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### WOLFVILLE SCHOOLS

Now in Full Swing and Doing Go Work-Attendance Large and Will Require Addition to Teaching Staff

The Wolfville public schools, which began the work of the present year on Sept.

The teaching staff is as follows:
Principal—B. C. Silver
Vice-Principal—Miss Elizabeth Mc-

Preparatory School-Miss Mabel Welsh Grades 6 and 7-Miss Edna Power Grade 5—Mrs. Evelyn Everett Grade 4—Miss Gladys West Grade 3-Miss Gladys Newcombe Grade 2-Miss Susie Baxter Grade 1a—Miss Muriel Haley Grade 1b—Mrs. Davison

During the summer vacation Principal Silver and Miss Haley took special course of study at Columbia University, Nev York, and made excellent records. Mr., Silver specialized in Chemistry and Spanish, making 99 in chemestry finals and se-cond place in a class of 89; while Miss Haley specialized in Kindergarten work and obtained all the modern ideas. Miss Newcombe, the new member of the staff this year, comes from Bridgetown school with splendid recommendations. Besides connecting herself with the school she has also been appointed organist of the Baptist

The registered attendance at the open ing of the school was as follows: 

Grade 4 Grade 3 \* Grade 1b.....

is most commendable. Owing to the congestion in Grades 6 and 7, as will be noticed from the above figures, another new teacher will be added to the

staff in the course of a few weeks. In their leisure time the children are kept busy with all kinds of games under the direction of the Principal and the Boy's Athletic Club. Since the baseball season is ended the boys are beginning to play footall in which they will do little on account of their being lighter in weight than usual In a game of baseball played with the Hantsport High School on Saturday the Wolfville boys won by a score of 20 to 7. The Principal and Boy's Athletic Club White Rock, Greenwich, Port Williams have asked The Acadian to extend their Church Street and Town Plot, was held to Mr. Oliver Smiley who umpired the

It is hoped that some provision may be made so that outdoor basket-ball may be played on the school grounds. At present teeters and swings are in constant use showing how much they are appreciated.

### THE THREE COUNTIES EXHIBITION

To the Editor of THE ACADIAN

Dear Mr. Editor—Will you allow me space to draw to your readers' attention the fact that Annapolis Royal is holding the Three Counties Exhibition during the coming week, commencing Wednesday, October 4th. The Barnjum Arena has been procured for the purpose, one of the finest buildings of its kind in the province. A large tent will also be erected to cover the Stock Exhibit in case of bad weather.

Without doubt, the Fair will show the finest Fruit and Vegetable display ever exhibited in this province. Special musical attractions are also promised. The An-napolis Royal Concert Band will give ing day (Wednesday), the Yarmouth Concert Band will be in attendance on Thursday, and the Windsor Concert Band on The railway management are father's home in Aylesford.

We understand Mrs. Emma Harvey offering Special Fare days from the West on Thursday, and the East on Friday, with trains returning on the evenings

Altogether, all is being done to make a visit to our old town an enjoyable one during the Exhibition period, and we hope many will take advantage of these special inducements and see Annapolis Royal rebuilt since the fire of last September.

Thanking, you, Mr. Editor,
Yours very truly,
—Claude C. King
Mayor. Altogether, all is being done to make a

One of the pleasing incidents connected with the recent Convention at Wolfville was the recital of sacred music given in the Chapel of Acadia's Ladies' Seminary the Chapel of Acadia's Ladies' Seminary on Sunday evening after the Convention had closed, when a well filledvoom listened with much interest to Miss Marie Wilson, assisted by Miss Rockwell at the piano, as they rendered a program of rich sacred music. Miss Wilson is the daughter of Rev. and Mrs. C. P. Wilson, and is a very gifted singer. Her rich natural gift has been highly trained so that nature and art blend in her work. The recital closed with singing two hymns in which the congregation joined,—Maritime Baptist.

