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## Sidlet Poetry.

### LONG AFTER.

I shot an arrow in the air;  
It fell to earth, I know not where;  
For, so swift it flew, the sight  
Could not follow it in its flight.

I breathed a song into the air;  
It fell to earth, I know not where;  
For who has sight so keen and strong  
That it can follow the flight of song?

Long, long afterward, in an oak,  
I found the arrow, still unbroken;  
And the song, from beginning to end,  
I found again in the heart of a friend.

### THE WAY OF THE WORLD.

There sat a crow on a lofty tree,  
Watching the world go by;  
He saw a throng that swept along  
With laughter loud and high,  
"In and out through the motley rout"  
Pale ghosts stole on unseen,  
Their hearts were longing for one sweet word.

Of the love that once had been,  
But never a lip there spoke their names,  
Never a tear was shed;  
The crow looked down from his lofty tree,  
"Tis the way of the world," he said.

A singer stood in the market place,  
Singing a tender lay,  
But no one heeded his sorrowful face,  
No one had time to stay.  
He turned away; he sang no more;  
How could he sing in vain?  
And then the world came to his door,  
Bidding him sing again.

But he recked not whether they came or went,  
He lay in his garret dead,  
The crow looked down from his lofty tree,  
"Tis the way of the world," he said.

These sat a queen by a cottage bed,  
Spoke to the widow there;  
Did she not know the same hand blow  
The peasant had to bear?  
And she kissed that humble peasant's brow,  
And then she bent her knee;  
"God of the widow, help her now,  
As thou hast helped me."

"Now, God be thanked," said the old, old dame,  
As heaped from his lofty bough;  
"The times are ill, but there's much good  
In the way of the world I trow."

### Interesting Story.

#### Little Bill's Work.

##### CHAPTER I.

Little Bill had knocked off work early; not because he was lazy; oh dear, no, there never was such another industrious little chap as Bill; but the day had been a fortunate one, he had sold off all his stock in trade (Bill was in the lumber match line) and was returning home with seven pence clear profit in his pocket; no wonder he felt happy; no wonder his dirty little hand was thrust into his pocket, jingling the coppers pleasantly.

He made a call at a cook shop and bought quite a lot of victuals with four pence (it is wonderful what you can do if you only know how to go to market), next he stepped into a baker's and purchased a half a loaf, then left the shop and ran as fast as his little legs would carry him, never once picking a piece from the bread, which he cuddled under his arm.

Little Bill would not have been a pretty boy even if he had been clean, which he decidedly was not; his eyes were small and sharp, his nose flat, his mouth large, and his general appearance starred; probably he thought that dirt kept him warm, for it covered him more effectually than did his garments, which had large ventilation holes here and there, and he evidently made no effort to remove it.

Little Bill lived in a court off Fleet street; I shall not commit myself by saying which court, suffice it that (was the most narrow and dirty; probably that was a very good sort indeed. There was always plenty going on, innumerable small publishers brought out their penny papers there, which brought hundreds of men into the court many times a week, and Bill had almost as much attention to the pictures which were posted up outside the offices; then there was often an exciting row, which ended in a fight and the police; but the best of all, now and again two men came with a harp and a clarionette and played sweet music which almost made Bill cry, while the other children danced.

Little Bill sat watching them for a time, then rose, drank some water from out a broken pitcher, and set out the remainder of the food.

"Father may like it when he comes in," he thought, then went back to watch the children.

After a time he heard a step upon the stairs, which a fit of coughing shook his thin, emaciated, frame then he began mounting the dark staircase till he reached the very top of the house. Arrived there he turned the handle of a door and found it locked.

"Is that you, Billy?" said a childish voice.

"Is 'at 'ou, Billy?" said a more childish echo.

"Yes, why's the door locked? Ask father to open it."

Father's gone out; he took the key with him and said Mrs Green would give it to you when you came home," said the voice which had first spoken.

"When 'on tom' 'ome," came the echo.

Bill did not speak again, but he put down his provisions and he retraced his steps as quickly as possible. Mrs Green occupied the first floor back. Bill looked into her room; she was certainly not there.

Probably he knew from previous experience where to find her, for without a moment's pause he went down the remaining stairs, ran out of the court, and entered the public bar of a public house which stands at the corner of Fetter lane.

A number of men and women were standing there drinking, talking, and laughing loudly, but pleasantly. Bill went up to a great stout woman and touched her arm.

"Please, Mrs Green," he said, "will you give me the key of our room?"

Mrs Green started and turned round.

"Bless us and save us, it ain't little Bill. 'Why, child, how did you know where to find me?"

"I guessed you'd be here," answered Bill; then as the rest of the company laughed, he added quickly, "nause I know as you like pleasant company."

"Well, here's the key," she said, sliding it from her pocket. "Blest if I hadn't forgot it. Have a sip of this Bill." She held a glass of steaming gin and water toward him as she spoke. If possible his face grew paler than before, and he turned away.

"No, thank you, Mrs Green."

"Nonsense, Bill; it'll warm you."

He looked up into her face.

"I'd rather take a knife," he said, "and kill myself, than touch a drop of that—than learn to like it."

He turned away as he spoke and left the bar-room.

"Father has blue devils," said Mrs Green, as though in apology for little Bill, as she tipped off her beverage, "awful sometimes; can hear him yelling frightful. Bill minds him and the other children more like an angel than a human."

"Where's the mother?" asked a man.

"Lord knows; went off two years ago; but bless you, she had them all most as bad at times."

