

THE ACADIAN.

WOLFVILLE, N. S., MAY 5, 1916.

Editorial Brevities.

It is gratifying to note that citizens generally are endeavoring to make our town appear attractive this spring. Every effort put forth in the matter of clearing up and beautifying is worth while. A cleaner, brighter and more prosperous Wolfville ought to be the slogan of everybody.

The "Daylight Saving Scheme" isn't apparently very popular in this vicinity, and will not likely be tried on this season. It is a good idea, nevertheless, and some day will come into operation by legal enactment. In the meantime, it may be that with some of us it will be necessary to economize in more things than daylight before the war is over.

Dominion Meteorological Service For April.

Max. Bar. (sea level)	30.43
Min. "	29.39
Mean Temp.	39.3
Deport	-1.0
Max. "	55.8
Min. "	22.9
Days rain	7
Days snow	5
Clear	2
Fair	13
Cloudy	15
Total Precip.	2.77 in.
Deport	-0.59 in.
Max daily rain	1.45 in. 5
Max daily snow	2.0 in. 19
Hours sunshine	148.3
Wind direction	N. N. E.
Max velocity	N 26 15
Total mileage	7108
Hours Calm	11

W. A. COY, Observer.
Wolfville, N. S.

Mother and Baby.

The fond mother always has the welfare of her little ones at heart. She is continually on the watch for any appearance of the measles which threaten her little ones. Thousands of mothers have learned by experience that nothing will equal "Baby's Own Tablets" in keeping the children well. Concerning Mrs. R. Morehouse, Blissett, N. B., writes: "Baby's Own Tablets are the best medicine I have ever used for my baby. He was very cross but the Tablets soon put him right again." The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

There has just been a big conference in Boston, attended by the Governors of all the New England States. The finest intellects in that country are scheming to bring a tremendous tourist trade to New England this summer. One feature just pulled off this week was "Post Card Day for Maine." The Boston Globe states: "Two hundred thousand post cards were sent out of Maine on Wednesday, and this personal advertising of Maine as a Vacation State is sure to be of incalculable value. Post Card Day is to be made a permanent institution. The Portland Chamber of Commerce sent out 20,000 cards alone and Hamilton business men mailed 5,000."

Port Williams.

Mr. G. A. Carter and family have removed to Wolfville, where he has taken charge of the garage business. They will be missed from the place.
Mr. Joseph Goodwin, a well-known resident of this place, who was taken to the Victoria General Hospital, Halifax, last autumn by Dr. Miller, Canning, died there, the body being brought here where the funeral was held last Wednesday, conducted by Rev. L. Sandford, Halifax, assisted by Rev. A. J. Prosser, Canard. Interment was at Lower Church Street.
On the evening of Easter Monday a reception was held in Citizens' Hall, given by the citizens to the soldier boys of this place, who are training in the 112th Kentville, and the 219th Wolfville, about fifteen in all. Parents and wives of our soldiers were given seats at the table especially arranged and patriotically decorated, also Revs. Hall, Bell, Prosser and Miller. The speeches and patriotic program was much enjoyed by the large number present, all being filled.
Mr. Gerald Mills, one of our soldier boys, had an attack of measles recently.
Rev. L. Sandford, who has been pastor of the North street church, Halifax, was the guest for a few days of Mr. and Mrs. George Gates. Mr. Sandford left for the United States on Wednesday morning, where he has accepted a call in Everett, Mass.

The Easter concert held in the Baptist church was largely attended and much enjoyed.
Our energetic and up-to-date road master, Mr. George Gates, has made a great improvement on the west side walk, Main street, up to Mr. John Bezanon's. It has much improved the access to the grounds of the Baptist church. (Now the agitation is for cement walk and steps to the church.)

NOT ENOUGH CHILDREN

Ever realize the proper balance of food to sufficiently nourish both body and brain during the growing period when nature's demands are greater than in mature life. This is shown in so many pale faces, lean bodies, frequent colds, and lack of ambition.
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Municipal Council

The Municipal Council of Kings County met at the Court House, Kentville, on Tuesday, April 25th, at ten o'clock a. m.

