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Select Poetry.

"Too Late."

"Too late, too late, come all our earthly blessings," Thus said a friend to me one summer's day. And while I paused, seeking for words dissenting, An echo in my heart responded "aye," Alas! "Too true, through memory's distance ringing, We hear the sad, sweet voices of the past. Each bearing witness, from our lives departing, O'er all our joys hath this dread shade been cast.

"Too late, too late," list to the poet sighing, With brow deep furrowed by Time's passing years, "I am too old to care for laurel-crowning, Fame's trumpet pleases not my deafened ear."

"Too late, too late," we hear the strong man groaning, And oh, the bitter irony of Fate! "She, whose dear presence inspired all my labors, Is dead, and so wealth comes to me too late."

And thus from thousands of grief-laden voices, Is sounding in our ears the bitter cry, "We hear it in the last words of the dying, We feel it cruelly clear when death draws nigh, And yet we live! and go on groping blindly, With pleading faces uplifted towards the light, With some vague hope that in the distant morning will dawn, and all at last be right."

And so she sat there in the open doorway, dead to all things about her save the night wind. How softly it stroked her ruffled hair, her pale face and her feverish, water-soaked hands—poor, hot, tired hands that had worked all day long from crimson dawn to "shino's stars."

Yet the day was only one of many—many, many days that had gone by since she took upon herself that solemn vow, "until death do us part," had been full of such days and the years that stretched out before her—how long life is—seemed to hold naught save an endless infinity of just such days—and no one cared.

That was the hardest of it all—they all seemed to think that she was tired, that she needed no sympathy, that she could go on and on and be forever at the beck and call of every one about the home and find both pleasure and profit in it all.

"Wife, wife, wife!" and "mother, mother, mother!" those words so dear to almost every woman's heart had lost their sweetness to her, for they were always the prelude to some imperious demand that only made her toil the harder.

Her mind went back to the days before she was George Harding's wife—to the days when she was George Harding's sweetheart. Then the laugh was on her lips and in her eyes, the dimples played in and out in cheek and chin, for she was a light-hearted, sunny-faced village schoolteacher that looked all her cares behind her when she looked her schoolhouse door.

Interesting Story.

The Seven Green Withes.

By the fragrant cones of white-capped clover and under the tall, slender, ragged clay soil turf, purple shadows that served only to emphasize the white, still beauty of the great moonlight fields, over which the fireflies rose and fell like sparks of living flame. The night birds called in sweet undertones one to another. A soft night wind, that had rustled through the damp fragrance of the woods, swung to and fro, idly, in puff like the soft air-strings of a lazily handled fan of sandal wood.

The night was "fair to see"; yet to a woman who sat in the open door of a large, white farmhouse, there was no beauty in the purple and silver meadows with their fairy firefly lamps of gold, no music in the night birds' call, nothing save a vague sense of comfort in the cooling, caressing touches of the wind.

It was late, and every one about the farmhouse had been asleep for some time save her, and the thought of that stifling bedroom—why is it not the custom in farmhouses to use that great "spare room" for a comfortable sleeping apartment instead of choosing the most uncomfortable, little hired-up room in the whole house—made her fairly sick. She leaned her head against the side of the door and folded her hands in her lap in a listless manner that told a common yet pitiful story.

There go Parsons' men to work now! I'll be blessed if I ever saw a woman so slow as you are! Why in the world don't you fly around like Parsons' wife?"

"O dear God," groaned the poor woman, "break off those terrible green withes, they are killing me!"

But she uncovered the eburn with-out a word, even though she saw an unusual and unwelcome sight. The butter had come soft as mush!

"Well, there, Ella!" snarled her husband, "So much clear gain gone, and all for lack of care in some way, I shall get on beautifully with such a sick hand as yours to help me! You, why you don't even try to help!"

"Snap!" The green withes parted, and a strength as of ten women tightened every muscle. What queer idea was it that suddenly took possession of her mind? She smiled a strange smile that distorted every feature. Should she do it?—how quick it would stop that fault-finding. And afterwards—well, who cares for afterwards?

