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AFTER.

After the shower, the tranquil sun;
After the snow, the emerald leaves;
Silver stars when the day is done;
After the harvest, golden sheaves.

After the clouds, the violet sky;
After the tempest, the lull of waves;
Quiet woods when the winds go by;
After the battle, quiet graves.

After the knell, the wedding bells;
After the bud, the radiant rose;
Joyful greetings from sad farewells;
After our weeping, sweet repose.

After the burden, the blissful meed;
After the flight, the downy nest;
After the furrow, the waking seed;
After the shadowy river—rest.

—Philadelphia Times.

Interesting Story.

WIRED LOVE.

A ROMANCE
OF
DOTS AND DASHES.

BY
ELLA CHEEVER THAYER.

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

CHAPTER I.—Continued.

"I regret to say no." Then looking around, and describing what she saw—"a long, dark little room, into which the sun never shines, a crazy and a wooden chair, a high stool, desk, instruments—that is all—Oh! and me!"

"Last but not least," said 'C'; "but what a contrast to my office! Mine is all windows, and in cold days like this the wind whistles in until my very bones rattle! The outward view is fine. As I sit I see a stable, a carpenter's shop, the roof of the new Town Hall that has ruined the town and—"

"Excuse me,"—some one at another office on the line here broke in—and with more politeness than is sometimes shown in interrupting conversations on the wire—"I have a message to send," and forthwith began calling.

At this Nattie resumed her interrupted occupation of bewailing her spoiled dress, but at the same time she had a feeling of pleased surprise at the affability of 'C' at 'X'.

"I wonder," she thought, as she took up her book again, and tried to bury the remembrance of her accident therein, "I do wonder if this 'C' is he or she!"

Soon, however, she heard 'X' call once more, and this time she laid her book aside very readily.

"You did not describe the principal part of your office—yourself!" 'C' said, when she answered the call.

"How can I describe myself?" replied Nattie. "How can anyone properly? One sees that same old face in the glass day after day, and becomes so used to it that it is almost impossible to notice even the changes in it; so I am sure I do not see how one can tell how it really does look—unless one's nose is broken—or one's eyes crossed—and mine are not—or one should not see a looking-glass for a year! I can only say I am very inky just now!"

"Oh! that is too bad!" 'C' said; then, with a laugh, "It has always been a source of great wonder to me how certain very plain people of my acquaintance could possibly think themselves handsome. But I see it all now! Can you not, however, leave the beauty out, and give me some sort of an idea about yourself for my imagination to work upon?"

"Certainly!" replied Nattie, with a mischievous twinkle in her eye that 'C' knew not of. "Imagine, if you please a tall young man, with—"

'C' broke quickly, saying, "Oh, no! You cannot deceive me in that way! Under protest I accept the height, but spurn the sex!"

"Why, you do not suppose I am a lady, do you?" queried Nattie.

"I am quite positive you are. There

is a certain difference in the 'sounding' of a lady and gentleman, that I have learned to distinguish. Can you truly say I am wrong?"

Nattie evaded a direct reply, by saying,

"People who think they know so much are often deceived; now I make no surmises about you, but ask, fairly and squarely, shall I call you Mr., Miss, or Mrs. 'C'?"

"Call me neither. Call me plain 'C'! Or picture, if you like, in place of your sounder, a blonde, fairy-like girl talking to you, with pensive cheeks and sunny—"

"Don't you believe a word of it!"—some one on the wire here broke in, wishing, probably, to have a finger in the pie; "picture a hippopotamus, an elephant, but picture no fairy!"

"Judge not others by yourself, and learn to speak when spoken to!" 'C' replied to the unknown; then "To N.—You know the more mystery there is about anything, the more interesting it becomes. Therefore, if I envelop myself in all the mystery possible, I will cherish hopes that you may dream of me!"

"But I am quite sure you can, with propriety be called Mr. 'C'—plain, as you say, I doubt not," replied Nattie.

"Now, as it is time for me to go home, I shall have to say good night."

"To be continued in our next?" queried 'C'.

"If you are not in a cross mood," replied Nattie.

"Now that is a very unkind suggestion, after my abject apology. But, although our acquaintance had a *grave re-hearse-al*, I trust it will have a happy ending!"

Nattie frowned.

"If you will promise never to say 'grave,' 'hearse,' or anything in the undertaking line, I will agree never to say 'cross!'" she said.

"The undertaking will not be difficult; with all my heart!" 'C' answered, and with this mutual understanding they bade each other "good night."

"There certainly is something romantic in talking to a mysterious person, unseen, and miles away!" thought Nattie, as she put on her hat. "But I would really like to know whether my new friend employs a tailor or a dress-maker!"

Was Nattie conscious of a feeling that it would to the rest of the romantic acquaintance should the distant 'C' be entitled to the use of the masculine pronoun?

Perhaps so! For Nattie was human, and she was only nineteen!

CHAPTER II.

AT THE HOTEL NORMAN.

Miss Nattie Rogers, telegraph operator, lived, as it were, in two worlds. The one her office, dingy and curtailed as to proportions, but from whence she could wander away, through the medium of the telegraph wire, on a sort of electric wings, to distant cities and towns; where, although alone all day, she did not lack social intercourse, and where she could amuse herself if she chose, by listening to and speculating upon the many messages of joy or of sorrow, of business and of pleasure, constantly going over the wire. But the other world in which Miss Rogers lived was very different; the world bounded by the four walls of a back room at Miss Betsy Kling's. It must be confessed that there are more pleasing views than sheds in greater or less degrees of dilapidation, a sickly grape-vine, a line of flapping sheets, an overflowing ash-barrel; sweeter sounds than the dulcet notes of old rag-men, the serenades of musical cats, or the strains of a cornet placed upon at intervals from nine P. M. to twelve, with the evident purpose of exhausting superfluous air in the performer's lungs. Perhaps, too, there was more agreeable company possible than Miss Betsy Kling.

