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Select Poetry.

SEVEN TIMES ONE.

There's no dew left on the daisies and clover,
There's no dew left in heaven;
I've said my "seven times" over and over,
Seven times one are seven.

I am old, so old, I can write a letter;
My birthday lessons are done;
The lambs play always, they know no better;
They are only one times one.

O moon! in the night I have seen you sailing
And shining so round and low;
You was bright! ah bright! but your light is falling—
You are nothing now but a bow.

You moon, have you done something wrong in heaven
That God has hidden your face?
I hope if you have you will soon be forgiven,
And shine again in your place.

O velvet bee, you're a dusty fellow,
You've powdered your legs with gold!
O bumble, tell me the purple clapper
That hangs in your clear green bell!

O columbine, open your folded wrapper,
Where two twin turtle-doves dwell!
O cuckoo, tell me the purple clapper
That hangs in your clear green bell!

And show me your nest with its young ones in it;
I will not steal them away;
I am old! you may trust me linnet,
I am seven times one to-day.

—JEAN ENGELOW'S Songs of Seven.

Interesting Story.

The Hoosier Schoolmaster.

BY EDWARD EGLESTON.

CHAPTER VI.—Continued.

Ralph had forgotten that there was to be another spelling-school. It seemed to him an age since the orthographical conflict of the past night. This remark of Mirandy's fell upon his ear like a echo from the distant past. He had lived a lifetime since, and was not sure that he was the same man who was spelling for dear life against Jim Phillips twelve hours before. But he was sorry to hear that Hannah had a cold. It seemed to him, in his depressed state, that he was to blame for it. In fact, it seemed to him that he was to blame for a good many things. He seemed to have been committing sin in spite of himself. Broken nerves and sleepless nights often result in a morbid conscience. And what business had he to wander over this very road at two o'clock in the morning, and to see three galloping horsemen, one of them on a horse with a white left forefoot and a white nose? What business had he watching Dr. Small as he went home from the bedside of a dying patient near daylight in the morning? And because he felt guilty he felt cross with Mirandy, and to her remark about Hannah he only replied that "Hannah was a smart girl."

"Yes," said Mirandy, "Bud thinks so."
"Does he?" said Ralph, pricking up his ears.
"I should say so. What's him and her been a courting for for a year of it didn't think she was smart? Marm don't like it; but of Bud and her does, and they seem to, I don't see as it's marm's look-out."

When one is wretched, there is a pleasure in being entirely wretched. Ralph felt that he must have committed some unknown crime, and that some Nemesis was following him, was Hannah deceitful? At least, if she were not, he felt sure that he could supplant Bud. But what right had he to supplant Bud?

"Did you hear the news?" cried Shockey, running out to meet him. "The Dutchman's house was robbed last night."

Ralph thought of the three men on horseback, and to save his life he could not help associating Dr. Small with them. And then he remembered the sorrel horse with the left forefoot and muzzle white, and he recalled the sound he had heard as of the lifting of a latch. And it really seemed to him that in knowing what he did he was in some sense guilty of the robbery.

CHAPTER VII.

OMINOUS REMARKS OF MR. JONES.

The schoolmaster's mind was like ancient Gaul—divided into three parts. With one part he mechanically performed his school duties. With another

CHAPTER VIII.

THE STRUGGLE IN THE DARK.

It was a long, lonesome, fearful night that the schoolmaster passed, lying with nerves on edge and eyes wide open in that comfortable bed in the "furddest corner" of the job

Pete Jones's house, shivering with cold, while the light snow was falling sifted in upon the ragged patch-work quilt that covered him. Nerves shattered by sleeplessness imagine many things, and for the first hour Ralph felt sure that Pete would cut his throat before morning. And you, friend Callow, who have blunted your palate by swallowing the Cayenne pepper of the penny-dreadfuls, or of a certain sort of Sunday-school books, you wish me to make this night exciting by a hand-to-hand contest between Ralph and a robber. You would like it better if there were a trap-door. There's nothing so convenient as a trap-door unless it be a subterranean passage. And you'd like something of that sort just here. It's so pleasant to have one's hair stand on end, you know, when one is safe from danger to one's self. But if you want each individual hair to bristle with such a "Struggle in the Dark," you can buy trap doors and subterranean passages dirt-cheap at the next new-stand. But it was, indeed, a real and terrible "Struggle in the Dark" that Ralph fought out at Pete Jones's.

