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strength.
I did not dream my palace fair could
fall.
But, at the open gate an angel knelt,
And, sorrow that I knew not of, be-
wailed,
"Come, friend," I cried, "rejoice in my
success."
"I weep," was the reply, "that thou
hast failed."
When months had come and gone, I saw
the walls
Of my poor palace blackened by the
fire,
Its mighty towers in ruins at my feet.
My head was bowed in sorrow and in
shame,
And at its shattered gate I knelt and
wept.
My angel friend now stooped a palm
upon my brow. She bade me look
above.
"Rejoice," she cried, "in this thy first
success."

SELECT STORY.

When a Man's Single.

BY JAMES M. BARRIE.

CHAPTER V.—Continued.

Sir Clement's entrance was something of a sensation, and Rob saw several ladies raise their eyebrows. All seemed to know him by name, and some personally. The baronet's nervousness had evidently passed away, for he bowed and smiled to everyone, claiming some burly farmers as old acquaintances though he had never seen them before. His host and he seemed already on the most cordial terms, but the colonel was one of the few persons in the room who were not looking for Miss Abinger. At last Sir Clement asked for her.

"I believe," said some one in answer to the colonel's inquiring glance round the room, "that Miss Abinger is speaking with the waits."

"Perhaps I shall see her," said Dowton, stepping out at one of the windows.

Colonel Abinger followed him to the window, but no farther, and at that moment a tall figure on the snowy lawn crossed his line of vision. It was Rob, who, not knowing what to do with himself, had wandered into the open. His back was towards the colonel, and something in his walk recalled to that choleric officer the angler whom he had encountered on the Domes.

"That is the man—I was sure I knew the face," said Colonel Abinger. He spoke in a whisper to himself, but his hands closed with a snap.

Unconscious of all this, Rob strolled on till he found a path that took him round the castle. Suddenly he caught sight of a blue dress, and at the same moment a girl's voice exclaimed, "Oh, I am afraid it is lost!"

The speaker bent, as if to look for something in the snow, and Rob blundered up to her. "If you have lost anything," he said, "perhaps I can find it."

Rob had matches in his pocket, and he struck one of them. Then, to his surprise, he noticed that Nell was not alone. Greybrooke was with her and was looking foolish.

"Thank you, very much," said Nell sweetly; "it is—a bracelet."

Rob went down on his knees to look for the bracelet, but it surprised him a little that Greybrooke did not follow his example. If he had looked up he would have seen that the captain was gazing at Nell in amazement.

"I am afraid it is lost," Nell repeated, "or perhaps I dropped it in the dining-room."

Greybrooke's wonder was now lost in a grin, for Nell had been nothing, unless perhaps for the moment the sense of what it was fit and proper. The captain had followed her on to the lawn, and persuaded her to come and look down upon the river from the top of the cliff. She had done so, she told herself, because he was a boy; but he had wanted her to do it because she was a woman. On the very spot where Richard Abinger, barrister-at-law, had said something to her that Nell would never forget, the captain had presumptuously kissed her hand, and Nell had allowed him, because after all it was soon over. It was at that very moment that Rob came in sight, and Nell thought she was justified in deceiving him. Rob would have remained a long time on the snow if she had not had a heart.

"Yes, I believe I did drop it in the dining-room," said Nell, in such a tone of conviction that Rob rose to his feet. His knees were white in her service, and Nell felt that she liked this young man.

"I am so sorry to have troubled you, Mr.—" began the young lady.

"My name is Angus," said Rob; "I am a reporter on the 'Sibchester Mirror.'"

Greybrooke started, and Nell drew back in horror, but the next second she was smiling. Rob thought it was kindness that made her do it, but it was really a smile of triumph. She felt that she was on the point of making a discovery at last. Greybrooke would have turned out a question, but Nell stopped him.

"Get me a wrap of some kind, Mr. Greybrooke," she said, with such sweet impudence that the captain went without a word. Half-way he stopped to call himself a fool, for he had remembered all at once about Raleigh and his cloak, and seen how he might have adapted that incident to his advantage by offering to put his own coat round Nell's shoulders.

It was well that Greybrooke did not look back, for he would have seen Miss Meredith take Rob's arm—which made Rob start—and lead him in the direction in which Miss Abinger was supposed to have gone.

"The literary life must be delightful," said literary Nell, looking up into her companion's face.

Rob appreciated the flattery, but his pride made him say that the literary life was not the reporter's.

"I always read the 'Mirror,'" continued Nell, on whom the moon was having a bad effect to-night, "and often I wonder who writes the articles. There was a book review in it a few days ago that—I liked very much."

"Do you remember what the book was?" asked Rob, jumping into the pit.

"Let me see," said Nell, putting her head to the side, "it was—yes, it was a novel called—'The Scorn of Scorns.'"

Rob's good angel was very near him at that moment, but not near enough to put her palm over his mouth.

"That review was mine," said Rob, with unsolicited satisfaction.

"Was it?" cried his companion, pulling away her arm violently.

The path had taken them to the top of the pile of rocks, from which it is a sheer descent of a hundred feet to the Domes. At this point the river is joined by a smaller, but not less noisy stream, which rushes at it at right angles. Two of the castle walls rise up here as if part of the cliff, and though the walk goes round them, they seem to the angler looking up from the opposite side of the Domes, to be part of the rock. From the windows that look to the west and north one can see down into the black waters, and hear the Ferret, as the smaller stream is called, fling itself over jagged bowlders into the Domes.

The ravine coming upon him suddenly, took away Rob's breath, and he hardly felt Nell snatch away her arm. She stood back, undecided what to do for a moment, and they were separated

by a few yards. Then Rob heard a man's voice, soft and low, but passionate. He knew it to be Sir Clement Dowton's, though he lost the words. A girl's voice answered, however, a voice so exquisitely modulated, so clear and pure, that Rob trembled with delight in it. This was what it said: "No, Sir Clement Dowton, I hear you no ill-will, but I do not love you. Years ago I made an idol and worshipped it, because I knew no better; but I am a foolish girl no longer, and I know now that it was a thing of clay."

To Rob's amazement he found himself murmuring these words even before they were spoken. He seemed to know them so well that had the speaker missed anything he could have put her right. It was not sympathy that worked this marvel. He had read all this before, or something very like it, in "The Scorn of Scorns."

Nell, too, heard the voice, but did not catch the words. She ran forward, and as she reached Rob, a tall girl in white, with a dark hood over her head, pushed aside a bush and came into view.

"Mary," cried Miss Meredith, "this gentleman here is the person who wrote 'that' in the 'Mirror.' Let me introduce you to him. Mr. Angus, Miss—"

Then Nell shrank back in amazement, as she saw a man with her friend.

"Sir Clement Dowton!" she exclaimed.

Rob, however, did not hear her, nor see the baronet, for looking up with a guilty feeling at his heart, his eyes met Mary Abinger.

CHAPTER VI.

