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"I'm after four the cards were fairly shuffled. And fairly dealt, but still I got no hand; the morning came, but I with mind un-ruffled, did simply say, 'I do not understand.'"

Life is a game of whist. From unseen sources the cards are shuffled and the hands are dealt. Bind our efforts to control the forces that though unseen are no less strongly felt.

I do not like the way the cards are shuffled, but still I like the game and want to play; and through the long, long night will I, un-ruffled, play what I get, until the break of day.

LOVE AND LAW.

A SHORT STORY OF THE DAY.

"Jim," said Mr. Perkins to his office boy, "put on some more coal."

"Yes, sir."

"And do you hear? Take this packet of papers around to Penn & Ink's and ask 'em what they mean by sending me such a blotted piece of work."

"Yes, sir," and Jim, evidently preferring the snow freighted air and slippery sidewalks of the outer world to the close little law office, darted off like an arrow out of a bow.

Mr. Perkins took out a fresh bundle of quill pens and a quire of legal foolcap and began to work in good earnest when, all of a sudden, a tap came to his office door.

"Come in," said Mr. Perkins, in a voice that sounded considerably more like "Clear out," and a young lady entered, dressed in a current colored merino, with a little plumed hat and a neat looking satchel on her arm.

"I haven't anything to give," said Mr. Perkins, sternly.

The young lady sat down uninvited, and then Mr. Perkins saw that she was very pretty.

"I was not begging, sir," said the lady.

"May I ask, then, what was your business?" said Mr. Perkins, more friendly than ever.

The young lady took a parcel from her satchel.

"I don't want to buy anything," said Mr. Perkins.

"Does a lady named Archdale live here?" he asked in the grocery store which occupied the first floor.

"Yes, sir, she do," the grocer's wife interrupted, pushing herself before her husband, "and a nice, hard working young lady she is—she ever breathe the breath of life, and pay her rent regular every Saturday night, if she has to live on a cup of water and a crust. And if she's got any rich relation—"

"You mistake my purpose," said Mr. Perkins, coldly. "I am no rich relation to anyone."

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retorted Miss Archdale, "so I can't justly be held to blame in that matter." Mr. Perkins looked meditatively at her for a second or two.

"I should think you might teach," said he.

"I did try it," said Miss Archdale. "I was a governess in a private family."

"And why did you give it up?"

"Is this a catechism?" said Miss Archdale. "Well, I have no objection to answering. Do you want me to tell you the plain truth?"

"Certainly."

"Well, then, it was because my lady employer did not like to have her grown up son address me with common politeness. Perhaps she thought I was trying to fascinate him, but she was entirely mistaken."

"Oh!" said Mr. Perkins. "Please write down your address."

"Are you really going to give me some copying to do?" she asked eagerly.

"I am going to try you."

For the first time the tears came into her eyes.

"I'll try my very best—indeed I will," she faltered. "For—I don't mind telling you now—I haven't got a single subscriber, and I was so discouraged."

And so Miss Amy Archdale walked off with a red-tape-tied parcel of papers under her arm.

"If she does them well and promptly," said Mr. Perkins, in a sort of mumbled soliloquy, "there's no reason why I can't let her have some more work. If she doesn't it won't be the first case of female swindling in New York."

But she has a pretty, innocent little face, too—hang it, I've half a mind to go to her address on the sly, and see if she really is a deserving object of charity, I was going to say. But it isn't. She wants work, not alms. There's always somebody wanting something in this great, chattering Bedlam of a city of ours," added Mr. Perkins, irately, as he drove off two match boys, an apple girl and a vendor of pins and shoe strings from his door-step.

Mr. Perkins followed up his crotchets and walked up to No. 6, Meassey street, about dusk that self-same evening, heedless of the snow and sleet.

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they are from."

Mrs. Molyneux Martin hastily tore open the envelope, and giving one glance at its contents, fell backward with a scream.

"Elisha Perkins," she shrieked. "Girls, it's your uncle. Alas, my poor disinherited son!"

For Mrs. Molyneux Martin had educated her daughters in the full belief that each and every one of them was a disinherited son.

Uncle Eliha Perkins' money.

"But, mamma, who's the bride?—whom has he married? You don't tell us the name," persisted Katherine, who was endowed with a goodly spice of Mother Eve's bequest.

"I don't know! I don't care!" screamed Mrs. Molyneux Martin, taping the soles of her slippered feet on the carpet in a way that threatened a yet more violent attack of hysterics.