Therefore, in the evening, Sunday and holiday, if not in the telegraphic world of Miss Rogers, loneliness, and the unpleasant sensation known as "blues" were not uncommon.

Miss Betsy Kling, who, although in reduced circumstances, boasted of certain "blue blood," inherited from dead and gone ancestors—who perhaps would have been surprised could they have known at this late day how very genteel they were in life,—rented a flat in Hotel Norman, on the second floor, of which she let one room; not on account of the weekly emolument received therefrom, ah, no! but "for the sake of having some one for company." In this respect she was truly a contrast to Mrs. Simonson, a hundred and seventy-five pound widow, who lived in the remaining suite of that floor, and who let every room she possibly could, in order, as she frankly confessed, to "make both ends meet." For a constant struggle with the "ways and means" whereby to live had quite annihilated any superfluous gentility Mrs. Simonson might have had, excepting only one lingering remnant, that would never allow her to hang in the window one of those cheaply conspicuous placards, announcing:

"Rooms to Let."

Miss Betsy Kling was a spinster—not because she liked it, but on account of circumstances over which she had no control,—and her principal object in life, outside of the never-expressed, but much thought-off one of finding her other self, like her, astray, was to keep watch and ward over the affairs of the occupants of the neighboring flats, and see that they conducted themselves with the propriety becoming the neighbors of so very genteel and unexceptionable a person as Miss Betsy Kling. In pursuit of this occupation she was addicted to sudden and silent appearances, much after the manner of materialized spirits, at windows opening into the hall, and doors carelessly left ajar. She was, however, afflicted with a chronic cold, that somewhat interfered with her ability to become a first-class listener, on account of its producing an incessant snuffle and spasms of violent sneezing.

Miss Rogers going home to that back room of hers, found herself still pondering upon the probable sex of 'C'. Rather to her own chagrin, when she caught her thoughts thus straying, too; for she had a certain scorn of anything pertaining to trivial sentiment. A little scorn of herself she also had sometimes. In fact, her designs reached beyond the obtaining of the everyday commonplaces with which so many are content to fill their lives, and she possessed an ambition too dominant to allow her to be content with the dead level of life. Therefore it was that any happy hours of forgetfulness of all but the present, that sometimes came in her way, were often followed by others of unrest and dissatisfaction. There were certain dreams she indulged in of the future, now hopefully, now utterly disheartened, that she was so far away from the realization. These dreams were of fame, of fame as an authoress. Whether it was the true genius stirring within her, or that most unfortunate of all things, on unconquerable desire without the talent to rise above mediocrity, time alone could tell.

Compelled by the failure and subsequent death of her father to support herself, or become a burden upon her mother, whose now scanty means barely sufficed for herself and two younger children, Nattie chose the more independent, but harder course. For she was not the kind of girl so sit down and wait for some one to come along and marry her, and relieve her of the burden of self-support. So, from a telegraph office in the country, where she learned the profession, she drifted to her present one in the city.

To her, as yet, there was a certain fascination about telegraphy. But she had a presentiment that in time the charm would give place to monotony,

more especially as, beyond a certain point, there was positively no advancement in the profession. Although knowing she could not be content to always be merely a telegraph operator, she resolved to like it as well and as long as she could, since it was the best for the present.

As she lighted the gas in her room, she thought not of these things that were so often in her mind, but of 'C,' and then scolded herself for caring whether that distant individual was man or woman. What mattered it to a young lady who felt herself above flirtations?

So there was a little scowl on her face as she turned round, that did not lessen when she beheld Miss Kling standing in her door-way. For Miss Rogers did not, to speak candidly, find her landlady a congenial spirit and only remained upon her premises because being there was a lesser evil than living in that most unhomelike of all places, a boarding-house.

"I thought I would make you a call," the unwelcome visitor remarked, rubbing her nose, that from constant friction had become red and shining; "I have been lonesome to-day. I usually run into Mrs. Simonson's in the afternoon, but she has been out since twelve o'clock. I can't make out—"

meaningly, "where she can have gone! not that she is just the company I desire. She has never been used to anything above the common, poor soul, and will say them rooms," but she is better than no one, and at least can appreciate in others the culture and standing she has never attained," and Miss Kling sneezed, and glanced at Nattie with an expression that plainly said her lodger would do well to imitate, in this last respect, the lady in question.

"I am very little acquainted with Mrs. Simonson," Nattie replied, with a tinge of scorn curling her lip, for, in truth, she had little reverence for Miss Kling's blue blood. "Her lodgers like her very much, I believe; at least, Quimby speaks of her in the highest terms."

"Quimby!" repeated Miss Kling, with a snuffle of contempt. "A blundering, awkward creature, who is always doing or saying some shocking thing!"

"I know that he is neither elegant nor talented, and is often very awkward, but he is honest and kind-hearted, and one is willing to overlook other deficiencies for such rare qualities," Nattie replied, a little warmly, "and so Mrs. Simonson feels, I am confident."

Miss Kling eyed her sharply.

"Not at all! Allow me, Miss Rogers, to know! Mrs. Simonson endures his blunders, because, as she says, he can live on the interest of his money, 'on a pinch,' and she thinks such a lodger something on which to boast. On a pinch, indeed!" added Miss Kling, with a sneeze, and giving the principal feature in her face something very like the exclamation, "a very tight pinch it would be, I am thinking!" Then somewhat spitefully she continued, "But I was not aware, Miss Rogers, that you and this Quimby were so intimate! The admiration is mutual, I suppose?"

