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WOLFVILLE, N. S., MAY 6, 1904.

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Mr and Mrs H. Kenneth Lea, of Town Plot, Port Williams, will be at home to their friends on the afternoons of Monday, May 16th, and the two following days.

Thursday next, May 12, being the Festival of our Lord's Ascension, there will be Morning Prayer, Sermons, and celebration of the Holy Communion at eleven in St. John's Church, Wolfville.

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The regular annual meeting of the Board of School Commissioners for King's County will be held in the Court House, Kentville, on Tuesday, May, 10th, inst. at 10 a. m.

Colin W. Roscoe, Clerk of Board.

Mr Holmes Reid, who left a few weeks ago for Boston to spend the summer, has returned. Mr Reid has purchased a property in New Hampshire and came back to accompany Mrs Reid to their new home. They expect to leave on Saturday. THE ACADIAN wishes them much prosperity.

The death of Mr Robert Macklin, of the home of his son-in-law, Mr Clarence H. Borden, of this town, Mr Macklin, who had been a resident of Wolfville for several months, was taken ill on Wednesday last of pneumonia. The remains were taken to Fredericton for interment on Wednesday.

The entertainment given by the ladies of the Methodist church in their vestry on Tuesday evening was most successful and enjoyable. The room was well filled, and a lengthy program of vocal and instrumental music, reading, &c., was announced by Rev. Mr Johnson, who presided, and rendered in a very creditable manner. At the close refreshments were served.

Mr W. J. Balcom has purchased the plant and good-will of the livery business lately conducted by Mr J. W. Beckwith, of the Royal Hotel. The stables will be continued in operation, and in connection with Mr Balcom's former well-equipped establishment, which is now second to none in the province. We congratulate Mr Balcom on his enterprise, and the town in having this branch of business so well looked after.

The many friends whom Mr and Mrs J. S. Smith and family have made during their residence of a year and a half in this town will regret to learn that they expect to leave Wolfville, for the present at least. Not being able to secure a house to suit them here they will leave on Saturday for Kentville, where a suitable residence has been secured. They will be much missed in church and social life. We trust in the near future they may see their way clear to return to Wolfville.

A very small audience welcomed the H. Ruthven Macdonald Concert Co. in College Hall on Wednesday evening. This was no doubt due to the fact of a number of other functions going on at the same time. Those who were present enjoyed a musical treat and were well repaid. Mr Macdonald is undoubtedly one of the finest entertainers who ever visited this town. Both as a vocalist and an eclectician he excels. The purity of his tone, the richness of his voice, the naturalness of his manner, and his sunny, genial and kindly spirit put him in the front rank. Miss Harrison is an accomplished violinist as well as a vocalist of no mean ability. Her numbers were all brilliantly rendered and met with hearty appreciation. We trust that those who were prevented from hearing these artists on Wednesday evening may yet have an opportunity of doing so.

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Mr Fred H. Beckwith returned on Wednesday from Baltimore, where he has just completed a course in dental

Try the 'Victoria' the new Shoe for Women, high grade at the Peoples Shoe Store (only) Bishop Courtney's term of office has expired, and the Diocese of Nova Scotia is now without a Bishop. A meeting of the Synod has been called for the election of a new Bishop, on June 28th. A division of the Diocese is also under consideration.

We have received a copy of the program of the May Music Festival, which takes place on Tuesday and Wednesday of next week. The tickets, we understand, are selling fast, and those who wish to attend should secure them at once.

Coming on the market when it did, at a time when so many other Teas had, what might be called the "Head Start," "VIM TEA" must have had some peculiar qualities, or it would never have attained the superior position it now holds among the packet Teas of Canada.

Mr D. E. Munro met with quite a serious accident on Tuesday. He was coming up Main street on his motorcycle, and when in front of the McKenna Building collided with a young horse driven by Mr G. L. Starr. The horse evidently did not see Mr Munro approaching until within a few feet of him, when it bolted in front of the wheel. Mr Munro was thrown and sustained considerable injury, although fortunately was not hurt seriously. The machine was badly wrecked.

