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Hath risen to passionate breath.

It hath laughed in the sunlight and star light,
Hath trilled to the breeze and the dew,
And fallen, to stir in some far night,
And all the old gladness renew.

O moon of the harvest's rich glory,
Thy banners outflame in the sky,
And under thee men write the story
That cries to the heaven for trepsy—
The story of work and endeavor,
Of burden and weakness and strength,
The story that goes on forever,
Through centuries dragging its length.

And thou, ever radiant and golden, And thou, ever radiant and golden,
Thou moon of the latest year's prime,
What sight thine eye hath beholden,
No grief to thy pathway may climb,
As over the fields that are reapen
At evening, and level and shorn.
Thou pourest thy splendors that deepen
The rose and the silver of morn.

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The New Cook.

BY MRS. GRAHAM LEE

more work to do if there was a guest in the house; soon after I told her you were com-Let me see-where was I? 'One of butter, two of sugar, four eggs.' Now, Margaret, you need not beat those eggs. I declare it is a shame to invite you here and then Iut you out in the kitchen to work!"

Here pretty Mrs. Thorne paused to take Margaret looked up at her friend and laughed—a low, hearty laugh, that was good to hear—and continued to beat the foaming white mass on the plate she held. If you had heard Margaret Moore laugh without seeing her face you would have had an instantaneous desire to behold it, then you would have wished to know the owner; acknowledge in her secret heart that the not that it was a beautiful face; it was sin ply bright and happy. Her voice matched the laugh in her low, sweet tones.

"You are the same old Lutie. I cannot see that a husband and a boy have changed you in the least. I am sorry for your sake that your cook has gone, but you need not worry on my account. I am never so happy as when busy at some piece of houseworkespecially cooking. You must remember that I have had a very practical education. At home we girls always managed the house.

"That explains your knowing how to do everything. Ah, Margaret, what a mistake daughters! I am forever in a muddle of ome kind. You would be surprised and shocked if I told you of some of the mistakes I have made since I have been housekeeping, and it is all owing to my not having been taught when I was a little girl at home. When I have a good servant everything goes on well, but it is often the case that I am obliged to put up with a poor one, and she ust ever remain so for I cannot teach her

that Margaret did not laugh, but helped her with the cake and changed the subject. Supper time came. Mr. Thorne was he from the bank and little Robbie from school Margaret had made a dish of salad, and the

cake was pronounced delicious. "I don't see but what we get along very well without a cook," said Mr. Thorne, helpng himself a second time to the salad. That is because Margaret is here."

Never mind-she is going to teach me all she knows. I shall surprise you yet," said the little wife hopefully. He laughed, rose from the table and was about to leave the room when he drew a let-

ter from his pocket. "Here is a note from Aunt Sarah, pet; had almost forgotten it." Mrs. Thorne opened the scented envelope and read the note inside in silence, but her

face was eloquent with disappointment and What in the world is the matter, Lute?' said Margaret, anxiously, "Is any one sick or dead? I never saw you look so hope-

"Aunt Sarah and Mary are coming here. " Is that all?"

Why, Margaret, you have no idea what a horrid woman Aunt Sarah is. She and Mary come and stay a month at a time. think I ought to be, too, and never excuse a mistake. As Mr. Thorne's aunt, Aunt Sarah thinks she is privileged to look into my clos ets and cupboards-and-well, you know they are always more or less stirred up. 1 do straighten things once in a while, but they wont stay that way long. I don't profess to be a model housekeeper, but it is so aggravating to see her snub and fuss with me! She is a regular spy, and Mary is just

Having thus freed her mind, Lutie tranquilly finished her supper. Then they talked the matter over seriously. "In the first place we must get a cook at any price," said Lutie. "And it is almost sible to engage a good one at such

"If they are coming to-morrow evening. it would be better to put the house in order first. Let your washerwoman come and scour everything in the kitchen and pantry; you and I can see to the rest of the hous and bake up some nice things to tickle Aunt Sarah's palate."

"You are just lovely! If Aunt Sarah is neat she can't begin to cook as you do. only wish she could taste some of your dainty "How long will they stay? I do not think you finished reading the letter, you

Lutie took up the note and read: "So sor ry, but we can remain with you but a few days."
"Isn't that just splendid? I might get a
girl who would be willing to come for so

"Please, mum, would I suit?" said Margaret, dropping a courtesy,"
"Don't joke now, dear. I am in such

"I was never more in earnest in my life." Lutie opened her gray eyes to their widest extent, while her friend proceeded to explain

"I have not met your aunt and cousin, and do not wish to. It will be such fun Pray let me do it, Lutie. It has rained so since I came that no one has called, and so no one knows I am here. I have been playing the fine lady in town for the past six months; it would be as refreshing to be the new cook for a little while."

So Lutie finally consented to the plan. "How did you enjoy your visit at your ncle's?" she inquired, as they washed the dishes and arranged the table for the next

in an elegant mansion in one of the mest tashionable streets in the city, and entertain a deal of company. It was a great pleasure to me to go to the opera. Aunt insisted on giving me all of my party dresses, and I dare say I passed for a young lady who had been reared in the lap of luxury, and knew noth-ing of the common duties of life."

'A gentleman from this place, a great friend of ours, was in the city last winter, attending lectures. I wonder if you met him-Doctor Stone?"

Margaret's face flushed. "Yes, he came to the house quite often He is related to one of aunt's friends. I did not know he lived here."

"He is not here now, and I am glad, fo Aunt Sarah and Mary will be disappointed. I have no doubt that is the object of their visit. Aunt is determined Mary shall capture him, and I am afraid the poor fellow will be bound to yield."

The next day was a very busy one for the two friends. When night came everything was in perfect order; not a closet had been neglected. It is safe to say Mrs. Thorne's house had never been in such a state before. The pantry was filled with good things, and Lutie was fairly dumb with astonishment at the marvelous results attained by her friend. The guests arrived late in the evening.

Aunt Sarah was one of the patronizing kind

of women, Mary, a pale, languid woman of

thirty-three, whose beauty was a thing of the past but with very girlish ways. The next morning Aunt Sarah looked with wondering eyes at the breakfast table. The china and silver were the same, but somehow there was something new in their arrange ment. Then when Lutie poured out the amber coffee, clear and strong, and delicious with rich cream. Aunt Sarah looked really injured. If there was anything she was proud of, it was knowing how to make good coffee. Lutie always had a lecture on this subject. This morning she was forced to

coffee was superior to her own. Then she turned her attention to the mea It lay upon her plate, smoking hot, a deli-cate piece of broiled ham with butter gravy. Then the bread-plain biscuit baked a pal brown, and croquettes made of chickencould anything be nicer? One thing she was certain of, however, it was not Lutie's doing "You must have a new cook," said Mary

"Is she a good gir!" \_\_
"Oh, yes, very good!" answered Lutie,
with a twinkle in her eye, as Margaret entered just then with a plate of hot biscuit. Aunt Sarah looked up and scanned her "A very genteel looking girl," thought she, "and the best cook Lutie ever had."

After breakfast came the tour of inspection, and Lutie laughed to herself to see ho disappointed her aunt looked as they re turned to the sitting room with no subject for a lecture. She would have been still in that lady's mind. It was this: "I shall offer that girl higher wages to come and live

"I am sorry Dr. Stone is not in town said Lutie, expecting to see her guests look crestfallen. But Mary answered briskly:

"Oh, yes, he is! He came in on the same train that we did." "Well, really!" said Lutie, inwardly "There! As usual I have made nuddle, when I was so anxious that Dr. Stone should fall in love with Margaret. Now I have left the field clear for that abomnible Mary, and Margaret in the kitchen

She went out to her friend and tried to persuade her to abandon her plan. She was "I do not see any danger in it. He need

not see me. Let Miss Mary have full chance, and you can report what headway she makes.' Doctor Stone came and called, came again

and spent the evening with his friends. A week passed, and the guests said nothing "We are in for a month's siege," groaned

Soon after this the doctor called, one af ernoon, and found Lutie alone. She began question him about his winter in the city. "I had a friend spending the season there Margaret Moore. Did you meet her?" she asked, looking at him with innocent eyes. The young man changed color.

"Yes, I met her very often." "You liked her-you could not help it, said she, eagerly. "I remember now that you once told m

you wished I would fall in love with this friend of yours," said he, with a sad smile. "And so you did," thought Mrs. Thorne "She is very charming," he continued, very lovely; but she would not be the

right kind of wife for me. I am a poor man, a physician, and when I marry it must be with a girl who has had a practical educa-Miss Moore has been tenderly reared by wealthy relatives. If you could see her as I did, sparkling with diamonds and arrayed in costumes whose cost would be a whole year's income to me, you would not vonder that I fought back the love I felt for her. Such a marriage would only bring un-

excused herself and ran up-stairs to Margaret's room, where she laughed until she ried, but refused to explain to any one the

Doctor Stone had a very argent invitation to dine at the Thornes' the next day, and the dinner was a marvel of culinary art. Lutie telt a little nervous when she tapped the hell, and noticed that Margaret hesita ted a moment as she opened the door and saw the trap that had been laid for her; but it was only for a moment. She then came forward and performed her duties.

Doctor Stone and Aunt Sarah were having a very interesting discussion, and probably he would not have noticed Margaret if she had not called his attention to her. "This is the girl whose cooking we have been praising," she said, more de than ever to coax her away.

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"Don't you think-did you not notice the

" Your servant and Miss Moore."

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Mr. Thorne looked as if he were going to speak, but a little private telegram from his wife made him change his mind.

The men started away soon after dinner.
Lutie managed to whisper to the doctor that the date of the township of Wicklow, Hastings county, follows the threshing machine some months.

Aunt Sarah and Mary would be out the next evening, and if he would call she thought subject to attacks of inflammatory rheumashe could explain the resemblance. He tiam. The disease usually made its appearlooked more mystified than ever, but promised he would come.

The disease usually made its appearance in the fall, and continued throughout the winter, causing not only much suffering

Lutie came in and told the story in such and the pain he endured almost passed comblind and foolish he had been. The words he could not utter three months before to this elegant Miss Moore now trembled on his

Then advertised medicines were tried but lips. Lutie, seeing this, slipped away.

Aunt Sarah and Mary returned to be introduced to the future Mrs. Stone, and were dumb from wrath. The next train carried a considerable sum, and yet I would most them home, Lutie secretly hoping they might stay there. As they believe she was the chief offender in this plot to circumvent their But all my expenditures seemed of no avail. and I began to despair of a cure. At this Margaret makes the doctor an excellent juncture, acting on the advice of a friend, I wife and has never for a moment regretted the time when she acted as "the new cook." first six boxes I used seemed from outward appearances to have had no effect, and I felt almost like giving up in despair. I thought Free drinking of water produces effects trial for one in my condition and I procured pon the kidneys, and tissues of the body a further supply. By the time I had used generally, no less important than those we three boxes more there was a co

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frequenting the daily newspaper office here.
There were ten men in it—editors and reporters. I knew them all—a lot of bright, tally fellows. The work were head of the strong Again.

porters. I knew them all—a lot of bright, jolly fellows. The work was hard, the hours late, the meals irregular. Every man in the office drank but one, a reporter, Ben Perry.

"I inquired for the boys to-day. Three had died from drinking; six were holding inferior positions in newspaper offices. "Habits bad,' said my informant, "They could not make their way, and so fell lower and lower. Perry's head was always clear and he was regular at his work. He is editor in-

chief of one of the principal newspapers in a seaboard city. He had not half the natural The English law against shop lotteries ollity of at least three of the others.' appears to be very strict. A small confec"These are facts," said the doctor. "I tioner was lately brought up in the Westadvise you who are beginning life to consid- minster Police Court for permitting a lottery er them. I know, as a physician, that no on his premises. It seems that there was in American with his nervous organization in the shop a box full of envises tightly maked together and called by the children quor without injury to his health and without in greater or less degree hindering his penny and drew out an envelope. On this

It took considerable strategy to make Margaret put on her most becoming dress and go to the door when the bell rang. She thought Lutie meant misohief, and when Dr. Stone stepped into the hall and took both of her hands in his, saying, "Can it be possible that it was you I saw yesterday, or have you just arrived? Pray explain this mystery," she felt sure it was all a plot, and was unable to say a word.

Lutie came in and told the story in such a way that Dootor Stone saw at once how and the pain he endured almost passed com-

have been considering. There is every improvement noticeable, and from that day reason to believe, from observations, the nature of which it is unnecessary for me to state, that the increased excretion of urine til I was feeling in every respect like a new which follows the drinking of plenty of man. I believe, too, that the cure is water, not only clears the body of many manent for I have not known what it is to poisonous and effete substances, but is itself suffer with rheumatism since.

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It would take up too much space to attempt to enumerate the 75c. will purchase \$1.00 the original prices of which were extremely low. Our prices and values this year have been convincing to our customers what prompt Our Ladies' Blouse Waists were acknowledged to be

the best make and values in the trade. Nevertheless, we will include Dress Goods, Challies, etc., etc., 75c. on the \$1.00. Special Discount on Ready-made and so on down to 15c. per yd.

