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Select Poetry.

IT PAYS.

It pays to wear a smiling face,
And laugh our troubles down,
For all our little trials wait
Our laughter or our frown.
Beneath the magic of a smile,
Our doubts will fade away,
As melts the frost in early spring,
Beneath the sunny ray.

It pays to make a worthy cause,
By helping it, our own,
To give the current of our lives,
A true and noble tone.
It pays to comfort heavy hearts,
Oppressed with full despair,
And leave in sorrow-darkened lives,
One gleam of brightness there.

It pays to give a helping hand
To eager, earnest youth,
To note with all their waywardness,
Their courage and their truth;
To strive with sympathy and love,
Their confidence to win;
It pays to open wide the heart,
And "let the sunshine in."

OUTWARD BOUND.

I sit and watch the ships go out
Across the widening sea;
How one by one, in the shimmering sun,
They sail away from me.
I know not to what lands they sail,
Nor what the freight they bear;
I only know they outward go,
While all the winds are fair.

Beyond the low horizon line
Where my short sight must fail,
Some other eyes a watch will keep,
Where'er the ships may sail;
By night, by day, or near, or far,
O'er narrow seas or wide,
Those follow still, at love's sweet will,
Whatever may befall.

So round the world the ships will sail,
To dreary lands or fair;
So with them go, for west or east,
Some dear ones everywhere.
How will they speed each lagging keel,
When homeward it is laid;
Or watch will keep, o'er unguessed deep,
If there a grave be made!

O human love, so tried, so true,
That knows no wrong nor bound,
But follows with unweary watch
Our daily changing round!
O Love divine, O Love supreme,
What matter where I sail,
So I but know, wherever I go,
Thy watch will never fail!

Interesting Story.

KRELL'S JOHN.

Of all dreary months of the year, January is the dreariest, down by the sea; being synonymous with high gales and deluges of rain, alternated by snows, squalls and bitter freezing cold. Lucky the fisher who has been sufficiently fortunate to allow himself a holiday during that season. Better to doze by the humblest fire-side, though the good wife scold and the babies cry, than to ride the winter waves, stung by the snow-bees and numbed by the wind, with more than likely only a frozen nose or fingers to pay for the toil.

If any mariners were awake to this indisputable fact, the Stormhaven fishers certainly were, for as January is the dreariest winter month, so Stormhaven was the dreariest place to spend it—a poor, brow-beaten settlement whose sole boast was more wrackings and drowned men than any neighboring village.

Shaken by the gales and lashed by the waves, it bore a forlorn aspect of fright, as not knowing in which quarter to look for safety. The houses, built for protection from the wind, faced all points of the compass, and streets in turn followed the erratic example of the dwellings, which, though undoubtedly convenient, were scarcely according to a surveyor's idea of beauty. In fact, on the mildest summer day, Stormhaven was not inviting in appearance, and, in a spattering, angry snow-gust, which chased the waves plying over each other toward the shore, it looked like some deserted village of the Polar regions, rather than the respectable Atlantic town it claimed to be on the map.

Some signs of human life were visible on the beach, however, in the shape of four men engaged in launching a fishing-boat, regardless of the driving flakes. Anything but a cheerful party apparently, three of the number wearing scowls varying in intensity from mild perplexity to the deepest wrath, while the fourth and youngest concealed his brow, and consequently his feelings, beneath an oil-skin cap drawn low over his eyes.

In silence and gloom the quartette worked on until the perplexed member's feelings overcame him. He was a mid-featured giant in a faded pea jacket, whose pockets he nervously explored as he spoke.

"Ef wot we sed las' night, Krell, taken it back," he slowly volunteered; but his right hand companion snapped him up before the words fairly left his mouth.

"Sprak for yerself, young feller," growled the second speaker, with dignity. "Ef Timothy Krell ez hankerin' for a friz nose, let him get it, sez I! Ef a man is gump enough ter put off in sich a storm jes' for a few words, let him go, sez I! Wot'ased on jock, an' ef a man makes arnest of it, 'taint my fault, nor yours nuther."

Number Two was short, stout, and minus an eye; he wore a semicircular piece of beard beneath his chin, extending from ear to ear, where it was met by a thicket of bushy locks, giving the effect of a turbulent sea of hair, out of which his weather-beaten face shone like a most aggressive little island.

A stubborn man was Number Two, otherwise "Uncle Dan!" (surname forgotten, if he ever had one), chief wrangler at Bennett's, the village exchange, and a staunch upholder of his own opinions. Obtusely gleamed from his solitary optic, stubbornness belied in his abundant whiskers; even the manner in which he planted each short leg in the sand evinced utter and entire immovability of character.

But if Number Two was pertinacious, Number Three could discount him. Possibly the too braucing air of Stormhaven was to blame for this superabundant frizziness, which frequently proved most inconvenient to the possessor's near of kin.

Tall, thin, and grim, crowned by an immense sou'-wester hat, Number Three continued to haul the heavy boat towards the surf, scowling deeper at his co-laborer's remarks, and grunting threatening retorts beneath his breath meantime, the force of which no one could quite catch, but that were awesome from their very unintelligibility.

Number Four said nothing. Being the son of Number Three, he had proved the golden value of silence from experience.

Moreover, as his father and himself were alone to make the voyage, he preferred suffering a frozen nose peacefully, rather than bringing down the parental vials of wrath to no purpose.

