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THOS. BIRD,
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UNION BANK OF HALIFAX
INCORPORATED 1856.
Capital Authorized, - \$3,000,000
Capital Subscribed, - 1,336,150
Capital Paid Up, - 1,326,293
Reserve Fund, - 925,000

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Special attention is directed to the
COMPARATIVE STATEMENT balance
showing the progress made by this Bank
in the past sixteen years, also the increase
of business in the last year.

STATEMENT
1887 1892 1904
Capital, - \$ 2,000,000 \$ 2,000,000 \$ 2,000,000
Reserve Fund, 472,811 411,048 428,422
Deposits, 79,850 624,239 7,027,202
Loans, 20,425 21,774 207,650
Liabilities, 86,425 1,217,718 1,312,600
Assets, 1,913,575 1,782,261 1,687,650

SAVINGS BANK DEPARTMENT.
Interest allowed at highest current rate,
which is now 3 per cent. Compounded
twice a year, - July 1st and January
1st. Interest allowed on Deposit Re-
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go with the cheap brands.

Poetry.
The River of Dreams.
The river of dreams runs silently down
By a secret way that no one knows;
But the soul lives on while the
dreadful flow
Through the garden bright or the for-
ests brown,
And I think sometimes that our whole
life seems
To be more than half made up of
dreams.
For its changing sights and its pass-
ing show,
And its morning hours and its mid-
night fears
Are left behind with the vanished years
Onward, with careless motion,
The life stream flows to the ocean,
And we follow the tide, awake or
asleep.
Till we see the dawn on love's great
sleep.
Then the bar at the harbor mouth is
lost,
And the river of dreams in the sea
is lost.
—Henry Van Dyke.

Select Literature.
PETTIKINS.
"I suppose that it is right to leave
Pettikins home with Mary Dooin," said
Marabel, pinning her hat on before the
glass. "There is not room for her, of
course. But to leave children with
servants is not, as a rule, judicious."
"What's the matter with Pettikins,
drawing her curly head in the window?"
"Why isn't there room this evening for
me to drive too? Why can't I?"
"I don't know," said Marabel.
"There are occasions when absence of
mind is precious," remarked Miss
Dooin.
Pettikins eyed her sister's friend
because it appeared to Pettikins that
the young lady talked as people do in
books.
"Pettikins, it is important that your
sister should be met by Uncle George
in that pink organdy and picture-
hat."
"What's important?" said Pettikins.
"Now listen to me," broke in Marabel.
"We are going to the station to meet
Uncle George. You must stay
right here with Mary Dooin; or be
sure to put your best white dress on."
"Why," said Pettikins, "why won't you
do the one that I had on yesterday?"
"Why can't I go and sit in front with
Uncle George?"
"You can't this time. I'll tell you
why some time, this evening maybe."
Marabel ran downstairs, and Pettikins,
L. Howland, heard Miss Dooin say:
"You might as well, Marabel, or
she'll find it out herself after one of
her fits of illness. I never came across
so intriguing a mind. She's an embryo
Columbus."
"Embrolumbus!" repeated Pettikins
as she said solemnly on the way to the
kitchen to find Mary Dooin. But Mary
Dooin was sitting on a bench outside
purring peacefully.
"Mary, what's an embrolumbus?" said
Pettikins.
"Don't come asking me no more as
thim haythen names!" said Mary Dooin.
"This missus was her like. Why
can't you find the man's name in this
big book Miss Marabel put on the
chair when she plays foetus on the
piano?"
"An' what might you be lookin'
a kilt in the ground for wid thim
eyes?"
"I'm wishin' somethin' might hap-
pen," said Pettikins, sobbing; "a bear
or soldiers maybe wid red coats and
truss horns and muffs on their heads,
and all fightin' right here in the yard.
This before they shet at us, Mary Dooin,
I'd run out and holler, 'Grown
shoot!' and they'd stop."
"Did ye rave?" said Mary admiringly
as Pettikins' thin little finger and tiny
hands struck an attitude. "Oh, the
military in just grand! An' wouldn't
ye be asseared as the firin', Pettikins?"
Pettikins shook her head, standing
absorbed in thought.
"Things don't happen 'cept to grown
young ladies, do they, Mary?"
The shade of wishfulness did not
escape the shrewd Irish eyes upon her.
"Niver mind. Ye'll soon be a beau-
tiful lady driving off to mate ye
awatchin'!"
"Uncle George," corrected Pettikins.
"Ay, course ye Uncle George. An'
ye hadn't ye wantin' things to happen
the like as the 'currance I could tell
ye this mornin'!"
"Uncle George," said Mary Dooin.
Pettikins tell us what's a 'currance?"
"Niver a bit will I, thim! 'Twas all
in the mornin' paper about a woman
down to the Bazaar. 'Currance' she
was pure now! All through her tender
heart she loses her last red cent."
"Go on, go on, Mary Dooin! Please
tell me how she lost her cent through
her heart." Pettikins' grave expression

