

THE ACADIAN

WOLFVILLE, N. S., SEP. 4, 1891.

The Dominion Census.

The first bulletin of the census of Canada has been issued and deals with the population of the various provinces which comprise the Dominion.

The result of the enumeration is a disappointment, as it was thought the increase during the last decade would have fully equalled that of the previous one; but the results are found to be otherwise.

The total population of the Dominion in 1881 was 4,324,810. The population in 1891 is 4,829,411, an increase for the decade of 504,601, or at the rate of nearly 12 per cent.

By the census of 1871 our population was 3,686,596. The increase between that year and 1881 was 638,211. We have thus fallen short of the increase of the ten years preceding it by 140,000.

In regard to the condition of affairs in the Maritime Provinces: Nova Scotia from 1871 to 1881 increased its population by 52,772, or at the rate of 13 per cent.

Between 1881 and 1891 the increase was only 9,951, or at the rate of 2 1/2 per cent. New Brunswick from 1871 to 1881 increased by 35,639, or by 12 per cent.

Between 1881 and 1891 the increase was only 61 all told. Prince Edward Island made an increase of 14,870, or 15 per cent.

Between 1871 and 1881, but the increase between 1881 and 1891 was only 197. In the aggregate the increases in the Maritime Provinces were 163,251 in the decade 1871 to 1881, and only 10,169 in the decade 1881 to 1891.

Turning to the central provinces the result is rather better, but by no means flattering. In Quebec the increase from 1871 to 1881 was 167,571, whereas from 1881 to 1891 it was but 129,559.

In Ontario the increase in the former decade was 592,377, while in the latter it was only 292,134. The two provinces have increased by 331,635, instead of by 469,888 as in the earlier ten-year period.

But in Manitoba and the North-West we have made considerable strides. Manitoba which had scarcely any population in 1871, had 62,260 in 1881, and now has 154,412.

There is an increase of 92,182 in the latter decade. The Territories have increased from 56,000 to 93,655, or by 38,000, and British Columbia by increased from 49,000 to 92,767, or by 87 per cent.

The general result of the census, therefore, shows that we have made slower progress in the past ten years than during the preceding decade; but, in fairness, one thing must be remembered, and that is that the census of 1891, owing to the precautions taken to exclude non-residents which were not taken in 1881, is a closer count than the previous one.

Complaints have been made in Parliament that in the census of former years many people have been counted twice, and that others who had left us never to return were improperly included in the aggregate.

Those additions extraordinary have been carefully omitted this time. As a consequence the figures for 1891 are smaller than they would have been had the system of calculation in operation in 1881 been continued.

It is necessary, therefore, to make a liberal deduction from the figures of 1891, or to make additions to those of 1881, in order to reach an accurate estimate of the change in population.

An important result of the census, for which everybody has been looking, is its effect upon the representation of the provinces in Parliament. The census of 1881 made necessary an addition to the Ontario representation. This time the unit of representation which is reached, according to the constitution, by dividing the population of Quebec by the number of members allowed that province, is 22,901.

If we divide the population of Ontario by the number of seats in the House of Commons, we find that the result is 22,901, so that Ontario, according to the present count, is entitled to 92 members, precisely what the province now enjoys.

While, therefore, there may be a redistribution there can be no addition to the membership from Ontario. Applying the same unit to the other provinces, New Brunswick, not having kept pace with the rest of the Dominion, must lose two members.

Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island must lose one each. On the other hand, Manitoba is entitled to one more than she has at present. Consequently, after the next general election instead of 215 being the number of representatives in the House of Commons there will be but 213.

The population of the Dominion by provinces is: Nova Scotia, 450,223; New Brunswick, 321,294; P. E. Island, 109,988; Quebec, 1,485,586; Ontario, 2,119,556; Manitoba, 154,412; Northwest Provinces, 61,487; British Columbia, 92,767; Unorganized territory, 32,168; Total, 4,829,411.

The following is the population of Nova Scotia by counties, with the rate per cent. increase or decrease:—

Table with 2 columns: County and Population. Rows include Annapolis, Antigonish, Cape Breton, Colchester, Cumberland, Digby, Guysboro, Halifax City, Halifax County, Hants, Inverness, Kings, Lunenburg, Pictou, Queens, Richmond, Shelburne, Victoria, and Yarmouth.

THE LAUREL TO WOLFVILLE.

Following is the account of the recent visit of the American press representatives to Wolfville, as given by Dr Parkhurst in Zion's Herald:—

At Wolfville, the next stopping place, we were greeted at the station by a large assemblage of people, and for the first time were formed into a procession, with a mounted marshal in advance, and driven some eight miles, in which a charming view of "Blomidon" was secured from the "South Mountain."

