

# ST. STEPHEN AND CALAIS.

Progress is for sale in St. Stephen by Master Ralph Trimmer, and at the bookstores of R. S. Daggett, G. S. Wall and J. Vroom & Co. In Calais at O. P. Treat's.

May 4.—The entertainment "Antia trial" was most successfully given on Thursday evening in Elder memorial hall by the young ladies of Christ church. The scene is very pretty one representing a camping ground near a lake, in which a tent and camp are seen in a grove of trees. There are a variety of situations and characters which are taken by eleven ladies. Miss May Carter as "Antia" the Italian gipsy, acted her part finely and won for herself much applause and praise. Mrs. E. S. Stuart as "Antia's Mother" and Miss Abbott as "Miss Deacon Pippin" were most amusing. Miss Annie McBride as "Lurell Ann Pippin" and Miss Edith Porter as "Dorothy Pippin" were good. Miss McBride's costume was a true representation of a dressy love sick country maiden, and in the scene where she and "Antia" quarrel about "Pietro," Miss McBride received hearty applause. The other young ladies who took part were Miss Mabel Topping, who looked and acted her part very pretty. Miss May Williams as "Ethel Manning" the clown of the party showed an apt talent in clear voice and hearty manner, making her a favorite with the audience. Miss Addie Scott as "Katie Fortescue," the lonely little bride, acquitted herself well, her part being a particularly difficult one. Miss Fannie Weber, as "Nora Fortescue" with her camera was extremely bright and most amusing in the scene where she was photographing. "Mrs. Pippin," Miss Kate Newham as "Helen Joy," and Miss Bessie McCullough as "Mary Hyde" the athletes of the party did their parts with a view and vigor that was true to life. The entertainment is said to be the most pleasing amateur entertainment given here for some time. There was a large audience present and the orchestra which played some fine music added much to the pleasure of the evening.

A party of ladies and gentlemen enjoyed a bicycle ride to Hotel De Monts yesterday afternoon, where they remained to supper returning home in the evening. Those who were of the party were, Mr. and Mrs. Hazen Grimmer, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis L. Eater, Miss Berta Smith, Mr. H. S. Pettick, Mr. J. E. Ganong, and Mr. Morris of Montreal. Miss Ethel Waterbury, who is a pupil at the Boston Kindergarten preparing for a teacher, will close her studies this week and return home to the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Leonard Farris, who have been in Boston on their wedding journey returned to Calais on Saturday.

Mrs. H. V. Moran and her children are guests of her mother, Mrs. Andr. W. Whia.

Mrs. O. S. Newham recently received a cablegram from her home in Birmingham, England, containing the sad news of the death of her father, Mr. F. W. Bligh an elderly gentleman of seventy-one years that makes it extremely sad for Mrs. Newham. She has not seen her parents or been able to visit her home since coming to America, which is now twenty years. Mrs. Newham has the sincere sympathy of her numerous friends in her sadness and sorrow.

Cards were received here yesterday by the friends of Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. McKeeze of Rumford Falls, sent on the birth of a daughter whom they have named the name of Janet Adelaide. Dr. Frank Blair and Mr. C. E. Gilmore spent several days this week trout fishing at the Rolling dam.

The play "The Charity Ball" will be given in St. Croix hall tomorrow evening by a number of young society people for the benefit of the graduating class of the Calais high school. Miss Ella Warren Harmon, and Mr. Leo D. Lam will take the leading parts.

The marriage of Miss Lenna Markee youngest daughter of Mr. L. E. Markee to Mr. John W. Sewell is announced to take place on Tuesday the ninth, at three o'clock in the afternoon in Trinity church.

A number of young ladies and gentlemen enjoyed a bicycle ride to Hotel Demonts on Saturday afternoon where they partook of supper before returning to town.

Miss May Simpson gave a very pleasant whist party at her home a few miles from town one evening last week.

Mrs. S. H. Blair is expected from Boston tomorrow. Mrs. Blair has been absent for the past six months.

Campaign buttons are the fashionable fad, and if one does not conspicuously display the face of your favorite in politics, on the lapel of one's coat you are no longer in the "service."

Miss Jessie Wall has returned from Sackville, where she is a student at the Ladies' college.

Mr. and Mrs. Fredric MacNicol and Mrs. Henry Todd have returned from a brief visit in St. John.

