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ousness, depression. If the

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stomach, then dyspepsia,
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Your doctor knows the
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Buy a bottle
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for

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9.00 a. m.

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5.15 p. m.

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8.15 a. m.

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10.55 a. m.

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1.45 p. m.

Leaves Windsor at 2.45 p. m., arrive in Truro
5.45 p. m.

H. V. HARRIS,
General Manager.

When at the Last.

When at the last I lay me down to sleep,
And of the morrow's dawning recked not,
When night so pure, so pure may wish keep,
And love's brief noon is but a dream forgot,
Back to the Past, its sad and silent way,
In Time the wanderer of my yesterday.

Avoid the path long lost or sought too late,
Where wayward fate hath wandered, love been
blind:
If there be one that lath clear and straight,
Whom perchance forgot—Thou mayest find
Even in that precise, precluding maze,
The white thread shining, mid my yesterday.

So oft hath love's torch wavered, hence I
fail,
Went the sole reckoning mine I were but
weep:
Blind, Thou, the night by memory misled,
When at last I lay me down to sleep,
And, through Time's deep and labyrinthine
maze,
Caught, Thou, some moment in my yesterday.

Mr. Brown's
Popularity.

Mr. Josiah Brown had the unenviable
reputation of being the meanest
man in Hopeville.

So mean was he that neither use
nor sell were going to waste in his
orchards, he had refused to give poor
old Mrs. Simmons a basketful when
she asked for them.

At town meeting, when contribu-
tions of money and farm produce were
pledged by everyone for the support
of the orphan asylum, he had refused
so many times that he was no longer
even asked to contribute.

Moreover, apparently as a special
means of keeping the dislike of all
the boys at rest, he forbade them to
use the best swimming place in
town, the river running through his
land at that particular point. He
took delight in thrashing them when-
ever he caught them in the orchards.

How to 'get even' with 'Old Stinky'
became one of the serious problems
of a boy's life almost as soon as he
reached the age of trousers.

One afternoon in the early summer
all the larger boys were assembled in
their usual meeting place behind Dr.
Wood's barn. Some laid at full
length on the grass discussing the
ball game, others perched like crows
in the branches of an old apple tree
scheming how to cause the downfall
of old stinky.

Of the later group, after the discus-
sion of several plans, all agreed that
if they could only relieve one trou-
sers of a goodly number of trout and
send them to the orphan as-
ylum, with Mr. B's compliments,
his mortification and their victory
would be complete. But they also
agreed that flying would be easy in
comparison with this Herculean task.

The pond was surrounded by a lane
of stout wire netting in which two
large and fierce dogs roamed every
night. There came a seven-stranded
barbed-wire fence which could neither
be climbed over or crawled under with
any chance of arriving at the other
side with whole clothes and skin.

And finally, inside this latter, were
many places so arranged that when
walked upon gongs were rung, and
the keeper, armed with a shotgun,
would sallly forth from his house to
seize the luckless invader and take
him before the local justice of the
peace.

Billy Wood, the doctor's only and
hopeful son, was describing to an ad-
miring audience for at least the fiftieth
time the completeness of these defensive
arrangements, embellished, it is true,
by his own vivid imagination,
when, on looking up toward the
central part of the town he saw a
large dragonlike poise above the
church steeple as if about to descend
and raise the gilt cross in order to
carry it to some distant realm to de-
vour it at leisure.

With a sudden yell he grabbed the
boy nearest to him and shouted at the
top of his voice: 'I've got it! I've
got it! I've got it!'

'Got what, Billy, the colic?' de-
manded Puffin Jones, whose deepest
sympathies were stirred at the bare
possibility.

'None! Of course not!' replied
Billy. 'Here, you fellows, every one
of you that has a kite meet me in the
back-pasture at nine o'clock to-mor-
row, and those of you that haven't
come along to help the others, and
without another word he started for
the house as fast as his legs could
carry him.

Billy, Puffin Jones and Sam Powers
were waiting for them when they ar-
rived at the place agreed upon, and
were already discussing the plan. The
idea was that they could reach Old
Stinky's fish by flying their kites out
over the pond from the knoll adjoining
his land and lowering a weighted
fish line through a ring to be fastened
at a convenient place on each kite
string, thus overcoming the obstacles
of fences, dogs and keeper.

The kite would have to be black so
as not to show against the sky and
white-miller flies would be sure to be
seen by the trout on a moonlight
night. One boy would manage the

line and another the fish line, and if
everything went well the orphan
would revel in a treat such as only
those fortunate beings who could af-
ford to pay one dollar a pound for
their fish had hitherto enjoyed.

On the appointed night six boys in
stocking feet quietly slipped down
the back stairs of six different houses,
causing to be sure that father was
breathing regularly and that mother
was not wandering round to see that
all was right. After a silent raid on
the pantry, it was but a step to the
door, then a reassuring word to the
dog, a short run, and the rendezvous
was soon reached.

Billy led the way by crocets to
the rear garden, which was
within one hundred yards of the end
of the pond farthest away from the
keeper's house. The water was cov-
ered with ripples, and the trees and
bushes were rustling, but otherwise
everything was quiet.

With the weight pulled up to the
ring so that the hook would not catch
on the fences, and Billy holding it
there, Sam let out a kite until the
ring was well over the water. Then,
while everyone held his breathe,
Billy, slowly let the weight slide
down.