"Pick up the cards, Kathie, and look," urged Edith Rosabelle.

"Amy Archdale!" she read aloud.

"Why, ma, it's the governess you discharged! It's our Miss Archdale."

"The old fool!" shrieked Mrs. Molyneux Martin. "To go and marry a girl young enough to be his granddaughter! Well, that caps the climax."

"You forget, ma," said Edith Rosabelle, "Uncle Eliha's only two years older than you are. I've heard you say so lots of times."

"Hold your tongue, you ungrateful, unfeeling daughter," ejaculated Mrs. Molyneux Martin. "I'll never speak to him again."

But she did. Sober second thoughts convinced her that it was better to submit to the inevitable—and she was one of the first to call on Mr. and Mrs. Eliha Perkins in the elegant brownstone house that the lawyer had bought and furnished for his bride.

And perhaps one of the most triumphant moments of Amy Archdale's life was that in which she extended a gracious and patronising greeting to the woman who had turned her out of doors scarcely three months before.

"Things do balance themselves evenly in this world, if one only has patience and faith to wait!" she said to her husband.

Johannesburg.

THE CAPTURED GOLD TOWN—ITS PHENOMENAL RISE AND GROWTH—ESTIMATED RESOURCES.

The famous city of Johannesburg is at once both the largest and, previous to the outbreak of the war, the greatest population of any other city in South Africa. It is situated on the southern slope of the Witwatersrand range of mountains, from the summit of which it is only a couple of miles. It is 1,014 miles distant from Capetown, 483 from Durban, 396 from Belgoia Bay, and 32 miles from Kimberley. As may be imagined, the city is well above the level of the sea, its elevation being 5,689 feet. Its altitude is greater than that of any other town in South Africa. Out of a population of over a hundred thousand that Johannesburg possessed previous to the outbreak of the war over fifty thousand were whites, sixty-seven per cent. of which were of British origin, there being but about six thousand Transvaal citizens amongst them.

The growth of Johannesburg has been something marvellous and forms a record in the history of the cities of the world. Other cities have possibly arisen as quickly, but few there are that can show such evidence of substantiality as Johannesburg, with its palatial hotels and stately business blocks, its handsome public buildings and its suburbs with their comfortable villas and pretty gardens.

Fourteen years ago to-day Johannesburg was not. One year ago it was full of commercial life, its streets were full of people, business activity was rampant and all of its industries, especially the chief of all, the mines, were in full operation. For months past it has been a silent and deserted city in comparison, its trade dead and the streets empty, save for a few natives and Zulus, or Transvaal police, merely living in the city to prevent incendiarism and disorder. It is now likely, however, that with the advent of the British army Johannesburg will in a very brief space of time become itself again. Johannesburg dates from Sep-

tember, 1886, when a few straggling shanties began to rise along the line of gold reefs now forming the Wenmer and Ferreira companies' ground. The existence of the reef at this point was not then known, but on its being discovered, steps were at once taken to secure a more suitable locality, and in December, 1886, the nucleus of the present city was laid out. The land around was previously considered of so little value that it was long ago, rarely had changed hands for the value of a team of oxen. In January, 1895, two stands in Commissioner street sold for twenty-two thousand pounds, and one on Fritchard street for forty thousand pounds. All around the undulating country is dotted in all directions with battery houses and other buildings connected with the working of the mines.

The annual output of the Johannesburg mines has reached over a hundred million dollars. The general consensus of opinion of the mining community has of late years favored the expectations of increased value of ore with increased depth of working, and so far as the results of one boring may be trusted, this theory does not seem unfounded.

The average return from nearly three and a half million of tons treated in 1895 was 13-16 dwts., and it may reasonably be inferred that this yield will not diminish within a mile of the outcrop.

Adopting as a probable a length of fifty miles of reef, five feet thick, workable at an inclined depth of one mile, and yielding the same average as the three and a half millions of tons milled in 1895, the value of the ore within this area would amount to more than \$1,250,000,000, or six times the entire production of the State of California between 1849 and 1893. Gigantic as this estimate may seem, it will appear least irrational to those who are best acquainted with the probable resources of these fields, and it is possible that the future may see even this figure largely exceeded.

Besides the Witwatersrand region, there are in the Transvaal many other gold fields such as the Venterskroon, the De Kaap, the Steynsdorp and the Soutpansberg, the latter of enormous area.

