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CIVIC REFORM.

Our Merchants and Civic Reform.

Those who read the report of the Cambridge, Mass., "No-License Campaign in recent issue of 'News,' must have been struck with the general good results that followed in the increase of population, trade, etc. These results, however, were not natural, and what were to be expected, and yet, how many may be heard to say that the closing of the saloon would be injurious to business, that the liquor traffic fosters trade. The result in the increase of trade, the sales of boots and shoes, and clothes and groceries, upon the closing of the saloon in Cambridge, proves the fallacy of such a theory.

When men cease to spend their money for drink, it necessarily follows that they have more money with which to pay their rents, feed and clothe themselves, and their families. If our merchants would only reflect upon this, we think they would be more urgent in requiring the removal of the open saloon which puts temptation to drink, in the way of the weak who cannot resist it.

Unfortunately there are too many men in business, perhaps they ought not to be called business men, who, when a moral issue is at stake, such as seeing to the enforcement of a liquor law, where it exists, think nothing of sacrificing the best interests of the community, rather than offend, and thereby lose the trade of one or two of those whose living and patronage is dependent upon a traffic, which they as business men and good citizens should help to abolish. A striking illustration of this occurred some time ago in a neighboring town.

The ministers and temperance people, reinforced by the merchants and citizens generally, waited upon the hotel and saloon keepers, requesting them to close their bars, and go out of the traffic, which was corrupting so many of the youth of that place, generalizing society, breaking hearts and ruining homes (the record is everywhere and always the same) with the understanding that they meant business, and that if their request was not conceded, then more stringent and effective measures would be employed. Well, what was the result? Simply this, that seeing the people meant business, or appeared to mean business, the bars were closed, but not for long. A system of boycotting was immediately instituted by the hotel men, who began to buy their supplies in other towns and cities, with the results anticipated—that one, and then another of the weak-kneed merchants and would-be citizens, as soon as this was done, and they began to feel the thing a little, caved in, and offered compromises, forgetting that "they enslave their children's children who make compromises with sin."

These, however, took the risk, and are now taking the consequence of their mean and cowardly conduct, which today finds rum flowing in that town as freely as ever, blasting and withering everything in its course.

How weak the faith and dim the vision of men who cannot see that trade lost in such a way, must eventually return through proper and more legitimate channels, the only thing needed on their part being the courage to endure a little temporary loss for the cause of truth and temperance.

Lowell must surely have had such men in view, when he penned the words:

Then to side with truth is noble,
When we share her wretched crust,
Ere her cause bring fame and profit
And 'tis prosperous to be just.

Then it is the brave man chooses
While the coward stands aside,
Doubting in his abject spirit
Till his Lord is crucified;
And the multitude make virtue
Of the faith they had denied."

Truro is one of the most centrally located towns in the Maritime Provinces, and has many attractive features, and were it not for the unenviable reputation which it has in the matter of intemperance, would be much more of a residential centre than it is.

The educational advantages are such that many would like to bring their children here to be educated, but they are deterred by their fear of the open saloon.

Remove this objection, which is a very real one to those who have the moral welfare of their children at heart, and give the town a name for sobriety, cleanliness and good society, and its desirability as a place of residence, will be very greatly enhanced.

People drawn to the town by such considerations as these, from the most desirable class our town could wish to have.

Hence, we believe, that if on no higher ground than the increasing of population, and the advancement of the town's material interests, our business men should unite in trying to make our town morally, what it is already physically and educationally, the most beautiful and attractive in the Provinces, and there is no better way to do this than by closing the saloon.

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"A LITTLE CHILD SHALL LEAD THEM."

SARAH S. JACOBS.

"A little child shall lead them—why? For that as on this day Was born beneath Judea's sky A child to lead the way, Lead us and them, The babe of Bethlehem.

"A little child shall lead them—When At Christmas, with its song Of peace on earth, good will to men, And all the year along, Lead us and them, The babe of Bethlehem.

"A little child shall lead them—How To give, and never withhold, Now love in smiles and tears and now My rill frankincense and gold, Lead us and them, The babe of Bethlehem.

"A little child shall lead them—Where Life's pains and perils o'er, To the green fields and pastures fair Of the immortal shore, Lead us and them, The babe of Bethlehem."

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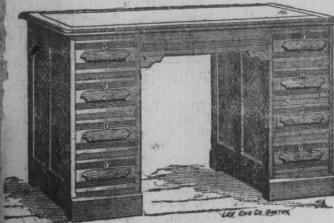
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THE FEDERATION OF AUSTRALIA.

A FEDERAL SONG, 1900.

George Essex Evans, the Queens-land poet, has written the following in praise of the unity of Australia:

the greyness of the dawning we have seen the pilate star, the whisper of the morning we have heard the years afar.

Shall we sleep and let them be? When they call to you and me? We break the land asunder God has girdled with the sea.

For the flag is floating o'er us, and the track is clear before us, the desert to the ocean let us lift the mighty chorals.

For the days that are to be, we flung the challenge forward. Brothers, stand or fall as one! Come on to meet us in the splendour of the sun,

From the graves beneath the sky, Where her nameless heroes lie, the forelands of the future they are waiting our reply. We can face the roughest weather,

If we only hold together, clinging forward to the future, marching shoulder-arm together, For the Nation yet to be.

the greyness of the dawning, all the mists are everpast, the glory of the morning we shall see Her face at last.

He who sang, "the yet will be," He shall hail her, crowned and free, we break the land asunder God has girdled with the sea? For the flag is floating o'er us, and the Star of Hope before us, the desert to the ocean, brothers, lift the mighty chorals, For Australian Unity.

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BEAUTY'S EYES.

A LOVER'S FASCINATION.

Delightful, Dashing, Daring.

Continued from last issue.

He started and wheeled suddenly around.

A startled cry escaped her lips. The face that she had never seen stern nor anger before was both now, and his eyes were flashing and stormy.