"Bill soon reached home again, unlocked the door let him in, and was received with every mark of affection by a small boy and a smaller girl, both equally dirty as himself.

"I've got you such a prime supper," he said, taking the newspaper cover from the victuals he had bought at the cook store. "You must eat it fast, and then go to bed in case father comes home; he don't like to find you up."

He gave the children each a portion of meat and bread, then sat watching them.

"Ain't you going to eat nothing?" said Bill's little brother, looking at him in great surprise.

"Not yet; don't feel hungry," and again the cruel cough shook him."

Supper over, the children went to a mattress at the further end of the room, and laid themselves down. Bill pulled the dirty coverings over them, kissed both their grimy faces, then wished them good night. "And if father wakes you when he comes in, don't let him know it."

For a time the children were restless, but at length they sank to sleep, their dirty arms were folded around each other, their dirty cheeks pressed together.

Little Bill sat watching them for a time, then rose, drank some water from out a broken pitcher, and set out the remainder of the food.

"Father may like it when he comes in," he thought, then went back to watch the children.

After a time he heard a step upon the stairs, which a heavy, stumbling step, but he did not move, and when a man rolled rather than walked into the room he just lifted his eyes and looked at him quietly, keenly; then rose, crossed the room, and gently drew the man to a chair.

"Head bad, father?" he asked.

"Duced bad," the man answered shortly.

Something was evidently the matter with little Bill's father, agree perhaps for he shook all over, only his head and hands jerked themselves more than the rest of his body, and now and then his arms shot out spasmodically; his face was gray, and great beads of perspiration rolled down; his eyes wandered round the room, as though seeking for something fearfully.

"I'll just put a bandage on 'yead," said Bill, quietly; "there ain't nothing like it. What are you looking at, father?"

The man had risen and stood gazing in horror at the floor. Bill made him sit down, and hastily bound a dripping rag round his head.

"Is it rats, father?" he asked.

The man shivered more than ever.

"Yes, look, they're coming on to me."

He gave a great scream, and would have leapt up, but the child's hands restrained him.

"There is many, father," he said quite quietly and naturally; "but, bless you, they won't hurt you. See, they are quite as close to me as they is to you."

The man's head shook so that the wonder is it did not drop off; and he glared up into the boy's face.

"There was sich strange things about to-night, Bill," he whispered, "ions and tigers—and all after me."

Bill expressed no surprise, but thought a minute.

"That's very like," he said at last, "I did hear as a menagery had got loose. Did you run, father?"

"And snakes," said the man, not heeding the question.

"Ah, to be sure there would be snakes," then following the man's eyes which opened wider and wider till they almost seemed as though they would drop out. "You don't happen to see any of them now, do you, father?"

He pressed his hand more tightly down upon the man's shoulder, and wetted the man's nose more.

"There's millions," the man answered, all a-coming this way. Let me go."

He wrunched his collar from the child's hands, but he caught him by the arm.

"Father," he said, "dear, dear father, step a time; they won't hurt you, they're tame snakes, and I want to tell what I think brings them here."

The man sat down again, his eyes riveted toward the father and the child; the child coughed till he almost shook himself to pieces, then leaned heavily against his father.

"It's kind of you to stay and listen to me, father," he said at last, "because of course it ain't nice to have rats and snakes, and—sich like a crawling about the room if it can be stopped;—and I think it can, for I believe, father, it's the drink that brings them."

"What?" yelled the father, "d'you mean to insinuate that I takes too much; that they ain't there really; that I only sees them in my mind you?"

"No, no, father," said the boy, gently interrupting him. "Why, don't I see them as plain as anything, all a-running and a-crawling over each other?"

"But there gone now," said the man suspiciously.

"Of course they is; you frightened them when you leaped up and yelled. They can't abide noise, but Lord knows how soon they'll be back again. 'Why I do believe,' watching the man's eyes, that they're a-coming now. 'Let me bathe your head again, father.'"

Once more the dripping cloth was bound around the man's brow, once more the child was shaken with his cough. "As I was a-saying, father," the boy continued, "I think it's the drink, the smell of it, as draws them; I've heard that snakes and rats and their sorts are uncommon partial to spirits, and you see, father, there's

generally a little smell of it about you, though it's but one glass you've took."

Again the man looked strangely into the child's face.

"Partial to spirits, are they? Where did you hear that?"

"Well, I can't exactly say, father; but I've heard that in India and France, and—and Iceland, where sich things live, and bite, father, for they are not quiet and harmless like they is here, that they fill tanks with spirits over night, and in the morning there's hundreds lying about as drunk as can be, a-singing—I mean a stinging and a-biting of each other like winkle; then the people sweeps them up, and burns them; so I thought, father, that if that was the case there, may be you, though you ain't to-day strong of spirits, yet do smell a little, might draw them varmints here, for they don't come when me and the little ones is alone; and p'raps, father, if you just took a beer for a time, they might go away far enough not to be drawn by the smell, if you did have a glass of spirits now and again."

"Once more the child stopped to cough, again dipped the rag in water and laid it on the man's head.

"Try and eat a bit, father," he said, and silently the man turned to the victuals, then, uttering a mighty scream, flung the boy from him and rushed out of the room.

Bill fell, but was on his feet in a moment, and after his father. The two children sat up in bed, but he had no time to notice them. Down the stairs he went, through the court, along Fleet street, up the Strand, on, keeping his father still in sight till they came to Trafalgar square, then for a moment the man stopped, then dashed toward one of the fountain ponds and sprang in. Quick as thought Bill followed, and they beat about in the water together, the child pulling at the man, drawing him toward the edge, and at length they crawled out.