CASH SALE! For sale at Blouse Waists, Capes & Straw Sailor Hats.

> Until sold out we offer the balance of the above mentioned lines at the following low figures, viz.: WAISTS BLOUSE Marked for this sale only 60c

Marked for this sale only 75c Marked for this sale only 85c Choice of the lot for only \$1.00 Ladies' and Misses' Cloth Capes.

> Marked for this sale at 70c each Marked for this sale at 95c each Marked for this sale at \$1.00 aach Marked for this sale at 1.15 each Marked for this sale at 1.30 each Marked for this sale at 1.40 each

Marked for this sale at 1.50 each Marked for this sale at 2.50 each LADIES' AND MISSES' SAILOR STRAW HATS.

We have still a nice variety, comprising White, Black, Navy, Brown and mixed effects, from 20c. to \$1.50 each. All to close out at a Great Reduction.

Colorings: Black, Navy, Brown, Fawns, Tans, Tabac and Red. These goods at all

STRONG & WHITMAN.

CRAND CASH SALEL

PRINTS, SEERSUCKER and FT.ANNELETTE GOODS

		200 TOH 1-1		100				Former Price.	Reduced to
10 r	pieces	LIGHT AN	D DARK	PRINT	rs, -	1750 - 76.	-	7c.	5c.
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21	"	66	"	"				14c.	10c.
3	"	SEERSUC	KER.	r <b>-</b> 1000		-		8c.	6c.
25	"	FLANNEI		ANCY S	STRIPES	3, 32-in.	wide,	10c.	7c½

MEN'S SHIRTS

5 dozen Men's Negligee Shirts, attached Collars and Cuffs, 5 dozen Men's Regetta Shirts, 2 Collars and 2 Cuffs separate,

60c. Several lines of Dress Goods, Capes,

48c.

Gloves, Parasols, Hose, Waists, etc., which will be closed out at very low prices to make room for

JOHN LOCKETT & SOM

The Weekly Monitor, —Canada's deficit for the fiscal year ending July 1st was \$523,739, exclusive of an expenditure of 3,705,611 on capital account. At Bridgetown, Annapolis Co., N. S. Oysters are being successfully cultivated in French Basin. Last year Mr. Alfred Robinson deposited three barrels of young bivalves in the mud there and last week he examined the bed and found the oysters had M. K. PIPER. Proprietor and Publis.

JOHN R. PUDSEY, Manager.

Established 1873.

-We advocated incorporation before th

firm belief that if the Town's Incorporation

Act were adopted we would enjoy a better

our townsmen have placed themselves in position to secure all the advantages to be

lerived therefrom. But we must be care

ures; to avoid the evils that follow in

ful to avoid all rash steps and improviden

the wake of a step well begun but improper

ly carried out. A successful vote for con

porate rights does not, of itself, remedy

abuses or procure benefits. It is quite pos-

sible to continue the present loose and un-

possible to inaugurate a marked and ben

satisfactory state of affairs, and it is equally

change. The electors have but begun a good

work and nothing should influence them to

elect any but clean, honest and capable mer

t) administer the town affairs. There are

plenty of good men in the town who have

faith in its efficacy as a remedy for many ex isting evils; men who can no doubt be in

vorked for incorporation and have a hearty

duced to accept the responsibility of testing

the product of their own work. And surely

the men who advocated the adoption of the measure are better calculated to secure its

success than those who opposed it. As wat

are brought face to face with the necessity

where the champions of partisan politics are

their party cry; political lines should not be

Mayor and Aldermen. We want good men,

men of probity, it matters not of what pol-

at the council board with men who will uphold the dignity of their position and in whose hands the various services of its town may

-Several of the striking Pennsylvania mi-

flicts between the strikers and the militia.

when he was sentenced to a term of imprisonment for inciting the men to violence.

the province more than a day's journey from

the commercial centres. Railroads encour-

has even now set in, may reach the remotest

Scotia will stand easily first among the provinces of the Dominion in respect to her rail

age. Russia will have a famine to face in a

few months. Every precaution is being

taken to guard against such a calamity, but

even the government's gold cannot purchase

what is not for sale, and if the world's supply

of that great market, someone must starve. In any case there will be much suffering

almost impossible to guard against actual

starvation in some districts. It will be re-

membered that in spite of the possibilities of obtaining an abundant supply from outside

the recent failure of India's wheat crop re-

sulted in the loss of thousands of lives. The

true gravity of the situation did not appear

till the country was gripped by the fingers

of absolute want. Whether it will be pos-

-The new premier of Spain seems deter-

mined to pursue the policy of his predecessor in regard to the subjection of the Cuban in-

surgents. Weyler is still at the head of the

Spanish army in Cuba, and though fifty

thousand men have been thinned from his

ranks since the opening of the campaign he

is still acting on the aggressive and a crisis is rapidly approaching. The talk of United

and while the Cubans continue to receive occasional aid from filibustering expeditions

they have evidently given up all hope of be-

ing materially aided by the American govern-

ment. It is quite doubtful whether they will, under the circumstances, continue the

submission they will no doubt be able to obtain a considerable degree of autonomy and while this will fall far short of the goal for

which they have striven, it will still go far to compensate for the loss of life and property that their unavailing strike for absolute free dom has entailed.

Massachusetts Benefit Society.

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sible to gauge Russia's requirements mo

clearly remains to be seen.

of wheat is not sufficient to meet the demand

to be allowed the privilege of shouting their

administration of town affairs.

Terms: \$1.00 per annum in advance. WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 15th, 1897. -The D. A. R. steamer, Prince Edward, veraged 15½ knots on her first trip to Boston.

-The steamer Yarmouth carried 500 passengers from Yarmouth to Boston on the 4th. —Mr. Arthur Lawson, of Windsor, now has charge of the Commercial Bank Agency at Middleton. Mr. L. A. Dodge is teller. object of the act is to accomplish this and

The plates from which jubilee stamps were printed have been destroyed. —The following militia change has been gazetted. 72ad, 2nd Annapolis batt. No. 3 Co. —To be 2nd Lt. provisionally, Sergt. Arthur Pryor Dodge, vice Andrews pro-

-The Tremont Iron Co., who held leases of valuable mining property, south of Tor-brook mines, have transferred their holdings

—The St. John exhibition opened yester-day. Premier Laurier and Ministers Tarte, Davies, and Fisher were present. —A meeting of the Bank of Nova Scotia shareholders will be held November 2nd, to consider the advisability of increasing the capital, in pursuance of a resolution of the directors. The paid-up capital is now \$1,500,000, the full amount authorized; and it has a reserve of \$1,500,000.

-The contract for the Midland Railway from Windsor to Truro has been signed. Contractor Reid says the road will be open for traffic by October 1898.

—It is reported that the D. A. R. "Flying Bluenose" expresses will be run all winter on Mondays and Thursdays. -The Baptist Church at Paradise will be

thoroughly renovated this fall and fitted with a new furnace. right men may be found when the electors -W. G. Parsons, barrister, of Middleton, was married last Thursday to Miss Carrie Westhaver, of Mahone Bay. of electing them. Above all things politics should be left severely alone. Our town must not be converted into a political arena

—Mr. E. G. Langley left yesterday for St. John with his speedy mare, Lucille B. She is entered in four of the exhibition races and will be driven by Mr. W. F. Gibbons. The Flying Bluenose express last Wednesday was tastefully decorated with bridal wreaths and flags and a floral "Good Luok" with matters not of what polplexion, and the electors should litical differences in filling the seats. R, to Mr. Geo. Wilson, of Moncton. itical complexion, and the electors should forget political differences in filling the seats

—The shooting season is now fairly open for big and small game. The rabbit is pro-tected till October 1st. -Mr. F. W. McLeod, of Middleton,

imported a fast and highly bred brood mare, by Onward, from the United States. —Messrs. Hunter and Crossley, the evangelists, will open their meetings in Bridgetown next Sunday. Mr. Hunter will conduct the service in the Baptist Church in the morning and Mr. Crossley in the Methodist. Both will be at the Presbyterian service in the afternoon, after which a meeting for men only will be held in the Methodist Church. ners were shot down by soldiers last week, at Latimore, because the sheriff was too apprehensive of danger and gave the order to fice before there was any certainty that the mb intended to attack the guard. It was deplorable action and its effect on the t ouble that now exists may be serious.

The men who were kitled were all foreigners. George Brown, of Windsor, was the successful tenderer for excavating reservoir and laying pipe for the Lawrencetown water supply. Several carloads of pipe are already on hand and the work will be pushed rapidand the public indignation is not so great as it would have been had the victims been American citizens. But, foreigners though they were, there are hundreds of men in the ly forward.

ranks of the striking thousands who claimed. -The new Presbyterian Church at Midthem as comrades and who will not soon forileton will be opened next Sunday. It was built by Messrs. S. F. & W. F. Roop & Co., is a pretty little church, the interior arrange-ments being particularly pleasing. get the death that was dealt them. It will make a settlement of the miners' trouble a more difficult matter to bring about and it may be the signal for a series of bloody con-

-Mr. A. D. Sterling, of Middleton, occupied the Presbyterian pulpit here Sunday Eugene V. Debs, the labor leader, who is —Stray horses and cattle are apparently allowed the freedom of the town. Many complaints have been heard from property owners who have suffered from their deprecredited with anarchistic sentiments, is advocating the cause of the miners, but he ex hibits a remarkable patience in the face of

very trying conditions. He is using his influence to effect a pacific settlement and evi Furs, Furs.-W. E. Palfrey has made arrangements to have anything in this line made to order. You will do well to see him before purchasing. A full stock expected in a few days, which will be sold very cheap. dently is a wiser man than he was at the time of the great railway strike in Chicago,

-Gents' Winter Underwear. An ime stock just opened at W. E. Palfrey's -What a network of railways will traverse -Fall and Winter Dry Goods in all lines riving weekly at W. E. Palfrey's. 25 li Nova Scotia when the Coast Railway has been pushed on to Halifax; the Midland —The Bridgetown merchants are stocking up with fall and winter goods and in some places the sidewalks are encumbered with completed, and the several projected branches in the eastern counties and our own Granville places the sidewalks are encumbered with the empty packing cases. These may be left there to show the volume of business transand Victoria Beach line have materialized. We have even now an excellent and far acted by the merchant, but they make un-sightly advertisements and constitute ob-structions that should be removed. reaching service, but when when these new links are forged there will be no portion of

"—The D. A. R are offering cheap excursion rates to the Farmer's Picnic to held here next Friday.

age industry, and set a new value on any section of country through which they pass, and any increase in our present system can but be regarded with favor by those who the regarded with favor by those who the statement of the system of the -A well known Montreal business man have the best interests of the country at heart. What railroads have done in the dopredicts that in ten years the maritime pro-vinces will manufacture everything they re-quire and be entirely independent of the velopment of the Annapolis Valley they may be expected to do for other portions of the province; they will open up the country so

— Mr. J. N. Barss, of Melvern Square, met with quite a painful accident while in camp at Aidershot a few days ago. While jumping he dislocated a small hone just below his knee and the accident was such an unusual one that it was some time before the camp surgeon could locate the injury. Mr. Barss was taken to his home on a stretcher has been subtaged cores, and will likely be that the tide of prosperity which, we are told, corner of our sea girt Nova Scotia. With the completion of the projected lines Nova

by the ambulance corps, and will likely be laid up for some weeks.

among the Russian peasantry and it will be

—The ladies of the Baptist church intend holding a tea meeting next Friday on the grounds of Mr. A. Curry near the Driving Park.

—Our townsman, Mr. John Ervin, in Monday's Halifax Chronicle advocates the extension of the Central Railway from Middleton through Clareace and on to Johnston's Point near Digby Gut.

—Our townsman, Mr. John Ervin, in mice range of fancy mixed goods from 18cts, per yd. upwards. Strong & Whitman. II —Just received a large stock of Hay Wire which we are quoting very low in large lots. H. W. Benson.

—Dwight L. Moody, the celebrated evan-gelist, will make a Canadian tour this autumn and is expected in Halifax late this month.

-For sale cheap, a quantity of choice No. 1 and No. 2 shingles. T. G. Bishop, BUTTER WANTED. -W. E. Palfrey wants any quantity of good tub Butter at once. Price advanced.

Lost.—Between Clarence Baptist Church and Bridgetown, a gold brooch. The finder will be rewarded by leaving at Robert Mar-shall's, Clarence, or at this office. Toronto, Sept. 9.—At Osgoode Hall today, the appointment of Mr. Thos. E. P.
Sutton, formerly manager for Canada of the
Massachusetts Benefit Life Assurance Company, as liquidator in the winding up of the
Canadian assets and affaits of the company,
was made permanent. The assets, including
the company's deposit of \$100,000 with the
Government at Ottawa, amount to about a
hundred and forty thousand dollars. It is
anticipated that the United States creditors
of the defunct concern will seek to have the
Canadian assets to satisfy their claims irre.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

The King's Canadian Hussars, and 68th, 72nd and 93rd battalions of infantry, completed twelve days' drill at camp Aldershot, on Saturday. In many respects he camp was the most successful ever held in Nova Sootia. Six hours and a quarter of solid drill were put in daily, and the result achieved was very satistatory to the camp authorities. The review and sham fight on Friday was successfully carried out in the presence of between 4,000 and 5,000 spectators.

