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POETRY.

Listed.

Whoever you are as you read this,
Whatever your troubles or grief,
I want you to know and to heed this:
The day draweth near with relief.

No sorrow, no woe is unending,
Though heaven seems voiceless and dumb,
So sure is your cry ascending,
So surely an answer will come.

Whatever temptation is near you,
Whose eyes on this simple verse fall;
Remember good angels will hear you,
And help you to stand if you call.

Though stunned with despair I beseech you,
Whate'er your losses, your need,
Relieve when these printed words reach you,
Believe you were born to succeed.

You are stronger, I tell you this minute,
Than any unfortunate fate;
And the coveted prize—you can win it;
While life lasts 'tis never too late!

—Ella Wheeler Wilcox.

His Coming.

They tell me a solemn story,
But it is not sad to me,
For in its sweet unfolding
My Saviour's love I see.

They say that at any moment
The Lord of life may come,
To lift me from the cloudland
Into the light of home.

They say I may have no warning,
I may not even hear
The rattle of His garments,
As He softly draweth near.

Suddenly, in a moment,
Upon my ear may fall
The summons loved of our Master,
"Answer the Master's call."

Perhaps He will come in the noontide
Of some bright, sunny day,
When, with dear ones all around me,
My life seems bright and gay.

Pleasant may be the pathway,
Easy the shining road,
Up from the dinner sunlight
Into the light of God.

Perhaps he will come in the stillness
Of the night, and the quiet night,
When the earth is calmly sleeping,
'Neath the moonbeams' silvery light.

When the stars are softly shining
O'er the slumbering land and sea,
Perhaps in holy stillness
The Master will come for me.

SELECT STORY

The Hero of Beaver Head.

BY ALVA MILTON KERR.

CHAPTER II.—Continued.

Suddenly the boy started up. "I'm goin' now, mother," he said. "I'm goin' after father!" and before the woman could comprehend he snatched the rope and ran up in the spray and swallowed from her sight. The act appalled her, and she sprang screaming after him, but she slipped on the wet rocks and the plunging surges beat her back. To her mother's grief he was much as if he had passed into a billowing fire. The moments seemed interminable; would he never come back from that battering, pounding gulf of foam and noise?

A half hour of terror went by; then suddenly he burst out of the writhing spray above her, with a cry such as if he had opened eyes in Heaven. Behind him came his father, drooping and staggering forward, and husband and wife fell into each other's arms and stood swaying and sobbing on the sand, while Paul crept away, sick and broken and crying to himself.

Ah! he had been through great peril; he had done a noble deed; he had brought back his self respect; but had not the old hovering darkness come along with it?

When Trave Armor following his wife, bent his tall, shambling form and went weakly in through the low doorway of his humble home, a bright fire of blue knots was flaming and popping in the fireplace, and a pot of coffee, sitting in the hot ashes at one corner of the fire, was breathing sweet fragrance from its mouth. A wave of inexpressible thankfulness swept through him at the sight. The children clustered about him with exclamations of wonder, and the mother, placing the little stranger in a chair before the pleasant flames, went into the other room. The giant-like father, rubbing his hands before the grateful blaze, looked at the children with a beaming face.

"Wal, my hearties," he said, "ye see I've brought ye a little vister."

The child, as if somewhat frightened by the circle of roguish faces, put out her hands appealingly, and the big man drew her into his lap and crooned over her like a woman.

"Don't ye be afraid," he said, "if y'r pap or mammy never come ye'll be always safe with us. We had a little gal once, almost y' size an' 'heft, an'—ye see, she looked almost like ye. We called her Breeze, an' I guess we'll call ye Gale, for y'r about like her."

The child looked trustfully up into his sympathetic face, but it was plain she did not understand him.

"I reckon ye can't make me out, little bird, from the way ye look," he said; "but ye can't be afraid, ye needn't be afraid."

The children were pressing about them, and the father drew Lannie up on his other knee. The pudgy little fellow looked at the pale-faced child a moment, then touching her thin hand, he looked up into the man's face and hisped: "She Lannie's sister! Lannie's new sister!" and the other children jumped up and down with glee.

The mother heard it as she entered, and when she came forward with the tiny dress and shoes that once had clad their little Breeze, her heart was full. Taking the willing child to her breast she passed into the other room again to clothe her in dry garments, and the big, ragged, steaming man leaned forward and poked the fire, and the children wondered, for his eyes were wet. Presently the woman came back, and with a quick step, set about getting breakfast. Armor remained leaning forward, steaming and gazing dully into the bed of burning knots. Presently his head sank down as if it were dead; he had fallen asleep from utter exhaustion. The woman touched his shoulder.

"Drink this cup of coffee, Trave," she said soothingly. "I'll strengthen you till I get some breakfast on the table."

But he could hardly drink it, his hands shook so, and he looked up pitifully in her face. "Laney, I'm almost pegged!" he said.

"Yes, oh, Trave, can't ye stop now? Can't ye just thinkin' of the child, and her thin frame, look from head to foot."