The city itself extends over an area of some six square miles, and there are over eighty miles of roads and streets. In the course of the last few years many outlying suburbs have been created for the benefit of those wishing to live a little way from the centre of the town. The streets are regularly laid out and several open squares exist, among which is the largest in South Africa. In the buildings the city is peculiarly rich considering its youth. They include the public offices, the Stock Exchange, the market buildings, the public library, the hospital and a number of churches and theatres, besides several fine hotels and business houses. St. Mary's Anglican Church is the largest in the city, but a still larger one to meet increasing need was about to be built. The city is well provided with public parks, including Kruger's Park, Joubert's Park, the Hospital Gardens and other breathing spaces. The transportation facilities are very good, including several lines of street cars and the railway, which runs through to Pretoria to the north, and to Capetown to the south. The lighting system, both gas and electric is good, but the water supply is poor both in quantity and quality, besides being what Canadians would consider exceedingly dear. The scarcity of water is owing mainly to the undermining of the earth for the mining industries, but it is expected that in the future measures will be taken to successfully cope with the difficulty of obtaining a copious supply of pure, fresh water.

PERSEVERE.

HOW TWO OLD STUDIES MAY TEACH US A NEEDFUL VIRTUE.

The old story of King Bruce and the spider and the older fable of the mouse that cut the cable are calculated to teach us the virtues of perseverance, for it is not simply one virtue, but many; so one never became saintly without persevering in goodness; no one ever succeeded in acquiring vast knowledge, great wealth, or anything else that may be acquired in this world, without

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keeping unwaveringly to the line of action which leads to successful results. Like cautiousness, perseverance is very distasteful to the young. In the impulsive age many things are begun without thinking and as thoughtlessly left unfinished. Anything worth beginning should be worth the trouble of completing. The old line, "If you try and don't succeed, try, try again," are rendered by the modern advertiser into modern American-English thus: "Keeping everlastingly at it brings success." The principle is precisely the same and dear old Try-try-again is much easier to remember.

Beware of saying "I can't," sings Eliza Cook. Perhaps the reason why so many young folks lack the virtues of perseverance is that it seems so easy to say "I give up!" But is it so easy? Giving up implies discouragement, and if there is anything harder than discouragement the world has not yet found it out. It is only the very weak-brained or the very lazy who are easily discouraged. And the weak and the lazy do not have a very good time of it on this busy planet, mind you!

Now, dear young reader, writes somebody in the Catholic Standard and Times, what is easy about giving up beyond the ease of a moment? What do you give up? Sanctity, wisdom, knowledge, perhaps, every bit of help towards heaven, every bit of help upon earth. Is it easy to give up all these? The devil may whisper, Yes, but your angel will tell you, No. What is a little bit of indolence now to a life of hardship here and a possibility of an eternity of punishment hereafter? For just as surely as we are ignorant when we give up learning, so do we grow sinful when we give up trying to be good. There is no half-way plan. "Not good" is bad, "not learned" is ignorant, "not wise" is foolish, "not happy" is miserable. And "not persevering" turns into every one of these undesirable conditions.

When the impulse to give up trying rises, trample upon it. If your object is good, determine to persevere in it to the end. Had Columbus turned back from the Canary Islands he would not have discovered America. If Edison had not persevered in his studies he

might still be selling newspapers. Persevere; be not ashamed because your efforts are small or because you think your work may not be great. It may be greater than you imagine.

Lightning and Rubbers.

The one thing a woman most dreads, barring, of course, the mouse, and being out of style—is a thunderstorm. Many most estimable women of character and force, who can lead great crusades and revolutionize society, go all to pieces at a clap of thunder—and a good many men, too, for that matter. It is not agreeable to be struck by lightning. Nor is it at all necessary. There is a sure preventive—as sure as it is simple, inexpensive and always successful—a pair of rubbers. If a woman will simply put on a pair of rubbers when the lightning begins to flash and the thunder to roar, and will stand on the floor, so that she can touch nothing else, she will be as safe as if she was sealed in a glass case.

Rubber is a non-conductor of electricity, and if the lightning has to go through a sheet of rubber to get at you it will leave you alone and take something else. In other words, when you have on a pair of rubbers, and are not in contact with anything, you are perfectly insulated.

It might be well to add that a pair of rubbers, to be effective against lightning, must be sound and whole. Do not put on an old pair with a crack in the toe, because electricity will get out of a very small hole when it is cornered and a pair of defective rubbers will do you no good.—The Bulletin.

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South Africa is of volcanic origin, and the land in the vicinity of Kimberley is so sulphurous that even ants cannot exist upon it.