"There is no admiration," replied Nattie, with a flash of her gray eyes, inwardly indignant that any one should insinuate she admired Quimby—honest, blundering Quimby, whom no one ever allowed a handle to his name, and who was so clever, but like all clever people, such a dreadful bore. "I have only met him two or three times since that evening you introduced us in the hall, so there has hardly been an opportunity for anything of that kind."

"You spoke so warmly!" Miss Kling remarked. "However," conciliatingly, "I don't suppose by any means that you are in love with Quimby! You are much too sensible a young lady for such folly!"

To be continued.

In another column we give a brief account of a meeting held in Kentville to make arrangement for applying for the Provincial Exhibition in this County the present year. It is to be hoped that the application will be successful and that the Exhibition will be held here. We know that there are a few amongst us who make a practice of finding fault with the management of Exhibitions in this County and perhaps with some cause, and some who go further and oppose them altogether.

Exhibitions have become part of the times and we can no more afford to do without them than we can without railways, telegraphs, mowing machines, or any of the conveniences that modern ingenuity or science has given us, and this County should use every legitimate means to secure its full share. Since the last one, held in Kentville, Halifax and Truro have each had one, and other things being equal surely, our claim should be considered before either of those places.

The resolution to ask the Council to assume the responsibility is right, and although the agricultural societies may be the legitimate source for making the application, the Exhibition concerns all classes and is to all directly or indirectly a benefit, and it is only just that the County guarantee any loss that may occur, and not do as was done in the last instance allow private individuals to take the risk and when done hand over the proceeds, in that case about \$400, to the county.

An Exhibition in this County held at the proper time and properly conducted cannot fail of being a success, in the last one the receipts exceeded the expenditure about a thousand dollars, part of which was used to pay off debts incurred preparing the ground, building roads, etc., for the first one, and now with the increased railroad and steamer facilities there must be less chance of failure. If held early enough and properly advertised, and cheap excursion tickets issued from Boston, Bar Harbor etc., there would probably be a large number of Americans take advantage of the opportunity to visit the scene of "Evangeline."

If successful in their application we intend to keep an eye on the committee and give them useful hints as the occasion arises.

Mr. Murphy, the provincial engineer, officially visited the bridge at Port Williams on Saturday last. The following facts were communicated by him to the Secretary of the Wolfville Bridge Meeting.

The contract is for an iron bridge without draw to cost \$7,900 including planking. The total cost including repairs to piers and abutments will be under \$10,000. The extra cost for a swing draw would be, for iron work, \$1,800, for pier at least \$400 more. A draw would be very expensive to keep up as a wooden pier would not last more than four or five years, on account of the great weight of the iron machinery. The only way to deviate it would be to build of concrete or stone which is out of the question on account of the expense. The new bridge will be ready without fail by March 1st. The reason so few men are now employed is because the work is well forward and will be completed long before the required time.

We recently received a "special" copy of the "New York Family Story Paper," published by Norman L. Munro, of New York. Is this the man, the great philanthropist, who gives his thousands to educate the young whose name is in so many mouths as that of a public benefactor because of his liberal endowments in the cause of higher education? The same!

Oh, no! This is not the same by any means. Mr. George Munro, the publisher, who has given so largely toward the support of Dalhousie College, and Norman L. Munro are too entirely different persons. True George Munro has published a lot of trash in the Seaside Library and in his paper, *The Fireside Companion*, but he certainly is not the person mentioned in the *New Star*. As far as we can learn, Norman

L. Munro is a brother of George Munro and was for a time in his employ. He afterwards left and opened business on his own account in the same line on the same street and directly opposite. The numbers being for one, 17 to 27 Vandewater Street; the other, 14 and 16. The two men have been for years bitter rivals, Norman L. doing his best to out into George's business. Certainly such mistakes cannot injure the one or help the other; but in this age of enlightenment they are hardly necessary. While under the head of trash it would be well for all our newspapers to consider carefully what they publish on their first page and avoid as much as possible the style of "blood and thunder" literature so prevalent.

The question of closing the places of business in this village at 6 o'clock during the winter has been under consideration among some of our merchants for some time. Considering the very limited number who do any buying after that hour, it might be advisable in the score of economy of light and fuel; but that a satisfactory and honestly carried out arrangement we fear would be impossible among Wolfville merchants, judging by past experience.

A most villainous and dastardly outrage was perpetrated in the School house at Grand Pre last week.

It does seem a pity that no stop can be put to this sort of thing.

Why the place was left for some days after by the authorities before being cleared up is also a question difficult for the uninitiated to answer.

We have yet to learn of any steps being taken towards the discovery and arrest of the perpetrators of this act.

The subject of Taxation is now being discussed in an animated manner by all our rate-payers. We do hope something will come out of all this talk, more than mere words.

At present the system is villainous, and the sooner it is remedied the better.

The assessors have no pleasant or light work to perform. They have no choice in the matter and are doing their level best to make the matter right, but as the law now stands it is impossible to improve the state of affairs. The idea of a central county poor asylum is one of vital importance and should be kept constantly before the people till it is accomplished.

No sane man will for a moment argue that one farm cannot be operated cheaper and better than three and to better pecuniary advantage.

Meanwhile the ACADIAN will hold itself open for any thing that is in its power to bring about a better and more satisfactory way of conducting these things than that at present in use.

EXHIBITION.