He tried to make himself feel sure that Florabel would clear away all the unpleasant mystery by a few simple words.

He did not attempt to touch her, and as he looked down into the lovely face—so dainty, so sweet, so pure and loving—the words he had sent for her to hear seemed more bitter than death to utter. Yet pride demanded it. Yes, he must speak, and the sooner it was gotten over with the better.

"Florabel," he said, sternly and abruptly, "I have sent for you to explain to me, if you can, the mystery of last night's meeting which I witnessed in the rose arbor."

The horrible words died away in utter silence. He saw the question strike her as a keen, blighting draught of chilly air strikes a hot-house flower. She quivered from head to foot, and drooped before the pitiless anger of his stern, accusing voice.

The color fled from her crimson lips, and the light died from her beautiful eyes, raised so pathetically to his. She tried to answer, but the words died away in a faint gasp.

It seemed to her that the great chandelier above her head went whirling around her, the garish light of day faded into utter darkness; yet, through it all, she could see Max Forrester's white face and angry eyes.

"Do you deny that you were there?" he asked, bitterly. "That you met Arthur Hurlhurst there, and by appointment? Remember, I saw you, and I saw him. Do you deny it?"

"Ah, no!" she gasped, piteously. "How can I, when—you—you saw me?" she stammered, with a hard sob, that might have melted a heart of stone. But his anger was so thoroughly aroused he did not heed it.

She clasped her little white hands together, as though she were uttering a silent prayer in piteous agony.

"Florabel," he said, "tell me the object of that secret meeting, that I may judge if there be any circumstance that extenuates or explains such an action. Be frank with me."

The tone of his voice might have warned her.

The golden head drooped, a look of terror stole into her eyes. She must not betray Arthur; no, no. Heaven help her—she dare not!

"Will you tell me why you met Arthur Hurlhurst in the rose arbor?" he asked again.

"I—I cannot, Max," she gasped, oh! so faintly.

"Tell me what is this man to you?" he cried, his face awful with dark, grim fury. "I will be answered! I will know!"

"You are strong and I am weak; you might kill me—strike me dead as your feet—but, oh, Max, I could not answer. I dare not!"

CHAPTER XIII.

It was the most terrible moment of beautiful, hapless Florabel's life. A hushed silence had ensued between them since that fatal answer had fallen from her lips—"Oh, Max, Heaven help me! I—I cannot tell you what Arthur Hurlhurst is to me."

She had sunk on her knees before him, her beautiful golden hair falling in abandon about her death-like face, her little hands clenched tightly over her heart. She quite believed it was breaking, there was such intense pain with each throb.

She could feel his eyes burning down into her very soul; he was standing before her in the attitude of a judge before a criminal.

"What shall I say to you?" he cried, bitterly. "You have done that which, in the eyes of the world, would seem most appalling; the situation does not seem to strike you. Oh, fair of face and false of heart, you shall tell me what took you to the rose-arbor—why you kept that appointment?"

"Do not judge me so harshly, Max," she wailed out desparingly; and she was so lovely in her utter woe that his heart was touched in spite of himself.

He stepped nearer to her, and laid his hand heavily on her shoulder.

"Answer me this, Florabel," he said, in a low, hoarse, constricted voice, as though he hated the thought that prompted the question: "Has this man—any—any—claim upon you?"

The blood almost froze in his veins as he saw her bow her golden head in token of assent. He staggered back with a cry of anguish never to be forgotten.

"I ask from Heaven what I have ever done that I am so terribly punished?" he cried.

But from the blue heaven to which he appealed there was no reply.

"Some men meet with a cruel fate," he said, "but they deserve it. In my life I may not have done much good, but I have done no great harm. I am too honorable a man to be made a dupe of. I have no words," he continued, slowly, "in which to upbraid you; they are all weak and meaningless. To speak to you I want words that lash, scourge and burn."

"Have pity," the poor girl gasped, tears falling like rain down her face.

"You deserve none," declared Max Forrester, bitterly. "I did wrong, perhaps, in persuading you to marry me. You were very young and inexperienced. I thought you cared for me. You never told me you had a lover; you befooled me."

Her white lips parted in horror and dismay. She tried to answer him—to refute the cruel charge—but the words died away in her throat.

"It is time that we came to an understanding," he cried. "Never more shall you be wife of mine until this mystery is cleared. Do you hear me, Florabel? Though it wrecks my life I will cast you out of my heart. Our paths shall lie asunder. I will give you to-day in which you can decide whether you will confess all to me. If by midnight you still refuse, I shall return to New York, and my object will be to secure a separation from you."

Even as he uttered the words he did not mean them; it was simply his intention to frighten the truth from her.

She uttered no word, no cry. She rose from her knees, turned slowly, and staggered from the room.

"I thought you were jealous of me," he cried out after her, with a harsh, bitter laugh. "Bah! With what consummate skill you played that little comedy. It is I who have every reason to be jealous of you."

She did not turn her head. She walked slowly down the corridor and up to her own room. She had barely strength to lock the door. She shook as in ague. She was cold. Her head reeled. Absolute pain and agony kept her from fainting. She lay down on her couch, with her face turned to the wall, trying to think, for now she had need of all her powers to know how to meet this terrible fate.

"I cannot betray poor Arthur, whom they are hunting down," she wailed. "If I told Max who he was, he would put the officers of the law on his track at once. Yet, how can I endure his suspicions? Oh, Heaven help me! I see a wrecked life either way!"

Suddenly it occurred to her to write to Arthur. He could tell her what to do. He could advise her.

She hurried to her writing desk and penned a short note, which, in her thoughtlessness, she gave to one of the servants to mail.

"Take it yourself, and quickly, to the village post-office, John," she said, nervously, "and find out if it is in time for the ten o'clock mail. You will have barely time to reach there."

The servant mailed the letter, then reported to Florabel that he had been successful in getting the letter in just before the mail closed, and by this time it was on its way.