THE ACADIAN.

WOLFVILLE, N. S., JUNE 22, 1900

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The weather during the past few weeks has been beautiful. This is Canada's "growing time."

The papers and addresses presented at the Dominion Educational Association held in Halifax in August, 1898, have been published in a volume of 450 pages. Supervisor McKay, of Halifax was the editor. Although late in appearing, the volume will be of value in the education of Canada.

A St. John paper states that the Rev. W. Camp, of Sussex, N. B., has been called to the pastorate of the Baptist church of Wolfville, and will probably decline the call. The only foundation for the report, so far as we know, is the fact that Mr. Camp supplied the Baptist church at Windsor on a recent Sunday.

In a book recently published by Mr. J. S. Clark, entitled "Rand and the Mystery of the Death of Dr. Rand's death," referring to the ACADIAN of Oct. 11th, 1889, we find a record of Dr. Rand's death on Oct. 4th, 1889. We recommend Mr. Clark to correct the mistake in a future edition.

There seems to be some difficulty with the delivering of mails between here and Halifax. On two occasions of late letters mailed at this office have been four days in reaching their destination in Halifax. We do not know who is to blame but such a condition of affairs is certainly very annoying and should not be allowed to remain. We shall be glad if any of our readers having similar experiences will report same to us.

During the last week the Presbyterian Assembly of Canada and the Diocesan Synod of the Church of England of New Scotia have been in session at Halifax. The Synod appointed Rev. W. J. Arncliffe and Archdeacon Knibb as a delegation to convey greetings of the Synod to the Assembly. The delegation was cordially received by the Assembly which appointed a similar delegation to convey to the Synod assurances of the goodwill of the Assembly.

The other day in the House of Commons at Ottawa, the Hon. W. S. Fielding, of this province, distinguished himself by championing Mr. Bourassa when other members of the House were inclined to interrupt his silly and disloyal utterances in reply to the address of congratulations to Her Majesty moved by the premier and seconded by Sir Charles Tupper. During the singing of the national anthem which was proposed as a suitable answer to the French member's attack, Mr. Fielding and a few others remained seated and sullenly refrained from joining the chorus. After recent editorial utterances of Mr. Fielding's organ we had really hoped that that gentleman had experienced a change of heart since the days when he advocated repeal. It looks now, however, as though he wanted separation from the Empire as well as from the Dominion.

In the ACADIAN of June 1st we referred to one of the Orchardist's characteristic news items, in which the Queen's Birthday sports at Wolfville were reported as held upon the College campus. We suggested at that time that if the editor had merely drawn upon our columns without attempting at re-writing this error might have been avoided. After three weeks' reflection the editor of that paper, with his usual pluck and daring, decides upon dealing us a broad side, and while informing us that he has a ample means of getting Wolfville news without consulting the ACADIAN, changes us with having copied an item "which we sent to the Halifax Herald," thus endeavoring to attach to us the stigma of being in the same box with himself. Our unassisted contemporary misses the point of our objection, however. It is not the mere act of copying we object to, for by this time the Orchardist has almost a prescriptive right to do so. However, it is well known to the public that the Wolfville items in the Orchardist are drawn almost exclusively from the ACADIAN, we politely hinted to our contemporary that he should be a little more careful in copying so as to relieve us in the public mind from the odium of his blunders. To regard to the Herald's item we have to say that had we had the least idea that "we" was the author we should have been inclined to regard it with suspicion—even though we were aware that the facts contained were substantially correct. We have a kind of implied agreement with the Herald whereby it takes whatever it pleases from our columns without credit, and we in turn reciprocate. As the item in question did not contain "we's" signature, and as the Herald's news editor had evidently dressed it up so as to conceal the Orchardist's peculiar literary style, there was nothing about it to distinguish it from the rest of the Herald's news, or to arouse suspicion as to its origin. We may be pardoned, too, for supposing that the editor of three powerful periodicals would have enough on his hands without furnishing district news to other journals at \$1.75 per column. We would suggest that in future the Herald should publish news notes from the pen of "we" over the signature of the author, or else publish them without revision. The public, and particularly the newspaper fraternity, are surely entitled to such a safeguard.

MONEY TO LEND ON MORTGAGE—Apply to E. R. Sawyer, Solicitor, Wolfville, N. S.

A New and Popular Fraud.