Miss Janie Eaton of New York city is in Calais the guest of her grandfather, Mr. E. G. Gates.

Rev. W. C. Goucher has returned from his visit to Acadia college, where he has been attending the closing exercises.

Hon. James Mitchell and Mrs. Mitchell returned from Fredericton on Saturday.

Mr. Laurence T. Smith of the Bangor Daily News was in Calais during the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles King have returned to St. John.

Mrs. Watson, widow of the late Mr. Robert Watson, who for many years was cashier of the St. Stephen bank, is very ill at her home on Water street. Mrs. Watson is a very elderly lady and her daughters, Mrs. T. J. Smith and Miss Emma Watson have very grave fears in regard to her recovery.

Mrs. James N. Clarke is recovering from her long illness. Her numerous friends will gladly hear this.

Mr. Guy Murchie has gone to Newfoundland to look after his interest in a copper mine on that island.

Mrs. James Murray has returned from St. John. Mrs. G. Durell Gimmer returned to St. Andrews on Saturday after a pleasant visit with her sister Mrs. V. A. Waterbury.

Rev. J. T. Bryan has resigned his charge of Trinity church and has accepted the rectorship of St. Paul's church, Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island. Mr. and Mrs. Bryan have been spending the past three months in Charlottetown.

The Misses Reynolds have returned to St. John after a pleasant visit with their friends the Misses Bligh.

Rev. O. S. Newham has been spending several days in St. John.

Mrs. W. J. Graham and Mrs. Irving W. Todd have been appointed school trustees on the Milwood school board.

Mr. Charles Marsters of St. John has been in town during the past week.

Mr. O. B. Graves of Cambridge Mass., has been the guest of Mr. J. C. Henry.

Miss Roberts Murchie has finished her studies at the Ladies college Sackville, and has returned home.

to spend the summer holidays. Her young friends gave her a glad welcome.

Mrs. Hugh Cullinan is visiting friends in St. John.

Mr. Robert Gilmore was well known here is very ill at his home in Providence.

While enjoying a fishing excursion at Coteau lake with a party of friends, Mrs. Fredric T. Pote made a successful catch of a four pound trout. For ladies to go on fishing excursions is becoming quite a fad on the St. Croix.

Miss Edith Newman the young daughter of W. S. Newman has been quite ill this week and confined to her home with a throat trouble.

Rev. Mr. McKeeze at the close of the service in his church on Sunday evening, tendered his resignation as pastor of the Presbyterian church to his congregation.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Free and Bear arrived from Belmont, Mass., yesterday and will remain during the summer the guests of Mrs. Beards parents Captain and Mrs. T. J. Smith.

Mr. Gale, the evangelist is expected here on Monday, and will hold a meeting in the curling rink on Monday evening.

Progress is for sale in Moncton at the Moncton Bookstore, by W. G. Stanfield, S. T. Hall and M. B. Jones Bookstore.

JUNE 3.—The "at home" given last Thursday evening by Mrs. A. C. A. Wells, and her son Judge Wells, at their residence on West Main street, was a most enjoyable affair, and in fact voted the dance of the season. It was somewhat the nature of a home-coming, and so large was the number of guests that it would almost seem as if Judge and Mrs. Wells had determined to entertain all their friends both in Moncton and from a distance. But so perfect were all the arrangements, that there was not the least suspicion of crowding or discomfort. The house and grounds were beautifully decorated the former with a profusion of flowers, and the latter with Chinese lanterns. Nearly the whole lower floor was devoted to dancing and as both the floor and the music reached perfection as nearly as anything can in this world, and Judge Wells and his mother made good hosts, it is scarcely necessary to add that the guests enjoyed themselves immensely. The supper was a most delicious and the grey dawn was tingling the east ere the guests separated. I regret that I am unable to describe the many new and beautiful dresses worn, but as there were so many strangers whose names were unknown to me, I would scarcely be fair to describe merely a portion of the costumes. The honors of belief were evenly divided between Mrs. F. J. Pinkett of Moncton, and Miss Fannie of Mount Allison Ladies' college both of whom looked most charming.

Mr. and Mrs. F. R. F. Brown entertained a few of their friends last evening at a very pleasant whist party.

Miss Sallie Benedict has returned from Mount Allison Ladies College, and is spending the summer vacation at her home in Moncton.