Councillors all present. The Warden in the Chair.
The Minutes of January Term, 1916, were read and approved.

Mr. Moore, in opening his address, referred to the fact that this was the last regular session of this Council. When elected in November, 1913, no one imagined that the Empire was on the verge of the greatest war in history. Since the outbreak of that war every proposed action has had to be considered, not upon its intrinsic merits, but in the light of conditions created by the great struggle going on thousands of miles from our borders. As a consequence, action has been necessarily deferred on many matters of importance, consideration of which had been before the Council. Among these matters the Warden mentioned the appointment of a General Assessor, the amalgamation of Poor Districts, the establishment of Municipal Sanatoria, etc. He referred to the bill, now before Legislature, which provides for the establishment of Municipal farms to which persons under sentence involving hard labor could be sent. This might afford a solution of one of the problems with which the Council has been asked to deal.

Mr. Moore congratulated the Council upon the prompt and generally satisfactory manner in which the necessary business of the Council had been despatched. Advance in values had necessitated increased appropriations without an increase in service, but there had not been more than a proportional advance in taxation on account of those services. Such increase in taxation as had taken place was due to abnormal conditions arising out of the war, and to expenses incurred on account of the grant to the North Mountain Railway.

The Warden concluded with a few words of appreciation of and thanks for the courtesy extended to him personally while acting as presiding officer.
Arch Foster, Commissioner to lay out new roads at Randville in Ward 1 and at Yoho Brook in Ward 3, rendered reports. These reports were received and adopted, proceedings continued and roads established.

L. K. Patterson, Commissioner to lay out private road through lands of Edith Ogilvie in Ward 14, reported that he had visited the locality and believed the course indicated in the petition was the most convenient for the proposed private road.

On motion of Coun. Gault it was ordered that the report be referred back to the Commissioner and that he be asked to lay out the road and render report accordingly to law.
The Clerk read notice served upon him in the matter of the claim of P. A. Masters, barrister-at-law, for the sum of \$181.33, costs taxed upon an amendment of the County for the building of a Court House, ordered by the late chief justice, Sir Robert J. Wetherbe.

The notice recited the facts of the amendment, ordered some fifty years ago, and set forth that such amendment became valid upon receiving the approval of the Legislature. This approval had been obtained so far as the costs in the case were concerned, these costs had been duly taxed and payment was now demanded by Mr. Masters.
Mr. Wickwire explained the legal status of the claim. Mr. Masters was ordered to move for the amendment. His costs had been duly taxed. An act of the Legislature, however, provided that the amendment did not become valid until approved as stated. This technicality, which has prevented Mr. Masters from pressing his claim—which had been repeatedly before the Council—had now been removed. The Lieut. Governor in Council having approved the amendment so far as the taxation of costs was concerned. The fact that the Court House was not built under the amendment did not affect Mr. Masters' claim. He was now in a position to reinforce payment of that claim.

On motion of Councillors Campbell and Nichol it was resolved that the claim of Mr. Masters be paid.
Read petition of residents of Berwick, asking that a Commissioner be appointed to lay out an extension of Foster Street, across the lands of the D. A. Railway to the street running east and west along the south side of that railway (Front Street).

The prayer of the petition was granted and Mr. W. H. Woodworth was appointed Commissioner to lay out the road.
Read letter from Supt. of Colchester Insane Asylum, stating that a patient at that institution belonging to this County should be sent to the Nova Scotia Hospital and asking that the necessary steps be taken.
The Clerk stated that there were several patients at the N. S. Hospital, who, he was informed by the Superintendent, might be cured for in the Colchester asylum.
On motion the matter was referred to the Committee on Lunatics, who were empowered to make necessary arrangements for transfer of the patient first mentioned from Ysso to Dartmouth and for the transfer from Dartmouth to Truro of patients whose condition would warrant such removal.
On motion of Councillor Nichol, Resolved, That Highway Labor District No. 17, in ward 13, be divided at the bridge just east of the "Hog's Back" and the eastern section be known as No. 17a and that J. S. Marjesson be surveyor of that District.