"Come, Ella, leave that mess of porridge and come and get your breakfast! Confound such abominable housewifery! If I only had a wife like Parsons' at the head of my house I'd—"

"Ha, ha, ha!"

"What was there about that quiet little laugh that instantly checked the farmer's tirade and caused his very heart to stop beating?"

He whirled round—he had been standing at the dairy window gazing out on the broad acres of his neighbor Robert Parsons—and looked at his wife. For an instant he fairly shrank back in horror. That hideous, ashen face with its horrible, shining eyes so like a mad dog's—he shot one once—and its purple lips, on whose dark surface appeared little flecks of the ghastly froth of madness, could not be the face of his gentle wife.

Two years ago a party of bathers at one of the new New Jersey coast resorts was caught in the undertow and swept out to sea. A life guardman swam after them, and was able to rescue all but one of them, a young girl, who was sucked into the current out of sight.

Her elder sister, an expert swimmer, standing on the shore, saw what had occurred. She sprang into the surf, dived after the drowning girl, and, having brought her up, carried her within reach of the bathing-master in his boat. Then she sank exhausted, and was herself sucked beneath the waves and lost. Her sister was saved.

All who saw the act were stirred to the heart by its heroism. The girl knew that there was scarcely a chance of success, but, under an impulse which she could not resist, made the attempt, and gave her life to save her sister.

Yet this girl, since she was a child, had made the home life of her family miserable by her incessant carping ill-temper. Day after day, year after year, she had teased and irritated the very sister whom she died to save, until life was a burden to her.

There can be no doubt that, great and ennobling as was the last act of her life, a weight was lifted from her family when she was gone, and that mingled with their grief there was a certain relief. Nothing in her life so became her as the leaving of it.

How many young girls, readers of the *Companion*, give much of their time dreaming of some heroic work to be done in the future by which they shall become famous and beloved of God? They will write a great book, they will become foreign missionaries, they will devote themselves, and, if need be, give their lives, like this girl, to some purpose.

In the meantime, being nervous and excitable in temperament, they are fretful, morbid and desponding at home, their days are full of undone duties and neglected opportunities. They become a burden to their friends, while they are waiting the chance for a great deed which never comes.

"It is given to but few men to lead a fortiori hope or carry a line to a sinking ship."

But it is given to each one of us every hour to show heroism and self-sacrifice in little things, to make home purer and happier and to carry good cheer and hope to many a sinking soul.

It could not have been simply a desire to perform an heroic act that led to that noble deed of self-sacrifice which we have recited. Beneath the surly temper that had so annoyed her friends there must have been a deep love for the sister, to save whom she died, and an earnest resolution to do her duty. Why could not the energy which served her for the supreme effort, have been directed to making her daily life helpful and sweet?—*Youth's Companion*.

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WOLFVILLE, N. S., JAN. 4, 1889

WE WISH OUR PATRONS AND FRIENDS A PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR.

Our Winter.

The oldest inhabitant has forgotten the time when we had such a winter as the present.

The Assessment.

As we anticipated, the revisors of the assessment rolls have found it necessary to make changes in a number of the wards.

Dog Tax.

The imposition of a dog tax by the Municipal Council would be hailed with pleasure by a large number of our people.

The Council Meeting.

The session of the Municipal Council which commences on Tuesday next promises to be an important one.

The S. P. C. A. and the Check Rein.

It is known that there is in Wolfville a "Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals."

Secretary Hemmeon reported at the last meeting of S. P. C. A. that some good had already been accomplished.

It is hoped that the readers of the ACADIAN may be furnished with an occasional article on the subject indicated above.

There are some things on which the people need to be informed.

I have a picture lying before me, as I write. It is that of the noblest animal we possess.

Let the man have his own head secured, not in the vertical position, but backward toward the spinal column.

The check rein has been justly described as "that most ignominious instrument of torture and indignity."

If the ACADIAN is willing, this subject will be renewed in another issue.

Mother.

What measure can compass a mother's love? None but the arm which circles the boundless.