A meeting of delegates from the various Agricultural Societies of the County was held in Kentville on Monday last to take the necessary steps for applying for the Gov't grant of \$4,000, and having the next Provincial Exhibition held in Kentville. As such applications are supposed to be made before the meeting of the executive of the Central Board of Agriculture, shortly to be held, action had to be taken at once and a committee consisting of members of the New Council, two from each Agricultural Society in the county, and a few others, were appointed to assume the responsibility and make the application, guaranteeing a prize list of not less than six thousand dollars. A resolution was passed that this committee meet in Kentville on Wednesday 14th inst., and then ask the Council to assume the responsibility of running the Exhibition and the county to receive any surplus there may be.

CORRESPONDENCE.

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

For the Acadian.

MESSENGERS EDITORS.—Permit me to insert the following in connection with the defence of the Freshman students of Acadia College, who have been per-

sonalized and cajoled by some of the authors of a pamphlet called the *Athenaeum*. This pamphlet appears to be devoted to the interests of Acadia College, while at the same time it gives not only a careless but also a personal criticism of each young man of the Freshman Class. This *Athenaeum* had no right whatever to become degenerate by the use of such rude language, but if it did reflect much discredit upon itself, it is a matter of slight importance. Only this thought, that the unfairness of the outrage upon our young men, exceeds an ordinary degree of impudence, prompted us to stoop to a reply. It is evident that from the mistaken opinion that our Freshman students would not reply, forms the reason why they were ridiculed. Some of our Freshmen students, however, are not at all disposed to allow themselves to be personally criticised by those "wonderful intellectual experts," who make themselves ridiculous by spurning the ranks from which they have only lately arisen. One of our number at least considers it a pleasure to retaliate and for a pastime, will publicly and personally criticize that writer in return. We also give him a motto—"Whatever a man soweth, that shall he also reap." We are pleased to state that none of our young men have taken offence at such common remarks. We might add that all the inconsistencies of the Freshman class combined would blush at the unfairness which prompted this criticism and further if we should so skillfully place our words so as to form an adequate description of the peculiarities and appearances of the writer who styles himself an editor, modesty would permit their utterance. It is within the limit of propriety to say that both are of such a cast as to betray a mind which naturally suggests itself in stooping to the degree that it has. Although the public admit that this glaring piece of impudence has justly merited all the contempt it deserves, yet we attribute it largely to want of experience. Trusting, however, that before this writer shall again attempt to personally criticize, that he shall learn to consult the rights of our young men rather than any depraved ideas of them, which form a useful lesson, and thanking you for space kindly given,

We remain respectfully yours,
Wolfville, Jan. 5 '85 FRESHMAN.

To the Editors of the Acadian.

SIRS:—The last issue of the *New Star* contains an editorial headed "Trash" in which the writer indulges in a tirade against sensational literature. A serious mistake, however, is made by not distinguishing Norman L. Munro, the publisher of the "Trash" alluded to, and Geo. Munro, "the great philanthropist." By supposing the publisher of the "Trash" and the "great philanthropist" to be one and the same person—a comparison is made decidedly to the disadvantage of the latter gentleman. The name of Geo. Munro both as a publisher in a respectable province of our literature and as an educational benefactor in our own Province had been too widespread, one would think, to admit of such a mis-application as this. Norman L., a brother of Geo. Munro, publishes the Lakeside Library—a class of publications, 'tis true, of a worthless nature. He (Norman L.) was formerly an underling in Geo. Munro's employ, but jealous of his success withdrew and commenced the publication of the before mentioned series of books. While few persons would regard the censure of the *New Star* as too severe upon the serial published by Norman L., many will condemn the writer of the article, referred to for the amount of ignorance displayed in saddling a respectable publisher with the obloquy due another. Trusting that the Editor of the *New Star* will have the courtesy to make the necessary correction and explanation, I am,

Yours, etc.
FAIR PLAY.

Certain parties have been for years flooding the country with immense 25c packs of horse and cattle powders which are utterly worthless. Don't be deceived by them. Sheridan's powders are the only kind now known in this country which are strictly pure. They are very powerful.

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THE ACADIAN,
WOLFVILLE, N.S. JAN. 9, 1885.

Local and Provincial.

The farmers at Grand Pre were plowing last week.

Up to the time of our going to press the weather remains mild.

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Beleher's Farmer's Almanack for 1885 at Rockwell & Co's. 2in

The Municipal Council and County Court meet at Kentville next Tuesday.

WANTED.—Board wanted in a private family, by a young man. Apply at this office.

The Schrn. A. S. Townshend, has been sold to Capt James Byrne, of Newfoundland.

WANTED.—1 doz. spring pullets, alive, for which cash will be paid. Apply at this office.

The S. of T. at Lower Canard repeated their Entertainment to a full house, last Friday evening.

The "Household" Sewing Machine is the Best in the market. Sold by Rockwell & Co., Wolfville. 2in

Rev. Mr. Lane of Canning delivered a very interesting Lecture on his travels in New Zealand, in behalf of Harmony Grange, at Sheffield's Mills, last Saturday evening.

Go to Western Book & News Co's. for Text and Birthday Cards, large and extra fine assortment.

Windsor is to have a new paper to be called the Windsor Courier, published by T. B. Smith, Esq., about the last of this month, devoted to politics, history, literature, agriculture, &c.

We have received the first number of the Clarion, published at the Journal Office, Windsor, as the official organ of the Grand Division, S of T. It is a neatly printed, well edited paper and deserves success. We wish it well.

Mr. J. I. Brown informs us that he has just put in the best emery wheel in the Dominion, and is prepared to Sharpen Skates at the following prices: Tempered Skates, hollow ground, 16c., untempered, 10c. Satisfaction Guaranteed.

Why pay six or seven dollars for making a suit when you can get a better fit and better made at Caldwell & Murray's for little more than the price of the cloth. Their overcoats are the best fitting in the market and wonderfully cheap. Dec 12

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

J. B. Davison, J. P.

Buy the Standard Library of Poets, Cloth, 76 to 75c each at Western Book & News Co's.