When he had vanquished his fears of personal violence by reminding himself that it would be folly for Jones to commit murder in his own house, the question of Bud and Hannah took the uppermost place in his thoughts. And as the image of Hannah spelling against the master came up to him, as the memory of the walk, the talk, the box-aided tree, and all the rest took possession of him, it seemed to Ralph his very life depended upon his securing her love. He would shut his teeth like the jaws of a bull-dog, and all Bud's muscles should not prevail over his resolution and his strength.

It was easy to persuade himself that this was right. Hannah ought not to throw herself away on Bud Means. Men of some culture always play their conceit off against their consciences. To a man of literary habits it always seems to be a great boon that he confers on a woman when he gives her his love. Reasoning thus, Ralph had fixed his resolution, and if the night had been shorter, or sleep possible, the color of his life might have been changed.

But sometime along in the tedious hours came the memory of his childhood, the words of his mother, the old Bible stories, the aspiration after nobility of spirit, the solemn resolutions to be true to his conscience. These angels of the memory came flocking back before the animal, the bull-doggedness, had "set," as workers in plaster say. He remembered the story of David and Nathan, and it seemed to him that he, with all his abilities and ambitions and prospects, was about to rob Bud of the one eye lamb, the only thing he had to rejoice in his life. In getting Hannah he would make himself unworthy of Hannah. And then there came to him a vision of the supreme value of a true character; how 'twas better than success, better than to be loved, better than Heaven. And how near he had been to missing it! And how certain he was, when these thoughts should fade, to miss it! He was as one fighting for a great prize who feels his strength failing and is sure of defeat.

This was a real, awful "Struggle in the Dark." A human soul fighting with heaven in sight, but certain of slipping inevitably into hell! It was the same old battle. The Image of God fought with the Image of the Devil. It was the same fight that Paul described so dramatically when he represented the Spirit as contending with the flesh. Paul also called this dreadful something the Old Adam, and I suppose Darwin would call it the remains of the Wild Beast. But call it what you will, it is the battle that every well-endowed soul must fight at some point. And to Ralph it seemed that the final victory of Evil, the Old Adam, the Flesh, the Wild Beast, the Devil, was certain. For, was not the pure, unconscious face of Hannah on the Devil's side? And so the battle had just as well be given up at once, for it must be lost in the end.

But to Ralph, lying there in the still darkness, with his conscience as wide-awake as if it were the Day of

CHAPTER IX.

HAS GOD FORSAKEN SHOCKY?

"Pap wants to know of you would spend to marry and Sunday at our house?" said one of Squire Hawkins' girls, on the very next evening, which was Friday. The old Squire was thoughtful enough to remember that Ralph would not find it very pleasant "boarding out" all the time; he was entitled to spend at Pete Jones's. For in view of the fact that Mr. Pete Jones sent seven children to the school, the "Master" in Flat Creek District was bound to spend two weeks in that comfortable place, sleeping in that occupied bed, in the "furddest corner," with insufficient cover, under an insufficient roof, and eating floating islands of salt pork fluted out of oceans of hot lard.

Ralph was not slow to accept the relief offered by the hospitable justice of the place, whose principal business seemed to be the adjustment of the pieces of which he was composed. And as Shockey travelled the same road, Ralph took advantage of the opportunity to talk with him. The master could not dismiss Hannah wholly from his mind. He would at least read the mystery of her life, if Shockey could be prevailed on to furnish the clue.

"Poor old tree!" said Shockey, pointing to a crooked and gnarled elm standing by itself in the middle of a field. For when the elm, naturally the most graceful of trees, once gets a "bad set," as ladies say, it can grow to be the most deformed. This solitary tree had not a straight limb.

