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WILLOW BANK CEMETERY

Lot Holders Hold Annual Meeting and Discuss Affairs of the Corporation

The annual meeting of the lot holders of Willow Bank Cemetery was held at the Council chamber on Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Owing probably to the disagreeable state of the weather the attendance was not large, although a number of the interested ones were on hand, including a few ladies.

After the reading of the minutes of the last annual meeting and special meetings held during the year, Mr. W. H. Chase, the president, read his annual report as follows:

In making this my annual report as Chairman of the Directors of Willow Bank Cemetery, I must voice my appreciation for help received, and interest shown by the whole Board of Directors, and also feel that special mention should be made of the services rendered by the Managing Director, who has taken a special interest in the work when it was being carried on, seldom missing a day when he was not "on the job" assisting in every way possible in all that was undertaken.

I also wish to make special mention of the work of Prof. Sutherland. In fixing the roads, and especially the lots, levels were required to be carefully worked out, and grounds graded on a proper slope, and to this phase of the work Prof. Sutherland has given unsparingly of his time. Further he has undertaken to make a plan of the Cemetery, in sections, and we propose having the plans show the burials in each lot, as far as possible, and for all this valuable service Prof. Sutherland has refused to take any remuneration.

The ordinary work of clearing up the Cemetery was carried on as usual, but at a meeting held in June, it was felt by your Directors, that a forward movement should be undertaken, so that when all was carried out the Cemetery might have a more uniform appearance in connection with graves, and your Directors thought the most important appearance would be much improved if the small irregular walks between the various lots in each section were filled in, and the grave mounds removed to such an extent so as to show only a slight rise, marking each burial, thus enabling the grounds to be lawned much more easily, and also give a more tidy appearance to the whole.

One section was tried first, and the change met the approval of nearly all the lot holders, so that your Directors thought advisable to push forward this work if some met the general approval. They then decided to call for a meeting of the lot holders in Sections No. 2 and No. 3, lying on the west side of roadway, from entrance nearest Wolfville. A vote was taken and finally unanimously decided to go on with this work. Subscriptions were asked for, and nearly all lot holders responded, giving from five to twenty-five dollars towards this work. In this way while not quite sufficient money to defray the whole expense was secured, yet your Directors felt justified in going on with this work—and it seemed the further the work was carried on, the more anxious lot holders in other sections of the Cemetery became for this work to be extended to their lots. Thus at the request of a number of Lot Holders, work was undertaken on a portion of Section No. 4, lying on the east side of the road—and about half of this section was levelled and all lots marked.

On all work done, fertilizer was sown, and raked in, and also grass seed, but on account of the unusually dry season the grass seed did not sod well and should probably all be reseeded and fertilized early next spring.

The amount of funds paid in for this special work has amounted to \$367.00, a few subscriptions have not yet been paid but on these we do not count.

Also your Directors have ordered 130 markers, to be used in marking lots, 100 of these are the ordinary, and 30 Perpetual Care, about half of these have been used, these having been placed only in lots which have been graded.

Your Directors also have been granted authority at a General Meeting, to build a house fit for storage of tools and fertilizer, but this work has been deferred for another season, although such a building is much needed.

Your Directors also had under consideration the purchase of small house and lot to west of Cemetery, but after considering this matter decided they would not go in debt for it, and as no funds were in sight, the matter was left in abeyance.

While on this subject it has been suggested that the Town should expropriate this lot of land, straighten the Gasperau Road at this point, and thus do away with a very dangerous bend in the road. If this was done, the Cemetery might consider a small amount for land not required by the town.

Now before closing this report, your

Directors wish to thank all those who showed their interest in the work being done, either by their contributions or occasional visits.

The field for further work is large—there is an immediate need for at least two new sections to be laid out and roads built, as at the present time there is only one place where lots can be sold. This will mean quite an expenditure. The estimated requirements for next season will be about \$400.00 for building, \$500.00 for laying out new sections, and building the necessary roads in conjunction with same, and opening up a new road on the east side of the Cemetery. Add to this, fertilizer and seed required for the spring \$25.00, and amount for cleaning up and keeping it in general repair an additional \$200.00, which makes a total of about \$1125.00. This is entirely outside of any special work, which some think should be carried on to completion as well.

