and most agreeable to ride over. Ordinary gravel can be used with almost equally good results. The main thing is to secure something like scientific knowledge in the construction of the road and in the mixture of materials. The vicious idea that anybody can make a road by shovelling dirt into the middle of it from the gutter, or what is the same thing in a wholesale way, hauling it there by means of a "scraper" must be abandoned at the outset, and not only abandoned but prohibited. Until that is done no reform will be possible.

There were married by license in Nova Scotia in 1890, 1740 bachelors, 297 widowers, 1870 spinsters and 167 widows. There were married by banns during the same period 173 bachelors, 189 spinsters, 25 widowers and 9 widows.

Collingwood Schreiber, Esq., Chief Engineer of Government Railways, passed through Wolfville, in his private car, on Friday, on his way to Annapolis, where he was to inspect the "Missing Link."

**Not a "Fake" Journal.**

"Is it another fake?" is a question the friends of the *Dominion Illustrated* have frequently to answer with regard to the prize competition inaugurated by the publishers of that journal for the current six months. The publishers have themselves given the best answer to that by publishing the list of prizes. There are 100 aggregating in value over \$3,000. The first is \$750 in gold and the smallest is valued at \$5. The competition consists in finding in current numbers of the journal the answers to thirty-six questions, six of which are published each month. On receipt of 12 cents in stamps, the publishers (the Sabiston Litho. & Pub. Co., Montreal) will send sample copy with full particulars.

**What do They Drink.**

What do your fowls drink, water that has been allowed to stand around until it became stagnant, or water from vessels that have a regular slime on the bottom and side, or do you give them fresh water, one, two or three times a day, according to the weather? We empty the drinking fountains every night, and have our birds start out on a fresh drink. Disease lurks in the drinking vessel; contagion spreads rapidly through the more fresh water and cannot thrive without it. The more fresh water the better health; the more fresh water the more eggs; the more fresh water the more choice meat; and the more fresh water the less loss, and the more clear gain. Mark it down.

**Wanted!**

Reliable married man to manage small place on shares or for wages. Comfortable dwelling house on premises. A. H. JOHNSON, Wolfville.

**FOR SALE.**

Fine Brood Mare, in foal to "Highland Chief." Due to foal 18th May. Apply to GEORGE B. CAULFIELD, Grand Pre.

**APPLE TREES.**

The subscriber has for sale about 4,000 very superior apple trees, Kings, Ribbons, Gravensteins, Golden Russets and Fallwater. These trees are home grown, root and branch, and are warranted true to name. Prices reasonable. Nursery at Town Plot. C. R. H. STARR, Wolfville.

**MUNN & CO.**  
SCIENTIFIC AMERICAN AGENCY  
**PATENTS**  
A pamphlet of information and abstracts of the latest laws to obtain Patents, Copyrights, Trade Marks, and Tradenames, sent free on application to  
301 Broadway, New York.

**JOHN W. WALLACE,**  
BARRISTER-AT-LAW,  
NOTARY, CONVEYANCER, ETC.  
Also General Agent for FIRE and LIFE INSURANCE.  
WOLFVILLE N. S.

**Building Lots.**

Parties wishing to secure desirable building-lots in Wolfville cannot fail being suited in the block of land adjoining the Presbyterian church, which has recently been laid out into good-sized lots and will be sold at reasonable rates. The situation is a most desirable one and the land is of an excellent quality. Information concerning the same may be had and plan of lots seen, on application to. B. O. DAVISON, AGENT, WOLFVILLE N. S.

**Boston Marine**  
INSURANCE COMPANY.  
Capital Paid in  
ONE MILLION DOLLARS.  
Surplus on regular Policy Holders,  
\$2,051,922.86.  
Losses Paid since Organization,  
\$12,642,897.10.  
Office of the Company,  
17 State Street, 43 Wall Street,  
BOSTON, NEW YORK.

**"RULER HUGO."**  
This favorite stallion will make the season of 1891 at the stable of his owner, at Greenwich. His weight is about 1500 pounds, and he has colts that at three years old have been sold \$200 for. This will be a grand opportunity for farmers to get thoroughly reliable stock that will command big prices.  
TERMS MODERATE!  
F. W. Griffin,  
Greenwich, April 6th, 1891.

**SEEDS!**  
Timothy! Southern White Corn!  
Clover! Yellow Corn!  
Lawn Grass! Turnip, Etc!  
FOR SALE BY  
**Walter Brown.**  
Wolfville, April 10th, 1891.

