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We Love the Absent Best.

Oh, the absent are the dearest,
To a mother's loving heart;
And the depth of our affection
Is not known until we part.
We may view our sleeping darlings,
With a watchful pride and care;
And may breathe an earnest blessing
O'er each dusky head and fair;

But if there remains a pillow
Too uncrumpled, and too white!
And the chair a-neath the bedside
Holds no garment for the night—
If we miss the shoes and stockings,
A torn jacket or a dress—
If we miss a "Good-night, mother!"
And a near one's warm caress—

Then our hearts yearn with affection
For the rover from our nest,
And we feel of all our darlings
That we love the absent best.
Ah, the absent are the dearest—
Mother's heart will answer yes!
The dear lips by far the sweetest
Are the lips we cannot kiss!

Interesting Story.

WIRED LOVE.

A ROMANCE
OF
DOTS AND DASHES.

BY
ELLA CHEEVER THAYER.

"The old, old story,"—in a new, new way.

CHAPTER III.—Continued.

But what was in 'C's' mind's eye did not just then appear, for at this interesting point someone at Nattie's window, saying, "I would like to send a message," obliged her reluctantly to interrupt him with,

"Excuse me a moment, a customer is waiting."

She then turned as much of her attention as she could separate from 'C' to the customer, enabled, perhaps, to answer the volley of miscellaneous questions poured upon her with unusual affability, on account of the settlement—and in the right direction!—of that vexed question of 'C's' sex.

But she could not help thinking, as she glanced at the message finally written, and handed to her, that had the writer attended a little more to the spelling-book, and a little less to the accumulation of diamond rings, it might have been a very wise proceeding. But perhaps

"Meet me at the train," was sufficiently intelligible for all purposes.

"What was it about your mind's eye?" Nattie asked over the wire, at the first opportunity.

'C' was again on the alert, without being called, for the answer came, after a moment, just long enough for him to cross the room, perhaps.

"As I was saying, in the eye aforesaid, methinks I see a tall slim young lady, with blue eyes and light hair, and dimples that come into her cheeks when I stupidly betray my sex.

As 'C' said this, Nattie glanced into the glass just over her head at the reflection of her face. A face whose expression was its charm; that never could be called pretty, but that nevertheless suggested a possibility—only a possibility, of being handsome. For there is a vast difference between pretty and handsome. Pretty people seldom know much; but to be handsome, a person must have brains; an inner as well as an outer beauty.

"How fortunate it is you are not near enough to be disenchanted!" Nattie replied to 'C'. "Your mind's eye is very unreliable. Tall! why, I'm only five feet! never was guilty of a dimple, and my eyes are of some dreadfully nondescript color."

"If you are only five feet, you never can look down on me, which is a great consolation," 'C' responded. "And for the rest imagination will clothe the unseem with all possible beauty and grace."

"I am sure I am perfectly willing you should imagine me as beautiful as you please," replied Nattie, "as long as we don't come face to face, which

in all probability we never shall, you will not know how different from the real was the ideal."

"Please don't discourage me so soon, for I hope sometime we may clasp hands bodily as we do now spiritually, on the wire—for we do, don't we?" said 'C' asserting before he questioned.

"Certainly—here is mine, spiritually!" responded Nattie, without the least hesitation, as she thought of the miles of safe distance between them. "Now may I ask—"

"Oh! come, come! this will never do! You are getting on altogether too fast for people who were quarrelling so yesterday!" broke in a third party, who signed 'Em,' and was a young lady wire-acquaintance of Nattie's, some twenty miles distant.

"You think the circuit of our friendship ought to be broken?" queried Nattie.

"Ah! leave that to time and change, by which all circuits are broken," remarked 'C.'

"Yes, but such a sudden friendship is sure to come to a violent end," 'Em' said. "Suppose now I should report you for talking so much—not to say flirting—on the wire, which is against the rules you know?"

"In that event I should know how to be revenged," replied 'C'. "I should put on my 'ground' wire and cut off communications between you and that little fellow at Z!"

'Em' laughed, and perhaps feeling herself rather weak on that point, subsided, and Nattie began, "Sentiment—"

But the pretty little speech on that subject she had all ready was spoiled by an operator—who evidently had none of it in his soul—usurping the wire with the prefaced remark,

"Get out!"

The wire being unusually busy, this was all the conversation Nattie and 'C' had during the day, but just before six o'clock came the call,

"B m—B m—B m—X n."

