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The Story of the Revolution by Senator Henry Cabot Lodge in ten thrilling chapters. The story of the revolution, written by the author of the famous "Merrill's Marston" and "The Blue Bird." Illustrated by W. H. Fildes.

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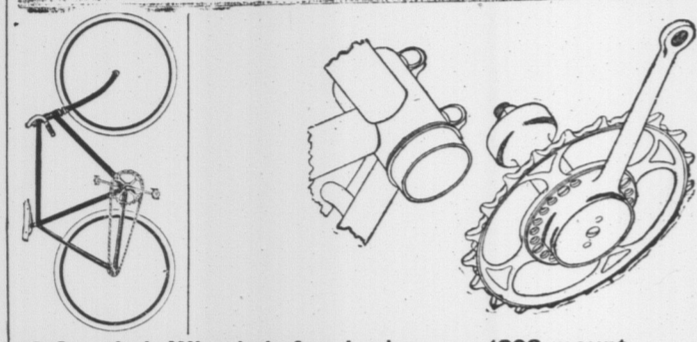
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Poetry.

Britannia.  
 Then, brother man, fold to thee thy heart  
 For where love dwells the peace of God is there.  
 To wind thy rightly in to see each other,  
 Each mits a hymn, each kindly deals a prayer.

Whittier.  
 With the rustling night of Spring  
 That from dark Winter's bondage breaks,  
 Through fear and doubting, let us wing  
 Into the light of day.

The words were to be written,  
 Would Faith dare venture forth from  
 (E. B. Behson.)

Shall we learn to be kinder?  
 The reason that we are?  
 Does the kindly message  
 Not become a cry of pain?

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The little form to his heart and fairly sobbed  
 down.

"Oh, heaven, he is dead! Gerald, look  
 at him!" the father's eyes burned with  
 anguish as he looked at the white, baby  
 face gilded upon his breast.

Dana laid Alice on the ground and looked  
 earnestly at the child.

"There up, Ned, the little fellow has  
 been dropped. Listen! His heart beats!"  
 and putting his ear down he heard the faint  
 fluttering which told of the spark of life  
 still remaining in the wasted form.

"And Alice, is she—"  
 "She is a woman, and the sooner we  
 get her the doctor's eye better. It is  
 hard evidence that she was pursued by those  
 scoundrels while rescuing your child, and  
 that yellow fear which sometimes makes  
 a body a ball from this pistol, picking it  
 up as he spoke.

Lifting the insensible girl in his arms  
 Dana strode down the track, followed  
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How is that boot and shoe factory progressing? There is an opening for just such an enterprise in the Valley and there is no valid reason why Bridgetown should not secure it.

The postal conference just closed at London, resulted in an agreement for a postal rate of two cents per half ounce for all letters to be transmitted between Great Britain, Canada, Newfoundland, Natal and Cape Colony.

The war which the United States is so successfully waging against Spain, will, at length, completely change the status of that great republic as a power among the great powers of the world.

The legislature of the island of Dominica placed itself in a unique position when it acknowledged its incapacity of repelling the island from financial ruin.

The Canadian fiscal year closed on June 30th, and the official trade figures show an increase over 1896, of \$44,000,000, making it the banner year in the history of the Dominion.

There are many in this part of the valley who are anxious to know what has become of the Nova Scotia Fruit and Produce Shipping Company, and whether it will be a factor in securing better transportation facilities for the present and future.

San Diego has fallen and the third great stride has been taken toward a complete American victory that must soon follow.

Obituary. Mr. Hector MacLean, whose portrait accompanied this sketch, died on Monday morning, at his home in Granville.

Local and Special News. Grindstone, with Pittwater, for sale at \$1500.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS. Mr. Thomas Dearness is quite ill.

New Advertisements. FARM FOR SALE. Formerly occupied by F. A. Hudson, at Hampton.

GRASS FOR SALE! BY AUCTION. To be sold at Public Auction, SATURDAY, JULY 23, 1898.

IN THE SUPREME COURT. BETWEEN THE COMMERCIAL BANK OF WINNIPEG AND STEWART K. MARSHALL AND N. P. MAILLARD.