**J. W. RYAN'S**  
SPRING STOCK OF  
DRY GOODS, CLOTHING, CARPETS, LINOLEUMS,  
Oil-cloths, Roller Blinds, &c.  
Is now well forward, and will be found of unusual interest to house furnishers—being both correct in style and good value.  
AN INSPECTION SOLICITED!  
MAIN ST. — KENTVILLE, MAR. 12th, 1891.

**CALDWELL**  
HAS RECEIVED  
**1 Case Children's Carriages!**  
PRICES FROM \$7.50.  
**1 CASE READY-MADE CLOTHING!**  
IN MEN'S & CHILD'S SUITS.  
**2 CASES HATS & CAPS,**  
IN STRAW, HARD AND SOFT FELTS.  
**1 CARLOAD FURNITURE.**  
It will do you good to see the Bedroom Suits and get prices. A large lot of Dado Shades and Rustic Blinds, in the Newest and Best Designs and at Bottom Prices.

**CURTAIN POLES!**  
In Cherry, Walnut and Ebony.  
LACE CURTAINS! LACE CURTAINS!  
PRICES FROM 75 CENTS UP.  
**CARPETS!**  
Prices Ranging From 13c to \$1.20!  
Patterns Choice! Quality Excellent! Prices Low!  
**FLOOR OIL-CLOTHS.**  
In Four, Six and Eight Quarter.  
**Patterns, Quality & Price Unsurpassed.**  
CONSTANTLY ON HAND!  
**AMHERST BOOTS AND SHOES!**  
In Mens, Women's, Misses and Children's. These goods need no comment as the Quality and Price speak every time.  
Wolfville, April 17th, 1891.

**Photo. Studio.**  
--Lewis Rice, of Windsor,--  
--WILL REOPEN--  
Branch Gallery at Wolfville  
April 1st, and remain one week of each month commencing first Monday in the month.  
SEPT. 2d to 6th; OCT., 7th to 11th; NOV. 8d to 12th; DEC. 1st to 6  
**NEW ROOMS PATRIQUIN BUILDING, WOLFVILLE, N. S.**

**J. B. DAVISON, J. P.**  
STIPENDIARY MAGISTRATE,  
CONVEYANCER,  
INSURANCE AGENT, ETC.  
WOLFVILLE, N. S.  
**For Sale!**  
16 Acres Wickwire Dyke, in good condition. Apply to  
WALTER BROWN,  
or AUBREY BROWN,  
Wolfville, 7th April, 1891.

**Dadoed Blinds!**  
**PLAIN BLINDS!**  
BLIND ROLLERS!  
CURTAIN POLES!  
Fine Assortment at Prices the Lowest!  
--ALSO--  
**Room Paper,**  
PICTURE MOULDINGS, &c.  
--AT THE--  
**WOLFVILLE BOOKSTORE.**  
ST. JOHN AND  
**MINAS BASIN ROUTE.**  
Steamers of this Route will sail as follows during the

**MONTH OF APRIL:**  
Leave Hantsport, for Parrsboro Village—Mondays, 20th, 7 15 a m, and 27th, 12 30 p m.  
Parrsboro Village, for Hantsport—Tuesdays, 21st, 8 20 a m, and 28th, 2 00 p m.  
Wolfville, for Parrsboro Pier, calling at Kingsport—Mondays, 20th, 9 00 a m, and 27th, 2 30 p m.  
Parrsboro Pier, for Wolfville, calling at Kingsport—Tuesdays, 21st, 6 40 a m, and 28th, 12 20 p m.  
Windsor, for Parrsboro Pier, calling at Hantsport—Thursdays, 23d, 8 00 a m, and 30th, 2 10 p m.  
Parrsboro Pier, for Windsor, calling at Kingsport and Hantsport—Friday, 24th 8 45 a m.  
**STEAMER "HIAWATHA"**  
Will leave Hantsport, for St. John, calling at Kingsport and Parrsboro, Wednesday, 22d, 9 a m, and 29th, at 4 30 a m. Returning, will leave St. John ever Thursday evening.  
Will call at Spencer's Island going, and coming from St. John, weather permitting. Through freight taken from St. John for Parrsboro, Kingsport, Wolfville, and Hantsport—Hantsport, Avondale and Windsor.  
Will take freight at St. John for Matilda, Thursday, 23d instant.  
**STEAMER "ACADIA"**  
Will leave Windsor every Wednesday, to connect with "Hiawatha" at Parrsboro for St. John; also to connect at Parrsboro for Windsor on her return.  
**FARES—**Windsor, Hantsport, Kingsport and Parrsboro, to St. John, \$2.75; return, \$4.50. Children under twelve years half fare.  
Three hours added to time of leaving Hantsport will give time of leaving Parrsboro for St. John. Boats run on Halifax time.  
**E. CHURCHILL & SONS,**  
Hantsport, April 13th, 1891.  
**Needlecraft.**  
Just opened, Plain and Figured Art Silks, Plushes and Muslins, Congress Cloth, Molekin Velvet, Botting Silk. A superior quality of German Linen for Roman Empires and Drawn Work.  
The Unrivaled C. P. Corset, Shirt Supporters, Embroidered Flannels, Rubber Goods, Infant's Cashmere Cloaks.  
**M. A. Woodworth,**  
Webster St., - - Kentville, N. S.  
Agent for McCull's Bazar Patterns