Daybreak on the following morning found the gas blazing in Rob's lodgings. Rob was seated in an arm-chair, his feet on the cold hearth. "The Scorn of Scorns" lay on the mantelpiece, carefully done up in brown paper, but a speck of dust should fall on it, and he had been staring at the ribs of the fireplace for the last three hours without seeing them. He had not thought of the gas. His bed was unmade on his damp boots had dried on his feet. He did not feel cold. All night he had sat there, a man mesmerized. For the only time in his life he had forgotten to wind up his watch.

At times his lips moved as if he were speaking to himself, and a smile lit up his face. Then a change of mood came, and he beat the fender with his feet till the fire-irons rattled. Thinking over these remarks brought the rapture to his face:

"How do you do, Mr. Angus?"

"You must not take to heart what Miss Meredith said."

"Please don't say any more about it. I am quite sure you gave your honest opinion about my book."

"I am so glad you think this like Scotland, because, of course, that is the highest compliment a Scotman can pay."

"Good-night, Mr. Angus."

That was all she had said to him, but the more Rob thought over her remarks the more he liked them. It was not so much the words themselves that thrilled him as the way they were said. Other people had asked, "How do you do, Mr. Angus?" without making an impression, but her greeting was a revelation of character, for it showed that though she knew who he was she wanted to put him at his ease. This is a delightful attribute in a woman, and was worth thinking about.

Just before Miss Abinger said, "How do you do, Mr. Angus?" Rob had realized what people meant by calling her proud. She was holding her head very high as she appeared in the path, and when Nell told her who Rob was she flushed. He looked hopelessly at her, bereft of speech, as he saw a tear glisten on her eyelid; and as their eyes met she read into the agony that he was suffering because he had hurt her. It was then that Mary made that memorable observation, "How do you do, Mr. Angus?"

They turned towards the castle doors, Nell and the baronet in front, and Rob blurted out some self-reproaches in

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sentences that had neither beginning nor end. Mary had told him not to take it so terribly to heart, but her voice trembled a little, for this had been a night of incident to her. Rob knew that it was for his sake she had looked that tear, and as he sat in his lodgings through the night he saw that she had put aside her own troubles to meet his. When he thought of that he drew a great breath. The next moment his whole body shuddered to think what a brute he had been, and then she seemed to touch his elbow again, and he half rose from his chair in a transport.

As soon as he reached his lodgings Rob had taken up "The Scorn of Scorns" and reread it in a daze. There were things in it so beautiful now that they caught in his throat and stopped his reading; they took him so far into the thoughts of a girl that to go further seemed like eavesdropping. When he read it first "The Scorn of Scorns" had been written in a tongue Rob did not know, but now he had the key in his hands. There is a universal language that comes upon young people suddenly, and enables an English girl, for instance, to understand what a Chisaman means when he looks twice at her. Rob had mastered it so suddenly that he was only its slave at present. His horse had run away with him.

Had the critic of "The Scorn of Scorns" been a bald-headed man with two chins, who did not know the authority with which she took perfidious man to task, and written an indulgent criticism without reading beyond the second chapter. If he had been her father he would have laughed a good deal at her heroics, but now and again they would have touched him, and he would have looked the look away in his desk, seeing no particular cleverness in it, but feeling proud of his daughter. It would have brought such thoughts to him about his wife as suddenly fill a man with tenderness—thoughts he seldom gives expression to, though she would like to hear them.

Rob, however, drank in the book, his brain filled with the writer of it. It was about a young girl who had given her heart to a stranger, and one day when she was full of the joy of his love he had disappeared. She waited, wondering, fearing, and then her heart broke, and her only desire was to die. No one could account for the change that came over her, for she was proud, and her relatives were not sympathetic. She had no mother to go to, and her father could not have understood. She became listless, and though she smiled and talked to all, when she went to her solitary bedchamber she turned her face in silence to the wall. Then a fever came to her, and after that she had to be taken to the Continent. What shook her listlessness was an accident to her father. It was feared that he was on his deathbed, and as she nursed him she saw that her life had been a selfish one. From that moment she resolved if he got better (as it not terrible this, that the best of us try to make terms with God?) to devote her life to him, and to lead a nobler existence among the poor and sufferings ones at home. The sudden death of a relative who was not a good man frightened her so much that she became ill again, and now she was so fearful of being untruthful that she could not make a statement of fact without adding, "I think so," under her breath. She let people take advantage of her lest she should be taking advantage of them, and when she passed a cripple on the road she walked very slowly so that he should not feel his infirmity.

Years afterwards she saw the man who had pretended to love her and then ridden away. He said that he could explain everything to her, and that he loved her still; but she drew herself up, and with a look of ineffable scorn told him that she no longer loved him. When they first met, she said, she had been little more than a child, and so she had made an idol of him. But long since the idol had crumbled to pieces, and now she knew that she had worshipped a thing of clay. She wished him well, but she no longer loved him. As Lord Caltoubridge listened he knew that she spoke the truth, and his eyes dropped before her



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It seemed to him that the soul of a pure-minded girl had been laid bare to him. To look was almost a desecration, and yet it was there whichever way he turned. A great longing rose in his heart to see Mary Abinger again and tell her what he thought of himself now. He rose and paced the floor, and the words he could not speak last night came to his lips in a torrent. Like many men who live much alone, Rob often held imaginary conversations with persons far distant, and he denounced himself to this girl a score of times as he paced backward and forward. Always she looked at him in reply with that wonderful smile which had pleaded with him not to be unhappy on her account. Horrible fears laid hold of him that after the guests had departed she had gone to her room and wept. That villain Sir Clement had doubtless left the castle for the second and last time "feeling smaller and meaner than had been his wont" (Rob cinched his fists at the thought of him), but how could he dare to rage at the baronet when he had been so great a sinner himself? Rob looked about him for his hat; a power not to be resisted was drawing him back to Domes Castle.

He heard the clatter of creakery in the kitchen as he opened his door, and it recalled him to himself. At that moment it flashed upon him that he had forgotten to write any notice of Colonel Abinger's speech. He had neglected the office and come straight home. At any other time this would have started him, but now it seemed the merest trifling. It passed for the moment from his mind, and its place was taken by the remembrance that his boots were muddy and his coat soaking. For the first time in his life the seriousness of going out with his hair unbrushed came home to him. He had hitherto been content to do little more than fling a comb at it once a day. Rob returned to his room and crossing to the mirror, looked anxiously into it to see what he was like. He took off his coat and brushed it vigorously.

TO BE CONTINUED.

Marriage was derived from a French word signifying husband. Wedding is from the Saxon, the word meaning to plodge.

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WOLFVILLE, N. S., NOV. 26, 1897.

Editorial Notes.

Only a month now to Christmas. Wolfville merchants are prepared to do a good trade and our readers should watch our advertising columns during the next few weeks for their announcements.

Thanksgiving day passed off very quietly in Wolfville. Most of the business places were closed and a great many people were out of town. Appropriate services were held in the Presbyterian and Episcopal churches in the morning.

The football players ought to be proud of the tribute which pugilist Corbett pays to their courage and endurance. Mr. Corbett says that he is not afraid to meet the best man that ever stepped into a prize ring. But all the king's horses and all the king's men could not draw him into a football game. "I have too much regard for my limbs," he says. "I could not afford to take chances."