Most of the Stormhaven residents considered "Krell's John" as rather weak-minded in giving way to his father's oddities as he did; for arrogance and submission being nothing short of imbecility, to their vigorous understandings. At twenty-four one should have a will of his own, if he ever expected to possess such a thing, and surely a man of no spirit is a poor creature. But Krell's John persisted in his tranquil way, heedless of criticism or advice. He had very great reverence for the fifth commandment, and a still greater regard of family disturbances.

He did not purpose always spending his time at Stormhaven. Some day (he did not know exactly when, nor where, nor how) he intended leaving the roar of the elements and the smell of fish, to live according to his own fancy, among men whose sole interest in life would not turn on the direction of the weathercock or the time of the tide; till then why not live in peace?

The most convincing arguments in the world would rebound effectually from the chain-armor of his father's obstinacy, so wherefore waste breath? On one opinion alone he remained firm, in spite of threats, sneers, and stormings. That opinion, naturally, was the identical one of all others that he shouldn't have held, and the subject of it was "Wilder Durant's Hannah."

Hannah was pretty, and Hannah was poor, and crowning crime of all, her father had never caught a fish in his life, being a city clerk, who years before carried off the beauty of the coast as his wife, only at his death to send her back broken in fortune, health, and spirits. Of course, the first mentioned virtue could not outweigh the latter sins; and likewise, of course, she and Krell's weak, dreamy John must need fall in love.

Now, worldly pride has lodging even in a fisherman's breast, a Stormhaven fisherman's at that, and Timothy Krell was by no means pleased with the daughter his nose proposed to present him.

He could lay claim to more of the exceedingly undesirable real estate of Stormhaven than any other man of the place; gossip hinted that he had at least three thousand dollars hoarded up in bank; and justly and most overwhelming, he could trace his ancestors away back into the misty shades of the seventeenth century.

"An every man o' them follered the water!" He was wont to conclude, with a final bang of the fist on the store-counter, after holding forth on his genealogy to an awe-struck circle at Bennett's.

Poor Hannah! She would fly like the foam of the sea before the west wind when she saw her prospective father-in-law loom up in the distance. She was a timid little maid, with frightened, fawn-like eyes, and the life of solitude she led with her sorrowful mother did not tend to make her more courageous; but she would have braved almost anything for her John, always and ever excepting Timothy. On the morning of the fishing-trip she dared even that. Number Four was busy with the fishing-tackle, when the gleam of a sea-let shawl behind the sand-hill caught his eye. His father saw it, too, and grew a thunder-cloud in aspect; for his son and heir, dropping the lines, went to meet the wrapper of the brilliant garment.

"John, you're never going out in the storm?" cried the girl, clutching the sleeve of his rubber coat as he drew near. "They were talking about it when I went in, and I couldn't believe it true. Oh, don't—don't risk your life in the face of such a wind! Have a will of your own, dear, just once!"

"You foolish little lass," said the young man smiling down at her. A tall, awkward, fair-haired fellow, but the tender look in his eyes would have made even a plainer man handsome. "Don't you know I am more at home on water than on land? I must go, Hannah! You see Dan and Steve were telling father last night about no man being able to go off while this storm lasted, and he vows he'll do it, just to prove them wrong. You wouldn't have let him go by himself, dar'?"

She clasped her little brown hands nervously. "Oh, wou't he give up?" she faltered, knowing the folly of the question before it left her lips.

John shook his head. "When did he ever give up, Hannah?" he answered, half bitterly, then stooped and kissed the quivering mouth. "Good-bye, little girl; I'll come back to you to-night if wind and water can bring me," he said, lightly, and turned away to his disapproving parent on the sand below.

"It's a fool trip," growled Dan, the stout, to Steve, the tall, as the frail little craft went rocking over the boisterous waves. "I give a doubt of they ever git back agin."

"An' all along of our darin' him," said the downcast Stephen.

"Can't you quit throwin' it up ter a feller everlastin'?" returned his friend, sharply. "Tim Krell allers was jes' so head-trong! Christopher, how I hate a pig-headed man!" with which pious ejaculation Uncle Dan! wended his way back to his customary perch on Bennett's cracker-box, his conscience-pricked admirer trotting at his heels.

Darkness came early that winter day, and by 5 o'clock even young eyes could see no longer.

Hannah folded her sewing at last, and pinned her shawl tightly around her.

"Mother, I shall just run down to Mrs Krell's to see if the boat is in," she said shyly, turning the handle of the door as she spoke.

"To Krell's!" The widow rose to her feet with astonishment. "Why, Hannah, where is your self-respect? Going to those who have scorned you in every way; they'll turn you for the door for your pains!" she expostulated, indignantly.

"I am going, nevertheless," persisted the girl, with a faint little laugh. I must know if John is safe," and the closing of the door shut her out from further argument.

From the window her mother watched her go drifting away before the west wind, with angry thoughts rising in her heart. It was very bitter to see her child, so sweet and fair and dainty

beside the rougher village girl, looked down upon by those unworthy to bear her company. In her way the widow was proud, and prouder than Timothy Krell, and hated the thought of John as a son far worse than he did Hannah for a daughter.

"It shall never be," she thought to herself, as she turned to the fire with a sigh. "I'll take Hannah and go away inland first. I am one of these, but she is different. She is a lady, my little girl; and John Krell is nothing but a great, awkward fisher-lad. A married woman's life is a sad one, at best."