"How did it happen?" said the man, sobbing up at last. Bill coughed again and shivered.

"Why," he said, quite calmly and naturally, "we was running a race, and you fell into this 'ere water, and like a silly fool I couldn't stop myself and fell in after. Let's us go home, father."

CHAPTER II.

Little Bill was ill, in fact had been ill for some time, but no one had noticed it; the other lodgers thought his cough a nuisance, as it often awoke them at night, but it never entered their heads that there was anything the matter with little Bill's lungs. However, some days after his ducking in the fountain pond in Trafalgar square little Bill found, to his utter amazement, one morning that it was impossible to move from his mattress; it had been a trouble often, but at last he really could not get up.

"Sid," he said, giving his brother a push, "Sid, ain't it queer; I can't get up."

"Can't get up, Billy," he said, "why not?"

"Well, I don't know; it's mighty queer, but it's because I can't, I suppose. I feel so strange, and faint like, that you'll best wake father, perhaps."

Father, strange to say, had stuck to beer for the last two or three days, and came home each night only moderately, almost respectably, drunk; consequently the snakes and rats, not attracted by the spirit smell, had not put in an appearance. Sid ran to his father's bed and shook him.

"Father," he said, "father, Billy can't get up."

Father opened his eyes.

Calendar for February

Calendar table with columns for days of the week and dates from 1 to 28.

WOLFVILLE, N. S., FEB. 26, 1886.

We would direct the attention of our readers to the minutes of the convention held at Coldbrook on Saturday last for the purpose of nominating a temperance candidate for the Local Legislature. We are so cramped for space in this issue that we are unable to say anything in reference to the nomination, but will refer to it later on. In meantime it would be well for our readers to give the matter careful consideration.

The gentlemanly and polished horse-correspondent to the Western Chronicle, Mr C. B. Bill, refers to us in a recent issue of that paper as a "legal and long-haired organ." We do not understand the insinuation, nor do we wish to; neither do we wish to be drawn into any of Mr Bill's controversies. We would merely suggest that he settle the matter which he has now in hand before he takes up the pen to attack anyone else. We do not aspire to notoriety, and when we desire to enter into a discussion we shall endeavor to find a cleaner pen to oppose than that wielded by Mr Bill.

As we go to press the voters' lists for the Local election are being posted in the several wards in this county and throughout the province, and the name of any person that should be added to or struck off said list must be forwarded to the revisors on or before the 15th of March, at which time the lists will be revised and confirmed, and no person will be entitled to vote at the election, which will take place during the present year, unless his name appears thereon. Don't fail to see the list posted in your ward, and if you have the qualifications of an elector and your name does not appear upon the list, see to it before it is too late, for it is your duty as well as privilege to cast your vote for the representative who in your opinion would best serve your interests.

The highest tides known here for a number of years occurred on Saturday last. Persons who know claim that the water rose from 4 to 6 inches higher than during the memorable Saxby tide of 1869. Nearly all the buildings and cellars on and near mud bridge were deluged, and the water came into the rink and filled it up to the windows, spoiling the skating for the time. Most of the dykes on the Gasparan and Cornwallis rivers were flooded with water, as was also about 200 acres on the Grand Pre. A large piece of ice drifted on the Bout Island dyke and carried away several rods of the structure. Fortunately there was little wind and the dykes were frozen hard, otherwise the damage would have been much greater. Such high tides are something remarkable at this season of the year.

Frequent reference has been made in the columns of this paper, both editorially and by correspondents, to the matter of having a lock-up in Wolfville. No one will deny that such an institution is needed and that it would be a great benefit to the place. We have a proposition to make now to the people interested which should receive their careful consideration. Most of our readers know that Windsor has recently built a fine new jail; consequently they have no use for their old one. Now we think that Wolfville being in need of such an institution, and being too poor (?) to build one for itself, might purchase the old jail and have it brought here. Perhaps the town of Windsor might make us a donation of the classic old structure, seeing that we stand in such a need of it.

The road leading up the mountain through the village of Gasparan still remains in the same position as when first opened some 50 years ago, although several attempts have been made and committees appointed to look out some new site in which a portion of the hill might be avoided. During the past summer some of the knowing ones made an examination of the locality and were so far convinced that a site could be found in which the rise of the hill would not be more than half as great as at present, that they induced a petition to be circulated asking the council to appoint yet another committee to go upon the road for the purpose before mentioned. The committee was appointed, and with the necessary instruments to measure the rise of the hill, repaired to the spot, and after fully examining and testing the best possible site to be found came to the conclusion that the mountain would have to be ascended and that there was no way of getting to the top of a hill but by climbing it, and therefore abandoned the idea of making any improvement upon the present site.

RANDOM SHOTS.