SUICIDE.—Mr. Samson Merse formerly of this county, but who has been carrying on business in Boston for some years past, committed suicide on Sunday afternoon, Dec. 28th, by cutting his throat with a razor. The news of this sad event was a great shock to his friends, as he was much respected and in good circumstances.—Bridgetown Monitor.

Mr. E. C. Newcomb, of Canning, is our agent at that place, and orders for job work, and subscriptions to the ACADIAN may be left with him and will receive prompt attention. The ACADIAN is also on sale at his shop. Give him a call and leave your subscription.

WOLFVILLE SKATING RINK.

Open every afternoon 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 with Electric Light.

Tickets usual rates.
Single Skates.....15 cents
Promenade.....5 cents
D. A. MUNRO,
Proprietor.

Wolfville, Dec. 19th, 1884.

Local and Provincial.

The Wolfville Cricket Club intend having a musical entertainment about the last of February.

PERSONAL.—Dr. J. A. Payzant is in town for a few days.

Mr. F. W. Dakin, of the Critic, was in Wolfville this week.

Mr. Fred. W. Woodworth returned from the States last week bringing with him as his life partner one of America's fair daughters. We extend to him a hearty welcome home and wish him and his wife every success in their wedded life.

We are now furnishing Letter and Note Heads, Envelopes (cornered or addressed), Bill Heads, Counter Heads, Statements, Business Cards, Shipping Tags, and all kinds of plain and ornamental printing at extremely low prices. Samples and prices furnished on application.

S. OF T.—At a regular meeting of Evangeline Division, No. 443 S. of T., on Monday evening, Jan. 5th, 1885, the following officers were installed for the ensuing quarter by Deputy G. W. P., F. W. Curry:—

W. P.—Wm. A. Woodman. W. A.—Miss Alice Dennison. E. S.—C. M. Denison. A. R. S.—Miss Ella Gillmore. F. S.—J. O. Harris. Treas.—Miss Ida Fuller. Chap.—Willard Treenholm. Cond.—Fred Fuller. A. Cond.—Miss Annie Faulkner. J. S.—J. A. Woodworth. O. S.—C. H. Curry. P. W. P.—W. K. Rathbun.

The ACADIAN and Toronto Weekly Mail, or the ACADIAN and Toronto Weekly Globe will be sent to any address for one year for \$1.25, in advance. Look out for our big Club Offers, etc.

PRESENTATION.—A very pleasant event took place at the Methodist Church last Sunday evening. After the regular service the pastor, Rev. Mr. Burgess, in behalf of the Sabbath School in a few well chosen words, presented the superintendent, Mr. J. W. Caldwell, with a handsome photo. album bound in Russia leather and the following address:—

To J. W. Caldwell.

DEAR SIR—We, the teachers and scholars of the Sabbath School in connection with this Church, desire to recognise in some suitable measure the willingness with which you have worked among us for so many years as our superintendent, discharging the duties of that important position with fidelity to God, benefit to us, and great credit to yourself. Hoping this album will link the memories of your toil among us with your future experience, We remain, Yours in behalf of the Sabbath School, S. R. Sleep, Librarian.

Mr. Caldwell accepted in a few appropriate remarks. He was completely taken by surprise.

People are finding out every day that the merchant who gives long time must get long prices. Caldwell & Murray sell for cash or its equivalent and the people save money by buying from them, because there are no bad debts to be made up. Dec 12

A SUCCESSFUL SALESMAN.—L. W. Kimball, agent for J. F. Rupert, has canvassed Cornwallis Valley for 4 years and now has contracted for another year. We give below his sales for his first month on his new year which amounts to over \$2,000.

Everett Bligh, 1000 gooseberry bushes. A. B. Bligh, 550 apple trees. A. S. Cox, 100 apple trees. Geo. D. Pines, 100 apple trees; 500 asparagus roots. Richard Forsyth, 125 apple trees; 500 current bushes; 500 gooseberry bushes. Noble Lyons, 4 plum trees; 25 Gooseberry bushes. Alex. Knowlton, 25 gooseberry bushes; 1000 cranberry vines. Joseph Palmer, 300 apple trees. W. E. Roscoe, 50 pear trees; 12 plum trees. F. A. Masters, 4000 plum trees, small. H. B. Webster, 2000 plum trees, small; 100 current bushes; 100 gooseberry bushes. J. E. Bishop, 50 apple trees; 100 cranberry vines. James Cochran, 50 apple trees. John V. Bowie, 100 gooseberry bushes. Geo. R. Pines, 30 apple trees. Leander Rand, 100 pear trees; 500 current bushes; 500 gooseberry bushes. J. E. Ellis, 100 pear trees; 500 gooseberry bushes. E. Rand, 250 apple trees. D. E. Ellis, 70 apple trees. W. Y. Fallerton, 200 gooseberry bushes; 50 current bushes. C. H. Corey, 12 apple trees; 50 asparagus roots. Robert Shaw, 300 apple trees; 16 pear trees; 6 plum trees. Q. C. Shaw, 100 apple trees; 25 plum trees. J. W. Churchill, 300 trees. Capt. Faulkner, 50 apple trees; 50 pear trees; 100 current bushes; 100 gooseberry bushes. J. E. Newcomb, 60 apple trees; 1000 do small; 1000 plum trees; 1000 pear trees.

GENERAL NEWS.

—It is said that the landed gentry of England owe £250,000,000, mainly in mortgage.

—A contract has been signed for the construction of a port at Buenes Ayres at a cost of \$20,000,000.