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"Why, Lor' bless us! It's only Mis' Durant's Hannah, in disappointment as the door opened to the girls' hand, too anxious even to express her disfavor. "I made out it would be Tim and John for sure."

"Then the boat isn't in?" said her visitor, dismayed at the fulfillment of her fears.

Mrs Timothy pursed her mouth with a look of solemn foreboding, and shook her head disconsolately.

"Indeed 'tisn't. An' the storm off shore is that bad the men can't get down to look for her. But set up, Hannah; I'll be glad enough o' yer company till they come," motioning the girl to a seat, with unusual hospitality.

So they waited in silence for hours, it seemed to Hannah, every nerve and sense strained to catch some token of the absent ones. The wife's ear was the first to hear the sound of footsteps coming through the gate.

"Here they be!" she cried, joyfully; and before the echo of her voice died away Timothy Krell entered. Frozen-faced as a man of snow, his froze garments rattling about him and a look of blankness in his eyes like one that has sight and yet is blind. Striding to the fire, he leaned his head on the wooden shelf, and stood there, shivering and trembling as if with mortal cold.

The women gazed at one another with pale cheeks. What might it mean, this solitary man? Where was his son?

And yet his wife dared not break the dreadful silence.

Suddenly beside him uprose a form, that of the wretched man, seemed an avenging angel, with wide, dark eyes full of reproach.

"Where is my John?" questioned Hannah, laying her hand on his bent shoulder. But, with a cry of horror, he shook it off, and fled to the room above barring the door against friend and foe.

The girl stood as he left her, her face turned upwards, listening. A keener blast of wind struck the house and whistled through the shutters with a sound that was almost human.

fragments from the upturned boat which drifted, days later; and from the disjointed words of the man who sat crouching over the fire at Krell's cottage. "To down in sight of land! One shall be taken and the other left!" over and over he murmured to himself, until death mercifully came one day and stopped the working of the poor, wandering brain; and Timothy Krell's stubborn, wilful, remorseful life on earth was ended.

But the mothers still lived on. Women widowed and made childless by the sea were plentiful in Stormhaven, and sympathy there was not given to much outward demonstration. Yet, in after years, when the coast history was recited forth by some ancient mariner for the enlightenment of the summer guest and the story of Krell's John was told in its turn, the historian would close with: "Well, 'twuz hard lines for the widders. But he knowed best, I reckon, for He took 'em together in death, which ez more'n they'd ha' bin en life, pore children!" after which he would "blow the wind for makin' his eyes water," were the day ever so tranquil.

The Romance of a Coal Stove.

One day last fall, after talking until his throat was sore, a Detroit stove dealer succeeded in selling a wood-burner coal stove, but it was with the proviso that if everything didn't work satisfactorily he was to make it. Two days after delivering the stove he got his first call. A boy entered the store and said:

"Mrs — wants you to come and fix that stove. The house is full of smoke."

A man was sent up, and he found the trouble to be with the chimney. Only three or four days had passed when the boy came in again and said: "That stove is puffing and blowing and scaring the widow to death. She wants the same man to come up again."

He was sent, and it was discovered that she didn't know how to arrange the dampers and drafts. Everything seemed to run well for a week, and then the boy walked in to announce: "She sent me down to have you send that man up again. The house is full of coal gas."

The man went up and applied the remedy, but inside of three days the stove got to puffing; two days after that the stove wouldn't draw; then it drew too much; then gas cepted again. At length the dealer went to the house and said:

"Madam, you gave me \$30 for the stove; how much will you take for it?" "I wouldn't sell it."

"But I can't be sending my man up here every two, or three days all winter."

"You won't have to. I've concluded to marry him in order to have some one here in case of accident."

And three days ago they were quietly and happily married.

Cooking for Company.

I always keep a supply of well cooked food ready at all times, in case of unexpected company, having learned a lesson in my earlier housekeeping days, when a small brood of relatives came, without notice, to pay me a short visit. They came about tea time and found me with a pantry scanty in the extreme and the store two miles away. I was young and proud, and the humiliation of borrowing enough from one of the neighbors to make out a repast taught me to be always prepared with something at least to make out a decent meal.

Too many housekeepers, who are naturally good cooks, fall into the way of slighting the cooking of their every-day meals, and wait till company comes to show off their best efforts in the culinary line.

I think this is a mistake. The men folks are often kept in good spirits by having their meals nicely prepared and promptly served, and the saying that "the way to a man's heart is through his stomach," is true according to my notion.

Cook as well for your husband as you do for your company and there will be peace in the family. To possess the knowledge how to make good brown or white bread, common sense puddings and pastry, delectable soups and stews, or of cooking steaks, chops, or ham in an appetizing manner, is of more value than knowing how to make Charlotte Russe, cream meringue, angel's food or black fruit cake, though these last may be all well enough in their way.—Household.

Calendar for February table with days of the week and dates.

WOLFVILLE, N. S., FEB. 19, 1886.

THE GRAND PRE DYKE.

One of the most fertile tracts of land in this county is the Grand Pre dyke, which has continued to give an abundant yield to the husbandmen for a great number of years, and in consequence of its ability to yield large crops without the aid of any fertilizer whatever makes it very desirable property to own.

OUR BOYS.