**CERES**  
SUPERPHOSPHATE!  
--USE--  
High Grade Fertilizer.  
--AND TRY FOR THE--  
**PRIZES!**  
For wheat grown on it. See circular, Jack & Bell, 25-4 mos HALIFAX, N. S.  
**ADVERTISERS!**  
It will pay you to patronize the columns of  
**The "ACADIAN."**

**Mail Contract.**  
SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until noon, on Friday, 22d May, for the conveyance of Her Majesty's Mails six times per week each way, between Canning and Kentville under a proposed contract for four years from the 1st July next.  
Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of the proposed contract may be seen and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the Post Offices of Canning and Kentville and at this office.  
**CHARLES J. MACDONALD,**  
Post Office Inspector.  
Post Office Inspector's Office.  
Halifax, 3rd April, 1891.

If You are Buying Anything in the Line of Gents' Furnishings!

BORDEN'S, WOLFVILLE.

The Latest Novelties in Neckwear, including Derby Ties, Windsor Scarfs, Spring and Summer Underwear in all sizes.

C. H. BORDEN & CO., WOLFVILLE.

THE ACADIAN

WOLFVILLE, N. S., APRIL 24, 1891.

Local and Provincial.

Barnum gathered a fortune of five million dollars with his show.

Mr. W. R. Campbell, General Manager of the Windsor and Annapolis railway, is now in Kentville.

Mr. Murphy, who has occupied part of Dr. Bowdell's house for several years past, moved to Kentville on Wednesday.

Rev. D. O. Parker preached in the Baptist church last Sunday morning. In the evening the pulpit was occupied by I. E. Bill, Jr., "the boy preacher."

Extra fine line 5 ct. Room Papers, at Wolfville Book Store.

Rev. J. B. Logan has arrived at Halifax where he will remain for a few weeks to officiate for Dr. Burns while absent in England, after which he will visit Kentville.

The palace railway photo. car, which has been in Wolfville for the past few weeks, left by Wednesday's freight train for Middleton.

Extra Fine Line Gilt Papers from 25 cents upwards at Wolfville Book Store.

Kentville is contemplating adopting the electric light. Some time ago we heard considerable talk concerning the possibility of Wolfville being lighted by it.

Mr. Martin P. Black, of Halifax, died on Saturday last in that city aged 76 years. Mr. Black was probably the richest man in Halifax.

Fencing Wire and Posts for sale low, 32 WALTER BROWN.

Miss Jennie D. Hitchens, formerly teacher of vocal music at Acadia Seminary, and well known in Wolfville, is director of a boarding and day school for young ladies, in St. John.

Wolfville Division is now making arrangements for the second quarterly session of the Grand Division, which opens in this town on Tuesday, May 5th.

New Spring goods just received at T. A. Moore's, Merchant Tailor.

Mr. Benjamin Ward, of Long Island, is probably the only man in Nova Scotia who has reached the age of 79 years and his mother still living.

We have been shown a good sample of what is claimed to be manganese this week. It is said to be found in large quantities within five miles of Wolfville.

Master Ayard Davidson has for sale choice Pekin ducks' eggs for hatching.

The members of Wolfville Division anticipate paying a fraternal visit to the sister society at Kentville this evening.

A full flock of Marheline, Wall Tint on hand for spring, WALTER BROWN.

A few weeks ago some vandals took down and carried away the gilt collar, hanging over the door of Patriquin's harness shop.

Tennis Rackets, Nets and Balls, at the Wolfville Book Store.

While shooting wild geese on the Grand flats nearly a fortnight ago, Mr. A. S. Harris, by hurriedly firing off a rusty gun directly over his head, seriously injured his shoulder.

Local and Provincial.

Gaspereaux have already arrived and have been on sale on the street this week.

Dr. W. Y. Fullerton, of the firm of J. W. & W. Y. Fullerton, Port Williams, is in town.

Mr. J. L. Franklin is getting the cellar excavated for his new house next the Presbyterian church.