It so happened, as the man left Florabel's door, he met young Mr. Forrester in the corridor. At any other time he would not have deigned to pry into his wife's affairs; now he waived aside these delicate feelings. Intense curiosity had mastered him.

"John," he asked, sharply, "what did my wife want?"

And he flushed uneasily as the man turned and looked at him, surprised at the question.

"She wanted me to take a letter in great haste to the post office, sir, and see if it would go out soon. I was telling her I was just in time to get it in the out-going mail."

"John," said Max Forrester, speaking with difficulty, "you have been in the family long years, or I should not ask you the question I now ask; but I expect a straightforward answer. Did you see to whom that letter was addressed, and where it was going?"

"I could not help but notice, sir," the man answered, respectfully. "It was addressed to the gentleman who just left here—Mr. Arthur Hurlhurst, New York City. I cannot remember the street and number."

He saw Max Forrester's face turn white as death as he wheeled about and strode down the corridor towards his wife's apartments.

"Heaven help me! I hope I haven't said anything wrong," thought the old servant, in dismay. "There is a look on his face I don't like. Can there be any trouble between young master and his bride, I wonder? Her eyes were swollen, as though she had been weeping. I am afraid there is something wrong."

Max Forrester passed on with hurried footsteps to his wife's boudoir, and in answer to his impatient rap there was a faint—

"Come in."

He opened the door and strode into the window, her face curled in her hands. She sprang up as he entered, and looked piteously into his face.

Had he come to make friends with her—to take her in his arms and kiss away her tears, whispering that no shadow must ever come between them?

But no. He strode up to her, seizing her white wrist with angry vehemence—with a force that would have shamed him if he had realized it.

"Florabel!" he cried, hoarsely, "how dared you write to Hurlhurst? What was in that letter?"

She started back, quivering like a leaf. Then like a hunted fawn driven at bay, she turned and faced him.

The husband and wife looked at each other. Anger, temper, pride shot out from "eyes that had once looked love to eyes that spoke again."

"You are silent!" he cried. "Answer me! I will get at the depths of this matter. Did you write him of that little scene down in the drawing room?"

"Yes!" answered the poor child, incoherently.

He had taken her so much by surprise she did not have the opportunity of thinking up a suitable reply.

"Will you tell me what else you wrote?"

His voice, in its low, hoarse intensity, might have warned her, but it did not.

"No," she replied, faintly. "I cannot."

At that instant the blotter on her writing desk, which she had so lately used, caught his eye.

By some strange fatality the blotter was a new one, used only on that occasion, drying the ink on the hastily written note she had penned to Arthur.

What did those warning lines mean? He snatched it in his hand, an old college trick recurring to him, and held it before the mirror.

Oh, God! the pity of it! There, standing out in bold relief, he read these words, and they convicted poor, innocent, hapless Florabel in his eyes:

"Dear Arthur—I am in great trouble. Come to me an comfort me. My heart is breaking. Max suspects—"

This was all that was legible, but it was quite enough. Max Forrester turned to her with a bitter cry, his face fairly livid with passion.

"No need for me to ask what this man is to you, after such a proof as this!" he cried, hoarsely. "Now listen to what I have to say. To-night—aye, this hour—leave you forever. I pray Heaven I may never look on your fair, false face again!"

Ere she could call out to him he was gone.

CHAPTER XIV.

A moment later she heard the swift galloping of a horse going down the chestnut drive. Every clatter of the iron hoofs struck a death knell to her heart.

No cry came from her white, closed lips that looked as though they would never open again; no statue, carved from stone or marble, was ever more silent or motionless. Outside the wind stirred the leaves of the trees, dying away in a low moan over the rose garden; but she never heard; she was deaf, dumb and blind under this great stroke of mortal anguish.

She was trying to realize that he was gone from her; that of his own free will he had left her—the lover who had wooed and wedded her; that she should never look upon his face again. It was utterly impossible—utterly absurd.

She heard the sound of a wild laugh, and was startled by it, not knowing that it was her own.

He had gone out of her life forever, to return no more, and he—her own husband—given to her before Heaven and man—how could he have left her forever?

Gradually the mist clears from her brain; her thoughts grow distinct, and she realizes the full horror of the awful sorrow that has fallen upon her.

There must have been a sense of something wrong in the household, for when John reached the servants' hall and saw Gregory, the maid, he said, hurriedly:

"I do not like the looks of matters."

To be Continued.

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Atlin Man Takes Charge of the Local Merchants' Bank Branch.

A change was made in the management of the Merchants' Bank of Halifax at this place during the week, W. A. Spencer, formerly in charge of the Atlin branch, being transferred to Grand Forks, while Mr. Craig, who has been in charge of the bank here, goes to Rossland.

Mr. Spencer arrived in the city on Monday, and at once entered upon his duties. Mr. Craig expects to leave for Rossland on this afternoon's train.

The Bank is moving this afternoon to its new home in the Sheeds building, which has been finely fitted up, and which will make an excellent location. This move will only be temporary, as it is almost certain the bank will build on its lot at the corner of Bridge and First streets during the coming year.

Mr. Craig, the retiring manager, has made many friends during his short stay here, and it is with much regret that we see him depart. Grand Forks, B. C. Gazette, Dec. 1st.

We are all glad to learn that Mr. Spencer has got clear of the wild and dreary Atlin, and is now located in the rapidly growing town of Grand Forks, on direct line of railway, 30 or 40 miles West of Rossland. The Atlin agency of this soon-to-be "Royal Bank of Canada," is now in charge of Mr. J. H. Ferguson, a son of Hon. Senator Ferguson, of Charlottetown, P. E. Island, and who for some time was in the head office in Halifax.

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Mrs. Forester, of Toronto, who is visiting her sister here, Mrs. Hilyard, has received a cablegram from her husband, Capt. Forester, who was in South Africa with the Canadian Mounted Rifles, that he is sailing for home with the Contingent, and expects to arrive home about Jan. 7th. —Fredericton Gleaner.

