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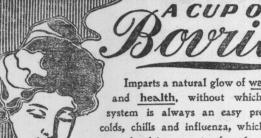
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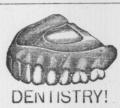
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Poetry.

(Marianne Farningham.) God sometimes calls those servants home
Whose years are in their prime,
But he has better measures than
The pendulum of time;
Some workers quickly do their task
Of service and of love,
So their promotion early comes

So their promotion early comes
To higher work above. God loves them, and he spares then much—
Not their's to wait alone,
And feel the ache of useless years,
With strength and vigor gone;
They are not stranded derelicts
While tides go rushing by,
They do their part and win the race

And then they gently die. Not their's to lift their fading eyes Not their's to lift their lading eyes
And find no comrades left,
Not their's to dwell among the graves,
Forsaken and bereft;
They pass from work to better work,
And rest before the noon.

Belect Literature. The Diplomacy of Grandma.

reached the stile, coming back, he had asked her to sit awhile on the topmost they never and anything had-neyer conventional. One year they nad a barn dance in costume; another stmas they had warmed the hearts heir friends and their own, to say mag of the hearts of the toos themses, by inviting to a gigantic stmas tree all the little folks their gyman knew who would otherwise such a treat. "And that," said may Nott, who was always bidden, it had come that strong ending of the declaration, "Alice, you must be such a treat. "And that," said may Nott, who was always bidden, it had come that strong ending of the declaration, "Alice, you must be may wife, because I love you, and I want you, and because you love me, I know it. Tell me you do, dear."

And then she had said, perhaps oppressed by the insistence of the ardent

of "some remarkably lifelike ghosts" to quote Tommy

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directness of speech and thought, it was this very quality which had brought about their misunderstanding. Ur, rather it was her latture to re-cognize the lineness of the quality, as Alice wretchedly assured herself as she ent and haunting dream.

Why could she not forget it and him—as he had her? He was in the Philippines and never once had she heard

use she loved him of all the world the best.
And then once more in its rounds be-

And then once more in its rounds began the procession of scenes at the War Lodge that perfect August night. Young Hollister was always one of those included in the Christmas parties, and he was also one of the merry house party that August at the War Lodge, then in its first season.

The Warrens knew that Hollister loved Alice, because in the old ceremonious way he had told them he wanted her for his wife, and sketched wife for them his present income and his prospects. And they, like sensible people, had told him to go ahead with their blessing.

And Alice knew it, too, by the unmistakable something that tells a girl

miss such a treat. "And that," said Tommy Nott, who was always bidden, "was the best of 'em all."

Still another year, they planned a wholesale shopping expedition for the might before Christmas, winding up with the wrapping of the parcels and their preparation for the assumption their preparation for the castinguition their preparation for the distribution the next day, after which in the big dining room they gathered about a table dimly lit with a few candles and told all the Christmas ghost stories they could think up.

The effect on several was heightened shopping and provided the words of utter love and surgicial to the parcels and told all the christmas ghost stories they could think up.

"Well, if any man looked when they met he is a poor specimen, that's all. And in about ten seconds we were out of that room, falling over each other in the dark dining room. I heard Mr. Warren let out a great big, happy sob, and she would have given anything to have recalled her words.

He stood a moment, gazing at her, his soul in his eyes, and still she sat there, silent, waiting for him to speak again and give her the opportunity to say the words of utter love and surgicial tenders.

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"Selma-Miss Christiansen, you know—had hysteries, and I had to hug her one or twice—on the quiet, you know—had hysteries, and I had to hug her one or twice—on the quiet, you know—had hysteries, and I h ender which beat against her trem-

No one asked her or knew anything about the incident—although her family and friends pitied her and wondered—no one knew, but grandma, who with the clarified vision of her 75 years won from Alice the pitiful story of the lost lover.

The storm had been a "good old-fashioned storm," so grandma said, and reports from the country about the War Lodge promised the best of the war bodge promet as sleighing.

The day before Christmas broke clear and cold and it was a merry party that gathered about the big table at the lodge that night for dinner. None of those invited had refused.

It was Mr. Warren's happy idea to make the first dinner a sort of cere-

make the first dinner a sort of ceremony of acknowledgement to grandma for the genius of her suggestion. She sat at the head of the table and as the guests passed her she gave them dainty little programs of the house party's plans and they one and all kissed her, she demanding the tribute from even the bashful Stewart Long. The next day the fun began with a sleigh ride to the village where they stopped long enough to unload a bob sleigh full of toys for the children. Then back they went across the hills, arriving in ample time for John Homer and Tommy Nott to give an uproariously funny imitation of a bear chased and treed by a hunter. Homer as the bear was a revelation and Tommy's efforts to guide the snowshoes and catch him threatened to dislocate every joint in the good natured body.

Then game the king dinner occupance.

hree hours, and then-but Tommy Nott's version of what followed is universally accepted as the best ac-

count of it.

"We were sitting around that whacking big fireplace, you know," he says, "quiet-like, having had a good dinner, everybody feeling kind of good and with nothing beyond the usual loads on our consciences. Miss Christiansen had been acompanying Stewart Long, who had been playing one of those airs that just make you understand the reason of a lot of mean things, and after you hear one of that kind you don't seem to mind the mean things so much, and nobody was saying anything—having nothing handy that seemed to match the music.

"I was watching little Alice Warren, and though, of course, no one had mentioned it to a soul, we were all kind of sore for the little girl, because we knew, or thought we knew, that she was thinking of Dick Hollister and just wishing he was there.

"It was awful still and nothing doing in the noise line except an occasional tree when the frost split it. Then, faint as if you were dreaming we heard a sleigh bell and we all sort of came out of our trance to listen. It came steadily nearer and nearer, and we all got excited as the deuce, but it was funny no one thought to look out.

I glanced again at Alice Warren

prospects. And they, like sensible people, had told him to go ahead with their blessing.

And Alice knew it, too, by the unmistakable something that tells a girl when a man dreams of her by night and thinks of her constantly by day. All through those perfect days in the mountains she had been growing in a quiet, peaceful, sure happiness—that Dick Hollister loved her and wanted her for his wife. By what insane freak of coquetry then had she allowed him to go from her without the answer that was his right?

They had gone to the village together in the early evening, and when they reached the stile, coiming back, he had asked her to sit awhile on the topmost step in the moonlight, because he had "something to tell her."

And there, in the soft evening, he had poured out his love—no story of a boyish passion, but the overpowering love of a single-hearted man. And then had come that strong ending of the declaration, "Alice, you must be my wife, because I love you, and I went you and because voy love my wife, because I love you, and I went you and because voy love me."

"men steadily nearer and nearer, and we all got excited as the deuce, but it was funny no one thought to look out. I glanced again at Alice Warren and the thoroughpite of had got up and was facing the door staring at the ker would see through it. "With a big jangle the bells stopped and we heard Jed, the village liveryman, say, "Here you be, and a Merry Christmas to ye." There was no reply.