GRAND SLAUGHTER SALE OF Summer Goods.. FOR CASH ONLY.

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Scythes, Snaths, Forks, Rakes, Stones and Hoes. Before buying look in at me. R. SHIPLEY. Just received! Bicycle Leggings. Dressing Department Complete!

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WEEKLY MONITOR

Deep Brook. Mr. Ralph Ruggles of Boston is visiting his uncle, Mr. Chas. Ruggles, and family...

Lequille. Miss George of Roxbury, Mass., is visiting Mr. George Spurr...

Upper Clarence. Mrs. Harshy, of Wolfville, is visiting at L. W. Elliott's...

Paradise. The strawberry season is about over; they have been in good demand...

West Paradi. Mr. Newman Daniels is making a tour of the western end of the county in his "bike"...

Belleisle. Miss Louise Wade is spending her vacation home. Miss Isabel Wilkie, of Halifax, is the guest of her aunts, Miss Frances and Deborah Oddy...

Richmond P. Hobson, of the flagship New York, and the seven seamen who composed the crew of the collier Merrimack, which was sunk by Hobson and his companions in the channel of the harbor of Santiago de Cuba on June 2nd last, were surrendered, last week, by the Spanish in exchange for three Spanish officers and 14 men.

Report of the Committee on Temperance at the N. S. Western Baptist Association, held in Yarmouth, N. S., June 18-21, 1898.

Your Committee on Temperance submit the following report to the Association. We recognize the fact that temperance sentiment and education is making rapid strides in the district comprising our Western Association.

1st. In regard to our churches. That no less important matter than upon this matter than upon any other christian virtue or spiritual attainment, and that our covenant of abstinence is to be maintained rigidly enforced.

2nd. In regard to our Sunday schools. That the triple pledge against spirit, tobacco and profanity be introduced and the acceptance of the same be insisted upon by the teachers and the parents of the children.

3rd. In regard to our pulpits. That the importance of instituting temperance in all-day schools in our jurisdiction be insisted upon by the association and the churches in the district.

4th. In regard to temperance organizations. That we co-operate with them as far as possible in arranging some organized plan of campaign in the coming fall.

5th. In regard to the prohibition of liquor. That the prohibition of liquor be insisted upon by the association and the churches in the district.

6th. In regard to the prohibition of gambling. That the prohibition of gambling be insisted upon by the association and the churches in the district.

Correspondence

Diary Horses at Bridgetown on July 14th. Dean Sir - Referring to L. D. Morton's letter in the above column in the Monitor of the 13th inst., I beg to say, generally, that the spirit of the article is commendable...

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NEWS OF THE WORLD

Quebec crops have been damaged by recent frosts. A Canadian naval brigade has been formed at Vancouver for service in the Pacific.

The island of Dominica is in dire financial need, and is seeking aid at the hands of the Imperial Government.

The French colony at Malaga has petitioned the French Government to protect against any American cruiser.

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Notice. All parties having legal demands against the estate of J. H. ...

Farm for Sale. The subscriber offers for sale his valuable farm situated 2 1/2 miles from Bridgetown.

Spring Lamb, Mutton, Dry and Pickled Fish, BEEF, HAM and BACON, VEGETABLES of all kinds.

Finest Groceries. The only thing about this firm that is worth mentioning is the quality of our goods.

Finest Figures. L. D. SHAFNER'S. NOVA SCOTIA'S GRAND PROVINCIAL EXHIBITION.

The People's Boot & Shoe Store. Complete stock of BOOTS & SHOES.

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SHAW & LLOYD. Keep a Look Out. The Bridgetown Clothing Co.'s

See the Prices Below. Lace Curtains, 32c. per pair. Print Cotton, 5c. per yard.

W. E. PALFREY'S. Salt Pork, Sugar-cured Ham, and Bacon.

W. M. FORSYTH. Spring of '98! Do you want to do some early seeding?

Wanted. A quantity of good clean Washed Wool at 25c. per lb. in exchange for Cloth or Dry Goods of any kind.

Just Received. SCREEN DOORS, WINDOW SCREENS, POULTRY NETTING, ICE CREAM FREEZERS.