The instant the fly struck the water
there was a rush and a large trout
seized it. Then came the question
whether the kite would hold up under
the load or not, but on the fish being
pulled out of the water and up to
within three feet of the ring it stood
the strain well, and when the boys
reeled in, the fish was soon in their
hands. It weighed at least a pound
and a quarter.

Not a sound had been heard of dogs
or keeper, and everything augured
well for the orphan's dinner.

A second time the kite was let out
and the fly dropped, and this time a
fish jumped out of the water, so great
was his hurry to bite, but he missed
only to have another one take the
prize and promptly be pulled skyward
and then landward, this time by
Puffin.

So successful were they that the
boys found it unnecessary to use more
than one kite, and took turns at this
novel and exciting sport.

Billy thought that thirty fish would
be enough—Old Stinky must be
thing handsomely while he was about
it, and as well leave a few for the next
time, anyway.

They had finally reached twenty-
five and their bags were nearly full.
The fly descended for the twenty-
sixth time, when there was a tug
which made the kite dive violently
and veer from side to side in a way
which threatened at any moment to
capsize it.

After careful maneuvering, how-
ever, they succeeded in raising the
fish above the water, and were feeling
in when, just as the shore was reached,
it gave a violent flop, slipped off
the hook and fell forty feet, to strike
with a dull thud on a long plank.

Immediately a gong began to ring,
the dogs began to bark, and then the
keeper of the house opened and the
keeper rushed out.

For a second the boys were almost
panic stricken, especially as they saw
that the keeper and dogs were coming
towards their end of the pond as fast
as they could run. But Billy's com-
manding gent's quickly asserted it-
self.

Telling Sam and Puffin to divide
the fish between them and retreat
cautiously to the road, he made the
other two gather up the extra kites
until he could remove the ring and
the several hundred feet of fishing
line.

In the meantime the keeper had ar-
rived at the plank which the big trout
had struck, and was peering around
for the cause of the trouble. The
first thing he saw was a blotch of
blood, and a second later he found
the trout. A hasty examination
showed its lacerated mouth, so that

it was evident that poachers had
been at work; but where were the
poachers?

It never would have been known to
this day where the poachers were, if
Billy, whose fear that the kite would
be seen, made him hurry, had not
slipped and measured his length on
the ground with a crash. Quickly
jumping up, he cut the string—it was
better to sacrifice the kite than be
caught—and three tore off to the
road, the dogs barking furiously.

The barbed wire, ordinarily so use-
ful in keeping poachers out, was of
great service in keeping the keeper in,
and his delay gave the boys such a
head start that they outstripped him,
and reached the barn in safety.

After a short period of rejoicing,
they did up the trout in a piece of
clear bagging, pinned a paper, on
which was printed 'For the orphan';
with the compliments and best wishes
of a friend' to the outside, and placed
the whole on the front porch of the
asylum, where it would be found by
the matron the first thing in the
morning.

Then there was a second gathering
at the barn, a spread of doughnuts
and cookies, and shortly after, six
tired boys crept into their beds to
grave dreams, in which trout, Old
Stinky, orphan, dogs and keeper
were strangely mingled.

The next morning the bundle was
duly found and opened, and as the
matron naturally took it for granted
that the sender was the owner of the
only trout pond in town, it was not
long before everyone knew of Mr.
Brown's gift, the news spreading with
the rapidity characteristic of country
places. Whether he would or not,
by noon he was Hopeville's most
popular citizen.

Moreover, his gift inspired other
people to give, and general good feel-
ing ran high in consequence. It was
evident to assemble the town
band and serenade him, but owing to
the short notice, it was decided that
everyone should call on him that
evening and hold an impromptu
reception instead.

The boys fell in with this last idea
with spirit. It was a great victory to
have had Old Stinky at their mercy
for once; but to think of his confu-
sion and wrath when he would be
thanked for what he had done.
Never before had there been a prospect
of so much excitement.

Ever since dinner Billy had been
having trouble with his conscience.
As a consequence Mr Brown was sur-
prised to receive in the late afternoon
a much blotted note, whose labori-
ously printed letters effectually con-
cealed the identity of the writer, and
conveyed the following information:
'Dear Mr Brown:—Altho you may not
know it, you gave some trout to the
orphan asylum, and everybody thinks
you are very nice. They are comin'
to see you tonight to tell you so, and
if you want to have every body keep
on thinking you are nice don't get
mad tonight.'

A Friend!

From his keeper he knew that some
one had been near the pond the past
night, so that would account for the
present of the trout, but how the trout
were caught he never knew as long
as he lived.

A little quiet investiga-
tion convinced him of the truth of
the contents of the epistle, so that he
was prepared for his visitors.

That the time had providentially
come for him to establish better
relations between himself and his fellow
citizens was evident, and he did not
retreat from an opportunity which he
might never again have, for to tell
the truth, he had long been tired of
his sobriquet of 'Old Stinky.'

That evening he surprised the boys
by neither being embarrassed nor en-
raged at the speeches of his townsmen
in thanking him for so gracefully and
handsomely setting them an example
by heading the annual list of contribu-
tions to the asylum, and by a well
worded reply, that this gift was 'an
earnest of others to follow.'

