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Gaspar Becerra.

is evening fire the artist ed o'er bissecretshame: wary, and dishearten d. e mused, and dreamed of fame.

ous an image of the Yirgin that had tasked his utmost skill; alas! his fair ideal shed and escaped him still.

From a distant eastern island

Hid the procious wood been brought;

Des and night the auxious master At his toil untiring wrought;

ill discouraged and desponding, So he not in shadows deep, and the day's bumiliation Fould oblivion in sleep.

Then a voice cried, "Rise, O master!

Woke, and from the smoking embers Seized and quenched the glowing wood. And therefrom he carved an image, And he saw that it was good.

O thou sculptor, painter, po t! Tak this lesson to thy heart : That is best which lieth meanest; Shape from that thy work of art.

(Written for The Acadian.) My First and Last Night on the Battle Field.

thought of the new life upon which i yield to human nature, and uttered a fast around us, and the dreadful sil no:
was broken only by the measured tread of our men. The silence how I was taken there by the two kepr.
The silence how I was quite a distance from the White Threne, to be judged for "the stand.

self of my encumbering load, and began to view my position. II aring no sound of guns I concluded that the [Longfellow.] battle must be over, which proved to be true as I soon began to hear men ap-

who having so nted its prey int nd d colonel and his daughter were talking placed in his car to rehaving a good evening meal. There in about his daughter who had disd in that lonely place, surrounded you may England. Taking my seat on a trunk! thee?" almost say by wolves, my blood ran near the door I waited the progress of cold in my veins. On they came near- events. Both turned as I came in er and nearer unt'l within rifle shots and the colonel as if by a sudden imthen we fired and a terrible howl rent Pulse took my hard and turning me to and thy daughters were learning lessons the air-we had killed them all with the door said: "You are indeed my of dishonesty, make, and impuelty the comparitive case, but those guns b tray. son-in-law, look child at this mark on ed us. We had no idea we were so his forehead." It was indeed so, after ruffling dresses and making b ant fu n ar the British lin's. We were dis- matters were explained, it was indied covered, and already the pickets had found that I washis daughter's husband, life work?" or to A cools shot of a exchanged shots. We at one; changed Meeting her first in England ; 1 at our position to a more lofty eminence, once decreed that she was the one best tarching and ironing in all our Daylight at last dawn of morn us and I woman heaven had marked for my, we neighborhood!" Daylight at last dawned upon us, and I women heaven had marked for me, we discovered that the seenery was beauti- were married and I found that she had ful, commanding a full view of the plain lan away from home; she only lived below where our enemy was encamped, a month after we were murried, having The buttle began about nine o'clock died of typhoid fever. Knowing the ie full carnest; and it was not long be- Frenc's language I consel to France fore many of our poor follows bit the and joined the army to drown my sor-I fainted. How long I lay there I saidle man retired with a handsome it was well on in the day. I found and sharing it with him. It is now

WHICH IS MOST VALUABLE P A Duty to Children.

I am sadly conscious that thousands proaching, and by their speech I knew of mothers are so over-burdened that the them to be enemies. Realizing at once actual d mands of life, from day to day, consume all their time and stringto. the position in which I was placed I But 'of two evils choose the least;" and

thought of the new life upon which i yield to human nature, and uttered a spare a half hour to read or talk with ladies into a butcher's cast, while the had entered. As the last stroke of command to stop; but I was not to be them—I have seen this woman spend child was fa t ned in a bunch of tellfive died away, the door suddenly opened obeyed, and was marched of a prisoner and a had popping in, told us that we to a s parat camp, guarded by two were six in the washing—one hour in fluting the ruffl's and arranging the punging to the stopping, and continue on the fill the punging to the punging to the punging to the punging to the stopping, and continue on the fill the punging to the pun gether and were fairly on our way, not with standing my position, I had a which were air ady bright and clean; the entire dength of the stor, applied.

The shades of night were now falling good night's rist. Early next morn r.

three hours from our starting we were field of battle, as was also the oth r d ds done in the hody" and branche a startled by the awful howl of the welf, officer's. As I entered the tent the her rip rt of the Ma contract as an assert

T-torrare to for meat

"Where are the boys and girls I gav

"Lord, I was busied ke ping my house clean and in ord r, and ary orildeen wand red away!"

"Where wert thou when thy sons Lord, I was polishing form ture and

"What hast thou to show for the

"The tidi st house, Lord, and the

On! thes children! the children These restless, eager boys and girls whom we love more than our own lives! Shall we devote our time and strength to that which perisheth, while the neh garden of our child's suilles neglected, with four weeds choking out all wirthy and beaut fur growth? Shall we want From the barning brand of oak

Shape the thought that burns within dust. In about an hour's time I re- row, and thus it was that I m.t with the incidentals of life to the rank of a thee!"

