

# THE ACADIAN,

WOLFVILLE, N. S. DEC. 12, 1884.

## Local and Provincial.

Subscribe for the ACADIAN. Only 50 cents per year.

The weather, which has been remarkably fine and open this autumn, during the last few days has been quite wintry.

The ACADIAN will be clubbed with all of the best Canadian and American Periodicals.

Prof. Petters delivered a Temperance Lecture on Monday night last to the members of Cornwallis Division, Canard Street.

RUSTIC.—The Western Book & News Co. have made one of their windows up into a log cabin scene. It is supposed to represent the cabin in which a prominent public official of this place was born.

SHIPPING TAGS.—Dennison's Patent Shipping Tags, printed to order, only \$2.50 per thousand at this office.

PERSONAL.—Mr. Alfred Tugwood returned home this week.

Mr. Wm. Blackadder Jr. is also home from New York. He has been sick of slow fever but is now much better.

ENTERTAINMENT POSTPONED.—The musical and literary entertainment, which was to take place yesterday at Grand Pre has been postponed until Thursday 18th inst. All are invited and a good time may be expected.

Why pay six or seven dollars for making a suit when you can get a better fit and better made at Caldwell & Murray's for little more than the price of the cloth. Their overcoats are the best fitting in the market and wonderfully cheap. Dec 12

Go to Western Book & News Co's. for Text and Birthday Cards, large and extra fine assortment.

NEW LAMP.—We see that Messrs. F. L. Brown & Co. and G. H. Wallace have imported a new lamp, which while it is some dollars cheaper than the "wonder lamp" which has created such talk lately, seems to us to give fully as much light. Both the above stores are now lighted by these lamps and they make a fine show.

DYKES BROKEN.—The extraordinary high tides of last week, owing to the comparative fine weather, did not do so much damage to the dykes of this County as was at first anticipated. The only dyke that suffered was the Weatherbe Dyke, Gaspereau River, and on Friday last about twenty feet of that dyke was carried away. Men were immediately put to work repairing it and no damage was done to speak of. The Crane dyke, near the covered bridge, also was somewhat damaged.

The ACADIAN will be sent from now till Jan. 1st 1886 for 50 cents in advance.

NEW ENTERPRISE AT GASPAREAU.—Mr. J. D. Martin, of Falmouth Haits Co., is now building a steam mill at Gaspereau for the manufacture of barrels, shingles &c. He has the building under construction and has purchased boiler, engine &c., and expects to be at work very soon. We wish him every success and think he should receive great encouragement as an enterprise of this kind cannot help being of great advantage to the place. We will refer to this again.

All the dear little children are crying for one of those lovely wax dolls, at Western Book & News Co's.

The following was communicated by Mr. H. W. Bishop, now of San Jose, Cal., and shows what sport they have in the "far west."

SPORTING IN CALIFORNIA.—Mr. A. W. Bishop, formerly of Lower Canard, King's Co. N. S., while out shooting in Tulare Co., Cal., shot 21 ducks and one mud-hen as the effect of one discharge of his fowling-piece; with three shots bagged 45 ducks and one mud-hen. The same person at the same place, while haying has taken his fork to the brook and speared out trout by the dozen measuring in length from 12 to 18 inches.

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Read our new advs. of Xmas Goods in this issue and look out for more in next.

School at the Institutions closes on Thursday next. The Junior Exhibition will be held on the evening of that day.

Leo Dickie, of Canning, while at work in the new steam saw mill at Mill Creek, had two of his fingers cut off.

W. H. Chase & Co., of Port Williams, purchased the stock of goods of H. M. Sleep, of Canard, at auction on Wednesday.

Buy the Standard Library of Poets, Cloth, 60 to 75c each at Western Book & News Co's.

OBITUARY.—We have this week to record the death of one of our young men. Mr. Duncan Eagles died at his mother's residence yesterday morning, of consumption, at the early age of 21 years. We tender our sympathies to the bereaved family.

We are now furnishing Letter and Note Heads, Envelopes (cornered or addressed), Bill Heads, Counter Heads, Statements, Business Cards, Shipping Tags, and all kinds of plain and ornamental printing at extremely low prices. Samples and prices furnished on application.

From now till Christmas we will give 15 per cent discount off all purchases of Xmas Cards to the amount of \$1.50, or 20 per cent for amounts over \$2.00. Western Book & News Co.

Mr. E. C. Newcomb, of Canning, is our agent at that place, and orders for job work, and subscriptions to the ACADIAN may be left with him and will receive prompt attention. The ACADIAN is also on sale at his shop. Give him a call and leave your subscription.

The ACADIAN and Toronto Weekly Mail, or the ACADIAN and Toronto Weekly Globe will be sent to any address for one year for \$1.25, in advance. Look out for our big Club Offers, etc.