While we are fussing with our Lodge and Division and fighting the run business with all our strength, it is often a question whether we give our boys enough attention.

and admonition which are being heard by them, we must see how important such societies are. We understand a movement is being made now by some interested people to organize a society in Wolfville. Should it be started, give them a lift.

SEE TO YOUR VOTE.

Within two years and possibly only a year or two in Canada will be registered upon the official voting list will have an opportunity of casting his vote for the candidate he may prefer, and as the official lists are to be published and posted up on the first of next month it will be well for all who are legally qualified to see that their names are regularly entered upon the list.

PEOPLE.

We will take boys as the subject for our closing talk on people. It is nice to be a boy, with no notes in the bank, and nothing to do but late to go to school. I was a boy once and I liked it. And although I wouldn't like to go back to that time and have to have the bumps and carry in the wood again, yet I would like to be about half boy always.

PART AND PRESENT.

A PAPER READ BY THE HENRY CHURMAN AT AN ENTERTAINMENT IN THE METHODIST CHURCH, LOWER HORTON, ON WEDNESDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 16TH, 1885.

into the shadowy past; others are new and are making history year by year. Seventeen years ago this Canada of ours, the latest formed of the great colonies of the British empire, was a number of separate Provinces. The Confederation of these provinces was consummated July 1st, 1867, and then our history as a Dominion began. Even the oldest of the provinces are comparatively new countries. Three hundred years ago Nova Scotia was wholly a dense forest, the home of the Indian. The French carried on a fur-trade with these native Micmacs and called the country Acadie, meaning abundance. In 1604 the French King gave De-Monts command of territory including Acadie, and he sailed for Nova Scotia and landed at Annapolis, which he founded, 1605, and called Port Royal. Nine years later, the English destroyed Port Royal, and in 1621, King James I of England granted a Scotch Knight Sir William Alexander, the whole of Acadie, called in the royal charter Nova Scotia,—New Scotland. A small Scotch settlement was made at Granville, which proved a failure. France still claimed the country, and after eleven years' effort to colonize it, Sir William Alexander saw it ceded to France. The French enjoyed undisturbed possession for twenty-two years, until Oliver Cromwell and his Puritans drove them out in 1654, and the English flag once more waved over Port Royal; but only to be pulled down again when Charles II ceded Acadie back to France in 1677. Twenty-three years later the English Colonists of Massachusetts and New York, under Sir William Phillips, captured Port Royal, but left a garrison, and the French soon re-occupied it, and at the close of "King William's War," Nova Scotia was again ceded to France. War was resumed in Queen Anne's reign. Port Royal was the French headquarters. Two expeditions from New England failed to capture it, but a third, with the aid of the British under Nicholson, met with success, and Port Royal was finally captured in 1710. Peace was finally concluded in 1713, and Nova Scotia ceded to Great Britain by the Treaty of Utrecht. Thus, after having been tossed about between the two nations for more than a century,—captured and recaptured, and ceded from one to the other many times,—Nova Scotia finally became the property of Great Britain, and English rule began. At that time the Acadians in the province numbered six or seven thousand. They were allowed to remain and were treated as British subjects. Many of them dwelt where we now live, in "the little village of Grand Pre," and then, as now, "Dykes, that the hands of the farmers had raised with labor incessant, shut out the turbulent tide."

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

"NOT GREEDY HALIFAX."

To the Editors of the ACADIAN. DEAR SIRS,—I do not intend to burden your columns with an answer to "X," or any other anonymous writer. "X" has come to the rescue of his friend and fellow sufferer, to plead, as it were, as Macbeth feared the virtues of his Duncan would plead "against the deep damnation of" (Country Bumpkin) "taking off," as he has been taken off most effectually by "Year Book" and your humble servant. It is a long Lane which has no turning, and the time will come when there will be no skulking behind assumed signatures. "X" makes reference to the weight of my name. Allow me to thank him for the compliment, and to express my regret that he prevents me from saying "the same to you." But he mistakes where the weight comes in. It is the matter—not the man, as he will quickly find if he will append his name to his letter. He will find that the names of men high up in a kindred Order will weigh but little when attached to attacks on the Sons of Temperance. Their motives are too apparent, and they will most assuredly fail in their object. You, Messrs Editors, will not be troubled with another letter from me unless the writers on the other side sign their names to their letters. Some one has said that "a lie which is but half a lie is ever the meanest of lies." What should be said of the lie which is wholly a lie and has nothing but a name de plume to strengthen it? With thanks, yours, R. T. MUMFORD.

MARKET REPORT.

—FURNISHED BY— BENTLEY & LAYTON, Produce Commission Merchants, Corner Argyle & Sackville, Sts. (Opposite Mumford's Market.) Halifax, February 11, 1886. Prices Current this day: Apples, Green, per bushel 1 25 to 2 00 Do Dried, per lb. 05 to 10 Beef in Cans, per lb. 10 to 16 Do on foot per lb. 7 00 to 9 00 Butter in boxes per lb. 18 to 20 Do Ordinary per lb. 15 to 18 Chickens, per pair 45 to 50 Ducks, per pair 50 to 70 Eggs, per doz fresh 18 to 22 Green, each 60 to 65 Hens smoked, per lb. 10 to 11 Hides, per lb, inspected 07 to 07 1/2 Lamb, P. B. 06 to 07 Mutton, per lb. 05 to 06 Pork, per lb. 45 to 50 Potatoes, per bushel 35 to 45 Peas, each 45 to 60 Turkey, per lb. 12 to 14 Tomatoes, per bushel 45 to 70 Veal, per lb. 04 to 06 Varn, per lb. 40 to 45 Carrots, per bushel 90 to 1 00 Parsnips, per bushel 20 to 25 Parsnips per bushel 1 00 to 1 10

Boston Market Report.