"B m," immediately responded Nattie.

"I merely want to ask for my character before saying g. n. (good night). Haven't I been amiable to-day?" was asked from X n.

"Very, but there is no merit in it, as Mark Tapley would say, replied Nattie. "You had no provocation."

"Now I flattered myself I had 'come out strong'! Alas! what a hard thing it is to establish one's reputation," said 'C' sagely; but I trust to Time, who, after all, is a pretty good fellow to right matters, notwithstanding a dreadful careless way he has of stewing crows' feet and wrinkles."

"Has he dropped any down your way?" asked Nattie.

"Hinting to know my age now, are you? Oh! curiosity! curiosity! Yes, I think he has implanted a perceptible crow's foot or two; but he has spared the hairs of my head, and for that I am thankful! Did you ever see an aged operator? I never did, and don't know whether it's because electricity acts as a sort of antidote, or whether they grow wise as they grow old, and leave the business. The case is respectfully submitted."

"Your organs of discernment must be very fully developed," Nattie replied. "It is fortunate I am too far away to be analyzed personally; but I don't think I will stay after hours to discuss these things to-night. I am tired, for I have had a run of disagreeable people to-day. So g. n."

"G. n., my dear," said the galling 'C', in whose composition bashfulness seemed certainly to have no part. But then—as Nattie previously had thought—he was a long way off.

It must be confessed 'C' could hardly fail to have been flattered had he known how full Nattie's thoughts were of him, as she went home that night. A little foolish in the young lady, who rather prided herself on being self-minded,

this deep interest; but hers was a lonely life, poor girl, and 'C' was certainly entertaining "over the wire," whatever he might be in a personal interview—of course, not very likely to occur. No! it was all "over the wire!"

As she reached her own door, absorbed in these meditations, she heard the sound of a merry laugh over in Mrs. Simonson's, and saw a large trunk in the hall. From this she inferred that Miss Archer had arrived, a fact Miss Kling confirmed, with uplifted eyebrows, and the remark,

"There must be something wrong about a young woman who has three immense trunks!"

Although Nattie felt a desire to make this newcomer's acquaintance, it was less strong than it might have been had she arrived a week sooner; for it was undoubtedly true that the interest he had in her new invisible friend far exceeded that towards a possible visible one. Such is the power of mystery!

The office now possessed a new charm for her. To the surprise of an idle clerk in an office over the way, who had always noted how particular she was to arrive at exactly eight A. M., and to leave precisely at six P. M., she suddenly began to appear before hours in the morning, and to stay after hours at night. Of course this benighted person was not aware that by so doing she secured quieter chats with 'C', uninterrupted, and without being told in the middle of some pretty speech to "Shut up!" or to "Keep out!" by some soured and inelegant operator on the line, to whom the romance of telegraphy had long ago given place to the monotonous, poorly-paid, everyday reality.

And it came to pass that 'C' soon shared all her daily life, and troubles—Annoyances became lighter because she told him, and he sympathized. Any funny incident that occurred was doubly funny, because they laughed over it together, and so it went on.

That "good night, dear," previously unchallenged, became a regular institution; and still, on account of these long miles between them, Nattie made only a faint remonstrance when his usual morning salutation grew into "Good-morning, little five-foot girl at B m!" then was shortened to "Good-morning, little girl!"

And all this time it never occurred to them that excepting 'N' was for Nattie, and 'C' for Clem, they knew really nothing about each other, not even their names.

Thus the acquaintance went on, amid much banter from the before-mentioned 'Em,' and interruptions from disgusted old settlers.

It was by no means to the satisfaction of Quimby, that Miss Rogers should thus allow the telegraphic world to supersede the one in which he had a part. That intimacy with Miss Archer, of which he had dreamed, as a means of improving his own acquaintance with her towards whom his susceptible heart yearned, did not make even a beginning. In fact, what with Nattie being engaged all day, and stopping after hours with a quiet talk with 'C', and Miss Archer having many evening engagements, the two had never even met. And how a young man was to make himself agreeable in the eyes of a young lady he only caught a glimpse of occasionally, was a problem quite beyond solution by the brain of Quimby.