"Why do you say 'poor old tree'?" asked Ralph.

"Cause it's lonesome. All its friends is dead and chopped down, and there's their stumps a-standing 'jes' like grave-stones. It must be lonesome. Some folks says it don't feel, but I think it does. Everything seems to think and feel. See its nodding its head to them other trees in the woods, and a-wantin' to shake hands! But it can't move. I think that tree must 'a' grown in the night."

"Why, Shockey?"

"Cause it's so crooked," and Shockey laughed at his own conceit; "must 'a' grown when they was no light so as it could see how to grow."

And then they walked on in silence a minute. Presently Shockey began looking up into Ralph's eyes to get a smile. "I guess that tree feels just like me. Don't you?"

"Why, how do you feel?"

"Kind o' had and lonesome, and like as if I wanted to die, you know. Felt that way ever since they put my father into the graveyard, and sent my mother to the poor-house and Hanner to ole Miss Means's. What kind of a place is a poor-house? Is it a poorer place than Means's? I wish I was dead and one of them clouds was a-carryin' me and Hanner and mother up to where father's gone, you know! I wonder if God forgets all about poor folks when their father dies and their mother gets into the poor-house? Do you think he does? Seems so to me. May be God lost track of my father when he come away from England and crossed over the sea. Don't nobody on Flat Creek keef for God, and I guess God don't keef for Flat Creek. But I would though, ef he'd git my mother out of the poor-house, and git Hanner away from Means's, and let me kine my

CHAPTER X.

THE DEVIL OF SILENCE.

Ralph had reason to fear Small. They were natives of the same village of Lewisburg, though Small was five years the elder. Some facts in the doctor's life had come into Ralph's possession in such a way as to confirm his long-suspicion without giving him power to expose Small, who was firmly entrenched in the good graces of the people of the county-seat village of Lewisburg, where he had grown up, and of the little cross-roads of Clifty, where his "shingle" now hung.

Small was no ordinary villain. He was a genius. Your ordinary hypocrite talks cant. Small talked nothing. He was the coolest, the steadiest, the most silent, the most promising boy ever born in Lewisburg. He made no pretensions. He set up no claims. He uttered no professions. He went right on and lived a life above reproach. Your vulgar hypocrite makes long prayers in prayer-meeting. Small did nothing of the sort. He sat still in prayer-meeting, and listened to the elders as a nod-stung young man should. Your commonplace hypocrite boasts. Small never alluded to himself, and thus a consummate egotist got credit for modesty. It is but an indifferent trick for a hypocrite to make temperance speeches. Dr. Small did not even belong to a temperance society. But he could never be persuaded to drink even so much as a cup of tea. There was something sublime in the quiet voice with which he would say, "Cold" water, if you please, to a lady tempting him with smoking coffee on a cold morning. There was no exultation, no sense of merit in the act. Everything was done in a modest and matter-of-course way beautiful to behold. And his face was a neutral tint. Neither face nor voice expressed anything. Only a keen reader of character might have asked whether all there was in that eye could live contented with this cool, austere, self-contained life, whether there would not be somewhere a volcanic eruption. But if there was a sea of molten lava beneath, the world did not discover it. Wild boys were sick of having Small hold up to them as the most immaculate of men.

Ralph had failed to get two schools for which he had applied, and had attributed both failures to certain abuses of Dr. Small. And now, when Sanders, the centre of intelligence as well as of ignorance for the neighborhood, he trembled. Not that Small would say anything. He damned people by a silence worse than words.

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CHAPTER XI.

WHAT TOOK RALPH'S BREATH WAS TO FIND DR. SMALL'S FINE, FAULTLESS HORSE STANDING AT THE DOOR. WHAT DID HENRY SMALL WANT TO VISIT THIS OLD QUACK FOR?

What took Ralph's breath was to find Dr. Small's fine, faultless horse standing at the door. What did Henry Small want to visit this old quack for?

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Calendar for May table with days of the week and dates.

THE ACADIAN WOLFVILLE, N. S., MAY 21, 1886 THE LOCAL ELECTIONS.