—FURNISHED BY HATHAWAY & CO. Flour: Spring Wheat, Bakers 85 00 to 85 65 Choice Extras 4 10 to 4 25 Common Extras 3 60 to 3 80 Medium Extras 3 60 to 4 00 Oat Meal, per bushel 4 10 to 5 25 Corn Meal, fresh g'd & k'd 2 25 to 3 35 Butter per lb. 30 to 30 1/2 Cheese per lb. 05 to 10 1/2 Potatoes, per bushel 20 to 22 Aroostook Co. Flour 75 to 80 Maine Central Flour 65 to 70 No. 1 White Flour 75 to 80 Portland Flour 65 to 70 Prolifer, Eastern 70 to 75 Onions, P. B. 2 75 to 3 00 Apples per bushel 1 00 to 1 75

ROYAL BAKING POWDER Absolutely Pure. This powder never varies. A marvel of purity, strength and wholesomeness. More economical than the ordinary kinds, and cannot be sold in competition with the multitude of low test, short weight alum or phosphate powders. Sold only in cans. ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., 106 Wall St., N. Y. (13-14-85)

WOLFVILLE SKATING RINK.

Open every afternoon except Friday from 3 till 5:30 o'clock; and Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings, from 7:30 till 10 o'clock. The rink will be lighted every Friday evening with Electric Light. Single Skates 10 cents. Promenade 25 cents. D. A. MUMFORD, Proprietor. Wolfville, Dec. 25, 1885.

House and Orchard TO LET

IN WOLFVILLE. The House is in thorough repair, and contains 8 rooms, 4 closets and pantry, a Post-proof Cellar containing a large milk room. There is a good Barn on the premises. The Orchard is stocked with over 100 Choice Fruit Trees in Full Bearing, viz, Apples, Peas, Plums, etc. For particulars apply to JAMES WILSON, Jan'y 20th, on the premises.

JOHNSON'S ANODYNE LINIMENT. For INTERNAL AND EXTERNAL USE. PARSONS' PURGATIVE PILLS. MAKE NEW, RICH BLOOD.

MAKE HENS LAY. CHICKEN CHOLERA.

Great Bargains! DON'T FORGET THAT H. S. DODGE. In order to make room for SPRING IMPORTATIONS will sell the balance of WINTER STOCK of CLOTHING, FURS, HOSIERY, AND WOOLLENS. At 20 Percent Discount.

JUST OPENING! 10 Cases of New and Fashionable Goods, also 50 pieces Hamburg Embroidery, THE BEST VALUE EVER OFFERED IN KING'S COUNTY. Kentville, February 12th, 1886.

1885 XMAS & NEW YEAR 1886

Burpee Witter LARGEST STOCK OF NEW GOODS! FOR THE Holiday Season.

NOTE THE FOLLOWING SPECIALITIES! Wool Squares, from 50c to \$1.25, 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 \$12.50. Boys', Youths', and Men's OVERCOATS in New Styles.

A large stock of ladies' and gents' CUPS AND SAUERS, Vases, Dolls and Fancy Goods, Christmas Cards, Handkerchiefs!

And a complete stock in every department, the inspection of which will repay all intending purchasers.

Wolfville, December 9th, 1885.

SAVE MONEY!

By ordering your Hard Coal from us you will Save Money on ever ton! And by giving me your order for the Celebrated Acadia Coal you will get the Best Soft Coal in the World at a low figure and Save Money. Remember that a few tons of the celebrated Acadia Coal will give as much heat and last as long as a whole vessel load of almost any other kind and will not choke you like other kinds do. We will sell for cash and sell low. Save money by giving as an early order. D. MUMFORD. W. & A. Railway Station, August 18, 1885.

Caldwell & Murray.

Clearing out balance of Winter Goods.

Making room for New Spring Stock.

Now is the opportunity to buy Remnants at Great Bargains.

In order to make stock-taking as light as possible, we will give very Liberal Discounts on all our winter goods from new till March 1st.

Now is the time to buy, come along and keep us busy. We guarantee to give you splendid value for your money.

WINCHEYS

Plaid, 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, Shawls, 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 prices.

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 BOOTS & 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

TRY OUR

Celebrated French Coffee in 1lb Tins at 25c, 50c, and 75c per lb. Also our Standard Java Coffee (warranted the purest and best in the market), ground to order in "Enterprise" Coffee Mill at a moment's notice.

New Goods In Stock

This week - Royal Baking Powder, Matt's Chocolate, Graham Flour, Gran' Out Meal, Magnet Soap, 2 Cases Mixed Pickles, Choice Onions, 1 Nest Tubs.

Choice New Season's Tea at

R. PRAT'S.

THE ACADIAN

WOLFVILLE, N. S., FEB. 19, 1886

Local and Provincial.

Charlottetown has 400 widows and over 100 widowers.

The Hx. Morning Chronicle put on a new dress this week and looks well.

We would direct the attention of those having small farms for sale or to rent in or near Wolfville to an adv. in another column.