About the newest and most important thing in the fake line is a scheme for selling goods which may be called the coupon system. Some business houses of doubtful methods and others to trap the benefit of an army of agents without paying for it, have hit upon this scheme which that desire which most people have to get something for nothing, and which is the mother and patron of all swindles, makes workable.

The plan works something like this. The firm has some article which they wish to sell. For convenience we will say that it is a book and that it is to be sold for ten dollars. Ten cent coupons are used by the firm. A, the intending purchaser of the book buys one of these coupons. This he encloses with ninety cents in a letter to the firm, and receives from it nine cents. He is supposed to sell these to nine of his friends, who are to extend the chain in the same manner in which he has done. When the firm has received from the sale of coupons, in the chain which A has started, the full sum of ten dollars, he receives the book. At first thought this looks innocent. Many are drawn into it without any suspicion that they are furthering a first class conspiracy to dupe and swindle their friends. They only observe that they are getting a ten dollar book for ten cents and a little bother.

They probably do not take into consideration that the dealers do not part with their goods until the full price is received, and if they, the buyers, do not pay the full price for it someone else does. A few at the start doubtless do get their purchases very cheaply, but as the chain widens there are a great many who get nothing at all. This is as clear as noonday. If each buyer pays only ten cents in money there certainly cannot be as many books sold as there are coupons, for by no act of accounting can ten cents be converted into ten dollars. Manifestly the plan is a great thing for the sellers, for it creates a highly exaggerated and artificial demand for their goods, and provides them with a host of free travelers at the same time. But the advantage is all on one side. The buyer of the coupon runs the risk of getting nothing at all for his 'outlay, or, worse still, of cheating his friends into buying the goods for him.

The worst thing about the scheme is that it makes every customer a partner with the firm in its guilt. Stringent legislation should put a stop to the scheme, but in the meantime all our readers should not only refuse to have anything to do with the fraud, but discourage the inwardness of the plot to every unsuspecting buyer they may meet.

Horton Collegiate Academy.

Mr. H. L. Brittain, the energetic principal of the above well known and valued institution, is now engaged in an enterprise through which he hopes to be able to advance very materially the efficiency of the school. During the past year he has displayed a large amount of energy and ability in the conducting of the Academy, and since the close of the school has devoted his time principally to its interests. He has set out to raise a fund of \$15,000 for the purpose of erecting and equipping new buildings and making additions to the staff and operations of the Academy. Besides the collegiate course Mr. Brittain has in view the establishment of a thorough business department and course for general students. These with the manual training hall, which is yearly giving greater indications of its utility, will make the Academy one of the best institutions of its kind in Canada. Mr. Brittain is meeting with success in his work, and we predict will have little difficulty in securing the amount required. He hopes to be able to have the erection of the new building begin next spring and completed ready for work by the beginning of the autumn term. Such an institution as Mr. Brittain has in view should provide an excellent course for a young man, fitting him for useful work in almost any branch of occupation. A practical education is what is required for the present age and this is what Principal Brittain wants his school to be able to give. The contemplated change would have the effect of adding greatly to the number of students, and probably 150 to 200 would be a fair attendance to expect. We are glad to note this move which we believe to be in the right direction and wish Principal Brittain every success in his undertaking.

Dr. H. Laing Gordon, in the Humanitarian, points out the physical deficiencies of the town-bred youth, and makes a strong plea for efficient physical education. "It is necessary," he declares, "that the importance and the real nature of true physical education should be recognized, and that steps should be taken to set it in its proper place beside mental education. The questions of moral and spiritual education are not the present concern. True education has been aptly said to be a drawing out of the whole nature—a converting of the physical, mental, moral and spiritual potentialities into powers. Physical needs must always be our first needs."

The new time-table of the D. A. R. went into effect on Monday of the week. We have not yet received the official change, but the time of trains leaving this station is as follows: The morning train from Kentville leaves at 7:25; the express from Halifax, 9:57; the afternoon express from Yarmouth at 4:10; and the evening train from Halifax at 7:15, all local times. "Buses" trains begin to run on July 4th.

Letter from Southern California.