—The Archbishop of Paris has issued a pastoral to the clergy against Freemasonry with the Vatican's strictures therein.

—Thomas Valin, of Syracuse, N. Y., died on Christmas Day at the advanced age of 104 years, 11 months and 11 days.

—Forty odd mills are running and affording employment at Fall River, Mass. to all operatives at wages paid a year ago.

—Recent floods in India have destroyed hundreds of houses. Fifty-three persons have been drowned by overflow of Red Hill lakes near Madras.

—A poor man name Herbert Allen who has been living in lodgings at Guildford, England, for over twelve months, has just established his claim to property worth £15,000.

—An Ottawa dispatch says:—A lad aged 18 and a girl aged 21 ran away in Kingston on the 5th inst. it is supposed to get married. In crossing the ice they broke through and both were drowned.

—A Frenchman named Paquet, an infidel, while denying the doctrine of eternal punishment in a discussion with some fellow boarders, in Fary's, Adelaide Street, Toronto, was stricken with paralysis, the whole of one side from head to foot, including the tongue losing vitality.

The following is a copy of a recommendation given by a prominent Boiler-maker to an employee. It was handed to us with the request that we publish it in the ACADIAN:—

This is to satisfy that the Barrer Robert... has been in my employ for the last three years as Boiler maker helper Boath as regards Biler making and tube cleaning removing and otherwise repairing the same. I have always found Bob just exactly the same no inforgator of trouble or no such like that set. eff I do say it myself now if eney of you want a good man to fire on a train just you ask Bob and he is not the man to refuse as regards caretector he is. Honest see and trusty as you all very well know and otherwise no drinker the reason of Bob's leaving here is regards not so much pay being the trouble incorse if you ask him to do enything fur you see he ante like some of them round here sich as Mike and others But is always redy to give you a lift up or down as the floce sais I have much pleasur in recommending Bob to eney one that want to hire somebody not to do nothing than me. (Signed,) A. C. Redden, Boiler-Maker.

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IN THE COUNTY. LAMP GOODS A SPECIALITY.

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Wolfville Sept. 20, 1884.

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XMAS-1884.

Our Stock for Xmas is now nearly complete, and is fully up to its usual Standard of Excellence. it comprises the usual assortment of

BOOKS!

including

The Lily Series, \$0.45
The Standard Lib. .70
of Poets,
The Boysown Lib, 1.00
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And a large number of miscellaneous and standard works.

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A MAGNIFICENT DISPLAY OF LARGE QUARTO PHOTOGRAPH ALBUMS, From \$1.25 to \$7.00 Each.

SMALL PHOTOGRAPH, AUTOGRAPH, & SCRAP ALBUMS To arrive shortly, also Velvet Frames!

SPLENDID LOT OF Purses and Pocket Books!

Nice Bibles, Hymn Books, etc. All Prices.

WRITING DESKS! IN GREAT VARIETY.

FANCY GOODS!

GAMES, All Kinds.

TOY BOOKS, Extra Fine Assortment.

TOYS, in Tin Wood China, etc. All Prices and Styles. Just the thing for Santa Claus.

Xmas Cards,

ALL STYLES! LARGE ASSORTMENT! NEW AND PRETTY DESIGNS! From 1 Cent up!

Western Book & News Co.

PICTURE FRAMING!

We have opened this week a lot of PICTURE MOULDING, and are now in position to take orders for all kinds of Picture Framing. Also a new lot of common

RUSTIC FRAMES,

very cheap, in popular sizes—8x10, 10x12, 10x14, 8x21; and a few very fine 8x10 Int. Walnut and Gilt frames, very nice for cabinet photographs with mat. Call and get our prices and see the samples.

FRAMED CHROMOS, SIZE 24x30

A fine lot of subjects, 2 in. moulding, Int. Walnut and Gilt.

Come in and see us!

We cannot tell you half we want to in this advertisement.

WESTERN BOOK & NEWS CO A. M. HOARE, Manager, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL Booksellers and Stationers,

Wolfville, N. S., Dec. 3d.

FARM FOR SALE!

The subscriber offers for sale his Farm, situated in Lower Horton, and partially bounded by the Gaspeau River, consisting of 23 acres of Upland in a good state of Cultivation, 120 young apple trees, House, Barn, and Outbuildings all in good repair.

Marsh Mud within 80 rods of any part of the farm. Also, 12 acres of Dyke on the Grand Pre.

This property will be sold at a bargain on easy terms. For particulars apply to subscriber on the place.

Jan 7th 1885. F. RATHBUN.

WONDERFUL!

The New York WonderLamp

Is beautifully finished, is the nearest approach to the

ELECTRIC LIGHT! yet invented, and is superior to all other Kerosene Lamps in the market, in

Nickle Plate or Gold Lacquer \$6.00 EACH.

Bracket Lamps \$5.00 EACH.

R. PRAT, AGENT

N. B.—Beware of cheap imitations.

Wolfville, Dec. 16, 1884.

KING'S COUNTY JEWELRY STORE!

KENTVILLE.

The subscribers have recently opened the store in

ARNOLD'S BLOCK,

Webster St., next door to

Post office,

WITH A FULL LINE OF

WATCHES,

CLOCKS,

SILVER and

ELECTRO-PLATED

WARE,

Table CUTLERY

SPECTACLES,

ETC., ETC.

And are prepared to furnish the above lines at the lowest market rates for cash, and would respectfully request intending purchasers to call and inspect our stock and ascertain prices before purchasing elsewhere.

J. R. McDonald & Co.,

WATCHMAKERS AND JEWELLERS,

Arnold's Block, Webster St. Kentville, N. S. and 145 Granville St., Halifax, N. S.

Sept 18th, 1884.

Creditors Notice!