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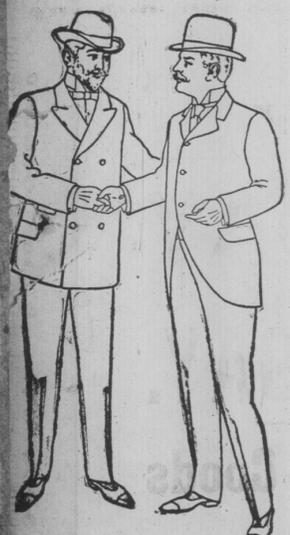
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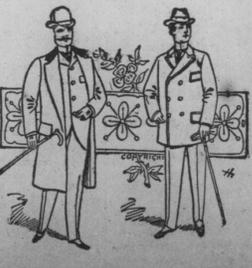
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Y. M. C. A.

Meeting tomorrow as usual at 7:30 p.m. A very representative meeting of the Y. M. C. A. was held last night, considering the busy season. Those present were as follows:

- Mr. M. K. Langille, President.
- Dr. H. V. Kent.
- Mr. D. Murray.
- Mr. M. King.
- Mr. Hugh McLeod.
- William Archibald, General Secretary.
- Assistant Secretary.

The following report was read by the General Secretary, and on motion adopted:

Report of the General Secretary to the Board of Directors for October and November, 1900.

Truro, Y. M. C. A., December 1900.

Brethren—As already indicated, this report is only meant to cover the two months of the present year. These months, as we see by a comparison with the previous year, have been of unusual character, and we trust without fruit.

In helpfulness to many. One result which we have had, perhaps should expect them. By means definite, visible, spiritual. Of such we have little which we can point, and while we ought not to discourage, or to feel that our work is lost, we may well lead us to examine our work, lest by any fault may be ours. It was that with such a programme have just closed in connection with our Sunday afternoon meetings, would have had some visible result from our efforts; but in this we have been disappointed, except in that some have said, perhaps I say many, have said, that they enjoyed these meetings, and helped by them.

More were not helped, and more definitely, and that have not been led to confess their help, may have been due to a lack of faith, or to a misapprehension, i. e., faith placed in men, rather than in the message, that Spirit who alone can make our messengers a flame of fire, and through them lead souls into the Kingdom.

Whatever be the cause, it is fitting to enquire into the source of failure at this point, for to fail is to fall everywhere. We are only justifying our existence when we are leading men to glory in Jesus, and surrendering lives to Him, to His ennobling work. I trust this matter will receive some attention at this meeting and be made the subject of prayer.

In the physical department we have had three evening gymnasium classes, conducted by Mr. McDouell, i. e., one class meeting three evenings a week, with an average attendance of 15; our young ladies' class meeting once a week, with an average of 17.

One boy's class meeting twice each week, and a students' class meeting twice a week, making four classes in all, meeting nine times a week, with an average of about 85.

In our educational work, our reading room has been well attended.

One mechanical drawing class meeting once a week, and conducted by Mr. Mosher, has had an attendance of 10.

Our book-keeping class meeting once a week, conducted by J. D. McKay, has had an attendance of 25.

Two addresses on Civics were given, one by Rev. H. R. Grant, on "Good Citizenship," the other by F. McClure, Esq., on "Labor and Law." These were given in connection with monthly receptions, and had a good attendance.

Religious Department. A boys' Sunday afternoon meeting and prayer circle, has been conducted under the leadership of Mr. Hatfield.

A Religious History Class conducted by Rev. Mr. Falconer, and meeting once a week, has had an average of 78. Mr. Falconer was assisted in these lectures by Revs. McDonald and Strathie. The course, which is closed at present, will re-open again in January.

The young men's Bible class meeting on Sunday afternoon, has had an average of 14, and the young men's meeting an average of 88. Addresses at this meeting were given by such outside men as Revs. Dobson, McKinnon, Carruthers and McLean, together with some of our own ministers.

It is needless to say to those of you who were here, that these addresses were all of a thoughtful and helpful character. For the same period last year we had only one Bible class session, and our men's meetings were not half so large.

A number of socials, committee meetings, etc., were held, and an average of about 15 classes and meetings a week, of one kind and another, convened in our rooms since the beginning of the year.

Carrying out the instructions of the last Board meeting I prepared circulars and had them printed, and secured the service of the Young Ladies' League in their distribution, with the result that about \$150.00, mostly of new money, has been added to the treasury. The League are deserving of our thanks in this matter.

Since our last Board meeting, Mrs. Crowe, who for 14 years has graced the Presidency of the Women's Auxiliary, resigned that position, Mrs. McElhinney being appointed in her place. The Auxiliary at their last meeting read Mrs. Crowe an address expressive of their appreciation of her services, and presented her with a chair.

Anything like a detailed report would not be in order now, but in brief outline the foregoing will help to give some idea of the work of the last two months.

I trust that while members of the Board may commend anything that to them may appear worthy of commendation, that they will also not fail to criticize, or make any suggestion that may seem necessary, and for the best interest of this work.

There are many things to give pleasure and encouragement and a few that tend sometimes to discourage. Among the latter may be mentioned the failure of Committees to meet, or assume responsibility for work appointed them, and the noticeable absence of members of the Board from our rooms, and especially from our Sunday afternoon meeting. This was particularly noticeable the last few Sundays, when the attendance was not quite so large, and the need of help was greater.

Prayerful that mistakes and failures may be forgiven, and that the efforts intended for good may not be without the Master's approval and blessing, this report is respectfully submitted.

P. F. MORIARTY.

On motion of Mr. J. D. McKay, it was unanimously resolved that the hearty thanks of the Board of Directors be tendered the Young Ladies' League for their efforts in the recent financial canvass.

A motion was also made and carried, acknowledging the faithful services of Mrs. J. F. Crowe, who for so many years has filled the position of President of the Women's Auxiliary. Twenty new names were proposed.

for membership, and on motion accepted. A considerable number of these were students.