The War.

The fall of the past two weeks in the war movements of the Far East proved but the calm before the tempest.

After five days' fighting the Japanese army on Sunday forced a crossing of the Yalu River, turned the left flank of the Russians, and by a gallant infantry charge drove them from their position. The result of the battle has gained for the Japanese a dominating position.

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To ACADIAN—Where is our policeman? Where is the police committee? Are they dead or only sleeping? Evidently they are not awake. Evidently? What are the evidences? Congregations of profanity and varied indecency on our street corners on the Lord's Day. Only on the Lord's Day? Every evening has a voice and the voice is putrid-offensive to both God and decent man. Some effective flushing needs to be done. A nauseated citizenship calls on our police committee and policeman to keep the side-walks so that decent men and women can venture to walk on our streets without having to inhale continually the odors of villainous—wake up and do something.

T. P.

Canning and Viciety,  
Henderson Porter has sold his farm at Blomidon to the Supply Company. They will add these broad acres to their already large possessions down there.

Miss Minnie Miller, who has been spending the winter with her relatives, the Elliots, at Dartmouth, has returned to her home in Canning.

R. W. Kinsman, of White Waters, lost a valuable driving horse on Saturday by the beast falling into a ditch and receiving a bad wrench from which it died.

Mrs Partridge, of the western branch of Dr Partridge, who is the author of many important physiological works, has come to Canning to spend the summer with her father, Wallace Newcombe, of that place.

The death of Ephraim Hubbard occurred on Sunday at the home of his son, William Hubbard, Peregux. The deceased was seventy-four years of age and was an American by birth, having come to settle in Nova Scotia some years ago.

The death also occurred on Sunday of Mrs. Sarah Cox, wife of the late Welner Cox, of Canning. Deceased was over eighty years of age and had been ill at the house of her son Louis, in Canning, for more than a year. She was the daughter of the late Jacob Norton. She leaves one sister, Mrs. Henry Cox, and one son, Louis, who is now absent in America.

Mrs Charles Campbell, of St. John, is visiting her parents, Mr and Mrs Miss Hattie Faulkner, daughter of Captain Faulkner, who is attending Acadia University, spent Sunday with her uncle, R. D. G. Harris at Canning.

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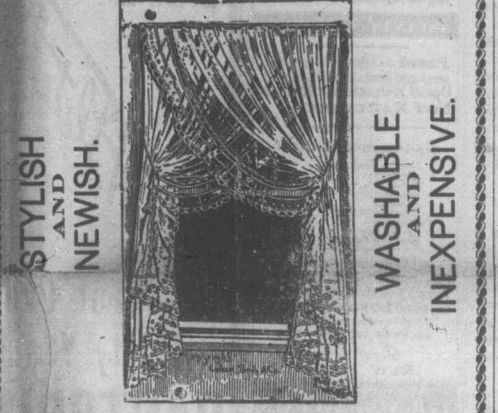
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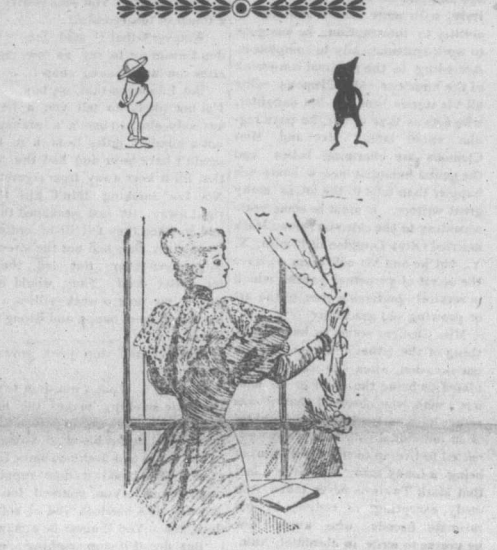
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The Literary World.  
MARK TWAIN WRITING A NEW NOVEL.  
—HIS WIFE AND DAUGHTER.