Mrs. R. A. Borden returned last week from Sackville where she has been spending the past two weeks.

The many friends that Mr. A. R. Holmes of the I. C. R. engineering department has made during his short residence in Moncton will be sorry to hear of his departure. Mr. Holmes has accepted a position somewhere in Nova Scotia, but whether he has entirely severed his connection with the I. C. R. or merely obtained leave of absence for a time I am not sure.

Miss Fanning, teacher of vocal culture at Mount Allison Ladies College, is spending a few days in town the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Benedict, King street.

I regret very deeply to chronicle the death of Mr. I. H. Nase which took place on Wednesday of last week, at his residence on Bridge street. Mr. Nase had been ill for some weeks with a complication of ailments but I believe the cause of death was heart trouble. Mr. Nase was a native of St. John but had lived in Moncton for some years being employed in the I. C. R. He was a prominent churchman, for many years a member of St. George's church, and a man greatly respected for his many sterling qualities. He leaves a widow, formerly Miss Tilton of St. John, and seven children all but one of whom are grown up. The daughters are Mrs. Alexander Woodman of Westfield, Miss Nase and Miss Louise Nase of Minneapolis, Mr. Tilton Nase of the I. C. R. shops and two younger sons, Elwood and Harry. The funeral took place on Friday morning from St. George's church to the I. C. R. station, the remains being taken to Westfield for interment. The bereaved family will have the sympathy of their many friends.

The Misses Dot and Sadie Borden and Miss Laura Newman have returned from Mount Allison Ladies college to spend the summer holidays at their homes in Moncton. The last two young ladies have distinguished themselves in the musical classes both having taken high places and their friends are very proud of them.

The many friends of Mr. Alexander Robertson of the I. C. R., who was obliged to spend the winter in the south for the benefit of his health will be glad to hear that he has returned home greatly improved, in fact quite well again.

Miss Lodge of Marysville is spending a few days in town the guest of her uncle, Mr. Mathew Lodge of Botsford street.

Mrs. W. C. Crossdale's many friends will be glad to hear that she is convalescing from her recent severe illness, though still in a rather weak state.

Miss Dick of Mount Allison ladies college is spending a few days with the Misses Faulkner of Alma street.

Mrs. J. J. Benedict, Mrs. Newton Benedict and the young ladies Miss Fanning drove to Dorchester yesterday and were the guests of Judge Wells at the Windsor.

WOODSTOCK.

Progress is for sale in Woodstock by Mrs. Loan & Co.

The dance given by the Utopia club on Friday evening last was a very enjoyable affair. The club room was very prettily decorated with bunting and greenery. The party was ably chaperoned by Mrs. W. B. Belyea and Mrs. Ed. Williams. The music was good and the evening not too warm for dancing. Those present were, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Belyea, Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Jones, Mrs. Edward Williams, Mrs. Brewer, Miss Hudson, Houlton, Miss Lily Jordan, Miss Edith Jordan, Miss Hilda Bourne, Miss Kathleen Bourne, Miss Ancherston, Miss Lena G. Rith, Miss Berta Williams, Miss Hanson, Houlton, Messrs. G. B. Mazur, W. C. Everett, R. Lee, E. Hall, E. Jack, Murphy, Stead, Leeb, Dibblee J. Dibblee, Paige, Smith, Sweetie, Lovett, E. Mazur, and Dr. Mills.

Miss Mabel Watts entertained the Eucharistarian club very pleasantly on Thursday evening last, the club will be entertained by Mrs. Wendell Jones on Tuesday evening of next week instead of Thursday the regular night.

Mrs. George Saunders gave a children's party on Wednesday. Some seventy-five children were invited and a most joyous crowd of children were entertained from five till ten o'clock.

The marriage of Col. F. H. J. Dibblee and Miss Ella Connell was solemnized on Wednesday afternoon at St. Luke's by Archdeacon Neales.

The church was prettily decorated with blooming plants and cut flowers. The bride wore a most becoming travelling costume of grey with white trim

ings and hat to match, and carried a bouquet of cream roses. She was unattended, and was given away by her uncle, Mr. L. F. Fisher. The guests were the immediate relatives of bride and groom. The bride was the recipient of many beautiful presents. Colonel and Mrs. Dibblee left on the express for St. Stephen, followed by the best wishes and congratulations of hosts of friends.