The mechanical drawing class will meet on Wednesday and Thursday of next week, instead of Monday and Thursday.

A number of students, some of whom were former members, have been visiting the rooms the last day or two on their way home from college. Among those who called yesterday were the following: Messrs. McKenzie, Layton, Hepron, Meek, Holmes, Prince, Richards and others. We are always glad to see them, and to know that they hold the Y. M. C. in remembrance.

The programme for the Boys' Conference, which will be held in New Glasgow Jan. 1st and 2nd, is out. Copies may be had at the office.

CHAPLAIN'S LECTURE ON SOUTH AFRICA.

Chaplain Lane has captured Toronto with his splendid lecture on South Africa. While Mr. Lane has a subject of absorbing interest, great credit is due to him for the manner in which it is presented. The Chaplain is a right manly man. The pathos, as well as the humor, the horrors, as well as the glory of the war, appeal to him. In straightforward words he sets forth his experiences, now on the boat, then on rail; now in bivouac, then on the field. In the hollow square we see him conducting his eight-minute service; ere the soldiers are marched into battle; with tears we bow beside him to hear the dying message of a soldier to his mother. With joy we accompany him to release a Boer father in order to send him home in company with his little girl, who pleads, "oh, don't kill my papa." The march of men, the reveille, the ping of bullets, and the boom of guns seem not far away during the Chaplain's descriptions. The vividness of his word pictures is increased by several excellent maps, which he displays, as well as some souvenirs of the war, such as rifles, shells, bludgeons, and other things, which he secured in South Africa, and which he exhibits to the audience.

Above all, the Chaplain is a preacher of peace. His noble, patriotic heart is thrilled at the courage and bravery shown by Canadian troops, and their faithful service to maintain the unity of the British Empire, but he detects a rising tide of unholily, un-Christian feeling, and with warning he says: "We must not lose our Christian religion over this war." Then, as he stands over fields of carnage, where noble men have been shot by brave men, where foemen mingled their blood with each other, and beside each other lay still in death, with him we could not but utter the prayer that the day might come when men shall learn war no more, and when peace should reign.

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We are very busy and constantly in demand. What does this show? That our work gives satisfaction. All orders receive prompt attention. First class workmanship and best materials used. Repairing, painting and trimming, specialties.

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F. W. McCULLY,
Steel Building, Esplanade,
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McLean's is the only original and genuine Worm Syrup. Be sure that you obtain McLean's, the safe, pleasant and effectual remedy for children.

New dried fruits. Raisins, currants, figs; also evaporated peaches, apricots and apples at A. F. Ross & Co's.

A choice lot of butter prints, rolls and tubs at J. H. Kent & Co's.

FULL STOCK OF SKATES.

Acme No 0, Hockey No 5,
Acme No 3, Hockey No 6,
Acme No 5, Hockey No 7,
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Nickel Plated
All above, the Halifax Skate.
A. J. Walker & Son.

NOTICE

A. J. Bower, agent for the W. H. Johnson Co., Halifax, has his office on Church street, Truro. Orders received for tuning; also for pianos and organs.
23-7-td

For the masses, not the classes, Bentley's Liniment is the family medicine chest. Price 10c. and 25c.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that in virtue of the Act of the Dominion Parliament, 63 and 64 Victoria, Chapter 103 and Chapter 104, the name of the Merchants' Bank of Halifax will be changed to

"The Royal Bank of Canada" from and after the Second day of January, 1901.

E. L. PEASE,
General Manager
Halifax, 1st November, 1900.

Only 25 cents to be in the swim with your "House to Let," or "House for Sale" advertisement. No one will ever know that you have a house to let or for sale, unless he is told so. A 25c. adv. in the "News," will tell more quickly and cheaply than any other way.

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Commencing December 1st, the well-known S.S. "Halifax" will leave Halifax every Wednesday at 7 A.M. Returning, leave North Side Lewis Wharf, Boston, every Saturday at Noon.

Passengers by Tuesday evening train, can go on board steamer without extra charge. No changes or transfers. All tickets include, without extra charge, SLEEPING ACCOMMODATIONS.

Cheap through tickets for sale, and baggage checked by Agents Intercolonial Railway. For all information apply to Plant Line Agents.
H. L. CHIPMAN,
Manager.

New cooking raisins and cleaned currants at W. H. Snook & Co's.

W. C. T. U.
For the benefit of the public the meetings of Union will continue a month on the second and fourth Mondays in the Y. M. C. A. at 8 p. m. Members will take a note of this.
JESSIE McG. FRASER,
Rec. Sec'y W. C. T. U.

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Nicely printed in elegant script to look like engraving, or in the newest style roman type, very neat. We have the cards in finest quality, 50 in a package, ladies and gents sizes. Ask to see printed samples. Mail orders solicited.

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CHRISTMAS CHECKERS. IT'S YOUR MOVE.

ANY TIME BETWEEN NOW AND CHRISTMAS.