The property belongs to the shareholders, and will probably be their resting place some day. I will leave the probable sources of revenue which we may expect, for the Managing Director to place before you.

Yours very truly,

W. H. CHASE,

Chairman of Board of Directors, Willow Bank Cemetery.

The report of Mr. R. E. Harris, treasurer and managing director, showed the past year to have been one of the most prosperous in the history of the cemetery. The receipts from assessments, sale of lots, fees, etc., amounted to \$623. In addition to this subscriptions amounting to \$367 were received on account of special work done during the summer. The total receipts including the balance on hand at the beginning of the year amounted to \$1236.03, with expenditures of \$828.40. The balance on hand at the end of the year was \$407.63.

During the year there were thirteen interments, the average being 63 years. Dr. Cohoon presented the report of the trustees of the fund for perpetual care. There are now fourteen lots that are awaiting perpetual care, the amount of the fund for this purpose to date being \$1500. \$100 pays for the care of the lot after it has been graded and put in condition. \$25 additional provides for the care of the monument as well.

The following were elected on the board of directors for the ensuing year: W. H. Chase, R. E. Harris, C. A. Patriquin, W. R. Fraser, Dr. Manning, W. L. Archibald and B. O. Davidson were appointed auditors.

List of Subscriptions Paid Willow Bank Cemetery Special Work, 1921

Capt. John Platt	\$25.00
Mr. J. G. Thompson (Halifax)	25.00
Messrs. C. and J. Wallace	20.00
Dr. A. J. McKenna	15.00
Mr. J. W. Harvey (Port Williams)	15.00
Mrs. Hemmeon	10.00
Mrs. N. Newcomb (Port Williams)	10.00
Mr. R. E. Harris	10.00
Dr. G. E. DeWitt	10.00
Mrs. Duff (Avonport)	10.00
Mr. Jas. Allen (N. Grand Pre)	10.00
C. A. Campbell (Port Williams)	10.00
Mrs. Pick	10.00
Mr. F. W. Woodworth	10.00
Mrs. Lois Whidden	10.00
Dr. I. B. Oakes	10.00
Mt. Burpee Bishop (Greenwich)	10.00
Mr. W. A. Reid	10.00
Mr. B. Chase (Port Williams)	10.00
Mr. George Munro	10.00
Mr. H. D. Johnson	10.00
Mrs. George Webster	10.00
Mrs. Andrews (New Minas)	10.00
Mr. Ross Fraser	10.00
Mr. William Murphy	10.00
Mr. Henry Henderson	10.00
Mrs. Brooks (Avonport)	10.00
Mr. B. O. Davidson	10.00
Estate of Dr. Tufts	10.00
Dr. Manning	5.00
Mr. D. R. Munro	5.00
Mr. Harry Spinsky	5.00
Dr. Leslie Eaton	5.00
Mrs. Blake Shaw	5.00
Mr. Thomas Coldwell	2.00

\$367.00

The Dominion Atlantic Railway transported 105,000 barrels of apples to Halifax from points in the Annapolis Valley for the ten days ending Jan. 20th. There are still approximately 350,000 barrels left for export. From the beginning of the season 1490 more cars of apples were moved than for the corresponding period last year.

M. D. Davidson, principal of North Sydney schools for the past fifteen years, has been appointed inspector of schools for Kings and Hants counties and enters upon his new duties on February 1st.

Wolfville Defeats Canning

In Valley League Game—Soft Ice Made Slow Game

The Canning hockey team visited Wolfville last Friday evening for their second game with the local boys this season. As in the previous game, the Wolfville boys came off victorious, the score being 4 to 2. Due to the soft ice, the game was rather slow and not as interesting as some of the games played in the series.

After 10 minutes of see-saw play from end to end, Harvey from mid-ice scored the first goal for Wolfville. The play was in Canning territory for the rest of the period but no scoring resulted, in spite of several mix-ups in front of the goal. Wolfville played Canning in this period.