Within the next few weeks, or months, the province will be convulsed from end to end by political demagogues, trade will be interrupted, and much valuable time wasted.

RANCOUR. The New Star in its role as defender of the faithful (council), devoted a portion of its space on Tuesday last to again attempting to justify the action of that body in reference to the county printing; but, it is needless to say, fails utterly to meet our arguments.

Mr. S. R. Sleep had quite a number of men badly engaged during the past week tearing down the old Exhibition building which stood close beside the Railroad.

Thursday evening, 13th inst., Rev. W. B. Hinson lectured before the Acadia Athenaeum, in Academy Hall, on "Moses."

There are no trifles in this world. God does not strive to destroy our hopes, or aims; he elevates and ennobles them.

AN IMPORTANT ACHIEVEMENT. For some time past the question of purity in baking powders has formed quite a feature of newspaper discussions in Boston and eminent doctors of philosophy have given opinions as to the ingredients which compose many of the articles sold under that name.

MESSRS. EDITORS.—In a recent issue of the New Star to be found several items of local news, in which a great attempt has been made to be very precise and exact.

MARKET REPORT.—FURNISHED BY BENTLEY & LAYTON, Produce Commission Merchants, Corner Argyle & Sackville, Sts., (Opposite Mumford's Market.) Halifax, May 20, 1886.

Boston Market Report.—FURNISHED BY HATHWAY & CO. Flour—Spring Wheat, Patents \$5 00 @ \$5 35.

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1886. SEEDS! SEEDS! GEO. V. RAND has received his supply of Garden and Flower Seeds for this season and customers can be supplied in quantities to suit.

1886 SPRING 1886. The subscriber wishes to say to his numerous friends and customers in King's County that he has now completed his Spring Importations of Hardware, Builders' Material, Lumber, Shingles, Brick, Lime, Cateine Plaster, Portland Cement, Paints, Oils, Turpentine, Varnishes, Nails, Sheathing Paper, also METALLIC ROOFING PAINT.

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SEEDS! SEEDS!

Fine stock Timothy, Clover Garden and Flower Seeds, for sale low.

FLOUR! FLOUR! At \$1.00, \$5.00, \$5.50 per barrel. Splendid Value.

LIME! LIME! In casks and barrels—best in the market.

Whiting and W. Brushes! A nice assortment now open.

It will pay you to inspect my fine stock Groceries, China, Glass and Earthenware before buying.

R. PRAT. THE ACADIAN WOLFVILLE, N. S., MAY 21, 1886

Local and Provincial. FOUND—A shop-key. The owner can have the same by paying for this notice.

J. W. Bigelow, who has been spending some time in New York, returned home last week.

Fishing Tackle nice assortment at R. PRAT'S.

Dr. J. A. and Mrs. Payzant are spending a part of their "honeymoon" in Wolfville. We tender congratulations.

The Liberals of this county meet at Kentville on Monday next to nominate their candidates for the Local Legislature.

We have received the report of the transactions of the Fruit Growers' Association and International Show Society of Nova Scotia, for 1886.

Cedar Posts for sale low at S. R. Slop's.

Vegetation is further advanced this year than for several years past.

The weather this week has been very fine and pleasant. Farmers have taken advantage of it to get their planting done and are getting along nicely.

Linon and Rubber Carriage Rugs at Burpee Witter's.

The Junior class of Acadia leave on their usual geological expedition on Tuesday next.

Wanted immediately a first-class pants maker; also a vest maker. Good wages will be given. Apply to Messrs Milne & Christie, Webster Street, Kentville.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be dispensed in the Wolfville Presbyterian Church on Sunday next.

Loss.—Mr. J. L. Brown lost a fine horse one day last week.

One cat "Pacific," 1 car "King's Pride," 1 car "Arctonia," 1 car "Darfa," 100 bags Shorts, Corn Meal etc.

Letter from Rev. Walter Barrs received by his friends here states that he preached at New Westminster, B. C.

Having recently imported a "Perfection Shear Sharpener," I am prepared to sharpen and put in first-class order shears and scissors of every description.