The elicity of the rank of a called a wound in my leg, from which my tather incident a handsome whose result reach beyond the tars? cannot say, but on recovering my senses paneion, and insist d upon me going childhood; and pekks window

snowy knep, and and consciousners that I could not move hand or foot, ow- two years since my a lyenture happened, that everyth ng about the househa faulting to the corpses piled upon m. After and I have never had cause to regret lessly bright and clan, will the poor
comfort in that day whi cin we shall
I became stronger I at once freed myiny joining the regement.

discover tint our poor boy's feet have chosen the path that shah take him out of the way to all ctern ty.-

Danger of Dodging.

Maggie Gallagher, of Ginoimata was s nt ne d in the police court to their ty days in pri on and to pay a fine of \$50 for drunkeness. When she beard resolved on stratagem—that of feigning which would you call the leat, an un- one sent nee she buried a heavy inkdead. On they came, turning one body poished stove or an untanglit boy? stand at the judge's head. He dodged, over after another until at latit came my dane, you have failed to cam? Cob-dow and tell to the pay ment, the ink the hour of five, in the hotel at Avignon a person's knee under him until, if he soul a crust has formed so strong that dress and totally running it. The lady, in the south of France. I had enlisted was alive, he could not suppress a groan. you despair of melting it with your not, in trying to shake the ink from her raonly a few hours previous as a common soldier in the 21st regiment, and
but I was not to escape. Suppressing
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EDITORIAL NOTES.

We do not see why some one couldn't erain start the mill on the wharf. It would have paid if our money grabbers change for the worse between the Hants had left it alone long enough. It is a Journal and the Windsor Mail. As and add investment for some one with the Mail, this paper was fast taking enough cash to be independent and its place in the foremost ranks of Prostand on his own feet. It is all very vinc al Journalism. As the Hants fine to talk about American enterprise Journal it has lost much ground and and how far the Unit d States is shead of at. It is no conundrum why our young men all leave as soon as they can MUNICIPAL COUNCIL. get enough money to go with. It is too bed to have the bone and sinew of Jan. 8th. 1884-Warden Charles our country driven away just because Eaton Clerk L. DeV. Chipman Treas. a few people cannot stand a little bus. T. L. Dodge re-elected, the and stir here. If these nervous one, The greater part of the day was taken cannot stand it let them seek "some up in passing road returns and receiv, lone and pleasant dell some valley in ing petitions for new roads appointing the (far, far,) west" where free from the diff rat committees and routing 'nasty dirty mechanics' they can wor work. ship only their own sweet selves and : A Protest from rate payers of Ward feel regardless as to whether any one 9 against the action of the Assessor else subsists or not., Every one has not of the other Wards of the County and had the good fortune to be born with a charging them with making unjust and ailver spoon in their mouth. Come now illegal assessments, was presented which Wolfville, do shak off this sleepiness and protest was a gued by some of the leadrealise that this world is good for some- ing men in the ward and requesting the thing besides to sleep in. Acadia College Council to readjust the assessment roll may be a great institution but it can not possibly support us all nor is it can able of making or building up a town such as Wolfville could and should be.

wh never you let any one fully persuade ed and read, Clerk suggesting that some you that you can afford to put a certain action be taken against delinquent amount into a silver mine, a cotton fac- Surveyers (and there appeared to be tory, a ship or some other equally un- many) to the end that all persons liable sertain stock in some other place then to perform statute labor should be comturn around and place it in some ent r. P prize at home. Even should it fail you tabled for discuss on to-morrow. inst ad of a poor slapy haml t, which that purpose were it not for its educational institu- A number of reports from the Super-

We are pleased to note that our vis- reporting thereen. iting friends from outside the village Pet.tion from fate payers of Ward 7 vulgar boy; say harsk."

hitching their teams across the side running at large in that Ward. Also walks. We tender them the thanks of three petitions containing 124 signatures the community.

in its Xmas and New Year numbers. names read, there appeared 79 signs-It deserves great credit for its enter, tures out of the 124 of persons residing

they are so blockaded in places as to be be reconsidered at next meeting. almo t impassable, and women and children have to take to the roads and run their chances of being run over by our fast teams. We see visions of broken limbs and sick bods/in the future.

We are sorry to see the marked we regret it exceedingly.

which was laid upon the table and reso' lution passed that it some up for argu, ment on the following Thursday.