Then he surprised the elders by in-
viting all to partake of refreshments
served in the orchard, but most of all
he surprised himself by the happiness
which he felt in the kindly sympathy
and interest of his old acquaintances,
but new-found friends.

Just What You Need.
Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver
Tablets.
When you feel dull after eating.
When you have no appetite.
When you have a bad taste in your
mouth.
When your liver is torpid.
When your bowels are constipated.
When you have a headache.
When you feel bilious.

They will improve your appetite,
cleanse and invigorate your stomach,
and regulate your liver and bowels. Price
25 cents per box. For sale by G. V.
Rand.

Minard's Liniment is used by Physi-
cians.

**Woman's Tribute to
Dr. Chase's Remedies**
Showing how these great family medicines
with the confidence of the people, and
sustaining themselves in the houses.

Mrs. JOHN WORRELL, 715 Victoria Street,
London, Ont., states: 'For years I suffered
a great deal with catarrh in the head. I tried
everything I could hear of for it, but it
remained for Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure to cure
me. Though entirely freed from catarrh, I
was left in a nervous and run-down condition,
and then began using
Dr. Chase's Nerve Food,
which has built up my
system, strengthened my
nerves and made me
strong and well. We
have also used Dr.
Chase's Syrup of Linseed
and Turpentine in our
family for coughs and
colds, and never knew it
to fail to cure these ailments.'

Dr. Chase's family
medicines have proved
their right to a place in every home, and have
caused in me considered indispensable. To
protect you against imitations, the portrait and
signature of Dr. A. W. Chase, the famous
doctor, book author, are on every box of his
medicines.

Men of Oak

Timbers of oak keep the old
homestead standing through
the years. It pays to use the
right stuff.

"Men of oak" are men in
rugged health, men whose
bodies are made of the sound-
est materials.

Childhood is the time to lay
the foundation for a sturdy con-
stitution that will last for years.

Scott's Emulsion is the right
stuff.

Scott's Emulsion stimulates
the growing powers of children,
helps them build a firm
foundation for a sturdy constitu-
tion.

Send for free sample.
SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists,
Toronto, Ontario,
50c. and \$1.00; all druggists.

The Alphabet of Success.

Attend carefully to details.
Be prompt in all things.
Consider well, then decide positive-
ly.

Dare to do right, fear to do wrong.
Endure trials patiently.
Fight life's battles bravely.
Go not into the society of the vic-
ious.

Hold integrity sacred.
Injure not another's reputation.
Join hands only with the virtuous.
Keep your mind free from evil
thoughts.

Lie not for any consideration.
Make few special acquaintances.
Never appear what you are not.
Observe good manners.

Pay your debts promptly.
Question not the veracity of a friend.
Respect the counsel of your parents.
Sacrifice money rather than prin-
ciple.

Touch not, taste not, handle not,
intoxicating liquors.
Use your leisure for improvement.
Venture not upon the threshold of
wrong.

Watch carefully over your passions.
Extend to everyone a kindly greet-
ing.
Yield not to discouragement.
Zealously labor for right, and suc-
cess is certain.

He Deserved Pity

His suffering from Sciatica was so
great; but thanks to Nerviline he was
cured. 'I suffered for three years from
sciatica,' writes E. S. Jenkins of Port-
land, 'and no man ever suffered more.
I spent a small fortune on different
remedies but the only one with real
merit was Nerviline. I used a few
bottles of Nerviline and was perfectly
cured. I can recommend Nerviline as
a sure cure for sciatica; it's excellent
also for rheumatism and neuralgia.'
Try Nerviline, 25c. at all druggists.

The Honesty of Woman.

It has long been an axiom in cases
of men who default, forge, abscond or
embezzle large sums, 'Cherchez la
femme.' The expert takes for granted
that a woman is always behind such
exploits. Yet it would seem that
man excuses himself in these cases at
expense of woman, as Father Adam
did in the garden, for it is a conspicu-
ous fact that women when employed
in business affairs herself is strictly
honest. Women bookkeepers do not
embezzle, women as merchants pay
their debts promptly, women as treas-
ury clerks are 'well known for their
integrity. The boarding house keep-
ers, themselves generally women,
testify that their loss almost invari-
ably come from male boarders, while
those of their own sex are depended
upon for regular payments.—Harper's
Bazar.

When your Appetite Fails

And it makes you dizzy to even
think of eating, you need Ferrozone,
the greatest of appetizing tonics. It
builds up the whole body, the taste
becomes aware of new flavors in food
you never noticed before. A relish
and after—satisfaction in eating is an
other result from Ferrozone which
improves the digestion and converts
everything eaten into nourishment
for the blood, and brain and nerves.
Just one Ferrozone tablet after meals,
easy to take and pleasant. Try Fer-
rozone. Price 50c. at druggists.

Lost Fear of God.

THE ACADIAN.

WOLFVILLE, N. S., APR. 22, 1904.

Professor Saunders, of the Dominion Experimental Farm, who has travelled all through the Canadian West, estimates that there is a total of 17,000,000 acres of profitable farming land in Manitoba, Assiniboia, Saskatchewan, and Alberta combined.

The municipality of Antigonish has announced in favor of the Nova Scotia Good Roads Association's plan, West Hants had previously decided in favor of the adoption of the scheme of the Halifax county road.