The eighth inter-collegiate convention of the Maritime Y. M. C. A. is now in session in this town. The first meeting was held last evening in College Hall, at which a warm welcome was given to the representatives in attendance. There are to be meetings morning, afternoon and evening during the session, which closes on Sunday evening with a farewell service in the Baptist church.

The Mayorality of Greater New York is a very important and powerful executive office, ranking next to the Presidency. The Mayor is chief magistrate of about 3,500,000 people, whose assessed property is valued at \$3,000,000,000. His veto power extends over appropriations aggregating about \$80,000,000. He has the appointment of about 35,000 employees of the city. The total wages and salaries paid out amount to about \$40,000,000 per year.

The Grand Division of the Sons of Temperance held its annual session last week in Halifax. The attendance was good, and an earnest, excellent spirit prevailed. The officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: G. W. P.—Rev. Henry De Blois, Annapolis. G. S. W. A.—J. C. Ashwood, Halifax. G. S. W. S. Sanders. G. T.—J. F. Hill, G. Chap.—Rev. M. G. Henry, St. Croix, N. S. G. Con.—J. C. Harlow, G. S.—John Ferguson, Grand Supt. of Y. P. Temp. Work—W. J. G. Gter, of Toronto.

Another great fire took place last week, when the city of London was visited by one of the most disastrous conflagrations in its history since the great fire of 1666. Two acres of buildings were ruined and property to the value of \$25,000,000 was destroyed. The outbreak of the fire was due to an explosion in connection with a gas engine, and for four and a half hours the flames had their own way. Only after more than an hundred engines had worked an hour was the signal sent out by the chief of the fire brigade that the fire was under control.

There are at present one hundred and two pupils attending the School for the Blind at Halifax. Sixty of these are from the Province of Nova Scotia, twenty-seven from New Brunswick, six from Prince Edward Island and nine from Newfoundland. Sixty-five of the pupils are boys and thirty-seven are girls. During the past three years there has been a marked increase in the number of pupils attending the school. The figures being, 1894, fifty-two pupils, 1897, one hundred and two pupils. The increase is not due to any increase in blindness, but to the increased desire of the parents of the blind to have their children take advantage of the training which the school gives to its pupils.

W. C. Archibald, Chairman of the School of Horticulture, Wolfville, has been spending a few days in town. Mr. A. is one of the largest experimental fruit growers of the valley and is deeply and actively interested in the promotion of horticulture and an enthusiastic advocate of the horticultural school, and the work it has to do, and is very desirous of extending its influence beyond the confines of Hants, Annapolis and Kings. From his remarks we gather that his opinion of Lunenburg as a fruit growing country places it second only to the famous Valley. He has presented us with an array of facts, figures and ideas, that are well worthy of a broader comment than we can give in this issue. The suggestion of the establishment of a sub-station in this county met with warm approval, and as far as we can learn an influential gentleman is prepared to give such a scheme the material assistance. Fruit growing is rapidly coming to the front as a wealth producing avocation, and the study and practical knowledge of horticulture is absolutely requisite to success. The old time practice of setting out an orchard and letting it care for itself, will not do. The successful orchardist must understand the nature of plants, the effect of climate on vegetation, soil drainage, injurious insects and a thousand and one things once considered unnecessary in connection with fruit growing. All this can be acquired by the student in the Horticultural School, at merely a nominal cost of board, the tuition being gratis. The farmer or orchardist who has a boy whom he wishes to benefit by practical knowledge in this line should not hesitate to send his boy to the School of Horticulture for one or more terms.—Lunenburg Argus.

Rev. Mr. Fisher's Lecture.

A very good audience greeted the Rev. Mr. Fisher in the Methodist church last Monday evening to listen to his exceedingly interesting lecture on "Whittier's life motto."—The earnest sense of human right and wrong.

"A hate of tyranny intense And hearty in its vehemence As if my brother's pain and sorrow were my own."

Scholars, philanthropists, Christians count it honor to do him reverence. Why? Not for Miltonic splendor, Wordsworthian insight, Tennysonian melody or Burns' lyric charm, but that in his life of eighty-five years there was never an irregularity to condone, a crime to extenuate or a vice for which to apologize. The poet's birth-place, which the lecturer knew familiarly, was fully described, and the home life of the rustic Quaker circle, for a literal, perfect portrayal of which the audience was commended to read "Snow-bound." Whittier's early struggles were then portrayed, his first poem carried eighteen miles to the press and slipped under the door of the editorial sanctum; his earning his first good clothes and six months at the academy by making clippers at one dollar per dozen; his successful championship of liberty, his love for children, though childless and without a domestic circle, until his place was firmly fixed among the wisest moral leaders, the greatest poets and the most perfect characters of this or any age. In literature and song he was a spring gushing out from amid moss and flowers by life's common wayside, pure and sweet, rather than a stream dewatered by the use of classic marble, through which it might flow, throwing fantastic jets by attic colonnade and unadorned. He opened up a rich wealth in the common things around us. Into theology breathed a richer charity, while in ethics he gives liberty without license, simple sweetness without effeminacy, and robustness without austerity. Behind all he sang, all he did, there stands a man responsible for every word, every act, true as truth. Mr. Fisher gave a most interesting account of a visit to the poet, at Danvers, and repeated several details of his conversation with him. He also read an autograph letter written to the lecturer in return for an original poem sent in for criticism. The letter was not all praise, but only gave credit where credit was due, true and faithful like its grand author. At the close of the lecture many persons personally examined the letter for which some tempting offers have been made.

All who had the privilege of listening to the lecture were delighted. The Rev. Mr. Fisher fully sustained his reputation as a lecturer. It is to be hoped that he will favor Wolfville again sometime during the present winter. He may be assured of a good audience. Selections from Whittier's poems were sung by the choir of the church, Professor Adams presiding at the organ and Dr. Bowles accompanying with the violin.

Brains Needed on the Farm.

Farming, the excellent Toronto Journal, devoted to farming and the farmers' interests, in a recent issue remarks:—In no other vocation will marked ability show itself more prominently than on a farm. This has been proven over and over again. In nearly every instance where a young man of brains, push and ability has become a tiller of the soil he has succeeded well, and in a few years he has become a leader among his brother farmers. In the past the idea has been too prevalent that the only place in which real ability has a chance to shine is in some one of the professions, or, perhaps, in business. With this idea kept prominently before the younger generations, is it any wonder that our professions are overcrowded by the young men of the farm, and that many of them to-day are finding it difficult to make a respectable living, let alone becoming a bright and shining light among those of their adopted calling.