<p>Gentlemen May be always sure of the latest styles of Furnishing when they come to us. The duplicate of the toilet accessories which gentlemen in the highest walks of fashion wear in England will be found here.</p>	<p>Gloves For Work, Play or Dress, grades that are worthy of your confidence and backed by our guarantee. 25c to \$3.50.</p>	<p>Christy's Hats. The quality, durability and general satisfaction that go with every Christy—hard or soft—change a first acquaintance into a lasting friendship. \$1.00 to \$3.00.</p>	<p>How to Keep yourself dry and comfortable in to wear one of our Waterproof Coats. You can get them from \$2.50 to \$15.00. Then you want an Umbrella. One of our special values \$50 to \$3.00. The best shown for the money.</p>
<p>Made by the Japs. Silk Handkerchiefs, marbled and work of the Japanese are here to sell from 10c to \$1.00, plain or initials.</p>	<p>Next to a Pretty Girl a young man's choice is a pretty Necktie, and a pretty girl likes a pretty Tie. We've just what you want Ties of Beauty In Paisley, Maple Leaf Red effects all the Rage.</p>	<p>The Neverbreak ALL LEATHER Suspenders. No Rubber to decay. No Stitching to give way. Newest designs in braces. Hub, Duke, Police and Firemen's. Silks and shoulder braces.</p>	<p>Folks must Have Them. Collar Buttons, Cuff Links, Necktie Pins, Cuff Buttons, Collar Springs, Fancy Garters.</p>
<p>WRIGHT'S HEALTH UNDERWEAR Non-irritating, always soft and more durable than the ordinary knit. The fleecing is woven in the fabric and is guaranteed not to wear off until the garment is thoroughly worn out. \$1.00 to \$2.50 each</p>	<p>When Its Men's Top Shirts "We Bull's Eye." With the Largest Stock and the Lowest Prices</p>	<p>Dr. Jaegers Slippers. Keep the feet warm and dry, allow evaporation, prevent chill. Slippers of cold feet or from perspiring feet will derive special benefit. For Ladies and gentlemen \$1.50 to \$2.25.</p>	<p>Holiday Novelties SILK MUFFLERS. in Black and colors. LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS. Plain and Hemstitched EVENING DRESS SHIELDS. EVER READY MUFFLER. Comfortable, Shapely, Serviceable</p>
<p>PHILLIPS CLOTHIER.</p>	<p>WHAT</p>	<p>TO</p>	<p>BUY.</p>
<p>Rules of the Game The game is to select from one or each of the squares, a gift or a number of them, most acceptable to the ones you wish to please on Christmas Day. Can be played with silver checkers or a pack of greenbacks. No score is kept.</p>	<p>Any number of persons can play the game. To win at this game you must play with us. Every move we make is for your interest. Other Clothiers are easily checkmated in their most studied moves. When in doubt call for a "tie." If you should make a wrong move bring it back and play again.</p>	<p>Errors a Beginner Should Avoid. Don't wait until the game is crowded with eager players. Don't take him a pin cushion when he would prefer neckwear. Don't give him a Handkerchief Case when he needs Handkerchiefs.</p>	<p>Don't give him a Case when he needs an Umbrella. Don't give him a Hand painted Smoking Set when his Overcoat is shabby. Don't buy the little one a Drum when he really needs a Sunday Suit. Don't get hubby a Diamond Pin when he hasn't a decent Scarf to wear it in. Don't let your big brother shove his darned Stockings into new Slippers.</p>
<p>you're Proud of Your Boy He will have him as well dressed as any other boy in his set. To dress him best, is equip with clothing the sort and style we have. Suits \$1.00 to \$5.00</p>	<p>Don't Run to Keep Warm. It isn't necessary when we can give you such Overcoat values. Men's Ulsters \$3.50 to 10.00 Overcoats, 3.50 to 14.00 Reefers 4.00 to 9.00</p>	<p>MEN Whose stature prevents them from being fitted from the ordinary made-up shirts, find complete satisfaction in Y & R English made Shirts. The patterns are beyond compare—going fast</p>	<p>Does Your Hund Wear a Cap? Then send him to us. Price from 25c to \$1.75</p>
<p>\$7.50 We've got a bargain in Fine Suits for Men, about 50 of them, that we closed from a leading manufacturer at big concession from their regular price.</p>	<p>I'd Like to Pin a Sample Right Here. \$11.00 OVERCOATS. The goods are an all wool Beaver in Black and Blue. The linings first class. Fit guaranteed.</p>	<p>House Jackets. For smoking, study and lounging. Every man longs for one. Nothing will please "him" more, or give genuine comfort for a longer time than one of these. \$5.00 to \$6.50.</p>	<p>\$10. Single & Double breasted Business Suits in Serges, Worsteds and Tweeds, \$10.00 to \$15.00. They are made to look, to fit, and to wear like the finest Custom made suit.</p>
<p>Wardigans, sweaters, Wool and Worsted, in and fancy, for men and boys. Golf Hose. Pairs of exclusive design silk and worsted.</p>	<p>If you're on the fence regarding the question of UNDERWEAR let us assist you. Experience has made us an authority. Buy Stanfield's Unshrinkable \$1 Medium \$1.20 Heavy</p>	<p>For a Good Boy Parents will find some useful Xmas Gifts in our Boys' Dept. Reefers \$1.25 to \$4 Overcoats \$1.98 to \$5 Our "Red River" Overcoat for the little chaps at \$3.75 is a "Blizzard Resister."</p>	<p>The Money Back Store The place where you can buy a Suit or overcoat that you like, pay for it, take it to other good stores and compare. If you are better pleased in store no 2 or 3 buy there, bring ours back, tell us frankly that you've changed your mind we will refund the money in a minute.</p>

There's a Golden Rule to Christmas Buying "Give to others what you like yourself."

PHILLIPS' THE CLOTHIER,
Inglis Street, Truro, N.

ROWE BROS.
 We opened up a very fine
 department of
Christmas Goods
 consisting of Toys, Dolls,
 and Fancy goods.
 As we always stick to what
 advertise, the public can
 depend on getting bargains,
 and we intend closing out all
 at
**Prices Lower than
 The Lowest.**

ROWE BROS.
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ST IN!
**THE LATEST
 LIDAYMOUNTS.**
 Secure Sitting
 Work Finished Before
 Xmas.
Lewis Rice.

weight, absolutely pure, and
 best that has ever been sold at
 price. This is the story of
 Blend Tea which is sold in
 packets at 25, 30, 35 and 40
 a pound. Key in every pound
 \$400 in cash goes to pur-
 chase early in December.

Income! It isn't what you
 have, but what you spend, that
 makes you prosperous, or otherwise.
 50 cents on this, and 25 cents
 on that, and 10 cents on something
 else, trading here, in a little while
 prosperity. Even on smaller
 the saving of five cents or a
 here and there amounts to a
 deal in the aggregate. "Our
 check System" does all the above
 We are saving our customers
 are taking advantage of it, lots
 of them. R. T. Craig & Co.