Notice is hereby given that H. M. Sleep, of Canard, Cornwallis, Trader, has this day made an assignment of all his Goods, Book Debts, and all effects to the undersigned for the benefit of his creditors who shall become parties to said assignment within three months from this date.

A copy of said assignment is at the office of R. M. Rand, Canard, where it can be examined and executed by such creditors.

S. R. SLEET, R. M. RAND, Assn. Agent

Canard, Nov. 18th 1884.

[From the Steel Edge Reporter.]
TOTAL ABSTINENCE.

Nestling amid romantic hills,
Beneath Acadian skies,
Adorned with forests, fields and rills,
A thriving village lies.

A score or two of years ago,
This spot was rude and wild;
And here the Indian bands, we know
The lonely hours beguiled.

But God's almighty hands had hid
Within those hills so grand,
A treasure vast, unlimited,
To bless our native land.

And when this mighty magazine
Disclosed its secrets rare,
A host of eager men were seen
With haste to gather there.

And now the mountains daily pour
Their treasures at our feet;
Meanwhile a thousand hands or more
In honest labor meet.

In mill and furnace, store and mine,
The struggling crowds appear,
And oh, that virtue here might shine
And God be honored here.

But, sad to tell, a demon dread
To this fair spot has come;
Here may be seen the stealthy tread
Of Satan's minion, RUM.

In many hearts and homes is felt
His foul and fiery breath;
To husbands, sons, and fathers dealt,
The vepomed sting of death.

Our noble youths are led astray,
Of manhood rudely shorn;
Hard earnings meanly flicked away,
And tender bosoms torn.

The law of God is disobeyed,
The Sabbath spent in sin;
And Satan's vilest arts arrayed
Immortal souls to win.

And shall this friend of crime and
The darkest fiend of Hell, [worse,
Within our midst, a blighting curse,
Be suffered still to dwell?

Nay, heaven forbid,—arouse ye all
Strong men and women pure;
Go forth, resolved, this Demon's fall
By God's help to secure.

Let Temperance bands their number
Increase in zeal and strength, [swell,
And now this vile usurper tell
His chain has reached its length.

And let us our Division make
The foremost in the strife;
Advance, the strong position take,
E'en at the risk of life.

Our keen "Steel Edge" shall cut its
Through serrated ranks of sin; [way
Shall strike the foe with deep dismay,
And soon a victory win.

"Acadia Lodge" old "Iron Age,"
Fair "Dawn of Light" and all
With us this holy war shall wage,
Until Intemperance fall.

"St. Bridget's" too and "Erskine" bold
Are with us in the field;
And many Teuro friends enrolled
Fall well their weapons wield.

As thus with earnest heart and hand
We all our strength unite;
Each to our cause shall firmly stand
And urge a ceaseless fight.

Till Rum no more our homes shall
With sorrow, shame, and woe, [blight
The horrors of this dismal night
Our land no longer know.

THE WORTH OF LOVE.

No one who has looked into life with honest eyes can have failed to discover that it derives untold value from the love which welcomes its dawn, attends its growth, and advances, step by step, and soothes and cheers its old age. Human love is itself a pearl of great price. How it enlarges, enriches, and ennobles life! What force it evolves! What beneficent ministries it conducts! What patient heroism and severe self-suppression it inspires. In a mother it is faith, and hope, and patience, and effort, and victory. In young hearts it is a transforming gladness, an awakening to the responsibility and to the raptures of life. In manhood and womanhood, it is the balm of care, a refuge in temptation, and a source of serenity. Even the memory of a pure love is a hallowing inspiration. "This better to have loved and lost than never to have loved at all."—*Dr. Clifford.*

A passenger on a train up in Wisconsin was complaining of hard times.

"I don't see nothin' hard about 'em," remarked a contented looking man opposite him.

"Well, you're the first man I've seen that wasn't growin'," replied the first speaker, "and I should like to know your business. If there is one prosperous man in the country I want to make his acquaintance. What do you do?"

"Oh, I'm working for the railroad company watching the wood contractors to see that they don't pile in no poor stuff. Get \$2 a day."

"Two dollars a day! You don't call that prosperous, do you?"

"Oh, that ain't all. The contractors pay me \$5 a day to spend three-fourths of my time down to Bill Jackson's saloon. Nothing hard about these times that I can see."

The every-day cares and duties, which men call drudgery, are the weights and counterpoises of the clock of time, giving its pendulum a true vibration, and its hands a regular motion.—*Longfellow.*

ATTENTION!

S. R. SLEEP,

Desires to call the attention of the people of King's to the fact that he is selling off a large stock of

STOVES,

the remnant of stock manufactured by **THE ACADIA IRON FOUNDRY,** at exceeding low prices. Parties wishing to purchase will do well to call and inspect as the stock must be sold even at a sacrifice.

S. R. SLEEP.

Wolfville Oct 1st, 1884.

6 Horse power Engine, 8 " " Boiler, No. 4 Fan,

Almost as good as new.

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.

For the Best Quality of

Xmas Groceries

GO TO

G. H. WALLACE'S.

Prices always low for this grade of goods.

Cream of Tartar; and All SPICES,

Fresh Ground and warranted Pure.

OUR STANDARD **JAVA COFFEE** Is pronounced the Best in the market. Try it!

Our **TEAS:** are bought only after being personally tested for Strength and Flavor, and you may be sure of getting

GOOD VALUE!

Wolfville, Dec. 11th, 1884.

William Wallace TAILOR
Corner Earl and Water Streets,
WOLFVILLE.

Caldwell & Murray

Give notice that on Nov. 1st we will stop doing a credit business, and in future sell only for cash or merchantable produce. We would also call your attention to our

FALL STOCK!