We, in keeping with many other well wishers of this fair Canada of ours, would like to see this tendency reversed, and instead of young men of ability seeking opportunity for displaying their energies among the professional men, find them looking to the farm as an avenue to fame, prosperity and happiness. True, to farm properly means constant application and a share of hard work. But it means more than this. To make a success of farming in these days of keen competition means the application of the highest type of skill, the brightest intellect, and the best business ability to the problems involved in the management of any farm. The brightest young man the country can produce will find ample scope for his ability in studying the conditions which effect plant life, in following out the proper selection and sowing of all kinds of stock for profit, and in looking after the business side of his undertaking. If he feels that he would like still further scope for his energies let him enter the ranks of higher agriculture, and give his attention to the many branches of the science bearing upon the calling of the farmer. Here, we think, he will find as wide a field for research and investigation as any of the professions afford.

Great Music Offer.

Send us the names and addresses of three or more performers on the piano or organ together with ten cents in silver and we will mail you ten pieces full sheet music, consisting of popular songs, waltzes, marches, etc., arranged for the piano and organ.

The Windsor Relief Fund.

Following is a list of those who subscribed to the above fund through the committee appointed by the town council of Wolfville to solicit contributions. This list was asked for by a correspondent two weeks ago and was handed in to the ACADIAN too late for last issue:

- J. W. Bars \$25.00
H. Taylor 5.00
H. B. Myers 1.00
R. E. Wickwire 4.00
Miss Evans 50
M. A. Sherwood 1.00
Rev. K. Hind 1.00
M. A. Armstrong 1.00
Capt. Gilmore 1.00
Mrs. J. Harris 2.00
Miss Fitch 2.00
G. V. Rand 5.00
R. E. Harris (goods and cash) 7.00
G. Elliott 1.00
Chas. Murphy 2.00
L. C. Hutchison 1.00
J. W. Vaughn (goods and cash) 4.25
G. H. Porter 1.00
C. H. Borden 5.00
H. B. Gilmore 1.00
J. M. Woodman 5.00
O. W. Munro 2.00
Mrs. and J. Thomson 1.00
O. D. Harris (goods) 30.00
Rev. E. M. Macdonald 2.00
C. R. Burgess 25.00
T. L. Harvey 2.00
F. B. Messenger 1.00
J. D. Chambers 4.00
A. J. Woodman 2.00
H. Lawrence 5.00
J. Herbin 1.00
W. Torrie 1.00
F. P. Rockwell 1.00
M. Weston 5.00
F. Woodworth 1.00
W. Wallace 5.00
G. H. Wallace 5.00
B. O. Davison 2.00
A. DeW. Bars 3.00
W. E. Fielding 1.00
F. R. Hale 10.00
R. W. Storey 1.00
Mrs. Rand 2.00
J. E. Hales 2.00
A. J. McKenna 5.00
Rev. J. Denovan 5.25
C. C. Veaz 50
Capt. Eagles 1.00
Geo. Patriguin 1.00
F. M. Logan 1.00
E. F. Caldwell 1.00
Rev. Mr. Hale 50
F. O. Gosselin 1.00
W. Beagan 1.00
Mrs. Fred Brown 4.00
John Shaw 1.00
E. E. Davison 1.00
N. Crandall 5.00
Stars, Sen & Franklin 5.00
Walfride Coal Co. 1.00
L. E. Duncannon 5.00
E. W. Woodman 1.00
E. B. Shaw 1.00
R. W. Munro 1.00
W. H. Stewart 2.00
A. W. Duncannon 1.00
Geo. Wood 1.00
E. P. Bowles 5.00
L. W. Sleep 1.00
C. J. W. Bishop 1.00
Geo. Tupper 1.00
D. A. Munro 1.00
M. T. Toye 1.00
Mrs. Patriguin 2.00
H. G. Collins 1.00
Anon 1.00
Friend 1.00
Mrs. Sandford 1.00
Chas. G. Myers 1.00
A. J. Coburn 5.00
Wm. Chipman 5.00
Geo. A. Prat 2.00
A. V. Pines 1.00
J. W. Wallace 2.00
B. G. Bishop 2.00
C. A. Patriguin 1.00
Ed. Chase 2.00
Geo. Harvey 2.00
C. R. Bill 1.00
S. P. Hale 1.00
E. B. Bishop 1.00
J. Casack 1.00
R. B. Crawley 25
H. A. Crawley 35
E. S. Crawley 2.00
W. J. Higgins 2.00
C. B. Godfrey 1.00
Mrs. H. Pines 1.00
Chas. H. Borden 1.00
Thos. Kelly 10.00
Mrs. H. Bishop 10.00
Dr. DeWitt 4.00
A. D. Elderkin 2.00
C. F. Elderkin 2.00
A. C. Johnson 5.00
F. J. Porter 5.00
J. W. Binchlow 2.00
Rev. T. A. Higgins 2.00
Capt. Tingley 2.00
W. O. Archibald 5.00
E. C. Johnson 2.00
Mrs. Richardson 2.00
K. N. 10.00
W. H. Chase 7.00
D. B. Shaw 2.00
Mrs. Gilpin 1.00
A. Friend 25
J. W. Selfridge 1.00
O. R. Starr 2.00
Geo. Thomson 15.00
J. W. Callaway 5.00
A. S. Murray 2.00
C. S. Fitch 5.00
Mrs. Dexter 1.00
Mrs. Geo. L. Johnson 1.00
S. P. Benjamins (for lumber) 119.00
GREENWICH.
F. C. Johnson 5.00
E. R. Bishop 5.00
Mrs. Cobb 2.00
J. Calkin 1.00
J. Elliott Smith 5.00
J. Lovett Bishop 5.00
O. Brown 2.00
F. E. Forsyth 2.00
Charles Forsyth 5.00
A. K. Forsyth 5.00
Edward Manning 1.00
M. J. Johnson 5.00
The above does not include some thirty-two packages sent down the Sunday of the fire, nor several amounts sent direct by relatives and friends, nor

THE ACADIAN.

PHOTOS?

YES, we are still doing business at our Wolfville Studio. We are heavy losers by the fire but still on deck. Our Mr. Robson will be at Wolfville during the winter.

FOUR DAYS EACH WEEK. Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday. LEWIS RICE & CO.

New Grocery & Provision Store! C. C. BROWN begs to announce that he has started in the Grocery Business in the store formerly occupied by the late Mr. Jas. S. Morse (opposite the Post Office), and trusts that he may receive a share of support.

GROCERIES AND FRUITS! Terms strictly cash. of the best quality at fair prices.

the amounts still to come from the Institutions and public schools. A. B. S. DeWolf, 183 Upper Water St., HALIFAX. Commission merchant in Butter, Eggs, Cheese and Fruit. Prompt returns. Importer of Oranges, Lemons, Bananas, etc.

Bargains for Newspaper Readers. We present to readers of the ACADIAN an opportunity to secure that great world's paper, The Family Herald and Weekly Star, at a considerable reduction. We do this to enable our own subscribers to save considerable money. The Family Herald and Weekly Star needs no description. It is known throughout the world. It circulates widely in every part of the continent. There goes with the Family Herald this autumn to all yearly subscribers, when their remittances are received, a beautiful premium picture, entitled "Fall from the Nest," pronounced by all the known judges as a magnificent premium, a picture that tells a touching story. Remit to the ACADIAN \$1.75 and you will receive The Family Herald and Weekly Star, of Montreal, and the ACADIAN.