Miss Hudson Houlton spent part of last week in Woodstock.

Mrs. McCann, daughter of Mr. J. W. Boyce of Victoria corner, died on Friday last, after a few months illness at the residence of her father. Mrs. McCann left a sorrowing husband and infant. Her funeral took place on Sunday and was largely attended. Archdeacon Neales conducted the funeral services. Messrs G. H. Harris, C. Comben, and F. Smith, were the pall bearers. Much sympathy is extended to her bereaved husband and parents.

Rev. Joseph McLeod of Fredericton spent part of last week at Victoria corner. ELAINE.

FREDERICTON.

Progress is for sale in Fredericton by W. T. H. Fenety and J. H. Hawthorne.

JUNE 3.—After having spent several weeks visiting in New York, the Lieut. Governor and Mrs. Fraser are now in Toronto enjoying the sights in the "Queen city of the west."

Prof. Hulton of Sackville is here the guest of his father-in-law Dr. J. R. Inch.

Mr. Archie Tibbits took the first party of the season to camp life at "Beech Knoll" on Saturday.

The Misses Babbitt had a picnic party at the Nashwaak on Saturday, which was given I understand as a farewell for some of the college students.

Miss Nan Ross of Woodstock is visiting her friend Miss Tibbits and both young ladies graduated last week from the university.

Mr. E. Miller gave a charming tea party to about a dozen of her lady friends on Thursday evening.

Miss Annie Phinney and Miss Nan Thompson are home from Sackville academy.

Dr. Fred Gunter returned to Boston on Tuesday after a pleasant visit at his old home here.

Miss Pickard of Sackville is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Inch.

Owing to unavoidable circumstances the parlor concert which was to have been held at Government house on the eleventh of June has been postponed till Thursday June the twenty-fifth.

The ladies orchestra will meet and practice with Mrs. W. E. Smith on Saturday afternoon.

Miss Thompson of Windsor, Nova Scotia, is the guest of Mrs. Roberts at the Rectory.

Mrs. Dole has gone to Bangor for a short visit.

Rev. Wilford MacDonald of St. Paul's church, leaves on Monday next for Toronto, to attend the session of the general assembly of the Presbyterian church in Canada, which opens in that city on Wednesday next.

Miss Madie Armstrong of St. John is visiting friends here.

Mr. Wm. Harrison is lying very low with pneumonia at his home in Sheffield. His brother Chancellor Harrison, of the U. N. B. and his son Mr. Wm. Harrison of the board of works have gone down to see him.

Mr. E. H. Allen is reported ill at South Hampton and under a doctors care.

Mr. L. A. Curry Q. C. of St. John is in the city.

Mrs. Arthur Johnson of Charlottetown is here visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lemont.

Several weddings all in society circles are to take place during this and next month, one I understand will be quite a swell affair and the ceremony will take place in the Cathedral, another in Christ church, and a third in St. Paul's.

A wedding in which one of our popular young doctors will be one of the principals, will take place at Port Arthur, this month. We extend congratulations.

Miss Peters of Gagetown is visiting friends in the city.

Mr. G. E. Fenety and family returned to Linden Hall to-day after a visit of several weeks in Washington. Mr. Fenety is much improved in health.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Johnston leave Friday for Toronto, Mr. Johnston as representative elder from St. Paul's church will attend the Presbyterian general assembly.

Dr. and Mrs. Reed of Toronto who have been here the guests of Rev. J. D. and Mrs. Freeman, left on Tuesday for home.

Miss Pugsley of St. John is the guest of Miss George at "The Canyons."

Miss Maunell leaves in a few days on a visit to her sister Mrs. G. Flewelling.

Mrs. Ernest McKay and children of Harvey are visiting at her old home here.

After a pleasant visit of several weeks spent with relatives in New York Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Beck with have returned home.

Mr. A. J. Beveridge of Andover is spending a few days in the city.

Chief Justice Tuck and Judge Barker are among the visitors here.

Mr. Bolton and Mr. Parker and Miss Kendal of Jersey city spent Sunday in the city.

Mr. Will Broderick is spending a few days at his home before leaving for Montreal to take a situation.