People are finding out every day that the merchant who gives long time must get long prices. Caldwell & Murray sell for cash or its equivalent and the people save money by buying from them, because there are no bad debts to be made up. Dec 12

When you go for Xmas Toys for the children be sure to see the table, at Western Book & News Co's., Witter's Block.

ANOTHER BIG PIG.—Our friend Mr. Mumford, W. & A. R. Station Agent at this place, informs us that it is no use for any one to compete with him on pigs. He has one he bought last spring and which was brought to him at that time in a large cigar box. The grunter thrived well, thanks to good attention from its owner and lots of strengthening food, and when Mr. M. removed it to a warmer place for the winter he found it had become so large that he had to throw away the cigar box and substitute a small raisin box. He says it will dress considerably over five pounds now.

POTATOES.—We will take good shipping potatoes on account or in exchange for goods. CALDWELL & MURRAY.

WOLFVILLE DIVISION.—Much interest was manifested in the regular meeting of the Wolfville Division on Monday evening last. A larger number of members than usually attend, was present on the occasion. During the evening one candidate was initiated. Two choice selections of music by the choir, largely added to the enjoyment of the meeting. Among the speakers who interested the division were—Messrs. Murray, Elder, Rand, Witter, J. W. Hamilton, J. L. Bishop, and also Mr. Harding from Hebron Division. This Division has nearly reached its 31st year. It ought to be firmly established, so far as age is concerned, and we are pleased to state that no sign of decay is evident. An Anniversary Entertainment at the close of the year is expected. We wish this Division every prosperity, and trust that its efforts may meet with such success as will reflect much credit upon the entire community.

## Died.

WALLACE.—At the residence of William Wallace Esq., Wolfville, on Sunday Dec. 7th, Mrs. John Wallace, aged 81.

## GENERAL NEWS.

—Archbishop Trench, of Dublin, has resigned his see.

—It is stated that the French fleet is cholera-stricken at Formosa.

—Victoria, B. C., has erected \$590,550 worth of buildings this year.

—The Canada Pacific railroad will employ 20,000 men this winter.

—The River Richelieu is blockaded with ice as far up as St. Hilaire.

—By the treaty with Spain, the United States will lose \$40,000,000 of revenue.

—Mr. Harrison, once known as the "boy preacher," is holding services in Toronto.

—The tide was very high at Moncton on Thursday last; covering nearly all the wharves.

—The most stringent prohibitory liquor law known has been passed in Switzerland.

—Earl Dufferin, the new Viceroy of India, will take the reins of office on the nineteenth of December.

—More cider is drunk in France than any other country, and the best French article is made in Normandy.

—An attempt has been made to blow up Rayston Town Hall, Lancashire, England, but little damage was done.

—A steamer, the "Drango," has been sunk in collision near Dunkirk, France, and thirty persons were drowned.

—Three newspapers have been suppressed by the German ruler of Alsace because of their French sympathies.

—The French Chamber of Deputies has adopted the bill providing for the election of senators by universal suffrage.

—The Canadian Pacific Railway has decided to have its British Columbian terminus at Coal Harbor, Burrard Inlet.

—It is stated that Miss Mackay, daughter of the Nevada millionaire, will marry Don Fernando Colonna, Prince of Galaturo.

—It is understood that President Arthur is arranging his affairs for a trip to Europe very soon after the fourth of March.

—Mr. John H. Stratford, of Branford, Ont., has presented that city with an hospital building, fully equipped, costing \$20,000.

—The bark Luke Bruce collided with the steamer Durango in the English Channel. The Durango sank; twenty persons were drowned.

—The Life and Letters of George Elliot, to be issued in London this month, edited by her husband, Mr. Cross will fill three large volumes.

—The Italian House of Deputies has sent a deputation to King Humbert, to thank him for his heroism in going among the cholera patients at Naples.

—Mr. Childers, Chancellor of British Exchequer, is likely to retire, from ill health. Mr. Goshen, who is probably the best financier in England, after Gladstone, is spoken of as his successor.

—Mr. Stephen, President of the Canada Pacific Railway, is said to be making arrangements for a steamship line between British Columbia and Japan.

—Gov. Cleveland intends to tender his resignation to the legislature Jan. 6, and to remain the guest of Gov. Hill at the executive mansion until March 1st.

—Mrs. John Mulliken, a wealthy resident of Boston, sold peanuts at a booth on the common for twelve hours, on an election bet, and realized \$100 for charity.

—The lumber shipped from Quebec this year was valued at \$5,642,578, not including large quantities sent from Cape Rouge and other places to South America.

—Serious charges against two members of the Quebec Provincial Government have been laid before the Lieutenant-Governor and are now under consideration.

—The Prohibitionists in several places who voted for St. John in the recent Presidential election are being persecuted by those whose political spite was provoked thereby.