What will our Municipal Council decide upon at its meeting next week? Carrie Nation has visited St. John, Fredrickton, Amherst and Halifax during the past week, and left the latter city on Monday morning direct for Chicago, where she has important engagements. She is to return to the Maritime Provinces in June, and Wolfville will probably be one of the places included in her itinerary.

An exhibition open to the Maritime Provinces will be held in Charlottetown from the 27th to the 30th September next. The government has renewed the grant for the purpose, and the Exhibition management are busy preparing the Prize List, and hope to make still further improvements on former years. The Maritime Exhibitions will form a complete circuit this year, first at Halifax, next St. John and last Charlottetown.

C. C. Blackadar, proprietor of the Acadian Recorder, who was offered a senatorship some days ago, has declined the honor. Mr. Blackadar's reasons are private and business ones. He would not find it convenient with so many interests in Halifax to be away from the city during the long sessions of parliament. Mr. Blackadar is considerably engaged in benevolent work, which with his newspaper and other business enterprises absorbs all his available time.

There are curious facts about our calendar. No century can begin with Wednesday, Friday or Monday. The same calendar can be used every 28 years, but most people now get new ones every year. October always begins on the same day of the week as January, April and July September as December, February as March, and May, June and August always begin on different days from every month in the year. The first and last days of the year are always the same. This rule does not apply to leap year.

Gilbert S. Stairs, of Halifax, has been selected by the senate of Dalhousie University, for the first Rhodes Scholarship for Nova Scotia. This decision has been reached after a most thorough examination, not only of the scholastic records in school and college of the different candidates, but of the testimonials of former teachers and of the estimates of fellow students, as compiled through a representative committee of graduates and undergraduates. The senate asked this committee to estimate three of the groups of qualifications, not two, as stated in the will. All this evidence was most carefully sifted and valued, and the decision was a unanimous one. The number of competitors was large.

Mr. Martin, who a couple of weeks ago was awarded the Rhodes scholarship from New Brunswick, is also a Nova Scotian, who for some years has been living in New Brunswick. We therefore have the distinction in this fair province of having the first two Rhodes scholarship men from Canada.

Willow Bank. The annual meeting of the trustees and lot-holders of Willow Bank Cemetery was held at the town hall on Wednesday evening. Out of the 119 persons qualified to attend the meeting only six were present, indicating a lack of interest in this important property which is difficult to explain. It certainly is not to the credit of our people that such a condition of affairs exists. The reports of the officers for the past year show the finance of the corporation to be in a very satisfactory state. All the indebtedness has been paid off, and there is a small balance in hand. The property requires a large amount of work done on it, however, and for this purpose an effort will be made to provide funds. One gentleman, we understand, has generously offered to add a tenth to the total amount raised. In the last few years some considerable improvements have been made in the grounds, but they are yet far from what we should like to see them. It is hoped that citizens generally will do all in their power to assist the management of the cemetery in the good work they are undertaking. The officers and committee were all re-elected for the ensuing year.

Kentville. Mrs. Fred Spinney, of Melvern Square, is in town. Dr. Dill, of Wolfville, occupied the pulpit of the Presbyterian church last Sunday. But for prompt action, Kentville might have had a bad fire. Monday afternoon some oil in Smith's grocery became ignited. By hard work the fire was put out.

What might have been a fatal accident occurred last week. Capt. Hibbert, of Rychar St., was nearly struck by the train at Aberdeen St. crossing. The need of some protection at these crossings has long been felt.

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The Elocution Recital.

The series of recitals given by the pupils of Acadia Seminary was brought to a close by the fine entertainment conducted by the elocution department last Friday evening, under the direction of Miss Lynds and Mrs. Maxie. College Hall was filled with a most attentive audience, and the performance throughout was thoroughly enjoyable and received generous applause. The enunciation was distinct, the manner easy and graceful and the style natural and unaffected. Following is the program as rendered:

Reading, The Village Gossip, Wiggin; Miss Flora Denton, Digby; Reading, From 'A Singular Life,' Phelps; Miss Pearl Reid, Welsford; Vocal Solo, (a) A Fair Good Morn, Nevin; (b) When the Swallows Homeward Fly; Miss Gertrude Heales, Wolfville; Reading, The Hearts of Old Hickory, Selected; Miss Treva Mitchell, Wolfville; Scene, Macbeth, Act 5, Sc. 1 Shakespeare; Lady Macbeth, Francis Burditt, Middleton.

Doctor, Florence Hickson, Newcastle; Nurse, Flora Denton, Digby; Reading, The Fox's Understudy, Andrews; Miss Emma Whidden, Antigonish; Piano Solo, Vale Impromptu, List; Miss Lavinia Lewis, Keswick Ridge; Reading, Race Against Time, Torrance; Miss Beatrice Oulton, Port Elgin; Violin Solo, Mazur, Wieniawski; Miss Lena Freeman, Wolfville; Violet drill.

Vera Benjamin, Gladys Harris, Jennie MacLeod, Louise Cunningham, Emma Whidden, Jennie Patillo, Emily Emmerson, Anna Gould, Nora Ferguson, Helen Fowler, Faulien Price, Beatrix Oulton (Prepared by Mrs. Maxie.)

