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**Courage.**

Because I hold it sinful to despair,  
And will not let the bitterness of life  
Blind me with bitter tears, but look beyond  
Its tumult and its strife;  
Because I lift my head above the mist,  
Where the sun shines and the wind  
Blows every day and every rainy day  
That God's love doth bestow.

Think you I find no bitterness at all?  
No burden to be borne, like Christian's pack?  
Think you there are no ready tears to fall  
Because I keep them back?

Why should I hug life's ills with cold reserve,  
To curse myself and all who love me?  
A thousand times more good than I deserve  
God gives me every day.

And in each one of these rebellious tears  
Kept bravely back, He makes a rainbow shine;  
Grateful I take His slightest gift, no fears  
Nor any doubts are mine.

Dark ayes must close, and when the cloud is past,  
One golden day redemns a weary year;  
Patient I listen, sure that sweet at last  
Will sound His voice of cheer.

Then we are not with chiding. Let me see  
Thee, I must be glad and grateful to the end,  
I grieve you not your cold and darkness  
—Celia Thaxter.

### Choice Miscellany.

**Christmas and New Year Thoughts.**

It seems but yesterday since we laid  
farewell to the Christmas of '87, with  
all its joys and associations and blessed  
memories, and now another one is at  
our door. The seasons have passed  
quickly away—all too quickly. Winter,  
with its whitened earth; Spring, with  
its flush of blossoms and song of birds;  
Summer, with its flowers and sunshine;  
Autumn, "Season of mists and mellow  
fruitfulness"; and now we are within  
a few days of Christmas again—our  
Navy's Christmas, with its ideal winter  
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front—a score of us returning from our  
furloughs. People wonder over the  
strange actions of animals. Men are  
stranger—children uncreatable in many  
things. It was raw and dismal, with  
a cold rain falling at times and the  
gutters full of half-melted snow. We  
shivered in our warm clothing, and he  
picked our way over the wet spots as  
if our stout cavalry boots had not been  
to keep out the wet.

"Please take me!"

It was the voice of a child, and as I  
looked down he slipped his hand into  
mine. He was a lad of not more than  
ten, ragged, almost shoeless, without  
overcoat, and his tones betrayed hunger  
and suffering.

"I'll be so good, my hand I'll do  
anything you want me to do," he  
pleaded as he trotted beside me.

How queer! A child begging to  
go to the front, where grim-visaged  
war was making strong men tremble!  
And he was English. I tightened my  
grip on his hand as he trotted along  
and told me his story. His family had  
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tears on his cheek, he pleaded:

"Do take me, sir! If you don't  
I'll throw myself under the wheels  
and 'ave done with it!"

### Have the privilege of raising the maidens under it.

Oh, ye Pates! why  
have we no maidens in this country?  
And in England the Waits still go  
from house to house on Christmas  
eve singing carols. Apropos of carol-  
singing, as Bishop Taylor says, the  
"Gloria in Excelsis" sung by the  
angels to the shepherds at our Lord's  
Nativity was the earliest Christmas  
carol. George Herbert has some  
beautiful lines on this event:

"The shepherds sing, and shall I silent be?  
My God, no hymn for thee!  
My soul's a shepherd too, a flock it  
feeds—  
Of thoughts and words, and deeds.  
The pasture is Thy word, the streams  
Thy grace.  
Enriching all the place,  
Shepherd and flock shall sing, and all  
my powers  
Outsing the daylight hours.

An old English superstition taught  
that oxen were always found on their  
knees on Christmas eve, as it was said  
that an ox and an ass were present  
when "the child was born," and fell  
upon their knees in suppliant posture.  
We must not omit to mention the  
beautiful notion which represents the  
cock crowing all night long on Christ-  
mas night, and by its vigilance dispelling  
every kind of evil influence, and  
which has been so graphically described  
by Shakespeare—

"Some say that ever 'gainst the season  
comes  
Wherewith Saviour's birth is celebrated,  
The bird of dawnning angels all night  
long;  
And they they say, no spirit dare stir  
abroad;  
The nights are wholesome, then no  
planets strike,  
No fairy takes, nor witch hath power to  
charm,  
So hallow'd and so gracious is the time."

Howison, in his "Sketches of Upper  
Canada," relates how he met an Indian  
at midnight, on Christmas eve, during  
a beautiful moonlight, cautiously  
creeping along, and halting him to  
silence, saying at the same time, "Me  
watches to see the deer kneel, this is  
Christmas night, and all the deer fall  
upon their knees to the Great Spirit, and  
look up." Oh, wonderful and mighty  
One! who since his birth—has all these  
intervening centuries, has been such a  
power among men—the influence of  
His life ennobling theirs; elevating  
their thoughts; keeping them from  
falling, and when having fallen, help-  
ing them to "rise on stepping-stones of  
their dead selves to higher things." We  
do not celebrate the birthday of  
Napoleon, the world's greatest general,  
nor Shakespeare's, the world's greatest  
poet; nor Alexander's, the world's greatest  
conqueror; but all the Christian world  
commemorates the birthday of the  
Christ-Child, who was cradled in a  
manger, and who was afterward cruci-  
fied among thieves. The memory of  
it has not faded during eighteen hun-  
dred years.

Christmas is also the season of the  
year best loved by the children, for did  
not the Master say, "Suffer the little  
children to come unto me, and forbid  
them not, for of such is the kingdom  
of Heaven?"

I pity the children of parents who  
think it wrong to allow them to believe  
in Santa Claus. I know it was the  
saddest period of my childhood when  
my belief in him was forced to slip  
away with the years, and I know that  
he was only a myth. Therefore, let  
them keep their illusions as long as  
they can; they will vanish soon enough  
among the stern realities of a work-a-  
day world. What great pleasure  
would there be to them in the approach  
of Christmas were it not for their  
belief in Santa Claus—who is to them  
a symbol of what our Heavenly Father  
is to his other children—the giver of  
every good and perfect gift.