This offer is limited as to time, and cannot be together with the premium, accepted after the offer is withdrawn. Address: Publishers The ACADIAN. The Christmas number of the Delinquent is to hand with the usual fund of interesting matter for the ladies. Its richly tinted color-plates illustrate the changing possibilities of fashion's latest discoveries, as well as current fancies. The design, trimming, millinery, etc. The recognition given the season of good cheer includes articles bearing on every department of the household, and the whole magazine will instruct and please. A famous explorer was amazed the other day in talking on the train to a plainly dressed man, living in Rockwood, who got on at Gaspé, Ont. "Surely," said the explorer, "you must have been a great traveller in your day, to be so well posted." "No," was the response. "I have not been out of Canada, but I have taken the Family Herald and Weekly Star for twenty years." The explorer ordered the paper.

The People's Forum. To the Editor of the Acadian. DEAR ACADIAN—Doctor Borden was in Canning last week looking after his interests in his dyke and his wharf at Blomidon. He then went to Kentville looking after his interests there. He passed through Wolfville on Saturday morning, but as he did not want to use the waiting sink or any of the public halls he did not stop. When he passed along the next time he might get some of his friends to tell the people of Horton that they wait a wharf at the mouth of Mud Creek for steamers to come to and load apples for the English market, and potatoes, pressed hay, lumber, fruit, etc., for the West Indies. A LITERAL.

Price reduced to \$1.25. A NEW LOT OF COBBLER ROCKERS! Just in! Back inlaid with Pearls, very pretty. A. J. Woodman. Wolfville, Nov. 5th, 1897.

The business of E. P. White & Co. is being continued by J. A. McNeill, who is prepared to carry on a first-class TAILORING ESTABLISHMENT and where a First Class Stock is open for inspection. All balances due E. P. White & Co. not paid in 30 days from date will be left for collection and are payable to J. A. McNeill only. Wolfville, Aug. 4th, 1897.

Fall Opening! Fine Millinery! A well-selected assortment of the LATEST NOVELTIES! Plumes and Feathers, Tourist Soft Felts and Bicycle Hats! L. W. ANDREWS.

FOR SALE. That desirable dwelling, and also lot adjoining, situated on College street, Wolfville, in convenient proximity to depot, post-office and college, containing 10 rooms. New and fitted with furnace, range, and other conveniences. Terms very reasonable. I. E. FORSYTH.

ELLIOT & HOPSON ARCHITECTS, Halifax, N. S. make a specialty of the latest American styles and are prepared to furnish designs and working drawings for all kinds of architectural work.

WOLFVILLE DRUG-STORE. WANTED—Industrious men of character. THE LINSCOTT COMPANY, Toronto.

What is this? A test for Astigmatism. If you have it your eyes may hurt you, your head may ache. Every day of your life may be more or less a worry to you. Do not put it off. Have your eyes tested. Examination free—and satisfaction guaranteed. J. F. HERBIN, Jeweler and Optician, WOLFVILLE, N. S.

...OUR... \$9.50 Overcoat!

Is Satin-Lined, Double Breasted, Stylish, Up-to-Date, and the Best Value in Kentville for the money. During our Clearance Sale we will sell our \$9.50 Overcoats for \$8.00. DO YOU WANT ONE? LEO. GRINDON & CO., THE PEOPLE'S STORE, MARGESON'S BLOCK, KENTVILLE.

WOLFVILLE REAL ESTATE AGENCY. Desirable Properties for Sale: 1. Residence at corner Acadia street and Gasperian avenue—contains 9 rooms. Good stable. Corner lot 50x100. 4. Fruit Farm on Main Street. 11 acres, mostly in Orchard. New House—rooms and Bathroom, lot and cold water. 5. Residence and Dyke lot on Main street—House, 10 rooms and bath room, hot and cold water. Heated by furnace. Stable and Carriage Room. One acre in house lot—apples, plums and small fruits. 5 acres good Dyke adjoining. 6. Small Farm at Hantsport—15 acres. House 10 rooms, heated by furnace. Stable. Suitable for Summer Tourists or Country Residence. 7. House and Lot on Central Avenue—6 rooms and bathroom. Price reasonable. 8. Farm near Wolfville—70 acre Orchard 300 trees. Good buildings. 9. Land at Wolfville—33 1/2 acre 3/4 acre Orchard. 10 acre Dyke. 11. Residence on Main St. 8 rooms. Stable. Fine grounds. 12 acres in fruit. 14. Dyke—7 acres on Wickwiskie and 6 acres on Dead Dyke. 15. Ten acre Farm at Waterford. Fruit. Water. Power Mill privileges on premises. For Sale or to Let. 13. The Wallace property at end Front street and Central Avenue. 6 rooms, six and seven rooms each. For further particulars, apply to AVARD V. PINO, Barrister, Real Estate Agent, etc., Wolfville, N. S. Office in Herbin's Building.

OPENING FROM BERLIN, GERMANY! Ladies Jackets & Capes! Shades in Black, Navy, Green, Brown and Cardinal. FIT and STYLE PERFECT! VALUE NEVER BEFORE EQUALED! Our Jacket at \$3.50 is a climax of goods at Low Figures! LADIES! Do you require a Coat or Cape? If so we have the goods and can assure you of prices to suit. CHASE, CAMPBELL & CO., Port Williams House.

"Acme Crokinole." THE GREAT PARLOR GAME! Nothing like it to amuse your Family and Friends these long winter evenings. Try one. Price reduced to \$1.25. A NEW LOT OF COBBLER ROCKERS! Just in! Back inlaid with Pearls, very pretty. A. J. Woodman. Wolfville, Nov. 5th, 1897.

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Fine Tailoring. Thanking the public for previous favors, I take pleasure in announcing that I now have one of the best cutters in the Maritime Provinces, and anyone desiring high class work and stylish garments will be sure to call on us. Take a look over our Splendid Stock of English Goods. These I have imported myself. They consist of SUITINGS, OVERCOATINGS, THE WORSTED COATINGS AND TROUSERS. W. S. WALLACE.

Money to Loan. REAL ESTATE SECURITY \$1000. Borrowed from us can be repaid in 8 years monthly payments of \$10. 10 " " " " " 15 " " " " " 20 " " " " " or any other terms up to 20 years. Payments can be made quarterly, half-yearly. Borrowers do not become shareholders. No entrance fees, office dues; no fines; no forfeitures. The Eastern Canada Savings Bank, LOAN CO., LTD., Head office Halifax, N. S. Apply to Avard V. Pino, Wolfville, N. S.

For Service. The thoroughbred Improved Yorkshire Boar, "Oak Lodge Farm" (2185). Terms, \$1.00. Thaddeus Carter, 10-11 GREENWICH.

"QUEBEC" FIRE ASSURANCE CO. INCORPORATED IN 1818. The oldest Canadian Company. The largest surplus of any Canadian. The lowest rates offered, here and elsewhere. No Continental claims. Intending insurers will find it to their interest to make enquiry about "Quebec" rates before insuring elsewhere. Apply to E. A. BROWN, Agent, Wolfville, Nov. 19th.