A very successful carnival was held at Saxe's skating rink, Halifax, on Tuesday evening. Among the attractions were a miniature ice palace, colored fires, etc.

Our readers will be pleased to learn that the Pierian Society of Acadia Seminary intend giving another of their popular entertainments on Friday evening next. A fine programme has been prepared.

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

S. JOHN'S CHURCH.—The rector will (D. V.) conduct divine worship in the above church on Monday evening, the 22d inst., at 7 p. m.; after which there will be a public meeting. The attendance of church members is requested.

R. W. Hudgell, Curate.

JOURNALISTIC.—The Detroit Free Press, the adv. of which appears in another column, is without doubt one of the best weekly journals in America. It contains articles only of the highest order in a most readable form. We would advise all our readers to send a post-card for a sample copy.

The St. John Globe says: "This afternoon Police magistrate Tapley instructed Captain Rawlings to inform the proprietors of the Pippisewa lottery that they must stop business, otherwise legal proceedings, compelling them to do so, would be taken." This is the lottery that has been so extensively advertised in our county contemporaries.

At a recent meeting of Provincial Grangers at Halifax the degree of Flora was conferred upon the following from this county: Thos. Tuzo Esq., Miss Tuzo, R. R. Duncan Esq., Mrs. Duncan, D. L. Sheffield Esq., Mrs. Sheffield, C. H. Starr Esq., and R. Harrington Esq. R. W. Starr Esq. took an active part in degree work.

49 Collegians and 14 members of the Academy are now boarding in Chipman Hall. Of this number we feel assured there is not one who does not appreciate the kindness of the worthy steward and stewards. Both Mr and Mrs Keady never weary in doing that which tends to render more pleasant the life of the student. They have in consequence the high esteem of all.—Acadia Alumnus.

CONCERT.—Prof J. B. Norton's Concert held in Churchhill's Hall, Hantsport, last Thursday evening, was a great success. Every seat in the hall was taken up by a very respectable audience. The program was very fine and well rendered, the choruses being executed in a very artistic manner. Everybody came away delighted with the very fine musical treat some hundreds of voices doing the program with "God Save the Queen."

LECTURE.—We understand that the College Literary Society have engaged Mr J. W. Longly, M. P. P. of Halifax, N. S., to lecture in College Hall on the evening of the 17th inst. The lecturer has chosen a somewhat novel subject,—"North America, and its probable destiny," but judging from his past record as a public speaker, and as a keen writer on such popular themes, we anticipate for those who will listen to him next week, an interesting evening. The exceedingly low admission fee (10 cents) places the lecture within the reach of all.

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

CARNIVAL.—The carnival came off as announced on Friday evening last, and although not so largely attended as some have been, might justly be claimed to be a success. Over a hundred were on the ice, and some of the costumes were very pretty and showed considerable originality. The rink looked well, being brilliantly illuminated with the electric light, and the ice was in good condition. Taking into consideration the bad state of the roads and the fact that there were no less than six other attractions in town the same evening, we considered the carnival a very creditable one.

Local and Provincial.

BIG MILEAGE.—A brakeman on the W. & A. R. worked on his train from Feb'y 11th 1885, to Feb'y 11th 1886, (twelve months) without losing a day. During that time he travelled 43,174 miles.

Smoke the "TWIN'S" the best five-cent cigar in town, at Shaw's Barber Shop.

SOCIABLE.—The ladies of the Baptist Church intend having a Sociable in Witter's Hall on Wednesday evening next. The Wolfville "Quintette Club" will furnish music, which will add much to the enjoyment of the evening. Admission (including Tea) 25 cents.

We take pleasure in again calling attention to Messrs Jack & Bell's famous fertilizers which are advertised in another column. As will be seen the price has been considerably reduced without effecting the quality of the fertilizer, which, we are assured, will still be up to the usual high standard. We would advise our friends who intend purchasing fertilizers this year to buy Messrs Jack & Bell's. G. H. Wallace is agent.

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.

I. O. G. T.—The officers of Acadia Lodge, I. O. G. T., for the present quarter are:—W. G. T. Reay, G. F. Day; W. V. T. Miss Ida Jones; W. Sec'y—Fred Anderson; W. P. S.—J. L. Franklin; W. Treas.—Mrs J. L. Franklin; W. Marsh.—C. S. March; W. Guard.—Harry Vaughan; W. Sentinel.—Reuben Wallace; W. Chap.—C. P. Wilson; W. R. H. S.—Miss May Vaughan; W. L. H. S.—Miss Lillian Benjamin; W. D. Marsh.—Miss Maggie Bishop; W. A. Sec'y—Miss Eva Andrews.

Rockwell & Co. are still framing pictures at reduced rates. 4t

"New Brunswick" in a letter to the Boston Globe explains the derivation of the name "Blue Nose," given to Nova Scotians. A portion of the letter reads thus: "The people of Nova Scotia derived the name of 'Blue Nose' by a remark made by George IV. of England. When he was prince of Wales he spent a number of years in Halifax. On his return to London one of the guests inquired where these fine mealy potatoes were grown. The prince replied: 'They grow in Nova Scotia and they called them 'blue noses.' They were the early blue variety, then a great favorite with the people of Nova Scotia."