Two or three times in his distraction of mind, he had stood in very tight clothing, about Nattie's hour of returning home, full twenty-five minutes at the outer door of the hotel, with a cold wind blowing on him. But Nattie, utterly unconscious of this devotion, was enjoying the conversation of 'C'; and so at last, half frozen, poor Quimby was compelled to retreat, his object unaccomplished. He would willingly have wandered about the halls for

hours, and waylaid her, had it not been that the fear of those two terrific ones, Miss Kling and Mr. Fishplate, "catching him at it," prevailed over all other considerations. As for going to her office, Quimby, in his bashfulness, dared not even walk through the street containing it, lest she should penetrate his motives, and be offended at his presumption. Under these circumstances he began to despair of ever having the opportunity, to say nothing of the ability, of making an impression, when one afternoon he chanced to meet Miss Archer in the vicinity of Nattie's office, and was instantly overwhelmed by a brilliant idea; that was to ask Miss Archer—to whom he had talked much of Nattie during their short acquaintance—if she would call on her with him, omitting the fact that he dared not go alone.

Miss Archer, a little curious to see the lady with whom, she was secretly convinced, Quimby was in love, readily consented to the proposition; and so it came to pass that Nattie was interrupted in an account she was giving 'C' of a man who wanted to send a message to his wife, and seemed to think "My wife, in Providence," all the address necessary, by the unexpected apparition of Quimby, accompanied by a handsome young lady.

"I—I beg pardon, if I—if I intrude, you know," he stammered, beginning to wish he had not done it, as Nattie, with an "Excuse me, visitors," to 'C', rose and came forward. "But I—I brought Miss Archer! To make you acquainted, you know."

"I am indebted to you for that pleasure," Nattie said, with a smile, as she took the hand Miss Archer extended, saying,

"I have heard Quimby speak about you so much, I already feel acquainted."

Quimby blushed, and nervously fingered his necktie.

"Such near neighbors—so lonesome—thought you ought to know each other," he said confusedly.

"Yes, I began to fear we were destined never to meet," Nattie replied, as she held the private door open for her visitors to enter, a proceeding contrary to rules, but she preferred rather to transgress in this way, than in manners, and leave her callers standing out in the cold.

"I don't know as we ever should, had it not been for Quimby," said Miss Archer, glancing curiously around the office. "I believe I never was in a telegraph office before. Don't you find the confinement rather irksome?"

"Sometimes," Nattie replied; "but then there always is some one to talk with 'on the wire,' and in that way a good deal of time passes."

"Talk with—on the wire?" queried Miss Archer, with uplifted eyebrows. "What does that mean? Do tell me. I am ignorant as a Hottentot about anything pertaining to telegraphy. Nearly all I know is you write a message, pay for it, and it goes."

Nattie smiled and explained, and then turning to Quimby, asked,

"You remember my speaking about 'C', and wondering whether a gentleman or lady?"

"Oh, yes!" Quimby remembered, and fidgeted on his chair.

"He proved to be a gentleman."

"Oh, yes; exactly, you know!" responded Quimby, looking anything but elated.

"It must be very romantic and fascinating to talk with some one so far away, a mysterious stranger too, that one has never seen," Miss Archer said, her black eyes sparkling. "I should get up a nice little sentimental affair immediately, I know I should, there is something so nice about anything with a mystery to it."

"Yes, telegraphy has its romantic side—it would be dreadfully dull if it did not," Nattie answered.

(To be continued.)

THE ACADIAN,
WOLFVILLE, N. S., JAN. 23, 1888
EDITORIAL NOTES.

For assessing this county last Dec. the assessors ask the modest little sum of \$895.05, and for which service they have been allowed \$698.20. Contrast this with the sum allowed last year, viz, \$417.00 and we have an increase in taxation from this source of \$291.29 over last year.

Last year Horton asked for \$2,000.00 for the support of the Poor and was allowed \$1400.00, the actual expenditure was \$2506.00. This year it asks for \$3,957.00 and is to receive \$2,958.00, probable expenditure, judging from last year, will be \$4,000.00 or upwards. Encouraging.

Would it not be well for our Municipal Council to insist upon the prompt collection of taxes and to give the different collectors notice that they would be expected to pay over to the Treasurer of the County the whole amount of collectable rates by the first of Dec. next? It is a standing disgrace to our county that so large a sum has to be reported from year to year as uncollected. The longer a debt is allowed to remain unpaid the harder it becomes to collect it.

Is there any economy in refusing to vote a sufficient sum for the support of the poor? It appears that a sum has been voted for that purpose for the Horton district less by \$1000, than, the estimate of the overseers. In the event of the overseers being right, what are they to do without funds? Should they borrow, as heretofore, and pay bank interest?