Soon the tones of the Christmas  
bells will fall upon our ears, again  
recalling the angel's song so exquisitely  
described by Luke:—"There were  
shepherds keeping watch over their  
flocks, by night, when, lo, the angel of  
the Lord stood about them; and sud-  
denly there was with them a multitude  
of the heavenly host praising God,  
and saying, Glory to God in the highest,  
on earth peace, good-will toward men!"

"Perhaps the self-same song that found  
a path  
Through the dark heart of Ruth, when,  
sick for home,  
She stood in tears amid the alien corn."  
The words of this beautiful song pen-  
etrate into every heart and home in  
the land, bringing a message of joy to

### all, and the blessed knowledge that peace on earth comes only from good-will to men.

When Christmas is over we begin  
to realize more clearly that the Old  
Year is quickly slipping away, "like a  
leaf on the current east." Some of us  
will relinquish it very reluctantly. To  
the young the past year has seemed  
very long, and the New Year is wel-  
come because it is fraught with that  
mystery which enshrouds the future—  
for youth is a season of anticipation.  
But to the old, who live in the past,  
the death of the year awakens feelings  
of sad self-deepings that sometimes  
lie too deep for tears!

Some will be loath to part with the  
old year because, perhaps, they have  
found in it their greatest happiness.  
To others it will be sacred because  
someone whom they loved has gone to  
brighter worlds, and, as they feel the  
year slipping away, they long more  
intensely than ever "for the touch of a  
vanished hand and the sound of a  
voice that is still."

The thoughts of many are with  
loved ones abroad who are roaming  
o'er the world of waters, or "with  
strangers housed in foreign lands,"  
and you listen to the New Year bells  
with the varied emotions that people  
feel at such a time—when they realize  
that the old year has gone. Gone  
with its joys and sorrows, pleasures  
and pain; gone with its crushed ambi-  
tions and hopes fulfilled; its opportu-  
nities that can never come again.

"With all its joyousness we cannot  
keep the minor strain from running  
through the Season's music.

"In the merry yule-tide madness  
There's a minor note of sadness  
Crying out amid the gladness—  
"Happy parting year, Good-bye!"  
But our joy shall not be lessened  
In the joyous hopeful present,  
And we'll smile a welcome pleasant  
On the year that's yet to try."  
—MISS HATTIE McLELLAN in the  
Hunts Journal Christmas Number.

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### It was against orders, but I smuggled him into the car with me, and next morning he entered our camp blacked up as a little darkey.

I had a  
tent to myself, being a commissary  
sergeant, and nothing was said about  
my having a "contraband" for a ser-  
vant. When little Jack blossomed out  
as white as a pappy, and appeared in  
a blue uniform made by my own hands,  
there was some growling at company  
headquarters, but he was allowed to  
stay.

And that's the way I found Little  
Jack, and that's the way we became  
fast friends—aye! brothers. There-  
after, for a year, the lad was a child  
of the regiment. I taught him to dis-  
tinguish the calls of the bugle, and the  
various commands, and to ride, and  
where the regiment went Jack went.  
When he had no horse the company  
wagon was open to him, and when  
there was danger we saw to it that he  
was placed in safety. A dozen officers  
tried to get the boy away from me—  
coaxing and trying to bribe, but it was  
as use. His invariable reply was:

"Why, 'e's my big brother, you  
know, hand 'ow could I go hand  
do it?"

I know I tried to be a father to  
Little Jack. He'd have gone far  
astray but for my teachings. I know  
that I kept his feet from evil paths  
and that is my consolation to-day as I  
write these lines through my tears.

### EVE THE SECOND.

Christmas Eve has come again. I  
was on picket at the front. It was a  
stinging cold night, and my horse shiv-  
ered with cold as I sat on him under a  
Virginia pine which moaned and com-  
plained as the wintry winds swept  
through its branches. Little Jack had  
been with me, stopping at the reserve  
picket, but that day had returned to  
quarters with a toamster. He was  
there when the mail came in. I had  
applied for a furlough, intending to  
take the boy home with me and put  
him in school. It had been granted.  
He was so delighted, and so anxious  
to bring me the news first of all, that  
he started out on foot just at dark to  
walk the two miles.

I suppose Heaven had so willed it,  
or it would not have come to pass that  
way. In the cold and storm and dark-  
ness Little Jack lost his way. When he  
finally approached our pickets it was  
from the direction of the Confederates.  
Was it instinct that led him to come  
so close to me? He was approaching  
the picket on my left, a coward at  
heart and afraid of his own shadow.  
He was halted and the wind bore his  
childish voice down to me as he an-  
swered:

"Don't shoot—hit's little Jack!"

But the picket did shoot, and the  
report of his carbine was mingled with  
a death cry. I hurried forward, my  
heart beating to suffocate me, and  
presently I found the lad lying at the  
edge of the bushes. He was not dead  
yet. As I lifted him up and hugged  
him to me and kissed his cold face, he  
whispered in my ear:

"Hit's hall over with me! Let me  
kiss you good-bye!"

And there, under the moaning pines,  
and on this our anniversary, and with  
the snow-flakes falling upon his face as  
if to cover his expression of agony, the  
lad's life went out and I was brother-  
less forever more.—M. QUAD, in De-  
troit Free Press.

### A Nightmare.

In the swaling swirl of the mournful  
wind, as the gust goes glooming by, I  
sit by the bole of a bournful birch,  
with a moan and a soulful sigh;  
The mellowing mists of the eve are low,  
and the frog in the dankful marsh  
chirps chirpingly sad in the ghoul-  
some gloom, in a swivering voice and  
harsh:

O, where is the swing of the swoonful  
swish,  
And the voice of the flim flam fowl?  
Methinks it moans from the murky mold,  
From the home of the hootful owl.