WANTED—Three Ladies to instruct in a household work. Splendid terms to competent persons. J. GALLOWAY, Toronto.

MONEY TO LEND on Mortgages payable to E. S. Crawley, Solicitor, Wolfville, N. S.



SHIRTS, COLLARS & CUFFS. SOLE AGENT THE ACADIAN WOLFVILLE, N. S., NO. 100.

Local and Provincial. The ACADIAN to the effect \$1.00. Send it to a friend.

Christmas vacation begins once on Linden Avenue in the morning by the services in the Baptist Church. The annual Teachers' meeting, comprising the county and Kings, will be held at in December, just previous to Christmas vacation.

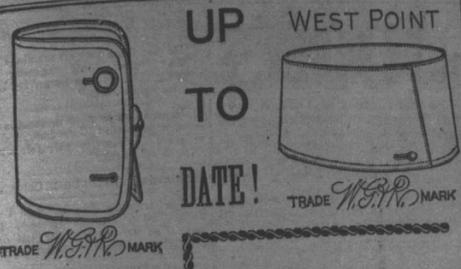
Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hill their new home at the street and Linden Ave. This makes one more home in that neighborhood.

The members of the "C" flops paid a visit on in Wolfville Division on Monday. A most enjoyable number of young present and a most enjoyable by all.

The pulp of the Mill this town will be occupied in the morning by the Cligg of Seckville, and by the Rev. George B. of the Wesleyan, of Halifax.

The first snow-storm came on Saturday 11th. The snow fell to a depth of about an inch, and has since been to the house.

Rev. P. M. MacAndrew's church which meets at the service. The first Sunday when a good people of the county consider "The Christ Clear Pine, plained by the Acadian boys returned home and were given their fall study session through upper at Chignecto. See our "Clear Pine" No. 1.



UP TO DATE!
WEST POINT



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COMPRESSED YEAST!

We are now the agents for this celebrated Yeast, and in future will receive a fresh supply every week.

—ALSO—
Cowan's Cocoa Essence,
Icings, Chocolate,
Crystallized Ginger, etc.

TEA!
We keep the famous Spring-wood Tea. It has no equal, and if you have never used it, you will make no mistake in buying it.

EGGS!
We want 60 doz. Eggs at the highest price.

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Dr A. J. McKenna.

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DENTIST,
Wolfville, N. S.

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Telephone at residence.

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Stewart's
Fancy Biscuits!

FRESH OYSTERS
ALWAYS ON HAND!

Acadia Seminary Entertainments.

The first recital by the students of Acadia Seminary will be given in Alumnus Hall, Friday evening, December 23, at 7.45.

The Seminary offers for the school year a course of four recitals, three to be rendered by the pupils, one, by the teachers.

Great care is being taken to make these entertainments of high order, with regard to both literary and musical work.

A course ticket may be procured at the drug store or from the principal of the Seminary. This ticket, admitting to each entertainment, and transferable, is marked at 50 cents.

Tickets for the several evenings will be sold as follows: Teachers' recital, 25 cents; pupils' recitals, 15 cents each. The patronage of the friends of the Seminary is earnestly solicited.

The receipts from the recitals are expended for the library or for much needed apparatus in the class rooms.

At present, an effort is being made to improve and enlarge the school library. Funds are greatly needed. Will not the public aid in promoting a work so important and so far reaching in influence?

Bloomfield Budget.

The new wharf at White Waters, which has been building since the middle of summer, is now completed.

The singing school started here a short time ago by Mr John Ward, of Canning, is making very good progress.

The school numbers in the neighborhood of 40. It is probable that Mr Ward will be asked to teach another term after this one is ended.

Mr and Mrs Enoch Fox, of Wolfville, have been visiting for some time at the home of Mr Elijah Fox, in Delhaven.

The Blackbird, Capt. Benj. West, is at Parraboro unloading apples. She has made several trips across this season, and has twice been to Moncton.

The Linnet, Capt. James Rogers, is at Moncton with apples from Bloomfield.

Mrs John Smith, of Parraboro, recently passed away. She was formerly of Bloomfield, and has many friends here.

Rev. Mr Higgins, Methodist pastor at Canning, begins a series of special evangelistic services at Lower Bloomfield, this week. The first meeting will be on Tuesday evening, the 23d.

Personal Mention.

[Contributions to this department will be gladly received.]

Mr W. W. Hobson arrived back from his visit to Ontario on Monday.

Miss Edith Johnson left last week for Boston where she has accepted a position as typewriter.

Miss K. E. Flavin, of Chambers' millinery establishment, spent Thanksgiving at her home in Halifax.

Dr. Trotter leaves tomorrow for Yarmouth where he will spend a few weeks in connection with the Forward Movement of Acadia. He has met with good success so far in the undertaking.

Messrs Hunter and Crossley, the evangelists, in a letter to the Halifax press, announced their intention of returning home to St. Thomas, Ontario. They have been absent from that province for over two years.

Mr Jos. T. Hoke, of West Virginia, has been appointed U. S. Consul for Windsor, vice Dr. Young. The new consul has entered upon his duties. Dr. Young has been in Wolfville this week. He expects to leave soon for the United States, where he will remain for the winter.

The rumor that the Dr. A. R. work, was to be removed to Annapolis is contradicted.

Another Lot...

—OF—
LADIES' JACKETS
AND
CLOTH CAPES!

These are the Very Latest.

DRESS GOODS!
In All The Newest Goods. DRESS PATTERNS!

Special Sale of Flannelettes, Waists, Wrappers, Dressing Jackets, Underwear and Nightwear.

CLOTHING!
Mens', Youths' and Boys' Suits, Overcoats, Ulsters and Reefers.

THE LOWEST PRICES IN TOWN.

Glasgow House. O. D. Harris.

THE ACADIAN.

Local and Provincial.

Mr Aubrey Brown has a machine at work pressing hay in the old Paine barn on Gasperau avenue.

"Maple Leaf" Division, of Greenwick, is expected to pay a fraternal visit to Wolfville Division on Monday evening next.

JUST RECEIVED AT THE DRUG STORE ANOTHER PAL OF THAT CREAM MIXTURE AT 25c. A POUND. IT'S IMMENSE.

In another column will be found the notice of the death of Mr Otis Trenholm, a highly esteemed citizen of Wolfville, Mr Trenholm until lately carried on a general store and was widely known.

Ill health forced him to give up business some time ago. He has been a great sufferer for some time past.

For Ladies Only.

20 Astrilan and Coon Fur Jackets, just in. All the latest styles with adjustable collars. Prices from \$15.00 to \$30.00.

Chin-chilla and Persian Lamb Muff and Collar, the very latest combination of furs, used in the larger cities. Other novelties in Ladies' Fur Collars and Muffs all sold at the lowest cash prices.

Please call and inspect these very newest novelties at FANN B. NAWSON'S, Kentville, N. S.

