

The Advertiser

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SPECIAL MEETING OF THE KENTVILLE TOWN COUNCIL

The Mayor and Town Council were in session on Wednesday evening and spent about three hours in considering the estimates for the present year. It is apparent that during the last few years the Town has not kept its tax rate sufficiently high to pay for all the services of the town during the year and overdrifts have been carried forward year by year. This year the Council is confronted with a very high rate—as high as \$2.25 per \$100 if the usual expenditures of the Town are to be maintained and the legacies of over expenditure of previous years also met this year.

But inasmuch as this is a war year and retrenchments will have to be made by the individuals and corporations the mayor and councillors are using every faculty they possess to keep the rate as low as possible without sacrificing or making any service of the Town inefficient in any way. Thus the whole evening on Wednesday was given up by our "city fathers" to a consideration and discussion of ways and means. If the rate for 1916 is not placed much higher than any former years it will be on account of a lot of hard thinking and planning by the Council and Clerk.

The Council adjourned at 11 o'clock to meet next Wednesday evening at an early hour to pass the estimates.

AN IMPORTANT INDUSTRY FOR KINGS COUNTY

The committee appointed by the Board of Trade at its regular meeting on March 14th, to promote the interests of sheep raising in Kings County, met Tuesday afternoon at the office of Mr. George E. Graham, General Manager of the D. A. R.

Mr. J. Everett Kinsman, occupied the chair and others present were Messrs. George E. Graham, Geo. C. Roy, P. Innes, Jos. A. Kinsman, Prof. W. S. Blair, President of the Kentville Board of Trade, and W. E. Porter, Secretary.

After considering different plans and projects, it was decided to ask the Dominion Department of Agriculture for an expert on sheep raising to give addresses throughout the county on this subject.

The different phases of the sheep industry was discussed and the general opinion was that owing to the high price of wool—35c to 47c per lb as quoted by the Nova Scotia Underwear Co.—farmers should be encouraged to build up their flocks by keeping the most promising animals, instead of slaughtering them.

This project as being promoted by Mr. George E. Graham is a most worthy one and should meet with the keen appreciation of the farmers.

This is a time when the people should avail themselves of every advantage to make the most of the great possibilities which are theirs.

Annual Alliance Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Kings Co. Temperance Alliance will be held at Foresters' Hall, Berwick, on Friday, April 7th. Executive meeting at 11 a. m. General meeting at 12.30 o'clock p. m. Members of the Berwick W. C. T. U. will provide a fifty cent dinner for 25c. A large and representative attendance is requested.

F. H. BEALS, Secy.

Rev. P. S. MacGregor and family have removed from Wolfville to Chester Basin, N. S.



MILITARY NOTES

Lieut. Smith of the 112th Battalion, left this week on a short leave of absence.

Lieut. Parsons has returned to resume his duties with the detachment of the 112th Battalion, in training here.

L. Corps. William Quigley and Harry Barnaby of the 219th, N. S. H., detachment, Kentville, have been appointed to go to Halifax to take the non-commissioned officers course.

Private Murray Baird of the 219th Battalion, N. S. H., is spending the week in Bridge-town settling up some business affairs in which he was engaged previous to his enlistment for Overseas Service.

Among Acadia men enlisting in the 219th Battalion appears in the name of Philip S. Beals in training with the company at Berwick. Mr. Beals graduated with the class of '09. He is a son of Rev. F. H. Beals of Wolfville.

Mr. Roy Rafuse, who went to France with the 6th Mounted Rifles was wounded about two months ago receiving a bullet through his hat which carried the hair and part of his scalp. His father, Mr. Fred Rafuse, Kentville, received word from him this week and after being in the hospital a while he has joined the firing line.

Rev. T. C. Mellor has recently received word that his eldest son, Lieut. Frederick Courtney Mellor, has left Scotland for the firing line in France. Lieut. Mellor's regiment was at the Dardanelles during the campaign there but he remained in Edinburgh and vicinity training additional troops for reinforcements. Now he has been called from his training work to the battlefield. With two noblesons in the conflict Rev. T. C. and Mrs. Mellor have contributed their share to the cause of justice and humanity. May the boys both be spared to return and receive a true soldier's "welcome home."