Now swirl me swift from the sur-  
ging spring, I'm weary of wold and  
wind; the growsome graik of the jab  
berweck comes jimmering to my mind;  
the foebie song of the spoutsome frog  
comes solemnwise soughing slow, and  
again I hear by the bournful birch  
the wail of his wimplid woe:

O, where is the swing of the swoonful  
swish,  
From the lane of the springful spout?  
Must the blue mist blur on the tickler's  
drail?  
And freight with their traugh, my  
soul?

### I dreamed, I dreamed of Amelie Rives, in the dim of the dankome dark, and methought I rode on a moon-light main, in the prow of a palfull bark.

I wrought a rhyme as I rolled  
along, in the stream of the starful  
glot; I awoke at dawn in the dimpled  
day, and above is the rhyme I wrote.

Empress Victoria of Germany and  
her mother, Queen Victoria, are at  
Windsor together, and spend a great  
deal of time playing chess. Queen  
Victoria who was a celebrated player in  
the old days, and used easily to beat  
her husband, the Prince Consort, is  
no match for her daughter, the German  
Empress, who has made the game a  
study, and flouts it the only consolation  
for her loneliness.

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original color. As a dressing for the  
hair, this preparation has no equal.  
—Mary N. Hammond, Stillwater, Minn.

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hair, may be preserved for an indefinite period  
by the use of Ayer's Hair Vigor. As the  
case of the scalp caused my hair to be  
come harsh and dry, and to fall out  
freely. Nothing I tried seemed to do  
any good until I commenced using  
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this preparation restored my hair to a  
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THE ACADIAN.

WOLFVILLE, N. S., DEC. 28, 1888

WE WISH OUR PATRONS AND FRIENDS A PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR.

1888.

In taking a brief retrospective glance at the saliences of the year now closing...

The death-roll of the year includes two German Emperors, while literature and science have suffered irreparable loss...

The year has witnessed another Presidential election in the United States and it is fortunate for the credit of civilization and Christianity that they occur so often...

In Canadian history, 1888 will not occupy a very important position. The advent of a new General, the refusal of the United States Senate to ratify the fishery treaty...

Acadia College.

RHETORICAL EXHIBITION OF THE JUNIOR CLASS.

As year after year rolls by history is supposed to repeat itself. That which is now has been; that which has been will be again.

The captain's death is most touching. The poem was well delivered, and held the audience as if spell-bound.

In dreamland that night were heard the revolutionary roar of French cannon, the shriek of the hurricane, the boom of the breakers, crashes of applause and despairing wails...

Acadia's president, the Rev. Dr. Sawyer, presided, and on the platform on each side of him the Faculty sat.

C. A. Eaton at once captured the audience, eyes and ears, by his handsome appearance, and clear, deep voice.

C. H. Minard showed us that Tennyson was not altogether like Browning. The "Idylls of the King" is Tennyson's most ambitious work, surpassing even "In Memoriam."

W. A. Payzant, dentist, has just returned from dental college and is prepared to do finer work than ever.

After a good song well sung by Mr. Shaw, H. T. Waring was called upon, subject, "The Relation of Ancient and Modern Flora."

N. A. McNeill sturdily stepped forward, and eloquently championed the cause of Robert Burns, whose poetry he said was excelled by none...

The next thing on the programme was "Music," and the audience, expecting a song, was agreeably surprised by the appearance of Miss M. Fitch, violin in hand.

Miss Jackson presented a critique on "The King and the Book." She discussed the characters, dwelling on the pure and patient Pompilia.

D. H. McQuarrie entertained us with a philosophical account of the "French Revolution," looking at it morally, religiously and politically.

Misses Brown and Wallace next gave a duet, which it is needless to say—their very names being a guarantee—everybody enjoyed.

W. W. Chipman was the last speaker. A few years ago on Christmas eve a schooner was wrecked on the Fundy shore somewhere near Margarettville.

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Every one interested in growing fruits, flowers or in forestry would find it to their advantage to take the Canadian Horticulturist, a beautiful monthly journal of high standing, devoted entirely to these subjects...

It is published by The Fruit Growers Association of Ontario, at \$1 per annum which also entitles the subscriber to the privileges of membership of the Association including a copy of the Annual Report of the meetings and discussions given verbatim, and a share in the distribution of trees and plants for testing in various parts of Ontario.

Subscriptions should be sent to L. Wolverson, M. A., Grimsby, Ont., Secretary of the F. G. A. of Ontario.

Temperance.

Extracts from an Address delivered at Digby, N. S., Dec. 19th, under the auspices of the Good Templars' Lodge, by Rev. M. R. Shaw, D. D.

We do not like the thought of death; to all the world, Christians and those not Christians alike, there is great repugnance in the thought of decay.

Pure alcoholic liquors will intoxicate and the habitual use of them will undermine and destroy the whole nervous system, but there is nothing in pure liquor to set a man suddenly mad as the vile stuff people drink nowadays will do.

The Free Press is without question the Greatest Literary and Humorous paper now before the American people.

Prices for the three Best Serial Stories of 50,000 words each. A number of the best writers have announced their intention to compete.

Three Serial Stories Each Week, written expressly for The Free Press by the best American and English authors.

By Order L. De V. Chipman, Clerk of Council. Kentville, Dec. 6th, 1888.

NOTICE!

To whom it may concern:—There are a number of accounts still remaining unpaid to Western Book & News Co., late of Wolfville.

A reward of Five Dollars will be paid to any person who will give such information as will lead to the arrest and conviction of the party who stole a horse out of my stable on the early morning of Christmas day and turned it loose on Gaspareau Mountain.

DESIRABLE PROPERTY FOR SALE AT WOLFVILLE!

The beautifully-situated property owned by the subscriber and formerly the residence of the late Dr. H. O. McLatchy, consisting of commodious dwelling house of modern design, stable and coach house, tennis and croquet lawns, fine garden, thoroughly stocked with choice fruit and ornamental trees and shrubs, together with one acre of fine dike adjoining.

The garden and dike now produce sufficient to yield 4 per cent. on the entire purchase money asked, and are capable of largely increasing that amount in a short time.