#### AN OUTSPOKEN CRITIC



Air Marshal Sir John Salmond, who severe y critizes the Indian Government for starving" the air force on the frontier The action of the government in declin ng to pass orders for spares and other cessities for the force has been respon ible, he says, for many fatalities.

#### GREENWICH NEWS ITEMS

Mrs. Lilla Forsythe returned home last Tuesday from a visit of a few weeks at the home of her friends, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Leslie, Dartmouth.

An interesting event took place on Wedesday afternoon of last week at the home .46 of Mrs. Emma Harvey, when her daugh-.54 ter, Miss Mary Harvey wasunited in mar-.46 riage to Conductor Maurice Williams of .25 Halifax, and who is an employee of the Making a total registration of 421 which D. A. R. Immediately after the the "Newly-weds" left on the 3.15 express for their home in Halifax. A number of the residents gathered at the station to give them a "send-of".

Mrs. Hatt, of Chester, is a guest at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Raymond

Mrs. J. Kaye and daughter Phylis, of Jamaica Plains, Mass., who have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Pearson the past two weeks, left on Friday morning

Miss Miner—nurse—visited her friend Virs. G. L. Bishop a few days last week. The annual Exhibition of the schools, Church Street and Town Plot, was held thanks to those who supplied cars to take at Citizens Hall, Port Williams, last Frithem to Hantsport for the game, and also day afternoon and evening and proved to be another success in every way. Our schools as usual carried off a good number of the prizes and our committee did good work. The school Exhibition, with its various lines, is a most worthy undertaking and a great help to all school pupils and and we wish still further good success to all who are helping. We understand, that the usual supper in connection was held in another building nearby this ear, thus giving more room in the hall.

Miss Piper, our school-teacher, spent the week-end with friends in Kentville. Miss Bessie Fraser spent the week-end n Wolfville, with friends.

Miss Joyce Harvey, who is one of the eachers of the Kentville school staff, spent the week-end in Kingsport, with her int, Mrs. Cesyl Hiltz.

Mrs. Lovitt Bishop, of North Kingston, visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George L. Bishop.

Miss Jennie Isnor, of Canaan, is boarding with her sister, Mrs. Edward Hennigar and taking a course of study at Acadia Seminary, Wolfville.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Arbuckle Boston, Mass., have been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Borden, also at Mrs. Arbuckle's (nee Miss Edith Reid)

has sold her property here, consisting of dwelling house and store, to Mr. and Mrs. John Fenwick, who have been in charge the last year of the boarding house at the Power Plant and Pulp Mill, at White Rock. Also we understand Mrs. Harvey and son will move to Windsor, where the former will locate in business.

What about the plan for new skating rink for this place that we heard talked of among the young people last winter?

### PLEASANT SOCIAL GATHERING

The ladies of the I. O. D. E. scored an The ladies of the I. O. D.)E. scored another success last Friday evening when an enjoyable card-party and corn-boil was held under their auspices at the commodinus and hospitable home of Mr., and Mrs. D. Graham Whidden, which was freely thrownopen for the purpose. Over fity ladies and gentlemen from Wolfville and Kentville were present and a most pleasant social evening was spent, while a snug little sum was realized to augment the funds of Sir Robert Borden Chapter. Although not known by the guests until after their not known by the guests until after their arrival the occasion also celebrated the birthday of Mr. Whidden who received hearty congratulations and best wishes

## ACADIA UNIVERSITY **OPENS**

With Largest Freshman Class in Its History

Acadia University opened on Wednes day with a large attendance. The Fresh man class is the largest in the history of the college, there being about 100 en-rolled, and the other classes also have a good number registered. Classes com-menced yesterday and the students are gradually settling down to their studies. There are three new professors on the staff this year. Norman MacLeot Rogers, B. A., B. Litt., B. C. L., Rhodes scholar, been appointed instructor in History R. P. Bowen, Ph. D., formerly of Syracuse University, takes the chair of French. Dr. W. N. Hutchins has succeeded Dr. A. C. Chute on the Theological faculty.