Mrs. Alex. McPherson and son of Moncton, who have been visiting Mrs. Geo. N. Seggie have returned home.

Mr. Jas. McKay of Montreal spent Sunday in the city and leaves for home today.

Messrs. Jack MacFarlane and Hallet of St. John are in the city.

Mrs. Wm. Goldstream of New York spent Sunday in the city and left for home to-day.

At the encenola exercises at the University last week the honorary degree of L. D. was conferred on His Honor, the Lieut. Governor and Hon. A. G. Blair, premier of the province.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hall of Montreal are spending a few days in the city.

Mr. Mont. Wiley of the city has accepted the position of junior clerk in the Bank of Montreal, Halifax, and has entered upon his duties.

Mrs. and Miss Cartright of New York are here on a visit to her sister Mrs. A. S. Purdie.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Finlay of St. John are here the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Edgecombe.

Mr. Robt. Cruikshank of St. John is spending a few days here with his daughter Mrs. O. H. Sharpe. After an absence of forty-six years Mr. Chas. Gregory a former Frederictonian but now of Kingston, Ont. is here the guest of his brother-in-law Mr. Marvin Hart.

Mrs. Spencer Inch of St. Marys is quite ill with the gripe.

Mr. J. D. McPherson was taken suddenly ill at his home on Regent street.

Miss Barbara C. sister of Mrs. Rand Murray of Kingsclear is at the Victoria hospital in a very critical condition; she last week underwent a severe operation.

Prof. S. Bridges took charge of the Grammar school at St. John on Monday.

Miss Naraway of the St. John high school is in the city examining the students in reading. The public closing of the normal school will take place on Friday.

CRICKET.

JUNE 3.—Mrs. B. A. Trites and Master Roy of Sussex spent a few days of last week here.

Mrs. L. O. Merriam of Minneapolis is visiting her sister Mrs. D. L. Trites.

Dr. Van Thorne who lately graduated from Bellevue college New York was here on Saturday.

Mrs. Webster has returned from a short visit to Sussex.

Miss Jessie Fleming of Newcastle is visiting her grandmother Mrs. H. Humphreys.

Mr. Roy McDonald who has been attending Acadia college, Wolfville N. S., is home spending the holidays.

Mrs. L. O. Merriam and Mrs. D. L. Trites spent Monday last in Moncton.

The Rev. Mr. Brown of Campbellton is in the village today.

Miss M. Bleakney spent a few days of last week in Moncton.

Misses Fie Jones and Mary Emmerson spent Tuesday in Havellock.

Mr. Gros of Moncton was here on Sunday the guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Bleakney.

ST. GEORGE.

Progress is for sale in St. George at the store of T. O'Brien.

JUNE 3.—The funeral of Miss Reath Dow youngest daughter of the late Mr. Robert Dow took place from her mother's residence on Friday afternoon and was very largely attended. Rev. Mr. Lavers conducted the services. The deepest sympathy is extended to the bereaved mother and relatives.

Between forty and fifty went to St. Stephen to spend the twenty-fourth.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris of New York who purchased a summer residence last year on Lake Umbagog have arrived and commenced improving their grounds.

Mr. James Kelman and Miss Kelman have returned from Boston. Mr. Kelman is much improved in health.

Mr. and Mrs. John McGee of Oconto Wis., are visiting relatives in town.

Mrs. Gilliam Stewart and little son are spending a short time at the Upper Falls.

Miss Black of St. Andrews was the guest of Miss Jessie Macgowan over Sunday.

Miss Kennedy of St. Andrews is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bogue.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Moran, St. Stephen, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Baldwin.

The marriage of Miss Hannah Dewar and Mr. Charles Edward Craig take place on this (Wed.) evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. John Dewar.

Rev. R. E. Smith goes to Penfield (Wednesday) to attend the funeral of Miss Cassie McKay eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel McKay, to Mr. Scott Morrill, barrister, St. John. MAX.

THINGS OF VALUE.