For further particulars apply to J. S. DODD, 20-1 mo. Wolfville, N. S.

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To Benefit Our Subscribers.

THE ACADIAN is pleased to announce the completion of special arrangements whereby it is enabled to offer its readers two of the best family journals for but little more than the price of one.

FOR \$1.50

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Municipal Council.

Municipal Councillors are notified to attend Council on the second Tuesday, the 8th of January next, at 10 o'clock, a. m., at the Court House, Kentville.

By Order L. De V. Chipman, Clerk of Council. Kentville, Dec. 6th, 1888.

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Dressmaking!

Miss Taylor, Dress Maker, Has removed her rooms to the residence of Mr. J. L. Murphy, where she will be pleased to attend to the wants of her customers as formerly.

ONE CARLOAD

No. 1 & No. 2 Berwick Shingles, ALSO, A small lot each of No. 1 Pine and No. 1 Rived Shingles. WALTER BROWN.

Don't Forget

THE GRAND XMAS BAZAAR AT THE Wolfville Bookstore.

Presents and Toys of Every Description! CHEAPEST PLACE IN THE COUNTY TO BUY!

Cup and Saucers, Vases, Fancy China Ware, &c., &c. ROCKWELL & CO.

Snell's Pen Art School and Business College.

THROUGH COURSE IN THREE MONTHS, \$20. Short, sharp, practical instruction by the rapid method, entirely new. RAPID WRITING pupils write THREE TIMES faster than by ordinary slow systems.

S. G. SNELL

Instructor in Penmanship and Drawing at the Collegiate School, Kings College, and will give 25 Lessons in Rapid Writing by Mail for \$3.

If You Want The Very Best Quality

ALL KINDS OF GROCERIES

GO TO C. H. WALLACE'S

Wolfville, Nov 11th, '87

L. J. DONALDSON, BREEDER OF PURE BRED

LIGHT BRAHMAS & WYANDOTTES.

Stock for sale at all times. PORT WILLIAMS, N. S.

Burpee Witter

Announces his Fall and Winter stock Complete.

Particular attention is called to his large stock of ENGLISH WORSTEDS, PANTINGS, SCOTCH TWEEDS, CANADIAN TWEEDS & NOVA SCOTIA CLOTHS.

EXTRA VALUES in Ladies' Fur and Astrichan Capes, Jersey and Curly Jackets.

EXTRA VALUES in Men's Underclothing and Top Shirts.

EXTRA VALUES in Fleecy Cottons, Fancy Wincies, and Dress H'elltons.

LATEST STYLES IN FALL AND WINTER MILLINERY. WANTED..GOOD TABLE BUTTER, EGGS, DRIED APPLES & YARN.

Port Williams House.

We are showing a choice range of Ladies' Dress Goods from 10c upward.

Ladies' Ulster Cloths! Good patterns and close figures.

Grey Flannels! At figures not to be beaten.

CLOTHING! In Suits and Overcoats that command a sale not only for low prices but also extra cuts.

Knit Goods! In Shirts and Drawers at startling low prices.

Boots and Shoes! Solid Stock and Low Prices.

RUBBER GOODS! We carry only American goods and warrant them. Ladies' and Men's Overboots asperity.

HORSE BLANKETS FROM 65c A call will convince all as to our low prices and square dealings.

CHASE, CAMPBELL & CO., Port Williams, Oct. 18th, '88.

Harrison's Excelsior Dyes!

Are the best Dyes made and will dye more than any dyes used, package for package, and are fast taking the place of all other Dyes made; will dye everything and anything.

Sole Agent for Kings Co, Kentville, N. S.

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SIMSON'S LINIMENT Has taken the lead, and is the best preparation ever offered to the people of CANADA for the RELIEF and CURE of RHEUMATISM, SCIATICA, NEURALGIA, CATARRH, CUTS, BRUISES, SWELLINGS, SCALD HEAD, COLIC, DYSPEPSIA, CONTRACTIONS OF THE MUSCLES, LAME BACK, DYPHTHERIA, SORE THROAT, TENDER FEET, CORNS, STIFF JOINTS, &c.

FOR DISTEMPER in HORSES, ENLARGED JOINTS and other diseases, incidental to these useful animals, it is unrivalled. Certificates are constantly being received telling of the good work performed by

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"Dairy Prince."

This handsome and highly bred Ayshire Bull will stand at his owner's stable, Wolfville, for stock purposes, for the sum of \$1, at time of service.

"DAIRY PRINCE" was dropped Oct. 21st, 1887, and was sired by a thoroughbred Ayshire of a good-milking family.

C. W. Fitch, Wolfville, Dec. 5th, 1888. 3 mo.

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Xmas Presents

The prize-drawing numbers were: No. 23, 1 Basket of Tea; No. 97, 1 Set Dinner Knife. Customers holding these numbers will please present them to

R. Prat.

December 27th, 1888.

THE ACADIAN.

WOLFVILLE, N. S., DEC. 28, 1888

Local and Provincial.

CALENDAR.—A pretty calendar for 1889 comes from J. P. Cox, Miller's agent, Halifax, for which we return thanks.

THE PRIZES.—The Voice, the new paper just started by the Third Party of Nova Scotia, is to hand. It is small but promises to double its size as soon as it gets well under way. The first number is a good one and the Voice should find a place in every home. We wish it well.

DATE AND FEED; LIME, \$1 50 per cask at Pratt's.

A GOOD BUSINESS.—The output of Messrs E. D. Davison & Sons' mill on the Little River for this present year was 10,500,000 feet. This with 5,000,000 cut and purchased by them in Queens county, makes over 15,500,000 feet of lumber handled by this firm during the year.

ARMED HAND MADE LONG BOOTS at Borden's, Wolfville.

SHOOTING MATCH.—Quite an exciting shooting match was had on Christmas day by some of our local sportsmen. It was participated in by quite a large number and some good shooting was done. We pride ourselves on having some good shots. What about the club which was formed here some time ago?