This is one of the most noted places in the province, as Acadia College is located here. The institution is under the control of the Baptist denomination, which is very strong in numbers, wealth and social position in this land.

While the people in every place seem to vie with each other in hospitality, we are constrained to give the laurel to the town of Wolfville. After the ride we were escorted to Chippewa Hall, one of the college buildings, and seated at the tables, provided with sumptuous lunch.

At each plate was an elegantly printed menu, on the first page of which was a welcome to "Land of Evangeline" was extended to the strangers, with a beautiful water-color sketch of trees, lake and boat.

On the last page of the folder was another sketch, in colors, of an old-time church, which may represent that in which the Acadians met to receive the ill-fated message, and an ancient house, which might stand for the home of the idyllic daughter of the unfortunate colony.

The representation of a sheaf of full-grown wheat completes the page, with the names of the general committee of reception. We met personally only Hon. J. W. Bigelow, the chairman, who introduced us on the way to his house, and an eminent gentleman and large ship-builder and owner, C. R. Burgess, esp. Pleasant addresses were given by the chairman, and President Sawyer and Professor Jones of Acadia College, to which brief responses were made by T. E. Anderson and the writer.

At Wolfville, as elsewhere, the ladies shined most heartily in the hospitality extended. Longfellow has fittingly characterized the women of this Province in his portrayal of Evangeline. We were reminded in several instances of the poet's expressive lines:—

"Looked up into her face, and thought indeed to behold there Gleams of celestial light encircling her forehead with splendour, Such as the artist paints o'er the brows of saints and apostles."

Fair Play a Jewel. EDITOR ACADIAN.—In your issue of July 24 I saw a letter from Kentville headed, "A Voice from Kentville," on the unlawful sale of intoxicating liquors, &c.; but it is like pouring water on a duck's back, in the big town of Kentville, with two pure grit papers published twice a week, you cannot find a word against the liquor dealer; but let some poor man get drunk (or poisoned) at some of the leading hotels, and get incapable, then each of these grit papers will find space to spread their names all over the country.

On Wednesday last I was in the town of Kentville and saw myself one of the most disgraceful scenes I ever have witnessed, in the noonday attack a poor colored man on the street with the butt-end of a wholesale whip, and also beat the horses attached to the wagon in which sat the colored man.

Now, Mr Editor, all this took place in sight and hearing of the grit paper office, also in hearing of the Star office; but not a word can you find in either of those papers. Do not ask the reason why? They will give their readers a lot of grit chestnuts from some of the "pit papers," but not a word against the rum traffic or the dastardly attack of the proprietor of one of Kentville's landlories if the same colored man had broken the laws of the town what would have been his fate, or do you suppose the W. C. T. U. papers would not have devoted their power of the press to enlighten their readers? A bottle of whiskey and a two-dollar bill pays all expenses. This is all done in the big town of Kentville, where the sale of intoxicating liquors is allowed and gambling and card playing is the order of the low dens in its midst.

Many are the homes in our midst from the curse of Kentville's rum. Wives, mothers and sisters shrink at the thought of saving their dear ones to this wholesale liquor town. Why? The temptation is too strong. Those in authority, even to the judge, patronize the bar—not the bar of Justice, the bar to Hell. The cry goes forth all over the township that the liquor traffic of Kentville town is King. It is King in the town, the county, the church. It is a strong lower of defence against Justice, and as the "Voice from Kentville" wrote, "The laws of the land are broken and many are crying for vengeance." Arise! men, women and children to the cry of vengeance.

Girl on the armor of Justice, and go forth and fight the soul-destroyer from your town. Do not expect any help from your local newspapers, they are not made that way.

They are blind to the sight of Justice and deaf to the threats of the liquor-seller. I know, Mr. Editor, the town officials are very much in love with their town, and I am sorry to have to communicate the truths; but let them take heed. Fair play is a jewel, so is Justice when dealt out in proper doses.

FAIR PLAY. Cornwallis, September, 1891.

A Magazine Writter by Women. As was expected, the greatest interest has been exhibited in the new story by Amele Rives which was begun in the August number of the Cosmopolitan.

The second part appears in the September number and the story will close in the following issue.

The September issue of the Cosmopolitan magazine is a "woman's number" so far as the authorship of its articles is concerned, but the general interest of the periodical is sustained by the variety and timeliness of the topics treated.

