

# THE ACADIAN.

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## Editorial Brevities.

Those who are interested, and all should be interested in the problems of the mother land today, will find the King's speech in opening Parliament worthy of thoughtful study. His words are pregnant with suggestions of the changing social order and of the responsibility of the nation in dealing with unemployment, poverty and other remedial ills. The pace set by Great Britain to-day shows the path we must tread to-morrow. Never before was such a speech put into the mouth of a British sovereign.

Sir Oliver Lodge, in presenting prizes at the King Edward Grammar School for Girls, Handsworth, England, a few weeks ago, made some remarks which plainly were intended as a caution against the tendency too widely to substitute the practical for the theoretical in educational training. In the course of his address, Sir Oliver said he quite agreed that it was a mistake to enter upon vocational work too soon. "Premature specialization" was to be avoided. The object of education was partly to make them useful citizens, to enable them to fill their niche in the scheme of things, to make them of service to others, but that was not all. Education should cultivate an interest in life. Learning should not cease when they left school. It should go on all through life.

There is meat for much thought in these few sentences from one of the world's great men.

Now that the war is over no home should be without a history of the events of the last four and a half years. There has recently been published a Pictorial History of the Great War, the only volume that has been written by Canadians for the Canadian people. The authors are S. J. Duncan-Clark, World War Analyst, editor and correspondent, and Prof. (Major) Wallace, M. A., Professor of Modern History at Toronto and McMaster Universities. The history contains about 400 double-column pages and 400 apt, official illustrations, including about 90 showing our Canadian Boys in action. In addition there are sixteen De Luxe Colored Reproductions of the War Leaders and Intense Situations. H. P. Davidson, of this town, has been given the privilege of introducing this history to the people of Kings County, and is ready to take orders at any time.

## 50 Years Ago.

The following extracts are taken from the files of "THE ACADIAN" of 50 years ago:

Perhaps there has not been so mild a winter in this valley, in the remembrance of man, as has been the present, yet in some parts of Canada the severity of the winter has been keenly felt.

For a few days last week the sleighing was excellent, but on Sunday a strong wind came from the south which melted the snow down quickly and by Monday the sleighing was ruined.

The feeling that incorporation is necessary to the best interests of this village is becoming more and popular, although there are those who oppose it as they do every move in the direction of progress.

Rev. M. P. Freeman removed to Gasperon parsonage this week, his duties there as pastor of the church requiring his constant presence.

On Saturday evening last Wolfville Division made a fraternal visit to Hopeful Division, of Avonport.

The following is a scale of the local market as far as could be gathered by a reporter:

Hay per ton, delivered	..... \$10.00
Oats per bushel	..... .40
Potatoes per bushel	..... .25
Beans per bushel	..... 2.00
Pease per bushel	..... 1.25
Eggs per dozen	..... .12
Dried apples per lb.	..... .04
Green apples, No. 1, per bbl.	..... 1.00
Beef per quarter, fresh	..... 60-70
Mutton per quarter, fresh	..... 50-60
Pork per carcass, fresh	..... 80-90
Beef, wanted at	..... .50
Carrots, wanted at	..... .35

## When Baby Is Cross.

Mothers, when your baby is cross—when he cries a great deal and no amount of attention or petting seems to do anything to soothe him up—something is the matter. It is not the nature of the little ones to be cross and peevish—the well child is a happy child. Give him a dose of Baby's Own Tablets and he will soon be well again. They are a mild but thorough laxative; regulate the bowels and stomach; banish constipation and indigestion; break up colds and simple fevers; in fact they care all the minor ailments of the little ones. Concerning them Mrs. Alphonse Lechance, St. Apollinaire, Que., writes: "My baby cried continually but Baby's Own Tablets soon set her right and now she is fat and happy." The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Halifax Herald:—Before the Nova Scotia Historical Society were heard two supremely interesting papers. The first was by the Rev. Dr. Crowell, on the settlement of Berrington. This paper set forward that the earliest settlers of the place were not as most suppose United Empire Royalists, but English. This paper was of great historical value, as it sets forth a great collection of facts which may in future time, unless gathered together, be scattered to the four winds of the earth.

Dr. Crowell was a visitor in Wolfville on his way home to Yarmouth last week.

Read Mary Roberts Rhinehart's latest novel "Dangerous Days" in the Pictorial Review, only 20¢ a year. It is Pictorial, the Magazine of the Month.

## Work For Boys.

A very interesting meeting was held at the Council Chamber on Tuesday evening, when a goodly number of citizens gathered to hear a discussion on Boys' Work. Rev. I. A. Buckley, Maritime Boy Work secretary for the Y.M.C.A., and Mr. Armstrong, the town and country secretary of the same institution in the Maritime Provinces, were the speakers, and a number of citizens present participated in the discussion. Both addresses were very interesting and instructive and referred to a work that certainly deserves the support of all right thinking people. The Young Men's Christian Association of the provinces of Nova Scotia, New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island, under the leadership of the Maritime Division of the National Council of the Association of Canada, is launching a special effort to extend the services of the Y.M.C.A. and program to the men and boys of the entire Maritime field. The plan is to get Kings County in line for this work and different sections will be visited, the aim being to hold a county convention in the near future. The meeting, after some discussion, unanimously decided in favor of the undertaking.

The town and country work of the Young Men's Christian Association is sometimes called county or rural work. It is the Y.M.C.A. operating on a county-wide basis. The general administrative body of the organization is a county committee of real estate citizens. This committee employs a county secretary as its agent and outlines the policy and plan of action and promotes and supervises the work generally. The secretary resides in the county and gives his entire time to the work. Each com-

munity has its organization for promotion and supervision locally.

The Association aims to train boys and young men for leadership of others in service in home, school or church—in fact the whole of life's contracts and experiences—a social program of service to keeping with Christian ideals. Therefore, the County Secretary in behalf of the committee gives attention, primarily to the discovery, enlistment and training of leaders as the best means of accomplishing this end. These leaders take charge of groups of boys and young men.

The regular program for boys is the Canadian Standard Efficiency Training. It is the Church's program, having been prepared by the leading

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But the Government, however willing, cannot provide the personal touch needed in this work of repatriation. That must be given by the people themselves.

The men who went from these parts to fight in Flanders deserve a real welcome home—the best we can give.

In most towns committees of citizens have already been organized to meet the soldiers and their dependents at the station, to provide hot meals, supply automobiles, afford temporary accommodation when necessary.

In addition, many other towns are organizing social gatherings to give public welcome to returned men after they have been home a few days.

After he has rested, the soldier must be provided with an opportunity for employment. In towns of 10,000 population, Public Employment Offices have been established to help soldiers, as well as war-workers, secure good jobs quickly. Where these exist, citizens should cooperate. Where they do not exist, the citizens themselves should help put the soldier in touch with employment.

The fighting job is done. It has cost many a heart-burning. But it has been well done. The least we can do is to show our appreciation in no uncertain manner.

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Notwithstanding the shortage of fertilizer for the past several years, particularly the spring of a year ago, we had a good supply and were in a position to take care not only of our own trade but of many customers who were disappointed in not being able to get their fertilizer. This condition may repeat itself this year and it will surely do so if you do not make your arrangements early for the spring supply. It is certain that unless orders are placed the manufacturers will not take the risk of carrying over to next year materials bought on the present market when the prices are at the highest, and the tendency on the contrary will be not to carry even the slightest surplus with the possibility of having on hand at the end of the season.

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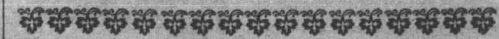
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