CURIOSITY.—We were presented last week with a curiosity in the shape of an apple by Mr Fred Angus, of this place. The apple was picked from a gravenstein tree and instead of having its usual color of a gravenstein it had two distinct colors, dark brown and cream—which were divided into quarters as evenly as the quarters of an orange. The apple was as pretty as it was odd.

Call at Borden's and get prices on underwear; cheaper than ever before.

HORSE STOLEN.—On Monday night last the stable of J. B. Davison, Esq., was entered and his horse stolen therefrom. No tidings was heard from the animal till Wednesday, when it was found in a pasture on the South Mountain and returned to the owner. It is supposed some person made use of the horse to get home and then allowed it to go. It will probably be an expensive ride for him.

Xmas Cards in great variety at Rockwell & Co's.

FIRE.—The store occupied by Wm Stevens, at Port Williams, was totally consumed by fire on Wednesday morning. The fire was first noticed about 4 o'clock by Messrs McMonnigle and Lockwood, who were then returning home from a party. The fire is supposed to have been the work of an incendiary as the door leading to the cellar was broken open and the fire kindled in an ante-room from which a stair led to the upper part of the building. Most of the contents were saved and there was no insurance on the building. The loss is about \$1000.

PARISH OF HORTON.—New Year's eve and New Year's day services: In St James' Church, Kentville, a service will be held on Monday night next, Dec. 31st, at eleven o'clock. This service will close shortly after the opening of the new year. In St John's church, Wolfville, a service will be held on Tuesday morning next, January 1st, 1889, at eleven o'clock. The offerings at both the services will be for the board of home missions of Nova Scotia, by the aid of which the ministrations of the English church are sustained in many of the poorer missions of the diocese of Nova Scotia.

DOLLS! DOLLS!—Just opened at Rockwell & Co's an immense stock of Dolls, all prices from 5 cents to \$1.

SAD DEATH.—A young colored man, named Millard Smith, came to a sad death at Millard on Friday last. On the morning of that day he went to the woods with his team for a load of wood, saying he would return by noon. On his falling to put in an appearance by 3 o'clock in the afternoon, search was made for him and he was found lying under his wagon dead. The indications showed that he had over-exerted himself in some way and had burst a blood-vessel and died to death. He was a young man about 25 years of age and unmarried. In the community he was greatly respected as was shown by the large attendance at the funeral which took place on Sunday.

WORTH KNOWING.—You can get a fine China Cup, Saucer and Plate for 35 cents at Rockwell & Co's.

JUST RECEIVED.—The finest lot of Hanging Lamps in the county at B. G. Bishop's.

MORE XMAS GOODS.—Just opened fine assortment Vases, all prices. ROCKWELL & CO.

See the Yankee Lantern for 75c at B. G. Bishop's.

WE DESIRE

To call particular attention to our stock of

FANCY SLIPPETS,

For Ladies' and Gents' Wear.

OUR GENTS' FURNISHING DEPARTMENT

never was so complete before, comprising Neck Ties, Silk and Cashmere Mufflers, Gloves, Underwear, Top Shirts. Please call and examine stock before you buy.

C. H. Borden, Wolfville.

Sabbath School Concert.

A very successful concert was held by the Sabbath school on the Mountain, just above Sheffield's Mills, on Sunday the 23d. The building in which the school is held from Sabbath to Sabbath is quite too small, even for ordinary use. But on Sabbath last, by much crowding and much patience, a large number of people obtained seating. The concert was conducted by Mr Wm Farnham, who about six months ago, organized the school there and who has been very persevering in his efforts to sustain it in a healthy condition ever since.

The concert consisted of singing, recitations, etc., as is usual in such exercises. In these both the children and the adult members of the school took part, and in a manner very creditable to themselves. The best of order and decorum prevailed through the long service. Several visitors from the Valley addressed the school towards the close of the exercises and expressed themselves much pleased at the good that was evident as the result of the efforts being put forth in the school. Mr Farnham is much beloved by the school he has gathered around him and is certainly doing a good work there. The school numbers about 65 members and maintains a highly average attendance.

Dec. 26, '88.

Christmas-Tree.

The young people of Gasperau had a Christmas tree on Monday evening. The entertainment was very enjoyable. The literary part of the performance consisted of recitations, readings and dialogues, interspersed with music. After the singing of the piece, "Gather round the Christmas-tree, the curtain was removed and the tree itself was revealed laden with more costly fruitage than is usually found upon the larger apple-trees of the Valley. Next upon the scene appeared a very pleasant and venerable-looking personage with twinkles dangling at his sides, some of which he distributed around to a favored few of the older children. With a few well-chosen words to the audience, he proceeded to relieve the tree of its burden to the great satisfaction of many happy recipients of his favors. The proceeds, we understand, go to the replenishing of the Sabbath-school library and amounted to \$24.64.

Christmas Issues.

The Halifax Critic issued a neat Christmas supplement. The issue is devoted chiefly to advertising, but contains several fine illustrations and some good reading matter.

The Christmas supplement of the Hants Journal fully sustains in typographical appearance the reputation of that paper. It is printed on tinted paper and contains many excellent contributions from local writers.

The Maple Leaf, Albert, N. B., always issues a good Christmas number and this year the issue is by no means below those of previous years. The number is double size and contains thirty-six columns of interesting matter contributed by well-known writers. The effort is a very creditable one.

The Youth's Companion Christmas number is a literary gem. No wonder this paper is so popular when such pains are taken to make it so. Some of the best literary talent in the world contribute to its columns. The Companion is probably the best paper of its kind published.

Will some of the Kings county Couriers inform the rate payers by what authority or law the Town of Kentville has taken out of the school money of the county more than \$900 since they have been incorporated. HAREFATER.

A magnificent lot of Crockery & Glass consisting of China Tea Sets, Colored Tea Sets, Fancy Goods, &c., &c., also a full line of Tinware just received and being opened at B. G. Bishop's.