The Skoda building is making very satisfactory progress towards its future site. Mr Borden has been hustling the work right along ever since he took charge of it.

The St. John man, who expressed surprise that any person here should know how to move a building, might have got a few pointers had he remained here a little longer.

A little delay was occasioned in waiting an opportunity to get the large building across the railway track, but on Tuesday night the chance offered and everything being in readiness a few hours sufficed to put it over. Mr Borden will soon have his contract completed if he has favorable weather.

Gasperau Items.

Nineteen tons of cement have been picked this year at the factory of Mr Rupert Forsyth.

Considering the nature of the season this is an excellent showing and Mr Forsyth is to be commended for his enterprise.

Mrs John Silvers, an old and respected resident, passed away at her home here on Saturday. She has been a great sufferer, having been confined to her bed, with but brief intermissions, for the last fifty years.

The boating apparatus which Mr Jos. Joudry placed in his mill a short time ago has proved a financial success. Six hundred sticks of excellent plying, turned out by it during the past year.

The teaching staff of our public school of this year, consisting of Miss Ferguson, of Hantsport, and Miss Josie Eagles, of Gasperau, is giving unequalled satisfaction.

Died.

BROWN.—On Nov. 18th, at the residence of her grandmother, Mrs Crane, Grand Pre, Mrs. Kathlen, infant daughter of J. B. and Edith M. Brown, aged 15 months; and granddaughter of Rev. W. C. Brown.

TRENHOLM.—Nov. 20, at Grand Pre, after a painful and protracted illness, Otis W. Trenholm, aged 45 years.

SILVERS.—At Gasperau, on the 20th inst., Sarah, widow of the late John Silvers, in the 50th year of her age.

HAMILTON.—At Turkey place, Brooklyn, N. Y., on the 23rd inst., Christine J. Hamilton, widow of Prof. Henry Hamilton, Grand Pre, and daughter of R. L. Harris of the same place.

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Black and Grey Goat Robes, Black Goat and Wombat Mats, Men's Caps in Persian Lamb, Seal and Nutria, Ladies' Muffs in Baltic Seal, Oppossum and Nutria.

A job lot of boys' and youths' Larrigans, also a job lot of child's and boys' Overboots.

A choice of Braces, Men's knit and kid lined Gloves and Mitts, Men's and Boys' Reefers, Overcoats and Ulsters.

GRAND Provincial Exhibition

—AT—

Halifax, Sept. 28, to Oct. 1.

At the above exhibition H. W. CAMERON, the well-known Optician, will make a grand display of Spectacles, Eyeglasses and Optical Goods.

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Mme. Andrews, Fine Millinery & Modes, Main Street, Wolfville.

For Sale or To Let. A convenient house on Front street, containing six good sized rooms, large halls and a good cellar. Has just been papered and painted throughout.

Apply to JOHN W. BARR.

H. WENJIAN WHITE, Teacher of Shorthand, Typewriting and Telegography. Rooms over Dr. Mulloney's dental parlors, Main Street, Wolfville. Students can enter at any time. Instruction private or in class.

Property for Sale. On Acadia street, Wolfville, new dwelling containing nine rooms besides bath-rooms. Finished in modern style with all the improvements. Apply to F. W. WOODWORTH, or at this office.

Millinery at

Reduced Prices For 2 Weeks.

THE BEST PLACE TO BUY

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A full stock of General Hardware always on hand. We make a specialty of Plumbing and Furnace Work.

Season of 1897.

Suits Overcoats Trousers

For the spring and summer season, we have received the finest stock of Woollens ever imported into the Province. If you should come to the city, be sure and leave your measure and we will send you samples whenever you wish to get some clothes. We do only high-class work. The style and cut of our clothes are the very latest. Our prices are reasonable.

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TO ARRIVE:

1 Car Cottonseed Meal!
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We carry a full line of Flours and Feeds, Bran, Middlings, Feeding Flour, Whole and Cracked Corn, Barley, Corn and Oat Chop, etc.

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"See here, John, why didn't you bring your rifle when you came to preaching?" "Well, Sam, I 'lowed 'twan't right to bring it up on the Sabbath. I might see a varmint on the road and get a 'hooding and forget it was Sabbath."

"Huh! There's no use being so particular as that. I think it's all right to do little things on a Sabbath. Even a little shooting won't hurt if you happen to see game."

"The discussion was joined in on either side by those around, and it was finally decided to leave the question to the preacher. He was called in and the case stated."

"Look yer boys," said he. "S'posin' a man comes along here with seven hand-some gray horses, a-ridin' one and the others a-follerin'. You all like a pretty beast and you like 'em all over. You can't see that one is better than another. They are all as pretty critters as ever were seen among the mountains though there will be differences in horses, boys. When you come to know 'em, no two is alike. Well, that man says, 'Here, boys, I'll just give you six of these beasts for your own,' and he gets on the other side of 'em. I s'pose you'd mount your horses and ride after him and make him give you the other horse, or at least let you keep it till your crops was all in."

"No. We ain't so 'sary mean as all that, preacher."

"Well, then, can't you let the Lord's day alone?" "A blank look at the preacher and at each other. Then Sam spoke out: 'You've tired us, preacher. John, I'm right glad you didn't bring that gun.'"

As We Grow Old. One of the first surprises that people have as they begin to realize that they are leaving the record of a goodly number of years behind them, is that people think they are old. Casual remarks to that effect made before them come as a distinct shock. The spirit does not grow old; it is merely hampered by physical infirmities, and more particularly public opinion. People are made old; they give up youthful practice, because people think they must, though that was more in the past than in the present. There is no doubt that people, women particularly, lost much of their physical force because as they grew older it was "proper" for them to give up this and that and settle down. Now that grandmother rides the bicycle, things have changed somewhat. Almost anyone can remember, as a child, wondering how it would seem to be very old—in the child's estimation, twenty, thirty, even forty years. Then when the twenty, thirty, even forty years have passed, the child, who has become a mother, looks back and thinks that the folks little older and a surprisingly little wiser than that child.—New York Times.

God's Gifts. You often see beautiful fruit displayed behind a plate glass window or in some shop, and the hungry little boys look and long for it, but they cannot reach it. If you were to tell one of them who has never seen glass to take some, he might attempt it; but he finds something invisible between him and that fruit. Just so many Christians can see that God's gifts are beautiful, but they cannot take, because the self-life comes in between, even though they cannot see it. What glorious blessings we should have if we were only willing to give up the self-life and take what God has prepared for us, not only righteousness, but only peace, but the joy of the Holy Ghost.—Rev. Andrew Murray.

