

THE ACADIAN.

WOLFVILLE, N. S., NOV. 15, 1912.

On our first page this week will be found the conclusion of an interesting article on the 'Victoria Cross.' William Hall, who figures prominently, was a soldier for many years a resident of this county. He died some years ago at his home at Horton Bluff.

Not quite six weeks when Christmas tide, with all its memories of the past and its hopes for the future, will be upon us. Begin early to get ready and thus spread the pleasure over a wide area so that the consecrated spirit of giving may not be strained to the vanishing point.

Each is said and written concerning the inflow of population into Canada, and of the large foreign elements in our midst. How few know that during 1911-12 no less than 60,000 children came into our Dominion. To mould these little foreign immigrants landing on our shores, and help make good citizens of them incurs a heavy responsibility.

An instructive insight into the motive which inspired Mr. Roosevelt in his campaign is given in a newspaper account by members of the Union League on learning the result of the election. He declared that he had practically annihilated the Republican party, and that the Progressive party would be the party of the future and be in control of the national committee in 1916.

Yes, a good store, well advertised, gains a widening circle of friends. And, of course, these friends know the store's policy of value giving; too; and they will have it in mind very often in connection with articles to be purchased. But 'friendship' must be kept in constant repair, and to-day's advertisement—not last year's—is what counts most. It's a law of human nature. Most merchants obey the law strictly.

Rev. P. M. Macdonald, at one time the esteemed pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, this town, has resigned his pastoral charge of one of the leading churches of Toronto to enter active journalism as joint editor of the 'Presbyterian' and the 'Westminster.' Mr. Macdonald is one of the brightest young men whom Nova Scotia has given to other sections of the Dominion, and the aptitude he has shown for high-class journalistic work is an assurance that he will win distinction in his new field. His host of Wolfville friends will view his success with pleasure.

The story of a 4,000 mile trip after moose is told by a German hunter in the opening number of the November issue of Rod and Gun in Canada, published by W. J. Taylor Woodstock, Ont. Frank Houghton contributes an amusing tale of Western life entitled 'Two is not Always Company,' while the seventh article of the series, 'The Culture of Black and Silver Foxes,' under the heading, 'Food and Feeding,' appears in this issue. A trip after caribou in Newfoundland, The Seventh Summer Camp of the Alpine Club of Canada, Tenderfoot Deer Hunters in the Lauriestown Mountains, A Trip to the Coast, Game Protection in British Columbia, A Wolf Hunt in Saskatchewan, and other stories and articles constitute a typically Canadian bill of fare for sportsmen and lovers of outdoor life.

The Price of Eggs.

Chatting with a farmer the other day over the price of eggs he said that he had never sold eggs for more than 25 cents a dozen and would not do so, as he did not believe that they were worth any more. That was a fine philanthropic thought, and we ordered a dozen or two at once. But there are a few such generous souls as our friend and the average farmer is quite content to take the full market price of 30 cents a dozen for his eggs.

In Cleveland, Ohio, not long ago they organized an egg club, the members of which refused to buy eggs when they got over 30 cents a dozen. The club took in a great proportion of the housekeepers of the city and in a twinkling they had control of the situation. Eggs would go up to 35 cents a dozen. The housekeepers would refuse to buy and down would come the price, for eggs are perishable and cannot be kept forever, even with the aid of cold storage.

A 25-cent egg club would be a good idea for Wolfville. Eggs that are 30 cents and up are a dollar and a half high. [The above we copy from the Picton Advocate. We commend the suggestion contained therein to the people of Wolfville. Eggs were selling last week for 35 cents, and there are a number of other things that the housekeeper has to pay too high for.—Ed.]

The Best Medicine for Young Children.

Mrs. Ulderich Roberts, Lac Longueue, writes: "I have used Baby's Own Tablets for my baby who suffers from stomach trouble and vomiting, also from constipation and they completely cured him. I can recommend them to all mothers as the very best medicine for young children. The Tablets are superior to all other medicines not only because they purify the stomach, relieve constipation, cure colic, but because they are guaranteed to be absolutely safe and free from all harmful drugs. My medicine dealer or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Just received supply of dry cell batteries—good and strong—at Drug Store.

A Political Barnum.