Report from the Just es appointed Give your own place a chance and to pr pare Statute labor r turas receiv, lied to do so if able. The matter

will be none the poorer your town will Jan. 10th .- The matter of road re be that much better off and beid a you post came up tais morning and after Ton times out of ten, you will feel betwill run a great risk of some day seeing some discussion the reports were handed Wolfville a prosp rous and storing town over to the Committee appointed for much more satisfactorily settled than if

tions would be as unknown to the out. visor of Comwallis received and act d side world as the most obscure wilds of upon account received from William Eat in for service in connection with preparing Statute Labor returns and corrected the pronunciation of a fellow-

have almost stopped the nuisance of containing 113 signatures against cattle asking for cont nuation of regulation permitting them to run. The three The Hfz. Herald made a big spread aliverse petittions being chall need and outside of Section. Action was taken upon these petitions and the prayer of Nothing has been done yet towards the former was adopted. Notice howclearing our side walks, consequently ever was tabled that the matter would

Stopping a paper does not stop the paper.

Ever since papers have been published, certain individuals have attempted to squelch them by ordering their own part cular copy discontinued. This has probably happened in the experience of every publisher at various times. Every ed tor who is manly and straightforward is apt to publish something in the course of every year which does not accord with the opinions of some of his readers or, perhaps, a majority of them. Under our system of free thought and speech, this is expected and cheerfully tolerated by all reasonable people. But occasionally, some one considers him self personally aggrieved by something published in his paper and hastens to "stop" it, thinking he has thereby given a retaliating blow to the publisher There he labors under a mistaken idea. If the editor is consistent and guided by principle, he will listen to the comrlaints of his subscriber and give him the benefit of a reply to the offensive article; and furthermore, he is pretty sure to seen a the friendship of two others by his consistency while he is losing that of the offended party. At any rate, the support of any paperfrom the largest city daily down to the smallest country paper-is not de. rived from its subscription list; a half-dozen subscribers more or less, are of little account to any publisher, as his Card season we had concealed secure support comes from the patronage of from sight a very pretty and attractive his advertising columns and job depart stock of Birthday and Scripment. Of course, all editors desire as ture Text Cards. These we large a reading audience as possible, but want to show you before any one else their hearts are not broken by the loss sees them, so that you can have first if you have a grievance, go to the edi- goods, but as this is strictly confidential tor like a man and explain it to him. ter about it, and have your trouble you hast, n to secure his ill-will-Woodstock Independent.

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A Telegraph line from Wolfville to Gasperean is not talked of. It is a good move and we nope it will be care held by the Oddfellows Lodge in their ried out. In view of the limited mail hall last evening was a grand success accommodation it should and will prove A goodly number attended and all had a great boon to both places. It will a good time. Good prices were realized connect with the Acadia Rapid Teleston terspected with literary matter made

The Fruit Growers' Association holds

S. OF T.—At a regular meeting of Wolfville Division No. 112 S. of T. on Tuesday evening Jan. 8th. 1884 the following officers were installed for the ensuing quarter:—

W. P.—G. V. Rand. W. A.—B.
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WEATHER.—Well yes the weather rather sticks us. To particularize would take columns, so we refrain.

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An immense ball was given by Mr. and Mrs. Barciay Webster in Scotia Hall on Tuesday evening. About 100 couples were present and a very enjoy-able evening was spent.

The Wolfville editor of the Western Chronicle has an article on fast driving in the streets this week. We entirely agree with him though the nuisance has largely abated in this place since the discussion last year.

The Opera of Patience was performed to crowded houses two nights last week in Windsor by an amateur com-Wolfville Division is changing its pany under the management of C. E. alght of meeting for the winter to Tues-D-Wolf Esq. Judge of Probate, Several Hulifax, Windsor, and Kentville amateurs took part.

graph Company's lines now in operation terspersed with literary matter made privately in this place. The privately in this place.

RUNAWAY,-Two of these interestits annual meeting in Witter's Hall on ing events happened yesterday. First the 15th, inst at 2 o'clock P. M. The Mr. E. D. B shop's horse started from Association dinner will be provided at the station, overturning a large express the Village House on the evening of wagon and himself but no serious damthat day, when it is expected H a Honor age done. Then Mr. J. O. Harrie's the Lieut. Governor of Nova Scotia, mare ran away from the station with sleigh. Result sleigh badly wrecked but no other damage. In addition ing and instructive meeting is confident.

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catives, at four; the aristocracy

or of the business public. e in the cres ?" asked ore "Comod Seastor art at five." Well el, he drout dine till next day."

Now England lady was asking her the charday about a waiteress she was to hire, and said: "Mary, is she Irish ?" "No, Ma'sm." said Mary, she irish? No, Ma'am, salu hury, whe's American." What is her name, Mary "Rridget O'Connor, ma'am." "No, ma'am; she was born in Lynn." No, ma'am; she was born in Lynn." The mak's no difference, which was no difference, and the mak's not difference, and the mak's not difference Mary; the is not an Amer can "W. I. in faith, perhaps she sin't, ma'am.

When a tailor makes no his men ! at does he do with the remnants?

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