At two o'clock the infantry battalions, each headed by their regimental band, and Mrs. A. McDonald and her three children, of Hantsport, have been the guests of her sister, Mrs. C. Norman, and her neice, Mrs. N. Walker, of Bridgetown, for the past three weeks.
Dr. M. G. E. Marshall will at his office Hon. Acty. General Longley has returned from his trip to England.

Rev. Z. L. Fash has accepted the coall of the Gottingen Street, North Baptist church, Halitax.

At two o'clock the infantry battalions, each headed by their regimental band, and the King's Canadian Hussars, left their private parades and proceeded to a spot above the staff lines, where they were formed in mass of quarter columns. Musketry Instructor Corbin then called to the front the men in each corps who had won the prizes for rifle shooting, generously donated by the minister of militia, and Mrs. Borden made the presentations in a very graceful manner. At the conclusion of the presentation each corps performed the march past to music furnished by the brigaded bands. Five rounds of blank ammunition per man were then issued, and the eagerly looked for sham fight was in order. The 68th and 72nd battalions and a troop of cavalry were pitted against the 93rd battalion and the remaining cavalry troops. The battle was short and lively while it lasted, but it was difficult for the spectators to decide which side secured a victory.

Sergt. Creighton, of the Hussars, was quite badly hurt while preparing for the cavalry charge; his horse stumbled and fell, hurling its rider to the ground. The animal, in struggling to reggin his feet, trampled on Creighton's head, cutting and bruising him him in a frighful manner. He was carried in an unconscious condition to one of the tents. It required quite a number of stitches to close his wounds, which were found to be pretty serious. Creighton was a member of the Canadian jubilee contingent, and is considered quot of the most efficient men in Inscorps.

At the conclusion of the sham fight, the

At the conclusion of the sham fight, the At the conclusion of the sham fight, the troops were again brigaded, and before being dismissed, were briefly addressed by Lieut. Col. Irving, D. O. C., who warmly complimented them on their efficiency, and expressed his hearty thanks for the punctuality and zeal, which all ranks had displayed in the discharge of their duties. The troops responded with rousing cheers for the Queen, Hon. Dr. Borden and the D. O. C.

Lieut. Col. Manusel, D. O. C., of New Brunswick, inspected the infantry in camp.

The second brigade camp tor this district was inaugurated yesterday, when the 69th Annapolis, 75th of Lunenburg, and 78th of Colchester went under canvas.

Eel Grass Trade.

(Yarmouth News.) (Yarmouth News.)

The eel grass business is becoming quite an industry in and about Yarmouth, and it seems destined to become a valuable local enterprise in time. The grass is gathered and pressed, and then shipped to a firm in Boston, who make a specialty of it and have a ready demand for all that can be procured. The finished product is fire-proof and is used for several purposes in building, such as packing between floors, etc. It also acts as a non-communicant of sound and is used in this way also. Two hundred tons of the grass, pressed and ready for shipment, came over the Coast railway yesterday from Pubnico. Charles R. Stoneman is actively engaged in the business. Last year he rubnico. Charles K. Stoneman is actively engaged in the business. Last year he shipped forty tons to Boston, and this year he expects to ship four times that amount. One or two other persons are also engaged in the business and find it profitable.

The Story of the Prince Edward. The "Story of the Prince Edward," is the title of an illustrated brochure that has reached the editor's sanctum. It tells where reached the editor's sanctum. It tells where the new 19 knot steamer, that the D. A. R. has placed on the Yarmouth-Boston route, was built, by whom she was built, how she was built and why she was built. That she is fast, the record of her trial runs assures us; that she is safe may be judged from the fact that she was built by a firm that is engaged in the construction of British war believe and the illustrations show that her ships; and the illustrations show that her appointments are indeed elegant and commodious. Passengers who have already made a trip in her are loud in their praise of this new candidate for the patronage of travellers between the "Hub of the Universe" and Evangeline's land. The Prince Edward makes her trips on Monday and Thursday, and as the steamers of the Yarmouth S. S. Co. run on the remaining days of the week, we have now a daily service between Boston and the province. ships; and the illustrations show that her

The subscriber will sell at Fucite Auction, on Wednesday, the 22nd of September, at One O'clock, P. M., at STANLEY B. H-ALL'S, near Lawrencetown:

One Pair Steers, 3 years old; 3 Pairs Steers, years old; 1 Pair Yearling Steers; 8 cows. One 2 years old Heifer; 3 Yearling Heifers; 1 two years old Hull, Durham and Ayrshire; 1 Capt. Kidd's Treasure.

two years old Bull, Durham and Ayrshre; two years old Bull, thorough-bred Jersel Two Sets New Solid Nickle Harness; 1 Roa Cart and 2 second-hand light Waggons.
TERMS: Approved Joint notes on nin months at 6 per cent. interest.

N. H. PHINNEY. Mr. Pu'nam, the manager of the opera-tions at Oak Island, was in town Tuesday. A second pit has been sunk by the side of the first one, reaching down to a dozen feet below; and on Saturday the drill sank down suddenly several inches. It was then with drawn and an augur end put on; this evi-dently went through several inches of some metal, as it was not in the slightest degree blunted, vet when tried on stone on the sur-PROPERTY FOR SALE.

That valuable Property, situated on the corner of Court and Water Streats. Formerly owned by Capt, John Longmire. Apply to CAPT. E. P. RAYMOND, Granville Street.

CARD. To the Rate Payers of Bridgetown: LADIES AND GENTLEMEN.

It is felt certain that a second treasure pit has been located, and operations are being resumed to day. Some new stock was eagerly subscribed, being reserved for existing shareholders. The men working on the ground have preferred taking half their wages in stock, so bright is the prospect.—

Halifax Recorder. Having been requested to allow myself to be nominated for the position of Mayor I take this opportunity of accepting and beg to thank you for the honor you have done me in suggesting my name as a candidate for the office. Should you elect me it will be my earnest desire in the future, as in the past, to advance in every way the best inter-

pe my carnest desire in the luture, as in the past, to advance in every way the best interests of the town.

I assure you that I recognize in no light measure the responsibilities connected with the position, for the one who assumes it, at the outset of the corporate existence of the town. There will be many important questions to settle between the county council tions to settle between the county council and the town, all of which will require care and the town, all of which will require care-ful consideration; besides, the labor of get-ting the corporation into proper shape will fall upon the Mayor and Councillors selected for the first year, and upon the efficient manner in which this is performed will large-ly depend the successful working of our cor-porate system. VIENNA, Sept. 6.—An Austrian priest named Gentilini claims to have discovered a certain cure for cancer by means of eating izards. By this extraordinary remedy he

porate system.

If elected I shall, to the best of my abil-ity, endeavour to have the taxation made as light as possible, consistent with the re-quirements of the town. I am firmly of the quirements of the town. I am firmly of the opinion that by a wise and economical administration of affairs the present rate of taxation will, for many years to come, amply provide for all the services and secure us many advantages which we have not hitherto possessed, and I believe it incumbent on those who are elected to fill the offices, to endeavour to secure such a result.

Yours very sincerely, —Our stock of ladies' Mantles will be complete by the end of the month, compris-ing all the latest New York styles of tailor made garments be sure and see them before you purchase. Strong & Whitman. It Bridgetown, Sept. 13th, 1897.

CARD. To the Electors of the Incorporated Town LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,-

In response to your large and influential petition, requesting me to offer myself as a Candidate for the Mayoratty at the ensuing civic elections. I have decided to accept, and thank you for the honor conferred and for the trust you have reposed in me. I will endeavor, to the best of my ability, if elected, to so look after all matters of interest relating to our Town, that may be entrusted to my charge, as to merit your confidence and esteem. —Double and single barrel breech loading Shot Guns for sale at H. W. Benson's. —Don't fall to examine our new stock of Fall dress goods. John Lockett & Son 25 2i Hall dress goods. John Lockett & Son 25 21

—As we go to press we learn of the death of Mr. W. Malcolm Bent, who has been ill for some weeks at the residence of O. T. Daniels, Eq. The deceased was a son of Ambrose Bent, Esq., of Paradise, and has been studying law with Mr. Daniels here; was an estimable young man and a general favorite. He was 23 years of age and for some years has been a sufferer from appendicitis which was the cause of his death. The funeral will take place to-morrow from his father's residence. Yours Respectfully, H. RUGGLES.

father's residence. LADIES JACKETS.—Our immense stock of ladies jackets direct 'from Berlin per S. S. Corean arrived last week. Also our im-mense stock of dross goods per S. S. Assyrian, All are now opened and ready for in-spection, J. W. Beckwith.

and rendered choice selections, and received in return a tangible token of appreciation. The Montron takes pleasure in extending best wishes and heartiest congratulations.

—An effort is being made to have the annual picuic of the Baptist Sabbath School held at Aldershot next Saturday. Should it succeed we have no doubt but that many would avail themselves of the opportunity of visiting the Camp at that time. Further announcements will be made by posters.

—The water will be turned off to morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock for a time, in order to allow of an extension of the service.

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THE BEST OF THE SEASON.—This will be Tea-meeting at Lawrencetown given by the Methodist Ladies of the circuit, on Wednesday, Sept. 22ad (if stormy the next line of the Methodist Ladies of the circuit, on Wednesday, Sept. 22ad (if stormy the next line of the Methodist Ladies of the circuit, on Wednesday, Sept. 22ad (if stormy the next line of the Methodist Ladies of the circuit, on Wednesday, Sept. 22ad (if stormy the next line of the Methodist Ladies of the circuit, on Wednesday, Sept. 22ad (if stormy the next line of the Methodist Ladies of the circuit, on Wednesday, Sept. 22ad (if stormy the next line of the Methodist Ladies of the circuit, on Wednesday, Sept. 22ad (if stormy the next line of the Methodist Ladies of the circuit, on Wednesday, Sept. 22ad (if stormy the next line of the Methodist Ladies of the circuit, on Wednesday, Sept. 22ad (if stormy the next line of the Methodist Ladies of the circuit, on the Methodist Ladies of the Method

New Advertisements

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

Halitax.

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Elliott, of Taunton, Mass., are visiting their parents Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Wilde, near Bridgetown.

Messrs F. R. Fay and E. A. Craig leave for Boston to-morrow on a holiday trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Davison left on Saturday last for their Trente beauty. POSITIVE SALE.

other personal property, and third and feet of lumber, pine and hard

Terms-Cash.

Dated this 2nd day of September, 1897. EDWIN GATES,

We are instructed to sell that Superior Farm at West Paradise, belonging to Mr. McCloskey. Has Two Hundred Acres, including 60 Acres under tillage, and 7 of Marsh, with excellent well-watered Pasture; good Orchard, mostly young and nearly all in bearing. Average crog at present, 130 barrels of prime Shipping Full cuts 30 tons Hay. Modern House: good Barn and Outhouses. Also, all the Farming Utensha nearly new, and the entire Crop, now growing including two hundred bushels of Oats, now harvested, and all the stock in hand. Satis factory reasons for selling. Will be sold at a Mr. and Mrs. Fred Davison left on Saturday last for their Toronto home.

Mr. and Mrs. A Young, who have been spending some months with Rev. F. M. Young left for their home in St. George N. B., on Monday last.

Miss Jessie Anderson, of Halifax, is a visitor at the home of her friend, Mrs. R. S. Whidden. ERVIN & ALCORN,
Annapolis Valley Roal Estate Agency PUBLIC AUCTION!

Whidden.

Rev. J. H. Strothard left for Halifax on Monday last where he will attend the Epworth League convention.

Mr. A. S. Tuttle and the Misses Bernice Kinney and Georgie Bath, left for Halifax per Bluenose on Tuesday as delegates to the Epworth League convention which is being held in that piace.

Rev. A. Crews, general sectary of the Epworth league, gave an excellent address on Thursday evening last.

Mr. K. F. Randolph left on Saturday for his daughter's home at Port Williams.

Mr. George Strothard has gone to Wolfville where he will probably remain several months. Sale Positive & without reserve. To be sold at Public Auction on the premise of ELIAS HENNIGAR TUPPER, at Tupper Saturday, the 2nd day of Octob next, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon

Miss Ethel B. Davies returned from a very the following valuable Stock and Personal Property: pleasant visit to Lawrencetown on Saturday. Rev. Mr. Toole and wife and the Misses Etta Durling and Lizzie Morgan, of Law-rencetown ware and the state of the same in lown rencetown were sound to the state of the on Thursday last.

Mr. Laister Strothard left for St. John N. B., on Monday last where he will attend the Mrs. J. N. Rice and sons Allen and Victor

ing at Yarmouth.

Mrs. John Murdoch left town on Monday
to spend a few days with friends at Canard.