The singing by Miss Heales and the violin solo by Miss Freeman, who assisted in the program, added considerably to the enjoyment of the occasion.

Canada's Criminals. The annual report of the minister of justice on the penitentiaries of Canada has just been published. It shows that on the 30th of June last there were 1250 convicts in custody, as follows:

Kingston 443, St. Vincent de Paul 335, Dorchester 237, Manitoba 140, British Columbia 95, Forty-eight of these were life prisoners. The religion of the convicts are given as follows:

Roman Catholics 635, Church of England 269, Methodists 127, Presbyterians 99, Baptists 76, Lutherans 47, Buddhists 7. Of the total number of convicts, 878 were Canadians, 121 English, 117 from the United States, 48 from Ireland, 18 from Scotland and 15 from Germany. During the year 113 were liberated on parole, while 35 were paroled. The net cost of the penitentiaries amounted to \$409,434.

The inspectors state that it is a subject of deep regret that one-eighth of the total number of convicts were mere youths who have already reached the grade of criminality that involves penitentiary treatment. The continuous contact with professional criminals obliterates any self respect or sense of shame that they may possess and in a few years they are discharged—bereft of reputation or ambition—to swell the ranks of the class who regard society as their enemy and their rightful prey.

The influence of a bad institution are not ennobling, and lads who are yet in the formative period of their habits and character should not be subjected to the contaminating influences if other treatment be possible.

On Tuesday evening the College Senior class were entertained at the commodious home of Mrs. (Dr.) DeWitt. The affair took the form of a masquerade, and the costumes were very cleverly designed and decidedly pretty. Following is a list of those present with the costumes:

Miss Huntington Japanese Girl; Durfee Queen of Hearts; Heales Sweet Sixteen; Murray Colonial Dame; Strong Little Red Riding Hood; Craig Maid of the Empire; Cogswell Colonial Belle; Marsters Janice Meredith; Archibald Greek Maiden; Dunham Colored Belle; McNeill College Girl; Eills Ace of Hearts; Johnson Crysanthemum; Hayes Jester; Freeman Puritan Maid; Belle Crandall Hindoo Woman; Mary Crandall Autumn Girl; Mrs. E. H. Crandall Chinese Woman; Mr. Charlton Tennis Player; Haines Desperado; Cunningham Clown; Bates Sir Walter Raleigh; DeWitt Admiral Nelson; Bows XVIII Century Swell; Emmerson English Lord; Hibbert Uncle Sam; Crawley English Judge; Dexter Colonial Grandee; Eston Modest Infantryman; Crandall Gordon Highlander; Durkes College Student.

Canada's Fishery Wealth.

The 26th annual report of the Deputy Minister of Marine and Fisheries, No. 22, shows that the total value of all fish caught in Nova Scotia for the year 1903 amounted to \$7,351,753, which was a decrease of \$637,795 as compared with the previous year. The falling off in Nova Scotia, while partially ascribed to herring, halibut and cod, was more especially attributed to the failure of the mackerel fishery, which yielded \$431,898 less than during the previous season.

The wealth of the fisheries is scarcely appreciated by our own people, and although there is much fluctuation in the yearly catches, all signs point to a steady increase in the business as a whole.

Nova Scotia takes the lead, British Columbia taking second place, about two million dollars behind. Of lobster alone, Nova Scotia's catch was valued for the year at \$448,895 for canned and \$1,100,000 for fresh or alive. No less than 13,563 persons were engaged in this branch of the fishing industry for 1903, and for the present year (1904) the number engaged will far exceed that of any other year.

Departmental Stores. The annual report is going the rounds of the Maritime Province newspapers against the tendency of the people to do business with the Montreal and Toronto departmental stores to the serious loss of the local merchants. The fault is easily corrected. Let the Maritime Province merchants use printer's ink freely. Merchants never grow poor making a live newspaper prosperous by advertising in its columns. They do grow poor, however, by letting the editor see how near he can come to starvation.—Free Lance.

Mayer Scarfe, of Dartmouth, Halifax, has recently come into a fortune of \$500,000 by the death of his brother George, in Australia, who left an estate valued at \$5,000,000. Under the will Mr. Scarfe receives \$500,000. He is 79 years of age, and is in good health. He intends visiting England with his daughter and may go to Australia, as it was the wish of his deceased brother that he should do so if possible.

A Mother's Recommendation. I have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for a number of years and have no hesitancy in saying that it is the best remedy for coughs, colds and croup I have ever used in my family. I have not been able to express my confidence in this remedy.—Mrs. J. A. Moore, North Star, Mich. For sale by G. V. Raul.

Death of Mrs. Haycock.

It is with great regret we record the death at her home in Wolfville, on Saturday morning, April 16th, of Mrs. Haycock, wife of Professor Ernest Haycock, of Acadia College. Mrs. Haycock had been in feeble health for some weeks but her sudden death from paralysis of the nerves was a great shock and it need scarcely be said a great grief to her friends.

Mrs. Haycock came to Wolfville about six years ago when her husband became Professor in Acadia. She was a lady of intellectual power and innate refinement, of cheerful disposition and generous feelings. The character of her personality and her high character of the social and literary circles of which she was a member and which she adorned. Actively identified with religious institutions, she was respected and beloved for her devotion and service.