"Then slowly the door swung open and in walked Doc. Hollister, looking good and fit—like he did in the days he used to play football.

"He carefully closed the door, all the time no one saying a thing—like we were all hypnotized—and then he looked at Alice, who was straining for ward on her tiptoes and just silently held out his arms.

"And as she went past me into them I saw a look on her face that some thought to look on her face that some thought to look out. I glanced again at Alice Warren and the he all got excited as the deuce, but it was funny no ne thought

bling lips.

But he said nothing—only "My Alice—forgive me—I thought—" and his voice broke dangerously and he strode away in the moronlight, leaving her, appalled, on the stile.

In a great terror at what she had done she had walked across the fields alone to the lodge, afraid to think of that white strained face. Far into the night she had asked herself over and over why she had been so flippant, and silly and could find no answer, at last lulling herself to sleep with the thought that in the morning he would come to her.

But the morning brought only a correct little note apologizing for his rudeness in allowing her to come home alone and explaining that he was called to Boston by a pressing operation which could not he delayed. Not again who were materialized by Bobby Warren and the property main at the Empire.

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"Why not make up a congenial party and party and the property main the bester," said her soon which could not be delayed.

And after a week she had read in the swar called the paper of his offering for Phillipine service and being accepted—for special investigations and original research," the Washington despatch.

Alice thought it the best play they should be a property main the through her family and could find no answer, at last Iulling herself to sleep with the to invent something or bust. "And when I went the two something or bust. "And when I went the two something or bust. "And when I went the two something or bust. "And when I went then the drawn in the monthight leaving her and his of daway in the moonlight, leaving her and his to the days before Christman had been sughable, on the stile. In a great terror at what she had and waked across the fields one she had waked across the fields one she had waked across the fields one she had waked herself over and one which she had asked herself over and silly and could find no answer, at last Iulling herself to sleep with the to invent something or bust. "And when I went long ideaving her to come home and silly and could find no answer, at last Iulling

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 1903.

THE COUNTRY HOME. Ralph J. Messenger, in Maritime

THE FIRST PICTURE,

priceless treasures—parents whose wisdom and insight had led them to instill love of truth and industry and a hatred of all forms of vice; and these principles had become strengthened when the completion of study led to a period of city life. Here they had met, and loving nature, she had learned to love him who loved nature. Here in this valley, with little beside health, courage and developed mental powers they had made a happy home.

"Listen," he said, "One cannot be surrounded by beauty of the kind we have just witnessed without thinking; and during the last half hour, I have felt, in addition to thankfulness and admiration, a spirit of comparison between home life as we find it here and that in the city. There, nature shut out from the eye by grime and smoke and filth of all kinds; from the ear by discordant noises, sounds of struggle,

iscordant noises, sounds of struggle trife and misery; from the mind by lons through inhabitation and the street, ing, bribery, treachery; men beating lown brother men for gold; falsehood in the home, falsehood on the street, in the places of business, in the courts of law; even the churches are falsely triving to make an attractive show of

best cure in the world for hysterics, too.

"But when the light was lit I went out back of the cottage and I let out a yell that must have stirred the bears in their caves. I simply had to do something or bust.

"And when I went in there was Stewart Long, fiddling Mendelssohn's 'Consolation' close to the closed door, O, so is softly, and that blessed old grandmast sitting there with a sort of 'I-told-you so' look on her dear old face,

But the surprise wasn't done. In came Dick and Alice, looking like gods and goddesses, and he walked straight up to the old lady, knelt down and kissed her hand as reverently as a fellow might kiss his dead mother.

"She had done it all—as no one else could—written to Doc how it was and planned for him to come home. And he hand I made an armehair and carried ber round the house, everybody singing grown bears."

The could be religious service.

Here, contentment and truth in the stain, the ripple of pure brooks, in the grass in the grass lifting to meet the dew and rain. God's sufficient to the closed door, O, so sufficient to the closed door, O, so soliting there with a sort of 'I-told-you so' look on her dear old face,

But the surprise wasn't done. In making home so attractive that the young people will not be led to seek doubtul company and anusements away from home. Hard-grade and entire the dew and rain. God's sufficient to the closed door, O, so softly, and that blessed old grandma of care and cultivation; abundance of care

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Ward 16, in place of Frank Banks.

It is Christmas Eve and the man is at his own irreside. An open line of dry maple logs throws a glow of comfort over the room. The storm outside only enhances the pleasure of the room within. There are no stin, straight-backed chairs in the room, only solas and tuxurious lounging chairs and rockers. A table occupies the centre of the room, covered with games and current papers, magazines, etc. On the wail opposite the fire are spacious bookshelves, the lower ones broader for files of magazines and journals. Here are carefully preserved volumes of the leading agricultural papers, while above them are snelves filled with rural books, the principal poets, works of the best novelists and historians. Miscellaneous works, helpful and amusing, make up the rest of the library.

are different musical instruments.

rom the walls hang copies of the best
aintings, descriptive of farm and home
fe, scenes which might with profit be the only one we will look into now.

The wife is the guiding spirit here.
The easy, comfortable chairs, the helpful books, the musical instruments and games, have all been chosen by her with a view of making home so attractive that the young respectively.

F R ELLIOTT, Chairn J. E. OAKES, Secretary. ROAD SURVEYORS WARD NO 1.

the world only to shun them. They do not feel any restraint in being directed in their actions by their parents, for the relations between parent and child are those of counselor and learner, and older directing comradeship. They are early taught the responsibility of individuals in the building of the nation

dividuals in the building of the and a broad, helpful spirit is evolved which admits little selfishness but a generous purpose to aid in bringing society to a higher level, to lend the aid of their minds and will and influence in the community and country. She impresses the young people with a sense of dignity of their calling, and wherever they go, they are proud to say they came from the farm. They are taught that agriculture is a profession requiring the best brains and skill in its successful accomplishment, that the man who puts the poor fruit in the bottom of the package, or mixes sand with his clover seed to make it weigh well, will soon become a nobody in the community; while the man who tells his neighbor of some good thing he has learned and helps him to greater prosperity, is thereby helping himself and his country.

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The Board of Governors of Dalhousie University has decided to establish a mining school at Sydney, where instruction will be given in coal mining in all its branches, including engineering, mineralogy, geology, and possibly chemistry. The school will open mext May. The age demands prepared men and women in every trade and profession, and everyone ought to make himself perfect, that he may find the place waiting for him. The man who is well-equipped is always in demand.