BY REVIEWER.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier would still strike a pose if he were sentenced to be shot. He would be a hero martyr dying for the good of his country even if the offence for which he was condemned was looting a hen yard in a friendly neighborhood. When he says his right hand upon the mantlebosom of his frock coat, strikes an attitude, permits his white plumes to wave gently in the breeze and declares that it is statesmanlike reserve which prevents his putting up a candidate in Hochelaga before his opponents' policy has been fully declared and discussed in Parliament, he does the thing so well that he almost lends an air of sincerity to an otherwise bald and unconvincing narrative. It makes such an agreeable picture in the act of hiding his discomfiture that all the Liberal organs break forth in a psalm of praise, while the pool old facts are kicked contemptuously aside and another myth is added to the history of ideal politics.

The facts are Mr. Monk resigned and Mr. Coleridge took his place. The reason for his resignation was his opinion that the navy policy of Mr. Borden should be submitted to a referendum before even an emergency measure is carried out by Parliament. This opened the seat of Hochelaga. Thereby this question of a referendum of some sort has actually been submitted, not to all the people of Canada, but to the electors of Hochelaga. On its merits no clearer issue for contest was ever disclosed through a Cabinet appointment.

Further, such a contest was not declined in Kichieheu a short time ago. The navy was just as much the bone of contention there as it could have been after fifty sessions of Parliament. Sir Wilfrid Laurier knew that. He did not hold still in Kichieheu. In fact he elected his man, but the reduced majority gave him a jolt and more caution. Reasons of statesmanship were just as valid in the one case as in the other.

And still further, the Liberal party moved heaven and earth to get a candidate who would be willing to face the music in Hochelaga. Sir Wilfrid Laurier did not interfere with these exertions. His high-browed statesmanship was asleep or upon a journey until the party had failed to find a candidate agreeable to both Laurier and Bourassa, a condition certainly not met in the person of the latter.

The facts positively refuse to harmonize with the attitude of high statesmanship assumed by Sir Wilfrid Laurier. But if they do not, so much the worse for the facts. It may have been thought that this particular kind of obvious fooling had gone out of fashion since the general run of people began to study things political in a matter of fact way. It has not and it never will until Barnums cease to make fortunes. In the political world, as in all others, there are a lot of people who like to be fooled. And no political party was ever so badly fooled as are the Liberal party in Canada today. A monumental effort is being made by their leader to blindfold the rank and file to the actual facts. The Borden Administration stands today very much stronger than a year ago. Close judges of public sentiment state that upon an appeal to the country on the navy question and the providing of an emergency contribution, under conditions at the disposal of the British Liberal government, they would sweep the country. No Liberal candidate, no matter who he was, could come within one thousand or winning in this county alone. The political tactics of Sir Wilfrid Laurier since his party went to defeat a year ago, have been singularly 'weak and ineffective.'

Now this being a fact no longer in doubt, and with Mr. Fielding and Mr. Patterson laid on the political shelf for good, the Liberal party should send for their beloved friend President Taft, who will be disengaged after March next, and we are justified in believing that he would enjoy living in almost any country rather than in his own.

A Gift With a Thought In It.

There's one very simple way out of the Christmas shopping problem: don't shop, but sit quietly at home and subscribe to the Youth's Companion. The chances are, too, that you or your family could buy for the young friend or the family you delight to honor could confer so much pleasure as this gift of The Youth's Companion for a whole round year—fifty-two weeks' issues, and the fifty-second is keenly anticipated and enjoyed as the very first.

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THE YOUTH'S COMPANION, 124 Berkeley St., Boston, Mass. New Subscribers received at this Office.

To the Canadian Public.

After reading the reports of the proposed terminal for the Canadian Fast Line at Halifax and the published comments pro and con respecting it I would ask the capable engineers who are paid to know all about the subject why Halifax was chosen.

As this is a subject in which every man in Canada is deeply interested and will have to pay all the cost it is surely worth our most serious consideration.

After sixty years experience on the coast and in the harbors of the Atlantic I think I can prove that Country Harbor, about eighty miles east of Halifax, is in every respect the most suitable eastern terminal for all Canadian transcontinental lines of rail way seeking the most direct and speedy passage across the Atlantic.

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By direct R. R. lines from Truro or New Glasgow to Country Harbor the Atlantic coast is reached in the most direct way.

Will the Government officials of the engineers who located the proposed terminal practically in the most undesirable port of Halifax Harbor give any reason why Country Harbor was not chosen, or why they passed the most desirable two miles of Halifax Harbor and located the terminal practically on the open ocean.

As the time in Canadian history has arrived when we must immediately have the most direct and speedy route to Europe, this subject is perhaps now the most important one for all Canadians to seriously consider and decide upon correctly.

Will the Government wish to decide this question in the best interest of all Canada irrespective of any local or political considerations.