Many and joyous are the associations of childhood and youth. How delightful to view in the arena of memory.

home to minister more luxury to her darling's life? Who clings to the profligate through disgrace and crime.

The relentless passion of the wooer, the calmer devotion of the mature consort, when ripened prime dispels the eager haste and vehemence of youth.

Prisoners' Fare.

This is a phrase which was once as current as almost any other.

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language and is a favorite amongst the pupils, was to be the winner of the prize. So just before the breaking up of the schools for the Christmas vacation the vote was taken and the prizes awarded.

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Eggs, Butter, Oats, Dried Apples, Tallow, etc., wanted at

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January 3d, 1889.

THE ACADIAN.

WOLFVILLE, N. S., JAN. 4, 1889

Local and Provincial.

EXCHANGE.—The pulpit of the Presbyterian church was occupied on Sunday last by Rev. Mr. Dawson, of Canard, Rev. Mr. Ross filling the pulpit in that place.

HARPERS.—Two companies of harpers furnished "sweet music" on our streets last Friday—rather an unusual occurrence for the 25th day of December. Evidently we are drifting towards a tropical climate.

MORE LIGHT.—Mr. Burpee Witter has erected a street lamp in front of his place of business. If a few more of our public spirited men would do likewise we would soon have our streets lighted. Already a marked improvement is noticeable. We hope Mr. Witter's good deed will be rewarded by a "boom" of business.

St JOHN'S CHURCH.—Sunday next, January 6th, the Festival of the Epiphany, there will be morning prayer, sermon, and celebration of the holy communion in St John's Church, Wolfville at 11 o'clock, and the usual afternoon service at 3. On Thursday, January 10th, the course of lectures on the History and Sources of the Prayer Book will be concluded. Service at 3 p. m.

WEEK OF PRAYER.—Next week being the "week of prayer" the usual union prayer meetings will be held in the different churches. On Monday and Thursday evenings it will be held in the Baptist church, Tuesday and Friday evenings in the Methodist church, and on Wednesday evening in the Presbyterian church. The subjects will be announced we presume from the different pulpits on Sunday next.

ALMOST A FIRE.—The Baptist church of this place had a narrow escape from being consumed by fire on Wednesday evening. Fire had been made in the furnaces to heat the building for a meeting of the congregation and in some way the wood work became ignited. It was discovered in time to save the building with very little damage. Had ten minutes more elapsed before the fire was seen it would have been too late as it was then in the walls.

GASPEREAU.—The village of GasperEAU, situated some 2½ miles from Wolfville, is one of the most enterprising villages in the county. It has within a distance of one mile: 1 grist mill, 3 saw mills, 1 cider mill, 1 pump manufactory, 2 general stores, 2 blacksmith shops, 2 pickle factories, 1 carding mill, 1 barrel manufactory, 1 shingle mill, 1 tanner and currier, 3 shoemakers, 2 butchers, 1 hall, 1 school house and 1 church; and now it wants a daily mail.

A NARROW ESCAPE.—On Monday last Miss Newcomb, from Port Williams, while skating on the Tannery pond, broke through the ice and was with considerable difficulty and after a severe wetting saved from drowning. The water where she went through is very deep and the ice was so tender that it was dangerous for a grown person to venture near. Fortunately the young lady had enough presence of mind to keep cool and she was saved. Persons should be very careful about skating this season.

THE WITNESS.—The Montreal Witness is offering a great inducement to its subscribers for the Daily and Weekly Witness for 1889, by giving them a copy of the \$120,000 picture, "Christ before Pilate," the most notable picture ever brought to America, for only twenty-five cents. The different departments of the Weekly are attracting much attention, and are to be found full of valuable information to the farmer, merchant and house wife. The Witness is unequalled as a family paper. The Northern Messenger, the pioneer paper, is greatly improved and should be in the hands of every boy and girl, who will find most instructive reading therein.