—Mrs. Maybricks English Friends are unceasing in their efforts to obtain her release. The United States Embassy has made no request to the Home Office for her release from Aylesbury prison, but Home Secretary Akers-Douglas recently visited the prisoner, and she was able to put before him the facts in connection with the suit. Through which she and her mother will

The Weekly Monitor,

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election of town officials closed at five o'clock yesterday afternoon. Mayor Shafner won his re-election by 52 votes and Councillors Ross and Neily were returned with the addition of J. I Foster as the new member of the civic board. Though politics governed the selection of the candidates for nominaselection of the candidates for nomination, it is said that political lines were not so closely followed in the election and that there was considerable cross-voting. The results of siderable cross-voting is the total contributions has been added. The poils show a confidence in the town government under its present regime, for the entertainment to take place or which must be appreciated by these of-ficials. On the whole, we believe the majority of our townspeople will agree. majority of our townspeople will agree, even many of those, who through friendship or other considerations voted adversely, that Bridgetown is a well governed town. If any are inclined to take exception to this statement it is well to remind them that the best of people may occasionally err in judgment or action and that it is possible for persons to disagree in the adjustment of details while having adjustment of details while having equally in view a praiseworthy aim. must be admitted that considering the heavy expenditures of the past year, the fact that taxation has not een increased, and will not be increased to any appreciable extent durformed, is a matter for congratulamark of business ability and circumspection of judgment on the part of our town officials. At the same time we would suggest that an explanation certain matters which have been called to the attention of the ratepaytend to dispel any lack of confidence rate-payers. Our columns are always open, as before stated, for the fair discussion of questions pertaining to the

-An organized movement to secure the improvement of our country roads the improvement following the lead of Ontario. For a long period of years the Nova Scotia press has, intermittently perhaps, but frequently, urged the need and importance of such a measure to replace the failing to up its share. No economic has been more strongly called for and none could be more important and Good roads mean progress, cemmer public money has been spent lavishly on railroads and waterways while the roads connecting families, neighbor taily neglected, or worse still, the dol such roads have been as actually wast ed, in most instances, as if thrown into a bottomiess pit. We have been re quested to publish the following cir cular bearing on the movement:-

Halifax, N. S., 28th Jan., 1903. Editor "Monitor," Bridgetown, N. S.

Chronicle" published a series of tren-chant articles on road reform, closing with an appeal for a Good Roads As-Halifax County Council with a request that that body should call a public meeting to be held in the City of Halifax, to which all interested in the cause of road improvement should be invited. The Halifax County Council, in response to this request, called a public meeting which was held in the Council Room of the Halifax County Court House, on Thursday, the 22nd day of January, 1903, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon. The Warden of Halifax County, George H. Madill, presided. The meeting was addressed by a number of gentlemen interested in the movement, and at the close a motion movement, and at the close a motion

ber of gentlemen interested in the movement, and at the close a motion was unanimously adopted appointing the subscribers a committee, with power to call a public meeting to be held in the City of Halifax, and to include all persons in the Province interested in road reform.

The purpose of calling this meeting, as explained by several of the speakers, was for the purpose of forming an organization similar to the one formed in the Province of Ontario. The committee intend to call the meeting about ten days after the opening of the next session of the Legislature. Full particulars of the time, place and programme of this meeting will be furnished for the information of the people of the Province as soon as an exact date can be fixed.

Meantime, we desire, through you, to give your readers an opportunity of knowing something of the Good Roads Association of Ontario and of its results. In order that our people may understand the true aim and purpose of the present movement.

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Local and Special News.

-The N. S. Farmer's Association is session at Windsor. -Mrs. A. J Weir has removed the Post Office building.

-Correspondents are reminded that communications must be signed by the name of the writer as a guarantee of good faith.

—The fortieth annual meeting of the Nova Scotia Fruit Growers' As-sociation opens to-morrow afternoon at Middleton. -The death of Rev. G. F. Mairwa

ing, at one time pastor at Paradise and later at Kentville, is reported at Grove City, Pennsylvania, at the age of 47 years.

—The January thaw with which the month closed was followed on Saturday night by a heavy gale and falling thermometer. A light snow fall on Monday night has brought out the unners again.

-Miss Mary A. Bent, Tupperville, has been successful in obtaining a short-hand class in this town. Anyone wishing to join the class will kindly communicate with Miss Bent et the

—It is said that the price of hard coal in Halifax will show a decline this week. Dealers in New York are understood to have offered coal by the cargo, delivered in Halifax, at the rate of \$7.75 per ton.

-The government will be petitioned by the St. John and Kentville Boards of trade to increase the subsidy for the St. John-Digby mail route to en-able the D. A. R. to give an all-the-year daily service.

the Bridgetown Creamery under the pro-prietorship of Mr. J. E. Lloyd receives appreciative notice in our agricultural

-The Electric Street Railway, of

—Mrs. Chas. Burrill and daughter, of Weymouth, nearly suffered asphyxiation and were made very ill one night last week by the fumes of soft coal gas escaping from the furnace. Much care should be used in burning this fuel in stoves or heaters not intended for its

—W. E. Roscoe, who was nominated to contest C. F. Rockwell for the mayoralty of Kentville, was found to be issqualified from the fact that his taxes were paid only a week before Nomina-tion Day, while the law requires ten days. He was consequently obliged to withdraw from the contest.

—The Toronto Globe says it is stated that the Alaska boundary commission is likely to include a Nova Scotia representative and the name of Mr. Justice Weatherbe, of the supreme court of Nova Scotia is mentioned as the one likely to be appointed. Justice Weatherbe served on the Halifax isheries commission.

—Mr. Alfred Vidito met with an accident last Thursday while hauling wood down the Morse Road on the south mountain. The sled slewed on the icy path, throwing Mr Vidito forward between the sled and the horses, some of the wood falling upon him. He was extricated by Mr. Mack, who was with him, and was fortunately found to have sustained no more serious injury than severe bruises.

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., in company with Miss May Davison, and will spend the remainder of the winter there.

A Clementsport correspondent wettes: Mrs. Pamilton Young, of Paradisc, is visiting her son, Dr. Young, at Clementsport discovery of the winter there.

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-Public opinion will heartily aption of the Grand Trunk Railway Company to appoint a "Superintendent of Telegraphs" whose duty will be to look after the condition, mental and physical, of the operators, and to relieve those who show signs of giving way under the strain. Undoubtedly many accidents are due to a partial breakdown of the operator's faculties after long hours of tension. No man should be constrained to work more than eight hours out of the tweaty-four at railway telegraphy.—Toronto Globe.

-Mellourne Sabeans, who was

SUNDAY SCHOOL WEEK.

--Melbourne Sabeans, who was brought back on Wednesday last my reliceman Anderson, was tried cofore Stepenoiary Fay and pleaded guilty of the theft of the fur coat from John Lockett & Son. He was also accused of appropriating a coat belonging to Mr. Noble, an official of the Middle on and Vectoria Beach railway. He admitted taking the coat but advanced in defence of his act the claim, that "he had a right to it, as the railway oved him something anyway." He was remanded for trial and his case is before Judge Savary at Annapolis this week.

-An interesting incident of the week on the local stock exchange has been the local stock of the local stock exchange has been the local stock of the local stock exchange has been the local stock of the local stock exchan

Local and Special News.

-The death of Mrs. John Randolph occurred at Williamston last week. The seventh annual meeting of the A. A. Scotia Farmers' Association is eing held at Windsor.

-Keep your postage stamps and bank bills separate and make the dangers from microbes one less.