The man swayed forward over his knees and groaned: "Lucy, I will if I kin!" But suddenly he threw himself back with a look of torture in his face. "I need it now! I'm a-burnin' up, Laney!" he cried. "Ain't there any in the house? Just a spoonful!"

A look of despair spread over the woman's face. "Trave, there ain't any," she said. "You must go to bed now, and sleep until y'r better, and she led him into the other room as if he was a trembling child.

When she came out again she asked for Paul, but none of the children had seen him, and she went anxiously to the door and looked out. The boy was limping slowly up the path with his father's rusted rifle on his shoulder. He had found it at the bottom of the water-logged boat.

"Breakfast is 'most ready, Paul," said the mother, and her voice was an infinitely tender caress. She did not praise him, but he saw an approval in her eyes too great for words.

"I'm not much hungry, mother," he said. "I'll get the tubs filled, so we can go to work when y'r ready."

When the poor meal was prepared he came in and ate a few bites in silence. The food choked him when he looked at his mother's care-worn face. Suddenly as they sat at the table the father cried out wildly in the other room, and the wife ran in and they heard her struggling with him. The children grew still and the little waif looked frightened and perplexed.

"It was right up there on the ceiling!" cried the man; "right up there an' it had green eyes and a red-forked tongue! It was an awful snake, Laney, and it jumped down onto me an' got round my neck an' was chokin' me! Oh, it was chokin' me!"

Paul got up and, lifting the little girl in his arms, looked at the children meaningly, and they followed him out. He placed his delicate burden on a bench in a canopy place down by the wall, and, asking Carl to watch them while they played, he went back to help his mother. She came into the room as he entered. It struck him to the heart she looked so worn and pitiful.

"He's sleeping again," she whispered. "Don't ye go in where he is, Paul, unless I call you; perhaps the spell won't come on him again."

The boy turned aside and set down

before the fire, and began drying his wet and clinging clothes. The woman went slowly about her work, and sounds from the children playing in the sunshine came floating in.

The two did not talk; some question touching the little stranger, who she could be, and through what mysterious peril she had come to them, may have ebbed through their thoughts, but they had no heart to speak of it. The children might gambol on the grass, with the deep indigo sky above and the fragrant rain-washed air coming through the pines and filling them with zest, but to these elder two the very atmosphere seemed thick and stagnant with the curse that lay upon the family.

After a time the woman finished washing the poor, cracked dishes and went out, and the boy roused himself and stirred wearily about. He felt stiff and heavy, much as if he were partly numb in body while his mind was painfully wide-awake. He found his mother putting the tubs in position under the shed, getting them ready at once for work.

"Mother, ye ain't fit to," pleaded the boy. "Ye ain't fit to work; ye didn't sleep none last night, I know ye didn't. See, y'r all of a tremble now, mother; can't we wait till to-morrow?"

"We have nothing to eat in the house, Paul," she said. "We must get these mill-clothes done an' get something to feed the children. Your father may have to have some medicine, too, and her lips trembled.

The boy could have cried out against the whole world in his bitterness, but he shut his teeth hard, and, putting the water-yoke across his shoulders, went down to the spring.

He felt bruised and sore from his hard work on the face of the cliff, and came back slowly. His mother was not at the tubs, but he heard her soothing the poor man in the hut, the sounds being mingled with pitiful cries. He sprang to the door and waited. But she did not come. He waited some time she came out. She was breathing hard and went unsteadily and sat down on the bench by the tubs.

"I guess he won't be had like he is sometimes," she parted, "because he goes off to sleep so quick. It's not much worse than bad dreams, I think."

"Why can't ye let me go in an' help ye, mother?"

"He might hurt you, Paul. You know what he did to you once. I never could bear to see you near him since when he's had. He won't hurt me, no matter how wild he may be. He's kind you know, Paul, only when the drink takes away his mind. You mustn't feel ill towards him, dear, for he's doing himself more harm than anyone else."

"Yes, mother," said the boy; "I'll try not to feel hard towards him," and his lips trembled with feeling.

As the day advanced the fathes ceased to leap up from the awful shapes that peopled his sleep, and sinking deeper and deeper in slumber lay as if he might never wake. The child slept a long time on a blanket near the fire, and when she awoke she began to play a little with the children. But she seemed frail, and ever and anon her blue eyes would fill with tears. She was lost from those who loved her, but no golden-haired fairy could ever have been more worshipped by four little ragged lads than was she. Paul and his mother saw it all as they worked on at the washing, and doubtless many little thrills of tenderness touched their hearts as they watched the pretty sight.

But what of the child? This dainty stranger blown in upon their shame and poverty from Heaven only knew what quarter of the world. What had she to do with their destiny? Perhaps when he who was sleeping in the hut should wake, he could tell them something of this new but welcome burden he had added to their cares.

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Teaching Horses to Stand.