Messrs. Lewis Bath and Charles Parker Mrs. S. H. Wade who has been visiting her friend Mrs. Warnford Dodge left for her home in Cambridge, Mass., on Friday last.

Mrs. James Primrose and Miss Annie LeCain have gone to Boston to remain three weeks.

Lectain have gone to weeks.

Mrs. William Woodill and daughter, Daisy, of Halifax, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Ervin.

Mrs. G. E. Trowbridge and Misses Clara John Ervin.

Mrs. G. E. Trowbridge and Misses Clara and Eva Whitman who have been visiting their parents Mr. and Mrs Silas Whitman returned to Boston yesterday.

Mr. Arthur H. Williams, of Prof. Hall's famous concert band, Rhode Island, is visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Williams for a few weeks.

Mrs. Charles Mann, of Boston, Mass., and Miss Bosthwick, of Halifax, N. S., spent last week with their sister, Mrs. G. V. Knight, Mrs. G. V. Knight, returned home yesterday.

Mrs. G. V. Knight, returned home yesterday.

Mr. Ernest Morse, of Norwood, Mass., is visiting his father, Mr. Albert Morse.

New Brunswick Lumbering Industry. St. John, N. B., Sept. 10.—Rafting operations on the Sr. John river are about completed for the season, and very much earlier than usual. The boom company have rafted 143,000,000 feet of spruce, 11,000,000 of ce. dar, 9,000,000 of pine; a total of 163,000,000 feet, or about twenty two million feet more than last year.

NOTICE. A meeting of the Bridgetown Board of Trade will be held in the office of O. T. Daniels, Esq. on Monday evening, Sept. 20th at 7.35.

RICHARD SHIPLEY. he President. FRED. R. FAY, Secretary AUCTION

> Pints, Quarts, and Two Quarts, Very Cheap! extra values at regular prices, but at the reduced prices are "snaps" for anybody

> > Clothing! Clothing!

way-down

prices.

I will close out the balance of Summer Clothing very low to make room for Fall Goods.

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Hornet, best Manitoba - \$6 40 Acadian, high grade -Majestic and Vulcan, -Cornmeal, - -Middlings, -

JOSEPH I. FOSTER.

EXECUTORS' NOTICE. All persons having any legal demands against the estate of TIMOTHY D. RUGGLES, late of Bridgotown, in the County of Annapolis, Barrister-at-Law, deceased, are requested to render the same, duly attested, within twelve months from the date hereof; and all persons indebted to said estate, are requested to make

BRIDGETOWN, N. S., Sept. 14th, 1897. 26, 6m EXECUTOR'S SALE. -The subscriber will offer at Public Auction, on Saturday, the 2nd day of October, at two o'clock in the afternoon, on his premises at Tupperville, the following property belonging to the estate of W. Fletcher Willett, namely:—One Top Buggy and I Sleigh. Also, the House and Lot, consisting of about One Acre near Prince's Creek, so-called, now occupied by Moses Everson. Terms: Cash.

F. H. WILLETT, Executor.

"Flat-tread" Shape Best for feet which are long from ball to toe, and short from heel to ball. Ordinary Shoes curve upwards too sharply for such feet, bending them injuriously. Full ridged box toe, slightly curving sides, and stylish effect. Laced, Buttoned, Congress, or Oxford. Black—Tan—Seal Brown Oxford. Black—I all Sizes, 5 to 11
Widths, D. to E.E. Goodyear Welted. \$3.50, \$4.50, \$5.50 "The Slater Shoe"

Dated Sep 8th, 1897.

—Opened to-day, 100 pieces Shaker Flan-nels and Flannelettes. John Lockett & Son.

The directors of the Bridgetown Driving Park have placed their grounds at the disposal of the directors of the Nova Scotia Apple and Produce Shipping Co., Ltd., for the purpose of holding a farmers' picnic on Friday next, Sept. 17th, similar to the picnic recently held at Aylesford. The D. A. R. will give excursion rates on regular trains east and west, and a special train will return in the exercing for the accommodation of expension for the expension of the expension for the expension for the expension of the in the evening for the accommodation of ex-cursionists east as far as Kentville. Ad-dresses will be delivered by the directors of the company and other gentlemen. For fur-ther particulars see posters at stations and at other places.

blunted, yet when tried on stone on the sur-

face it was almost immediately affected.

It is felt certain that a second treasure pit

Farmers' Pienic.

—The shortage in the Russian grain crop has developed a serious situation for all Eastern Europe. If the American surplus is not sufficient to offset the European short-

disappointed.

—The Halifax Banking Co,'s agency at Middleton is established in nicely fitted quarters in Bentley's block and already doing a good business. The offices are finished in native red brick and all the appointments are up to date and reflect much on Messrs. S. F. & W. E. Roop & Co. who did the work. The heavy safe in the manager's private office is set in brick. The manager, Mr. W. H. Chipman, late teller in the Bank of Nova Scotia's agency at Kentville, is well known throughout the Valley and is a thoroughly popular and capable official who has had much experience in banking business. Mr. Chipman's many friends will be glad to see him in harness again. is said to have already cured thirty patients is said to have already cured thirty patients afflicted with cancers. In this connection it may be added that recent investigation has resulted in the discovery that both toads and lizards possess beneath the surface of their skins certain secretions which constitute an extremely powerful chemical agent, so that the use of these reptiles for medical purposes in China and in other parts of the Orient, is not so ridiculous as was at first imagined.

Park.

—The schr. Shafner Bros. discharged coal at the whrrf here during the week and will load brick at the International Brick and Tile Co.'s wharf for P. E. I.

—Our townsman, Mr. John Ervin, in Carrie and Control of the Fall and Winter trade will soon be complete. We are now showing a nice range of fancy mixed goods from 18cts, per yd. upwards. Strong & Whitman. It is tracefived a large stock of Hay

- Hon. Dr. Borden, minister of militia gave his salary as principal medical officer at Camp Aldershot, in prizes to the best shots among the young riflemen in camp.

shall's, Clarence, or at this office.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Lockett returned from their bridal trip on Wednesday last. The town was gaily decorated with strings of flags spanning Granville and Queen streets in honor of the event. The 69th band assembled before their residence in the evening and rendered choice selections, and received in return a tangible token of appreciation.

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es are improving the time, with weather ble, for narvesting. worable, for narvesting.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dunn were much Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dunn were much upprised at the arrival of their son Rev. N. 5. Dunn, and little grandson Harley, of baborne, Sheiburne Co. Mr. Dunn is at resent suffering from an attack of asthma, and was allowed a vacation. He has accepted the pastorate of the church at Osborne for he ensuing Year. New York, where ne will join his uncle, Capt. Alex. Parkes, of Port George. He will then sail on board the ship J. B. Norton,

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The monthly meeting of B. Y. P. U. and Missionary Society was neld at the Saptist church, on Wednesday evening. Revs. N. B. Dunn and Lewis Wallace were present. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year. President, Rev. L. Wallace; vice-president, Mr. D. Hatt; secretary, Mrs. J. E. Beals; treasurer, Miss Mary Crisp. Rev. N. B. Dunn, in his address, sought to impress upon those present the great need of missionary work. The free will offerings amounted to §3.30.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Whitman, and little grandson Carmon Wightman, of Lawrence-town, were the guests of Mrs. H. O. Whitman, one day last week.

Mrs. Asa Whitman spent a part of last week in Clarence, the guest of Mrs. William Balcom.

and Mrs. Miner C. Daniels, of Lawrenctown, and Miss Nellie C. Brown, of West Somer-ville, Mass., visited Mrs. Caleb Beals and Mrs. H. O. Whitman, on Tuesday last.

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Mr. Asa Whitman, of Bridgetown, spent
two days last week with his sister, Mrs.
Arthur Beals.
Mrs. Ingram Whitman, of Middleton,
and Mrs. Engene Troop, of Bridgetown,
visited friends here on Thursday last.
Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Pennell, Sheffield's
Mills, Kings Co., spent last week with Mrs.
Pennelt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dunn
Mr. Arod F. Beals, and Miss Rosamond
P. Beals, spent last week at Bear River.
They were guests of Mrs. Arthur C. Miles.
Wm. K. Crisp now sways the ferule over
the children at Hectanooga, Digby Co.
John Hensbaw and daughter Blanche from
Bear River have been the guests of Jacob
Beals quite recently.

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We nad a pleasant call from Mr. and Mrs.
Wm. Bishop, of Clarence, on their way to
Springfield. They will combine business

Spa Springs.

Mrs. H. C. Stronach is expected home from Freeport on Wednesday.

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The redocats arrived home on Saturday, having been in camp a fortnight.

Mr. and Mrs. Eisworth Gates, of Boston, are visiting relatives in this place.

Edgar Drew, of Boston, arrived at his father-in-law's last week, and will accompany his wife and son on their return home.

A large number from this place attended the military review at Aldershot on Friday.

Mr. Casswell, of Lunenburg, was again at Mr. Cagswell, of Lunenburg, was again at Spa Springs House last week. He has been the mineral water for rheumatism.

Parry, Melvern Square, who has suffering from typhoid tever at A.

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We were very glad to see our friend, Miss Susie Gates, at the service on Sunday evening, as she has, by illness, been deprived of this privilege for a length of time,
What about all those interested in the temperance work, meeting some evening in our church to see about forming a division of the Sons of Temperance. Is it not needed?

Some of the boys from this place have been in camp at Aldershot the past two weeks and some more leave for the same

place to-day.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Marshall spent a few Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Marshall spent a tew days lagst week visiting friends in King Co. Our local merchant, T. G. Bishop, is receiving weekly new additions to his stock of goods for the fall and winter trade. Mr. B. reports trade the past season very satis-

factory.

The apple and plum crop in this place is very light this year, potatoes and grain are also below the average.

T. G. Bishop went by train to Bridgewater on Friday last and returned the following

day.

Henry Grant & Son are doing a good business with their thresher again this fall.

The school is under the management of

The school is under the management of Miss Barteau for the present term.

Mrs. Judson Bishop and Miss Susie Beals leave for St. John to-day (Tuesday) to attend the exhibition.

Mr. John Bishop, of Aylesford, was the guest of Wm. Bishop and tamily on Sunday.

The cheese factory in this place is doing a good business this season, manufacturing fully as large a quantity of cheese as last season, which meets a steady sale at good prices.

Miss Maud Pool returned from St. John on Saturday.

Mr. Thos. Anderson is visiting relatives

at Dalhousie.

Messrs. James Hill and Roland Haley have been repairing the saw mill at the big On Sunday several teams went from here to the Colored Baptist Convention at Ingle-

wood.

Mr. John Balsor has been this way looking for working oxen; there are several yoke of fine three-year-olus to be had.

Quite a number of our men and boys leave for Aldershot next week.

Mr. Samuel Slocomb's sheep pasture was visited by a dog last week, and a lamb was badly bitten.

badly bitten.

Jas. Hill has exchanged his working oxen with Arthur Marshall, of Clarence, for a pair of steers.—Zachariah Hall has also exchanged his oxen with Mr. Corbitt, of Clarence, for steers.—The list of barters is completed by Capt. Travis Brinton, who exchanged a fat cow with Samuel Williams for a milch cow.

Hampton.

Pickles, of Nictaux Falls. She has won the

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Freeman, of Brookfield, were here last week, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Archibald.

The Misses Susie and Minnie Johnson, of Torbrook, are here visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Bishop, of Clarence, spent a few days here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Elton H. Saunders, of East Dalhousie, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Roop, last week. Charles Roop, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Mader, of New
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Mr. Annapolis Valley.

Mr. And Every Beals, attended the County Baptist S. S. Convention, held at Ciarence, on Tuesday, 7th ult.

Mr. Asa M. Beales, who returned a short time ago from the "Hub," has decided to remain here for the winter.

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B. Dues and Lorize Valles were present.

East Dalhousie.

Deacon and Mrs. Elton H. Saunders spen a few days last week at Springfield visiting their friends. Mrs. A. R. Smith, of Malden, Mass., was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Saunders quite recently. quite recently.

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Brown.
The ladies of the Baptist church will the ladies of the Baptist curren win tweather permitting) hold a basket social on the afternoon of Friday the 17 inst. It is hoped that a large number of their friends will be present as the proceeds are to go towards making a payment on the orgas. A cordial invitation is extended to all. To ommence at 3 p. m.

Mt. Hanley.

Some of our boys have returned home from camp; others started yesterday morning.

Mrs. Lenley Young, from Brooklyn, stayed over Sunday with her sister, Miss Clara Rumsey, at Mrs. Eliza Miller's.

Mrs. Benjamin F. Stevens and son, Osgood E., from Somerville, Mass., are at present visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Balsor, and other relatives and friends here. Mrs. Stevens has not been to her childhood's home for nineteen years.

Mrs. Deborah Banks, from Clarence, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Eliza Miller:

Mr. Henry Messenger, from Centreville, and his mother-in-law, Mrs. Henry Miller, were visiting friends here over Sunday.

The Misses Gertie and May Foster, from Port George, were the guests of Mrs. Zebulon Elliott a few days last week.

Our pastor will take his much needed vacation next week.