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Thos. McGill was appointed Surveyor of Highways in District No. 4, Ward 13, in place of J. Howe Cox, resigned, and E. M. Chute in District 7, in place of J. Blakeney Wilson, enlisted.
Oxley Steele was appointed Assessor in Ward 1, in place of G. W. Coffin and W. A. Kinsman in Ward 5, in place of Earnest Bishop.
Wm. Bennett, Ward 10, was granted permission to perform his Statute Labor in District 10, instead of District 12.
Bad Rates were Struck Off.
Ward County Poor Ry. War Tax Dog. \$3 \$14 20 \$3 70 — — — \$22
4 27.34 5.50 \$20.26 \$4 45 15
14 60 44 3.71 32
The list for Ward 5 was ordered returned to the Collector for further explanation in re Dog Taxes uncollected.
The Clerk stated that the Assessors last year reported 674 dogs liable to the tax. Of these 180 had apparently been released, leaving 494 on which taxes had been paid.
Read memorial from resident of Weston, expressing wish to enter a complaint regarding the non-performance of Statute Labor in district 12, Ward 12.
The reading of this memorial evoked a long discussion. The Clerk stated that of some 400 Surveyors of Highways appointed last year, 80 had failed to make returns. Mr. Wickwire, Solicitor, said that he had examined the returns received and that Ward 11 (Dalhousie), seemed to be the only Ward in the County in which any attempt had been made to comply with the law. As usual, returns from that Ward were in good shape. He also read from the Highways Act the clauses referring to the duties of Surveyors of Highways and of Supervisors. Coun. Gault moved, seconded by Coun. Resonance, that the Treasurer be instructed to proceed against all Surveyors of Highways for 1915, who have failed to make returns of Statute Labor in their districts and against Supervisors who have failed to perform their duties under the Act. The motion carried.

Read report of J. John Chute, Justice of the Peace, appointed to Act in matters relating to Lunatics.
On motion of Coun. Bill, resolved, that the report be received and that the Treasurer notify delinquent debtors of the amounts due from them on the care of lunatics for whom they are responsible, and if such amounts are not paid, to take action to collect the same.—Carried.
Mr. E. B. N. as Vice President of the Kings County Temperance Alliance, addressed the Council in reference to the necessity of appointing officials to enforce the laws regarding the sale of intoxicating liquor. It was probable that a large force of soldiers would soon be in training at Aldershot. A year ago, the volunteers in training had to be moved from the County, because it was too easy for them to obtain liquor. It was to be hoped that the same experience would not be repeated. He suggested the appointment of a Committee of Council to select suitable persons to be appointed Deputy Inspectors of provincial establishments.
It was suggested that Councillors Campbell and Bill should constitute such Committee.
Mr. Wickwire, Solicitor, urged that Council should make definite appointments. A committee would have no authority other than say man could exercise. He read from the Statutes the procedure to be taken in the appointment of such officials as seemed to be required.
Mr. S. V. Sanford, one of the inspectors appointed at the January Term, stated that his colleague, Mr. Patriquin, had declined to act. The Clerk said that no resignation had been received from Mr. Patriquin.
On motion of Councillor Gettridge, seconded by Councillor Reid, it was resolved that Mr. H. Haverlock, of Wolfville, be appointed Inspector under the Nova Scotia Temperance Act.
Coun. Campbell moved, seconded by Coun. Reid, that the salary of Mr. Haverlock, as Inspector, be \$100 per year 1916.—Carried.
Councillor Bill moved that Overseers of Poles in Cornwallis, Horton and Aylesford be instructed to prepare itemized accounts of all monies received and expended by them during the past year, and deposit the said accounts in the office of the Municipal Clerk. Carried.
A resolution to the effect that the Registry of Deeds should be under the control of the Municipal Council was moved and lost; three councillors voting for and eight against.
Frank Trenholm was appointed

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