Which is almost complete, and is the best assorted and best value we have ever shown. Our **ALL WOOL**

DRESS GOODS and CASHMERES We bought direct from PARIS, and customers may depend on their being the Newest colors and fabrics, and the very best value. We have a fine range of

VELVETEENS,

In all the new colors and in black. Splendid value and very pretty goods in

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And everything a lady wants in our line we can supply at the lowest market rates and in the newest materials

OUR STOCK OF

BEDDING, * CARPETS, * CLOTHING,

Boots & Shoes, Furnishings, Hats and Caps,

Is very full and better value than ever.

As we will henceforth make no bad debts and save the expense of keeping books, we will be able to sell goods at a smaller percentage and also devote our time more fully to looking after the wants of our customers.

On and after Nov. 1st we will allow a discount of five percent on all purchases for cash. Wool, Yarn, Eggs, dried apples, etc. taken in exchange as usual.

Wolfville, Oct. 21st, 1884.

JOHNSON'S ANODYNE LINIMENT

FOR INTERNAL AND EXTERNAL USE.

PARSONS' PURGATIVE PILLS

MAKE NEW, RICH BLOOD.

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MADE, PAINTED, and
REPAIRED
At Shortest Notice, at
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One and two years old at prices to suit the times.

Hold your orders until you see my Agents:

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M. A. Spellacy, Chas. Morgan,
J. E. Moffit, Wm. Whitman,
R. H. Warner, John Shaw,
W. T. V. Young, J. E. Morsom,
Alex. A. Jones, Geo. S. Hoyt,

W. & A. Railway Time Table

1884—Winter Arrangement—1885.

Commencing Monday, 1st December.

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

GOING WEST.	Exp. Daily	Accm. M.W.F.	Accm. Daily.
Halifax leave	7 00	6 15	2 30
14 Windsor Jun "	7 45	7 15	3 30
46 Windsor "	9 03	10 05	5 35
53 Hantsport "	9 28	10 37	6 23
58 Hantsport "	9 43	10 55	6 38
61 Grand Pre "	9 54	11 16	6 46
64 Wolfville "	10 03	11 25	6 55
66 Port Williams "	10 40	12 25	7 10
71 Kentville "	11 02	1 02	
80 Waterville "	11 10	1 17	
83 Berwick "	11 25	1 40	
88 Aylesford "	12 03	3 00	
102 Middleton "	12 47	4 00	
130 Annapolis Arve	1 30	4 55	

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

Steamer "Dominion" leaves St John every Mon Wed and Sat a. m., for Digby and Annapolis, returning from Annapolis same day.

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

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

Through tickets may be obtained at the principal Stations.

P. Innes,
General Manager
Kentville, 2d November, 1884.

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XMAS!

CHRISTMAS PRESENTS,

Wolfville Jewellery Store!

**J. McLEOD,
PRACTICAL
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& JEWELLER.**

(FROM LONDON, ENGLAND)

Respectfully informs the public of Wolfville, Kentville, and surrounding districts that I have bought for cash, direct from the Manufacturers, the largest and best selected stock of **Watches, Clocks, Jewellery, Silverware** etc., etc.

In King's County, which I can sell at a reduction from 25 to 50 percent beneath the Jewellery Fraternity of King's County. The public will find my stock of a superior quality to what is generally sold by traveling mountebanks, and others not legitimately brought up to the jewellery trade. Intending purchasers will find it to their advantage to give me a call before going elsewhere.

My Stock consists of Gold and Silver Watches, Necklaces, Earrings, Brooches, Gold Wedding Rings and Keepers, Bracelets in gold and silver, Gents Alberts in gold and silver, Gents Rings in gold and silver, Scarf Pins, Collar Buttons, Cuff Buttons gold and silver, Lockets, Fancy Dress Rings, Silver Thimbles, Charms, Pencil Cases etc., etc.

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I have for sale the largest selection of English Jewellery out of Halifax in fine Gold Lockets, Ladies' Gem Rings set in precious stones, Brooches, Ear-rings, Chains, Gents' Gold Rings, etc, etc, too numerous to mention.

A full line of STANDARD SILVERWARE: Cake Baskets, Card Receivers, Sugar Baskets, Cream Jugs, Butter Coolers, Castors, Revolving Butter Coolers, Castors, Napkin Rings, Pickle Dishes, Cell Belts, Nut Crackers, Butter Knives, Pie Knives, Fork Racks, Dinner and Desert Knives and Forks, Dinner and Desert Spoons, Tea Spoons, Fish Covers, Sugar Spoons, etc.

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Manufactured by French, Canadian, and American makers, the best selection out of Halifax, French Gilt Clocks under glass shades, full finished Canadian Clocks in polished walnut, American Clocks in veneered cases.

I am in a position to sell the **WALTHAM WATCH**, which is a notorious fact the public of the county is charged \$30.00 which I can sell for \$20.00. Also Ladies' Stem-winders and setters, which are generally sold for \$18.00 I sell for \$12.00

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Cleaning Watch 50c.
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New Main Spring 50c.
(usual price 75c. to \$1.00.)
New Jewel from 25—50c.
(Usual price 75c. to \$1.00.)
New Balance Spring, com monly called Hair Spring 50c.
(usual price 75c. to \$1.00.)
Watch Crystals 10c.
(usual price 20c.)
Watch Hand 10 to 15c.
(usual price 20 to 25c.)

P. S.—All other repairs at a reduced rate.

Watch Work guaranteed 12 months.

JEWELRY

MADE TO ORDER & REPAIRED.

P. S.—Hand-bills and Cards will be in circulation in a few days.

Wolfville, 5th Nov. 1884.