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. 10t

SAGACIOUS.—Mr Wm. Regan, of this place, tells a wonderful story about a smart cat of his. A few nights ago "tabby" was put out as usual for the night and in the morning it was found that in some way she had found a means of entrance. Curiosity led Mr R. to make search to find out if possible how she had found a way to get in and upon tracking her found that she had climbed on top of the house in some way, gone down a chimney, through a stovepipe, through the store and so into the house. The thing seemed so incredible that Mr R. took the trouble of taking down the pipe where he found the distinct tracks of the cat. This beats any cat-story that has come under our notice.

CANNING.

Rev. W. H. Robinson resigned the pastorate of the Baptist Church at Canning last month, owing to ill health. He has left many sincere and devoted friends. He was highly esteemed by everyone and it is the desire of all that he may be restored to health, and resume charge of the Church in the spring. He is now resting in his home at Kingston. Rev. David Freeman will occupy the pulpit until the 1st of May.—Rev. Mr Batty preached very acceptably to a large congregation at the Methodist church last Sabbath.

The schr. Star, Capt P. S. Blake, cleared for Boston on Tuesday. She was loaded by C. E. Borden, and carried 3,300 bush. of potatoes. The schr. Glide, Capt. Hunter, left Boston for Cornwallis about the 13th of January, and for the first time nothing has been heard of her. Parties interested feel great anxiety in reference to her.

S. S. CONVENTION.—In accordance with notices issued, a number of Sabbath-school workers assembled at the Presbyterian church, Kentville, on Wednesday last, for the purpose of organizing a Sabbath-school convention in the county. W. H. Blanchard, Esq., of Windsor, President of the N. S. S. A., called the meeting to order, and stated the object to be to infuse greater interest in Sabbath-school work. After discussion it was resolved that a convention be organized to be called the King's Co. Sabbath-school Association, and the following officers were appointed for the ensuing year:—President—W. C. Bill, Esq., Billtown; 1st Vice Pres.—J. W. Caldwell, Esq., Wolfville; 2d V. P.—G. A. Davidson, Esq., Kentville; Sec'y—Rev. Mr Dawson, Canard; Ass't Sec'y—Ralph S. Eaton, Cornwallis; Treas.—S. S. Strong, Kentville. Executive committee—Rev. S. B. Kempton, Rev. S. McC. Black, E. Beckwith, F. G. Curry, A. J. Pines, W. Gould, W. H. Chase, Dr Woodworth, Matthew Fisher, G. O. Jacques, G. W. Eaton.

The first annual meeting will be held at Kentville in September, and a special meeting will be held at Canard at the call of the executive. Several speeches were made by different members, when the session adjourned until evening, when another session was called.

ed, which was addressed by Rev. S. B. Kempton, on Sabbath-school work generally; Rev. S. McC. Black, Matthew Fisher, W. H. Blanchard, A. Killam, Rev. G. F. Day was called upon, but on account of the lateness of the hour asked to be excused.

Married.

MISSEY.—SCHOFIELD.—At Wolfville, Feb'y 10th, by Rev. T. A. Higgins, Arthur L. Misener, of Port Williams, and Susan M., daughter of Mr Gordon Schofield, of White Rock.

SPRING IN WINTER.

Thou, nature, art my goddess; to thy law my services are bound.—KING LEAR. Oh! changing nature, like a lovely maid, Who can be blind, nor see thy varied mood? Thy variant dress, from white to darkest shade; From glistening grove to deep and sombre wood.

But recently wert thou cold winter's child, Adorned with flaky gem and peary fold, To-day, hast thrown them off, and, fresh and mild Thy smiles do greet, from mount and grassy wood.

The tossing waves, upon the distant bay, Boar forth their joy,—once more unbound and free; And, on the shore, break high in scattered spray.

In exultation at thy victory, Earth smiles on man; and cheerfully, his heart Finds in thy face a semblance of the spring;

(When, soon again this season will depart) And all the beauty which is theirs to bring.

And like a foe who yields, but never falls, He folds him round his damp and misty cloak;

And to his legs, weakened now, he calls; And leaves his rezed strongholds which hast broke.

And speeding in the distance, from their foe, They rally away to gather strength again Far to the north—then to our eyes he reigns.

The weary gull cries in his lofty flight— Borne like a cloud, with scarcely moving wing, Upon the vanquished and retreating night.

And welcomes thee, O sunny day of the trees that forth a pleasant melody And, waving in their joy with every breeze,

Sing, "Welcome! welcome! Spring, again And nod towards the enemy that flees: The sun upon the flying clouds of morn Sends forth her darts and bolts of scathing light;

And warmth of winter's shackles horn Wafts o'er the sunny landscape with delight. R. Feb'y 15th 1886.

A YOUNG HORSE,

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

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 65c. Wolfville, February 17, 1886

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

NEW STORE.

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

GROCERIES, FLOUR, MEAL, ETC.

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

Local Legislature.

The delegates appointed by the several Wards to select candidates for the Local Legislature are respectfully requested to meet in Jackson's Hall, Coldbrook, on Saturday, the 20th inst., at 12 o'clock, noon. By order of the County Temperance Alliance, R. R. DUNCAN, Feb. 5th, 1886 3t

Notice of Assignment.

James Pick, of White Rock, in the county of King's, has by deed assigned to the 16th of November, 1885, deemed 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 benefit under such deed 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. deW. BARSS, Wolfville, Dec. 10, 1885. Assignee.

FERTILIZERS.

Great Reduction in Prices.

