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### Editorial Notes

The featuring of the Ten Commandments in the curriculum of our public schools is suggested by an exchange. The idea is a good one and might be adopted with much profit. A daily instruction in this fundamental basis of all the laws of civilization could not fail of being productive of real profit—and the present seems a most opportune time for its trying out. The introduction of selected lessons from the "Sermon on the Mount" would also be most helpful to the rising generation.

We understand that a meeting of the Railway Commissioner is to be held at Kentville on Tuesday, Sept. 6th, at which the matter of better protection of the crossing at Port Williams station will come up. Because of the great amount of traffic over the crossing it is one of the most dangerous on the line and certainly ought to be properly safe guarded. The possibility of another fatality occurring here more than justifies any expenditures that would be necessary to add to the public safety. It is hoped that sufficient pressure may be brought to bear on the Commission to assure the necessary steps being taken.

The publishers of THE ACADIAN are receiving very flattering commendations these days concerning the appearance and the general character of the paper. It is our endeavor to make THE ACADIAN as newsy and readable as possible and we are exceedingly glad to know that we are satisfying our patrons in this regard. If you are pleased with THE ACADIAN you can aid us best in our work by telling your friends about it and asking them to become themselves readers. If you have any complaint to make tell us about it—we, alone, can make it right, and we want to do so.

While it is true that there has been some improvements made in recent years in the trunk highways of Nova Scotia, it cannot be denied that under the old statute labor laws the residents would never have tolerated such conditions as

exist today on many of the roads of this county. There are sections of main road within ten miles of Wolfville that are in the same disreputable condition—and worse—than prevailed two years ago, no work having been done on them in that time. Some provision ought to be made for putting these roads speedily in passable condition.

### "THE BATTLE OF THE CENTURY" RECALLS INTERESTING INCIDENTS

To anyone who visited Jersey City to see the famous Dempsey—Carpenter heavyweight fight will be surprised to see the amount of detail which they missed and which is clearly shown in the only authentic film version of this fight entitled "The Battle of the Century," at the Opera House Friday night, Sept. 9th.

It will offer a unique opportunity to those who were not able to see the fight of witnessing the greatest sporting event of modern times better than it they had travelled to the arena. The pictures have been taken direct from the ringside by a battery of twenty cameras, and the whole event has been thoroughly covered.

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No one can go away disappointed after once seeing "The Battle of the Century."

### CANNING ITEMS

We are welcoming Mr. Lovett this week as the new manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia.

Our town Orchestra assisted at Church Services on Sunday and at the lecture of Dr. Benj. Rand given at the Armories Tuesday evening, giving appropriate selections in a very enjoyable style.

Miss Georgiana Robinson, of Boston, is visiting friends here.

Miss Belle Patriquin, of Halifax, made a brief visit at L. F. Blenkhorne's last week.

Rev. L. W. Parker, of Truro, was in town this week.

V. B. Eaton, with a party of four, motored from Halifax and returned first of this week.

Our fresh water is very scarce and the salt water is quite muddy, so if we do not pass for colored folk soon, we will be supposed to carry a lot of fashionable tan.

Ten carloads of early apples were shipped from Berwick last week, consigned to markets in the eastern part of the province.

### A SUGGESTION

To the Editor of THE ACADIAN.

Dear Sir:—You are so generous in giving space in your valuable paper to your readers who suppose that they have something of worth to communicate to their fellows, that I crave just a word regarding the Acadian Pilgrimage to Grand Pre on Thursday last.

May I suggest that all Loyal Canadians read again those resolutions passed upon that occasion, and then to ask if they are in favor of our histories of Canada, and especially that part relating to Grand Pre, be altered in any shape or form. And further if they are willing that our school system be tampered with by a section that has always tampered both with history and schools. If our histories are not reliable, then let them be made so by scholars, not by race or sect.

Surely "What is written, is written",  
Thanking you,  
R. W. BENNETT.  
Gaspereau, Aug. 23, 1912.

P.S.—It is being said that some of the speeches delivered in French were a tirade against Britain. I have written asking that they be translated and printed in English so that all may know and understand.

### FEDERAL ELECTION THIS YEAR

Premier Meighen announced in an address at London, Ontario, last night, that he will recommend early dissolution of the Canadian House of Commons and a general election before the New Year. The Prime Minister stated that redistribution could not be carried out within a reasonable time.

### MARRIED

CHASE—FITZGERALD—At the Rectory, Wolfville, on Aug. 27th, by Rev. R. F. Dixon, Blanche Fitzgerald, of Wolfville, to Rodney Chase, of Port Williams.

The weather bureau frequently refers to it as a "mean" temperature. Laymen use adjectives of a little higher horsepower.

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We suggest to our customers not to leave it too late in ordering your supply for pickles. Owing to the dry weather there is a big shortage in vegetables.

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