An old horseman gives the following as his method of training horses to stand without being tied: After young horses have once become bridled, I first endeavor to teach them the meaning of every word I say to them. This is not a difficult matter, provided too many words are not used at once. The first step is to adopt some word at the sound of which they are to understand

they must stop. Words which are easy to speak and which can be made emphatic should be chosen, such as "ho," "whoa," etc., and every time the word is used the horse to which it is spoken should be made to obey it fully. Carelessness in regard to this matter will do more to undo what has been taught than anything else. When a horse fully understands the meaning of the word which you use when you wish him to stop and stand still, the greater part of the work is accomplished. He then can be trusted with safety while you leave him a short time. To take no risk, and to make the work more effective, it is a good plan for two to get into the vehicle to which a horse is hitched, and having stopped after a short drive, one should get out and leave him at a short distance. Should the horse then start, the one in the vehicle can then draw the lines suddenly, and thus prevent his getting away. There will be no trouble in teaching any horse with any ordinary amount of good common sense to stand as long as you desire without being hitched, if a little judgment is used in attempting it.

A Restful Sabbath.

The Washington Post in a recent article alluded to sneer at the "old-fashioned" observance of the Sabbath in Canada to which the Ottawa Journal thus replies:

The vast majority of Canadians believe six days toll in seven enough for human nature and think that one day's complete rest in seven from labor a good thing. The Sunday trading, Sunday whisky saloon attractions, Sunday concert halls, Sunday park amusements, Sunday games, Sunday newspapers, Sunday merry-go-rounds, Sunday streets at places of public resort, Sunday street business of various kinds from fruit peddling to car running, with all their turmoil, money making, and employment of men, women and children who should be resting, may suit our friends across the line of the Peace, but they do not suit the climate of Canada or the aspirations and genius of her people. Canadians find a restful Sabbath good for them. A lazy float on the murmuring waters, a healthful walk or drive into the surrounding country and for the great majority a refreshing change from the sordid cares and trials of life to the duties of religion, make up a Sunday that whilst it differs materially from the go-ahead, dollar earning howling Sabbath of our progressive neighbors, is good for the head, the heart, the mind, body and estate of all who practice it. Thank's awfully; none of your progressive backward Sabbaths for us.

The Supply of Whalebone.

About 200,000 pounds of whalebone were secured from the Atlantic catch of whales during 1890 and less than that amount was secured from the Pacific waters. Fine whalebone is worth its weight in silver, and only the wealthy woman can afford to use it. The ordinary principles of production and trade are overturned as regards whalebone. Modern appliances and improvements appear to have decreased rather than have enlarged the amount of the product. The price of whalebone fluctuates worse than the stock market, owing to the fact that it is impossible to calculate upon the amount of a season's catch until the bone has actually been extracted.

There are only seven manufacturers in this country, according to the latest report—five in New York and two in Boston. They pay \$10,000 for a ton of raw material, and split it up and prepare it for market. Quantities are used in the silk mills where ribbon is manufactured. It is used there for the edge of the ribbon in weaving. Some of the best hat manufacturers use it in the sweat bands of their silk hats. All though the corsets and dress stays of women still take up practically about the whole supply of whalebone, yet fully 90 per cent of the corsets manufactured here are braaced up with something else.

Drinking a Tear.

"Boys, I won't drink unless you take what I do," said old Josh Spillit, in reply to an invitation. He was a toper of long standing and abundant capacity, and they looked at him with astonishment.

"The idea," one of them replied, "that you should prescribe conditions makes us laugh. Perhaps you want to force one of your abominable mixtures down us. You are the chief of mixed drinkers, and I won't agree to your conditions."

"He wants us to run in castor oil and brandy," said the Judge, who would have taken the oil to get the brandy.

"No, I'm square. Take my drink and I'm with you."

The boys agreed and all stood along the bar. They turned to Spillit, and all looked at him with interest.

"Mr Bartender," said he, "give me a glass of water."

"Water! Water?"

"Yes, water. It's a new drink to me, I admit, and it's a scarce article I expect."

"Some days ago a party of us went fishing. We took a fine lot of whiskey along, and had a heap of fun. Long toward evening I got powerful drunk, and crawled off under a tree and went to sleep. The boys drank up all the whiskey and went back to town. They thought it was a good joke because they had left me out there drunk, and told it around town with nighty bluster. My son got hold of the report and told it at home. Well, I lay under the tree all night, and when I woke in the morning my wife sat right beside me. She said nothing when I woke up but turned her head away, and I could see she was choking."

"I wish I had something to drink, said I. Then she took up a cup that she had brought with her, and went to where a spring came up, and dipped up a cupful and handed it to me. Just as she did so she leaned over to hide her eyes. I saw a tear drop into the water. I took the cup and raising my hands I vowed that I would never drink my wife's tears again as I had been doing for the last twenty years and I was going to stop. You boys know who it was that left me. You were all in the gang. Give me another glass of water, Mr Bartender."

When The Hair

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A Rich Brown

or even black. It will not soil the pillowcase nor a pocket-handkerchief, and is always agreeable. All the dirty, gummy hair preparations should be displaced at once by Ayer's Hair Vigor, and thousands who go around with heads looking like the fretful porcupine should hurry to the nearest drug store and purchase a bottle of the Vigor."

The Sunny South, Atlanta, Ga.