deed! Seth! I'd told her about poor
Miss Dooin, she says, 'Walk in, sir,
swale as honey, says she, an' in he
walks into Miss Marabel's pantry,
an' she up an' shames the door on him
an' there he is now a-burglin' Miss
Marabel's preserves, the ovalation
thafe!"
"And my head wasn't like a fish
worn's was it, Mary Dooin?" said
Pettikins softly, with her eyes on
Mary's face.
"Hear him, this for ye!" cried
Mary Dooin, dramatically, and Uncle
George said, "I'm afraid she's crazy.
She's talking about fish worn's and
ovalation thafe!"
"Hear his impudence!" cried Mary
Dooin, while Pettikins stood first on
one foot, then on the other, in her
stunt and ecstatic enjoyment of the
scoteman.
But Marabel sprang forward and
shook Pettikins by the shoulder.
"Elmer Lee Bunstead, you dreadful
child! Give me that key, quick!"
Mary Dooin trembling produced it.
"Here, Mrs. Marabel, here, Mrs. Dooin,
ye wouldn't be turnin' him loose on us
now?"
"Burglar, indeed!" exclaimed Marabel,
with a very red face. She threw the
pantry door wide, and the burglar
stepped forth, fanning himself with his
hat.
"How d'ye do?" he said. "It's warm
in here."
"Chowmeth," exclaimed Uncle George
with a shout of laughter.
"How perfectly shameful!" cried
Marabel. After some minutes an
angel man came and stood over the
body. He was soon joined by several
others. Presently the murderer was
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It's the leave child ye are, Pettikins,
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Abert Korea.
Rev. John Grierison Told Many Pre-
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When Mr. Grierison first went to
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country was governed by a king. He
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The public meeting of ratepayers called for next Monday night should interest all progressive and public-spirited citizens.

Success of Lawrenceton Bay. The boat to Guanaquato, Mexico, from the Laidlaw & Co. steamer, at here, left yesterday, says the Montreal Herald.

The Studdy night an interesting gathering took place at the parlors of the hotel which, Wednesday, a well-known employee and member of the local Masonic lodge, presided at the request of the committee.

Delaware Tercentenary Celebration at Annapolis Royal, Tuesday, June 21st, 1904. SYNOPSIS OF PROGRAM.

Local and Special News.

The first wild strawberries were presented the other yesterday. Legal cap in pads of 100 sheets may be obtained at this office.

Why use unsanitary plank drains when terra cotta pipe is so cheap at Karl Freeman's.

The changes in the time-table of the D. A. R. will take effect on Monday. The express from Yarmouth is due at Bridgetown at one minute before twelve, and the express from Yarmouth at 2:17.

The marriage is announced for Wednesday next of Miss Blanche Murdoch to Mr. William L. Wright, manager of the Union Bank of Halifax.

Orange Meat. Save Your Coupons. GEORGE S. DAVIES, RANDOLPH BLOCK.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Rev. Joseph Gault, Methodist minister, is retiring from active service. Miss Carrie M. Brinton, of Halifax, is visiting her cousin, Mrs. E. C. Hall.

Rev. R. O. Armstrong, of Weymouth, is a brother of Dr. M. Armstrong, who is going to the Canadian West in a few weeks, to remain.

Mr. Harry P. Rufus and wife arrived from New York on Monday, and are residing Mr. Rufus's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Rufus.