We understand that the ship owners in this county intend to appeal from their assessments in April next, to the extent of some \$200,000 which has been assessed upon them, on account of ship property, they claim there is no law to compel them to pay any poor or county tax on ships. Why was this matter not looked into before the instructions were issued to assessors authorizing them to assess ships for a half present value? Such a mistake (if it is a mistake) only tends to increase taxation, and occasion annoyance and trouble.

MUNICIPAL COUNCIL.

Petition presented in reference to the Parade Ground near Samuel Chipman's, deferred until further information be obtained concerning title thereof.

Petition received from S. P. Benjamin in reference to an expenditure of \$185 in 1883, which on motion was referred to committee of Councillors, J. Davison, F. G. Curry and N. E. Bishop to examine into and report.

\$12.02 was struck off County rate in Ward 11 as bad. Jas. Bligh, at his own request, struck off the list of Stipendiary Magistrates of Cornwallis.

Resolution to expend Government monies by tender and contract deferred until spring term.

The following additions were made list of County officers.

ASSESSORS.

Ward 6.—A. E. Calkin, W. H. Lingley
" 6.—Robert Harrington, Cornwallis

PRESIDING OFFICERS.

- Ward 1.—Chas. R. Northup.
- " 2.—William Smith.
- " 3.—Wm. Edwin Harris.
- " 4.—C. B. Lemont.
- " 5.—A. T. Baker.
- " 6.—John Redden.
- " 7.—Russell Coldwell.
- " 8.—Jas. S. Morse.
- " 9.—James Leard.
- " 10.—A. D. Nichols.
- " 11.—Martin Franey.
- " 12.—Geo. M. Roach.
- " 13.—John M. Parler.
- " 14.—Joseph H. Rawding.

STIPENDIARY MAGISTRATES.

(Cornwallis.)
E. M. Beckwith, R. D. West, Thos. Craig, Jas. S. Witter, A. A. Pineo, J. M. Parker, H. E. Jefferson.

(Horton.)
William Eaton, D. D. Reid, G. A. Davison, E. J. Ross, John L. Gertridge, J. B. Davison, J. W. Hamilton, J. W. Taylor, Geo. E. Cox, A. deW. Bares.

HEALTH WARDENS. INSPECTORS.

Ward 11.—Wm. Smith, J. A. Wilson.
" 10.—S. G. Baker, A. R. Andrews
Bounty on bears to be increased from \$2.00 to \$4.00. On loupervier from \$1.00 to \$2.00.

Petit on from ratepayers of Ward 7 stating that the sum of \$427.27 had been expended in 1884 and asking for investigation.

Councillors Clark and Dr. Fitch were appointed a committee with power to add to their number to make such investigations.

Resolved, that the amount of Leander Palmeter's contract on the bridge near Long Island be paid equally out of Gov't fund of Wards 8 and 9.

Resolved, that \$18.75, being amount realized from sale of oolt and paid into County treasury, be repaid to Frank Trenholm.

Auctioneers' licenses to be \$6.00 each, to be issued by Clerk of Council as hitherto.

PETITIONS FOR ROADS.

Alteration of Deep Hollow Road. Joshua Chase, com.

For road between Church and Belcher streets. John P. Lyons, com.

For road near Wm. H. Forsyth's. A. O. Brown, com.

From Port Williams to Jas. Kennikles. Wm. Smith, com.

For road across lands of Handy Kelly in Horton. David Dorman, com.

From near Jas. Allens to west point Long Island. Jas. Allen, com.

From Evan's Aboiteau to the old highway on Boot Island. Geo. Harvey, com.

To establish public landing at White Waters and widen road to John Rogger's west line. Elijah C. West, com.

Committee to gather statistics in reference to poor farms—J. P. Fitch, Reuben F. Reid, Fisher, and Mack.

OVERSEERS OF THE POOR.

For Aylesford.—John Bishop, H. L. Baker, Thos. A. Wilson.

For Horton.—Elijah Neary, George Harvey, Wm. Eaton.

For Cornwallis.—H. G. Bill, Leander Rand, Geo. W. Kinsman.

Committee of Councillors appointed under regulations and rules of instruction to overseers. For Aylesford,—Taylor, Fitch, Mack. Horton,—Reid, Curry, Bishop. Cornwallis,—Roscoe, Fitch, Cox.

Bad rates in Ward 9 amounting to \$17.20 to be struck off.