112TH BATTALION

The 112th Battalion has now been recruited to about 1400 men, 1460 being the number enlisted, a number being unfit for service.

Below we give a list of the recruits at Kentville since our last published report:
H. L. Stokes, Halls Harbor.
L. H. Coleman, Kentville.
Harold Victor Nesbitt, Can-ning.

Albert Craig, Woodville.
Arthur Burnby, Windsor.
The last named has been sent to Windsor.

Lt.-Col. Weatherbe to Command
Pioneers.

Lt.-Col. Paul Weatherbe, of the Royal Canadian Engineers and a graduate of the Royal Military College, Kingston, has been appointed to command the 4th Overseas Pioneer Battalion in place of Hon. Lt.-Col. R. S. Lowe, whom it is understood is to have another appointment.

The headquarters of the 4th Pioneers will probably be at Ot-tawa, but the Battalion will be recruiting, at all events, in part, in the Maritime Provinces, and it is expected that recruiting for this Battalion will commence very shortly. The work of the pioneers is mainly rough construction work and field engineering.

Militia headquarters have issued an order that men qualified for pioneer duties in any Overseas Battalion are to be allowed to transfer to the Pioneer if they wish to do so.

Lt.-Col. Weatherbe is a son of the late Sir Robert Weatherbe of "St. Eulalie," Grand Pre, and a brother of Dr. Philip Weatherbe of Halifax.

THE ADVERTISER

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The first shipments of **TAILOR-MADE GARMENTS** now in stock. Make your selection early and get better choice.

Fancy Collars

For Easter wear. A charming array in new shapes at 25c., 50c., 75c. each

Middy Blouses

Girls, Misses and Ladies sizes. Made of best English Drills, Reps and Indian Head cloths, with new trimming designs at \$1.00 to \$1.25 each

THE JACK TAR with navy flannel collars at \$1.50 each.

Special House Dresses

Extra strong Zephyrs, well made, reg. \$1.25 values, sizes 34 to 46. Special price \$1.00

Kimona Aprons

Good Printed Cottons, assorted patterns. Choice 50c. ea

Shopping Bags

Made of Japanese Grass, well lined and extremely durable. In two sizes, 10c. and 15c. ea

TO ARRIVE ANY DAY

A Splendid Stock of FLOOR RUGS

In Squares, Hall Rugs, Hearth Rugs and Stair and Hall Runners sold by the yard. A good assortment of Rugs in stock at present, which were bought before the advanced prices took effect, which are much less in price than can be bought later.

SEALY'S.

'Togg Up for Easter.'

If you are alive to progressive ideas, examine our Spring Suit-ings. The proper shades, combined with the latest styles, and correct Tailoring are the main essentials in suits that give satisfaction. With the possible exception of Browns, Greys are leaders this season. We have them all shades.

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WEBSTER STREET, KENTVILLE
Cleaning and Pressing.

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THURSDAY, APRIL 6th

The Scintillating Musical Comedy

"BRINGING UP FATHER."

PRETTY GIRLS

CATCHY MUSIC

The Biggest Laughing Hit on Record.

A Host of Famous Entertainers and the World's Best Singing and Dancing Chorus.

The One Sensation of the Season

General Admission 50c., Reserved 75c., \$1.00
Plan of Theatre and Reserved Seat Tickets at Clark's Drug Store

For Quick Sale at a Great Bargain

One 5 passenger "Studebaker," overhauled and newly painted, fully equipped with new tires, spare tires and rim. In perfect running order. Also Twin Motor Cycle 1914 model, with Presto light. Equipment nearly new.

McDonald's Garage,
Opp. Aberdeen Hotel,
Kentville, N. S.

We can save you \$1000.00 on one FARM just now by buying from us as we are offering a good \$5000 Farm for \$4000 on easy terms. Best of reasons for selling.

STRONG'S

Real Estate, Insurance & Collection AGENCY
Wickwire Building
Kentville, N. S., March 24th, 1916.

"STILL ON."

Owing to the weather conditions of last week, have decided to keep my big

Reduction Sale

on until
Saturday, April 15th.

Life's too short for you to throw away dollars, when it is just as easy to save them.