JUST IN.—Hanging Paint, Carriage Paints, leads, glass, &c., &c., for sale at B. G. Bishop's.

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BERWICK TIMES.

NEWS, NOTES, JOTTINGS, ETC.

Rev. D. O. Parker is our representative in Berwick, and is prepared to take orders for job printing and advertising. We are constantly adding to our plant, and will give prompt attention to all work. Get our prices.

HOLIDAYS.—The holidays have brought spring weather and roads as well as our boys from College. We hope our students from Wolfville will enjoy the time.

BEAN SUPPER.—Thursday evening found quite a crowd gathered in Ella's Hall. The fancy table was well patronized. Over seventy dollars were realized.

CHRISTMAS.—Christmas services were held in the Methodist and Baptist churches in the morning, and in the English church in the evening. The latter church was tastefully decorated.

SUDDEN DEATH.—Mr Henry Morris, of Wolfville, died suddenly Sunday evening, at his residence. She was sitting in the room with her family when they wondered at her long silence and going to her found her dead.

MISBORN BIRD SALE.—In spite of the dark night, the Methodist vestry was quite well filled on Christmas Eve. The tree and fancy table looked very pretty and proved the industry and taste of the fair "band." Nearly forty dollars were realized.

Dr Crawley.

RESOLUTION PASSED BY WOLFVILLE BAPTIST CHURCH.

In connection with the death of Dr Crawley, we desire to place on record our sense of the great value of his labors and example as a faithful servant of Jesus Christ in this community. While his chief object during the many years of his residence here was to make our denominational college efficient and successful, he uniformly manifested a deep interest in the welfare of his church and the spiritual good of the people in this village. His earnest and faithful discourses from the pulpit and his affectionate and impressive addresses in our social meetings were always highly prized by all who heard them, and, without doubt, they have very largely contributed towards the church's success in this place. At the same time the warm Christian sympathy, natural dignity and child-like humility which characterized Dr Crawley, endeared him to all who knew him in the varied relations of private life.

While we deplore our loss, we gratefully acknowledge the grace of God in continuing our brother so long in useful service among us, and cherish the hope that the memory of his concentrated talents and pure example may stimulate many others to increased fidelity in Christian labor.

We tender our deepest sympathy to the bereaved family, and pray that the blessing of God, in great measure may rest on them all.

Dr J. R. McLean, who confines his practice to the Eye, Ear, Throat, and the different forms of catarrhal diseases, is now in Kentville and will remain for several weeks. Those desiring advice or treatment should call early that there may be time for such treatment as may be necessary.

Choice Labrador herring in 1/2 barrel at Pratt's.

JUST IN.—100 casks Greenhead lime for sale low, B. G. Bishop.

Buy your Gift Caps and Banners at Rockwell's. Best assortment, lowest prices.

Married.

RANSFORD-LIBLEY.—At Weston, N. S., on the 25th of Dec., by the Rev. E. O. Read, Mr Fred H. Ransford and Miss May B. Libley, daughter of the late W. C. Libley, Esq., of the above named place.

BUTLER-MANOR.—At the Baptist parsonage, Canada, Dec. 25th, by Rev. S. B. Kempton, Robert A., son of Amos Butler, Esq., and Annie, daughter of the late David Manor, Esq., of Cornwallis.

BOYDEN-BUTLER.—At the same time and place, by the Rev. S. B. Kempton, Elmer N. Boyden of Foxboro, Mass., and Esther, youngest daughter of Amos Butler, Esq., of Cornwallis.

JARVIS-WRIGHT.—At Wolfville, Dec. 19th, by Rev. T. A. Higgins, Charles H. Jarvis and Minnie Wright, both of Wolfville.

Died.

BISHOP.—At New Minas, Dec. 14th, Sophia A., wife of Adelbert Bishop, aged 44 years.

EATON.—At her father's home, on the evening of the 25th, after a long illness born with great patience and fortitude, Clara, youngest daughter of H. K. Eaton, Esq., of Centerville, Cornwallis.

New Goods, New Goods!

The largest and best assorted stock of Dry Goods & Gents' Furnishings ever shown in Wolfville.

I would invite every intending purchaser to call and examine my stock and prices before purchasing elsewhere.

NO TROUBLE TO SHOW GOODS!

All kinds of country produce taken in exchange for goods.

O. D. HARRIS,

Glasgow House, Wolfville.

Wolfville, Sept. 26th, 1888.

NO DOUBT

The turn that the Presidential election has taken is very "Harrison" to the feelings of our neighboring Democrats. But there is nothing harrassing in the thought that you can buy good goods at good prices, and goodness knows you may buy them right at 999 Main St., Wolfville.

B. G. BISHOP!

The largest stock of China Tea-sets. The largest stock of Crockery and Glass. The largest stock of Table and Hand Lamps. The largest stock of Hanging and Bracket Lamps. The largest stock of Vases and Fancy Crockery. The largest stock of Tinware, Woodware. The largest stock of Coal Scuttles, Fire Sets, Shovels. The largest stock of Hardware and Builders' Stock. The largest stock of Paints, Oils, Varnishes. The largest stock of Window Glass, Putty, Brushes. The largest stock of Artists' Materials. The largest stock of Room Papers, and Borderings. The largest stock in the County.

Greenhead Lime, Calcined Plaster in stock. Four gallons Mayflower Kerosene for \$1 cash. A fine stock at Low Prices for Cash.

Your Servant,

B. G. BISHOP.

Christmas! Xmas!

If not too previous, we have much pleasure in wishing our customers

A VERY MERRY XMAS!

and would couple with the wish a request that you would come and examine our stock of

Fancy and Useful Xmas Presents!

We are showing a large variety of

Fancy Chairs, (in Rattan.) Fancy Carpet Rockers, Easy Chairs, Office Chairs,

Suitable for presents for somebody's husband or wife.