In looking over the columns of a late issue of the ACADIAN my eyes fell upon a certain notice. It was that the delegates appointed by the several wards were requested to meet at Coldbrook, to select suitable candidates for the Local Legislature. How glad I was to know that the temperance people in our county were determined to fill our Parliaments with members favoring temperance. This is certainly a step in the right direction and it should commend itself to every right thinking man in the county. Lecturers of the Grand Division have plainly marked and openly proclaimed from the platform, that the temperance sentiment was at a low ebb in King's county. Now that the members of the County Temperance Alliance have taken the field to appoint suitable persons to make our laws, all those who have the cause of temperance at heart should lend their aid and endeavor to repel the accusations which have rightfully been heaped upon us. We are rejoicing at the election for our House of Assembly. Never before has a contest been fought out on temperance principles, but who can doubt of the result if all of those who have the principles of total abstinence at heart should arise as one man, and determine to accomplish the end which the County Alliance has in view. There is no reform more to be desired than in temperance; there is no extreme more to be condemned than this extreme partiality which characterizes all our people. To some Sir John A. McDonald is the beau ideal of a statesman, to others Edward Blake is a political Alexander, while two-thirds of the voters in the Dominion could not give their reasons for supporting a certain party, except that they possessed an hereditary will. But there is not an elector in our County that could not instantly choose between temperance and intemperance if he remove all prejudice from his mind. The Scott Act was carried in our county by a very large percentage of its voters. Cannot the election at hand be carried in the same way? If can if all the temperance voters will throw aside all party strife and determine to fill our Legislature with members pledged to prohibition. Brethren all, "the cause is entitled to your keeping." Prohibition for Nova Scotia now lies with our House of Assembly. Give yourselves for the contest, and help to overcome the accursed traffic which has blighted our land. Prohibition is the child of to-day, we can help to make it the man of to-morrow.

In glancing over our provincial papers we frequently find notices of Nova Scotia becoming famous abroad. A new cycle has lately opened up before us and "Nova Scotians at home" are receiving the laurels of the day. Not long ago one of our Halifax dailies came out with a whole column concerning one of the most widely known men in our county. It was an able written article and contained much that was calculated to raise the opinion of Nova Scotians not only in their own eyes but in the eyes of others, but it also contained some items that were misleading, whether they originated in the mind of the writer or of the subject. They were concerning the success in raising turnips and potatoes on dyke land. Had the cultivation of potatoes on land of this kind been so "eminently successful" as the article speaks of, the farmers in Canard Street would have planted it, as a number of persons have adapted potatoes on land equally as sandy and porous in past years. In some cases large crops were given, but a very great many were rotten; and the present case has not been considered an eminent success by anyone who thoroughly understood the extra work to raise them. It requires the very best dyke to grow potatoes, and this dyke will give \$20, at the lowest, for grass and afterfeed. Now the dyke is a great deal harder to plow than upland, will take three times as much harrowing, Virgil, and teach them whatsoever things are honest and manly, just as well as in the old days he taught such boys as Wheelock Burdige, Deputy Minister of Justice, and Government Representative at the trial of Riel at Regina; D. H. Burdige, Principal of Morris Street School; A. C. Bell, M. P., Leader of the Opposition; and a host of doctors, lawyers, ministers, merchants, farmers, and other old boys. Is there no change there? The school teacher are the same, only a little older, but the boys are '60 are men to-night, and their boys are Aecia Villans. May the old school in which so many of us boys were trained up in the way we should go, continue to prosper, and time and change touch the master kindly!

Follow me now to the Landing—a dilapidated, ruined wharf, an abandoned ship-yard, chips and mud; that is all when the tide is out. Once there was life here.

"Ships were built and launched here. And then throughout the shipyard's bounds We've heard the intermingled sounds Of axes and of mallets, piled With vigorous arms on every side." And later, when all is finished:— "At the word, Loud and sudden there was heard, All around them and below The sound of hammers, blow on blow, Knocking away the shores and spars. And she! she starts—she seems to feel She starts—she moves—she seems to feel The thrill of life along her keel, And, springing with her foot the ground, With one exulting, joyous bound, She leaps into the ocean's arms." Continued.

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1885 XMAS & NEW YEAR 1886 Burpee Witter. Is showing as usual a LARGE STOCK OF NEW GOODS! FOR THE Holiday Season. NOTE THE FOLLOWING SPECIALITIES! Wool Squares, from 50c to \$3.25, in Black, Cardinal, Sky, Garnet, Cream, Navy, White, Salmon, etc. Wool Clouds in beautiful colors. Wool Fasteners in a variety of new designs. FUR CAPES from \$2.00 to \$19.50. Boys', Youths', and Men's OVERCOATS in Newest Styles. A large stock of ladies' and gents' CUPS AND SAUERS. Vases, Dolls and Fancy Goods, Christmas Cards, Handkerchiefs!

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Clearing out balance of Winter Goods. Making room for New Spring Stock. Now is the opportunity to buy Remnants at Great Bargains.

WINCHEYS. Flaid, Checked, Plain and Twilled, selling at a very small advance on cost. FLANNELS. White and Grey Shaker, Red, White and Grey All Wool. REMNANTS OF DRESS GOODS SELLING AT COST!

SACQUES, MANTLES, ULSTERS, STREET JERSEYS—A GOOD ASSORTMENT YET TO CHOOSE FROM. WOOL GOODS. Clouds, Nubias, Squares, Shirts, Jackets, Children's Suits. We will not stick at any reasonable offer for the balance of these goods. FUR CAPES, MUFFS, CAPS, TRIMMINGS. Our customers will find it to their advantage to purchase these goods even if they have to keep them until next season. GREY COTTON. We have just received a supply of Grey Cottons from Gibson's Mill. These cottons take the lead of any manufactured in the Dominion. For evenness of texture, width and weight cannot be surpassed by any at the same price.

Are you thinking of buying a new Carpet for the Spring? If so, come and look at ours. We are giving a discount of 10 percent on all our Carpets. WE HAVE A SPLENDID STOCK OF ROOTS & SHOES, AYER'S OIL-TANNED LARAKINS, LADIES' FINE KID, OIL GOAT, SWISSKID, ETC. Produce taken in exchange for Goods—Oats, Dried Apples, Beans, Wood, Eggs, etc. Wolfville, February 12th

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The choicest Congou and Oolong Tea, 30c, 40c, and 50c, also standard Java and French Coffees, a fresh supply just received at R. PRAT'S.