J. W. BUCKLOW
Wolfville, Nov. 12th, 1912.

The Premier and His Mother.

A private car passed through Truro Thursday morning, en route from Grand Pre to Ottawa, on board of which was Mrs. Borden and Miss Borden, of Grand Pre, and Mr. H. C. Borden, barrister of Halifax, mother-in-law and brother of the Rt. Hon. L. Borden.

Mrs. Borden, who is well advanced in years, and whose health of late has not been satisfactory, along with her daughter will spend the winter in Ottawa at the home of her illustrious son.

One of the striking traits of the Premier's noble character is his tenderness for his aged mother.

In the past, whenever opportunity offered in his busy life, he quietly slipped away and went to the old home in the fields of Grand Pre and spent a day or two with her.

His last visit was in July of this year, a few days before he left for England to take part in the affairs of the Empire, and no doubt he went forth on that mission with her benediction resting upon him.

HIS BLADDER WAS TERRIBLY INFLAMED.

GIN PILLS Brought Relief.

Larder Lake, Ont., March 26th. "I had been suffering for some time with my kidneys and urine. I was constantly passing water, which was very scanty, sometimes as many as thirty times a day. Each time the pain was something awful, and no rest at night."

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Inter-Class Debate.

Last Saturday evening the annual debate between the Sophomores and the Freshmen was held in Colley Hall. A large number were present, both from the institution and from the town. The subject under discussion was: 'Resolved, that labor unions benefit the working classes.' The affirmative was upheld by Messrs. Howe, Robbins and Kinley, of the Sophomore class; and the negative by Messrs. Leslie, Horse and Rogers, of the Freshman class. The speeches were carefully prepared, and the judges, Dr. Spidle, Dr. DeWolfe and Dr. Herman, had difficulty in choosing the winner, finally awarding the debate to the Freshmen.

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Wolfville Real Estate Agency.
Persons wishing to buy or sell apply to J. W. BELLINGHAM, Manager.
Wolfville, April 27.

H. P. DAVIDSON, Agent
WOLFVILLE, N. S.

Clothing Sale!

We are offering some special bargains in this department. It will pay you to take advantage of them.

Children's Suits
30 suits, regular prices from \$2.00 to \$3.00, in Buster Style, Sailor Suits and two piece, Coat and Pants, marked down to \$1.90.

Men's Suits
One lot from \$10.00 to \$13.50, all good styles, sizes from 36 to 40, now selling for \$10.00.

Overcoats and Reefers
Boys Reefers from \$1.50 to \$3.00. Overcoats from \$3.50 to \$12.00, all reduced.

Men's Sweater Coats from \$1.50 to \$4.00 in Hewson, Stanfield and Penman's makes. Special lot of Boy's Sweaters at 50c. each.

Hosiery for Men and Boys
See our special line of Boy's heavy all wool Hosiery at 25c. and 30c. Men's heavy socks at 10c. 25c. and 30c. pr.

Underwear
Men's extra heavy fleece lined at 50c. each. All wool, heavy, unshrinkable at \$1.00. The best garment on the market for the price. Stanfield's heavy, in three qualities. Stanfield's Combinations at \$2.50 each. Boy's Fleece from 25c. each up. Boy's Penman Wool, soft and warm at 75c. each.

Ladies Department
Sweeping reductions in Coats and Suits. A lot of suits, all this season's styles, from \$12.00 to \$13.50, selling for \$10.00.

Skirts
Separate Skirts from \$2.00 upwards. Underskirts special at \$1.25 in heavy weights.

This sale will be continued until goods are sold.

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New Advertisements.

Opera House. The Wolfville Garage. Maritime Winter Fair. Furness Withy & Co., Ltd.

Local Happenings.

Miss Florence Morse, of this town, brought to THE ACADIAN, on Saturday last, a ripe strawberry.

Cash Paid for Hides at the Willow Vale Tannery. Highest market price. D. B. SHAW.

College professor wants comfortable, warm room and board in quiet house. Apply to Dr. A. F. Herrmann.

Mr. J. R. Starr and family, of Starr's Point, have returned to Wolfville and will make their home here for the winter.

House to let on Main street. Apply to C. H. BORDEN.

The lecture which was to have been given on Saturday evening in College Hall by Dr. Spidle has been postponed until some future date.

The Labrador Relief Department of the W. C. T. U. will meet at Mrs. J. W. Vaughn's, Linden avenue, Tuesday evening, Nov. 19th, at 7:30 o'clock.