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 Appointments at once!
 Brooches, Xmas Cards and
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 Work finished promptly.
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**Useful and Inexpensive
 CHRISTMAS PRESENTS**
PERFUMES in **Bottled**
Atomizers, Manicure Sets
Hair, Nail, Cloth and Tooth Brushes,
 Lines from 10c up
 Razors, Shaving Brushes, Soaps and
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 \$2.00. Lace and Feather Fans,
 Rogers & Gallets Perfumes and
 Toilet Water. Sponges, Sponge
 Bags, and Bath Brushes.
**Two Useful Presents, a Chamolix Vest or
 a Hot Water Bottle.**

July herring—large and fat. J. H.
 Kent & Co.
 Want advts. in the News "Want"
 column are given two insertions for
 25 cents, and will be run a whole
 week for only 50 cents. If you want
 a clerk, bookkeeper, stenographer,
 housekeeper or servant, advertise in
 the "News." They all read the "News"
 "Want" column.

**XMAS RATES NOW ON
 AT
 Miss Christie's Photo Studio.**
 A Choice line of Ne
 the Latest Styles and Colors.
 Our Shaded Mounts are lovely.
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 Kindly make appointments for sittings as
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**40 cents
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 We make a specialty of producing
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 All work first class. Call and see
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**Cobbler
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 In Oak and Mahogany, high finish.
 Fancy Reed and Rattan Chairs,
 suitable for Xmas trade. Also
 Fancy Parlor Tables, and all kinds
 of Upholstered goods. Prices very
 reasonable. Call and see these goods
 before purchasing elsewhere.
JOHN CHRISTIE,
 17 Inglis St.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.
 The proceeds of the Conservatory
 concert in the Opera House Dec. 27th
 will go to start a fund for the pu-
 chase of a grand piano for the use of
 pupils at recitals, concerts etc.
 Five hundred pounds of Ganong's
 Best Chocolates, just received at J.
 M. O'Brien's.
 22-12-2d

We omitted to state that on Mr.
 I. B. Fulton's retirement from the
 staff of Messrs. Blanchard, Bentley &
 Co., he was presented with a hand-
 some and most valuable roller-top
 oak desk by the firm; while his for-
 mer colleagues and officials on the
 ceremonial staff read him a very kind-
 ly worded address and gave him an
 easy-chair.
 Twenty per cent. discount on all
 our confectionery, Saturday and Mon-
 day. J. M. O'Brien.
 22-12-2d

Rev. R. B. Mack, of Selma, came to
 Truro yesterday and was the
 guest of Mrs. Suggatt, Revere Street,
 until today. Returning home he
 was accompanied by his daughter,
 Miss Annie Mack, his son, R. T.
 Mack, Principal of the Truro
 Schools, and his nephew, A. D. Mack,
 principal of Mack Business College,
 who will spend the Christmas holi-
 days at the Selma Parsonage.

Hamilton's & White Candy Co.'s
 Chocolates sold at 20 per cent. dis-
 count at J. M. O'Brien's.
 22-12-2d

Mr. F. C. Hare, Department of
 Agriculture, is a guest at the Stanley.
 Mr. Hare is in the office of the Com-
 missioner of Agriculture, Prof. Rub-
 enstein, and has been visiting the
 chicken fitting stations in the
 Maritime Provinces, assisting to
 pack the poultry for the English
 market. A large shipment has just
 left Truro for the Manchester mar-
 ket. The birds weigh from five to
 eight pounds; and the last assign-
 ment brought sixteen cents a pound.

"Ideal" Fountain Pens for ladies
 and gentlemen, just the things for
 Xmas presents, at J. M. O'Brien's.
 22-12-2d

Secure seats at once for the Con-
 servatory Concert Dec. 27th in the
 Opera House. The best seats are
 going rapidly. Plan of Hall at Mr.
 O'Dell's drug store and Mr. Faulkner's
 music store. Tickets at popular
 prices, 35 and 25 cents.

LIVE AGENT WANTED.
 Man or woman—lady preferred. We
 have pleasant and profitable em-
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 every post office address in Canada or
 United States, for an article of
 great merit which sells at sight. Ex-
 clusive territory given to competent
 agents. Address N. C. Polson & Co.,
 Kingston, Ont.

Mr. William Butchart, so well
 known here, now attached to the
 Commercial Bank of Windsor, in
 Parrsboro, left that town on the
 19th, to visit his mother and sis-
 ters in Toronto.

HANDSOME DOLLS GIVEN AWAY.
 At Messrs. Croscup & Co.'s on Sat-
 urday and Monday. Every lady
 purchaser of \$2.00 and upwards, will
 be given a handsome large doll free.
 Hardwood tables, chairs and rockers
 are given as cash premiums for
 larger purchasers. See Croscup &
 Co.'s adv.

MUSIC AT ST. ANDREW'S.
 The Christmas music in St. An-
 drew's church will be given tomorrow
 evening, when the following pro-
 gramme will be rendered:
 Anthem—
 "And there were Shepherds,"
 Simper.
 Soprano solo—Miss McCully.
 Bass Solo—Mr. A. Hall.
 Anthem—
 "The Prince of Peace." Clare.
 Contralto Solo and Quartette—"An
 Angel's Serenade," from the Can-
 tata of "The Nativity." Contral-
 to solo, Mrs. R. G. Strathie; Mrs.
 McKenzie, Mr. Kent and Mr. Hall.
 Anthem—
 "Brightest and Best," Rubenstein;
 Solo, Mrs. McKenzie.
 Soprano Solo—
 "The Babe of Light and Glory,"
 Dressler, Miss May Conrad, with
 Violin Obligato—Miss Jean McKenzie.
 Mr. Edward Stuart—Organist.