The funeral service held on Monday morning at the residence of her husband was conducted by Rev. I. D. Morse. Dr. Keirstead also gave a brief address. The College quartette sang with much expression an appropriate selection. The casket was borne to the station whence the body was taken to Grandville Ferry, Mrs. Haycock's former home.

A service was held in the Baptist church there conducted by Rev. Isaiah Wallace by whom Mrs. Haycock (before her marriage Miss Priscilla Hall) was baptised. Mr. Wallace preached the funeral sermon and Dr. Keirstead gave an address. The church was filled with the friends of the deceased lady, among whom were the resident ministers, the Methodist minister, and the Church of England rector.

The sympathy of many friends through the provinces will be united with that of the people of this town for Professor Haycock and his little son, Maurice, on whom so severe an affliction has fallen.

A Crisis in Woman's Life. There comes a time in the life of all women when they are face to face with a grave crisis; when there are distressing backaches, headaches, dizziness; when even some women are threatened with the loss of their reason; when they suffer because they are women. The happiness of women for the rest of their lives, depends upon being safely tided over this crisis. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have proved a blessing to women at all ages, and are particularly valuable at two critical periods—when girlhood is merging into womanhood and when women are approaching the turn of life. These pills make the rich, red blood that stimulates all the organs of the body, expels disease and makes the weary sufferer bright, active and strong. Mrs. A. Jones, Cypress River, Man., says:—'Out of gratefulness I feel that I must let you know the good Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have done me. For years I suffered from inflammation of the womb and kindred troubles. Only those who have been similarly afflicted can tell how much I suffered, or how dreary life seemed. I tried many medicines but none of them helped me. Then I was advised to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I am grateful now for that advice, for after using about a dozen boxes every symptom of the trouble disappeared and life again seemed worth living. It is now several years since I took the pills, and as there has been no sign of the trouble since, I feel safe in saying the cure is permanent.'

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Acadia College. The annual competition for the Kerr-Boyer Tupper Medal, given for excellence in Oratory, will take place in College Hall, Friday evening, April 22nd, at 8 o'clock. The public will be admitted without charge.

Church of England Notes. During the absence of the rector, the services will be taken by Rev. Canon Brock. There will be no early celebration of the Holy Communion. The Sunday School will assemble at 10 a. m., and will be under the superintendence of Mr. Geo. A. Prat and the teachers. Any sudden or urgent calls will be attended to by Rev. Chas. De W. White of Kentville.

The adjourned parish meeting took place last Monday in the church, to hear the financial statement. It was considered the best ever presented to the congregation. A resolution was passed authorizing the wardens to arrange the rectory debt. A very handsome presentation was made to the rector towards the expenses of his vacation, to which he responded in a few words.

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Letter from Mr. Joseph Jones.

Fredrickton, N. B., April 18th, 1904. DEAR EDITOR,—I have recently learned that I am dead and buried according to Wolfeville items appearing in the St. John Sun. I wish to inform all who may be interested that I am not dead. I have been very sick, two doctors declaring I could not possibly live. Even my coffin was ordered from a neighboring city, as the local undertaker had none large enough. So I suppose I should have died, but I wished to live and I determined I would live, and I am living now—much improved in health, though very far from well.

I am now under the care of the Victoria Hospital doctors. They have diagnosed my case as a severe form of heart-disease for which there can be no complete cure. Yet they hold out to me the hope that I may have a fair degree of health and live for years, but that I can never be strong again. I am now taking their treatment consisting of medicine and the electric battery, which is applied daily. I wish to live longer, if possible, not because life has so many endearments, but I would wish to see all my boys established in life and the conditions such I may yet live in dear old Wolfville, where I know, notwithstanding my many imperfections, I have true friends.

My sickness demonstrated to me that I have many friends. I had the kindest treatment not only from the persons I lived with but from all the community, who were willing to go through the fiercest storms to procure medical aid or things I craved to eat.

Above all must I mention the noble conduct of my sons. Their expressions of regret and their desire that everything should be done for my comfort did much to cheer me. Their tender words and their substantial aid were, and shall ever be a precious memory. Both Capt. Joseph and Lawyer Clifford expressed a willingness to come and see me if I so desired. Truly no father has nobler sons than I have. They wished me to use every helpful means and to spare no expense to have restored to me as much of my past health and strength as possible. This I am doing. What the final result may be I do not know.

Respectfully yours, JOSEPH JONES.

Wolfville people are to have the pleasure of hearing one of the greatest baritone singers, H. Ruthven MacDonald, in College Hall, May 4th. He will be accompanied by Miss B. Stratton Harrison, one of Toronto's best vocalists and violinists. This will be one of the musical events of the year. Secure your seats early at Rand's.

The Watchman, Tiverton.—Mr. H. Ruthven MacDonald sustained his reputation as probably the best baritone singer in Canada. His range of voice is wonderful, mastering all the gradations of music with ease. Mr. MacDonald has a keen appreciation of humor which lends charm to his numbers. College Hall, May 4th.

The Glencoe Transcript.—We do not hesitate to say that he is, without exception, the best male vocalist who has appeared here since the days of Kennedy, and as an elocutionist he is superior to many. College Hall, May 4th.

Welland Tribune.—The second number on the programme introduced Miss Harrison, one of Toronto's rising vocalists and violinists, and her delightful renditions of choice selections won prolonged applause. College Hall, May 4.