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WOLFVILLE, N. S., SEP. 18, 1891.

"Earncliffe Gardens."

Having been invited by the proprietor of the above named property, W. C. Archibald, Esq., to pay a visit to his premises we gladly accepted, and last Saturday afternoon found us on the way. On arrival we found Mr. Archibald busily engaged in making improvements—plowing down and leveling up, and getting ready to further extend his orchards and nursery. This property occupies a commanding position in the western part of the town, and was purchased by its present owner about twelve years ago. It was then a block of unimproved land—used only for pasture. To-day it is a picture to look upon. The grounds are tastefully laid out and filled with fruit and ornamental trees. Everything gives the impression of thoroughness and close attention to details, combined with a practical knowledge of the work undertaken. Mr. Archibald might be called the pioneer in plum-culture in this Province, as he has embarked in it on a larger scale than perhaps any other man. Several years ago he conceived the idea that this branch of fruit-culture, which was then almost entirely neglected, might be made a most profitable one, and decided to undertake it. After a great deal of enquiry and investigation he fixed upon the "Moor's Arctic" as the leading and most profitable variety, and has now about 3,000 of these trees, well filled with rich fruit. He has set them in such a manner as to occupy the ground to the best advantage, and they present a truly pretty sight. The trees are healthy looking and thrifty, and clear from disease or deformity. They have as far more than paid for all expenses of culture, and they are now only three and four years old. This is one great advantage that the plum has over the apple; one does not have to wait many years for results. Another advantage might be gathered from the fact that, while the storm of last Monday week proved so disastrous to the apple crop, Mr. Archibald did not have a peck of plums blown off. Mr. Archibald is well pleased with his venture so far, and is so confident of the great strides that will be made in the industry in the years to come that he has decided to go largely into the nursery business. He has now about 1,000 trees from one to three years old, just ready to go out. This stock will be added to, and grown at home and see what they buy. For some time back it has been acknowledged by fruit-growers generally that home-grown trees give by far the best results. Mr. Archibald has also a number of apple trees; about 200 peach trees; a number of grape-vines, &c., all of which bring him in a good return; but he has the greatest faith in plums and has decided to give his attention to this branch of fruit-culture. We are glad to see this industry so favorably started in this valley, and predict for those who are now undertaking it abundant success. It has only been during the past few years that much attention has been given to it, and already there are several small plum orchards that are making money for their owners each year. The soil and climate of the Annapolis Valley appear to be especially adapted to these branches of fruit-growing and it is surprising that, while our people have made such advancement in apple-culture, so little attention has been given to plums. However the prospect now looks bright and we shall not be surprised if in a few years our plum crop brings us nearly as much profit as our apples now do. Mr. Archibald invited us into his comfortable residence and showed us the stately of the late Sir John A. MacDonald, and Sir Charles Tupper, for which a gold medal was awarded to him at the Jamaica exhibition. They are excellent pieces of art, and will be prized by Canadians. Mr. Archibald also showed us a great number of geological and botanical specimens which he gathered during his visit to the island, and which he justly prizes very highly. Mr. Archibald is a wide-awake and practical man and has a firm faith in our Dominion, and is a man who has the way appears to be a most efficient man for the position. Every room in the house was visited and all were scrupulously neat. The beds were tidy and floors perfectly clean, although several of the inmates require the utmost vigilance to keep them within the bounds of decency. At present there are twenty six inmates, and four others have just gone out. Of the twenty-six at present in the poor-house, eleven are females and fifteen males. Nineteen are adults and seven are children. Although there are among the number three of unusual mind and several others of weak intellect, yet there seems to be no difficulty in caring for them all in such a manner as to reflect much credit upon the management as at present observed.

The Annual School Meeting.

The School Act requires an annual school meeting to be held in each section on the last Monday of September of each year, which comes this year on the 28th inst. This meeting must be called by notices posted in three public places within the section, five days previously, and signed by the trustees, or where none exist, by the Inspector.

To have a successful meeting and observe the best interests of the section, the trustees must prepare beforehand to place before the meeting all the information in their possession relative to the past year's operations and the incoming year's needs. The trustees in their report should be prepared to state definitely what progress, if any, has been made during the year, who the teachers have been and how they have discharged their duties in the schools entrusted to them, whether the moneys under control of the Board have been sufficient to enable them to thoroughly equip the schools for the most efficient work and whether the attendance of pupils has been regular and the people generally have manifested a good degree of interest in their schools.

The report should also give a detailed statement of the section's financial operations for the past year, prepared and submitted to the auditors three days previous to the meeting, so that they may report upon it at the meeting. And for the next year, estimates should be submitted, with reasons for the sums named, to meet the requirements of the section, that progress may continue to be made.

If the trustees are in the confidence of the section—and they should be—their report, and it is to be hoped that they may so present the requirements of the sections that they represent that liberal provision may be made for good schools throughout the Province.

It should not be forgotten that many school houses need more or less repairs before winter to make them comfortable, and many sections can afford to expend some money in beautifying and making their houses a little more attractive.

The supply of books, maps, and apparatus should also be provided for. Without these a good school cannot be expected.