The second period opened with the puck again in Canning's territory, and after three minutes of play Woodman carried the rubber the length of the ice and on a pretty pass G. Kennedy scored. Canning then braced up and the play for five minutes was in Wolfville territory, with Spicer making a number of difficult stops. Wolfville then took the puck up and G. Kennedy scored, only to be followed in one minute by Canning's first score, netted by L. Lyons and the period ended 3-1.

In the third period after three minutes, Bennett sagged the net for Canning, making the score 4-2, which stood till the bell rang. But one penalty was handed out, and outside of the last five minutes of the game, the playing was clean. Wild shots were numerous and combination work spoiled by the heavy ice. The score is a good indication of the playing of the teams. The line-up:

WOLFVILLE		CANNING	
Spicer	Goal	Baxter	Goal
Harvey	Defence	L. Lyons	Defence
Fraser	Defence	Dick's	Defence
G. Kennedy	Centre	H. Lyons	Centre
A. Woodman	R. wing	Bennett	R. wing
W. Kennedy	L. Wing	Burns	L. Wing
Eagles	Sub	Eaton	Sub
Christie	Sub	Seaboyer	Sub
King	Sub	Joudry	Sub
Referee	R. H. Murray.		

OUT IN FRONT

WE are not
AS strong on Church
AS on Prayer Meeting
BUT we started
THE New Year
RIGHT
AND went the
VERY first day.
WE had a good
SERMON.
ALL about what
HAD happened in the
LAST 2200 years.
IT was very
INTERESTING.
BUT with that
THE parson wasn't
SATISFIED.
HE took us into
THE future
FOR the next
2200 years.
HE surmised
A GOOD deal
BUT he didn't
SEEM to know
WHETHER or not
2200 years hence
WOLFVILLE'S fire siren
WILL have been
INSTALLED.
NOT that we need
A FIRE alarm—
THE rumble of the
FIRE engines
TEARING to a fire
IS quite enough.
STILL
IF that siren
IS not going
TO be used
FOR a fire alarm
WHY not let

HON. ARTHUR MEIGHEN



Won election yesterday in Grenville, Que. by a majority of 1,620 votes over the Progressive candidate.

Windsor Defeats Wolfville

In Exciting Hockey Game at Windsor

The Wolfville hockey team met defeat for the first time this season on Monday night, when they lost to the Windsor team, at Windsor, by the score of 5 to 3.

The game was a thriller from start to finish. The teams were well matched and each team put a punch into the play that delighted the cheering fans on both sides. About 200 fans accompanied the Wolfville team to Windsor by special train, and double that number turned out from Windsor in spite of the zero weather.

The first period saw sensational hockey, ending with Windsor two in the lead and Wolfville without a look-in behind Smith. Singer slammed in the first goal for Windsor and a few minutes later F. Poole scored in another. There were a few minor penalties, Wolfville having two in the end of the period. Windsor had one man off the ice in this period, which ended in favour of the home team.

Wolfville came back stronger in the second period and after ten minutes of struggling banged in one goal. In a few minutes Windsor chased the third score into the net. J. McDonald doing the trick, and the fans howled their glee. The play was all in around Wolfville's goal during this period, except for a few rushes down the ice into Windsor's territory, then the home team's strong defence would carry the puck back and a few minutes before the bell rang, S. McDonald tallied the fourth for Windsor.

In the last period the fans saw feature hockey. Wolfville seemed determined to redeem her slipping prestige as champions. The whole period was a series of thrills and genuine sensations. S. McDonald had a dislocated thumb from the Digby game, but that only seemed to digger into his fine stick handling and his rushes were the keenest delight to the hundreds around the boards. Wolfville scored two goals in quick succession and the visitors' hopes revived, but Windsor notched up the fifth and the bell rang with the score 5-3 and Windsor cheered itself hoarse over the victory.

The line up:

WOLFVILLE		WINDSOR	
Spicer	Goal	Smith	Goal
Harvey	Defence	McCann	Defence
Fraser	Defence	S. McDonald	Defence
G. Kennedy	Centre	Singer	Centre
W. Kennedy	Wings		
Geo. Christie	Sub.	F. Poole	Sub.
King	Sub.	Hughes	Sub.
Woodman	Sub.	Mosher	Sub.
Eagles	Sub.	Clarke	Sub.