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WOOD BOX BLACKING, MIXED PICKLES, 15c and 25c per bottle, LIME JUICE SYRUPS, ENGLISH BRONZA, MOTT'S No 1 CHOCOLATE, COOK'S GELATINE, FRESH BUCKWHEAT and GRAHAM FLOUR, received this week.

See our fine stock LAMPS, CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, and FANCY GOODS.

THE ACADIAN

WOLFVILLE, N. S., FEB. 26, 1886

Local and Provincial.

Pretty cold this week.

Hear Lougley's lecture in College Hall to-morrow night.

John B. Gough, the celebrated temperance orator, is dead.

Don't miss the Pierian Entertainment in College Hall to-night!

Mr. Thos. Knight, representing McGregor & Knight, is in town.

Communication from R. T. Murray received too late for this issue.

17 pounds good sugar for \$1 at O. W. Trenholm's.

Mr. M. B. Shaw, of the college, preached in the Presbyterian church last Sabbath.

The Local and Dominion parliaments met for the transaction of business yesterday.

Messrs J. B. Hemmeon and S. C. Moore left for Ottawa on parliamentary business a few days ago.

Five copies of Fine Writing Paper for only 20c, at Rockwell & Co's 17

Caldwell & Murray's store will be closed Monday the 1st of March in order to take stock. Open again Tuesday as usual.

We direct attention to the advertisement of Mr O. W. Trenholm in another column. His stock is complete and his prices reasonable. Give him a call.

Rockwell & Co. are still framing pictures at reduced rates.

Old RELIC.—A few days ago Edgar Pinco while digging on a bank near New Minas to unearth a corpse of raccoons, found an old French axe. It is a very primitive affair compared with our axe of to-day.

Smoke the "TWINS," the best first-cent cigar in town, at Shaw's Barber Shop.

LECTURE.—Prof. Smith, agricultural professor at Truro, will deliver a lecture in the G. H. Hall, Church St., on Thursday evening, March 4th. His subject will be the feeding and care of animals. The admission will be free, and all wishing to hear a popular lecture will do well to attend.

TAKE NOTICE.—If your razor is dull, take it to J. M. Shaw's Barber Shop, and he will put it in first-class order for the small sum of 15c. 10 if

ALMOST AN ACCIDENT.—Just as the express train for Halifax started to leave Wolfville station Tuesday evening last, an old man named Wallace stepped from one of the cars to the station platform and attempted to get on another car; instead of doing which he swung around between the two cars, and would have been crushed to death had it not been for the presence of mind and the heroic conduct of Brakenham Dan Blair, who jumped from the baggage car door and caught the old man, lifting him by sheer muscular force at arms' length and landing him on the platform of the car, then catching the hind car himself. Such an act should not pass unrewarded.

If you wish to color wool, cottons, silk or feathers, use the new Electric Dyes, Strongest and Best in the world. 10 cents at all-dealers.

SOCIABLE.—The sociable given by the ladies of the Baptist church in Witter's Hall on Wednesday evening was in every way a success. The house was well filled by a most appreciative audience. An excellent musical program, consisting of vocal and instrumental solos, duets, trios, quartettes, &c., was finely rendered. Miss Maggie Bishop read "My Sister and I," in her usual pleasing manner, and was highly applauded. Among the pleasing features of the entertainment was the performance of the Wolfville Quintette Club, which was even better than usual. Taken as a whole a most enjoyable evening was spent, and we hope before long we shall be favored by such another sociable.

Lumber, Shingles and Bricks for sale low at S. R. Sleep's.

CANNING.

The schr. Cygnet, Capt. Milton, arrived at this port on the 23d inst.

also the schr. Glide, Capt. Hunter. There was some anxiety felt as to the whereabouts of this last mentioned schooner. She cleared from Boston the 8th January. She remained in Musquash three weeks, having been informed the Basin was full of ice, which was a mistake. These vessels will load with potatoes.

PIERIAN ENTERTAINMENT.

The following is the program of the entertainment with which the Pierian Society will favor us to-night. Their entertainments are so favorably known that it is not necessary for us to say anything by way of recommendation.

- 1-Opening Chorus: "The Last Beam." Misses Lovett and Graham. [Watson.
2-Reading: "The Little Black-eyed Rebel." Will Carleton.
3-Piano Solo: "La Traite." Heller. Miss May Davis.
4-Vocal Duett: "Guide His Footsteps." Misses Vaughan & Brown. [Wallace.
5-Reading: "Order for a Picture." Alice Miss May MacDonald. [Carey.
6-Piano Duett: "Symphony No. 9." Misses Sawyer & Wood. [Langdon.
7-Reading: "John Burns at Gettysburg." Miss Edith Chipman.
8-Vocal Solo: "Sweet Violets." Emma. Miss Ernie Day.
9-Piano Solo: "Rondo Brillante." Weber. Miss Hattie Eaton.
10-Reading: "Kentucky Bell." Constance Miss Grace Porter. [E. Wilson.
11-Vocal Solo: "Thine is My Heart." Miss May Vaughan. [Ourschmann.
12-Reading: "The Dandy Fifth." Frank Miss Kate Dickie. [Gassaway.
13-Vocal Solo: "Through the Clover." Miss May Brown. [Beatrice.
14-Vocal Trio: "Twilight." Franz-Abt. Misses Brown, Frizzle, M. Brown, B. Vaughan, Calkin and Crosby. GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

CONFENTION AT COLDBROOK.