3. 1. B. D. J. W. E. A. -Mr. Chas. Hearn has opened a tailor repair shop in the Payson build-ing. See adv. in this issue.

—The latest Rockefeller proposal for the assistance of Acadia College is to be weighed and discussed by the Board of Governors at Wolfville this week. -Miss Vidito treated her pupils to a sleigh ride recently, driving to Para-dise and back on opposite sides of the river. The treat was much appreciated

-The auction sale of furniture to have been held at the residence of Mrs. David Bath last Friday was postponed and will be held to-morrow (Thursday) at two o'clock. -A bean social will be held at Dal-

-The marriage of Miss Ethel Buck-ler, daughter of Councillor Joshua Buckler, of Dalhousie, to Fred Harnish

-Harry Syda, son of J. H. Syla, of the firm of Syda & Cousins, highly, was drowned off Seal Island, by the cat-sizing of a dory, with a companion, Edward Lank, of Campobello. Lank's body was discovered but Syda's could not be found.

—In the case of Hettie Isabel Phinney vs Wallace Young, the decision of O. M. Taylor, Esquire, under "The Collection Act," committing said Young to jail for 12 months, was on appeal, confirmed by His Honor, Judge Savary, J. M. Owen for Plaintiff, O. T. Daniels for Defendant.—Outlook. -A fire broke out in Norman Brooks' ouse yesterday morning, at nine clock. It originated from a defective flue, and was discovered after it had made considerable headway in the partition. The house was badly damaged, both by fire and water, and consider. A able furniture, as well, before the efforts of the fire department subdued to the flames. Insurance will partly cover the flames.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Mrs. Harnish has returned ho Douglas Hoyt had the misfortune t

lip on the ice recently and sprain his ight wrist. Mrs. Milledge Munro, of St. John, s the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse

The Crchardist, Wolfville, reports, Mr. W. W. Saunders, whose health has been poor for some time, in a very critical state and no hopes are centertained of his recovery. Mr. Saunders was for several years principal of the Bridgetown schools.

SUNDAY SCHOOL WEEK.

YESTERDAY'S TOWN ELECTIONS

FOR COUNCILLORS.

H. G. Bishop 58

In Annapolis, H. D. Ruggles was elected Mayor by a majority of 31 over Dr. Robinson. The following Councillors were returned: Griffin O'Dell, J. W. Edwards, R. W. Hardwick.

In Digby, Mr. Orbin Sprowl was made Mayor by acclamation, and the Councillors elected were: Syda, Vandalista and Councillors elected were: Syda, Vandalista Councillors elected were: Letters was allareous Hayden. Tithe Letters was allareous Hayden. In Wolfville, Dr. DeWitt was elected Mayor with a majority of 34 over R. E. Harris.

DEATH OF MRS. EDMUND BENT.

The death of Mrs. Bent, wife of our respected townsman, Edmund Bent, Esq., Registrar of Deeds, took place at four o'clock this morning. As Mrs. Bent has been in failing health some years and for several weeks has been quite ill her death.

ed. Heart failure was the immediate cause.

Mrs. Bent, when married to Mr. Bent, thirty-eight years ago, was the widow of the late Rev. Robert Chesley, of Granville. By her first marriage she had two sons, Samuel Chesley, of Granville. By her first marriage she had two sons, Samuel Chesley, of Granville. By her first marriage she had two sons, Samuel Chesley, of Granville. By her first marriage she had two sons, Samuel Chesley, of Granville. By her first marriage she had two sons, Samuel Chesley, and Jas. Chesley, of Fargo, Dakota. Mrs. Bent's fine character and admirable qualities of heart and mind endeared her to a large circle of friends, who will learn of her demise with deep reget. She was in her seventy-sixth year. Deep sympathy is expressed for Mr. Bent in his sad bereavement.

Bear River Telephone:—If agricul-

New Germany, and says his plans are at present undecided.

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—The pie social held in the Division hall last Saturday evening was a success. A feature of the evening's entertainment was the rendering of a temperance drama entitled "Practical Temperance drama enti

It is announced that on Feb. I, the whole of the British forces in South Africa, from the Zambesi to the Cape, will be under a single and supreme command, to which Lieut.-General Lyttleton will be appointed, with his bradquarters at Pretoria. This step is tegarded as an important innovation as significant of the intention of the Imperial Government to treat South Africa as a whole, and as giving a strong probability of a similar political arrangement at some future data. It is also heid to point to the future transfer of the centre of power from Cape Colony to the new colonies.

FOR SALE

District No. 3.

Clothes Re aired and Cleaned

iffice), where he is prepared to do repairing, ressing and cleaning on ladies' and gents lothes. All work will receive prompt attended to the sold at PUBLIC AUCTION CHAS. HEARN. by the Sherifi of the County of Anna-poils or his ceputy at the Court House in Bridgetown in the said County of PEOPLE of all ages

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Come quick before you miss the GREATEST BARGAINS ever offered in

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ATLIBERAL DISCOUNT on all Leather Goods.

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Winter Clothing

Boots and Shoes. T. A. FOSTER.

The subscriber will dispose of his stock and stand, owing to old age, to anyone looking for a good business.

JANUARY

To make re
our Spring Stock.

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TENDERS

Collection of County Rates FREEMAN FITCH, ROBERT BATH, I. J. WHITMAN.

TENDERS

wigned at the office of the Clerk of the Municipality of Annapolis County at Bridgetown, up to Monday, March 2 ad, 1903. at 12 o'clock, noon.

for 25 bbis. of Flour and whatever Ontment and Cornment may be required by the County Institutions for three months.

Grade of flour to be "Vulcan" or equal value. The committee do not bind themselves to The committee do not bind themselves to ccept the lowest or any tender.

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countants.

MARITIME BUSINESS COLLEGE HALIFAX, N. S. In the County Court for

GEORGE S. DAVIES, Executo of the last Will and Testament of Robert E. FitzRandolph deceased, Plaintiff.

DANIEL BISHOP, Defendant.

Saturday the Seventh day of March, A. D. 1903, at ten

o'clock in the forenoon,

All the estate, right, title, interest, property and demand of the above samed defendant at the time of recording of the judgment herein or at any time since of in to or out of all that certain piece or parcel of land and premises situate lying and being in Centreville in the County of Annapolis bounded and described as follows:—

Begunning on the main post road by lands of Benjamin Brooks and following said land ten rods the course of the lines southerly, thence eastwardly across said lands eleven rods and fourteen feet, thence northwardly ten rods to the main post road, thence eastwardly along said road thirteen rods and nine feet to the place of beginning, together with the buildings and appurtenances thereto belonging. The same having been levied upon under and by virtue of an execution issued upon a judgment recovered against the said defendant and duly recorded in the Registry of Deeds at Bridgetown aforesaid for more than one year. o'clock in the forenoon,

Terms Cash at sale. EDWIN GATES, High Sheriff Annapolis County. D. T. DANIELS, Plaintiff's Solicitor. Dated, Sheriff's office, Annapolis, Feb.

NOTICE!

