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## THE TOWN MANAGER

The result of the experiment which Wolfville is entering upon in adopting the Town Manager program will depend altogether on the qualifications of the man engaged and his ability to maintain an absolutely free hand in the management of public affairs. While THE ACADIAN has strongly advocated this method of conducting civic matters it has always been plain to us that the probabilities of success or failure were equally good. However, if given a fair chance, we have not the slightest doubt but that the innovation will prove to be a step in the right direction, and that a few years of correct and business-like management will establish a condition of municipal prosperity that will amply demonstrate that no mistake has been made.

Mr. Gordon Stairs, whom the Council has engaged to fill the new position, comes very highly recommended. He has had a good training in the solution of the various engineering problems which he will meet in Wolfville, and is well informed with regard to the Town Manager idea. THE ACADIAN bespeaks for him all the assistance and encouragement possible on the part of the town government and citizens. This is another modern proposition in which Wolfville is again taking the lead, and it is up to our people to do all in their power to ensure its successful application.

## THE BANDSTAND

If the proposed work of filling in the creek on the north side of Main street at "the bridge" had been proceeded with as was urged by THE ACADIAN and others the land so reclaimed would have furnished an ideal location for the contemplated bandstand, and a solution of the problem now facing citizens in this regard. The location is sufficiently central and the street is more than ordinarily wide at this point. The difficulties in the way of putting this property in a condition which would make it a credit and convenience to the town are not nearly so great as many citizens appear to think, and all that is necessary is a united and determined effort to secure this much to be desired result. It is surprising that the people of Wolfville, who are usually first in every good word and work, should lack the necessary enterprise and courage to put over this project, the accomplishment of which would so materially improve the general appearance of the town and the welfare of its people.

## FRUIT GROWER AND CANNER

In by-gone days too frequently it was felt that anything in the nature of fruit was good enough for the cannery. Today home and foreign competition has become so keen that the canner, to obtain trade and to hold it when obtained, must in the first instance have a prime article to put through his various processes. Mr. C. S. McGillivray, Chief Canning Inspector for the Dominion, points out that in 1918, Canada's peach pack reached only \$113,944 in value, while we imported from the United States \$226,870 worth of dried peaches and \$183,310 worth of canned peaches. In 1919 we imported \$862,257 worth and in 1920 \$932,124 worth. He also wants to know why out of a million dollars' worth of canned peaches packed in Canada in 1920 about 75 per cent. were packed from fruit grown across the border. These facts are alluded to in order to show the opportunity that is offered, first, to the fruit grower, and next, to the canner, also as indicating that to take advantage of this opportunity for extending his market, the fruit grower must supply the canner with high grade fruits and vegetables, and that the latter in turn must place his products on the market in such a condition as to quality and grade as will command trade at home and meet export requirements. In connection with dried and evaporated fruit, it is satisfactory to know that the standard of Canadian evaporated apples is equal to the best in the world.

## BY-PRODUCTS FROM SURPLUS PEARS

The utilization of windfall and cull pear presents a serious problem to pear growers. Experiments by Cruess, assisted by Bjarnason, Baldwin, de Villiers, Yoshikawa, and Irish, advanced students of the California Agricultural College, demonstrated that an excellent pear butter can be made from fresh, sound cull pears without the addition of sugar.

The peeled fruit was cooked a short time to soften it and was then converted into a fine grained pulp freed from seeds and fibre by rubbing through a fine screen. This was done upon a large scale by means of a potato pulper and finisher, according to The Evaporator.

The pulp was concentrated with cloves and cinnamon in an open kettle to the consistency of apple butter. To each pound of fresh pulp was added before concentration two pints of fresh pear juice. From 60 pounds of fresh pears was obtained 12 pounds of pear

butter; this includes the fruit necessary to furnish both the pulp and the juice used. At this rate one ton of cull pears would yield 400 pounds of pear butter when no sugar is added. In more recent experiments a formula of 100 pounds of pear pulp, two quarts of lemon juice, and two ounces of ground cinnamon, cloves and ginger was used. The addition of sugar yields a better product.

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## ATTACKS IMMIGRATION POLICY



Frank Cahill, Liberal member for Port au Prince, who led an attack upon Hon. Charles Stewart, of the Department of Immigration, during a debate upon estimates for that department.

## RADIO RECOMPENSE

The static may be bothering  
A tube or two burnt out,  
There's a b-r-r in the receivers  
And the coupler has the gout,  
Someone binged up the condenser  
So you hardly hear a groan—  
But you can't get a "wrong number"  
On the radiophone.

The wind jumped on my aerial  
And twisted it around,  
I left it hanging on the roof  
But now it's on the ground,  
And it busted the conductor  
Like a dog would crack a bone—  
But I never hear "line busy"  
On the radiophone.

So there is some consolation  
When your set is on the blink,  
Even though there's interference  
And the crystal has a kink,  
When you get the works a-going  
And you're listening in alone,  
You can be your own hello girl  
On the radiophone.

## YOO-HOO, FAIR MAIDEN

How times have changed! Years ago the fair maiden would sit in a high secluded tower and pray to the Lord to send her a lover. Now she goes down to the corner and picks one out herself.

Paper Napkins, 5 cents per dozen.  
at THE ACADIAN STORE.

## BIBLE THOUGHT —FOR TODAY—

**APRIL 13**  
**WHO SHALL ENTER.**—Not every one that saith unto me, Lord, Lord, shall enter the kingdom of heaven; but he that doeth the will of my Father which is in heaven.—Matthew 7:21.

**APRIL 14**  
**ROAD TO TRUE RICHES.**—Seek ye first the kingdom of God, and his righteousness; and all these things shall be added unto you.—Matt. 6:33.

**APRIL 15**  
**LOVE DEFRAUDS NOT.**—Owe no man any thing, but to love one another. Thou shalt not steal. Thou shalt not covet. Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself.—Romans 13:8,9.

**APRIL 16**  
**PRAYER ANSWERED.**—I sought the Lord, and he heard me, and delivered me from all my fears. This poor man cried, and the Lord heard him, and saved him out of all his troubles.—Psalm 34:4,6.

**APRIL 17**  
**SUPPLY IS SURE.**—Trust in the Lord, and do good; so shalt thou dwell in the land, and verily thou shalt be fed.

**APRIL 18**  
**DEFRAUD NOT.**—For this is the will of God, that no man defraud his brother in any matter.—1 Thessalonians 4:3,4.

**APRIL 19**  
**GOD IS LOVE.**—Beloved, let us love one another; for love is of God; and every one that loveth is born of God, and knoweth God.—1 John 4:7.

Canada exported meats and allied products to the value of \$30,752,000 last year, and imported to the value of \$10,265,000, exports exceeding imports by \$20,487,000. Bacon and hams comprised the greater part of the exports.

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