THE ACADIAN.

WOLFVILLE, N.S., MAR. 10, 1916.

Editorial Brevities.

Owing to difficulties connected with the "help" problem THE ACADIAN appears this week a few hours late, which our readers will please excuse. We aim to be always on time but sometimes that is impossible.

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The human element, the one thing that money cannot surround with a safeguard, is the primary cause of fully four fifths of our accidents. The crime of carelessness is responsible for a large percentage of the widows, orphans and cripples.

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A widow whose three sons had enlisted was asked if she did not think it was a terrible thing for them to go to war, replied, "Yes, it is. And I only know of one thing worse. That would be for them to stay home and let some one else fight for them."

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A terrific bizzard raged all day on Saturday last, and far into the night. The storm was the worst experienced for many years. The snow drifted into large banks and the wind blew with much velocity. Business in town was almost suspended. Sunday was mild and delightful.

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The death took place at Halifax on Monday morning of Wiley Smith, member of the firm of A. & W. Smith & Co., one of the oldest wholesale grocery houses. He was a director of the Royal Bank of Canada, and president of the Acadia Sugar Refinery directorate. He was 82 years of age and was one of the wealthiest men in the Province. He leaves a widow, but no children.

Church of England Notes.

The Woman's Auxiliary of St. John's church held their annual meeting at the rectory on Monday afternoon. There was a good attendance. The rector opened the proceedings with a short service and delivered an address in which he spoke of the work of the Society in Canada and the Foreign field. The Canadian Anglican Church has missions in Japan, China, India, Africa and South America. A good work is also being done among the Indians of the Dominion and the Jews in Montreal. The following officers were elected: President—Mrs. R F. Dixon; First Vice President—Mrs T. L. Harvey; Second Vice President—Mrs. E S. Crawley; Treasurer—Mrs. G Cowie; Secretary—Mrs. C. H Borden; Dorcus Secretary—Mrs. R Harvey; Superintendent of the Junior Branch—Mrs. W. M. Black. Mrs. R. Creighton resigns the treasurership after a year's faithful and energetic [illegible]

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The annual meeting of the Junior branch of the St. John's Women Auxiliary was held on Wednesday at at the residence of Mr. R. Creighton. The rector was present and gave an address and spoke of the splendid work of the superindent, Mrs. Marshall Black. This society is in a very flourishing condition and did an excellent work last year in assisting the cause of Missions. The officers elected were Miss Angela Herbin, treasurer, and Miss Marcia Calkin, secretary. There was a good attendance.

Cross Fretful Babies.

The cross fretful baby is a sickly baby—the well child is always happy and smiling. Mothers if your baby is cross and cries a great deal something is wrong. His little stomach and bowels may be out of order; his teeth troubling him, or he may be bothered with worms. The mother should immediately give him Baby's Own Tablets. They never fail to relieve the baby. Concerning them Mrs Ronald Hurley, Gilks, N. B., writes—"I know of nothing so good for cross fretful babies as Baby's Own Tablets and I am pleased to recommend them to other mothers." The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Girls' Hockey.

A third game of hockey played by girls was witnessed on Saturday, March 4th, when the town team won from the Seminary team by a close score of 2—1. This was a good fast game and the playing showed that both teams knew how to work. Lloyd Black of the 85th refereed the game which was a three ten minute period one. Margaret Coldwell, centre for the town team, secured both goals, and Marguerite Woodworth, centre on the Seminary team, made their score. The ice was prime, the skaters strong, and the playing swift. Should the ice continue good, another game would be greatly enjoyed by the onlookers.

A house at Onslow Mountain, Colchester county, was burned on Friday morning last and five persons lost their lives.

Mr. Clifford Hilchie, of Boston, is spending some time in town at the home of his sister Mrs. A. L. Gue.

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Our Boys.

Our boys are marching on to war. Some have gone, and some are going. How noble they are, how brave, and true! Surely our King has reason to be proud of this quarter of his dominions where so many loyal youths—the very flower of the land, as it were—have volunteered so readily and so cheerfully in response to the call for aid. Canada's loyalty to the Motherland is certainly demonstrative in such hearty voluntary service.

As I think of the sacrifices they are making in leaving all that is near and dear—the home, the loved ones, the ties of friendship, the scenes of childhood, and the land of their birth—it awakens a feeling of high esteem. Is there one among us, may I ask, who looks upon such sacrifice with indifference? Proud am I that my country has bred such strong, active lads, who are willing to do or die, it may be. Do they not deserve our highest praise, our warmest sympathy, our best wishes, our earnest prayers? And as they go forth to fight for their King and country in this great and terrible war of wars, they will not forget the Great King; for, at times, will there not arise from the heart of each the silent prayer for help? To sacrifice, to suffer, is but to gain, and they who suffer the most will have the most to gain. May God be with them and sustain them, and at the last save them, is the fervent prayer of the writer.