Mr. E. L. Steeves, who left Paradise, Ontario, about two years ago, has removed to Sackville, where he has accepted the pastorate of the Baptist church.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Buskman desire to express their gratitude for the many kindnesses shown them during his illness, especially by his young friends.

Do Not Miss The Bargain Carnival of the season Merchants' Day MIDDLETON, Thursday, June 16, '04 Rain or Shine.

Bargains will be offered in Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots and Shoes, Gent's Goods, etc. A full account in Large Posters and in "Outlook." Don't forget the date. Tell your friends. Goods will be offered from 10 to 50 per cent. off price.

GO-CARTS and CARRIAGES From \$4.00 up. Fine Assortment. Prices very low. CHILDREN'S CARTS, Many sizes and styles.

INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY TENDER FOR BUILDING. Sealed tenders, addressed to the undersigned, and to be delivered at the office of the Railway Office, at Moncton, N. B., on Monday, the 27th Day of JUNE, 1904.

We Can Sell You Sherwin-Williams Paints, Pedlar's Metal Roofing, Hamilton Mica Roofing, Dillon Hinge Stay Wire Fence.

Hardware, Paints and Oils, And FENCING of all kinds. Ladies' Goods BIG STOCK! ALL NEW!

HENRY MAMY JUST RECEIVED: A Fine Assortment of Combs, Brushes, Tooth Brushes, etc.

Central Book Store B. J. ELDERKIN. LOOK We have received a large lot of Spades & Shovels (Round and Square) Screen Wire Cloth And also a large stock of Grindstones R. SHIPLEY.

Cultivators This Cultivator is fitted with our Patent Expander, enabling the width to be instantly adjusted without stopping team. Fitted with the best American Steel Points. Price the lowest.

We are opening quantities of NEW GOODS Do you realize the Cotton situation? Raw Cotton selling around 16 cents per pound, and every possibility of it going to 20 cents per pound.

New Sheetings, New Prints, New Pillow Cottons, New Zephyrs and Gingham, New White Cottons, New Grey Cottons, Beautiful Cotton Waistings in Fancy Stripes, Chevots, Damasks, Matte and Hopsack Weaves.

Our Spring Stock is about complete, and notwithstanding the great advance in Cotton Goods our prices remain about the same.

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Consider Why it is that three students of other schools doing similar work have applied to us to secure their employment. It is simply this: They find that Maritime qualification is the standard in most offices.



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WEEKLY MONITOR

NEWS FROM ALL OVER THE COUNTY.

TUPPERVILLE.

Miss Willett, who recently returned from a pleasant health trip to the West Indies, is at present visiting her friends in Kings County.

The Smith brothers, whose home is in Grand Mans, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. John S. Bent.

Mr. T. B. Chapman is on a business trip to the south-west part of the province.

Our neighbors may be glad to learn that the Saturday to Monday excursion tickets into have been issued.

The schooner "Emma E. Potter," Capt. Andrew Wallace, is at Tupper's Creek, loading cordwood.

Mr. Marshall Hicks has in his possession an exceedingly fine coil, and we are informed that he has returned a number of good offers for its purchase.

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INGLISVILLE.

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Miss Estelle Banks, who has been spending the past year with friends in Massachusetts, arrived home on Saturday last.

Mrs. I. M. Baird, of Brookfield, Colchester County, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Banks, the last of the week, leaving Saturday for Brookfield on Monday.

Mr. Harry Deas and sister, Miss Beasle, came home from New Hampshire on Saturday.

Miss Annie Balcom, of Paradise, is visiting friends in this place.

Mr. Carmon Stockard has purchased the property formerly owned by Mrs. Martha Dunn.

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A. C. F. A. at Middleton.

The first annual meeting of the Annapolis County Farmers' Association under the new provincial organization scheme, was held at Middleton on June 8th.

A resolution was passed that the Board of Directors consist of one member from each ward in the county and one from each agricultural society within the district.

Directors were elected as follows: Ward 1—Col. S. Spurr, Melvern Square.

Ward 2—J. H. Hall, Middleton.

Ward 3—R. Leonard, Paradise.

Ward 4—H. I. Munro, Bridgetown.