You will be pleased with our goods, pleased with the treatment you will receive and pleased with the substantial saving. All you need do, to convince yourself, is to come in, and see what we offer. The goods will do the rest.

"What makes my Papa go to town?" the lisping youngster cried.

"Oh these are bargain days" my child

His dear Papa replied.

"And Papa'd rather miss his tea."

"Than miss a bargain willingly."

M. S. EATON

CANNING, N. S.

Public Auction

To be sold at Public Auction on
Wednesday, April 5th, '16

at one o'clock sharp on the premises of Harry Rudolph, Sheffield Mills, the following articles:

Guernsey cow, 5 years old, due to freshen May 14th; Durham cow, 3 years old, due to freshen this Spring; Durham grade heifer, 11 months old; Guernsey heifer 5 months old; 2 odd steers 3 and 6 months old, pair steers coming 3 years old, horse, sound, good worker and driver, weight 1000 lbs.; set do-die harness, light harness, lamps, etc., light wagon, 1 horse team wagon, sleigh, set Bob sleds, goat robe, driving lantern, lanterns, ladders, forks, shovels, chains, carpenter tools, baskets, pruners, wrenches, pulper.

Household Furniture—Consisting of tables, dining chairs, kitchen chairs, reclining chair, wicker rocker, Singer sewing machine, lamp, bed, couch, 2 beds, 2 mattresses, feather bed, 4 pairs blankets, bed spread, dresser, bureau, pictures, window shades, 3 pair stair carpet, linoleum art square, casserole, Dutch curtains, carving set, casseroles, new kitchen range (enterprise), wringer, and many things too numerous to mention.

TERMS—Cash for all sums under \$10.00, over that amount 3 months with approved joint notes bearing interest at 6 p. c.

F. J. Porter, Auctioneer.
If stormy on this date will be held next fine day. 1 A X

SHERIFF'S SALE

1916 A No. 2880
In The Supreme Court

Between:
Holmes C. Masters, Plaintiff,
and
Louis F. Best, Defendant

To be sold at Public Auction, by the Sheriff of the County of Kings, or his deputy at the Court House at Kentville, in the said County of Kings, on

Saturday, the 29th day of April, A. D. 1916,

at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon, pursuant to an order of Foreclosure and sale made herein the 29th day of March, A. D. 1916, unless before the day of Sale the amount due to the Plaintiff including the Plaintiff's taxed costs be paid to the Plaintiff or his solicitor.

ALL the estate, right, title, interest and equity of redemption of the said Louis F. Best, and of all persons claiming by, from or under him, in to, or out of the following lands and premises, namely:

ALL that certain tract of land situate at Berwick, in the County of Kings, and bounded as follows:—Beginning at the North West corner of lands of Charles H. Beardsley, on the east side of the Pias-said Beardsley's North line to lands of William Somerville, thence Northerly to said Somerville's West line to the Shaw Road, thence Westerly in the line of said Road to the East line of said Road, to the place of beginning, containing some thirty-six acres, be the same more or less.

TERMS:—Ten per cent deposit at time of Sale, remainder on delivery of Deed.

F. J. PORTER
Sheriff of the County of Kings.

W. E. ROSCOE
of Roscoe & Roscoe,
Aberdeen St., Kentville, N. S.,
Solicitor for Plaintiff.

Dated at Kentville, this 29th day of March, A. D. 1916.

Kentville, N.S., March 31st, 1916

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Red Store

March, 31st, 1916.

We are ready to supply:
No. 1 Timothy, Red Clover,
Alsike Clover, Fancy Red
Top, Compton's Early
Corn, Duckbill Barley etc

ALSO
Blatchford's Calf Meal and
Royal Purple Calf Meal

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Millinery
Opening
This Week
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I want you to come and look at my display of new hats for women and children, flowers, wreaths, feathers and ostrich plumes. I am showing a good range of women's trimmings, hats, particularly in black. I feel sure you will be pleased with the many new shapes and colors. Little need be said about prices. You know what big values I gave last season. Prices will be equally as good or better. Come in any day this week and see the styles.

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Rexall
COLD CREAM 25c

Rexall
Camphorated Cream 25c

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McDougal
Drug Store

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We are here to serve

Wanted—A middle man for housekeeping Box 50, Grand Pre, N.S.