Previous to the opening of the College the Acadia Y. M. C. A. held its annual Fall Camp at Evangeline Beach, the purpose of this camp being to greet the returning and welcome the new students, stir up enthusiasm and have a general good time together before settling down to hard work. A goodly number of the students took advantage of this outing and the camp was a great success. The mornings were given up to hikes to nearby points of interest, the afternoons to football, baseball and track sports, and the evenings to corn-

ooils, clam-bakes, etc. To terminate the round of social events an entertainment was staged in the recreation hall at the Beach on Monday vening. Wolfville talent kindly lent their aid, and contributed greatly toward the ccess of the evening's entertainment

#### "REPUTATION"

Will be Shown at the Wolfville Opera House Oct. 9th and 10th

'Reputation" was filmed at Universal City under the direction of Stuart Paton. It is based on "False Colors", the sensa-tional novel by Edwina Levin. The screen se adaptation was by Lucien Hubbard, Un-Rev. W. W. Judd, of Kings Collegiate versal scannio editor, in collaboration School, Windsor, was unanimously re-elect-

Playing a dual role, that of mother and aughter, the star takes every hurdle the emotional steeplechase and brings story to a climax that has never been proached for sheer power and soul-si effect. The same effect. The theme revolves are fantastic pivot of a girl impersonal her stead at the opening of a famo Broadway production and being an un conscious witness of the culmination of adventures along the red lane of unrestrained desire.

Niles Welch, Madge Hunt, Rex de Ro selli, Spottiswoode Aitken, William Welsh, Harry Carter, Harry Van Meter, Mae Giraci, Al Garcia, James McLaughlin, Kathleen Myers, Joey McCreery and many other accomplished artists play the principal roles in the supporting cast.

Gorgeous spectacles and magnificent scenes follow each other in rapid succession, alternating with humble and sordid backgrounds to give the story its striking contrasts, Scenes behind the footlights. a per formance of a big dramatic success in a Broadway playhouse and a series of incidents which range from episodes in a small town orphanage, to a Babylonian feast in a London palace provide constant surprises in every reel.

# TOWN COUNCIL

Holds Special Meeting and Discuss Street Lighting-No Action at Present

There was a special meeting of the Coun on Tuesday evening at which all the ouncillors were present, the Mayor beg out of town and necessarily absent No notice having been given THE ACADIAN there was no representative of e paper in attendance. but we learn that addition to a number of matters of rou e concerning civic finances the chief sion of the Street Committee's repor rding an improvement in the stree iting service, advocated by ADIAN last week. Chairman Young in report went very thoroughly into the tion of street lighting and made a num of recommendations which were con dered by the council. One of these pro-posed a considerable addition to the lights on Main street on a separate switch to be ed when necessity required. The reporeferred to the fact that when the busi s places are closed the street is very lark and presents a forlorn and gloomy pearance. It was proposed to place a appearance. It was proposed to place a good light on every pole through the business section. The recommendation pro-vided for ten additional lights on Main street, one on Acadia street, one on Pros-pect street, four on Pleasant street, one Locust avenue, four on Gasperea nue, one on Elm avenue, one on Highnd avenue and one on Earnscliffe avenue In some instances these lights would be placed in position at the junction of two reets so as to improve the service of both Considerable discussion ensued and the atter was finally laid over until anothe

#### HIGH SCHOOL RUGBY LEAGUE

neeting for settlement.

The annual meeting of the Herald and Mail Nova Scotia High School Rugby League was held at Halifax last Saturday Acadia Coffegiate Academy being repre ented by Messrs. Corkum and Johnson ed president, and Acadia's representative on the Advisory Board are Dr. W. L. Archi and Mr. Johnson.