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AT RANDOLPH'S. A LARGE STOCK OF Women's Hygeian Undervests.

Misses' & Women's Fast Back Cotton Hose, Women's Summer Cashmere Hose, Boy's Knickerbocker Hose.

Men's Black & Colored 1-2 Hose, Women's Colored and Black Silk Gloves, Men's Lisle Gloves.

Fancy Handkerchiefs, Fancy Brads, Summer Corsets, Lace Curtains, Carriage Wraps.

Men's Underclothing, Men's Top Shirts, "White Dress Shirts, Collars, Ties & Braces.

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Miscellaneous

Why People Don't go to Church. Bardette hits many a nail on the head...

And the pew is not comfortable. That's too bad—the Sabbath is a day of rest, and we go to church for repose...

All these things are, indeed to be regretted. I would regret that more sincerely, my boy, did I not know that you will often queue into a stuffed street car...

Ab, my boy! You see what staying away from church does. It develops a habit of lying. There isn't one man in a hundred who could go to the witness stand...

An Important Judgment. The "Montreal Commerce" publishes the following very interesting item:—Those who take an interest in the welfare of families...

Deaths from Venereal Disease. There is considerable diversity of opinion as to the safety with which venery may be indulged in violent exercise...

Death of Mosquitoes. An Anglo-Indian sends us the following tip for those who are troubled by those very troublesome creatures...

Here is a story told of the Princess of Wales. She was once shown through the museum of Scotland Yard, containing the photographs of countless rogues...

Misard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria. Misard's Liniment Cures Garget in Cows. Sold by all dealers.

Agricultural

Raising Turkeys. Not every person can engage in the turkey business as an occupation or means of livelihood...

It is possible to make a pile of water both without putting it on the fire and without applying external heat to it in any way. In fact you can make a pile of water both by simply stirring it with a wooden paddle...

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The Canadian High Commissioner at London, Lord Strathcona, will shortly receive a unique souvenir from Canada. The souvenir, which is illustrative of Canadian pioneer life and industry, is a log eighteen inches long and 115 inches in circumference...

It is a fact, that the fatness of the cow is not a sign of her ability to produce milk. It is a sign of her ability to produce milk and fat. A cow that is fat and produces milk is a cow that is a failure.

My dear Sir,—I feel that you owe a debt of gratitude for your kindness in directing me to the use of your EGYPTIAN RHEUMATISM TIC OIL. I had been a great sufferer from Rheumatism for three years...

About Elopements

A mother, whose daughters are all happily married, referring to the subject of elopements and all marriages unassisted by the bride's parents, recently said: "I think the truth in such matters is largely owing to the mistakes committed by the daughters...

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The Household

Personal Adornment. To be dressed neatly, becomingly, and in good taste, that a person may not be an eyesore to those around her, is a duty not to be neglected.

Allowances should be made for difference of climate, which in England is less changeable and more humid. The dress and hair change from heat to cold in America are very trying, and consequently greater care is necessary.

Let all women combine and use their influence for the entire emancipation of the sex from tight lacing, high heels and hair dye.

Home Adornment. A home is a many-sided institution, and the influences which go out from it are subtle. Adornment need not necessarily mean extravagance and show.

Milk Cans and Kitchen Furnishings always in stock. Job Work strictly attended to.

The Celebrated Stallion FERRON, 2241-4, will make the season of 1898 at Middleton and Kentville.

All persons having legal demands against the estate of Wm. J. H. B. RUGGLES, late of Kentville, in the County of Annapolis, deceased, are requested to send in their claims...

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Joker's Corner

A GREAT IDEA. NOVEL SCHEME FOR A CHEAP RAILWAY SYSTEM. Mr. Frank Drew, the elder, told a good story recently that was illustrative of the gullibility of some samples of the rural mind.

"That's so," agreed one of the natives. "I've got a scheme," said Mr. Drew dreamily, "for cheapening the cost of them by at least 50 per cent."

"How's that?" quoth the native. "Of course I'm not peddling this idea around," said Mr. Drew mysteriously.

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