ALSO

FANCY TABLES, WORK STANDS, UMBRELLA RACKS, FIVE O'CLOCK TEA TABLES, ETC.

Fancy Plush and Hair-cloth Parlor Suites, Turkish and Tapestry Rugs, Mirrors, Hand Glasses, &c.

Any one seeking a useful Xmas present will do well to call.

ADDITIONAL!

Having bought out a large stock of samples we are prepared to give splendid bargains in Ladies' Under Vests, Towels in Damask and Huck. Also a large lot of Cloaks and Dresses, which will positively be sold less than cost. Now is the time to buy.

CALDWELL & MURRAY,

Wolfville, N. S., Dec. 12th, 1888

WANTED.—Five Tons Good Dry Apples at 5c.—One Ton Butter at 20c.



I WANT THE WORLD POSTED

On my methods of doing business. They are not common, they are unique and are founded on strict business philosophy. Many merchants take care of Number One and their care stops there.

I TAKE NUMBER TWO INTO PARTNERSHIP WITH NUMBER ONE, and I make the interests of Number Two of equal importance with my own.

With all this I aim to be the LEADER IN LOW PRICES, and I am ready to PAINT THE EARTH RED

with the statement that I will not be undersold. I shall continue to sell the best goods at The Best Prices (but for Number Two, remember) and I invite you to test my stock and see if my word is not good, right down to the dotlet on the I.

H. S. Dodge, the Leading Dry Goods, Clothing, Hat and Cap Man in Kentville.

WE WANT AGENTS

to canvass for subscribers to the AMERICAN AGRICULTURIST, the great Rural Magazine. In our annual premium list just issued we illustrate and offer 200 useful and valuable premiums which are given those sending subscribers or we pay a cash commission, as may be preferred. In addition to the premiums or cash commission allowed, canvassers for every club of subscribers procured we offer

\$2250 IN SPECIAL PRIZES,

to be presented the 221 Agents securing the 221 largest clubs of subscribers to the AMERICAN AGRICULTURIST before March 1st, 1889.

Table listing prizes for subscribers: \$650 Fisher Boudier upright Piano for the largest club 300, \$200 in cash for the second largest club 150, \$150 in cash for the third largest club 150, \$150 Keystone Organ for the fourth largest club 125, \$125 Bradley two-wheeler for the fifth largest club 100, \$100 in cash for the sixth largest club 100, \$50 each for the next two largest clubs 75, \$15 each for the next three largest clubs 100, \$10 each for the next ten largest clubs 250, \$5 each for the next fifty largest clubs 150, \$3 each for the next fifty largest clubs 150, \$2 each for the next hundred largest clubs 200.

221 SPECIAL PRIZES TO THE AMOUNT OF \$2250

Remember these special prizes will be presented in addition to the premiums or commission allowed for every club of subscribers procured.

It makes no difference how large or how small the club is, the persons sending the largest number of subscriptions before March 1st will receive the first prize of a \$650 piano; the person sending the second largest club will receive \$200 in cash and so on for the balance of the prizes.

You cannot work for a better publication than the AMERICAN AGRICULTURIST. Its superior excellence, together with its great reputation gained by nearly fifty years of continuous publication, make it one of the easiest journals to canvass for. All our premiums will be carried out in every respect, and you can rely on receiving good treatment.

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At Wolfville one week each month beginning first Monday. Nov. 5th to 10th; Dec. 3d to 8th.

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Lewis Rice.

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IN ORDER THAT HIS PATRONS MAY SUPPLY THEMSELVES WITH NEW AND FASHIONABLE GOODS AT BANKRUPT PRICES,

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OFFERS A Special Cash Discount DURING DECEMBER.

Dry Goods, Clothing, Carpets, Fur Coats and Mantles, SPECIALTIES.

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THE GLOBE Christmas NUMBER

READY FIRST WEEK IN DECEMBER.

A GREAT HOLIDAY PAPER

New Type, New Press, Fine Paper, Five Handsome Lithographed Plates, First-Class Illustrations, Original Matter and Superior Workmanship.

THE BEST XMAS PAPER EVER ISSUED IN CANADA.

THE LITERARY MATTER IN THE CHRISTMAS GLOBE will be entirely original and will include stories from the ablest pens in Canada. The subjects treated being wholly Canadian.

FIVE HANDSOME LITHOGRAPHED PLATES accompany the paper, the principal one being a scene from Vancouver Park, B.C., from a painting by Mr. L. R. O'Brien, the celebrated Canadian artist.

MECHANICALLY THE XMAS GLOBE will be in every way first-class and no expense will be spared in having it surpass anything of the kind heretofore published in this country.

AS THE DEMAND will be very great, we would advise intending purchasers to leave their orders at their newsdealer's or send direct to this office, not later than the end of the present month, as the supply will necessarily be limited and we cannot undertake to print a second edition.

The price has been placed at ONLY 25 CENTS PER COPY. It is intended to have the edition ready the first week in December in order to allow plenty of time for mailing copies long distances so as to reach destination before Christmas.

THE GLOBE PRINTING CO., Toronto.

THE WEEKLY GLOBE, the best family newspaper in Canada, THE RURAL CANADIAN, the best agricultural paper in Canada. From now to end of 1889 only \$1.25.



Right and Wrong.

Alas! how easily things go wrong, A sigh too much, or a kiss too long...

And yet how easily things go right If the sigh and the kiss of the winter's night...

And things can never go badly wrong If the heart be true and the love be strong...

For the mist if it comes, and the weeping rain Will be changed by the love into sunshine again.

—George McDonald

Venus, the Evening Star.

A very brilliant star may be seen in the south-west almost as soon as the sun has set.

But why is she shining in that particular portion of the sky, and why does she change her place from time to time...

If we were near enough to them, we should find that they, too, are moving, some in one direction and some in another...

If we were on the sun, and looking at Venus, she would move in a circle around the sun.

On July 11th, Venus became evening star, being then close to the sun and so hidden in its bright rays as to be invisible for several weeks.