BAD ACCIDENT.—On New Year's day Mr. Robert Westcott, of GasperEAU, was exercising an unbroken colt by driving it harnessed to a wagon. Having driven it towards Wolfville as far as across the bridge near Charles A. Coldwell's, he turned it about and started for home. When just over the bridge the colt shied and it carriage and driver went over the precipice to the bottom of the vault, a distance of about thirty feet. Aid was immediately summoned and with considerable difficulty Mr. Westcott was got to the road and conveyed to his home. Dr. Bowie, was at once summoned and found him suffering severely from his bruises, but fortunately no bones were broken. The colt escaped without a bruise, but the carriage was almost completely demolished.

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Local and Provincial.

PROPERTY CHANGES.—We understand that Mr. B. G. Bishop has sold his property, now occupied by Prof. Keirstead, to Mr. Geo. W. Borden, of this place. Mr. Michael Jordan, of GasperEAU, has sold his farm to his son Charles.

THE FIRST FIRE.—We are informed that the store of Wm. Stevens, which was burned at Port Williams last week, was the first building destroyed by fire at that place since its settlement. If this is so it should be a safe locality for a fire insurance company to do business in as the village is in the vicinity of fifty years old.

HYMENEAAL.—We record this week the marriage of two Wolfville boys who have taken for themselves wives from among our neighbors across the border. Mr. Harry Gilmore is a son of Capt. Gilmore, and Mr. W. J. Higgins is a son of W. J. Higgins, Esq., both of this place. These young men are well known in Wolfville where they have many friends who will join with the ACADIAN in extending congratulations.

THE YARMOUTH LINE.—The steamer Yarmouth made her last trip to Boston, for the season on Wednesday week. The steamer Dominion takes her place for the winter and made her first trip to Boston on Saturday last. The Yarmouth will lay up until the last of February, during which time she will be painted and refitted for the spring business. The Dominion has been reclassified for four years in the Record A 1 ½ under special survey, and put in first class order for winter service.

SCIENTIFIC AMERICAN.—Every week this most valuable periodical presents the latest information in the world of science, art, and manufactures. Full of practical information, it discloses the latest discoveries and inventions. For over forty years Munn & Co. have conducted this paper in connection with the procuring of patents for new inventions. The Scientific American is authority on all scientific and mechanical subjects, and should be in every household. Copies of the paper may be seen at this office and subscriptions received.

AYER'S ALMANAC.—At last we are treated to a novelty in the way of almanac making. Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., the well known manufacturing chemists of Lowell, Mass., send us their almanac for 1889, in the shape of a good sized book, embracing editions in English calculated for the various sections of the United States, the Dominion of Canada, India, South Africa, and Australia; also, editions in nine other languages. The volume, contains, also, specimen pages of pamphlets issued by the company in eleven languages not represented by the almanacs, including Greek, Turkish, Armenian, Chinese, Burmese, and Hawaiian—twenty one languages in all. From the interesting preface we learn that no fewer than fourteen millions of these almanacs are printed yearly, thus placing the work as far ahead of any other of the kind in circulation and value as Ayer's Sarsaparilla is ahead of all others in merit and popularity. Be sure to secure a copy of this favorite almanac at your druggist's. It is a species of "yellow covered literature" which no family should be without.

Christmas Presentations.

The congregation of the Wolfville Presbyterian church presented Mrs. J. D. Chambers, their organist, at Christmas, with a purse of money, as a small token of good will. Mrs. Chambers deserves the fullest esteem of the congregation for her unrewarded labor in this connection and we feel sure she possesses it.

The Lower Horton section of Rev. R. D. Ross's congregation, presented their pastor and wife with a handsome eight day clock, as a Christmas gift. As a rule their portion of the pastor's salary is paid promptly. It will, therefore, be understood that the gift was not presented as an apology for nonpayment of salary. The pastor hopes that the clock may not only speak to him of his people's good will, but also of the fact that the hours and days are passing swiftly by.

At the close of the public schools for the Christmas holidays the pupils of the advanced department presented Principal Bishop with a very fine pair of Kangaroo fur gloves, as a token of the esteem in which he is held by them. This certainly shows a good feeling between the teacher and pupils which is very desirable and is as it should be. Mr. Bishop has been at the head of our schools for the past five years and we hope he may remain in charge for many more. Under his guidance the school has made good progress.