Council acquiesced in petition to Legislature that 5 acres of school land in Lower Horton be sold.

Overseers of poor to render accounts of time, and pay will be fixed by Council.

J. A. Woodworth, H. Chipman and J. W. King, appointed to examine and adjust the poor books and accounts in Horton.

W. E. Roscoe presented a bill for professional service in connection with the Cornwallis school suit, amounting to \$631.95 was ordered to be assessed upon the township of Cornwallis to be included in the County rate, and in addition to the sum of \$631.95 to be assessed on Cornwallis, the sum of \$18,250 to be assessed upon the County by a County rate.

Resolved, that the Council request the sum of \$650 be paid by the Gov't out of the bridge fund and charged against the Municipality, for the rebuilding of the Simpson Bridge.

Resolved, that the Treasurer enforce the collecting of last year's rate bonds immediately.

Council appoint themselves the general committee for exhibition, Warden, Chairman.

Resolved that the regulations as read and passed by the Council be printed as usual with a list of town officers for 1888.

Council adjourned until the last Wednesday in April next.

Vacation Notes.

BY HARRI HARLEE.
(Continued.)

To travel, in a northerly direction, from North Brookfield for a distance of twenty-four miles will take you over a very uninviting and uninhabitable country. In the twenty-four miles there are two or three small houses, and a few hemlock trees; the remainder of the district is stones. The whole tract of country is worth about twenty cents, all the buildings and a Dutch yoke at the "Halfway" included. An accident to our conveyance detained us for some time at one of the houses, and by that means we got acquainted with most of the inhabitants. The men smoke, the girls wear curl-papers, and the mothers do the work, just as in other places. These people appear happy, and can nearly all whistle, yet they lack many of the comforts of life. There are no stores near where they can buy on credit; they have no sewing circles, for they have no neighbors to talk about; there is not a school-house or division-room in the community, and oyster suppers and Sabbath school picnics are things unknown. They possess, however, many of the modern miseries, such as whitlows, catarrh and peddlars, and in this respect if in no other, are on an equality with people less isolated. At the end of this stone road as at the beginning, there is a house where the women never get, cross no matter how late you come to your meals.

Black letters on a yellow background proclaim "entertainment" to all. Three women and a man keep the house. I was surprised to see so many females living in a small house and all on speaking terms with each other. But I guess it is often the suppleness of tongues, instead of the narrowness of houses that cause disagreements. The man didn't look much "hen-pecked," and 'dare whittle in the sitting room. It was wash day with two of the women, the other waited on customers in which she seemed to delight. She was a blonde—not one of the pretty kind that elope with coachmen and hired men, but one just pretty enough to scarcely ever. She had a great desire for news, was a real, live, "sandy-complected" interrogation point. She never allowed any one to leave without paying his bill and being inquired into thoroughly. While the potatoes were boiling I went out—it is fashionable to go out on the piazza at such a house, and I know it is not popular to go anywhere else, but they did not have piazzas here, so I went out the front door and sat down on a barrel in the shade of the hop vine. I thought I might escape this girl's questioning, but when she got done with the rest she hunted me up. She inquired my pedigree, occupation and religion, all of which I answered as amiably as possible when waiting dinner. But when she came down to family matters and asked what my wife's name was before she was married, and if she made fruit cake pound for pound. I told her to try the potatoes. The other women were not inquisitive at all. One would not speak: we had never been introduced. Her face was full of that sour-looking unspeakable-ness that only uninvited people have. The other was very social, showed me her sun-flowers and peppers; and when I came away there was a tear or a spatter of wash water on her cheek, I wasn't sure which. The remainder of our drive was pleasant. The fine orchards and cultivated fields of Annapolis enlivened us, and instead of growing weary with the increasing miles, we became rested, and when we reached Middleton we were as gay as a skating rink.

CORRESPONDENCE.

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

To the Editors of the Acadian.