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If proper treatment is not resorted to in time, the results of liver complaint are terrible, often ending in death. Mrs. McRae, of Guelph, Ont., suffered for nine long years from liver complaint. Her case baffled the skill of the physician she employed; he could do no more, and the sufferer was left almost hopeless. Hearing of Paine's Celery Compound she procured a supply, and soon experienced returning health and vigor. The second bottle completely cured her. Mrs. McRae writes for the benefit of all in misery and affliction:—she says: "It gives me great pleasure to add my testimony to the value of Paine's Celery Compound. For nine years I had been troubled with liver complaint, and often had very bad spells from it. Two years ago this spring I had a very bad attack of it, and called in a doctor who relieved me of the trouble, but I remained weak, and could neither eat nor sleep, and suffered so much with my head that I procured a bottle of your Paine's Celery Compound, and before I had the contents used I could eat and sleep well, and the pain my head was completely gone. I took the second bottle, and have never been troubled with liver complaint since. Your Compound has banished constipation which troubled me for many years, and has built me up and completely cured me. I am now 64 years old, and from what I know I consider you medicine the best on the market. Hoping that your valuable medicine will do for others what it has done for me in my sickness with."

War On Cigarettes. It is now thought that steps have been taken which will lessen the use of cigarettes by the boys in the Chicago public schools. It has been ascertained that most of the cigarettes which the boys

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Next meeting in Temperance Hall, Thursday, Dec. 4th, at 8:30 P.M. The meetings are always open to any who wish to become members. Visiting members of other W.C.T.U. Unions are cordially welcomed.

The Saloon Conspiracy against Boys.

"The whole liquor business to-day is based upon persistent, vigilant efforts to create an appetite in boys. The liquor candy-drops, the liquors disguised in soda water in drug stores, the fermented beers of different sorts, the cheap liquor, and innumerable fancy drinks all lead to this one end.

"In thirty cities and towns as a result of visits to the saloons, there being fifteen or twenty saloons in the place, it was estimated that out of an aggregate of every fifty thousand persons present, the majority were clearly under age. In a saloon in one city, Wooster, Ohio, five boys in knee pants were found."—The Christian Advocate, New York.

When I see our school-boys stunting their growth and drying up their brains with smoke; when I discover their very cigars are soaked in alcohol and liquors, and that the boys are baited with beer and enticed into saloons by music, games and evil company; when I am told of their degeneracy in scholarship, so that the per centage of girls who graduate and who take honors is steadily gaining so that of boys, it seems to me I cannot wish until the schools of my country focus their splendid light upon the problem of prevention. It is a glorious thing to go to the rescue of wicked and ruined youth with the lifeboat of reform, but far more glorious to build a light-house on the sunken reef, warning the unskilled voyager of his danger.—Temperance Herald.

A Turning Point. Dr. Hannay's secretarial colleague, the Rev. D. Burford Hooper, says a commercial traveller from Liverpool, who was in the habit of visiting Dumfries, had a custom, after he had finished his business, to go round the town with a bell, announcing a temperance lecture. Young Hannay went to hear him, and as the result became possessed of "a strong and almost passionate determination to keep clear of the snares into which so many of his fellow-townsmen were constantly falling." So "I made up my mind as a boy that I would not be a drunkard." He went on March 7, 1737, to a bookseller's shop where a pledge-book was kept. The bookseller was doubtful as to the wisdom of any but full grown men signing the pledge. He protested, but the lad's hand was on the book, and almost before the good man could recover from his surprise the words "Alexander Hannay" were written in a round, bold hand, and there they remain to this day. He himself regarded the incident as the "turning-point in his life, for only recently he said, "Most positively do I now declare my belief that my position in after life, and any service I have rendered to the cause of temperance, or the cause of truth, is due to that one act."—N. the N. Messenger.

Narcotics. When Dr. Leslie Keeley tells us "it is more difficult to cure a confirmed cigarette smoker than a confirmed drunkard" we tremble for the legions of boys who are acquiring the tobacco habit by this cheap and easy process. We wonder, too, how it is men are willing to make and sell what reduces the consumer to a worse slavery than even that of alcohol. Can we do other than find a note of warning when we find Christian people proposing to sanction such a business in consideration of a money return? "Oh, but we care nothing for the revenue," says one, "we are only anxious to limit and control the traffic." We recognize the purity of motive, but never truer words spoken than these: "They analyze their children's children Who make compromise with sin." The past has swung its red lantern danger signal, across this delusive side path to reform, the Temperance cause offers a profitable argument against it, and those who persist in travelling it can surely not hope to go in company with Him whose life and gospel are one continual protest against anything but clear cut, absolute severance from wrong. Our department superintendent will make a report of work done, but allow me a suggestion for the future. Upon this cigarette question we have the hearty support of most of the Young People's Christian Societies. Whatever method is adopted, in this year's plan of work let it include an effort to secure their cooperation. Nothing less than the prohibition of the manufacture, importation and sale of cigarettes—a measure now being earnestly pressed in several of the States—will provide the real remedy.—The Templar.

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Seraps for Odd Moments

"Do you think they are married?" "No; they're only engaged; he looked pleased when he burned her hair with his lighted cigar."

"Jackson, has an advertisement in the paper which reads: 'Come back, my wife, be good.' 'Has his wife left him?' 'No; it's the cook.'"

Minards Liniment Cures Colds, etc. "Dah is some friends," said Uncle Eben, "dat is like de rainbow. Day looks fine an' benis polite, but dey goes when de sun ain't shinin'."

Clad—There is nothing more pleasant than to walk and talk with the one you love best. Maud—I should think you would get tired of your own company.

Boarder (warmly)—Oh, I'm knowing to the tricks of your trade; do you think I have lived in boarding-houses twenty years for nothing? Landlady (trifling)—I shouldn't be at all surprised.

Minards Liniment Cures Distemper. Caller—In yesterday's paper you said Miss Footlight was one of the most beautiful women on the stage. Why didn't you print her picture? Editor—We never take back what we say.

A girl who cannot evolve an engagement out of the combination of a young man and a caterpillar down her back was evidently designed by nature for the unstrategic destiny of whetting coal downbill.

"You say, mamma," said Bobby, "that I mustn't hit Tommy Jones when I'm at his house, because it isn't polite, and that I'm not to hit him when he's visiting me. Then when can I whack him on the street?"

Minards Liniment Cures Gargle Coughs. Wife (waking up and catching her husband by the arm)—"Robert, Robert, there's a man in the house." Husband (sleepily)—"Yes, I know there is, and you're pinching him in the neck. Stop it!"

"Blanche is dreadfully stingy," "How do you know?" "She was going to pay our car fare, and said it was my turn—"

"And she let me pay."

New Clerk—"I notice some of the bunch of apples are marked 'X' or some Z. Are they different kinds?" Dealer—"No; same kind, but differently packed. Some customers want a barrel opened at the bottom and some at the top."

Minards Liniment Cures Diphtheria. "Want to ride a bicycle, do you?" snapped the old man. "Your mother never went whizzing about on the street on a wheel?"

"Yes," retorted the dutiful daughter, "that is just what my mother said, that maybe if she had she would have caught a better-looking man."

"I want to buy a cane," she said as she tripped into the store. "For a young man, I suppose," said the polite clerk.

"Did you bring his measure?" "His measure? I didn't know that man had to be measured for a cane."

"Well, we ought to have the size of his mouth."

"Tommy," said a father to his father, "have you been at those six apples I put in the cupboard?" "Father," said Tommy, looking into his eyes, "I have not touched one."