Another year of partial drought is upon this part of the state. The rain fall for the entire season, Sept., 1899, to June, 1900, has been 8.64 inches in San Bernardino, and that is about the average for all the states south of the Tehachap mountains. No other country in the world could stand such a long period of light rain-fall as this and not be completely dried out. The arid wells that seem to contain an unlimited supply of water, and the cool and foggy nights pour over the lands and upon the orchard trees the life-giving moisture. There has been a great boom in mineral oil. Companies are being organized every day, and new areas of oil bearing lands are being constantly discovered and appropriated. May 24th I met a couple of Fallbrook friends in Los Angeles, who told me of a company they were interested in. Said they had put in \$1000.00, buying shares at 15 cents apiece. The work of drilling their first well was then in progress, with the drill down 450 feet. They seemed a little anxious as to the outcome. If oil was struck at 600 feet their shares would be worth \$1.00 apiece. If not, it was worth as little as 800 feet the venture would be a failure. I advised them to keep a stiff upper lip but was far from sanguine as to the outcome. In two days I saw by the telegraphic dispatches that their well was down 550 feet and that an abundant flow of oil had been struck. They were lucky fellows. All the engines on the Santa Fe R.R. system west of Arizona use oil for fuel, and the Southern Pacific R.R. system change the fire-boxes in their locomotives as the supply of oil at \$1.00 per barrel is assured. Already this state is on the way to becoming a great manufacturing commonwealth; made so by this abundant supply of cheap fuel.

Approximately 20,000 car-loads of oranges have been shipped out of Southern California since December, 1899. The prices were good, and a flood of golden coin has come back over the Rocky Mountains in return for the flood of golden fruit that has been poured into the hungry, frost-bitten east.

The most interesting event in religious circles in these parts is the coming of Rev. W. B. Hinson, A. M., to the pastorate of the First Baptist church in San Diego. He began his work last Sunday and has the opportunity of his life before him. The city has a population of about 20,000. The Baptist church numbers about 400 members, many of them the choicest people in the land. Their building is practically new and admirably located. Although they had never given more than \$1200. a year salary before, after hearing Rev. Mr. Hinson they promptly offered him \$2400. It took him a year to decide the matter after he had received the call.

Rev. B. B. Jacques, formerly of Chibougamau, Yarmouth, and Mrs. Jacques, formerly Miss Skinner, of Weston, N. S., in charge of chapel exercises, are now at work in Corina, Los Angeles Co. They recently made a flying visit to San Bernardino.

If you stand 'em on 'em lead, Father Bob. You could spill a quart 'o lead 'em on 'em. 'E's been at it thirty years. An' amiss'n' souvereigns in the way 'o sings 'em appears— Ain't yer, Bob?

"Bobs," the Pride of the Nation.

"Bobs! Bobs! You hear it every where, and everybody has the same opinion of this truly wonderful man. British subjects will ever take off their hats to 'Bobs.' A few weeks ago we announced that we were picturing of this famous general to our readers, and the office has been simply flooded with enquiries and orders for it. We are advised that the Family Herald and Weekly Star are now in a position to ship the pictures, and our readers who have a ready order it will not have long to wait. The publishers of the Family Herald decided it would be better to take lots of time and do the picture thoroughly, and their decision was a wise one, for the pictures are certainly a credit; true to life in every feature. Our offer places this picture within the reach of all. We will send the ACADIAN and the Family Herald and Weekly Star for the balance of 1900, and include a copy of Lord Roberts' picture (17 x 22) for the small sum of 50 cents. If after receiving it you are not satisfied that the picture alone is not worth the money you can have it returned. To our present subscribers we offer the Family Herald and Weekly Star, Canada's leading newspaper, for the balance of 1900 and the picture of Lord Roberts for the small sum of 50 cents. Send your orders to the ACADIAN office.

Meteorological Observations

Table with columns: Date, Time, Temperature, Wind, Clouds, Rain. Data for June 7-20, 1900.

The summer time-table of the Yarmouth Steamship Co. goes into effect on June 26th, on which date the Steamers Boston and Yarmouth will commence their four trips per week between Yarmouth and Boston, leaving Yarmouth for Boston every Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday evenings, and returning leave Boston every Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday at 2 o'clock p. m.

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Personal Mention

Contributions to this department will be gladly received. Mrs. J. R. McDonald and Master Kenneth are spending a few weeks at the home of Mr. McDonald's parents at Windsor.

It is understood that Hon. H. R. Emerson, premier of New Brunswick, will shortly receive the appointment as one of the judges of the Supreme court of that province and will be succeeded as premier by Hon. Mr. Tweedie.

Among those who received the M. D. degree at McGill University last week was C. H. Freeman, of Milton, Queen's County. Mr. Freeman was graduated from Acadia in the class of '96—Mr. Arthur E. Doull, formerly of this town, is also among the number capped.