Drover Williams was here last week and weeked some roars for earter.

Drover Williams was here last week and purchased some very fine cattle.

Brown's supervision, is progressing. Several men are at work on the reservoir. We hear that Miss Manning will open a singing class in Temperance Hall on Tuesday

We are sincerely sorry to report the death been suffering from typhoid lever at A. Dodge's, is now convalescent.

Frank Bolser met with quite a serious accident last week. He, with his brother, was cutting wood in the woods, when the axe that his brother was wielding slipped from the handle, striking him in the forehead and inflicting a severe gash. A physician was summoned, the wound dressed and he is now doing well.

Owing to the rain on Monday evening the business meeting announced in the church, was a failure.

We are sincerely sorry to report the death of Mrs. Stephen Balcom, which took place on Saturday last. The husband and family have the sympathy of the entire community. We had a musical treat on Saturday evening, when the "Valley Cornet Band," led by Band Master Hebb, from Bridgewater, with some four or five of his band, played a half dozen nice selections on our band stand and afterwardf retired to the Temperance Hall, where ice cream was served.

Miss Sewell, of London W., England, is visiting at J. R. Elliott's.

Mrs. R. P. Wade and Mrs. John Robblee went to Boston on Saturday last via Yar-mouth to visit friends and relatives.

Five of our young men went to Aldershot n Tuesday morning having joined the 69th. The annual flower service was held in Christ's Church on Sunday last.
Rev. Isa. Wallace occupied the Baptist
pulpit on Suday last.
Mr. Howard Hudson has advertised his Mr. Howard Hudson has advertised his property to be sold at auction Sept. 20th. He will remove to the States.

Mr. and Mrs. David Foster, Mr. and Mrs. McElhinney and Mrs. Mosea Robblee were visiting relatives in Bear River last week.

Port Lorne.

Mrs. Charles Beardsley and her little son, Cecil, have gone on a trip to St. John for the purpose of visiting the exhibition. Mrs. Freeman Beardsley has returned from Lawrencetown, where she has been spending

a few days.

Mrs. Johnson Corbitt is staying for a few weeks with Mrs. D. Duncan, at Lawrence-town, thinking the change will be beneficial o her health.

Mr. Ernest Hall, of Allston, Mass., is vis-Mr. Ernest Hall, of Allesto, 2.

titing friends here.

Rev. E. P. Coldwell will preach next Sunday, 19th, at Port Lorne, 10.30; Arlington, 2.30; Havlock, 7<sub>t</sub>.

Mrs. Rosa Raymond, of Wilmot, is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. Wilson.

Ever Hopeful division of North Williamston visited Clarence division on Saturday.

Copying Canada.

Centreville.

Mrs. Saunders, of Lynn, and Mrs. Stubbard, of New York, arrived here on Tuesday and will spend a few weeks with their friends. The members of the Subath-school and others, numbering in all over a hundred,

Among the many visitors to this place, Mrs. Herbert Reynolds and Miss B. Foster of beautiful salmon. Their presence was a Mrs. Herbert Reynolds and Miss B. Foster have returned to Lynn.

Mr. Frank Messenger has got home; has been at Annapolis some time, sick with typhoid fever.

Last week Miss Mamie Chute, of Clarence, was the guest of her cousin, Miss Mima Templeman.

Mr. and Mrs. Constable, of Mass., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Chute, for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Foster spent a few days with friends at Nictaux last week.

Miss Parker, school teacher at Phinney's Cove, was visiting friends here over Sunday.

Our school is under the care of Miss perhaps, never return; not because they will not, but because they cannot; the mill-dams

NEWS OF THE WORLD.

The Knapp roller boat was launched at Toronto on last Wednesday. The vessel, which is cylindrical, is 110 feet long and 25 feet in eter. At each end are two sixty-horse

diameter. At each end are two sixty-horse power engines. Mr. Knapp, the designer, by means of the principle of rolling over the water, instead of ploughing through it, expects to shorten the time of a voyage across the Atlantic to two days. The vessel cost \$10,000 dollars and was built by George Goodwin, a wealthy contractor, and Postmaster General Mulock.

Samples of quartz from the Lake Wawa gold regions in Ontario, north of Lake Superior, have been analyzed at McGill College laboratory and assay \$241.00 to the ton.

Over a million miners are on strike in the coal mining centres of the United States.

In the international cricket match between Canadian and United States teams at Toron-

over \$100,000,000 is invested in the lumbering operations in Canada.

The latest intelligence from Labrador confirms the reports of the complete failure of the cod fishery this season. The catch is very small, and the low prices probably mean a severe winter for the fishermen.

The United States revenue for August show a deficit of \$14,500,000.s.
On the Crystal Palace Track at London, Eng., last Saturday, J. W. Stocks established a new world's bicycle record, going a mile from a standing start in 1:44. He went five miles in 8:50 4-5.

The first shipment of summer apples in

from a standing start in 1:44. He went hve miles in 8:50 4-5.

The first shipment of summer apples in cold storage from Montreal to Glasgow arrived ir splendid condition and realized most satisfactory prices.

An explosion of dynamite took place last week in the magazine of a gold mine near Johannesburg, South Africa, causing terrible havoc. Five white men and twenty-five Kaffirs are known to have been killed.

The annual report of the United States auditor for the Interior Department shows that the amount paid for pensions during the last year was \$140,077,637.

The Talane Wheel club, of New Orleans, has offered \$20,000 for a fight between Cor-

has offered \$20,000 for a fight between Corbett and Fitzsimmons. Corbett has an bett and Fitzsimmons. Corbett has announced his willingness to accept the offer.

There is a decrease of £171,533 in British exports during the past four months, compared with the same period last year. The imports from Canada increased 17 per cent. It is reported that Messrs. Greenway, Cameron and MacMillan are to have another conference regarding the Manitoba school question, the minority claiming it is not settled to their satisfaction.

The holders of Grand Trunk guaranteed The holders of Grand Trunk guarantee stock, assuming that the rate of net progress will be maintained, anticipate a four per cent. dividend.

Northwest farmers are refusing to part with their wheat for less than a dollar a bushel.

The recent gold discoveries at Michipicoten, Ontario, are among the richest in Canada and the district is being rapidly populated with gold seekers.
Wild horses are so numerous in Arizona

that application has been made to the authorities for permission to slaughter them. They are described as being "as wild as deer and as vicious as wolves."

The Chilian government has decided to make retrenchments by disarming a portion of the nav. of the navy.

The Secretary of State for India, Lord George Hamilton, has invited tenders for India bills, payable in six or twelve months at the option of the holders, to the amount of £2,500,000, and 10,000 vivitors in Mon. There were nearly 10,000 visitors in Mon real in connection with last week's gathering nere of the British Medical Association.

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Sir Charles Tupper sailed rrom London for Canada on the 9th.

During a recent thunderstorm in P. E. Island, lightning struck a tree in the pasture of T. Ayers. The tree was completely shattered, and the lightning ran along a wire fence around the field and struck thirteen sheep and a cow, killing them all. The pneumatic tubes to connect the New York and Brooklyn post offices, for which the street excavations are nearly completed, York and Brookiyn post offices, the street excavations are nearly completed will carry letters between the two points in three minutes and a half. Wagons require half an hour to make the transfer.

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Hon. Cecil Rhodes, in a recent speech said that his whole future would be directed towards the unity of the South African States in clear and open policy.

It is stated that Sir Oliver Mowat will accept the lieutenant-governorship of Ontario.

Ruining the Business.

Toronto, Sept. 9.-Manufacturers of Ca-Toronto, Sept. 9.—Manufacturers of Canadian bicycles are complaining about the injury done to their trade through the importation of cheap American wheels. The results to the Canadian trade, they say, from these importations have been very disastrous. It was found that some eighty per cent of all wheels sold in Canada were of American manufacture, and many of these wheels that came from Michigan were of prison manufacture. And it was stated by one Canadian manufacturer, at the meeting held to day to devise means to stop this importation of wheels, that very large numbers of wheels sent to Canada from Chicago were made largely by women and girls. The Canadian manufacturers will ask the Canadian Government to place a specific duty on wheels to nent to place a specific duty on wheels t the extent of \$40 up to the value of \$50.

Russian Wheat Famine. Odessa, Sept. 10.—The crisis in the grain trade in Southern Russia has been enhanced by the influx of a half-score of Hungarian 2 30; Havlock, 7<sub>t</sub>.

Upper Clarence.

Miss A. Fitch spent Sunday at Lawrencetown.

Mr. and Mrs. Lambert McNayr, of
Springfield, visited at S. N. Jackson's last
week.

Mr. A. Moller and Mr. Fred. English, of
Moncton, were recent visitors at Z. Wilson's.

Miss Dessie Banks has gone to Halifax to
by the influx of a half-score of Hungarian
commissioners who are purchasing wheat at
any price at which they can obtain it. A
majority of the great grain exporters are in
a precarious position and a large number of
smaller firms have collapsed. One large
foreign export firm alone has lost three million
roubles on the fulfilment of contracts made
by it in the expectation that there would be
a middling crop. With the exception of
barrely, all the cereals are as light as they
are scant, while the fact that the government week.

Mr. A. Moller and Mr. Fred. English, of Moncton, were recent visitors at Z. Wilson's Miss Dessie Banks has gone to Halifax to spend some months with her brother, H. H. Banks.

Washington, D.C., Sept. 9.—Postmaster General Gary has just received from the Postmaster-General of Canada a full explana Mrs. Saunders, of Lynn, and Mrs. Stubbard, of New York, arrived here on Tuesday and will spend a few weeks with their friends.

The members of the Sabbath-school and others, numbering in all over a hundred, drove to Hampton on Saturday for a picnic. The day was fine and the trip was enjoyed by all.

A number of our young men left on Tuesday for Aldershot.

Welcome Visitors at New Albany.

Postmaster-General of Canada a full explanation of the postal savings banks in vogue there. Hie has also received letters in regard to the system from prominent men all over the country, and farmers especially, as bank-ing facilities for the latter are extremely limited. The postmaster-general is gathering all the information possible regarding postal savings banks, and it is believed that in his annual report he will call attention to the best features of the system of the various countries having such banks, and will recommend that Congress authorize the establishment of postal savings banks in the United States.

South American Gold Fields. Denver, Colo., Sept. 3.—George W. Adams of Cripple Creek arrived in this city today from the gold fields of South America. Fourteen months ago Adams left this city totry his fortunes in the South American mines. He went to the gold fields, three hundred miles from Georgetown, in company with eight other Americans, remaining there eleven months. Of the entire party ofnine, he alone escaped death from fever. One by one he saw his companions die of the terrible disease; saw a hole scooped in the ground and their bodies, twisted from pain, covered with earth; was twice attacked himself with the malady and all but died, and finally, after seeing the last of the eight die in agony, he became terror-stricken and fled from the country, from which, he says, not one out of seventy-five white men ever return alive.

Our school is under the care of Miss Pickles, of Nictaux Falls. She has won the confidence and esteem of her scholars and the community in general.

Flashligh bivision still prospers. Saturday evening last the members had a pic social. A very enjoyable evening was spent.

Port George.

Mrs. Richan returned to her home in East Beston, on Saturday.

Mr. L. Daniels started for his home in New York city on Tuesday.

Laura Woodworth spent a few days recently with friends in Margaretville.

Mr. George Whittier, of Everett, and Mrs. Geo, Whitman, of Inglisville, made several calle here on Monday.

Mrs. R. L. Sturgiss and Mrs. C. A. Fritz and children, of Abington, Mass, are visiting their parents Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Fritz.

Quite a number of our villagers attended the sham light at Aldershot on Friday.

Rev. Wm. Brown, of Middleton circuit exchanged pulpits with Rev. J. A. Toole, of Lawrencetown, on Sunday.

The shipments of the Dominion coal conpany for August were 158,777 tons. The total output was 165,929 tons. The amount sent up the St. Lawrence was 124,540 tons.

A board of trade was formed in Windso

A board of trade was formed in window last Friday night.

A. M. Bell & Co.'s hardware store at Halifax was completely gutted by fire last Saturday. The stock was valued at \$36,000 and the building at \$5,000.

The contemps requires at Halifax for the

The customs receipts at Halifax for the month of August amounted to \$68,165. For the same poriod last year they were \$199, 139.23 An electric and water power company has been organized in Bridgewater for the pur-pose of lighting and watering the town. Since the opening of Horton Academy, Wolfville, in 1827, over 3000 students have been in attendance.

Last Thursday a yoke of oxen belonging to Michael Cashman, Molega road, Queens to Michael Cashman, Molega road, Queens county, were killed by lightning.

Malcolm Mailman, of Bridgewater, died suddenly last Wednesday from lockjaw caused by stepping on a nail.

Mr. Editor:—
I had the pleasure a few days of being escorted over the farm of our genial M. P. P., Jos. A. Bancroft, of Round Hill, and wavery much impressed with the fine display of fruit, vegetables, atc., I was shown. Mr. of fruit, vegetables, etc., I was shown.