The opening article, on Edouard Detaille, is by Lady Dilke, and is profusely and beautifully illustrated with reproductions of the famous artist's most noteworthy paintings.

A Forgiven City, by Eleanor Lewis, is a romantic description of the ruins of Solunium, the Sicilian Pompeii, embellished with photographs. Malmaison in the Market, by Mary Bacon Ford, describes the waning fortunes of the house celebrated for the residence there of the ill-fated Empress Josephine.

Julie Hayes Percy describes the Ladies' New York Club in an entertaining article, in which Harry Penn has contributed illustrations. Elizabeth Bland writes of "Tattersall's," the great London horse market, and the family who have given it name and fame.

Molly Elliott Sewall contributes "The Romance of Count Konigsmark," the titled adventurer, whom the wife of George I of England spent thirty years in prison; and the Countess Ella Norrakow writes of Woman's Share in Russian Nihilism, her article being illustrated with portraits of many fair conspirators.

There are besides papers on the Evolution of the Society Journal, by Mrs Roger A. Poyer; Society Women as authors, by Anna Vernon Doney; a pretty story, Il Mandolinista, by Daisy O'Brien, and verses by Katherine Grojman, Mrs Charles B. Foote, and Susan Hartley Swett, all the important articles being liberally illustrated.

The Exhibition at Halifax. Now promises to be one of the finest shows that has been seen for years. Applications for space are being received from all the Provinces, (although outsiders cannot compete with Nova Scotia) business men feeling it to be their interest to make as extensive an attractive an exhibit as possible, while the farmers and stock-raisers are determined to let the public see what vast improvements have been made in their line during the past few years.

The Main Building is undergoing a thorough repair and fitting up, while the Cattle Shows, etc., are being made comfortable for Horses and Cattle of every description. The numerous attractions that are being arranged for, together with the Music of the Military Bands from the country, together with the Cricket and other Matches, the Grand Concert, Fire Works and Illuminations in the Public Gardens, and the Ranning and Trotting Races on the Riding Grounds, will tend to make a visit to the Capital of Nova Scotia at that time one of the pleasantest trips that young or old can participate in.

Excursions from all parts of the Provinces are being arranged for, and the numbers that are already forming excursions, a goodly number, and a financial success for all concerned.

The Exhibition will be opened on Tuesday, September 29th, by His Honor the Lieut. Governor, Mr. B. Daly, Esq., at which all the military and civic dignitaries will be present and take part in the ceremonies.

The entries so far indicate that this will be one of the finest shows of horses and livestock that has yet taken place in the Province.

Berwick Cleanings. Dr March has rented and is moving into the Rev. D. O. Parker's house near the post-office—Mr Parker's family will move to Wm. — Mr Crighton is much pleased with his new home in Berwick.—Mr Owen Chipman of class 92 at Acadia has the head department of our school for the remainder of summer term.—Mr H. S. Shaw of Newton Theological Seminary has been spending a few days at home, and preached to a large congregation in the Baptist church last Sabbath morning. Rev. L. D. Morse is expected to fill his pulpit next Sabbath.—Mr Howard Shaw of the sophomore class at Acadia is teaching at Cambridge.—Miss Leahy Anthony intends entering a medical course at McGill University the coming term.—The addition to the school-house is rapidly progressing.

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WELL SUITED. Within the last few months I have purchased, promiscuously, at RETAIL, GROCERY STORES in this city, packages of Woodhill's German Baking Powder

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GEORGE LAWSON, Ph. D., LL. D., Fellow of the Institute of Chemistry of Great Britain and Ireland.

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N. B. Trains are run on Eastern Standard Time. One hour added will give Halifax time. Trains run daily, Sunday excepted.

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We have had week for a change Mr and Mrs Johnson, are in town Johnson's.

Mr and Mrs Johnson have been in Wolfville the home of the

The last issue of the book contains Rev. I. E. Bill, his life.

Mr F. A. Dinwoodie with his large and covered soon be completely

The annual fair of the G. held in Borden's afternoon at 2 o'clock

Rev. Mr Martineau pulpit owing to ill-health preached an exhortation

About Aylesford is rapidly getting Last year about shipped from the will be equally light crop on a balanced by new

The Sunday-school announced on Wednesday was good and interesting proceedings in a account of its space we are content week.

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Mr Charles F. county, has returned for his two-year term of office, "Island Printing station in this more good more-old? Mr weigh over 130 years old. The Green Wire, ready to put on

The insurance water system at station against fire of the town for fire company and streams of water less than six inches was struck. Inspectors were test.

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