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The introductory lecture remarks which are read by Mr. Perry enable those who are not themselves students of the Pianoforte to follow the selection as it is rendered and to appreciate the musical 'home and its interpretation.

The course tickets have been placed at the extremely low price of Sixty Cents for Reserved seats. Single tickets at Fifty Cents and Thirty-five Cents.

For Sale or to Let. That comfortable dwelling house at the corner of Front street and Central avenue, adjoining People Bank property. GEO. THOMSON, Wolfville, 19 April.

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PROPERTY FOR SALE. The property in Wolfville known as the 'Wolfville Hotel' property is offered for sale, and will be disposed of either in bloc or in lots to suit purchasers. Also a fine lot on Gaspeaux Avenue near M. in Street. This property is all set with fruit trees. For further particulars apply to J. W. WALLACE, Solicitor, Wolfville, April 8, 1904.

FARM FOR SALE. For sale in Grand Pré—the lands and buildings now in possession of Mr. John Robinson. This farm which is conveniently situated comprises thirty acres of arable land in good heart of which ten acres are in orchard. There are 600 apple trees (many just coming into bearing) besides plums, pears and peach trees—and numerous small fruits. As this property is offered to close an estate favourable terms will be given the purchaser. Possession immediate—\$1250. Dr. Andrew de W. Bars, or Rev. Howard Bars, Executors, Wolfville, March 29 04.

FOR SALE! House and lot on Gaspeaux Avenue. House contains 11 rooms and Bathroom. There is a comfortable stable on the premises, also a small orchard. For further particulars apply to E. S. CRAWLEY, Solicitor, Wolfville, N. S.

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PUBLIC NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that the Mechanics' Association of Wolfville has adopted the nine hour system, and from this date members of the Association will work the following hours, 7 to 12 a. m. and 1 to 5 p. m. The public and outside workmen will please bear this in mind, and assist the organization in this attempt at the adoption of modern methods in aid of the laborer. By order, H. A. PECK, Secty., Wolfville, Jan. 29th, 1904.

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A meeting to discuss the proposed union of the Grand Pre, Hortonville and Long Island Schools is to be held in the basement of the Methodist church, Lower Horton, to-morrow evening.

Word was received this week that Messrs David Munro and Fred Beckwith, who have been taking a dental course in Baltimore, have both completed their studies and successfully passed their final examinations. THE ACADIAN extends congratulations.
Mr. E. J. Delaney has purchased the Weston property on main street and is making a number of changes and improvements in it. He will continue to occupy the residence and will also have his store in the building, with a work-shop in the rear of the property.
The pretty home of Prof. Sears, Westwood Avenue, was the scene of a very interesting event on Tuesday afternoon, when Mrs. Sears was 'at home' to a large number of her lady friends. The affair passed off very successfully, and a very enjoyable time was had.

The Rev. Canon Brock will take the services in St. John's church on Sunday next, April 24, and on all the Sundays in May. Next Sunday morning the subject of the sermon will be, Christ's Victory over Death, even over the most malignant type, 'The Second Death.'

The meeting of the Board of Trade which was to have been held on Tuesday evening was postponed until Tuesday evening of next week. An interesting program of live subjects will be presented and it is hoped there will be a large attendance of members and citizens generally.
Mr. and Mrs. Arthur L. Buchanan, of Grand Pre, arrived home on Wednesday last week, and on Thursday evening were given the customary salute. The old cannon, which has welcomed many a bridal couple, was discharged four times. The groom treated the boys in good style. Thermometer readings at Parker's Pharmacy.

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On Friday evening of last week six of the students of Mount Allison Ladies' College debated the question: "Resolved that women should have a vote." The negative won. The speakers were as follows:
Affirmative—Miss Hockin, Amherst; Miss B. Illsley, Berwick; Miss M. Dexter, Wolfville.
Negative—Miss Bigney, Hantsport; Miss Evans, formerly of Digby, now from Bermuda; Miss M. Dennis, Halifax.

Mr. E. C. Simonson, the aggressive 'Scott Act' Inspector for Yarmouth county, made a brief business trip to Wolfville, disposing of his farm lands to Messrs R. H. Foster, proprietor of Summer Hill Farm, and Ernest Porter, Highland Avenue. After the death of Mrs. Simonson, the cottage was occupied by Eugene and Ralph, Mr. Simonson having accepted the position of Inspector at Yarmouth. Mr. Foster plans to make improvements on his newly acquired premises, with a view to increasing his accommodations for tourists at his well known and popular 'Summer Hill Resort.'