The following will be found a convenient outline of the most important business to be transacted by the Annual School Meeting:

- 1.—To elect a chairman.
2.—To elect a new trustee or trustees.
3.—To receive and pass upon the report of the Auditors of Accounts.
4.—To receive the report of the Board of Trustees.
5.—To determine the amount to be raised by the section during the ensuing year for school purposes.
6.—To transact other necessary business.
7.—To read the minutes and adopt.
8.—Adjourn.
(a)—It should be borne in mind that the chairman may be a rate-payer or otherwise.
(b)—In voting to raise money, only rate-payers are allowed to vote.
(c)—The minutes should be adopted so that a certified copy may be sent to the Inspector of schools within one week of the holding of the meeting as the law directs.

To this it may be added that it is the duty of trustees to meet as soon as practicable after the annual meeting and appoint one of themselves or some other person to be secretary to the Board, and fix the regular meetings during the year. Each member should be notified of any special meeting. A majority of the Board of Trustees is competent to transact business only when all the members have received notice of the meeting.

Our Poor.

It is always a source of satisfaction to the rate-payer to know that the taxes paid by him are judiciously expended, and the services to which they are to be applied properly conducted. It is often difficult to ascertain what proportion our taxes are legitimately expended and what portion of them is wasted. It is true that an attempt is made through the country auditors to place such information before the public, but it is generally done in such a manner as to be unintelligible to the general reader. Our road service is altogether unsatisfactory and the large majority of the people believe that one half the money expended in a proper manner would be more satisfactory than the whole is under the present system. On the contrary our poor affairs seem to be conducted at present in a very satisfactory manner. Our poor are well cared for and the expenses moderate. An ACADIAN reporter called at the Horton poor-house a few days ago and was shown over the house and premises by the keeper, Mr. Fred Eye, who by the way appears to be a most efficient man for the position. Every room in the house was visited and all were scrupulously neat. The beds were tidy and floors perfectly clean, although several of the inmates require the utmost vigilance to keep them within the bounds of decency. At present there are twenty six inmates, and four others have just gone out. Of the twenty-six at present in the poor-house, eleven are females and fifteen males. Nineteen are adults and seven are children. Although there are among the number three of unusual mind and several others of weak intellect, yet there seems to be no difficulty in caring for them all in such a manner as to reflect much credit upon the management as at present observed.

Wolfville Streets.

SHOULD NOT BE THE HOME OF DISORDER. With the social and intellectual and moral progress of the Province, and especially the religious standing, for which it is credited, Wolfville, in fact as well as in name, should be to a high degree, free from vicious influences. This, at the very least, should hold true as regards the most offensive aspect of evil, such as is manifested in street disorder.

Towns without high moral and social standing, some, indeed, so far from that as to be called Devil's Half Acres, have, however, streets along which their people may pass in day time and at night without fear of insult and without their ears being deafened with howlings and oaths worse, if possible, than the hideous cries, with which "Christian" was greeted while passing through the darkness of the "Valley of the Shadow of Death."

Wolfville's streets are far from being free from the most flagrant acts of disorder. At almost any hour of the night one may hear loud sounds of "confusion worse confounded." It has been repeatedly hinted, in fact it has been repeatedly said that even the Main Street of Wolfville is at night time the trafficking place of most vicious vice.

People of Wolfville, will you, as a Christian People, allow this state of things to continue and your character to be judged, as to some extent, it must be judged, by the character of your streets? Fathers and Mothers do you love your children? Do you realize that, at your very door, evening after evening, are reported death traps ready to be sprung by the emissaries of the Devil upon your own children?

Then awake!

Wolfville needs a Policeman or Policemen. Whether or not incorporation is needed in order to have a regular Police Force, I know not; but if you cannot get a Policeman without incorporation, why, then, get incorporated. The reputation of your beautiful village, your reputation and the safety of your young people are worth all your efforts and all your wealth. Incorporated or not there must be some way of keeping "Bedlam" from letting loose its furies into your midst.

Then not only preach peace but "FURNISH IT."

A FRIEND AND CO-DWELLER. Wolfville, Sept. 12th, 1891.

P. E. Island.

At a distance the Island seems like a sand bank, stretching along the horizon. The land behind you rises above the sea, this before you seems bathed in its waters. The central part is hilly. There are hills also in the neighborhood of Charlotte town. I was informed that the engineers who laid out the road for the railway found the highest land in the neighborhood of Cardigan, 40 miles east of Charlottetown, where it was 200 feet above the sea. I should suppose that the land is higher still. Then it is all hill excepting the inevitable valley between. Their bases, however, are but little above the sea level. East and West of the Central belt the surface is generally unulating. You may find some bog, and some clayey barren soil, but the Island on the whole is unlike any other of the Provinces in its continuous fertility. Farm lies by farm for miles and miles without a break, East and West, North and South. This has not usually, been described as the "garden province" of the Dominion.

The land lies somewhat in the shape of the moon in her first quarter, the concave side being towards the North. Following the land it is about 185 miles in extent. The main railway line is 177 miles in length, it has a 24 mile branch in Georgetown, and an eleven mile branch to Cape Travers.