Minutes of meeting held at Coldbrook, on the 20th Feb'y, 1886, for the purpose of selecting candidates to represent the county of King's in the Local Legislature.—A. McN. Patterson was elected chairman and R. B. Duncan secretary of the meeting. Mr J. W. Wallace asked if the candidates selected at this meeting would be at liberty to accept the party nominations, to which an answer was returned in the affirmative. Mr M. Fisher moved, seconded by Dr H. Chipman, that each ward represented here have two (2) delegates who shall nominate candidates for the consideration of the meeting; passed. The delegates were appointed as follows:

- Ward 1, Sydney Blackhorn, Leander Rand
2, Robert W. Starr, Patten Wood.
3, C. R. Bell, Enoch Griffin
4, J. N. Coleman, Benj. Woodard.
5, A. T. Becker, John Selfridge.
6, B. H. Hbley, A. J. Pisco.
7, J. W. Hamilton, J. W. Wallace.
8, Dr J. N. Fuller, Dr H. Chipman.
9, J. M. Parker, H. Jefferson.

The delegates retired, and after consulting submitted the following names for the consideration of the meeting:—M. Fisher, W. C. Bell, C. R. H. Starr, F. G. Curry, J. N. Coleman, Leander Rand. Moved and seconded that the names of these on one political party be first submitted to the meeting and then those of the other party; passed. Moved and seconded that the nominations be decided by a majority of the votes cast; passed. Mr J. W. Caldwell and Dr Chipman were appointed tellers; Messrs Matthew Fisher and Charles R. H. Starr were selected as candidates by the meeting. Resolved on motion that the secretary send a copy of the minutes of this meeting to each paper published in the county. The following document was drawn up and signed by those present in the meeting willing to support the movement:

WHEREAS, at a public meeting held at Coldbrook on the 20th, February, 1886, Matthew Fisher and Charles R. H. Starr were selected and chosen as suitable persons to represent us in the local legislature, therefore we the undersigned do pledge them our vote and support in order to have them returned as our representatives at our next election.

Resolved that the secretary send a copy of this paper to some prominent individual in each ward. Adjourned on motion. A. McN. Patterson, R. R. Duncan, Chairman, Sec'y.

PIERIAN.

"What's in a name?" Shakespeare puts the question, and without waiting for a reply, answers, "A rose by any other name would smell as sweet." Pierian, derived from the Greek, Pierios, or from the Latin, Pierius. Pierios, King of Emania, another name for Macedonia, gave his nine daughters the names of the nine Muses, namely, Calliope, Clio, Erato, Euterpe, Melpomene, Polyhymnia, Terpsichore, Thalia and Uranid. Their mother's name was Eupipe.

"Paonia" Eupipe mater fuit.—Ovid. Like the Muses, the Pierides, that is the daughters of Pieros, cultivated music, and, jealous of the reputation of those divine beings, challenged them to a musical contest. The Nymphs, or Nymphs, being appointed judges, decided in favor of the Muses. With this award the Pierides, being much displeas'd, vented their dissatisfaction in reproaches and abusive language. Whereupon the goddesses exercised their divine powers and changed their rivals into those well, but unfavorably known birds, the Magpies. "Tantane animis coelestibus irae!" The daughters of Pieros, as they were proficients in music were sometimes called Muses, or Muses, and were thus confounded with the deities, properly so called. The Magpie, or Pie, is a parti-colored bird of the crow tribe, called by Linnaeus "Corvus pica," and by Slinkenspeare the "Maggo-pie." It is moreover a loquacious, chattering bird, which is probably its most marked characteristic, and it was this property, especially, which was imposed upon the Pierides, and which was a punishment for daring to contest with the Muses. It must not be understood however that Pierian Societies have assumed the name because they resemble Magpies in either dress or loquacity or a chattering propensity; or that others are disposed to regard them as chatter-boxes or chattering birds, as if they were the "Maggo-pie." All that is designed in this learned disquisition is to trace and give the origin of the word Pierian—of which it is possible that some members of societies bearing that name have not always been aware. C. W. Wallace, Feb. 22, 1886.

ACADIA SEMINARY.

A correspondent to the Messenger and Visitor says the following in reference to Acadia Seminary: "This is an institution that is becoming well and favorably known to our Baptist public; but not yet more widely known than it should be, considering the work it is doing and the important place it holds in our educational machinery. I lately had the privilege of visiting the commodious building in which this school has its headquarters, and was much pleased with the air of taste and refinement that prevailed there. The large reception room at the entrance attracted attention immediately on entering the building. This, as it is now furnished and furnished, is certainly an elegant room. The walls and ceiling were painted in colors by a competent artist over a year ago, and now, through the generosity of Mrs Lovitt, of Yarmouth, the room has been carpeted in a style to match and harmonize with the mural decorations. The crystal, and the large Persian rug, in the adjacent music room, were selected, I learned, by Miss Graves, and they certainly exhibit a discriminating taste. The main body of the school is bright and warm in color, without being extreme, and the deep border of still richer color, surrounded by inland native woods, gives to the whole a most pleasing effect.