The convention of fishery inspectors, at Ottawa ended Thursday and it is rumored that they recommend the rule, regarding the close season be made statutory.

New Novels, just received at Wolfville Book Store.

Election petitions were filed on Monday against the return of Sir John Thompson, for Antigonish; Charles H. Tupper, for Pictou; N. W. White, for Shelburne, and F. W. Borien, for King's.

Bicycling is all the go now in Wolfville, and a number of new machines have been purchased or ordered.

Mr. "Cal" Jordan has been in Wolfville this week giving instructions in "the many art."

Lawn grass seed. Now is the time to sow it, for sale by B. WATSON BROWN.

Arthur Jones, colored, of Pine Woods who had his foot badly frozen last winter while in the woods, had to have part of the foot amputated on Saturday last.

In another column will be found notice of the marriage of Prof. D. E. Woodman, the champion walker.

On Saturday afternoon a friendly game of base-ball was played between the Wolfville base-ball nine and a nine from the college.

Three houses in Noel and vicinity have lately caught fire by sparks lodging in the roof shingles.

The district of Maitland, Hants Co., mourns the sudden death of George Frieze, Esq., of the firm Frieze & Roy.

Novelty Wringers, Eureka Wringers, Winger Kalls, etc., at Brown's.

A man named Pines, from Percu, went to work on T. A. Moore's new vessel at Avondale on Thursday morning.

The Hantsport Foundry, which has been running its shops for about one year and five months, is progressing favorably.

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Mr. Harris has been obliged to take his rest in a sitting posture, and although improving now it will be quite a while before he will have the full use of his arms.

'Golden Eagle.' \$6.00.

To introduce this choice brand of Flour, will sell 100 lbs. at car-load rates for cash.

SEED OATS! 1 Car Choice, here now. Hurry up, or you'll miss this chance to secure good Seed.

We Offer To-day: Pure Jersey Butter, Diamond N Molasses, Hand-made Lard, Pink's Jellies, Assorted Jams, Crystalline Salt.

Fine Florida Oranges. Choice Valencia Oranges, 25 cents doz. New Maple Candies, Sugar and Syrup.

Field and Garden Seeds, New Crockery and Glassware. R. PRAT'S. Wolfville, April 23d, 1891.

Favorable Notices.

The literary critic of the Dominion Illustrated in the last number, says the following concerning Mr. Herbin's poems "Canada":

From Wolfville, N. S., has reached me a very modest collection of poems, "Canada and Other Poems," by J. F. Herbin.

"Dare I postcard for my land, with this volume" open before me.

I dare, when the silver of morn melts into the falling darkness, look for a perfect day, hooded with golden glory.

I dare, when the grain leaves the liberal hand, look on to the harvest; Yes, now I may hear on the morn the whirr of the sickle.

Two beautiful sonnets, "Union" and "Home," fill the last page of this little collection of poems.

Just think, an Elegant Curtain Pole complete for only 40 cents at Wolfville Book Store.

Hants County Notes.

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SPRING, 1891!

Don't Fail to see the Wonderful Attractions at the Glasgow House, WOLFVILLE.

DRESS GOODS: 90 Pieces of the Most Fashionable Spring and Summer Shades!

BLACK GOODS in all the Newest Makes! Men's Suitings and Pantings! PRINTS AND SATEENS!

70 Pieces in Beautiful Designs, Flannelets in Checks and Stripes, Cretannes, Bleached and Unbleached Cottons, Hamburgs, Corsets, Art Curtains, Gingham.

Mantlings & Cloakings. SUNSHADES, UMBRELLAS, HOSIERY, GLOVES.

Ladies' and Gents' Wear in Great Variety! Carpets, Oil-cloths and Rugs,--the largest and best selected stock ever shown in Wolfville.

O. D. HARRIS, Glasgow House, WOLFVILLE. Wolfville, March 12th, 1891.

Don't Mistake. YOU AVOID AMMONIA. ALUM. -AND ANYTHING- Unwholesome or Injurious! BY USING WOODILL'S German Baking Powder.

USE FERRY'S SEEDS THE BEST. SEED ANNUAL. For 1891 will be mailed FREE for all applications, and to four seasons' use. It is better than ever.

DRESSMAKING! MISS F. E. DAVISON respectfully announces to her friends and the public that she has resumed Dressmaking in Wolfville and for the present taken rooms at Mr. Fred. Woodworth's, next door south of the Methodist church.

Watches, Clocks, and Jewelry REPAIRED! J.F. HERBIN, Next door to Post Office.

NEWSY NOTES.

Interesting Items, Prepared Especially for the Readers of the "Acadian."