A journey by rail of 100 miles, and travel on a number of the bye ways of the Province, impressed me, as I have often been before, with the revelation of its immense productivity. The crops of this year are exceptionally good. The last year was a bad one for the people, and this year will make up in a measure for that. The better class of farmers sow about 40 acres in grain—8 or 10 of these being probably wheat. I was told of one man in Freetown, who has this year a one hundred acre field in oats. Ships were formerly built on the Island, and sent to England for freight. They carried large quantities of oats. But many who had that article for sale, were like a good many of our apple growers, not very particular as to the quality of their goods. Human nature is the same everywhere. It is said that fish and oats are below par in the English market. At any rate they have not at present, their former opportunities for selling them in foreign ports.

No one can blame the Islanders for wanting better communication with the main land. The powers at Ottawa can not repeal the laws of nature, and prevent the ice blockade. The Stanley has done better work than any previous vessel, but it does not meet the requirements of the people. They have however conceived the idea that if they cannot have the right of way upon land or sea they may get beneath these conflicting agencies, and with a shout of victory come to the surface beyond. Hence the project of a Tunnel to extend from Cape Travers to Cape Tormentine. For what use were these points of land placed in their position? Are they not trying to grasp each other's hands? Are they not destined to draw together? "Lands divided by a narrow stream?" Is there not more than a poetic sentiment to account for their peculiar location? Were they not so placed by Him who framed the world for this very purpose to give man an opportunity to try his audacious skill in the

effort to connect the "right little Island," with the neighboring main, and with the great Continent beyond? Without pretending to answer such questions we can say from the heart Success to the Tunnel. M. P. F.

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Mail Contract.

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Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed Contract may be seen at the Post Offices of Harbourville and Berwick and at this office. CHAS. J. MACDONALD, Post Office Inspector. Post Office Inspector's Office, Halifax, N. S., 11th Sep., 1891. 4-3

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Local and Provincial.

Cattle were turned into the after-feed on the Wickwire Dike on Monday. The feed is said to be good.

Hon. W. S. Fielding provincial secretary, arrived home from his trip to the mother-country Friday evening.

Mr. J. W. Vaughan has removed his bakery to his new building, where he has a much better opportunity to carry on the business.

The contract for erecting the new Temperance Hall building has been awarded to Mr. D. A. Munro, of this town. Work will begin in a short time.

Rev. T. A. Higgins returned this week from his summer vacation.—Professor Keirstead also returned this week. He has been spending part of his vacation in New Brunswick.

The stereopticon entertainment in College Hall on Wednesday evening was of an excellent character. There was a goodly number present, a large proportion of whom were children.

Mr. D. Graham Whidden, formerly of Antigonish, now of Oriskany, California, visited Wolfville this week, while in the Province on business. Mrs. Whidden is a daughter of J. W. Bigelow, Esq.

Messrs Pratt & Collins have recently put up a new sign which is a very neat and attractive one. They have also just got out a new delivery wagon which is neatly lettered and presents a showy appearance.

Mr. J. W. Harris of the American House has brought to us a number of bean-pods, some of which measure 1 1/2 inches in length. They are of the "Asparagus" variety and will be found hard to beat. Mr. Harris says they are of excellent quality.

Mr. John Grieson, of Halifax, agent of the Provincial Sabbath-school Association, spent Sunday in Wolfville. He addressed the different Sabbath-schools of the place, and filled the Presbyterian pulpit in the afternoon and the Methodist in the evening. His discourses were much enjoyed by those who heard him.

Rev. J. B. Logan is expected to preach in the Presbyterian church next Sunday afternoon. Several years ago Mr. Logan preached regularly here, but has since been living in Scotland, his native land. His many old friends in this vicinity, who enjoyed his preaching in former years, will welcome with pleasure the opportunity of again meeting him and hearing one of his sermons.

Mr. Ormond O. Lyons, of Waterville, was recently killed by a train in Chicago. The body was sent home for burial. The deceased was a son of the late Robert Lyons, Esq., and was well known throughout the county, having taught in several of the leading schools. He graduated a few years ago at Acadia College, and had been teaching in the west. During his residence in Wolfville Mr. Lyons won many friends, who will bear with deep regret of his untimely demise.

An Interesting Archaeological Discovery.

Nearly everyone has placed the site of the old Acadian village of Grand Pre and Basil's blacksmith shop, nearly opposite to Long Island. Little did the Acadians think that they would be held up as the model of peaceful industry and quiet life to the whole world, and that their works would stand permanent to the end of time. About two miles west of modern Grand Pre Mr. W. C. Archibald, while cutting away a dry sandy knoll, came suddenly, evidently, upon the remains of what was supposed to be an old blacksmith shop. The land is alluvial and there was at least 4 feet of soil over it which must have taken many years for it to be deposited there. The hill is of sand but the floor is of clay beaten so hard that Mr. Archibald had to loosen it with the plow before the scoop would fill. There were also two cartloads of foundation stones, slate and granite, some of which were very heavy, weighing about 150 lbs. Mr. Archibald has also in his possession several pieces of charcoal, which were found on the site.