AN ACADIAN EXCURSION.—Mr. Tyler R. Waggart, formerly of this city, has spent several days in Nova Scotia, planning a series of excursions from Boston to points east, each of which will occupy five days.

The Celebrated Electric Dyes are the most lasting of all colors. Warranted strictly pure. 10 cents at Druggists and Grocers.

J.F. HERBIN, WOLFVILLE, N. S., One door east of Post Office.

Watches, Clocks, and Jewellery REPAIRED. ENGRAVING Done in Every Style!

Western Book & News Co. beg to advise that they have closed their store in Wolfville.

Local and Provincial. Try Soluble Pacific Guano, R. PRAT Agent.

Caldwell & Murray's store will be closed Monday 24th inst.

The Rev. J. A. Rogers of Windsor will occupy the pulpit of the Methodist Church at Wolfville next Sabbath evening the 23rd inst.

"Barns' Best," the best Flour in the market, at Trenholm's.

SHAD.—Shad have been taken in small quantities in some of the weirs of the basin. This is considered remarkably early for them in this vicinity.

Lace Curtains and Sets, Beautiful Patterns, low prices at Burpee Witter's.

Our young friends on the "Hill" who so kindly rang the College bell and cried "Fire" on Tuesday night last, after eleven o'clock, should have the deep gratitude of all. They will undoubtedly "rise" in the world.

The Government Inspector and some workmen are making repairs on the Avon Bridge. It is the opinion of the chief engineer that the bridge has settled three inches since he was up three months ago.

Don't purchase your Room Paper or Picture Frames of Peddlers but come to EATON'S, Kentville.

CRICKET.—The first match of the season here is to be played we believe on Monday next, the 24th, between the College club and a team from Kings College.

Choices Imported and Domestic Cigars at 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 10 cents at J. M. SHAW'S.

MILLINERY.—We have to notice this week the change that has been made by Miss Hamilton removing from her old stand to the store just vacated by the Western Book & News Co.

TAKE NOTICE.—If your razor is dull, take it to J. M. Shaw's Barber Shop, and he will put it in first-class order for the small sum of 15c.

The closing up of the Western Book & News Co.'s establishment here, for the purpose of moving to Halifax, will cause us to lose one of our most popular and enterprising citizens; and one whom Wolfville can ill afford to part with.

During the five years of his residence among us he has made many friends who regret very much his intention. We have always found him straightforward in business and always ready to take an active part in anything that tended to promote the welfare of our town.

WE also offer our Celebrated Bone at usual rates. Send for circulars. JACK & BELL, Halifax, N. S. G. H. WALLACE, Agent, Wolfville, Halifax, Feb 12th 86

Everybody should see Burpee Witter's fine stock of CLOTHS before making their purchases.

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A FACT WORTH KNOWING!

MILNE & CHRISTIE, Fashionable Tailors,

have just received direct from England a complete variety of all kinds of Tweed Trousers and Diagonals, etc., which they are prepared to make up in the Latest Styles and at the lowest prices.

FOR SALE! Two Horses, Horse Truck, Riding Wagon, and Sleigh. Apply at this office.

FOR SALE. 1 pair four-year-old CATTLE, suitable for beef or working. Apply to JES. BLAIR, Black River, May 14, 1886

G. W. BOGGS, M. D., C. M., Graduate McGill University, PHYSICIAN & SURGEON, Hamilton's Corner, Canard, Cornwallis.

Dr. H. O. Melatchy, Physician and Surgeon, has no intention of abandoning the practice of his profession here, and begs to say that he is prepared to wait upon the public as usual, notwithstanding reports to the contrary.

D. W. MOODY'S Tailor System for DRESS CUTTING. Price of one system with instructions \$5.00, or \$2.00 and one month's work at dress making.

Light Brahmas! Mated for best results. No other varieties kept. Eggs until July 1st at \$2.00 per "setting."

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"Confidential Charley" Will make the season of 1886 in Lunenburg, Kings, and Hants Counties, instead of in New Brunswick as previously advertised.