The monthly meeting of the Victorian Order of Nurses for Canada, Wolfville Branch, will be held on Thursday evening, February 2, at 8 p.m. in Town Hall. The Executive will welcome whoever cares to attend. The meetings are open to the entire town. The result of the recent canvass was very gratifying, the amount collected being \$528.26. The V. O. N. takes this opportunity to thank each individual contributor for co-operating in this work.

SOME poor child
HAVE it to play with.
IT seems a pity
TO waste such
A GOOD whistle.
WE thank you.
Z. I. P.

Acadia Lost To Crescents

Halifax Players to Fast for Local Collegians

The Acadia hockey team played its first game this season last evening in Evangeline rink, when they were defeated by the Crescents of Halifax by the score of 5 to 2.

For the first three minutes of play, Acadia kept the puck in Crescents territory, then the Crescents rushed and Holmes scored on a pass from in front of the Acadia goal. The play see-sawed until three minutes later, Holmes got the puck again and scored for the Crescents. After this both teams made some fine rushes until two more minutes of play, Whelan sagged the net for another score. Acadia made some splendid rushes, but failed to score due to the fine goal tending of Hurley. The period ended with the score 3-0.

In the second period play was fast, neither side having much advantage until Murray and Conrad rushed and Murray scored the first goal for Acadia. After two more minutes of hard playing, Acadia again scored from a mix-up in front of Crescents goal. A few minutes later Whelan scored. Despite rushes there was no more scoring in this period. One penalty was handed out. In the third period the play was fast and furious. After five minutes play, Smith scored for the Crescents, making the score 5-2. Captain MacDonald was knocked out in a mix-up and was carried off the ice. The game ended with the score 5-2 for the Crescents.

The Crescents produced great team play throughout. After the game, the visitors were entertained and stated that they were greatly pleased with their trip to Wolfville. The lineup:

Crescents		Acadia	
Hurley	Goal	Elderkin	Goal
Bowie	R. Defence	Murray	R. Defence
Cushing	L. Defence	Clarke	L. Defence
Holmes	Centre	Hirtle	Centre
McDonald	Wings	Morrison	Wings
Whelan	Sub.	Conrad	Sub.
Creig	Sub.	McKay	Sub.
Smith	Sub.	Anthony	Sub.
Walsh	Sub.		
Referee	H. Baird.		

SOCIAL NOTES

Mrs. Charles Fitch entertained very delightfully Thursday afternoon of last week, at her residence on West Main St. A large number of ladies were present including Miss Barnstead and Mrs. Brown of Halifax and Miss McClatchey of Kentville. Miss Eaton presided in the dining-room, while the Misses Fitch, Miss Marguerite DeWitt and Miss Madge Pratt assisted in serving.

The Ladies Bridge Club was reorganized on Tuesday evening of last week at the home of Mrs. B. O. Davidson, who was again appointed president. A pleasant evening was spent, the first prize going to Mrs. W. B. Eaton. The Club met this week at the home of Mrs. G. R. Anderson, Westwood avenue, and the prize winner was Mrs. B. O. Davidson.

A very enjoyable Stag Party was given on Tuesday evening at the Parish Hall, by Messrs. J. D. Harris and G. S. Bauld, in aid of the Athletic Association. There were about forty present and the evening was spent with bridge and forty-fives. The prize for Bridge was won by J. R. Black, while H. E. Blakeney was the successful one at forty-fives. Each received a pair of chickens.

Mrs. E. L. Gould gave a very pleasant "at home" on Monday afternoon in honor of her guest, Mrs. Kennedy. Mrs. Gould was assisted in serving by Mrs. R. F. Reid, who poured tea, Mrs. P. W. Davidson, Mrs. J. A. McPherson and Mrs. G. S. Bauld.