Mr. Howard Schofield, son of Robert Schofield, of Gasperau, is home from Winnipeg on a short visit. He graduated from Acadia in 1882, and has been teaching in Winnipeg for seventeen years, where he has seen the town grow from 15,000 to 50,000. He is now principal of the Winnipeg High School and an important factor in the educational work of that city. Mr. Schofield leaves in a few days for London and Paris, where he will take in the Exposition.

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NOTICE?

All the roads and paths through the grounds of Acadia University will be closed on Wednesday, the 27th inst. By Order of the Executive Committee. A. COBURN, Secretary. Wolfville, June 21-4, 1900.

WANTED!

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TENDERS.

Tenders will be received by the subscriber up to the 25th inst. for the building of a dwelling in the Town of Wolfville. Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of subscriber where further information, if necessary, will be given. The subscriber does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender. I. B. OAKES.

W. J. Balcom

has secured an Auctioneer's license and is prepared to sell all kinds of Real and Personal Property at a moderate rate.

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Every Men's Shoe The Wolfville Shoe C. H. THE ACADIAN Local and P. Imported strawberries the market this week. The new rectory is completed and Rev. Mr. D. expect to move in next week. The town of Berwick its inhabitants a few was found to have a pe Rev. D. B. Hemmest a visit to his parents in acceptably in the Methu Sunday evening. Messrs. Buttle & Davis the store recently occupied Harris where they have bicycle repairing shop. The annual convention of Nova Scotia's Bay yesterday ministers from U. S. ar On Wednesday after June gave a reception. There was a large attendance of ladies and a most was of an. We are not empty but whereof we affirm, and certainly Union Blind T than any other there a price in this or any other Tourists are beginning appearance and our town ful of them. The Ev has lost none of its clar contrary is becoming very Mr. A. W. Stahl has p and orchard adjoining intends building a 2 1/2 d thereon. The property one and we congratulate securing it. The flower mission in the W. C. T. U. will be contributions of flowers afternoon at the King's Melrose Building, for the Halifax hospitals. Last—a gold watch a street in Wolfville. The rewarded by leaving the office of the ACADIAN. June 15, 1900. We have recently received gotten up and well chure entitled "Parasurmer B-sort." It is pub W. B. French, proprietor Hotel at that place, an office of the Parasurmer The Acadia Seminary thorough preparations season. The interior is painted, a complete up lighting is being put in will be better prepared to accommodate guests, that the prospect is exco a big summer's business. In the absence last Su R. Hatch, who was p elaborate sermon before Institute, Maine, the B ably supplied by Prof. D., who, preached on of the World? Dr. J. the annual sermon before Association at Aylesford In order to accommodate business Mr. W. J. Ryan stable in a location with low house property, twenty houses in his sh more before the season is over has a splendid ship and can furnish a stylish short notice. He is an tourist bus, as the m to be fully prepared for



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THE ACADIAN. Local and Provincial.

WOLFVILLE, N. S., JUNE 22 1900.

Local and Provincial.

Imported strawberries have been in the market this week.

The new rectory is now about completed and Rev. Mr. Dixon and family expect to move in next week.

The town of Berwick took a census of its inhabitants a few days ago when it was found to have a population of 730.

Rev. D. B. Hemmery, who is paying a visit to his parents here, preached very acceptably in the Methodist church last Sunday evening.

Messrs Suttie & Davidson have taken the store recently occupied by Miss Pio. Harris where they have opened up a bicycle repairing shop.

The annual convention of the Second Advent church of Nova Scotia convened at Scott's Bay yesterday. A number of ministers from U. S. are in attendance.

On Wednesday afternoon Mrs. (D.) Jones gave a reception to her friends. There was a large attendance of Wolfville ladies and a most enjoyable time was spent.

We are not empty boosters—we know whereof we affirm, and that is that of a certainty Union Blend Tea is better value than any other tea sold at the same price in this or any other country.

Tourists are beginning to make their appearance and our town will soon be full of them. The Evangeline Country has lost none of its charm, but on the contrary is becoming year by year more popular.

Mr. A. W. Stubb has purchased the lot and orchard adjoining Kent Lodge, and intends building a residence for him of thereon. The property is a valuable one and we congratulate Mr. Stubb on securing it.

The flower mission in connection with the W. C. T. U. will be glad to receive contributions of flowers every Monday afternoon at the King's Dangle rooms. McKenna Building, for distribution at the Halifax hospital.

Lost—A gold watch and chain on the street in Wolfville. The finder will be rewarded by leaving the same at the office of the ACADIAN. June 15 1900.