BERWICK TIMES.

NEWS, NOTES, JOTTINGS, ETC. 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.

—Mr. Fred Fisher, of East Boston is on a visit to his old home and friends in Somerset and Berwick.

—We are indebted to J. P. Chieman, Esq., for a box of choice oranges, direct from his plantation in Florida.

—There is a favorable opening for a butcher to take the place of the late Mr. Forsythe. Several are prospecting, but there is room for only one.

—During this week Mr. E. C. David, son has raised his house on Foster St and partly covered it in. The weather is unusually favorable for outside work.

—Traders complain of dull holiday sales of the conventional novelties of the season, but thanks to Cupid and numerous friends, Mr. Parker has done a rushing business in furniture, carpets and picture frames.

—New Year's day was quite generally observed as a holiday in Berwick, especially by the young people many of whom heartily enjoyed skating on a neighboring pond where the ice was good notwithstanding the mildness of the season.

—Temperance Sermon.—The Rev. Mr. Wade, Episcopal, under the auspices of the W. C. T. U., preached in Christ's church on the first day of the new year. His discourse was pointed and practical and quite in sympathy with the sentiments of the times.

Hantsport's school master abroad. A neat sign.—French Villa with a comma between French and Villa, painted by a Hantsport artist, has just been placed over the door of Mrs. Vaughan's hotel. Some years since we saw a book published by Mr. Dexter a very wealthy, literate and eccentric gentleman of the U. S. In the first edition there was not a mark of punctuation from first to last. This elicited much amusing criticism. The author at once issued a second edition in the last part of which were several pages of commas, colons, semicolons, etc., with the remark that his readers might prefer and suit the book to suit themselves. Often as we read the signs on the buildings in our villages or wander among the marble of our grave yards and note the wild and distorted punctuation we only wish the artist would leave us to do our own pepper and salting.

At its last meeting, Longfellow Division, S. O. T., appointed a committee to consider the best course of action to awaken the people of our village for the suppression of the liquor traffic in our midst. The committee invited Somerset Division and the Berwick W. C. T. U. to send representatives to confer with them on the 1st inst. The result of that interview is the appointment of a mass temperance meeting on the evening of the 15th inst. to be held in the Baptist church, when a rousing and enthusiastic meeting may be looked for. "It is high time to wake out of sleep." People of Berwick rally to our midst. Its kindling matches tipped in the fires of hell are already stealthily placed under our altars our firesides and our homes! Wake up!

Dr. J. B. 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.

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ELMORE—FLOYD.—At the residence of the bride, Windthrop, Mass., on Wednesday, Dec. 26th, Mr. Harry C. Gilmore, formerly of Wolfville, and Miss Ida M. Floyd.

HIGGINS—GRIDLEY.—At Vancouver, W. T., Dec. 10th, Mr. W. J. Higgins, formerly of Wolfville, and Miss Elnogene Gridley, of Vancouver.

GRANT—HEM.—At Milton Baptist parsonage, Yarmouth, on Christmas Eve, by Rev. Mark B. Shaw, R. A., Mr. Charles Grant, of Yarmouth, and Miss Sophonia Hunt, of Cape Sable Island.

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The Nova Scotia sugar refinery is understood to have declared a half yearly dividend of 20 per cent. making 25 per cent. for the year.

The Reformed Presbyterian church at St John has received a gift of \$2,700 from Mr James Mitchell, of Hamara, New Zealand, sufficient to pay off the debt on the building.

The Antigonish Casket says hay is selling there at \$8 a ton. This comparative low price is due to the abundant yield, which is said to have been in excess of that of many years in that locality.

Upwards of 20,000 sheep have been shipped from Summerside, P. E. I., this season. The total exports from Summerside this season shows the value to be: Horses, \$107,167; sheep, \$40,789; eggs, \$84,120; oysters, \$32,667; total, \$264,743.

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