As last season, it was decided to have ree in the latter named. In the jur

mother, a famous actress; appearing in Bloomfield High School, Halifax. Acadis NewGlasgow High School, Pictou Academ and St. F. X. will play in the senior league A schedule was drawn up for the her mother's life tragedy, the end of an league. Acadia will play Kings at Windson amazing series of sordid and picturesque on Saturday, and here a week from Sat-

### CLINIC ITEMS

In relation to child welfare, slides will be shown at Clinic Room, Weaver Block, Kentville, Friday, Oct. 6th, commencing

"He new schemes afoot, from which ve lope so much, are to be successful, that important factor in the whole matter, the mother, must be the first consideration The mother does not exist for the municipal pality, the medical profession, or the nurse they exist for her, and they must remember it."-Maternity and Child Welfare.

Damage estimated at a million dollars was caused by a hurricane which swept the island of Bermuda on Sept. 21st.

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PROHIBITION

Allet in the Memphis Commercial Appeal.

TO SPEAK AT ARMISTICE LUNCH-



iral Sims will be the principal speake at the special armistice Luncheon to be given by the Canadian Club in Montrea n November 10th. Admiral Sims and Mrs. Sims will be the guests of Sir Arthur and Lady Currie during their two or three days stay in Montreal.

#### DEATH'S HARVEST

The passing of a promising young lifealways an event of peculiar sadnes particularly so in the case of the death of 7. Andante Cantabile Miss Ceva B. Davidson, which took place on Sunday evening last. Eleven years ago at the age of fourteen, the deceased came to Wolfville from Moncton, N. B., on the death of her parents, to make her home with her aunt, Mrs. J. W. Vaughn. Of a oright spirit and an attractive personality she was popular with young and old and made many friends. Two years ago she graduated from the business department of Acadia Seminary and went to Boston where a sister resides and where she secured a good position.

Never of a robust constitution her health failed during the following summer and she vent to the State Sanitorium at Rutland. Mass., to recuperate. In view of her condition which gradually became more ser ous she pined for the old home and on Saturday, Sept. 9th, she arrived in Wolfwithout avail, and in spite of a gallant

The funeral took place on Monday after oon. The service, which was held at the Baptist church, was conducted by Rev. Dr. MacDonald, a simple and comforting address being given by Rev. G. W. Miller, Miss Evelyn Duncanson sang feelingly 'Does Jesus Care?", and appropriate nymns were sung by the choir. The casket was covered with beautiful flowers, mute tributes of love and sympathy. The interment was in the old cemetery beside her father and mother at Gas pereau, the pall-bearers being Messrs. Fred Bishop, Richard Whitman, Harlan an Waldo Davidson.

# FIRE PREVENTION DAY

On the rare occasions when an entire city is destroyed by fire, the whole continent is aroused by the disaster, but loses of qual magnitude are incurred as the reult of the daily succession of smaller blazes in many different places without attracting more than passing attention It is only when the losses are totalled that they appear sufficiently impressive to demand public attention, although the to-tal value of property destroyed by fire in Canada each year is great enough to constitute a heavy drain upon the prosperity of the country. The waste is appalling, and the more so because so much of it is inexcusable. Carelessness is blamed for eighty-five per cent of the fires, and visitors increase every year. carelessness on that scale should be classed as criminal. It is seldom that the care less person is the one who loses the most by the fire he or she has caused; the los falls more frequently upon those who are not to blame. And even though direct losses by fire may not be incurred, every one who pays for fire insurance is levied upon as the result of the carelessness of others. The insurance rates must be ixed in proportion to the fire hazard, and the greatest single element in that hazard

In order to impress upon the people of Canada the seriousness of the annua osses occasioned by fire, the possibility of preventing the greater part of that loss and the methods by which prevention may be made effective, it has been the custom in recent years to set apart an occasion as Fire Prevention Day, and this year October 9 has been so designated by Royal Proclamation. On that day special efforts will be made throughout the Dominion to disseminate as wide-ly as possible information relating to the subject in order that, through the edu-cation of the individual, the loss to the people as a whole may be reduced.—St. John Telegraph.