SIR:—In your Editorial remarks on the breaking into of the Grand Pre School House, in your last issue, you ask why the Authorities allowed it to remain uncleaned some days. Allow me to say if you had applied to the proper source, you could easily have learned the reason. As it was the second time the same act had been committed, the Trustees called a special School Meeting, after due notice, and left the School-room just as it was that the rate-payers might see for themselves exactly what had been done by the scamps who broke into the house. After the meeting the filth was removed, and a man and woman engaged to clean and scrub. I was away from home for three days, and it seems they failed to put in an appearance and clean the house. Just as soon as I came home it was attended to, and those who circulate reports and scribble about the Authorities, would be better employed helping them to uphold order and decency in the community. For myself, I have been so ashamed that such an act could be possible in this place, I have not mentioned it to an Editor or any one outside. The time will come when those who consider such criminal and degraded acts merely "mole hills," will find they have grown to the proportions of "mountains," and crushed out honor, honesty, decency, and manliness from the natures of those who commit such acts, and those who uphold them or make light of their conduct as well. Please give this explanation space and oblige.

HENRY CHIPMAN,
Sec'y.

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GRATITUDE.—Mr. C. A. Foster, of Liverpool writes, "I have used Eagar's Phospholeine for Chronic Bronchitis and find it superior to other remedies of similar character. You may publish this for the benefit of others."

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Wolfville, Dec. 23d, 1884.

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Prof. J. P. Tuck, of the R. R. Palace Photograph Car, has placed with me for collection, all accounts due them for pictures taken in Kentville and Wolfville. All persons thus indebted will take due notice and govern themselves accordingly.

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Wolfville, Dec. 19th, 1884.

Local and Provincial.

RINK.—The rink has been in a splendid condition this week and has been well patronized. The ticket-holders are beginning to be encouraged that they may have a chance of getting their money's worth after all.

Buy the Standard Library of Poets, Cloth, 60 to 75c each at Western Book & News Co.'s.

HYMENEAL.—It becomes our pleasing duty to chronicle an event so joyous that even the hard times cannot dissipate or destroy, although the pressure of the present hard times are militating against many of the enjoyments of mortals in this mundane sphere. On Wed. Jan. 14th, groups of gaily dressed people young men and maidens, little children of a few brief summers, to the old men of venerable locks, might have been seen wending their way to the neat little Baptist Church at White Rock. We followed among the rest eager to anticipate the scene. Lo and behold, the fairy scene which greeted our eyes, beautiful arches of evergreen overhung the central aisle with gorgeously be-dizened horse-shoes suspended from the same, these talismans of good luck were notably abundant, wreaths of artificial flowers hung from the walls. The secret was out when we noticed over the Pulpit the pretty motto:

"Sweet are the chimes of the wedding bells."

The large audience was eagerly awaiting the bridal party whose destiny was to run in the same groove. Mr. Truman Bishop entered attended by his groomsmen, soon followed by the affianced, Miss Ellen C. Forsythe one of the fair maidens of White Rock. The clergyman was on the spot who at once commenced the ceremony of marriage in the simple yet impressive form known to Baptist clergymen. In a few minutes the happy husband and wife retired from the crowded Church and were driven to the hospitable home of the bride's father where a large company of the relatives assembled, and all "went merry as a marriage bell." Later in the evening the youthful couple started for Highbury and took possession of their future home followed by the good wishes of all their many friends. May fortune ever smile upon them is the wish of an

OB. REVER.

To the Editors of the Acadian.

SIRS.—A correspondent to the *Western Chronicle* signing himself "Cornwallis," says—"Mr. D. B. Newcomb, a resident of Cornwallis, has been active in our County business for some ten or fifteen years." That he "endeavored to stand by the interest of Horton on a fair principle, in all her claims &c.," "and impartially to perform the duties assigned him. The reward he gets for thus considering Horton on a fair principle &c." "is to be 'sold' or swapped off—thrown out—when in the middle of his duties &c." "Cornwallis" utterly failed to give any reason why Mr. Newcomb or any other person should be continued in office from year to year thus monopolising the most lucrative appointment in the gift of the Council. Mr. Newcomb, it is well known, has received for his very distinguished services during the last five years some \$200 which has been assessed upon the residents of this County, Horton included. "Cornwallis" seems very anxious to incite these sectional feelings which are calculated to restore improvement in the management of our Municipal affairs. I, Messrs. Editors, am very strongly opposed to sectional interest being manifested in the management of our County matters and also am strongly opposed to keeping any one man in office from year to year without change, particularly so when there are plenty of men in different parts of the County, equally as well qualified, quite as disinterested, fully as conscientious and willing to perform the duties, for the same remuneration. Is it fair or honest to keep one man continually in office to the exclusion of all others, when the officer is liberally paid for his services? or is it likewise fair to compel men to act from year to year in subordinate positions in which the remuneration is comparatively nothing. I think not, and believe that the Council was fully justified in making the change and hope that they will continue to do so at reasonable intervals irrespective of whom the party may be who is to be removed. "Cornwallis" should remember that his opinion, when unaccompanied by justifiable reasons, is not sufficient to cast discredit upon the Councilors of Horton and Aylesford.