Some 12 years ago, while excavating about two rods from this place, Mr. A. came upon the foundation of a house, near which was a heap of slag, such as will be found near a forge. From this it seems that a blacksmith lived here and that this was the central part of the village west of Grand Pre.

Wedding Bells.

DUNCANSON—BISHOP

On Wednesday morning last at 10 o'clock the marriage of Mr. Lewis E. Duncanson and Miss Hattie E., daughter of Mr. E. D. Bishop, was solemnized in the Baptist church of this town. The church looked very pretty, having been tastefully decorated for the occasion by the friends of the bride. The platform was prettily ornamented with potted and cut flowers. Over the centre aisle was a pretty arch, draped in white and trimmed with ivy and wax berries. A large number of the friends of the contracting parties filled the church and Mr. H. N. Shaw officiated at the organ. The ceremony was performed by Dr. Higgins. The bride, looking very pretty, dressed in a handsome costume of gray, was given away by her father. After the ceremony and congratulations the bridal party repaired to the home of the bride's parents where a lunch was partaken of. Amid a shower of rice, the happy couple embarked on the fast express for Yarmouth, en route for a short tour. They have the best wishes of a host of friends for a long life of happiness and prosperity. The ACADIAN joins in congratulations. The presents were numerous and valuable.

Echoes of the Storm.

The Reagh Bridge, between Woodlawn and Victoria, was carried away and a grist mill owned by Alfred McBride, situated a short distance from the above bridge, was undermined and so completely demolished that not even the mill-stones have been found. In their course the wreck of the mill, uprooted trees and debris, gathered up by the swollen torrent, came against the dam of William Brown's saw-mill and swept it away and then made a breach into the dwelling house of Henry Morris, at Victoria Harbor. The frightened family sprang from their beds into two or three feet of water and with much difficulty escaped alive. Their clothing, provisions, furniture, &c., in the course of the water, were carried out to sea and the house completely gutted.

The schooner *Josephine* was saved because the tide had not risen sufficiently to float her with the 90 cords of wood on board. Two or three boats were smashed, and one fish house carried out to sea. Near here the big Meekins bridge has had two bents torn down and is now impassable. Also the Donnellan bridge, near Ogilvie Wharf, on the shore, has been swept away. All these bridges and the damage referred to are within a radius of 8 miles.

At Woodville the Clark and the Killam bridges were also destroyed.

Death's Doings.

The rather sudden death of the wife of Rev. Cranwick Jost on Sunday morning last has created the deepest sympathy for the afflicted family. The deceased was an earnest worker and valued help to her husband and was much beloved by all. Mrs. Jost had enjoyed her usual health this summer. Her late illness began with cholera, ending with pneumonia and inflammation, and death speedily took place after a brief illness of about ten days. The funeral took place from the parsonage, at Lower Horton. A large concourse attended to pay their last respect to one whom they had all loved in life. The services at the house were taken part in by Revs. Watson Smith D.D., Charles Stewart, D.D., J. S. Coffin Taylor, Hickey, Hockins, Ross and Cann. The floral tributes were many, and testified even better than words to the love and esteem in which she was held in the community. One very pretty offering was from the members of the Wolfville Auxiliary of the Women's Missionary Society, of which she was president. Mrs. Jost also took an active part in the Sabbath School, the general meetings of the church and the temperance cause. She was an active member of "Evangeline" Division, which society and the Band of Hope in connection attended the funeral. We extend to the sorrowing husband and family our sincere sympathy in their bereavement. The interment took place at the cemetery at Windsor, beside her father, the Rev. Roland Morton.

Miss Amanda Caldwell, daughter of J. W. Caldwell, Esq., left recently for Sackville to attend the Ladies' Seminary at that place. The members of the Methodist congregation, on her departure, presented her with a purse of \$15 in gold in token of her services as organist of the church for some time past.

PARISH OF HORTON.—Services on Sunday next, Sep 20th: St. John's, Wolfville, at 11 a. m.; St. James' Kentville, at 11 a. m., and 7 p. m. Subject of evening sermon: "The many mansions of our heavenly home."

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Wolfville, September 18th, 1891.

Berwick Cleanings.

Rev. E. E. Daley returned from his vacation last week, but his health has not improved.

The funeral of Jas. S. Witter, Esq., took place on Saturday evening, after the arrival of the express from Annapolis, when his daughter Mrs. Crawley from Fredericton reached home. The burial took place at the Berwick Cemetery. The services were participated in by Revs. Prestwood, England, Rogers and Daley. The deceased's son-in-law, Rev. T. D. Crawley, did not arrive till after the services were over, having come by the Intercolonial and late train to Kentville. T. H. Parker, Esq., and Mrs. Crawley are to administer upon the estate.

Mr. Daley being unable to fill his pulpit last Sunday, the Rev. J. C. Spurr, of P. E. Island, supplied for him.