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The Choral Club Festival.
The rehearsals for the Music Festival which will be given by the Acadia Choral Club May 10th and 11th are eminently satisfactory and there is now no doubt as to the glowing success of the Festival, speaking from the artistic standpoint. If the concert is patronized as they merit, the financial success will be overwhelming.
The next rehearsal will be held in College Hall next Monday night at 7:30 sharp; this rehearsal will be of the chorus and orchestra. No spectators whatever will be allowed.
The following is a brief sketch of Mr. Hogan's musical career. He has been engaged for the Festival.
Mr. Hogan's musical career began at the early age of five years when it was discovered that he had a phenomenally sweet, high voice for one so extremely young. He sang at numerous small affairs in his home town (Rockland, Mass.) but it was not until after his eighth birthday that he came to Boston with his parents and sang to S. B. Whitney, Organist of the Church of the Advent, who at once became much interested in the boy and his voice and immediately recommended him for the solo position at the Church of the Good Shepherd (Episcopal) in Boston.
Master Hogan had probably the most remarkable range ever possessed by an American boy soprano, singing from Alto E to G above high C, a range of over three octaves.
His musical career from this point was a steady advance, he filling the solo positions in the most important boy choirs and at the same time continuing his studies in Voice, Piano, etc.
At the age of fifteen his voice changed and he accepted a modest solo position at the Harvard St. Church, Boston. Since that time he has steadily gained in ability and reputation and now holds the important position of Bass soloist at the Old South Church, Worcester, Mass. He has a voice of great range, remarkable sweetness and purity of tone, which wins for him everywhere most enthusiastic applause.

The approaching season will be the busiest in the history of the Cape Breton coal trade, and the close of the present year will beyond doubt mark the greatest output in the history of this vastly important industry. Every colliery has made contracts for the delivery of more coal this summer than ever before.

The General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church prescribes each year certain sections of the scriptures to be memorized by pupils of the Sabbath-schools who may be disposed to do so, for the recitation of which at one sitting a diploma is given. For the year 1903 Misses Ethel Tweedell and Ella Parker, of the Wolfville Presbyterian Sabbath-School, did the work and received the diploma. The number of verses average about two hundred each year.

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Miss Isabella Tweedell is visiting friends in Windsor.
THE ACADIAN regrets to learn that Sheriff Belcher is seriously ill.
W. L. BARR, Esq. barrister, of Halifax, was in town over Sunday.
Mrs. T. L. Harvey is visiting her sister, Mrs. Sherwood, in New York.
Mr. Harry Fitch and family, of New Minas, left on Wednesday for California, to reside.
Miss Jackson, of the Seminary, spent Sunday in Kentville.
Mrs. (Conductor) W. Clarke, who has been spending the winter in Halifax, has returned to Kentville.
Mr. Harold Tufts has gone to London, Ont. to join the staff of the Merchant's Bank of Commerce.
Mr. A. L. Davison, barrister, of Middleton, spent Sunday at the home of his mother, this town.
Miss Sadie MacKeen returned to Wolfville on Friday last, after a visit of six weeks in Middleton and Lunenburg.
Miss Annie Hildbert, of Belcher Street, who has been spending the winter in Massachusetts, returned home last week.
Rev. R. F. Dixon and Mrs. Dixon left on Wednesday for a visit to their daughter, Mrs. J. N. Corwin, Point d'Arche, N. B. They will be absent for five or six weeks. Miss Dixon accompanied them.
We understand that Mr. Harry Bastin, who has been principal of the Canim school for the past three years, has accepted the principalship of the St. John's school for the coming year. Mr. Bastin is a graduate of Acadia, and has many friends here who will be glad to learn of his advancement.
Rev. Dr. Trotter returned to Wolfville on Wednesday evening. He has recently visited Boston where a re-union of Acadia graduates and friends was held at which Dr. Trotter and others spoke of the University and its prospects. Dr. Trotter also visited Newton Theological Institution, of whose committee of visitation he is a member. He is in good health.
It is reported that Mr. Harry A. Woodworth, son of Mr. Elihu W. Woodworth, formerly editor of the Western Chronicle, has been appointed advertising manager for the T. Eaton Co. of Toronto. Mr. Woodworth has had considerable experience in newspaper work in Nova Scotia, and has recently been editor of a New York journal devoted to high-class advertising. The position he now assumes is a very responsible one, as the Eaton Co. are perhaps the largest advertisers in Canada. The salary, we understand, is quite in keeping with the duties of the office.
Mr. R. P. Simonson formerly engaged with Mr. L. J. Thomas, of Toronto, as Maritime Provinces agent for Kilburn's Views, has continued with the well known firm of Underwood and Underwood, Toronto. Mr. Simonson was offered special inducements by this enterprising firm in view of his success as travelling representative last year.
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BIRTHS.
KILCUP—At Kentville, April 17th, to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kilcup, a son.

MARRIAGES.
SWINE—FORTUNE.—At the Methodist parsonage, Grand Pre, April 18, by Rev. F. Friggins, Burpee Seymour Sweet, of Avonport, and Mary Elizabeth Fortune, of Boston, Mass.

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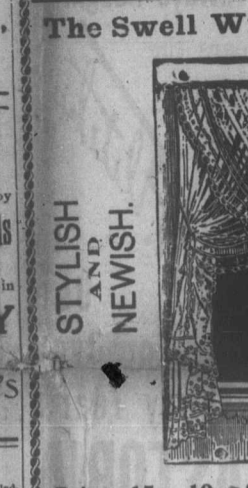
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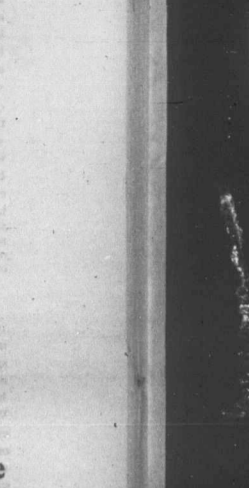
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