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Could come to him, on flaming wings
Of fire,
And grant at last his weary soul's desire.
So let him die, as he had lived—a Jew.
Where his long-suffering tribe no base
badge wear,
But walk in shining robes of glory dress,
Where psalms and songs float ever on the
air,
Old Shylock sought and found eternal
rest.
Found he long had yearned for, waiting
there.
Found sweet content and peace on
Leah's breast.
Donald Robertson.

"KISS ME, TOO, PAPA."
"Hand me that collar button," demanded George Wellsby, with an annoyed air toward his little girl. "Learn to let things alone, will you? There now, tune up and howl." "George please don't speak to the child that way," said Mrs. Wellsby, depositing a shirt for him on the chair. "Well why can't she behave herself? Every time she sees that I am getting ready to go any place, she makes a point of hindering me. Let that cravat alone!" "Put down papa's cravat darling!" said mamma. "But she's too young to know any better." "No, she isn't. Other people's children know how to behave. I'll miss the train. I am sometimes tempted to wish she'd never been born."

"Oh, George," exclaimed the wife, "I wouldn't say that." "Confound it, she worries me so. I haven't more than time to catch the train," hurriedly kissing his wife.
"Kiss me too, papa." "I ought not, you are so bad," stopping and kissing her, "Good by. I'll be back in three or four days."

Mr. Wellsby is a commercial traveller, a kind and tender-hearted man, but subjected at times to nervousness. Seated with several vivacious acquaintances, speeding over the country, a little voice would steal between the roars of merry laughter and say: "Kiss me too, papa."

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"What's the news?" he asked of a friend, when he had stepped upon the platform and called a hackman. "Nothing, I believe; everything's quiet." "No scarlet fever or diphtheria raging is there?" "No, not that I have heard." The familiar scenes brought rest to his mind. He looked back upon his trip with a shudder, like one who awakes and contemplates a nightmare through which he has just past. "Good night," he said, paying the hackman. "A light burning. Julia is expecting me," he roused, ascending the steps. A ghastly face met him at the door. A voice in agony whispered: "Oh, George, our little girl is dead."—*Louisville Courier-Journal.*

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Commencing Monday, 1st December.

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		A. M.	P. M.	
Annapolis Leave		6:15	1:30	
14 Bridgetown "		7:15	2:13	
28 Middleton "		8:10	2:58	
42 Aylesford "		9:15	3:37	
47 Berwick "		9:35	3:52	
30 Waterville "		9:40	4:40	
59 Kentville d'pt	5:40	11:15	4:40	
64 Port Williams "	6:00	11:35	4:55	
66 Wolfville "	6:10	11:44	5:03	
69 Grand Pre "	6:25	11:57	5:13	
72 Avonport "	6:40	12:10	5:24	
77 Hantsport "	6:58	12:30	5:39	
84 Windsor "	7:50	1:20	6:05	
116 Windsor Junct "	10:00	3:45	1:28	
130 Halifax arrive	10:45	4:30	8:05	

GOING WEST.	Exp. Daily.	Accom. M.W.F. daily.	
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Halifax leave	7:00	6:15	2:30
14 Windsor Junct "	7:45	7:15	3:30
46 Hantsport "	9:03	10:05	5:33
53 Avonport "	9:28	10:27	6:03
58 Grand Pre "	9:43	10:55	6:20
61 Waterville "	9:54	11:10	6:33
64 Wolfville "	10:03	11:25	6:46
66 Port Williams "	10:10	11:35	6:55
71 Kentville "	10:40	12:25	7:10
80 Waterville "	11:02	1:02	
83 Berwick "	11:10	1:17	
88 Aylesford "	11:25	1:40	
102 Middleton "	12:05	3:00	
116 Bridgetown "	12:47	4:00	
130 Annapolis arrive	1:30	4:55	

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

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Steamer "Evangeline" leaves Annapolis every Tues, Thurs, and Frid., p. m., for Digby.

Steamer "Cleopatra" leaves Annapolis for Boston direct every Tues. p. m., and returns from Lewis Wharf, Boston, every Sat p. m.

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P. Innes,
General Manager
Kentville, 29 November, 1884.

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