Ward 5—Chas. Withers, Granville Centre.

Ward 6—R. H. Armstrong, Granville Ferry.

Ward 7—Stephen Thorne, Lower Granville.

Ward 8—Robert Spurr, Deep Brook.

Ward 9—Avarad Patterson, Clementsvalle.

Ward 10—Geo. Armstrong, Round Hill.

Ward 11—R. S. Heston, Bridgetown.

Ward 12—J. N. North, Badville.

Ward 13—C. B. Marshall, Palland Ridge.

Ward 14—A. D. Thomas, Milford.

Ward 15—J. J. Buckler, Dalhousie.

Ward 16—Stanley Duggles, Middleton.

Ward 17—Annapolis Royal Agricultural Society, F. E. Blandford.

Ward 18—Annapolis Royal Agricultural Society, A. J. Ives, Bridgetown.

Ward 19—Brookton Agricultural Society—A. D. Wilkins, Dal's Corner.

Ward 20—Claremont Agricultural Society—E. J. Elliott, Claremont.

Ward 21—Clemont Agricultural Society—L. C. Sproul, Clementsvalle.

Ward 22—Falkland Agricultural Society—D. S. Starnes, Falkland.

Ward 23—Granville Centre Agricultural Society—M. D. Bent, Granville Centre.

Ward 24—Laurie Agricultural Society—A. E. Gordon, Sja Springs.

Ward 25—Nictaux Agricultural Society—F. M. Chapman, Nictaux West.

Ward 26—Paradise Agricultural Society—H. A. Riversdale, Paradise.

Ward 27—Riversdale Agricultural Society—Fletcher or Parker, Bellisle.

Ward 28—Springfield Agricultural Society—J. C. Koop, Springville.

Ward 29—Stony Brook Agricultural Society—H. Westbury, Stony Brook.

Ward 30—Torbok Agricultural Society—A. B. Barker, South Farmington.

Ward 31—E. J. Elliott reported as representative to the N. S. Farmers Association.

A resolution was passed that all persons who have paid membership fees for 1904 be members until May 1st, 1905.

A resolution was passed endorsing the resolution of the provincial Farmers' Association to establish an experimental fruit station at western Nova Scotia.

A resolution was also passed asking the Provincial Farmers' Association to accept the invitation of the Middleton Board of Trade for the next meeting of the association.

At a subsequent meeting of the directors, the following officers were chosen: E. J. Elliott, president; W. H. Westbury, vice-president; R. J. Messenger, secretary; auditor, A. O. Price. The secretary was directed to communicate with directors having to ascertain if they would like to supplement the meeting.

There was a fairly large attendance at the afternoon to witness the operation of the government sprayer in charge of Inspector Vroom. After the spraying Messrs. A. V. McNeil, A. McNeil and R. W. Starr gave and address on spraying, pruning and tillage. The evening session was presided over by the N. S. Fruit Growers' Association, Col. Spurr, ex-president, presiding.

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NOTICE

Whereas my wife, Lucy A. Neaves, has left my bed and board, I therefore forbid all persons harboring or receiving her debts contracted by her.

ROBERT NEAVES, Port Lorne, May 25th, 1904.

Your Summer Hat or Bonnet

Should be selected early in order to secure the choicest designs and trimmings.

My New Stock is the largest and finest I have ever imported, and comprises the best productions of the season.

FOR SALE

Farm of 14 acres, including 5 acres of marsh, 200 apple trees, also plum, pear, cherry, peach trees and grape vines.

FOR SALE

Entire stock and good will of general business, situated in Kent River, consisting of a complete line of groceries, dry goods, boots and shoes, hardware and all merchandise necessary for the equipment of a general store.

Wall Papers

I have in stock a number of patterns of Artistic Wall Papers with borders to match. Parties intending to decorate their homes will find it to their advantage to communicate with me or my representative, as I am in a position to give bargains in this line for the next thirty days.

Page's Wire Fence

I still represent the celebrated Page Wire Fence Co., and will be pleased to quote prices on Page's Extra and Ornamental Lawn Fence; also Gates and Poultry Netting. Persons favoring the fence free of charge.