Send us \$1.00 and have THE ACADIAN sent to your address—or that of your friend—till Dec. 31, 1913. Do it now, and get full benefit of this special offer.

Automobile for hire. Apply to Hutchinson's Livery Stables.

Through an error of the typesetter THE ACADIAN was made to say last week that Mr. Clarence H. Borden was visiting in New York, when it should have said Mrs. Borden.

Mr. and Mrs. Colin W. Rongee announce the engagement of their daughter, Amy Viola Maude, to Mr. H. Rae Bennett. The marriage is to take place on Wednesday, December the fourth.

An interesting address was given in College Hall last Sunday evening, under the auspices of the College Y. M. C. A., by Rev. George Keirstead, the clever young pastor of the Wind sor Baptist church.

Mrs. and Neilson's Chocolates in bulk and fancy boxes at RAND'S.

Owing to an accident to the heating plant of the new Baptist church, the service last Sunday evening was held in College Hall. It is hoped that repairs will be made so that the services will be as usual next Sunday.

Mr. Ralph S. Eaton, of Hillcrest Orchard, has been appointed to represent Canada at the annual meeting of the Horticultural Society of Virginia, which will be held at the object of still further cementing the fruit interests of the two countries.

As we need money very much just now to meet expenses of publication we must ask those indebted to this office in any way to make immediate payment. We desire to express our thanks to those who have already responded to bills sent out.

ASPHALT ROOFING.—Best on the market, sand surface, needs no painting. Good for 30 years. Sold by D. A. MORRO, Wolfville.

The Acadia football team goes to Halifax on Saturday to play the Wanderers. They, and their friends, will go by special train, leaving at eight o'clock. The Acadia team will play the second Wanderers and the second Acadia the second Dalhousie on the same day.

Last year we had a number of enquiries for private greeting cards for Christmas which we were unable to furnish. We have now provided for this need and have a most elegant range to select from. Call and see our sample book or phone and have our representative call upon you. Get your orders in early.

Right in price, right in style, right in quality. Satisfaction goes with every order placed with us. BOATES & CO.

The collector for Ward 8 hereby notifies that all county rates and taxes unpaid on the 25th inst. will be placed on a warrant for collection. Please cash up and save unnecessary cost. For convenience I have arranged with the Wolfville Decorating Co. to receive balances due. Call at their store or pay us direct. R. C. Bishop.

The shop of Mr. Thomas Kelley on Main street has been moved to the preparatory to street operation at "Main Bridge." The improvement which will be effected by straightening the street at this point is more than ever apparent and fully justifies the necessary expenditure. We look forward to seeing the appearance of the vicinity greatly beautified next season by judicious work on the street and surroundings.

CASTORIA

The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of Dr. J. C. Ayer.

A lady accident occurred on the Cornwallis Branch of the D. A. R. last Saturday afternoon. As the regular train was leaving causing station the engine and baggage car left the track and plunged over the embankment. Conductor Dickie sustained a broken wrist and Driver Hill was seriously injured. The latter was taken by special train to Halifax and is now at the Victoria General Hospital. The cause of the accident was a broken axle.

NOW

Is the time to fit your Boys out for winter.

THIS is the place to buy your outfit as we make a specialty of Boys' Suits and Overcoats, Underwear, Jerseys, etc., etc.

Boys' Suits (Lion Brand) the best school suits that can be procured. These are made up Pants with double seat and knees and Coats with double elbows. Prices range from 50c. to \$8.00

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C. H. BORDEN WOLFVILLE.

Personal Mention.

Mr. Waterbury, of St. John, spent Sunday last in town, visiting his daughter, Mrs. S. Percy Benjamin.

Mrs. E. L. Taylor, Misses Elizabeth and Prudence, left this week for Oakland, California, where they will spend the winter. Their fine home here will be closed during their absence.

Mrs. Edwin DeWolf, so long a slightly esteemed citizen of this town, celebrated her 93rd birthday on Monday last. Mrs. DeWolf for some time past has made her home with her son, Mr. J. E. DeWolf, of Halifax. She has the congratulations and best wishes of many Wolfville friends.

Dr. and Mrs. D. J. Munro arrived here on Wednesday evening and will make their home for the present at the Royal. Their wedding tour extended as far as Bermuda where they spent some days. They also visited Newport News and other interesting points in the south.

Dr. and Mrs. Cutten left on Saturday last for Boston, where they attended the annual banquet of the New England Alumni of Acadia University on Monday evening. Dr. Cutten will also meet with the New York Alumni before returning to Wolfville, and Mrs. Cutten will visit at the home of her parents at Westfield, Mass.