Mark Twain is at work on a new novel which was begun many years ago and laid aside. Now that he is in Italy, with more leisure and less liability to interruption, he has gone to work systematically to complete it. According to the personal confession of the humorist, Mrs. Clemens edits all his stories, and to his daughter, who acts as type-writer, he pays regular union rates. Mrs. and Miss Clemens are charming ladies, and the genial humorist has a home life happier than falls to the lot of many great writers. It must be some years according to the calendar, since Mark married Olivia Langdon of Elmira, N. Y., but he and his wife seem to have the secret of perpetual youth, which is certainly preferable even to the art of growing old gracefully.

Mrs. Clemens seems to have something of the father's humor, for on one occasion, when she was congratulated on being the child of so famous a man, she observed that she was rather hard on her to be always expected to live up to the reputation of being a funny man, and it is a fact that Mark Twain is never taken seriously, excepting, of course, by his intimate friends, who know how he yearns to write an absolutely humorous book.

It is odd that Mark cannot appreciate Thackeray, Goldsmith or Addison, while Meredith simply moves him to roars of laughter.

Waking Up.  
Wake up slowly.  
No matter what has been your habit, begin to-morrow morning and wake up by degrees.

Everybody wants to wake up early enough, but very few people do it. When you wake up in a hurry and jump out of bed, you set the heart to beating rapidly, and you stir up all the vital organs with a suddenness that is a distinct shock to them.

There are persons who habitually wake up suddenly, jump out of bed and rush into a bath. Frequently their blood, by this means, is already in the bath when they get into it. The bath will be taken within five minutes after waking up, and the result is not the vigor which one expects to have in the morning, but a languor, a torpor, a feeling as though one had worked hard all day.

When you do wake up, wake up very leisurely, like a kitten. Have your eyes open a little and then another, it will stretch this muscle and that muscle.

It will stretch its neck and roll over again. And how does a baby wake up? Watch a baby some time and see. It opens its eyes and closes them again and rubs its fists into them. It tries to roll over; it stretches its arms out, and it stretches its legs.

A good natured baby will wake up and laugh. This is the healthy way of wakening in the morning. If you are healthy, and if you are good natured, you will wake up slowly, stretch and yawn, and begin to laugh. That is the proper way to awaken.

Here is a few wake-up don'ts:  
Don't wake up worrying. Banish care from your mind. You have no idea what an important effect the first waking thoughts of your mind exert upon your body during the day.

Don't take your breakfast alone. Even though you may not want to talk, it is a good thing to have cheerful society in the room with you. It will keep you from brooding.

Don't plan things before breakfast. Many women are in the habit of laying out the day and making memoranda before they eat.

Don't think intently before breakfast. Don't quarrel until you have been awake at least two hours. Quarreling before the morning meal is a great wrinkle maker.

Don't talk much before breakfast. It tires the voice and taxes the mind. Try to think pleasant thoughts. Try to remember that a calm hour before breakfast makes a calm mind all day.

Tobacco and Growing.  
From D. Gordon Stables, in a little sketch called "The Boy Who Did, and the Boy Who Didn't," we have the following helpful information:  
"A nice near dead, sir?"  
"Pretty nice. You see, you've got a touch of tobacco-beat."

"Wotever's that?" said Joe. "You don't mean for to say as 'ow cigarettes can 'urt a young chap?"  
"But I do mean that, my boy. And I'm not likely to tell you a lie, or anybody else. There's a graveyard that needn't have been dug had the boys that fill it kept away from cigarettes. No, the smoking didn't kill them right away. It just weakened them, and so when they fell ill of ordinary complaints, they had not the strength to get over them. But, lad, they're far better dead. They would have grown up poor, weak sillies, and never real men, happy and strong athletes."

"Does tobacco stop your growing, doc?"  
"My boy! What a question to ask. Cigarette-smoking makes the heart weak and flabby, and so it is not able to pump sufficient blood to strengthen the bones and flesh and make them grow. The blood it does supply is watery trash. You, yourself, Joe, are as white as a haddock and as soft in flesh, too. You'll never be a man."