B. has gone extensively into grape culture under glass, and certainly with a decided success. He will raise this year somewhere in the vicinity of fifteen hundred pounds of this choice fruit, which he expects to net this choice fruit, which he expects to net him in our local markets, twelve cents per pound, and I am prepared to say, after enjoying a very bountiful sample, that for size, flavor, etc., they are the equal, if not the superior of any imported fruit. His orchard gives indication of a bountiful harvest. He expects to put up over two hundred barrels of No. 1 apples, half of which will be Gravensteins. Mr. B. must certainly believe that one of the attractions of a good farm is model buildings and those in good repair, for I do not think there is a farm in the county that can surpass him in this line.

ounty that can surpass him in this line.
Yours truly,
FRED R. FAY.
Bridgetown, Sept. 13th, 1897.

IN THE COUNTY COURT. For the District No. 3.

WILLIAM D. SHEEHAN, AUSTIN A. RICE, an absent or absconding

SATURDAY, the 16th day of October A. D. 1897, at 2,30 o'clock in the afternoon,

All that certain piece or parcel of land and premises, situate lying and being in the town of Bridgetown, in the County of Annapolis, comprising a part of the water lot as laid down on the plan of the western division of Bridgetowe, and numbered lots six and seven, bounded and described as follows:—
On the north by Water Street, on the east by land of the estate of the late Hugh Fraser, on the south by land of the estate of the state Hugh Fraser, and on the west by land of John Loagnire, said lot of land being minety feet wide and one hundred feet deep. The same having been levied on under an execution on a judgment in the above cause, duly registered more than one year.

TERMS OF SALE: Ten per cent deposit a EDWIN GATES, High Sheriff of the County of Annapo F. L. MILNER, Solicitor of the Plaintiff. Bridgetown, N. S., Sept. 11th, 1897.-25 5i

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Bridgetown, September 15th, 1897.

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Ruffee Block, Bridgetown, N. S. 184i

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LEMURL MESSENGER,

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE! L persons having legal demands against the estate of EMILY MESSENGER, late MANLEY BENSON, Executor

Bridgetown, August 25th, 1897 .- 22 tf BOSTON, Mass., Jusiness June 9, 1897. COLLEGE. DEAR SIR,-Some five years ago my fathe

orthand circulars mailed to S. KERR & SON.

NOW ARRIVING Central Book Store A Grand Assortment of NEW STATIONERY

a Call and see the NEW EN-VELOPES that are sealed without the B. J. ELDERKIN.

My New מחחחש

Ladies' Undervests from 16c to Gents' Underwear,

Blankets, Hosiery, Gloves, and many other things. Also just arriving a case of Ready-made Clothing which will be sold low.

Another case of Mahogany and Oak
Olocks at \$3,00. They must
be seen to be appreciated, and another
lot of Tinware, 14 pieces
for \$1.00.

Give me a call. Yours for business MRS. WOODBURY. Kingston Village.

THE CHEESE

MARKET

Latest Styles. Advancing! You can keep up the flow of milk by feeding your cows a

> It will pay you to do it. We have a carload now due

which we will sell away down from the car for cash. Don't fail to get our

prices for a ton. E. E. & SCHAFFNER. Lawrencetown, August 17th, 1897.

Pack Your Apples in the new apple barrel, manufactured by the Annapolis Manufacturing Co., Ltd., of Lequille, N. S. Cooperages established at Bridgetown, Paradise, Lawrencetown and Middleton. Barrels delivered at all stations or cooper-ages from Annapolis to Wilmot and Digby, also Granville Ferry, at the following prices

also Granvine rerry, as the choosing parties of the wood barrels with flat hoop.

Hard wood barrels with flat hoop.

Hard wood barrels with old split hoop Soft wood barrels with old split hoop.

Cider Barrels. Prices given on application for cranberr

Prices given on application for cranberry barrels.

Both ends of all barrels planed. Soft wood staves champered and croed ready for setting up at \$4.25 per net thousand.

Heads planed at \$3.75 per hundred pairs. Car lots at 25 cents less on both of the above. Orders can be sent to the following: Mr. David Joderie, Paradise; Mr. R. E. Fitz-Randolph, Bridgetown; Mr. Wallace Croft, Lawrencetown; Mr. Amos Hiltz, Middleton; Mr. A. E. Amberman, Granville Ferry, or to Payments only to be made to the Secretary of the Company or his order. Annapolis Manufacturing Co., Ltd.

JAMES PENNINGTON. Lequille, Annapolis County, N. S. 14 4i New Advertisements.

.....THE ......

have actually been too busy this season to keep their advertisement changed.

Fine Prices and a large stock [AIIIII

Marsee our \$3.00 CUSTOM PANTS. ta Imported and Domestic Tweed Suitings, \$13, for one mo ATA full line of Tyke and Blenheim Serges always in stock Try the BRIDGETOWN CUSTOM CLOTHING CO.

C McLELLAN, Manager.

"An empty wagon BE SHERWIN-WILLIAMS PAIR 100 464 and

makes the most noise." So manufacturers of paint with short measure, partly empty cans, make the most noise

about the cheapness of their stock by the gallon. A good stock cannot be purchased at 25 per cent less than standard goods unless it is 25 per cent short in measure or quality. As you pay so you re-

ceive. The best full measure paint

RAW AND BOILED

B. B. "GENUINE."

AT LOWEST PRICES.

Blacksmiths' Supplies a Specialty

THE SHERWIN-WILLIAMS PAINT BENSON



As I now desire to close out the balance of my LOW SHOES in Men's, Women's. \$1.00 \$ .75 Ladies' Black Oxfords, \$1.50 \$1.20 Men's Brogans, 1.25 1.00 2.00 1.50 Dongolas, " Tan Bals, 2.75 2.00 1.25 Misses' Dongola Slippers, 1.00 Ladies' Tan Oxfords, 1.75

Also I have a full line of CLOTHS in Oxford, Scotch and Canadian Tweeds that I will exchange for Wool at prices that cannot fail to suit the purchasers. J. E. BURNS.

MY MOTTO:-"Quick Sales, Small Profits, No Losse

CASH SALE Shirt Waists

Beginning July 1st

I will sell the balance of Ladies' Shirt Waists on hand at the following prices for Cash: Those marked \$1.25 For \$1.00 For 85c Those marked \$1.10 For 72c Those marked 90c. Those marked 85c.

For 70c Those marked 80c. Those marked 70c. E. PALFREY.

BRIDGETOWN

-HAS-

22 different lines of LADIES' OXFORD SHOES to pick from BUTTON BOOTS for Women, Misses and Children,
IN GREAT V. MEN'S COLORED GOODS are as good as you can money. I have also just received MEN'S FRENCH CALF BALS made on the Waukenfast last. Also one line made on the new last called the Bull Dog last.

GRANVILLE STREET. E. A. COCHRAN

Dressings of all kinds, and great variety of Laces.

Double Vision

the bottom, and call it a double lense.

WOMEN'S BICYCLE LEGGINGS.

Perfection Lenses. No more use for two pairs of glasses.

No more need for pedlars to sell you a lense with a piece stuck on

No more need to pay five dollars for what we can sell you for two if you call upon us. J. E. SANCTON & SON.

New Advertisements.

Family: Grocers: Meats, Fish.

Fruits,

High=class

In Tea, Coffee, Chocolate, Cocoa and Broma we handle the best that money can buy.

Orange Cider on draught, Lime Juice, Fruit Syrups, Maple Syrup, Ginger Syrup.

ure Gold Essences and strictly Pure Spices. merican Sweet and Sou Pickles in bulk.

Fresh Fruits, Vegetables, Tamirands, Biscuits, Confec tionery, Nuts, etc.

CROWE & PARKER.

FLOUR. MEAL

..AND..

and two carloads of OGILVIE'S HUNGARIAN Flour and it is the highest grade made in America. No other flour will make as much bread to the barrel. It absorbs more water, therefore the bread will keep moist longer. It will make good pastry if you will only use enough water. Knead thoroughly and give it time to absorb the water. If you are not using it you should as it will save you

We are landing to-day, one can of CORNMEAL in barrels and bags. Also a large quantity of Oatmea, Tilson's Pan Dried Registered Rolled Oats, which makes a delicious porridge. We have it in ten pound sacks. Try it.

We have a few quintals of Shore Table Codfish, the best we

KINNEY & SHAFNER. Are you going

If so, what would be nicer to take for Potted Ham. Potted Chicken,

Picnic?

Chipped Beef, Canned Beef, Canned Salmon, etc. By the way, these would be rather dry

Canned Sliced Bacon,

Condensed Coffee, Syrups and Lime Juice. r. g. palfrey.

Flour, - Feed,

FINE GROCERIES,

W. M. FORSYTH

Fresh and Salt Meats, etc., etc. Having fitted up my meat shop with a first-class refrigerator and employed Mr. Wm. Troop as cutter, I am prepared to serve my customers and the public in general in the best possible manner from the BEST MEAT obtainable.

W. M. FORSYTH. Masonie Building,

Queen Street, - Bridgetown. BICYCLES

For Sale or Hire

CURRY BROS. & BENT.

Scott's Emulsion makes

the blood richer and im-

proves the circulation. It

increases the digestion and

nourishes the body. It cor-

rects diseased action and

strengthens the nervous'sys-

tem. In a word, it places

the body in the best possible

condition for preventing the

germs of Consumption from

beginning or continuing their

work. In that one sentence

is the whole secret. Book

covering the subject very

thoroughly sent free for the

SCOTT & BOWNE. Belleville.

Cinerariæfolium

Powdered

Dalmation

B. W. B. & CO.

Agents-ST. JOHN, N. B

B.—Our Sifting Tins contain from 1 more than other makes.

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FARMERS,

DAIRYMEN

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And their Wives,

"INDURATED FIBREWARE."

ndurated Fibre Pails, Milk

Pans, Dishes and Butter Tubs,

THE E. B. EDDY CO.

HULL CANADA.

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FARM FOR SALE!

condition and cuts sixteen tons of hay. There is also wood and poles enough to supply the place. There is a nice dwelling house with woodhouse combined; a barn 30x40 feet; carriage house and piggery, 20x30 feet. There is a never-failing well of water on the premises. Intending purchasers will please calland examne. Terms to suit purchasers. Apply to Mrs. Louisa Slocomb on the premises.

Direct Evidence

Waterville, Kings Co., Nov. 13, 1895, 18 ly

ADMINISTRATRIX'S NOTICE.

ALL persons having legal demands agains the estate of RICHARD S. McCORMICK

NOTICE

AGNUS M. FITZRANDOLPH,

E. L. MILNER, Proctor of Estate.

Or ROBERT FITZRANDOLPH,

Bridgetown, March 17th, 1896.

Williamston, April 12th, 1897.

Portland Cement.

The subscribers will have a car load of sixty blbs. Best Portland Cement landed here about middle of April. This having been bought at-low figure, and through rate of freight from Antwerp to Bridgetown, we are enabled to offer it at lower rates than it has ever been pough

CURRY BROS, & BENT.

A. STANLEY BANKS.

idgetown in the County of Annapolis, , deceased, are requested to render duly attested, within one year from ereof, and all persons indebted to said e requested to make immediate pay-

MARY MCCORMICK,

Drop us a post card, and get

asking.

Pyrethrum

Having once learnt to balance and go ahead clearly understood that, apart from appearance, a good style means greater speed with less effert. When the saddle is in a proper is made by leaching hardwood ashes, or dishould be at just such a height that, with stronger than one pound of potash to four be body in a natural upright position, they gallons of water. This wash will kill all almost straight, and not bent nearly at the loose, scaly bark to drop off and make much power is lost in hill climbing or against a wind. Next, attention should be directed soda ash. Tho potash wash will leave the to the proper use of knees, feet, and ankles. Use both legs equally; it is astonishing how Keep the legs straight, with knees and heels carefully in line. In walking the feet are of burn the young bark, and I have abanturned out more or less (was it not Dickens who noticed that vain people turned their is fully as effective in freeing the trees of who noticed that vain people turned their should be kept perfectly straight on the | it leaves the tree with a smooth bark and pedals, with the big toe joint just over the looking green instead of reddish, and does pedal pin. If, with the foot so placed, any atrain on the ankle is felt in hill-climbing, the foot should be shifted forward a little.

This will shorten the leverage on the ankle-joint and give more power. Mind, markets, and put it into any iron kettle and this is only for uphill; on the level shift heat it until it turns red. This renders it back again, and please, oh, please, never put as well as being ineffective. If there is a gallons of water for young trees, and in two feeling that the teet must slip forward it is gallons for older trees. a sure sign that the saddle is either too far forward or too low down, or both.

thing to bear in mind is that the knees are to be raised as little as possible; this is done ng the toe come up as far as the ankle will permit, taking care not to let it to push the pedal over the top of the stroke. As the pedal descends the toe is gradually lowered until, at the bottom of the stroke, again to draw the pedal slightly past the dead centre. It will easily be seen that from rising too high, even with a long crank. Try and think of both feet at once in this. While one is pushing over the top the other is drawing back at the bottom. If only one leg and foot are thought of at a time the action is apt to become one-sided. A good ankle action reduces the dead point practhe chain is kept tight or net. If the action is of the pump-handle order, the chain drops losse between each stroke. Much power is lost, and the machine never runs steadily.