Patrons are respectfully requested to place their orders early so there may be no distressing disappointments when the busy season begins. BOATES & CO.

Special rates at the Graham Studio this season will be on from Oct. 14th to Nov. 19th.

MORSE'S TEAS advertisement with logo and text: Pure, Rich Indian Tea and Fine Young Ceylon Leaves—this is all that enters the Morse package.

Are You Going to Buy a Stove?

L. W. SLEEP advertisement listing various stove models like Pandora, New Silver Moon, Queen Heater, etc.

Acadia Inter-Collegiate Champion.

Acadia, the strong favorite for the inter-collegiate title, made good the claim last Friday by defeating the University of New Brunswick by the score of 13 to 3. U. N. B. fought hard and gained the distinction of being the first team to score on Acadia this season.

The game was played in rain, and the field was wet and slippery, being covered by pools of water. The weather conditions hardly could have been worse. The backs were at a disadvantage as far as passing was concerned and punting and dribbling was resorted to by both teams as much as possible.

Acadia won in decisive fashion, and had the superior team. In all divisions of the field Acadia had the advantage of U. N. B., in weight. The local college outplayed Acadia, however, in dribbling, the Wolfville men being unable to stop the U. N. B. forwards when they started on a play of that species. The sole try of U. N. B. was made on such a play.

Acadia's tries were scored by Capt. Andrews and Leaman in the first half, Leaman converting both, while Eaton got over the line for the only try in the second half. McGibbon scored U. N. B.'s only try. Harry Parker got over the line near the end of the first half, but his try was not allowed as the flamer's whistle sounded a few seconds before he went over the line.

The lineup—Acadia—Fullback, Higgins; halves, Leaman, Porter, P. S. Andrews (Capt), G. L. Andrews; quarters, Eaton, P. T. Andrews, Kitchin; forwards, Freda, Atkins, Van-Amburg, Lyons, McKay, Spencer, Kinsman.

U. N. B.—Fullback, Otty; halves, Murphy, Meiman, Murray (Capt), Balkan; quarters, Machum, McGibbon, McFadden; forwards, Jewett, Parker, Patterson, Pugnay, Alexander, Melrose and Brewer.

Acadia has played in all four games this season with a total score of 54 to 3. The football team was given a royal welcome on their arrival home last Saturday afternoon. They were met at the station by the whole student body, who placed them in two big wagons trimmed with garnet and blue bunting, and, preceded by the band, hauled them through the principal streets of the town.

Make This Test.

HOW TO TELL IF YOUR HAIR IS DISEASED. If you have a luxuriant head of hair, you may want to know whether it is in a healthy condition or not. 98 per cent. of the people use a hair tonic.

Grand Division. The Grand Division of the order of the Sons of Temperance held its annual session at Halifax last week.

G. W. P.—Rev. J. C. Crowdie, Halifax. G. W. A.—Mrs. B. M. Morrison, Halifax. G. Service—A. M. Hoare, Halifax. G. Peace—K. S. Theakston, Halifax.

G. Chapman—Rev. F. H. Eaton, Westport. G. Conductor—John A. Kennedy, Sydney. G. Sentinel—Bruce Woodworth, Berwick. G. Patron—Miss Cora Lavers, Halifax.

Cotton Seed Meal

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T. L. Harvey

The first quarterly session will be held at Furwash, the second at Clifton, Colchester county, the third, at Berwick, and the fourth or annual at Halifax.

Boy Scouts.

The practice last Friday evening was well attended and the rehearsal went very well.

It is hoped that all scouts will be present, in uniform, this (Friday) evening.

The cast for the Indian play, Pocahontas, is as follows:— Pocahontas... Harold Tamplin King Powhatan... Stanley Morrison John Smith... Leander Thaurber Patrol Leader... Robert Elderkin Silver Fox... Donald Grant Scouts... Francis Archibald, Arthur Brown, Ernest Tamplin. Chief and Warriors... Harold Beardley, Murray Beardley, Theodore Rand, John Crowell, Willie Delaney, Fred Leopold, Archie Forsyth, Harold Weatherby, George Nowlan, Karl Knowlan.

TWO POINTERS ON HOW TO CURE A COLD

When you begin to sniff and feel a burning sensation in the nasal passages, or when a tickling irritation in your throat starts you coughing, the first important thing is to act at once. It's the neglected cold that becomes a troublesome and dangerous.