"But, doc, I'll stop smoking; 'ere's my 'and, doc. I will. And he did.—Exchange.

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Next meeting Thursday, May 19th, at 8:30 p. m., at the vestry of the Methodist church. The meetings are always open to any who wish to become members. Visiting members of other W. C. T. U. Unions are cordially welcomed.

Saved by a Prayer.  
"Good-bye, Harry; remember that mamma will always pray for your safety!"

These were the last words Harry heard from his mother as he stepped toward the railroad station to take the train for New York. The words kept ringing in his ears as the train passed rapidly out of the village, and new scenes came to his view. At the station in New York City his uncle was waiting for him.

In a few days Harry was at work in the new, grand store of his uncle. There he became acquainted with young men of his own age who seemed friendly, invited him to join in their excursion parties in the evening, and visit them at their homes. Before the first week was ended he had visited three of the boys of the city and taken a trip over to Jersey City, where several other boys took a trip on their bicycles. Harry had brought his wheel with him, and enjoyed the trip over the new country very much.

After they had gone a distance, they all stopped for refreshments, and he soon found himself standing at a bar in a saloon.

"What will you have, Harry?" he heard one of his new friends inquiring.

"I'll take a glass of lemonade, if you please," answered Harry.

"Pretty good joke, Harry; but you don't get such stuff here; we are all going to have beer; I'll order one for you, too." And before he could think of an answer, the bartender had placed it before him.

Harry felt a lump in his throat, but with a fixed determination answered: "No, I do not drink."

"Pshaw!" exclaimed one of the young men, "you are not temperance, are you?"

"A glass of beer cannot hurt you, it might make a drunkard of me, and if I never begin, I shall never have to stop; no one has ever become a drunkard who refused the first glass; and there are many drunkards who meant to stop after they had tasted beer or liquor just once; 'no, I shall not drink!'"

It was a long speech for Harry to make, but he thought of his mother's prayer, and resolved that she should not pray in vain. He expected the boys to ridicule his remarks. When Tom Ankers, the young man who had worked next to him at the store, therefore took him by the hand, and with emotion said: "Thank you, Harry; my mother used to tell me the same thing; she thinks her boy has never brought the intoxicating cup to his lips; I promise you that from to-night on I shall try to keep it, it surprised Harry greatly."

But his surprise increased when one of the other young men came forward and said: "I promised my present employer that I would never again enter a saloon to drink, when he saw me in one the last time, and he told me he could not keep young men in his employ who were addicted to the drink habit. I wanted to keep my promise, but was afraid to refuse when in the company of others."

"Boys," said Adam Wagner, "this is the first time I ever took a drink. My father died a drunkard, and I have often heard him say that the first glass was the opening of a life of misery. He often asked me to leave all intoxicating drinks alone; I mean to do so after to-day, and you fellows must help me to keep my promise."

"We shall, we shall," replied his friends, immediately.

"But tell us, Harry," said the young man who had spoken after Tom; how was it possible for you to refuse? Didn't you expect us all to laugh at your remarks? What gave you such courage in this hour of danger?"

Harry told them the story in his simple, truthful manner, concluding with the words:

"Boys, my mother's prayers saved me."

"Harry," said Adam, "when you write home again tell your mother about the occurrence this evening, and be sure to say we were saved by her prayer."—New York Observer.

What Three Glasses Mean.  
Three glasses of beer a day does not seem to be an enormous quantity. Many men who indulge in this extent would be invited if they called their heavy drinkers but three glasses daily amounts to more than three and a half barrels a year, and that seems a good deal.

### WOMEN HAVE Kidney Disease

And make the mistake of attributing the existing troubles to some other cause. Many women have kidney disease and do not know it. They consider the symptoms with those of a female catarrh, headache, loss of flesh, dry, harsh skin, dizziness in the spine, swelling of the feet and legs, difficult urination, or the various, weakness and despondency are symptoms of kidney disease, and call for prompt treatment to prevent serious results.

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Tommy—(promptly)—The circus.

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