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 We offer to Loan \$1000.00 on
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5 years	\$19 70	\$59 60	\$120 20
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 Other terms on application to
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**The Old Mine
 SYDNEY COAL**
 has just received the first car of this
SUPERIOR COAL
 ever sent to Truro.
 For sale at the old stand foot of
 McMullen Street.
 Telephone 173.
 -12-6d*

MURRAY'S CAB.
 Orders left at R. T. Craig & Co.'s
 and at A. J. Walker & Son's.
 22-12-6d*

ZION BAPTIST CHURCH.
 The Fair given at Zion Baptist
 Church was fairly successful, netting
 about \$97 free from expenses. That
 church desires to thank all the
 friends who contributed in any way
 to its success.
 The address of Mr. Longworth dur-
 ing the Fair was greatly appreciated
 by all.
 Tomorrow night the pastor will
 preach on the Birth of Christ.
 On Monday night, 31st inst., a
 Watch meeting will be held, further
 notice of which will be given.

BUSINESS NEWS.
 Our tables of men's neckwear of
 25 cents and 50 cents, are piled
 up with elegant new Scfs, no trou-
 ble to make a selection. Blan-
 chard, Bentley & Co.
 For Dandruff, rub the head well with
 Bentley's Liniment.
 Fresh Oysters in pint and quart
 cans at W. H. Snook & Co's.
 Oyster crackers, Brownies, One
 Pound Fruit and Sultana Cake at W.
 H. Snook & Co's.
 Pineapples, Bananas, Grapes, Val-
 encia, Jamaica and California
 Oranges at W. H. Snook & Co's.
 Brain Bread Flour; also Ralston's
 Health Oats and Breakfast Food, at
 Ross's, Inglis street.
 We want the best; don't you? We
 want the best trade—yours. You
 want the best goods—ours. R. T.
 Craig & Co.

Almond paste and shelled almonds
 at W. H. Snook & Co's.
 Cups and saucers, 5 o'clock tea and
 cocoa set, away below cost at D. H.
 Smith & Co's.
 S. M. Bentley & Co. have taken con-
 siderable trouble to decorate their
 store show windows for Christmas,
 and the result is, they have one
 of the most attractive store
 fronts in town. It is well worth
 anyone's time to walk a mile to see
 the magnificent display of fruit and
 confectionery at this popular and up-
 to-date grocery store.

FOUND.
 FOUND—A black leather purse. Own-
 er can get the same by calling at the
 'News' office, and paying for this ad.
 9-12-tfd

LOST.
 LOST—At the I. C. R. station yester-
 day, a purse, light brown color,
 with railway ticket. Return to
 'Daily News' office.
 21-12-2d
 LOST—A pair of spectacles in
 case. Finder will please leave the
 same at the 'News' office.
 22-12-2d

Wanted.
 WANTED—A good cap-
 do general housework.
 MRS. W. C. SUMNER
 19-12-6d

For Sale.—TOL
 TO LET—St. Andrew's Cottage, on
 Duke street, furnished or unfurnished.
 All modern improvements. Apply
 to
 MRS. E. C. BIGELOW,
 20-10-tfd
 On the Premises

TO LET—The house next door
 to the Post Office, recently occupied by
 Dr. Eaton. Possession given at once.
 Apply to
 MRS. I. S. JOHNSON
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TO LET.—House on Upper Queen St.
 East, containing nine rooms suit-
 able for a boarding house. Rent moder-
 ate. Possession given August 1st. Apply
 to
 WM. CUMMINGS & SONS,
 9-7-tfd.

FOR SALE—The large warehouse
 and premises recently occupied by the
 Brantford Carriage Co., Limited, on
 Prince Street, Truro, N. S. Ten-
 der are requested by the undersigned.
 H. A. LOVETT,
 Truro, N. S.,
 Agent for Owners.
 1-10-tfd.

Valuable Property For Sale.
 Tenders will be received by the sub-
 scribers up to the 31st December in-
 cluding from parties wishing to purchase
 a lot of land on Prince street between
 the properties of J. A. Hanson and
 F. Cox.
 The highest tender not necessarily
 accepted.
 J. H. TREMAINE,
 A. J. CAMPELLE,
 Executors.
 Truro, Dec. 10th, 1900.
 11, 12, 17d.

TO LET—One store in Black's Bridg-
 Block, Inglis street, steam heated.
 Store first class in every respect. A
 one office on second floor. Apply
 21-12-tfd
BLACK & CO.



**Will Santa Claus
 Bring Slippers?**
 Many a foot wonders if good old Santa
 will bring a pair of nice warm slippers on Chri-
 stmas morning.
 Some are little feet; some are big feet, but
 all feet look alike to Santa Claus—he will
 bring them if you but give him the hint.
 Put "Slippers" on your gift list—Santa Claus
 will do the rest.
 Plenty here to please every taste
KENT'S SHOE STORE,

**NEW GOODS For CHRISTMAS TRADE.
 OPENING THIS MORNING**

SPLENDID COLLECTION OF MENS' SCARFS for 25c, 50c, 60c and 75c,
 Included in this Shipment are some very rich goods in white and cream
OTHER LOT OF MENS' MUFFLERS, new shapes in Silk, Serge, Satin, Corded Silk, etc.
OUR LAST REPEAT ORDER FOR FURS. The Special Prices we made on all our Furs a few weeks ago have resulted in the
 best Fur season we ever had; low prices have doubled the trade.
 Our lot includes Sable ties with eight bunched tails for \$6.90, Sable Muffs, Grey Lamb Gauntlets, Caps, etc.
WE ARE OFFERING great value in Dog-skin Coats and Capes, Coon Coats, Fur Lined Capes.

SPECIAL CHRISTMAS PRICES

Leather Dress Suit Cases, Leather Bags, Trunks, Cardigans, Sweaters, Umbrellas, Gloves, Mitts, Waterproof Coats and Cloaks. Skirts
 Fancy Wool Goods, Shawls, Silks, Dress Goods, Wrappers, Infants Robes, Infants Cloaks, White Lawn Aprons.

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FRIDAY.