Agitation in the world of homeopathic medicine is the very soul of progress, as in politics and religion—the difference of opinion and the individuality of each man's mind are the basis of progress by which the standard of these bodies has been elevated. So with most of our famous preparations—ferri-muriaticum, for instance, which is the world's famous remedy for general debility and languor. "Quinine Wine"—and which, when obtainable in its genuine strength, is a miraculous creator of appetite, vitality and stimulus to the general fertility of the system. Quinine Wine and its improvement has, from the first discovery of the great tonic and life-giving stimulus which the medical profession have been compelled to recognize and prescribe. Messrs. Northrup & Lyman of Toronto, have given to the preparation of their pure Quinine Wine the great care due to its importance, and the standard excellence of the medicine which they offer to the public comes into the market purged of all the defects which skillful observation and scientific opinion has pointed out in the inferior preparations of the past. All druggists sell it.

The manufacture of razors by machinery has become an important industry in Germany.

Ninety per cent of the cigars made in Germany sell for one cent or one-third each.

The Louisiana Supreme Court has decided that the Sunday law applies to social clubs.

The woolen factories of this country are mostly located in New England, New York, Pennsylvania, and New Jersey.

In Berlin there are said to be sixteen nobles, seven retired army officers and three clergymen employed as cab drivers.

The family of James B. McTaggart of Brooklyn, Me., is a remarkable one, in the fact that the father and seven sons are all railroad men.

The paper mills soon to be established at Way Cross, will utilize the palmetto plant, which grows in profusion in that section.

About 2000 sailing vessels of all kinds disappear in the sea every year, carrying down 12,000 human beings, and involving a loss of about \$100,000,000 in property.

The Canadian and Michigan Bridge and Tunnel Company has obtained authority from the Canadian Senate to build a bridge with a span of 1100 feet across the Detroit River.

Half a dozen women in bifurcated garments and adorned with ruffs have left Tacoma for the Yukon country, Alaska. They expect to make high wages cooking for the miners—Tacoma (Wash.) Ledger.

There are cases of consumption so far advanced that the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills will cure, but none so bad that it will not give relief. For coughs, colds and all affections of the throat, lungs and chest it is specific which has never been known to fail. It promotes a free and easy expectoration, thereby removing the phlegm, and gives the diseased parts a chance to heal.

Mr. Celeste Conn, Syracuse, N. Y., writes: "For years I could not eat many kinds of food without producing a burning, excruciating pain in my stomach. I took Farmer's Pills according to directions and the heat of dyspepsia or indigestion has been entirely cured. I can now eat anything I choose, without distressing me in the least. These Pills do not cause pain or griping, and should be used when a cathartic is required."

Tell the Deaf—Mr. J. F. Kellogg, Druggist, Perth, writes: "A customer of mine having been cured of deafness by the use of Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Cure, wrote to Ireland, telling his friends there of the cure. In consequence I received an order to send him a dozen by express to Wexford, Ireland, this week."

Dr. Agnew's Triumphs in Medicines.

Look in at the pawnbroker's window and try to fit a history to the various articles there displayed. A strange assortment. From the old family signet ring of the broken down gentleman, to the well used hammer of the once skilful and industrious artisan; gone to supply the craving of the drink disease. This dread disease is no respecter of persons. Clergymen lose their gowns, doctors their practice, wealthy merchants their business, laboring men their work. It spares no one. Yet all alike may be permanently cured of the disease and freed from the curse by scientific treatment at Lakehurst Sanitarium. Send for full particulars concerning the drink disease and its treatment, to the Manager Lakehurst Sanitarium, Oakville, Ont.

Careful With Cents.

A gentleman standing in a hotel lobby while taking a match safe from his pocket accidentally dropped a cent on the floor. He picked it up carefully, and as he did so he said: "I have only lately realized the value of a cent. I have a small account with a trust company, and the other day I received my book, with interest computed at \$13.99. I worked at the figures quite awhile, and found that the exact amount was \$13.99. Then I argued with the secretary that it ought to be 14, but he would not consent to the increase. So I came to the conclusion that a company with a capital of 1,000,000 can figure on half cents I ought to be careful with cents."

An Ordinary Economy.

"What's this?" exclaimed the young husband, referring to the memorandum she had given him. "One dozen eggs, a pound of raisins, a bottle of lemon extract, can of condensed milk, dime's worth of ground cinnamon and half a dollar's worth of sugar. What do you want with all these things, Belinda?"

"I've got a dry loaf of baker's bread," replied the young wife, "that I'm going to save by working up into a bread pudding. I never let anything go to waste, Henry."—Clairmont (N. H.) Eagle.

**Chilly Evenings....**