The Dignity of Trade.

ANDREW CARNEGIE TELLS HOW THE OLI If a young man does not find romance in ness, it is not the fault of the business, but the fault of the young man. Business is not all dollars. These are but the enjoyed later as the higher faculties of the ness man so constantly called into play develop and mature.

The old prejudice against trade has gone

even from the strongholds in Europe. This one pound to eight gallons of water; and this change has come because trade itself has changed. In old days every branch of busi- as to throw it on with force. By so doing ness was conducted upon the smallest retail | the liquid will reach all parts of the foliage scale and small dealings in small affairs breed small men. Besides every man had to be them to the ground, where they will perish. occupied with the details, and indeed each man manufactured or traded for himself. enterprise, of broad views and of executive | buds" are more difficult to manage. It will ability, were not brought into play. In our be found that they have webs on the leaves,

I can with confidence recommend the business career as one in which there is highest powers and of every good quality in great merchant or banker or captain of industry to be favorable to the development of the powers of the mind and to the ripening of the judgment upon a wide range of general subjects, to freedom from prejudice and the keeping of an open mind. And I do know that permanent success is not obtainable except by fair and honorable dealing, by irrechable habits and correct living, by the display of good sense and rare judgment in ions of human life, for credit and confidence fly from the business man foolish in word and deed, or irregular in habits, or even suspected of sharp practice. The business career is thus a stern school of all the

Keeping the House Free From Flies.

As flies are very fruitful conveyors of ease, try very hard to keep them out of the house. Cover all windows and doors with netting. If you cannot afford frames tack ting over the windows outside. This is a very good way. It allows one to lower from the bottom, making better ventilation. If door frames are out of the question tack netting very full to the top of the door casings. In the broad hem at the bottom sew sufficient good-sized pebbles to give weight, that the netting may fall quickly in place. If by chance the children hold the doors open for a moment, allowing flies to toter, place a little sticky fly-paper here and chere, or when you darken the room leave a crack of sunshine at any open window or door; the flies will in a moment follow the light, and may then be easily brushed out of

CAN'T BUDGE THEM.

Science is Right 99 times in a Hundred—Medi-cal Science says that Pills and Powders will not dissolve the Solid Secretions which cause Kidney Disease—It has Proven, that a Liquid Kidney Specific will do so, and Thousands have Testified that South Amer-ican Kidney Cure, a Liquid Specific for Kid-ney Disease, has done so.

The secret of the success of South American Kidney Cure is the fact that it is solely a kidney specific. It dissolves the uric acid which is really the base of all kidney diseases. And it is only when these solid matters and secretions have been dissolved and eradicated from the system that a cure can be hoped for. Pills and Powders from a medical science, standard, or the standard of the science of the standard of the science of the standard of the science of the sc hoped for. Pills and Powders from a medi-cal science standpoint, or from the stand-point of common sense, can hardly be expect-ed to do what this liquid remedy has done. The people are learning it. Mrs. Norman E. Cook, of Delhi, Ont., says: "I tried no end of remedies—pills, powders and porous plasters, and all were used in vain. Five bottles of South American Kidney Cure com-pletely restored me to health." Sold by S. N. Weare.

the same sum may seem a large price to pay It is time that some joint agreement was for a thrifty calf, yet exactly the reverse may entered into by Cansdian merchants and manufacturers to punish men who buy goods on credit, make default in payment, and then coolly give a preference to some relative or some favorite creditor, leaving a moiety or a quarter of their estate to be divided among the body of creditors. There is no more exapperating proceeding than this. One will endure with better temper to be robbed by a sleek hypocrite who gets goods by false pretences, sells them and puts the money in his pocket, or in some safe place. We have heard merchants say they would rather be swindled by an absconding debtor than be tantalized by learning from the lips of a sleek rascal that "he had given his stock to a man who had befriended him, and was sorry there was so little left for creditors."—Monetary Times.

Minard's Liniment the best Hair Restorer. some favorite creditor, leaving a moiety or

Agricultural.

ready to pay a few cents a dozen extra for

warranted or even supposedly fresh eggs. My buyer orders fresh eggs of me, and then

sks me how much he owes me for them.

he never inquires the price or makes a cer-

Rose Insects.

As for insects, that is a difficulty that all

with a solution of whale oil scap and wat

er, one ought to be able to conquer the inse

It is hard to get the soil too rich or too full

of vegetable matter for the best production

of vegetables. With fruits the case is differ-

ent. To secure the best results on thin land

orchards must be fertilized, but it must b

done with care and judgement, as explained

in The Farmers' Review. Excessive applica

ally after trees reach bearing age. Such ap-

plications induce a rank, sappy growth that

makes pear trees much more liable to blight

and will surely cause destructive rotting of

the stone fruits. With apples there is less

danger, and they may safely be fertilized

quite heavily. Excessive wood growth is,

however, never desirable in a bearing orchard

of any kind. The trees should be carefully

watched and be given such treatment as will

give a crop of well developed fruit and at

the same time a moderate growth of well

matured wood. The leaves should always

be of a dark, rich green, for pinched, yellow

Packing Poultry.

scalded sells fully as well, provided it is pro-

poultry depends upon the weather and the

warm weather, but during the fall and winter

of clean, bright straw or parchment pape

the dearest and most expensive class of pro-

perty that a man-even a cheap man-can

buy or own. Ten dollars may seem a low

should be placed between each layer.

foliage indicates starvation.

tions of stable manure or other nitrogeno

fertilizer should always be avoided,

enemies of the rose.

having no bad ones to throw away.

"I witnessed a spectacle in Texas the other day which has done me more good Wash for Fruit Trees, I have used about all the tree washes e recommended, and some that have not been, ness had called me to Whitney, in that State, and when I reached my destination I for fruit trees. Some are good, some good for nothing, and some positively injurious was unable to find out any of the persons I had gone to see by reason of the fact that they had all gone out in the country to help solving potash in water. It should not be in the work of cleaning the weeds out of the crop of a sick farmer named Hamilton. It appeared that Hamilton had been confined to his bed by sickness for several weeks, and noss and fungus on the bodies, and will can his crops as a consequence had become very foul, he being wholly dependent on his own trees look nice and smooth. But I don't like exertions to keep them clean. When his busy neighbors learned of his condition and trees looking red, and in about a year they will have plenty of loose bark hanging from them again. While it kills all foreign growth prospects they spread the report through the country, and a movement was at once started to afford him the necessary relief. and removes the loose bark, it seems to sort The only thing to be done was to go into his fields with plows and hoes and give his crop that attention necessary to their salvation. Every man in the country proffered his services, and even the merchants chipped into a fund for the hire of a substitute list. The sick farmer's place swarmed with muscular, broad chested Texans for days. They went to him in relays, and it so happened that it was the turn of the people I wanted to see at Whitney to give their help the day I visited that place. As a result of it Farmer Hamilsoda ash can be obtained use it; if this can on will make good crops this year, eve caustic and nearly as good as the purchased though he is sick and unable to work. wonder if neighbors help one another like that in St. Louis or any other big city in the world, where millions are annually spen through organized charities.

A Medical Warning.

With the large breeders the axe is considered the panacea of all hen diseases. We must not, however, confound ailments with All medical men of large experience have requently met with cases in which patients disease. Fouls may have slight attacks o we placed a bottle of medicine t various forms of disease, which a little watch lips and taken a draft of its contents in fulness and care at the start may entirely eliminate from the flock. was "only one bottle upon that shelf," when Successful poultrymen spend much tim in trying to prevent disease. Attention to details, constant watchfulness and careful n reality some other member of the family had placed other bottles there. In this wa serious cases of poisoning have occurred.

In other instances a wife rising in the night feeding play the most important part of the every day life of the prominent breeder. So much time is given, therefore, to prevention to give some medicine to her husband or child has picked up the wrong bottle in the that it is considered a waste of time to doc-

tor when disease appears.

Some people who raise or keep poultry do with terrible result. Where medicine is ordered in drops, you so without profit, no doubt, and I think they should always obtain a medicine droppe deserve none; but when grain is so very plenfrom a drug store and avoid attempting to tiful and cheap, and the price of eggs and drop the medicine from the bottle, as is re poultry remain almost at the old points, poultry-keeping should pay now if it ever did, quires a very steady hand and accurate and better than ever. A strictly fresh egg is a delicacy and there are many people

dim light and administered a fatal dose

counting to avoid mistake. Finally let me warn you against one con mon habit which is closely connected with the use of bottles containing old medicines and is strongly condemned by occulists, who most frequently meet with it-the habit of preserving old medicine droppers which have been used for dropping fluids into the eye. pay my price, and in return therefore he en-Quite frequently powerful medicines dry in these droppers, and when they are used some months afterward for the introduction joys the satisfaction of using fresh eggs, and of eye washes they produce symptoms which very seriously alarm the patient and which may to some extent mystify the practitioner rose growers are obliged to contend with,

but so, also, with nearly all other plants, says You can always recognize the finished artis Vick's Magazine. The aphis can be destroyed by the manner in which he emits the musics one. A writer in The Etude says : Be the singer, the violinist or pianist, he will should be applied with a garden syringe, so strive to produce a tone that will be perfect in the beginning. With the singer the tone must come in flowingly, without any per drenching the insects and driving many of ceptible start-ushered in on the breath, as it were. The player of a string instrumen By following up the use of the soapy water, must carefully avoid any scratchy noise ap The "slugs or maggots that bore into the bow is set upon the string. To avoid this the bow must be in easy motion before touching the string, making the tone slide drawing the leaf together or folding it, and upon so gigantic a scale that partners of a huge concern are rulers over a domain. The large employer of labor sometimes has more upon in his industries are the squeezed between the thumb and fore-finger. considerable perseverance, will enable one to keep this insect in check in the manner now to be played each chord should be gently joined to the next, so that no new attack tioned. With kerosene emulsion and perceived, imitating in this respect the voice, whale-oil soap, and tobacco-water when as much as the imperfections of the instru necessary, the two last named mixed togethment may permit.

-Uncle Nicholas-So your Aunt Mary gave you that nice horse and cart. Do all your aunts make you such nice presents? Freddy-No; but then, you know, Aunt Mary is my godmother.

Uncle Nicholas-Ah, I had forgotten tha Freddy-And I am afraid you have for gotten that you are my godfather.

-Minard's Liniment for Rheumatism



There is implanted in every man a love of life strong enough to make him tremble and kneel before death when he thoroughly recognizes its approach. The trouble with men is that they do not recognize death unless it comes in some violent or rapid form. Years and they do not recognize of the complex in some violent or rapid form. Years and the comes in some violent or rapid form. Years and the consumption of th Consumption kills more men than wars, famines, plagues and accidents, is insidious, and men do not realize that they are in its clutch. While consumption is a germ disease, the bacilli will not invade sound and healthy lungs. The lungs must first be in a diseased condition. First a man feels a little out of sorts. Probably he is overworked and has given

Poultry should be kept from food a sufficient length of time to allow the crop to become entirely empty; a city ordinance prohibits the sale of any other. During this must first be in a diseased condition.

First a man feels a little out of sorts.

Probably he is overworked and has given
too little time to eating, sleeping and resting. His appetite falls off. His digestion
gets out of order and his blood does not
receive the proper amount of life-giving
nutriment. The liver becomes torpid and
the blood is filled with impurities. These
are pumped into every organ of the body,
building up unhealthy, half-dead tissues.
The most harm is done at the weakest spot,
and most frequently that spot is in the
lungs. A slight cold leads to inflammation, the bacilli invade the lungs and we
have a case of consumption. time, however, the poultry should have plenty of water. In case any fowls should be found to have food in the crop after being dressed, it should be removed by making an incision in the back of the neck and the crop removed from under the skin with as little defacing as possible. Dry picked poultry, if extra fine and fat, usually commands the best prices, but for the average run of stock, tion, the bacilli invade the lungs and we have a case of consumption.

Ninety-eight per cent. of all cases of consumption are cured by Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It is the great blood-maker and flesh-builder. It restores the lost appetite, makes the digestion perfect, invigorates the liver, purifies the blood, builds new and healthy flesh and drives out all impurities and disease germs. It cures weak lungs, spitting of blood, obstinate coughs and kindred allments. No honest druggist will recommend a substitute perly prepared. The method of packing purpose of the shipper. Stock intended for the freezer should always be dry picked and picked without ice; that intended for immediate use should be packed in ice during when the weather will permit, a light layer -Some men seem to have a mania for at-

tending public vendues and buying up old WANTED—Agents for "Queen VictoriaHer Reign and Diamond Jub
liee." Overflowing with latest and richest pictures. Contains the endorsed biography of Her
Majestr, with authentic History f her remarkable reign, and full account of the Diamond
Jubilee. Only \$1.50. Big book. Tremendous
demand. Bonanza for agents. Commission 50
per cent. Credit given. Preight paid. Outfit
free. Duty paid. Write quick for outfit and territory. THE DOMINION COMPANY, Dept.
7,355 Dearborn St., Chicago. machinery and plug horses because they "go cheap." As a rule these things belong to price to pay for a dilapidated horse; while

> If You Want BARGAINS NOW IS YOUR CHANCE.