In company with the principal, I visited the library and reading-room. In the former they have nearly 400 volumes. In looking over them I saw all the leading poets and essayists represented, and several of the better writers of fiction. There was also standard works in other departments of literature and valuable books of reference. The reading-room is supplied with the leading provincial papers, and a few American. The arrangement of the main hall is very convenient, and the school is always open and easy of access, the young ladies have no excuse for not becoming acquainted with the current events of the day. On enquiry, I found the number in attendance this term to be 75; of these, 3 are from Cape Breton, 7 from N. B., 3 from P. E. I., 1 from New York, and 59 from N. S. proper. The curriculum of this school is now most satisfactory. The teachers have skill and experience, and there is prevailing the work of the institution, a very healthful, moral and religious atmosphere. Seminary is a school to be commended to those who wish a thorough education at a moderate expense."

THE LITTLE SWEETHEARTS.

This beautiful picture of which we have heard so much is without doubt far superior to the ordinary premium chromos. In fact it will pay all who receive the "Little Sweethearts" to take it at once to Rockwell & Co.'s and have it framed, as they are in a position to frame these pictures at from 10 to 20 percent less than any other firm in the County.

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4d.—Our Frames are all made by first-class workmen who have had long experience in the business, therefore customers will find our work neater and more durable than that done by Amateurs who put frames up from a saw in a rough manner.
Now if you have any pictures to frame don't fail to give us a call, and we will show you our work and give any further information required.
A full line of Rustic Frames, Cabin Frames in plush and wood always on hand.

ROCKWELL & CO., Booksellers & Stationers.

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NEW STORE.

The subscriber has recently opened a Store at Grand Pre, and has constantly on hand and for sale low for cash or mercantile produce a choice stock of staple and fancy

GROCERIES, FLOUR, MEAL, ETC.

O. W. TRENHOLM. Grand Pre, Feb'y 12th, 1886

Notice of Assignment.

James Piek, of White Rock, in the county of King's, has by deed dated the 16th of November, 1885, assigned to me all and singular his real estate, goods, chattels, and effects in trust for the benefit of his creditors as therein set out. All creditors wishing to honor their claims are requested to sign and execute the same within three months from the date thereof. Said deed is on file at the office of the Registrar of deeds in and for the county of King's aforesaid, and a duplicate thereof can be inspected and signed at my office in Wolfville, A. de W. BARRES, Wolfville, Dec. 10, 1885. Assignee.

EGGS, EGGS.

Make your Hens Lay by using the American Egg Food. Sold by G. V. RAND. Sample Packages sent by mail, post-paid, for 35c and 60c. Wolfville, February 17, 1886

A YOUNG HORSE.

Rising four, broken to all kinds of harness. Will be sold low. Apply at this office. 7 ft

DISCOUNT.

WESTERN BOOK & NEWS CO. Are making a discount of 5 percent off all cash purchases up to \$5.00, and over that amount 10 percent—with exception of the text books used at the College and Academy, which we are selling so low that we cannot discount them. Wolfville, February 19th

FERTILIZERS.

Great Reduction in Prices. Jack & Bell offer their Celebrated "Ceres" Superphosphate \$5 a bbl on time. "Ceres" Superphosphate \$4.75 a bbl cash. Also—"Popular" Phosphate \$2 a bbl on time. "Popular" Phosphate \$3.75 a bbl cash. Above Fertilizers are put up in barrels of 250 lb net, and above prices are at wharf or depot, Halifax. No reduction in quality of "Ceres". We also offer our Celebrated Bone at usual rates. Send for circulars. JACK & BELL, Halifax, N. S. G. H. WALLACE, Agent, Wolfville, Halifax, Feb 12th 86

The Little Sweethearts.

This beautiful picture of which we have heard so much is without doubt far superior to the ordinary premium chromos. In fact it will pay all who receive the "Little Sweethearts" to take it at once to Rockwell & Co.'s and have it framed, as they are in a position to frame these pictures at from 10 to 20 percent less than any other firm in the County.

YOU MAY ASK WHY?

- 1st.—We import our mouldings and fittings direct from the manufacturers.
2d.—We have framed more pictures in the past year than any other firm in this County, and five times as many as those who merely dabble in the business, therefore we use more stock and are thereby able to import in large quantities, thereby getting extra discounts. This also shows that our prices are right or we would not be patronised so largely.
3d.—We have every facility for making frames, and therefore can do the work cheaper than most others.
4d.—Our Frames are all made by first-class workmen who have had long experience in the business, therefore customers will find our work neater and more durable than that done by Amateurs who put frames up from a saw in a rough manner.
Now if you have any pictures to frame don't fail to give us a call, and we will show you our work and give any further information required.
A full line of Rustic Frames, Cabin Frames in plush and wood always on hand.

ROCKWELL & CO., Booksellers & Stationers.

Main Street, Wolfville, N. S. January 22d, 1886.

Flour! Flour!

JUST RECEIVED. Another Car-load of "CROWN OF GOLD" The best flour made in the Dominion. Every Barrel Warranted. For sale low for cash by G. H. Wallace. Wolfville, Oct. 23, 1885.

NEW STORE.

The subscriber has recently opened a Store at Grand Pre, and has constantly on hand and for sale low for cash or mercantile produce a choice stock of staple and fancy

GROCERIES, FLOUR, MEAL, ETC.

O. W. TRENHOLM. Grand Pre, Feb'y 12th, 1886

Notice of Assignment.

James Piek, of White Rock, in the county of King's, has by deed dated the 16th of November, 1885, assigned to me all and singular his real estate, goods, chattels, and effects in trust for the benefit of his creditors as therein set out. All creditors wishing to honor their claims are requested to sign and execute the same within three months from the date thereof. Said deed is on file at the office of the Registrar of deeds in and for the county of King's aforesaid, and a duplicate thereof can be inspected and signed at my office in Wolfville, A. de W. BARRES, Wolfville, Dec. 10, 1885. Assignee.