- Salt Shad by half-barrel or tail. 4 Gal. best American Oil, \$1 cash. Diamond N Molasses. 3lb Caddie Blended Tea. American Student Lamp, 90 Cents. Glass Tea Set, 6 pieces, 40 Cents. Crown Jewel Tea Set, 6 pieces, 90c. Best Stock Cigars and Tobaccos in town. 5 Bars Standard Electric Soap, 25c.

Wolfville, February, 1891.

NEW SPRING MILLINERY! OPENED THIS WEEK!

Burpee Witter's. --LATEST STYLES IN-- SHAPES, HATS & BONNETS. Ribbons, Flowers, Tinsel!

Burpee Witter, Wolfville, April 3d, 1891.

WHY ARE SOME PEOPLE ALWAYS LATE? They never look ahead nor think. People have been known to wait till planting season, run to the grocery for their seeds, and then regret over it for 12 months, rather than stop and think what they will want for the garden.

SOMETHING NEW! Bendorp's Royal Dutch COCOA AND CHOCOLATE. ROYAL BELFAST GINGER ALE. Highest price for Eggs. G. H. WALLACE. Wolfville, August 15th, 1890.

DR. WILLIAMS' PINK PILLS FOR PALE PEOPLE. EVERY MAN Who finds his mental faculties dulled or falling, or who has lost his appetite, should take these PINK PILLS. EVERY WOMAN should take these PINK PILLS. They will restore her lost energies, both physical and mental.

Be True to Yourself.

Be true to yourself at the start, young man, Be true to yourself and God; Ere you build your house mark well the spot...

To Utilize Salt.

If the feet are tired or painful after long standing great relief can be had by bathing them in salt water.

About A Boy

Just above the wharves of Glasgow, on the banks of the Clyde, there once lived a factory boy whom I will call David.

The Prince of Wales.

The Prince of Wales was about to visit the blind asylum in London, of which Dr. Campbell is the famous head.

Mysterious Tricks of Steam.

Notwithstanding the many years the steam boiler has been under observation, there are conditions of steam making which play strange tricks, as indicated by any discernible cause at times increasing forty or fifty degrees in as many seconds...

Signs of Spring.

If you read these learned maxims and take note of each small thing, you may come to be a prophet and foretell the gladsome spring.

Not Good Enough.

Nothing is good enough that is not as good as it can be. The verdict "not good enough," says a well known writer, which in boyhood passes the defective task, will become "had enough" when the habit of inaccuracy has spread itself over the life.

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

"Satan cannot understand a mean man, but he likes his ways," says a Western philosopher. Minard's Liniment cures Garnet in Cows. It is probably the man who married a rich wife who first started the joke on finding a woman's pocket.

Whenever you hear a man say that all men are alike it is an apology for some very contemptible scoundrel. When once used, you will like others, call for Johnson's Anodyne Liniment and nothing else.

It takes a man to break up the friendship between women, and a woman to break up the friendship between men. "Johnson's Anodyne Liniment prevented my death from bronchitis," writes an ardent friend.

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Last week a humorous member introduced in the Illinois Legislature a bill requiring every railroad in the state to employ a man on each train, to be known as a "hog killer," his duty being to club passengers who pay for one seat, but occupy two, while others are standing.

Good manners are the blossom of good sense and good feeling. If the law of kindness be written in the heart, it will lead to that disinterestedness in both great and little things—that desire to oblige, and that attention to the gratification of others, which are the foundation of good manners.

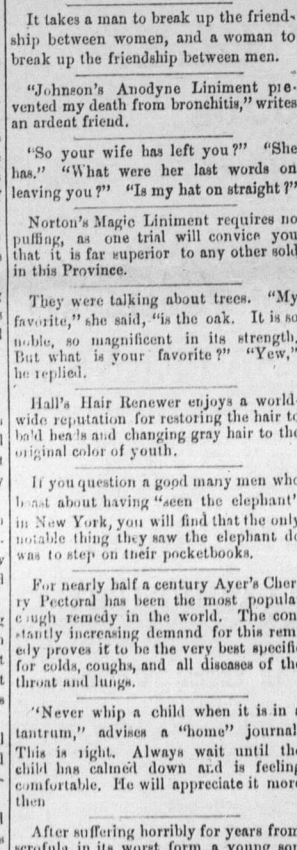
Sheffield, N. B. THOMAS WARREN. A Presbyterian minister's wife in a village near here got a new girl from the country. The first Sunday the mistress said that she could go into their seat, and when the girl went to church she walked composedly right up to the pulpit, and the utter amazement of the congregation sat down on the pulpit sofa.

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