Having disposed of my stock. rade and good-will of the Hardware business to Wm. R. Calder, I wish to thank my many customers for their kind patronage and to bespeak a continuance of the same for my successor in the business, who is well able to conduct the same to the public advantage.

All accounts must be settled at the store in ten days from date with H. R. Young.

B. HAVEY.

Bridgetown, Jan. 28th, 1903.

trade and good-will of the hardware business heretofore conducted by B. Havey at Bridgetown. I wish to invite the continued support of the public in conducting Soft Coal constantly on hand. the same, which I shall endeavor to do to our mutual advantage. WILLIAM R. CALDER.

We have placed on our

BARGAIN G

25 pieces Red and Black, figured and plaid Flannelette. Price reduced from 7 and 8 cents per yard to

A lot of Ladies' Blouse Waists; old prices ranging as high as \$2.50, all now

Three Fur Robes, former price \$8.00;

50 ends of 50c. to \$1.00 Silks;

.00 Silks; All reduced to 25c per yd Reduced to \$5.50

We are giving Bargains in hundreds of lines of goods to clear space for our large stock which is already commencing to arrive for the Spring trade.

J. W. BECKWITH.

\$5000

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to 50 per cent Discount

When we cut we cut deep!

One-quarter off.

FANCY DRESS GOODS. LADIES' UNDERWEAR HOSIERY. GLOVES.

BLOUSES. FANCY RIBBONS. PRINTS. FLANNELETTES.

KNITTED WOOL GOODS.

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Waterproofs.

One-third off.

WRAPPERS. FLANNELETTE UNDERWEAR. HANDKERCHIEFS. LADIES' WATERPROOFS. FLANNELS. WRAPPERETTES PARASOLS. VEILINGS. LADIES' JACKETS. CHEAP FURS. LADIES' SKIRTS. UNDERSKIRTS.

LADIES' LINED KID GLOVES.

LADIES' FUR JACKETS. ODD LINES CORSETS.

ONE-THIRD OFF. Men's Undershirts, Men's Drawers, Men's Top Shirts, Sweaters, Cardigans, Mufflers, Lined Gloves, Caps, Colored Shirts, Men's Suits, Boys' and Children's Suits, Men's and Boy's Ulsters, Overcoats and Reefers, and Men's

SALE FOR CASH ONLY. Everybody knows when we advertise discounts we do just what we say, and do not try and get

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Our stock of Fine Groceries, Provisions, Canned Fruits and Meats, and all the dainties that are found in an up-to-date Grocery stere, is complete, and will be sold

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If it is anything in GROCERIES we have it from a five-cent can of Sardines to a cask of Molasses.

If anything in FLOUR AND FEED, we can give it to you from 45c a bag to \$5.00 a barrel. Having purchased the stock in If in CROCKERY, we have it from a five cent pin tray to a \$16.50 dinner set or a lamp from 15c to \$6.50.

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Oct. 8th, 1902.- 6m If it is anything in CONEECT!(ONERY, STATIONERY, TOILET H. PINEO, Optician LAWRENCETOWN. Elin House, Thurs-

day, February 12 h.

PARADISE, hotel, Feiday, February 13th.

BRIDGETOWN, Monday evening, 16 h,

Tue-day, 17 h, and evening, Neily's

Hotel, upstairs parlor.

LAWRENCETOWN.

EOUND BILL.

Miss Clara Spurr, who has been siting friends at Boston, returned visiting friends at Boston, returned home last week. Mrs. Andrew LeCain is visiting her daughter, Mrs. James Primrose, at

ALBANY CROSS.

The party left for Boston on day last, where he intends religion to the grandfather, Alt. M.

A Spurr.

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Spurr.

Mr. and Mrs. Forbes Tupper, of Clement synde, are visiting the formed spanish on Mooday, on his way from Halfax to New York.

Mr. Crowell made us a flying visit on Mooday, on his way from Halfax to New York.

One of the heaviest freshets that Fasteen seen here for years occurred tree last week, filling many cellars, and carrying with it fir. Henry the most of the first of the Baptist church here for the regard the prisoner was immediately discharged and was expressed when they announced a constant of the Baptist church here for three fast week, filling many cellars, and carrying with it far. Henry the most of the first of the Baptist church here for three Sabbaths and will probably remain for a year.

A DIGBY WEDDING.

A Quiet, but pretty we dding was wintesec on Wednesday, 11 a. m., at the great of the great of

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Drumm, of West Mrs. MacAloney and little daughter Mrs. MacAloney and little daughter,
Marion, of Yarmouth, are visiting
friends and relatives in this place.
Mrs. W. H. Durling, of Albany Cross,
was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver
McNayr during last week.
We are sorry to report Mrs. Hiram
Sproule on the sick list.
Miss Eya Hirtle, of Naw Garmany is rison's.

Mr. S. P. Grimm spent a few days

Mrs. W. B. Foster is upon the sick list, having congestion of the lungs. Dr. Morse is in attendance.

Glencoe Division is to have a pie social on Friday evening, Feb. 6th. Should the weather prove stormy, will be held on Monday evening. be held on Monday evening.

Mrs. H. D. Starratt entertained a number of friends on Thursday evening to a Turkey Supper. It being the anniversary of her father's birthday.

Rev. H. H. Roach, of St. John, paid a flying visit to his home this week.

La grippe has claimed a number of victims during the past week.

LOWER GRANVILLE.

Miss Hattie Porter, who has been visiting friends here for the past three weeks, returned to St. John on Wednes-

week. Mr. Leslie Adams, of Sandy Cove, is visiting in the neighborhood.

home from sea.
The ladies of the Baptist church will hold a bean supper on Tuesday, 10th inst., postponed from last Tuesday.

BEAR RIVER.

Mr. Joseph C. Morse has returned from Granville Ferry.
Dr. C. Goodspeed will erect a residence opposite the school grounds during the coming summer.
The Literary Society will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Leonard, on Monday evening, February 9th. The subject will be "Your favorite Author." Each member of the society is requested to give a quotation

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The municipal authorities have at last discovered the fact that Paradise bridge is as dark as any other bridge of the same kind and have appropriated a sum of money for lighting it. The light was placed in position last week Chas. E. Durling is light-keeper.

Miss Felen Starratt left on Saturday for Brooklyn, Hants Co., where she has a position as principal of the school for the remainder of the year.

A serious accident occurred in C. Jackson's lumber camp on Friday. 30th ult., when a teamster named thodentzer had the misfortune to break his leg. After the injured member had been set the unfortunate man was sent to his home in Lunenburg, by train.

La grippe is quite prevalent, having the first of the society is requested to give a quotation from his or her favorite author.

ACQUITTED.OF MURDER.

Mrs. George Marsten, of Meductic, N. B., has been acquitted of the charge of murdering her kusband by poisoning and is a free woman. The trial was families for a life time.

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A Kentville girl by the name of Fiorence

La grippe is quite prevalent, having claimed many victims the past few weeks.

Norman Longley, Esq., has been confined to the house for some time with a sprained ankle, caused by falling from a hay mow.