—A deputation has been sent to the President elect, Governor Cleveland, to ask him to be present at the great Winter Carnival, to be held at Montreal in the end of January.

—The teachers in Erie County, Pennsylvania, have decided in favor of making temperance a part of the common-school education. All the other Counties are likely to follow suit.

—A jewellers' alliance has been formed by merchants in that business in Montreal, Toronto, and Hamilton, so as to take united action in the pursuit and prosecution of burglars.

—Sir John A. Macdonald has been telling the people of England of Canada's great loyalty to the mother country. The connection, he said, ought to be closer. Sir John has been staying at Windsor Castle, the guest of Queen Victoria.

## Western Book & News Co.

### XMAS--1884.

Our Stock for Xmas is now nearly complete, and is fully up to its usual Standard of Excellence. It comprises the usual assortment of

### BOOKS!

including

The Lily Series, \$0.45  
The Standard Lib.  
of Poets, .70  
The Boysown Lib, 1.00  
" Girls " 1.00

And a large number of miscellaneous and standard works.

Children's Books, all prices.

Bound & Paper Toy Books.

A MAGNIFICENT DISPLAY OF LARGE QUARTO PHOTOGRAPH ALBUMS, From \$1.25 to \$7.00 Each.

SMALL PHOTOGRAPH, AUTOGRAPH, & SCRAP ALBUMS To arrive shortly, as also Velvet Frames!

SPLENDID LOT OF Purses and Pocket Books!

Nice Bibles, Hymn Books, etc. All Prices.

WRITING DESKS! IN GREAT VARIETY.

### FANCY GOODS!

GAMES, All Kinds.

TOY BOOKS, Extra-Fine Assortment.

TOYS, in Tin Wood China, etc.

All Prices and Styles. Just the thing for Santa Claus.

### Xmas Cards!

ALL STYLES! LARGE ASSORTMENT! NEW AND PRETTY DESIGNS! From 1 Cent up!

Western Book & News Co.

### PICTURE FRAMING!

We have opened this week a lot of PICTURE MOULDING, and are now in position to take orders for all kinds of Picture Framing. Also a new lot of common

### RUSTIC FRAMES,

very cheap, in popular sizes—8x10, 10x12, 10x14, 8 1/2 x 21; and a few very fine 8x10 Int. Walnut and Gilt frames, very nice for cabinet photographs with mat. Call and get our prices and see the samples.

### FRAMED CHROMOS,

SIZE 24x30. A fine lot of subjects, 2 in. moulding, Int. Walnut and Gilt.

### Come in and see us!

We cannot tell you half we want to in this advertisement.

### WESTERN BOOK & NEWS CO

A. M. HOARE, Manager, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL Booksellers and Stationers

Wolfville, N. S., Dec. 3d.

## KING'S COUNTY JEWELRY STORE!

KENTVILLE.

The subscribers have recently opened the store in

ARNOLD'S BLOCK, Webster St., next door to

Post office,

WITH A FULL LINE OF

WATCHES, CLOCKS,

SILVER and

ELECTRO-PLATED

WARE,

Table CUTLERY,

SPECTACLES,

ETC., ETC.,

And are prepared to furnish the above lines at the lowest market rates for cash, and would respectfully request intending purchasers to call and inspect our stock and ascertain prices before purchasing elsewhere.

## J. R. McDonald & Co.

### WATCHMAKERS AND JEWELLERS,

Arnold's Block, Webster St., Kentville, N. S. and 145 Granville St., Halifax, N. S.

Sept 18th, 1884.

## DENTISTRY!

E. N. PAYZANT, M. D., DENTIST. WOLFVILLE.

Dr. P. will remain in Wolfville during DECEMBER to wait upon patients in Dentistry.

Sept. 8th, 1884

The subscriber would like to say right out loud to the public that he is selling the CELEBRATED ACADIA COAL

very cheap. Also that he is taking orders for HARD COAL, which he will supply at hard pan prices.

D. MUMFORD,

W. & A. Ry Depot, Wolfville, N. S.

JOB PRINTING of all kinds executed at shortest notice at this office

### Creditors Notice!

Notice is hereby given that H. M. Sleep, of Canard, Cornwallis, Trader, has this day made an assignment of all his Goods, Book Debts, and all effects to the undersigned for the benefit of his creditors who shall become parties to said assignment within three months from this date.

A copy of said assignment is at the office of R. M. Rand, Canard, where it can be examined and executed by such creditors.

S. R. SLEEP.

R. M. RAND.

Assignees.

Canard, Nov. 18th 1884.

## AUCTION!

All persons are cautioned against trading or bartering with my sons or paying them money for the products of my farm, as I will not ratify any bargains made by them and will collect the pay for anything sold from off my premises.

REBECCA FARRELL.

Etna, Sept. 20th.