We have recently received a very neatly gotten up and well illustrated brochure entitled "Paradise an Ideal Summer Resort." It is published by Mr. J. W. Bradish, proprietor of Bradish's Hotel at that place, and printed at the office of the Parson's Leader.

The Acadia Seminary is undergoing thorough preparations for the tourist season. The interior is being newly painted, a complete system of electric lighting is being put in and Mr. Brock will be better prepared than ever before to accommodate guests. He informs us that the prospect is exceedingly good for a big summer's business.

In the absence last Sunday of Rev. H. R. Hatch, who was preaching the bacchante sermon before Ricker Classical Institute, Maine, the B. street pulpit was ably supplied by Prof. H. V. Jones, Ph. D., who preached on "Christ the Light of the World." Dr. Jones is to preach the annual sermon before the Central Association at Aylesford on Sunday next.

In order to accommodate his increased business Mr. W. J. Batoon has leased the stable in a connection with the old American House property. He now has twenty horses in his stable and will add more before the season is over. Mr. Batoon has a splendid shipment of carriages and can furnish a stylish turnout at short notice. He is looking for a good tourist trade in the summer and is anxious to be fully prepared for it.

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A Sad Event.

Wolfville was saddened on Wednesday by the news of the death at Halifax of Mrs. J. E. Forsyth of this place. Early in May Mrs. Forsyth was taken ill at the residence of Dr. McKenna, where she remained under the care of Dr. Barr and a trained nurse until Saturday last when she was removed to Halifax for treatment and died at the Infirmary Wednesday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Forsyth came to Wolfville to reside about three years ago when Mr. Forsyth built a residence on Highland avenue and resided there until he sold out this spring with the intention of going west. Mrs. Forsyth was an amiable and energetic lady and won many friends in Wolfville. She took a deep interest in church work and was an active member of the W. C. T. U. Her sad death has cast a gloom over the community, and Mr. Forsyth has the heartfelt sympathy of all. The deceased before her marriage was a Miss Leonard, of Paradise, and was 35 years of age. The remains were brought to Wolfville yesterday morning and the funeral took place from the Baptist church yesterday afternoon and was largely attended. The service was conducted by Rev. J. H. McDermid. The funeral offerings were numerous and beautiful. The interment was at Willow Bank.

Dr. Bowles Married.

Wolfville and Shelburne joined hands and in wedlock this morning. At 8 o'clock a very interesting ceremony was performed at the residence of George W. Durfee in the North End, in which Miss Evangeline Durfee, daughter of the gentleman above mentioned, became Mrs. (Dr.) Edwin Bowles. Only relatives and a very few friends witnessed the ceremony. Though quiet it was a pretty marriage, the parlor in which the event took place being most tastefully decorated with flowers. Rev. W. S. H. Morris, M. A., rector of Christ Church officiated. The bride, always charming, was attired in a most becoming traveling suit and carried a handsome bouquet of flowers. Immediately after the ceremony a sumptuous wedding breakfast was partaken of, and later in the day Dr. and Mrs. Bowles left on a short wedding trip. They will reside at Wolfville where Dr. Bowles is located. The bride is one of Shelburne's fairest and most accomplished daughters and we congratulate the Dr. on his choice of a life partner. What is Shelburne's loss is Wolfville's gain. The many beautiful presents received by the bride from relatives and friends at home and abroad show in a season her popularity. The Budget wishes the happy couple a long, happy and prosperous life over the sea of life—Shelburne Budget.

The ACADIAN joins in wishing every possible happiness to Dr. and Mrs. Bowles.

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Public School Examinations. These will occur on Tuesday and Wednesday, June 26th and 27th, as follows:

Primary Department, Miss Saunders, June 26th, 1.15 to 2 p. m. Intermediate Primary, Miss Crow, June 26th, 2 to 2.45 p. m. High School, Mr. Ford, June 27th, 9.30 to 10.30 a. m. Intermediate Department, Miss Stephens, June 27th, 11 to 12 a. m. Advanced Primary, Miss G. Gibby, June 27th, 1.15 to 2.15 p. m. Preparatory, Miss Yaitt, June 27th, 2.15 to 3.15 p. m.

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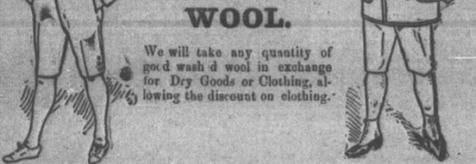
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