Mrs. k. F. W.

WELL-KNOWN BAPTIST PREACHER DEAD.

Rev W. F. Hall, a retired Baptist clergyman, passed away at his residence in Hallian, at ten o'clock last night. Mr. Hall had been in failing health for some time past. About two years ago he suffered a paralytic stroke which shock his constitution greatly. He partly, the never wholly recovered from the attack, and since then his health has not been of the best.

Mr. Hall was for a number of years pastor of the Tabernacle Church, Halifax. He was a strong temperance advocate, and always took a deep interest in the cause.

He was a native of Port Lorne, son

and Sackvil'e He was instrumental in building the Talernacle church in Halifax, and sx other houses of worship, among there the church at Margaretvile. His widow, two daughters, and one son, now practising law at Liverpool, survive him.

**COAL SITUATION BRIGHTENING.*

Philadelphia, Jan. 29.—The Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron Company had all but one of its active colleires in operation yesterday and today; the full quota of 32 collieries is being worked. The output averages from 1,300 to 1,400 cars daily.

Mr. Henderson, general manager of the coal company, is beginning to take an optimistic view of the situation, and predicts that a break in the present high prices asked by the independent operators is bound to come very soon.

It is stated on good authority that the railways are doing all in their power to accomplish that object. They are said to be determined to break up the speculative features of the anthracite business. The increased output of the big mining companies and themild weather is beginning to have an effect on prices.

Salviors of the Shring Shaw, from Ship Island, which left on Oct. 6 for Montevideo. They were picked up at sea by the Tevnick and the Veronica was burned at sea, on Dec. 20, but the police have detained four of them on suspicion of their veronica was burned at sea, on Dec. 20, but the police have detained four of them on suspicion of their veronica was burned at sea, on Dec. 20, but the police have detained four of them on suspicion of their veronica was burned at sea, on Dec. 20, but the police have detained four of the overonica, after which they are alleged to have set fire to the ship. The four seamen say that the crew of the Veronica, after which they are alleged to have set fire to the ship. The four seamen say that the crew of the four seamen say that the crew of the four seamen say that the captain day at Eagle to have set fire to the ship. The four seamen say that the crew of the Veronica, after which they are alleged to have set fire to the ship. The four seamen

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In an awful holocaust at the Colney Hatch Insane Asylum at London, on the 27th ult., fifty insane persons were burned to death.

VENEZUELA.

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"Bear Burger C. Comparing the Control of the attitude of the Service of th

blood."
President Castro's troops, says the correspondent of the Herald, at Willemstad, Island of Curacoa, met with defeat at the hands of the Venezuelan revolutionists, at a point forty miles south of Caracas.

CANADA'S PART IN THE WAR.

report has been issued by the mintal separtment giving details of the organization and despatch to South Africa of the Canadian Division, South African Constabulary, the 2nd, 3rd, 1th, 5th and 6th Regiments, C. M. R., and the 10th Field Hospital, and the crivices rendered by these corps while n the field, including the 3rd battalon, R. C. R., which relieved the Leinster Regiment at Halifax. Canada raised a force of 8,732 of all ranks at a total cost of \$1,830,965. The expenditure on the contingents was \$1,996,867 whilst the sum of \$834,097 was paid out in connection with the third special service battalion at Halifax. Of the total force of 7,368 that went to South Africa, 224 died and 252 were wounded, making in all 476 casualties. The number killed was 63. Thirty-one tied of wounds, 127 succumbed to disease, I was accidentally drowned, and 2 were reported missing and believed to be dead. Of deaths from disease 33, or over 73 per cent., were due to Tangier, February I.—The Sultan's troops have utterly routed the forces of the Moorish pretender and captured Buhamara him self. A special runner who arrived to-day after making a record journey from Fez, brought this news. He rejerts that at daybreak last Thursday the army of the Sultan, commanded by the War Minister, El Menhhi, attacked the pretender's position and inflicted a complete defeat on his following, at the same time captur-

A FAMOUS SCULPTOR DEAD.

Menhli, attacked the pretender's position and inflicted a complete defeat on his following, at the same time capturing Buhamara.

Another runner that has reached here from Fez confirms the news of the defeat of the refers the report of the capture of the pretender is incorrect. He adds that it is uncertain whether Buhamara's body was among the great number slain. The the entire following of the pretender being either slain or captured. His camp provisions and ammunition were taken, and the artillery which was lost by the Sultan's army in the battle of December 23 was recaptured. Even if Pumahara escaped it is useless for him to seek to retrieve his defeat, as his claim to be a saint is exploded. The details regarding the battle are meagre but it is known that the pretender's camp was surprised and rushed at dawn. There are great rejoicings here at the Sultan's victory. Boston, Jan. 30.-Boston's famo Boston, Jan. 30.—Boston's famous sculptor, painter and musician, Cyrus, cobb, is dead at the age of 68. Cyrus, and his brother, Darius, who survives him, were twin sons of the Rev. Dr. Sylvanus Cobb, and were among the most remarkable twins who have lived in modern times. Both were artists, sculptors and musicians, and both had exactly similar tastes in literature, amusements and in other matters. Their personal resemblance was so marked that very few persons could tell them apart, and their lives had been closely interwoven from their birth.

Annapolis, Aug 25, 1902. Mr. Nelson:
Dear Sir,—The bottle of Emp Dear Sir.—The bottle of Empirical Liniment which I got from you on the list virtues. The same evening in walling across the railway bridge at Tuperville I sprained my ankle. On m return home to Annapolis I freely a plied Empire Liniment, and to m plied Empire Liminent, and to my surprise a few applications put me on my feet again, and by Monday I felt no inconvenience from the injury. Certainly I consider it for of the next best. Empire Liniment only needs to be tried to prove its Make whatever use of this you please

MUTINY ON THE HIGH SEAS.

Liverpool, Jan. 20.—The British

Teacher in Annapolis Academy. The Standard Oil Company hathrown out of work 5,000 employees.

J. H. CROWE.

BORN. RONEY—At Parkers Cove, Jan. 18th, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Roney, a daughter. ZWICKER.-At Clementsnort, Jan. 28th, to Mr. and Mrs. Howard Zwicker, a son. MARRIED.

DIED. VIETS. -At Digby, on the 25th ult., Miss Katherine Viets, aged 87 years.

Commencing the 7th and lasting to end of month only.

If you miss this great opportunity you will be the loser.

Lot 1. Ladies' Paris Silk Waists, all Shades and Black.

Regular price: \$4 25 \$4 30 \$4 50 \$5.63 \$5.75 \$6.76 \$a!e ... 2 90 2.95 3 25 4 10 4 15 4.96

Lot 2. French Flannel Waists.

Regular price: Flannelette Waists.

Regular price

Lot 3. Ladies Paris Pattern Hats. \$3 50 4 ONLY LEFT.