Silver Ware.

We have a fine stock of Silver Ware, including Castors, Cake Baskets Butter Dishes, Pickle Castors, Card Receivers, Knives, Spoons, Forks, Napkin Rings, etc, which we are selling at extremely low prices. These goods are warranted first quality quadruple plate. Rockwell & Co., MAIN ST., WOLFVILLE.

The Celebrated Electric Dyes

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Sweeping Reductions

In SUITS made by me For 1 Month Having a large stock on hand I wish to clear out to make room for New Stock. A. McPHERSON, KENTVILLE. Sept. 25, 1884

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and at least a moderate competence, come to those who follow the teachings of the AMERICAN AGRICULTURIST. This world-renowned periodical, in addition to its other great features, has now employed the Leading American Writers to describe The Rural Lives of our American Presidents, nearly all of whom were reared on farms, or retired from active life. Donald G. Mitchell (the Marvel), R. H. Stoddard, James Parton, Julian Hawthorne, Dr Lyman Abbott, and others equally eminent, are now preparing these supplemental Historical Papers. They are to be accompanied with ENGRAVINGS, 12x18 inches in size, executed at large expense by our first artists, illustrating the Rural Homes and surroundings of our Farmer Presidents, comprising a magnificent Portfolio collection for every house, rich and poor alike. These illustrations of the Rural Homes and surroundings of our Farmer Presidents, comprising Special Papers and Special Engravings will be of absorbing interest to all interested in country life, and likewise constitute an important acquisition to the historical knowledge of the country. R. H. Stoddard writes: "I am sure they will be popular in a literary sense, and equally sure they will be of great value to the boys of this country, who have a right to look forward to becoming our future rulers."—Donald G. Mitchell writes: "I have some copies of unpublished letters—Lyman Abbott: "It is an admirable design, showing the close connection between our Farmer Presidents with the soil."—Julian Hawthorne: "An attractive scheme. I shall be glad to have a hand in it."—James Parton: "One of my articles will be ready in three weeks." Every subscriber to the American Agriculturist for 1886 is entitled to these descriptions and Engravings of the Rural Lives of our Presidents, forwarded without additional cost with the numbers of the American Agriculturist, as they appear; or specially executed on heavy, highly finished paper, and forwarded with the additional trifling cost for packing and postage. SINGLE SUBSCRIPTION \$1.50. TEN SUBSCRIPTIONS \$15 EACH. For further information, if desired, send six cents for Specimen American Agriculturist, Descriptions of Engravings, Special Terms to Clubs and Canvassers. Address Publishers AMERICAN AGRICULTURIST, David W. Jewell, Pres't, Sam'l Barnham, Sec'y, 75 BROADWAY, NEW YORK.

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Wolfville, Oct. 9th, 1885 Our Fall Stock is now complete and your inspection of the following lines is respectfully invited: BOOTS & SHOES in latest American and Canadian Styles, embracing Ladies' Curious Kid, Fr. Kid, Hand Sewed Fr. Oil Goat, Peb. Goat, Peb. Grain, Men's Nova Scotia Yard Made Coarse Boots, Men's Fine Boots in great variety. American and Canadian Rubber Goods now in stock. GENT'S FURNISHINGS. Gent's Wool Underclothing from 40c. up, positively the greatest selection in Wolfville, Fine Shirts, Wool Top Shirts, Collars, Neckties, Cuffs, Suspenders, Archbalds celebrated Hosiery, Gloves, Umbrellas, &c., &c. HATS & CAPS: Latest styles American Stiff and Soft Hats. Respectfully yours, O. H. BORDEN. Sole Agents for King's County for the Celebrated FRENCH LUSTRE Dressing, for Ladies' Boots.

HIGH CLASS CLOTHING!

I beg to call attention of the critical public to the following interesting facts in connection with the CLOTHING handled by me: All material used in its manufacture is thoroughly shrank before cutting; It will not shrink or lose its shape from getting wet or fair wear; In styles, fit and workmanship it is equal to best Custom Made; THE PRICE, owing to my facilities for handling a large quantity, is the LOWEST IN THE MARKET, notwithstanding its high character or finish and durability. J. W. RYAN. Main Street, Kentville; Granville Street, Halifax

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The subscriber has for service the noted Prize Holstein Bull, Lord of Gasperau, which he imported direct from Holland; so as to get the very best milking strain possible. Terms \$5.00 at time of service. Fred Annand. Grand Pre, Jan. 1st, 1886.

Stoves!

Having completed my Fall importation of Stoves I have now in stock the Largest Variety OF STOVES In The County. All of which I offer a-way down to Bottom Prices to suit the times. Please call and see for yourselves. S. R. Sleep. Wolfville, Oct. 16th, 1885.

PUMPS!

The subscriber takes this opportunity to inform his friends and the public generally that he is prepared to furnish the Celebrated Rubber-Bucket Pump, the best in the market, at his usual low rates. Address—J. B. WORTHYLAKE July 31, 3m. Grand Pre, N. S.

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The subscriber offers for sale yoke of superior Working Oxen in good condition, and perfectly kindne. Harness. Weight 3800 lb. Apply to ALEXANDER FULLERTON, Long Island, July 31, 1885.

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BEFORE.

I. C. R. Dining Hall, Annsbury, Dec. 15, 1885. Have heard so much of it please send a case of



AFTER.

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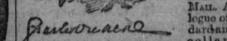
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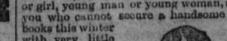
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