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See the celebrated 'GURNEY OX-FORD' Ranges, including the OXFORD CHANCELLOR, OXFORD O.K., VERONA, GOLDEN NUGGET, IMPERIAL OXFORD. These ranges are fitted with the 'ECONOMIZER' which is, without doubt, the biggest fuel and heat saver, ever put on a range.

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FINAL NOTICE

All Rates and Taxes due the Town of Wolfville must be paid forthwith. The taxes for 1914 have been awarded since June 1st and the water taxes since July 1st. Delinquents are hereby notified that after Nov. 20th warrants will be issued for the collection of same.

Advance Styles advertisement for Ladies', Misses' & Children's Fall and Winter Coats. Latest Styles direct from the Manufacturers in Plain and Reversible Cloths. Includes list of items like Golf Jackets, Men's Semi Ready Tailoring, etc.

Your Bedroom Advanced Styles in Ladies', Misses' and Children's Winter Coats, Suits & Sweater Coats.

Furnished Complete \$18. Nothing cheap about it but the price. BUREAU, Oak finish, 3 drawers and bevel mirror \$6.75. COMMODO, with drawer and closet \$4.95. IRON BED, white enamel with brass caps, any size 2.65. SPRING, all double weave 2.50. MATTRESS, soft top in strong ticking 3.15. Five Pieces Complete \$18.00. WE PAY FREIGHT on orders amounting to \$10 or more.

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Our prices range from \$1.00 to \$25.00 and we feel confident that any seeker after comfort and values cannot fail to find here satisfaction. \$3.00 buys a heavy Black Kersey Coat, full length and well made. \$5.00 gives you your choice of a Black Coat nicely trimmed or one of Tweed with Reversible Cloth, Collar and Cuffs. As prices increase Values and Styles show up accordingly.

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Woman's Christian Temperance Union first organized in 1874.
The prohibition of the home, the abolition of the liquor traffic and the triumph of Christ's Golden Rule in custom and in law.
Motto—For God and Home and Native Land.
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Our Lives Are Songs.

"Our lives are songs:
God writes the words,
And we set them to music at leisure,
And the song is sad, or the song is glad,
As we choose to fashion the measure."
"We must write the song
Whatever the words,
Whatever its rhyme or meter;
And if it is sad, we must make it glad,
And if sweet, we must make it sweeter."

Great English Writers and Strong Drink.

(By the Rev. F. S. Smallfield.)
A comprehensive survey of the works of all the great English writers would far exceed the necessary limits of this article. Let me, therefore, briefly notice the work of Shakespeare, Dickens and Thackeray, with a view to showing that each of these writers regarded intoxicating liquor as a dangerous thing. Shakespeare lived in an age when the drinking of alcohol was as general as the drinking of tea is now. No Richardson or Horsely had then arisen to point out the true nature of the drug, and no one ventured to doubt that as a beverage it was an extremely desirable and delectable thing—and yet the great poet, Shakespeare, rising above the ignorance and prejudice of his time, saw with the clear eyes of a seer that strong drink was the greatest enemy of mankind. In nearly every one of his plays there is some striking indictment of strong drink.
CHARLES DICKENS.
Charles Dickens was a great reformer. He abhorred oppression and hated tyranny, yet he did not understand that Temperance movement which was beginning to attract a large share of public attention at the time when he was writing his famous novels. To his mind the movement appeared to be an unjustifiable attempt on the part of fanatics to rob the poor man of his beer.
"Yet Dickens, in spite of his prejudices, was unconsciously a powerful advocate of total abstinence. In every one of his works he touches upon the subject. His parody, the 'Sketches of Boz', brought about, by its influence, in strong drink. Holding up, as he did, the mirror to the nation, he could not help but describe the life in England as he found it, and a description of life in England necessarily included a reference to the evil effects of the alcoholic habit."
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scription in 'Great Expectations' of his childhood.
"My father, Pip, he gave to drink, and when he was overtaken with drink, he hammered away at my mother most unmercifully."
Slipshod is one of Dickens' comic characters. Yet strip the man of his comic qualities and what a poor object he is! He is a man brought down by drink to the pitiful position of being a sponger upon weak and silly women.
In 'Bleak House' there is a realistic description of the death of Krook by spontaneous combustion. Soaked and sodden with alcohol, he took fire and was burned to a loathsome cinder!
This is a very curious view of the works of Dickens, yet it illustrates the fact that the novelist fully recognized the evil power of drink. In these three descriptions he tells severely of the ruined home, the ruined career, the life destroyed! The work of alcohol!

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