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING

Acadia University has made another step forward in providing an administration building. The dwelling on Acadia street, formerly occupied by President Cutten, has been adopted for the purpose, and comfortable and commodious offices have been fitted up for the various departments. On the ground floor are the offices of Dr. Cohoon, the treasury, while President Cutten has well arranged apartments on the second floor. The whole arrangement is a decided improvement, as since the burning of the old College these offices have been respectively in the Carnegie Science Building and the Library, and necessarily interfered with the accommodation in these buildings.

Dr. G. B. Cutten left this morning for New York to attend the annual meeting of the New York and also the New England Alumni Associations.

Correspondence

THE H. C. OF L. IN WOLFVILLE

To the Editor of THE ACADIAN:
Sir:—Your Editorial recommending the people to stand by the town and do their purchasing at home, is good advice, but it is not being acted on, because most people find it to their interest to purchase all they can in Halifax, St. John, even in England and from the big departmental stores.

Witness the large consignments of goods arriving every week from Eatons. People are not fools enough to send money to Eatons unless they believe they can get better satisfaction there. The merchants here took full advantage of, and made big money during the period of inflation, and now that it passed they are unwilling to bring their prices down to rock bottom. This town is owing a considerable debt. The people are becoming heavily taxed. As the town possess no industries employing labor that could bring in people to help pay taxes, the only resort is to make Wolfville a popular residential town, that will attract people here. Cheapness of building sites, cheapness of building material, and of labor, cheapness of living are all important factors, but many people complain that Wolfville is a more expensive place than even Halifax. Desirable building lots near the tram line with sewerage can be obtained there at one half the price that lots are offered in Wolfville. If Wolfville is to make any substantial progress the next ten years, the town council will have to change its do-nothing policy and contrive to offer some inducement to outside people to become householders here, without adding to the burden we already bear.

A HOUSE-HOLDER

CANNING'S PROTEST

To the Editor of THE ACADIAN:
Dear Sir:—To show to you that your report of the Wolfville-Canning Hockey match was not correct, and that the Halifax Herald report was correct, I beg to give the following information.—Near the close of the last period the score stood Wolfville 4, Canning 3 when Canning made a grand rush through the Wolfville lines right up to about five feet from the goal—when Bennett shot as pretty a goal as was ever shot. At least 500 people saw the puck pass the goal keeper into the net, and the goal judge raised his handkerchief, only to drop it instantly when the puck landed at his feet "right back of the goal." Then the bell sounded and the game was ended. I jumped on the ice and discovered with many others, the hole the puck had made in the bottom of the net, and got the goal judge to come and examine it. He put his fist through the hole and said before at least 200 of us—"I am convinced that it was a goal and so declare it, because the puck could not go so straight into the goal, then bounce out and whirl around back of the net," and he (the goal judge) went to the waiting room and after stating what he had seen, said to the referee and the Wolfville team—"I say it was a goal." I am a fair man and a good sport, and am sure that this was a goal and what it counted that way, only to be rebuked by both the referee and the Wolfville team.

These are facts that can be vouched for by several hundred reliable people. I am aware that this one goal would make any difference now, as the games stand, but I believe in fair play, and want the little Canning team to get all the credit that is due.

Yours etc.,

A. D. Payzant.

Canning, Jan. 25th, 1922.
[Note.—Like our correspondent, THE ACADIAN believes in fair play and has no desire to distort the facts. The Editor was not present at the game in question, but our report was based upon information given by one present for whose judgment we have regard. In last week's issue appeared a statement from the referee, which ought to settle the dispute, and we believe our correspondent is himself too good a sport to question his decision, although he may not agree with it.—Ed.]

SHALL WOMEN HAVE EQUAL RIGHTS?

To the Editor of THE ACADIAN:
Mr. Editor: People like to follow along the track beaten by others. It saves work and relieves one from thinking. Most of us ambly plow after the beaten track, or go ahead of the Bell-wether, we regard it as an affront to our intelligence, our amour propre is insulted and we proceed to mislead him with articles and stories. Therefore all reforms and improvements are greeted at first with "hatred, malice and all uncharitableness." No movement in modern times has been greeted with more shafts of ridicule and abuse than the movement for equal rights for women. (Continued on page eight)