F. B. BISHOP, LAWRETON, N.S.

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Headquarters for all Eastman Goods. Films, Plates, Paper.

To any person purchasing a Camera from us, we give free instruction how to use same, and free use of Dark Room at any time.

KODAKS FROM \$1.00 UP.

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HELP WANTED

A man to care for an aged gentleman and assist with other things in general. For particulars apply at the Monitor Office.

Spring Goods

A complete assortment of newest patterns in Men's, Youths' and Boys' Suits, Hats and Caps, Negligee and Regatta Shirts, Men's Working Shirts, Overalls and Jumpers, Socks and Rubbers.

A. D. BROWN

Bridgetown, March 30th, 1904. The Handsome Young Stallion 'BLENHEIM' will stand at my stables for service during the present season.

FOR SALE

Blenheim is a dark bay, is three years old and is bred by individuals of high rank. He is bred by Messrs. J. H. Hicks & Sons, of Bridgetown, N. S.

Bone Meal

The best Commercial Fertilizer on the market. Expected next week, one car of Potato and Imperial Superphosphate.

J. H. LONGMIRE & SON

We have too big a stock of Spectacles and Eye Glasses on hand, and have decided to reduce the prices as follows:

Gold Plated Glasses, 10-year warranty, \$2.00, former price \$3.00.

Gold Plated Eye Glasses, 10-year warranty, \$1.75, former price \$2.50.

Nickel and Aluminum Glasses \$1.00 per pair, former price \$1.50.

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Fancy White Goods. Comprising Mattings, Piques, Ducks, etc., from 12c to 45c per yd.

Fancy Muslins and Cotton Voiles. From 8c to 45c per yd., in great variety.

Dress Goods. A large assortment—Volles, Cashmeres, Henriettes, Alpaca, Stellas, Serges, Broadcloths and M xed suitings. Trimmings to match.

Ladies' White Shirt Waists. From 90c to \$3.75 each.

Ladies' Cotton Wrappers. From 98c to \$1.68 each. Sizes 32 to 44 in bust.

Perrin's Genuine French Kid Gloves. We have just opened another lot of the above mentioned celebrated Kid Gloves. Colors: Modes, Tans, Greys and Blacks. Every pair guaranteed.

Undervests, Hose and Gloves. A full assortment of Ladies' Misse's and Children's Undervests, Hose and Fabric Gloves.

Ready-to-Wear Clothing. Men's, Youths' and Children's Ready-to-wear Clothing. We have an excellent range in these goods. Boys' Norfolk Suits from size 25, suitable for a boy of 7 years, to size 35, fitting a youth of 17. Be sure and see our Boys' Wash Suits, Blouses and Shirt Waists.

Men's Outing and Tennis Pants. In White Flannel, Fancy Stripes, Grey Homespun and White Duck. Fancy Wash Vests in Plain White, Stripes and Fancy Figure.

Men's Shirts. Men's Soft Bosom and Laundered Colored Shirts, in a great variety of colorings.

Men's Hats and Caps. The best assortment to be found in the town.

Lace Curtains. From 25c to \$5.50 per pair.

Oilcloths and Linooleums. 44, 64 and 84. A splendid variety.

Straw Mattings. From 12c to 50c per yd.

Ladies' Shower Proof Coats. Just opened, another lot of Ladies' Shower Proof Coats, comprising all the latest novelties.

Men's Summer Underwear, Bicycle Hose, Belts Collars, Cuffs, etc.

THE STOCK OF Summer Footwear

The People's Boot & Shoe Store. Most complete, and includes high grade goods of the best known manufacture—both Canadian and American.

Any one buying one dollar's worth of these goods has the privilege of guessing the number of beans in a quart jar to be seen at the store. The actual number will be given a handsome chair. By patronizing you get the best value for your money and have a chance for this handsome prize.

W. A. KINNEY.

PRIMROSE BLOCK, BRIDGETOWN.

Bridgetown Boot and Shoe Store

Has just received another 20 sides of prime Sole Leather which will be sold right. Weight from 18 to 24 lbs.