50 per cent. off all other trimmed Hats. Lot 4. Ladies Fine French Kid Gloves. Regular price

Ladies' Cloth Suits. Lot 5. \$8 50 \$9 98 \$13 25 \$15 00 5 75 6 75 8 75 10 50 Regular price 1 only 2 only 1 only 2 only Great Bargains.

Lot 6. Ladies' Rainy-day Skirts.

Lot 7. Eiderdown for Ladies' Dressing Jackets and Children's Coats, extra heavy; nice range of patterns.

Regular price 200, marked for this sale at only 130 per yard.

Lot 8. Blouse Stripes and Wrapperettes, nice designs. Regular price: 123 140 153 163 186 200 233 Sale ,, 93 110 110 120 130 140 170

Lot 9. Ladies' Wrappers. Regular price \$1.15 \$1.35 \$1.40 \$1.45 \$1.50 \$1.75 \$2.05 Sale ,, 85 .98 1.05 1.05 1.10 1.38 1.55 Ladies' Cloth Coats. The whole balance going at half price.

Great bargains. Lot 10. Men's Sanitary Wool-Fleeced Shirts and Drawers. Regular 55c goods, extra value, reduced to 39c each.

Lot 11. Stanfield's Unshrinkable Underwear.

Regular price: \$1.05, \$1.10, \$1.25, \$1.35 Sale price: 90, 90, 95, 1.05 Lot 12. Men's Heavy Frieze Ulsters.

\$6 00, \$6 90 Extra heavy 4.75 lined. Lot 13. Men's Raglan Coats and

Plain Overcoats. Regular price: \$8.50. \$11.25, \$4.75, \$5.75, \$6.25 Sale (6.25, 9.00, 3.50, 3.99, 4.50 Regular price \$8.50, \$9.75, \$11.25, \$12.50 Sale price 6.25, 7.25, 8.25, 9.00

These comprise Melton, Beaver, Whitney and Cheviot. Lot 14. Men's Reefers in Frieze, Whitney and Beaver.

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As to horses, there was a universal feeling in favor of Canadian horses, draft, van or express horses, and carriage horses. The trouble was that they could not get enough. Canadian horses were well mouthed, well-broken, docile, full of spirit and singularly handsome. Prime draft horses, weighing 1700 lbs. and upwards would command as high as \$400 to \$500 in Glasgow. Carriage horses for which there is an unlimited demand, range in price from \$300 to \$375 for first class animals, \$240 to \$275 for seconds, and from \$300 to \$575 for first class and mals, \$240 to \$275 for seconds, and \$150 to \$225 for cobs. "Van" horses, used largely by the railway companies, brought \$325 to \$375 for first class, and \$200 to \$275 for seconds.

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In speaking of the outbreak of the foot and moth, thesoes in the Unites of the control of the necessity of protecting Canadian herds from contagious diseases, Hon. Sydney Fisher drew at tention to the advantages of hear a very fitted from contagious diseases, Hon. Sydney Fisher drew at tention to the advantages of hear a very fitted from contagious diseases, Hon. Sydney Fisher drew at tention to the advantages of hear a very fitted from contagious and the facility of the control of the c

"The middle of October. The fall was mild and favorable and it has made a good start. If from this elevation you will look around you will see that I have not a single bare field, and I take great satisfaction in the feat."

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"Don't you think it would have been better for the land if you had seeded it to crimson clover instead of rye?"

"Very likely—if crimson clover would grow, but in this case it is a choice between rye or nothing. When there is rain enough for corn to grow on this soil it smothers out the clover, and in a drought the corn uses all the soil moisture and the clover dies. Clover must be seeded while the corn is growing; rye may be sown after it is put in shock, as this was."

By this time we had reached the edge of a small apple orchard and the ground under many trees was covered with rotting fruit.

"Why all this waste, neighbor?" said.
"It does not look thrifty, I confess. But I have not seen the time when I could with profit leave other work to save this fruit. A blustering wind that twisted my corn in every direction made drops of these apples, and when they should have been sold the only available market I had was glutted with the same sort of fruit. To save he fruit, therefore, meant to waste Jime and money."

Practical Talks and Plain Precepts for Farmers.

Edited for the Farmer readers of the MONITOR by an Anna polis Valley Agriculturist

We invite communications from farmers interesting their experience on mattern interesting the bounty. The mattern

"Here is another field of rye and in corn stubble, too; don't you sow wheat and do you always follow corn with rye?" I asked.

"This was a hayfield. The product was sold and the stubble being weedy I plowed it down and planted an early kind of corn the latter part of June. The corn was planted closer than I plant my main crop, but made about forty-five bushels per acre. The grain is in the crib, the fodder in a stack there by the barn. This rye was sown

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-The doctrine that the highways of the country and the streets of the town should be maintained by convict labor, is one that seems to be gaining fabor, is one that seems to be gaming favor in many quarters. It seems reasonable enough on the face of it that those who are convicted of minor offences and serve terms in local goals, might be employed, where now they are allowed to live in idleness at the wall is expense. The State of More

Sound Investment at Home in a Rich Mining Property.

The Eastern National Copper Company, Limited, whose Gold and Copper Deposits are at Cheticamp, Milling, Leaving the Other Contents to the Good. Cape Breton, is capitalized at \$500,000. The Board The Operations now being conducted by the Eastern of Directors of eight includes some of the Best Known and Most Reputable Business men of Halifax, who have become members of this company, confident that the mining districts in America.

pected and have undergone expert examination by trustworthy engineers during the past eighteen months. It has been on the evidence of mining men competent promise of large returns and that their shares would posits which it is proposed to develop at an early date. assuredly advance in value as the development operations proceeded.

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National Copper Company, Limited, were begun only after the proposition had been most carefully investi become members of this company, confident that the property it has acquired is one of the most valuable by the results of such investigation. The Company in Canada, and situated in one of the most premising considers the opportunity for investment one of the most attractive before the public. Stock which is The mining areas purchased by the Eastern National now being sold at a low figure will certainly advance Copper Company, Limited, have been thoroughly prosoffers to purchase this property were received and declined before the present Company acquired it. The former owners are shareholders in the Eastern National, to testify as to the worth of the property that many having accepted stock in payment for their interest have already been satisfied to subscribe for stock, believing that they were joining in an enterprise giving the Copper Deposit now being opened and other De-

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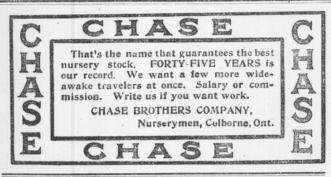
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come multiplied to such an extent that their ownership is a questionable pleasure. Be willing to part with the old when the new comes to replace it. Let your less favored sister have the little bookcase when your husband buys the larger one, or the last year's Christmas gifts when the later ones make their appearance. Avoid the danger of having your parlor or your bedroom become a museum of odds and ends. Simplicity in household arrangements will solve many a problem and leave much time free which would otherwise be unprofitably consumed.

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New Year Resolves for the Housekeeper.