'86.-SPRING!-'86. 200 Pieces Printed Cambrics, 200 Pieces Black & Cold Dress Goods, 200 Pairs Am. & Can. Corsets.

Flour! Flour! JUST RECEIVED. Another Car-load of "CROWN OF GOLD" The best flour made in the Dominion.

FERTILIZERS. Great Reduction in Prices. Jack & Bell offer their Celebrated "Ceres" Superphosphate \$5 a bbl on time.

ONTARIO MUTUAL LIFE ASSURANCE CO. DOMINION DEPOSIT \$100,000. HEAD OFFICE, WATERLOO, ONT.

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IMPORTANT INFORMATION: WE have a large and carefully selected Stock! WE are prepared to give you good value for your money! WE will trade with you for all kinds of marketable produce!

Please Read this Carefully. Beautiful Stock of DRESS GOODS in the following fabrics:

Jersey Trico, Amuro, Chuddas, Taffeta, Bieges, Nun's Cloth, Cashmere, black and colored.

MANTLE CLOTHS Fancy Cloths for Spring Wraps, beautiful Black Silk Brocade and Ottoman Mantle Cloths.

TWEEDS AND WORSTEDS Black and Fancy Worsted Coatings, Fancy Tweed Suitings.

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CRETONNE AND DAMASK Twelve beautiful patterns in Cretonne, also Colored Damask.

PRINT AND GINGHAMS We have one of the finest assortments of Fancy Prints we have ever shown, Gency Plaid and Checked Gingham.

TABLE LINENS & NAPKINS Bleached and Unbleached Table Linens with Napkins to match, Colored Table Cloths, Fancy Table Cloths, Crumb Cloths, etc.

GLOVES AND HOSIERY Beautiful Silk and Taffeta Gloves, Lisle Thread for women and children.

Wool Carpets in handsome patterns at Burpee Witter's.

2000 Yards St. Croix Gingham, 2000 Yards St. Croix Shirtings, 2000 Yards Printed Grey Cottons.

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Unlaundried Shirts selling at 50c, Unlaundried Shirts selling at 65c, Unlaundried Shirts selling at 75c.

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Wolfville, April 30th, 1886

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GOOD NEWS

7,000 ROLLS ROOM PAPER! ROCKWELL & CO'S, To be sold at extremely Low Prices!

These Papers have been imported direct from three of the largest manufacturers in Canada and Scotland, and are all the Newest and Latest Designs.

By far the Largest and Finest Stock in the County!

Over 200 Different Patterns to select from.

Don't fail to give us a call if you wish to get your house decorated with nice paper at a small cost.

COUNTRY PRODUCE TAKEN IN EXCHANGE.

ROCKWELL & Co., DEALERS IN School Books, Stationery, Fancy Goods, Room Paper, Picture Frames, etc., etc.

Organs & Sewing Machines. MAIN STREET, WOLFVILLE, N. S. April 16th, 1886 (22-1-86)

Flour, Meal, Groceries, Boots & Shoes, Dry Goods, Tinware and Crockery, which must be sold about Half Cost to raise money.

Will take Butter and Eggs in exchange for Goods.

SILAS FADEN, Agent. Port Williams, March 12, '85

William Wallace Merchant Tailor, Has one of the finest stocks of Cloths to select from in the County.

WORSTEDS in all Shades and Prices. TWEEDS in Every Variety. Cloths purchased elsewhere made up as usual. Suits bought of me cut free of charge.

WHY PAY HIGHER WHEN? WOODILL'S 2 oz. Tins retail 7 cents

GERMAN 4 oz. Tins retail 12 cents

BAKING 8 oz. Tins retail 22 cents

POWDER. Quality equal to any!!

Halifax, March, 1886

THIS OUT and return to us with 10c. or 4 3-c stamps, and you'll get by return mail a Golden Box of Goods that will bring you in more money in one month than anything else in America. Either sex make money fast.

463 City Novelty Co. Yarmouth, N. S.

NOTICE.