Also Men's Dongola Bals, \$1.60. Ladies' Dongola Oxfords, 75c, \$1.10, \$1.25 & \$1.35

Dressings

Packard's Special Box Calf Combination. Packard's Patent Leather Cream, which prevents Patent Leather from cracking.

Polishing Mitts

E. A. COCHRAN.

Murdoch's Block, Granville St., BRIDGETOWN.

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The crops you will raise depends largely on the kind of Seed you will sow.

Knowing this, I have secured a large variety of GARDEN and GRASS SEEDS from the most reliable seed houses.

You have Rennie's, Steele & Briggs' and Ferry's Seeds from which to make your selections.

This stock is offered at prices as low as the high standard of the stock will admit.

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Correspondence, Suggestions and Inquiries welcomed to these columns.

Meat on the Farm.

Department of Agriculture, Commissioner's Branch, Ottawa, June 2

Much valuable information regarding the lutechering, curing and keeping of meat is given in Farmers' Bulletin No. 183 of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, entitled "Meat on the Farm."

SELECTION OF ANIMALS. The author of the bulletin points out that in the selection of animals for meat health should be given first consideration.

BREEDING AND QUALITY. Quality in meat is largely dependent on the health and condition of the animal slaughtered, and yet the best quality of meat is rarely, if ever, obtained from poorly bred stock.

AGE FOR KILLING. Age affects the flavor and texture of the meat to quite an extent. It is a well known fact that meat from old animals is more likely to be tough than that from young ones.

PREPARATION OF ANIMALS FOR SLAUGHTER. An animal intended for slaughter should be kept off feed from twenty-four to thirty-six hours, otherwise it is impossible to thoroughly drain out the veins when the animal is bled, and a reddish colored, unattractive carcass will be the result.

Orange Meat. An ideal breakfast. It is a bilious attack, take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and a quick recovery is certain.

Meat on the Farm. We will soon be greeted once more by the small of the new morn'g hay, says the "Prairie Farmer."

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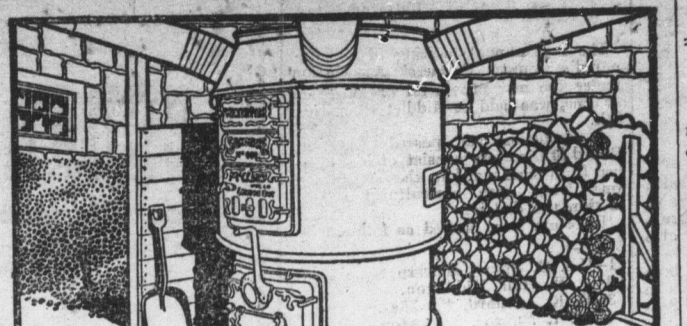
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MRS. J. E. BURNS. VALUABLE PREMIUMS. HAVE YOU NOTICED THE USEFUL PREMIUMS GIVEN WITH ORANGE MEAT?

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The Household.

BUT ONCE A CHILD. Other things being equal, it is the man or the woman who is longest a child who has the most complete personality in later years.

BEFORE A GIRL PROMISES. Whole hearted affection is, in the majority of cases, absolutely essential to married happiness.

THE SHEY WOMAN. To overcome shyness there is nothing on earth like giving a great deal into society, and every effort possible should be made to achieve this.

THE ART OF SERVING. Many a good meal has been spoiled by the appearance of the table and the manner in which the viands themselves were served.

NOTICE. ALL persons having any legal demands against the estate of ROBERT H. HULL, late of Port Jervis, County of Annapolis, deceased, will render the same duly attested within three months from date.

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Jokers' Corner.

HE OBEYED INSTRUCTIONS. "Now, papa," said the self-made millionaire's beautiful daughter, "when the shoo comes to your office to-day to ask you for me you must be careful when you speak to him to always 'your grace.'"

BEAT HIM AT EVERY POINT. Two candidates for office in Missouri were stumping the northern part of the State, and in one town their appearance was almost simultaneous.

SORRY HE SPOKE. Old Mr. Gardiner had a difference with the local grocer, and he openly avowed never to patronize the shop again.

THE DOCTOR. "Terrence, what is the doctor's diagnosis of your case?" "He hasn't told me yet, but I'm bettin' 'll be ivry cent an tin dollars."

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