The event of the week has been the marriage of Rev. L. D. Morse, Missionary to India, to Miss Lillian Parker, eldest daughter of J. M. Parker, Esq., which took place in the Baptist church on Tuesday, at 11 a. m. Rev. J. T. Eaton, of Lawrenceton, officiated. Miss Augusta Illey, of Berwick, and Mr. Curry, of Windsor, were "second best." The church was crowded. Sweet music was dispensed by the choir at the opening and closing of the services, when the happy couple drove to the station followed by an immense escort to take the "Flying Blouse" to Yarmouth, for a tour of friends in Newton, Mass., after which they will return and embark for India about the first of October.

The rum-seller at the Station was taken into custody under the Scott Act last week by constable Harris, of Morris-town, but escaped to the woods and is still at large.

One of our local druggists had an order the other day for a half dozen bottles of Seavey's East India Liniment from a Picotian in the states. While here on a visit some weeks ago, he heard of the almost miraculous cures that were being made by that medicine, and took a bottle home with him on trial. When writing for more he said that it was the best medicine he knew of. Bro. Pines, who is a prominent member of the East India Liniment Co., is certainly in luck.—*Pictus Standard.*

Messrs Clinton Borden and Howard Bishop arrived from Boston on Saturday evening last, to pay a visit to their old home.

Married.

MARTELL—McNEIL—At the Manse, Wolfville, Sept. 10th, by Rev. R. D. Ross, Rev. Anthony Martell, of Newton, Mass., and Mrs. Catherine McNeil, of Halifax.

DUNCANSON—BISHOP.—At the Baptist church, Wolfville, Sept. 16th, by Rev. T. A. Higgins, D. D., Mr. Lewis E. Duncanson and Miss Hattie E., daughter of Mr. E. D. Bishop, all of Wolfville.

TROYE-BULLOCK—CAULFIELD.—At St. John's church, Wolfville, Sept. 16th, by Rev. Canon Brock, Rector of Horton, Rosa M., second daughter of John Caulfield, Esq. Grand Pre, and Mr. H. A. Troye-Bullock, son of George Troye-Bullock, North Coker House, Somerset, England.

FULLER—RAPURE.—At Grand Pre, by Rev. C. Jost, A. M., on the 10th inst. Mr. Charles Fuller, of Avonport, and Miss Mary Elizabeth Rature, of Wolfville.

KILLAM—ROCKWELL.—On the 16th inst., at the residence of Chas. Lawrence, Esq., Grafton, Joseph Killam, Esq., of Somerset, and Mrs. Rockwell, of Cornwallis.

Died.

JOST.—At Lower Horton, Sunday, Sep. 13th, Lavinia, wife of Rev. Cranwick Jost, and daughter of the late Rev. Roland Morton, aged 47 years.

WEBSTER.—At Boston, Sept. 3d, Edward Saunders, youngest son of the late Ashabel Webster, of Cambridge, aged 39 years.

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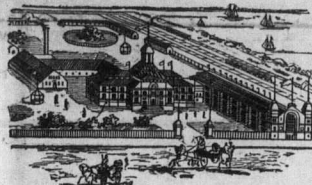
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Tenders for the whole of the above property, or any portion thereof, with or without buildings, or for buildings separately, as per above resolution, will be received at this office until November 30th, 1891, exclusive, envelopes to be marked "Tenders for County Grounds." The Council reserve the right to accept or reject any tender or all of the tenders.

By Order,
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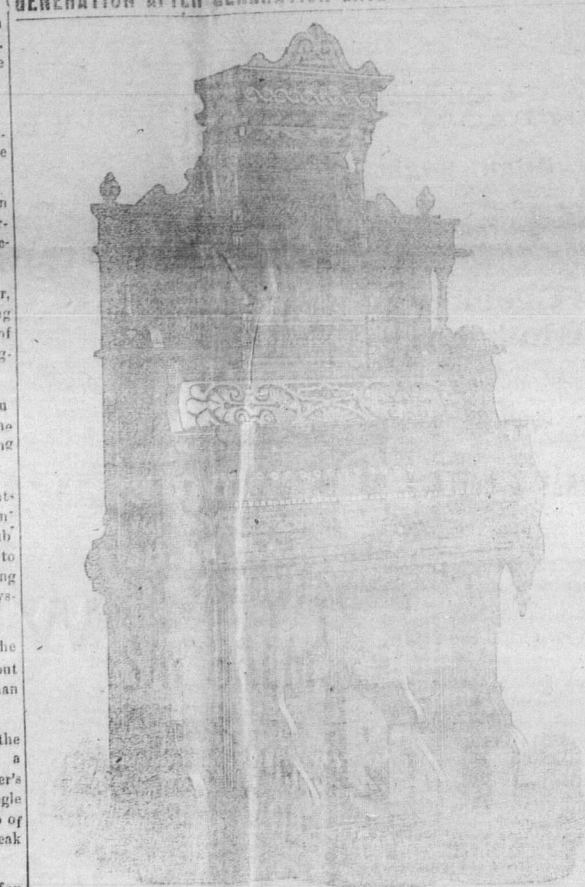
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