Give MISS LeCAIN a call and buy a Hat or Bonnet, as she is selling off the balance of Minard's Liniment the best Hair Restorer. her goods at cost.

Biliousness

Hoods

Men to sell the old, established Fonthill Nurseries; largest in the Dominion; over 700 acres of choice stock, all guaranteed strictly first class and true to name. Large lise of valuable specialties controlled absolutely by us. We have the only testing farms that are connected with any Nursery in the Dominion. Permanent place and good pay to those who can prove themselves valuable. We furnish everything found in a first class Nursery; fruits, flowers, shrubs and seed potatoes. Write us and learn what we can do for you.

STONE & WELLINGTON, Toronto, Ont.

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To arrive about the 20th June, TWO CARLOADS

Mowers, - Rakes. AND BUGGIES aking six carloads this season. All good are FIRST-CLASS and sold at UNIFORM PRICES.

SECTIONS AND REPAIRS r Mowers in stock at our warerooms Lawrencetown, Annapolis Co., and Bridgetown, Lunenburg Co.

PIANOS, ORGANS AND SEWING MACHINES

ways in stock. Organs cleaned and reired. Call or write for Price List. N. H. PHINNEY.

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Find great benefit from Puttner's Emulsion

which contains the most effective Nerve Tonics and nutritives, combined in the most palatable

Always get Puttner's, it is the Original and Best.

that will last.

several lots of

Room Mouldings

frame your pictures.

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WOOD-WORKERS.

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A Red Letter Year

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in new designs and finishes.

Give us a call and have us

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We have just received

# Don't be Troubled

with the flies all summer and manufacturer of but have us fit you out Monuments, Tablets, with Screen Doors and Windows. We are making a serviceable Screen Door

N. B.—Having purchased the Stock and Trade from Mr. O. Whitman, parties ordering anything in the above line can rely on having their orders filled at short notice,

Bridgetown, March 19th, 89.

-AND-REPAIR ROOMS.

Corner Queen and Water Sts. THE subscriber is prepared to furnish the public with all kinds of Carriages and Buggies, Sleighs and Pungs, that may be

THE ENTIRE NOVELTY of many of the plans for 1897 is noticeable For instance,

London as seen by Charles Dana Gib-son. Mr. Gibson has not before appeared as a writer. He visited London last summer for SCRIBNER'S MAGAZINE, for the purpose of de-picting with pen and pencil those scenes and types which the huge metropolis presents in endless variety, Of like novelty is the first considerable Novel by Richard Harding Davis. "Soldiers of Fortune." The hero is one of the most vigorous men that Mr. Davis has drawn Illustrated by C. D. Gibson. The Conduct of Great Busines beautiful illustrated series of articless of the following are already completed: "The Great Department Store." "The Management of a Great Hotel." "The Working of the Bank." "A Great Manufactor,"

Undergraduate Life in American Colleges. A series of articles touching upon the life of our older universities as represented by the doings of the students themselves. Judge Henry E. Howland writes on "Undergraduate Life at Yale."

Mr. James Alexander on "Princeton," and Robert Grant and Edward S. Martin on "Harvard." Japan and China since the War will be a most interesting group of articles richly

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RAILWAY! Land of Evangeline" Route On and after MONDAY, 21ST JUNE, 1897, the Steamship and Train Service of this Railway will be as follows (Sunday except-

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SPRUCE AND PINE LUMBER.

The Kousehold.

Fruit Canning.

PEW HINTS THAT THE HOUSEWIFE WILL DO WELL TO REMEMBER. In canning fruit remember that it is hard and disagreeable work at first, and unles possibilities, "the game is not worth the ferent, depends upon your own knowledge and skill. Excluding the air to prevent fermentation is only the A B C of su natural flavor and appearance, and be sweet ened with granulated sugar. Fruit for canning must be freshly picked and a little under rather than over ripe. The pits of peaches and the cores of pears improve the flavor of their respective fruits. If removed, distribute a few peach pits in every jar and ment, and a tear bedimmed her eye. She put a little muslin bag filled with cores in the centre of pear jars.

The skin of green gage plums hould be left on and pierced with a fork before they are cooked. The skins of all other common peaches are immersed in boiling water to loosen the skins, only a few should be treated at once, and these should first be put in a wire basket or sieve. After remaining two minutes or so dip in cold water and gently rub off the skins. A silver knife should be used to shred pineapple and to pare pears

and quinces.

Peaches should be put in syrup as soon as pared, and pears and quinces into cold water, to prevent discoloration. Peaches are firmer and richer if allowed to remain overnight in the syrup before they are cooked. Five or six pits should be distributed through each jar.

Insect flowers The most delicate and natural flavor is btained by cooking the fruit in the jars. This method also does away with the break This Insect Powder age from handling and adds greatly to its the Highest Grade Manufacture Put up in 1-lb. Sifting Tins and in bulk. tion to this rule, but as both are m quickly cooked in clear water, it is more DEARBORN & CO... evenient to do so before they are put in

A flat bottomed kettle, or an ordin clothes boiler is convenient for cooking, and board fitted to the bottom loosely and closely filled with inch auger holes, obviates all danger of breakage. Put the rubber and ver in position, leaving the latter loose. Fill the boiler with warm water to the neck of the jars and boil gently until the fruit can be easily pierced with a fork. No definite rule for cooking can be given. Ten minutes is usually long enough for berries, while the time required for larger and more Experience soon makes one expert. Take close by, and he gave larger mutton ples each jar out on to a hot plate, fill to over-

be sure that it is airtight. The jars should be wrapped in paper to exclude the light, which is more injurious than one is apt to think, and kept in a cool, dry place. The flavor of fruit is much improved if the oxygen is restored by remov-

If rich foul: is desired, the following quantities of sugar for each pint jar will be satisfactory, but as sugar is not the "keeping power," much less or even none may be used : Raspberries, four ounces; whortleberries, four ounces; peaches, five ounces; Bartlett pears, six ounces; sour pears, eight ounces; plums, eight ounces; quinces, eight ounces -New York Times.

Colouial silverware, which copies the is deserving of the high appreciation it is receiving from all quarters.

rease upon the top of a clean, white kitchen table, quickly pour cold water upon it, and a very loud voice, said: that will cool it at once. This prevents the wood from absorbing the grease, which then can be easily removed, explains an exchange. An old housekeeper says it is by far the

best plan to make one's own lemon flavoring or cakes and puddings. Before cutting the lemon to extract the jaice, wash and wipe it with a soft cloth; then grate off the delicate yellow skin, not taking any of the white bitter part. Place the grated peel in a wide mouthed bottle and cover it thickly with granulated sugar. Keep the bottle tightly orked. The sugar becomes saturated with the oil from the peel, and when used in place of extracts, gives a most delicious flavor. To clean tinware-Common soda, applied

with a dry piece, will make it look like

The Treatment of Sprains. The extremes are the best remedies for a prain-either hot or cold applications. As quickly as possible after the injury place the part-hand, wrist, foot, ankle-whichever it may be, in a vessel of hot water; reep the water hot (this is best accomplished by adding more boiling water from time to time, instead of emptying the vessel each ime) and do not remove the part for several nours. The steady heat reduces the inflammation and greatly favors a more rapid cure. If the injury is at the knee, it can be more easily treated by the continual application of hot cloths, flannel or sponge wet with not water. Have a new wet cloth to put on the instant the other is withdrawn. This. ike the bath, must be kept up for two or three hours. After the heat, apply a bandage, not tight enough to bind, merely close and firm enough to make gentle pressure, Do not, upon any consideration, attempt to use the member until the swelling and pain have subsided; then begin gradually. First ccustom the member to movement by careully rubbing it and very gently lifting it. If one is injured when far removed from hand), go up on deck and turn that cow a place where hot water can be secured, cold

Washing Milk Cans.

If your washed milk cans smell who closed a few hours, they are not clean enough for milk. New cans, pails and irregular creases in the soldering; a little nore solder will fill these places and make the can perfectly sweet inside. In cleansing cans where no boiler exists for cleansing hem, wash first in cold water, then in h water and sal soda. Finally, half fill them with clean, scalding water, put on the covers tightly for a few moments; they will steam themselves completely. By using the hot water for the next one, a limited amount of not water will thoroughly purify a good

reatment may be employed, and after treat-

nent conducted the same as when heat is

-The health of the household, as well a —The health of the household, as well as e sound condition of the house, depends considerable degree upon keeping the llar dry. When the cellar is damp, the mpness is soon drawn up into the upper ome of the dwelling, and mould and mildew in a vantage place. Frequently white-shing the cellar walls, at least once in six least not be to keen the cellar w. Ru is a least once in the large place. the cellar near the walls to absorb dampness, and thus keep the air dry and sweet. Minard's Liniment Cures Garget in Cows. | calf two weeks longer and you can l

Joker's Carner.

A Young Girl's Woe.

"All right!"

At the word the tall individ velvet coat jumped up perpendicularly i Ordinarily one would have su

of being the last person to indulge antics, as he was of a staid and sli have shrewdly supposed that he was far from enjoying himself, but it is to be presumed that he knew his own business best. In an chair-a young girl. She gazed at the

gritted his teeth, swore under his breath and moved hastily away. The young girl's parents, who were present, looked concerned.

After a few moments' hurried confab the velvety coated one handed each of the parents. ents a large tin pan and a stick of wood.

"Come on, now!
The horn was blown lustily, the tin pane. "Come on, now!" were banged with fervor, and all three de

And they shouted "Hi tiddley hi ti!" "Pilly willy winkum boom!"

"Flip flap a doodle, yum, yum, yum Their faces grew purple and their veins welled to the point of bursting. It was most impressive The young girl fixed her eyes on the pro

ceedings lack lustrously at first, but by grees with some show of interest. Finally she smiled.
"Now!" shrieked the individual in the ose velvet coat with insane exci

A snap was heard. And the young girl—she was but 2 month old-was successfully photographed at last.

I heard a remark from a friend of mine that he believed in the old saying, "opposi-tion was the life of trade" and, I am wel A widow lady used to have a small eating house, at my home in England, and she mad a great specialty of hot mutton pies, in which she did a particularly good business. After solid fruits depends upon their ripeness. a while a man started an opposition sho get the most for their money in the eating line. In despair the widow mentioned h case to a friend, who was a purveyor of cat'

"When does the opposition have the gest crowd in eating? "Saturday night," replied the lady "All right," said the cats' mest next Saturday night I want you to have a large number of pies ready in your shop for you will get all your old cus

The widow had implicit faith in her adviser, and prepared accordingly. In the get him to make his pies the same size as the saying, "opposition is the life of trade."
On the following Saturday night, right before the horrified proprietos and in

"There is every cat I can find in the city. You have been doing such a terrific bus the past few weeks, there are not any more

It is hardly necessary to say that all the customers rushed out of the shop, and when the place was empty of all but the pie man, the latter said: "In this case, opposition kills trade!"

How He Hurt His Throst

"Sore throat, eh?" said the surgeon to a nember of a military band. "Let me see, Oh, that's not so bad. A slight irritation nothing more. You'll be all right in a day or two. I think you had better take no risk in renewing the trouble by using your throat, though, so I will recommend you for a fort-night's sick leave." Armed with the surwith a moistened newspaper, and polished geon's certificate, the bandsman obtained his two weeks' sick leave. The two weeks had just come to an end, when he met the surgeon on the parade ground. The bandsman saluted. The surgeon recognized the face and stopped. "How's the throat?" he asked pleasantly. "It's onite well, sir" was the reply. "That's good," said the surgeon.
"You can get back to your duty without fear. By the way, what instrument do you handle in the band?" "The small drum,

sir," said the musician. Crowded Steamboats to Klondyke Although the Alaska boats are crowded hese days, the officers are doing all that

they can to make everybody comfortable and When the steamship Queen was about to sail, a man rushed down to the purser and exclaimed excitedly:

myself and wife, and when I got there I found an old cow sticking her nead through the "I am very sorry, sir," said the purser We are very crowded, but I will do the best I can for you. John (turning to a deck

Self Sacrifice.

You, perhaps, have travelled on so crook ed a road that the rear car has been met by the engine, but probably no one else in Maine has had such another experience as a Rangely guide lately enjoyed. The guide, while He struggled at the bottom for awhile and finally got up, and, grasping a big long held it carried his body under the log, and his feel Just as a comrade was about to grasp him by the shoulders he gasped, looked at his own feet pityingly and said to his rescuer: "Don't mind me. Save that fellow that's

Not Good at Figures.

The Lewiston Journal says that the story of a Caribou potato raiser, who refused sa offer of 48 cents a barrel for eleven barrels nothing for the load, is matched by a yarn that comes from Grand Lake Stream, of a the farmer, "I've got a bill of \$7 you, but I will take the calf and call it set was the answer, "I will not do tha