Venus will move eastward until February 19, 1889, when she reaches her greatest distance east of the sun...

The western sky, during the winter and the spring, will therefore be blessed with the presence of the Queen of the Stars...

Eloquent and Patriotic Words.

It would be well for every young man in Canada to procure and read what was perhaps, the greatest speech ever delivered in a Canadian Parliament...

"Gentlemen of the four united provinces. I transfer to your charge and keeping all those parts of North America which remained faithful to the king...

No words were ever spoken more eloquently expressive than these of the true value of Canada to the British Crown...

The Genealogy of a Queen.

Queen Victoria is the niece of William the Fourth, who was the brother of George the Fourth, who was the son of George the Third...

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

Use Seavey's East India Liniment. 12 Gold has been discovered at Fugwash.

Woodstock is now supplied with two systems of electric light and will soon have a third.

Keep yourself from chills and colds by taking a teaspoonful of Simon's Jamaica Ginger in a little warm water.

Rev. P. W. Anderson, lately pastor of the Newcastle Baptist church, has accepted a call to a church in New Germany.

It is understood that the Canadian Atlantic company intend having a second steamer built at once for the service between Halifax and Boston.

The C. P. R. will apply to Parliament next session for an act conferring additional power for the construction and protection of its telegraph lines.

The new freight shed at Pictou has been completed. It is 150x50, and 17ft. post; is raised on an elevated floor to suit the level of the train, and was built by Teed and Cook.

The Dominion Rifle Association has been informed that the Wimbledon meet next year will positively take place on the old ground, the Duke of Cambridge having given his consent.

It is said that the opening of the iron deposits at East River Pictou Co., will shortly be commenced by the New York company, in whose interests Mr McKam is interested.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria, When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria, When she became a Miss, she clung to Castoria, When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

Being a Boy.

There is a great comfort to be a boy in the amount of work he can get rid of doing.

It is sometimes astonishing how slow he can go an errand; perhaps he couldn't explain himself why, when he is sent to the neighbors' for yeast he stops to stone frogs.

He is not exactly cruel, but he wants to see if he can't hit 'em. It is a curious fact about boys, that two will be a great deal slower about doing anything than one.

Boys have a power of helping each other do nothing. But say what you will about the general usefulness of boys, a farm without a boy would very soon come to grief.

He is always in demand. In the first place, he is to do all the errands, go to the store, post-office, and carry all sorts of messages.

He would like to have as many legs as a wheel has spokes, and rotate in about the same way.

This he sometimes tries to do, and people who have seen him "turning cart wheel" along the side of the road have supposed he was amusing himself and biding his time.

He was only trying to invent a new mode of locomotion so that he could economize legs, and to do his errand with greater dispatch.

Leap-frog is one of the methods of getting over the ground quickly. He has a natural genius for combining pleasure with business.

A Clever Cow.

The following communication from a correspondent at Dieppe is printed in the Spectator: "I saw a very curious thing the other day.

We were walking in the country past a lot of large orchards, and we noticed that the cows that were feeding in them had their heads fastened down by a kind of bearing-rein, so that they could graze but could not raise their heads to eat the trees.

While we were looking we noticed a cow go up to an apple tree and wedge in the stem between her horns and neck, and deliberately shake the tree and bring down a shower of apples; and she and the others at her side, and then she went to another tree and shook that, and so on.

It was the funniest thing I ever saw; she always chose young trees that would shake easily. I pointed it out to a French-woman standing there, and said she had often watched them, and thought how clever the cow was.

It was always the same cow that did it, and she did it systematically as a schoolboy, never attempting to shake an old stiff tree."

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The William Palmer farm at Windsor

has been sold to Charlie Haley for \$15,400. Bidding started at \$8,000, and was quite brisk up to \$15,000, several persons taking part.

The general opinion is that Mr Haley has got a bargain, as this is one of the most valuable farms in Hants.

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The Way of It.

There were four or five men in a knot and they were discussing a candidate, who had been elected.

"I'm sorry he got there," said one.

"So am I," added a second. "He's a dangerous man."

"He ought to be tarred and feathered instead of holding an office!" exclaimed a third.

"Yes and I'd like to put on the tar!" shouted a fourth.

At that moment the man came around the corner, smiling with delight and both hands ready for shaking, and as he halted he said:

"Well, boys I got there."

"You bet you did!" shouted the four in a chorus.

"And I want you to drink with me."

"You bet we will! Hurrah for you!" And they drank his beer and said they had rather seen all the rest of the ticket defeated than to have him get left.—Detroit Free Press.

Peter J. Hanlon, the St. John burglar, has been sentenced to three years in Dorchester penitentiary.

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GOING EAST.

Accm. Daily. A. M. P. M. Exp. Daily.

14 Annapolis leave 7:00 15 2:30

18 Bridgeport " 9:00 10:05 3:35

42 Aylesford " 9:22 10:37 3:03

61 Grand Pre " 9:35 10:55 3:24

64 Wolfville " 9:44 11:10 3:34

66 Port Williams " 9:54 11:25 3:47

68 Kentville " 10:00 11:35 3:55

69 Wolfville " 10:10 11:45 4:07

69 Grand Pre " 10:20 11:55 4:18

72 Avonport " 10:30 12:05 4:29

77 Hantsport " 10:40 12:15 4:40

84 Windsor " 10:50 12:25 4:51

116 Windsor Juno " 10:55 12:30 5:04

120 Halifax arrive 10:45 4:10 8:10

GOING WEST.

Exp. Daily. Accm. Daily. A. M. P. M.

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120 Annapolis arrive 1:20 4:50

N. B. Trains are run on Eastern Standard Time. One hour added will give Halifax time.

Steamer "Dorcas" leaves St John every Monday, Wednesday and Saturday a.m. for Digby and Annapolis, returning from Annapolis same days.

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P. INNES, General Manager. Kentville, 29d November, 1888.