# A MUSICAL TREAT

Large Audience Thoroughly Enjoyed Boston Symphony Ensemble

That the people of Wolfville and vicinity appreciate good music was clearly evidenced by the large number who attended the concert given by the Boston Symphony Ensemble, at the Baptist Church on Thursday evening of last week. It was the best musical entertainment ever given in Wolfville, and Dr. H. T. DeWolfe, of the Acadia Conservatory of Music, is to be congratulated on his bringing such an aggregation to this town. Every one of the party of twelve musicians, conducted by Augusto Vannini, was a master of his nstrument, and all the numbers of the program were most artistically rendered. The pleasure of the audience was indicated by the loud and prolonged applause that followed each selection, and five encores vere played in addition to the eight numbers on the program. The program was

1. Overture "Mignon" Thomas 2,(a) Babillage (b) Love's dream after the ball. Czibulka (strings only)

Fantasie "Faust" Gounod 4. Ballet suite "Sylvia" Delibes (a) valse lente

(b) pizzicato (c) processional march Intermission 5. Overture "William Tell Rossin-

6. Reve Angelique Rubinstein Tschaikowsky (strings only) 8. Hungarian Rhapsody No. 2 Listz

#### THE TORONTO EXHIBITION

The following interesting description of the Toronto Exhibition is taken from a letter which Mrs. M. P. Freeman recently received from her daughter, Mrs Pancott: \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*Well the Exhibition is over for nother year, and it has been delightful. Yesterday was the last day and you hould have seen the crowds!

On Labor Day the place was thronged, ut all were good natured and jolly, and the police and fire-men had no trouble keep order.

"Young Canada" Day was given over the children. The entrance fee was five cents for them, and everything saleable ville, in charge of a nurse. Kind friends and relatives ministered to her every wish, all without avail, and in spite of a gallant ground is set awart for them with swings.

tent for lost children was also provided. The Horticultural Building was splendid with its show of fruit and flowers. The 'Pure Food" building is new, large and nandsome, all open in the centre with a fountain of running water, suitable for drinking. The booths opened on this ourt-yard, with stone seats placed at in-

ervals. There was music, music every where. From the music building large wide mega-phones were placed over the doors sending the music to a great distance. On the band-stands, through the Exhibition different bands were constantly playing.

One of the new buildings this year was the Radio car for the music and speeches allover the grounds. This attracted crowds.

The million dollar Coliseum was also new, and so beautiful and artistic that words fail to describe it.

Flower beds every where all aglow making the grounds a scene of enchantment even after the exhibition is over.

The attendance up to yesterday was one million, two hundred and thirty seven thousand, a record-breaking number with thousands of the last day added to it.

The work shown as done by the returned beautiful. Lovely fancy work, dolls, woodcarving, and even a silver tea-set on a large silver tray.

The Exhibition Park covers 300 acres and a hundred more is asked for, as the

### **GASPEREAU ITEMS**

Congratulations are extended to Mr. and Mrs. Clifford M. Coldwell on the birth of a daughter at Miss Wood's Hospital, Port Williams.
Miss Lily Payzant, of Kentville, spent

Miss Edy Fayzant, of Kentvine, spent the week-end with Mrs. P. J. Gertridge. Miss Lillian Bennett has been visiting friends in Milton the past week. Dr. and Mrs. R. W. Bennett and Mr. George Ben-nett motored to Milton on Tuesday of this week to spend a few days there.

Mr. William Millett left on Monday of

this week for Toronto.

The Women's Institute met with Mrs.
Margaret Davison at Kentville on Thursday of last week. A goodly-number were present. After the business was transacted refreshments were served.

An ice-cream social was held in the Division Hall on Monday evening. The sum of \$25.00 or thereabouts was realized.

The mid-week, service of the Baptist church last week was in nature of a farewell to Rev. S. Freeman and wife, who depart soon for the mission field in India.