Jack & Bell offer their Celebrated "Ceres" Superphosphate \$5 a ton on time, "Ceres" Superphosphate \$4 75 a ton cash.

"Popular" Phosphate \$4 a ton on time. "Popular" Phosphate \$3 75 a ton 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. 4m

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For a Postal Card, and send for a Free Sample Copy of THE DETROIT FREE PRESS, and a Catalogue of their great Premium and Combination Offers. A rare chance to secure an abundance of the choicest reading matter for a very little money.

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The Little Sweethearts.

This beautiful picture of which we have heard so much is without doubt far superior to the ordinary premium chromes. 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 patronized so largely.

3d.—We have every facility for making frames, and therefore can do the work cheaper than most others.

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 you further information required.

A full line of Rustic Frames, Cabinet 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.

THIS OUT and return to us with 10c. or 4 3-c stamps, and you'll get by return mail a Golden Box of Goods that will bring you in more money in one month than anything else in America. Every six make money fast. 40] City Novelty Co. Yarmouth, N. S.

William Wallace, TAILOR

Corner Earl and Water Streets, WOLFVILLE

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 are the most lasting of all colors. Warranted strictly pure. 10 cents at Druggists and Grocers.

New Tobacco Store!

Having made some changes in my business, I am now prepared to supply the Tobacco Using Public with all the finest brands of Imported and Domestic CIGARS, CIGARETTES, SMOKING & CHEWING TOBACCOS, ETC., ETC.

—ALSO— A full assortment of BRIAR ROOT and MEERSCHAUM PIPES and CIGAR HOLDERS.

FIRST CLASS BARBERING & HAIRDRESSING AS USUAL. Give Us a Call J. M. Shaw. Wolfville May 7th, 1885.

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

PEACE, TRANQUILLITY, HAPPINESS!

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 (I. K. 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 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: "I write about Washington's farming, in respect of which I have some copies of unpublished letters.—Lyman Abbott: "It is an admirable design, showing the close connection of 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 President, 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 \$1 EACH. For further information, if desired, send six cents for Specimen American Agriculturist, Descriptions of Engravings, Special Terms to Clubs and Convassors. Address Publishers: AMERICAN AGRICULTURIST, David W. Judd, Pres't., Sam'l Burnham, Sec'y. 75] BROADWAY, NEW YORK.

READY!

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' Curicoa Kid, Fr. Kid, Hand Sewed Fr. Oil Goat, Peb. Goat, Peb. Grain, Men's Nova Scotia Tanned Made Coarse Boots, Men's Fine Boots in great variety. American and Canadian Rubber Goods now in stock.

GENT'S FURNISHINGS. Gert's Wool Underclothing from 40c. up, positively the greatest selection in Wolfville, Fine Shirts, Wool Top Shirts, Collars, Neckties, Cuffs, Suspenders, Neckbands celebrated Hosiery, Gloves, Umbrellas, &c., &c.

HATS & CAPS; Latest styles American Stiff and Soft Hats. Respectfully yours, C. 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 shrunken by cutting; —The trimmings used are of the best quality; —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. Grandville Street, Halifax

HOLSTEIN BULL.

The subscriber has for service the noted Prize Holstein Bull, Lord of Gasperon, 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.

FOR SALE!

The subscriber offers for sale yoke of superior Working Oxen in good condition, and perfectly kindling Harness. Weight 2800 lb. Apply to ALEXANDER FULLETON. Long Island, July 31, 1885. 4t

NOTICE.

All persons having legal demands against the Estate of Sarah Davison, late of Long Island, in the County of King's widow, are requested to render the same duly attested, within twelve calendar months from the date hereof; and all persons indebted to said Estate are required to make immediate payment to J. B. DAYSON, Wolfville, July 6, 1885. 4t

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Oh, give me just one summer day!
One day such as I've known before:
Beside the brooklet let me lay...

It cannot be! it cannot be!
Those days can ne'er come back again;
My happiest hours have fled from me...

INFLUENCE.

Nothing is more difficult to accomplish
than to build up a reputation,—whether
in industry or in letters. It may seem easy...

Men of reputation are all men of industry.
To establish a character for work
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In the "Divine Comedy," Virgil is
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early all illness; it is not by sleeping on...

Buffon said of genius, that it consisted
in an attitude of patience, and nearly all
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Newton said of himself and his grand
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Doubtless many have been stimulated
to application in work, in science, in art,
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The applause of mankind has been dear
to them, and to secure it they have "lived
laborious days," heaved fatigues, ill health...

Yet many of the greatest men have
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of fame. They have produced great...

The "blind old villan, Milton," as
Charles H. called him, towards the end
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Tasso was imprisoned in a mad-house
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But time has done justice to their
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In all times, and under all circum-
stances, the indulgence of high thoughts,
and the promulgation of them to the world...

Great men live forever. Death be-
stifies their names, their works, and their
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Boccaccio was led by curiosity to visit
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Standing before the ashes of the great
Latin poet, the youth felt himself, as it
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To have seen such men in the flesh
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Each has his own special life to live
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We are each the centre of our own circle.

THE HOME OF THE JERSEY.

The island of Jersey contains less than
forty-six square miles, or about 20,000
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Not that my youthful days are o'er
Do I now speak of youthful dreams,
But dearer were those thoughts before...

Oh, could I steal one single hour
Clear of the rapid flight of time,
And sit within some shady nook...

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Adieu to thee my happy days,
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