James Kerr would inform the people of Wolfville and vicinity that he has opened a shop over J. M. Shaw's Barber Shop, where he is prepared to make and repair BOOTS and SHOES of every description, neatly and promptly. Satisfaction guaranteed. Give him a call.

Wolfville, Dec. 3d, 1885

DR. O. W. NORTON'S BURDOCK BLOOD PURIFIER! Purely Vegetable! A Valuable Compound FOR RESTORING HEALTH

Hundreds have been cured by us it for LIVER COMPLAINT, COSTIVENESS, DYSPEPSIA, SALT RHEUM, CATARRH, RHEUMATISM, IMPURE BLOOD, LOSS OF APPETITE, KIDNEY DISEASE, AND GENERAL DEBILITY.

READ THE FOLLOWING TESTIMONIALS. Weymouth, Sept. 14, 1885.

DR. NORTON: Dear Sir,—For twenty-five years I have been afflicted with Salt Rheum, and last Summer my head and part of my body was one fearful sore. My husband employed at different times three doctors, which failed to do me any good.

In August 1884 I commenced taking your Dr. O. W. Norton's Burdock Blood Purifier, and after taking three bottles, an entirely cured, as I have not the least symptoms of it since. The Blood Purifier has also cured Capt. Brooks of Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint.

Yours truly, Mrs. John Grant ARTHUR BRACKBURN, of Newport writes: "For five years I have been afflicted with two Erysipelas Fever Sores on my legs. Have consulted all the doctors far and near. All medicine failed to do me any good until last fall I commenced to take Dr. O. W. Norton's Burdock Blood Purifier. After taking seven bottles my sores are entirely healed up and I am as well as ever."

February 9th, 1886. There is no medicine known to the medical fraternity that has cured so many of Liver, Kidney Blood and Nerve Diseases as the medicine that composes Norton's Burdock Blood Purifier.

Sold by most of the dealers in medicine throughout the country, ask by G. V. Rand, Druggist, Wolfville, at \$1.00 per large bottle.

March 12th, '86 26-6-'86

RULER HUGO, The Percheron Stallion, will make the following route during the present summer:—

May June At R. M. Payzant's, F. Smith, 5-19 2 Jas. Wall's, Hantsport, 6-20 3 Chas. Rod's, Avonport, 7-21 4 Edward Bishop's, Wolfville, 8-22 5 A. M. Orr's, Port Williams, 10-24 7 Wm. Brady's, Channing, 11-25 8 (calling at) E. P. Armstrong's Church Strz-26 J. McIntosh's, Kentville, 13-27 9 remaining two days, and every fortnight from these dates, during the season, he will be at the stands named.

PERCHERON OF RULER HUGO.—A six years, was bred by the Agricultural Society of N. B.; sired by the thoroughbred Percheron stallion "Victor Hugo," imported from the State of Illinois, U. S., by the New Brunswick Government; dam sired by thoroughbred Suffolk Percheron stallion "Young Ruler." Stands 16½ hands high; weighs 1475 lbs.; color Grey. For general purposes he cannot be surpassed in the County.

TERMS.—Single Service, \$5.00; Season, \$8.00. 34-39 D. W. McLEAN, Owner, Pictou

NEW STORE. The subscriber has recently opened a Store at Grand Pre, and has constantly on hand and for sale low for cash or mercantile produce a choice stock of staple and fancy

GROCERIES, FLOUR, MEAL, ETC. O. W. TRENHOLM. Grand Pre, Feb'y 12th, 1886

HOLSTEIN BULL The subscriber has for service the noted Prize Holstein Bull, Lord of Gaspeaux which he imported direct from Holland, so as to get the very best-milking strain possible.

Terms \$5.00 at time of service. Fred Annand. Grand Pre, Jan. 1st, 1886.

Silver Ware. We have a fine stock of Silver Ware, including Castors, Cake Baskets Butter Dishes, Pickle Castors, C. rd Receivers, Knives, Spoons, Forks, Napkin Rings etc., which are, selling at extremely low prices. These goods are warranted first quality quadruple plate.

Rockwell & Co., MAIN ST., WOLFVILLE