My fourth and last suggestion is that you resolve to have recreation. The very formation of the word shows its importance. To re-create, to make new your own mind by the pleasant diversion of a good book, fine music, and instructive lecture, or the long visit with a dear friend; or to make new your body by healthful exercise, the needed nap, the refreshing Turkish bath, or the long drive through the quiet woods. Do not be too selfish to think of your duty to yourself. The statement is paradoxically true. If you are needed in the world to help your husband, to rear your children

Dress Hints. A shabby silk shirt waist has been A shabby silk shirt waist has been known to continue its mission in life as a first rate jacket lining.

When ripping up the seams of an old skirt, if the ripping is started from the bottom, the goods are much less likely to tear at the edges.

Gray is/a most adaptable color, lending itself to a number of combinations, and may be so made that it will be becoming to women of all ages.

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Grease on silk may be removed with powdered chalk or magnesia. Place the powder on the spot and then hold it near the fire. The grease will thus soon be absorbed and may be brushed off with the powder.

With good care and brushing an all wool English serge costume will last for years, and when its day of grace is past as a gown it can be cleaned and made into the best sort of an underskirt for rainy day wear. made into the best sort of an under-skirt for rainy day wear.

The well dressed girl sews yards of stilly starched rulling upon the front breadths of her corset covers to pro-duce the desirable straight full elicet at the corsage. It can be ripped off at a moment's notice, is easily laundered and gives the effect better than any-thing else.

Hints on Sandwich Making.

How to make a hundred sandwiches is described by Pierre L'Allmande in an attractive pamphlet just published. The requisites for their successful manufacture he gives as "good bread, good butter, good meats, etc., and good knives, and, last, but not least, plenty of time.

"The bread used for sandwines is known as the home-made loaf. It should be at least a day old, the slices thain and even and the crust trimmed off; it should be lightly and evenly buttered; avoid bread that is fail of holes, as in that case too much butter is used and the sandwiches will become disagreeably greasy.

"In making meat or cheese sandwiches both slices are spread with butter, but one side only with the meat, etc.; the other slice is then added, pressed gently and cut in two.

"The butter to be used should be worked into a paste with a fork until soft; it is very undesirable to heat the same in order to get it to the proper condition.

"To serve sandwiches take a napkin

condition.

"To serve sandwiches take a napkin or doily, fold and lay it on a plate or platter and arrange the sandwiches on the same and fill out all vacant places with tufts of cress."

DEVILED CHICKEN.—Singe and clean a selected chicken. Wash thoroughly and rub all over with a little salt; dot thickly with little pieces of butter and place in a hot oven, breast side up. Baste constantly. Put the giblets in a saucepan, covering them with cold water, add one even teaspoon of salt, one small onion and boil until very tender; then chop fine. As soon as the chicken is done remove it to a hot dish, skim the gravy of all fat, add one-half cup of hot water and thicken. Turn the giblets into the gravy and cook six minutes; then pour over the chicken and serve. Garnish with water cress or parsley.

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Trick On the Minister.

the framer of its fortunes, the inspiration of its happaness, the developer of its love. It means, if you are biessed among women and may count yourself one of this happy class, that the higher mission in lite is yours. You are, to speak reverently, the high priest of the inner sanctuary, the holy of holies, wherein the characters of of his enders are formed and reared.

May 1 give you a lew suggestions, as together we pass on into the new era? The new era will be much like the old in its monotony of routine, its perplexities, its uaily trials. Yet let each of us face the future with a fresh resolve to make our home brighter and happier in the coming days.

You say that you do the best you have to make those people hear you have to make those people hear the coming days. happier in the comming days.

You say that you do the best you can with your husband's scanty income and with your own limited strength.

Perhaps you do, but a new resolution may give you an inspiration to do hatter.

may give you an inspiration to do better.

My first suggestion is to let happiness be the dominating spirit of your work. "A Happy New Year' may we give to each other if day by day our lips decline to fret, our foreheads forbear to wrinkle, our eyes retuse to weep. There are hundreds of grumbling housekeepers—women who worry their children sick, their husbands sicker, and themselves sickest, by a habit of complaint which assails anything—the dawning weather, the butcher's meat, the servants' work, and the very dust of their own activity, says Dorothy Shepherd in the Ladies' World.

Work in happy-hearted activity and leave, in persistent forgetfulness, the inevitable discomforts.

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"But I understood, the immster said, "that through some mysterious dispensation of Providence nearly all your people were deaf."

Explanations followed, and it was well for the chum just then that he was spending Sunday out of town.

What Shocked Tommie.

Tommie came in to supper, late, as usual; got harriedly into his chair, and jerked mamma's elbow as she was pouring the tea
"Oh, mamma! Tvd heard an orful

'Oh, mamma! I can't help thinking

They had walked half way through as if to shut out some unbearable

"Fearful!" he agreed, deeply moved and mopping the profuse perspiration from his brow.
"Horrible!" she added. "I cannot bear to think of it. The loss of hope,

minds."
"Pardon me," said the old man on the end of the bench, his watery eyes distended in lively apprehension: "has there been some awful disaster? Have you been forced to look upon some awful tragedy?"

The young couple regarded each other in some confusion. Hesitatingly, the youth answered:
"No, sir. You see, we have just become engaged and we were talking of what a calamity it would have been had we never met.

—An old lady who fancied she was very ill when really there was but little the matter with her, made a practice of frequently consulting Sir W. Farquhar when there was no occa-W. Farquhar when there was no occasion to do so. Of course he humored her, although he did not like imaginary ailments. One day she told him she thought Bath would do her good. "It's very odd," said Sir Walter, "but that was just what I was going to recommend to you. I will write full particulars of your case to a very clever man there in whose hands you will be well taken care of." He gave the lady the important letter and she set off. On arriving and feeling as usual very nervous she said to her companion. "Long as Sir Walter has attended me he has never explained to me what alls me. I as Sir Walter has attended me he has never explained to me what ails me. I have a great mind to open his letter and see what he has said about my case to the Bath physician." In vain her friend explained what a breach of confidence this would be. She opened the letter and read: "Bear Davis.— There is nothing in the world the matter with the old girl except fright—keep her three weeks and send her back again."

The Newly Wed-"Edith did the hat ever forgive her."

Cousin Jane—"Why what could it The Newly Wed—"She addressed Charles in the most pitying manner and said, 'I hope you'll be happy.'
The way she uttered that word 'hope' was positively unbearable."

-"Henry, I could have dropped through the floor at supper." "Why, my dear?" "Well, you know I kicked at Tommy under the table as a signal for him not to eat any more pie. He didn't pay any attention, and I kicked harder." "What happened?" "Why. I suddenly found out that I had been kicking the minister all the time!"

Mamma—"Don't be so selfish. Let your baby brother play with your marbles a little while." Tommy—"But he means to keep them always." Mamma—"Oh, I guess not." Tommy—"I guess yes, 'cause he's swallered 'em!"—Philadelphia Press.

-"One by one our friends pass away" mused the old lady as a funeral procession was passing the house.
"Well, grandma," remarked little five year old Harry, "you wouldn't want 'em to go two by two or in bunches, would you?"

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