F. A. G. M

Letters to the Editor.

To the Editor of THE ACADIAN.

DEAR EDITOR:—I wish to inform the military authorities and also the public that the report about the Women's Christian Temperance Union appealing to the government to prohibit the training of recruits in our town is absolutely false. Some one has taken a presumptuous liberty in view, no doubt, of hurting our organization. This is not the first time that such has occurred, but we sincerely hope it will be the last. We invite the men and women of our town to give up critisizing as well as moderate drinking, and help us make a clean town, in which our boys and girls will be free from contamination. Consider it your duty as well as ours. The W. C. T. U. motto is "For God and Home and Native Land."

B. M. S., President

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To the Editor of THE ACADIAN

SIR,—I cannot agree with your advice to fruit-growers, if giving more attention to the growing of other crops implies less attention than the already neglected orchards have received from their owners in the past.

The accumulation of insect and fungus pests demand more and not less attention and especially in the vicinity of Wolfville where the pack [illegible] wards of 75 per cent of No 3 grade.

The enclosed clipping leads us to believe that restrictions will be placed on fruit entering Great Britain from other than British colonies. This will surely give us an advantage. Let us have No 1's to send next season.

London, Feb 23—Walter Runciman president of the board of trade was asked in the house of commons today what restrictions he proposed to place upon the importation of fruit, and when they would take effect.

Mr Runciman said that he could not make a definite statement, except that any restriction imposed would not apply to fruit from British dominions, colonies or dependencies.

Yours truly,

BUSINESS AS USUAL

N. S. Temperance Alliance.

The annual convention of the Alliance will be held in Y M C A Hall Halifax Thursday, sixteenth March at ten a. m. Executive on fifteenth, at eight-thirty p m.

Churches and Temperance organizations are requested to send delegates.

Will pastors of all churches and officers of societies kindly bring this notice at once before their respective organizations.

Reduced rates as usual on railways.

Delegates will secure standard certificates. These good up to and including twentieth March.

Come and help us in the fight for the complete overthrow of the liquor traffic. Remember the date, 16th March, 1916.

HAMILTON WIGLE, President

D. C. ROSS, Recording Secretary

Tributes to the late Sgt. Dorman.

The following letters have been received by Mr. and Mrs. Burpee Dorman, of Margaretsville, the death of whose son, Sgt. Lloyd Dorman of the 25th Batt., in action in France, has been lately recorded:

Somewhere at the Front,
January, 1916

I have been requested by the non-commissioned officers and men of No. 13 Platoon, 'D' Company, 25th Nova Scotia Battalion, to convey to you and yours their deepest sympathy in this, your hour of trial and sorrow in the loss of your dear son and our gallant comrade, Platoon Sgt L A Dorman. He was one of the most popular N C O. in the battalion, and loved by all for his sterling character, his devotion to duty and courage in danger. He met death with a smile on his lips, without fear in his heart, and died a soldier and a man, an example to all as to how a soldier should live and, when the time comes, how a man should die, loved and respected by all. He lays at rest in the 25th burial ground, by the side of his comrades, who, like him, have given their all. He is the only man I ever loved as a brother.

Yours in sorrow,
FRANK W. HINCHCLIFFE,
Sgt. Major 'D' Company.

6th Field Ambulance,
2nd Canadian Div., B. E. F.
Jan. 16th, 1916

DEAR MR. DORMAN.—You have already received the sad intelligence of your son's death. I have been chaplin in the Brigade but a short time and did not have the pleasure of knowing him personally, but their is but one testimony among officers and men, and that is he was one of the best and noblest men in his Battalion. I am told also he was soon to be recommended for a commission. Others will no doubt give you particulars of his death, which I am told was instantaneous. I wish to offer you and your sorrowing family my sincerest sympathy and to inform you that your son was honored and beloved by all and tenderly laid away. I conducted the funeral on Saturday morning, and can assure you that his family have been in my thoughts and prayers ever since. With kindest regards, I am,

Yours faithfully,
J. H. MACDONALD,
Chaplin 5th Inf Brigade

Remember.

The young men of Canada should not forget what crushing German militarism and curbing German ambition means. If, as their declared aim, the Germans should succeed in their plan of world domination, Canada would be one of the first countries to come under German rule. When they hesitate to enlist, they should remember that if they came under German rule, they would not be asked to enlist; they would be commanded to enter the ranks, and if they did not shoot somebody else, they themselves would be stood against a wall and shot. Canadian young men are asked to enlist to save not only our own liberties, everywhere, but all the happiness that comes from the enjoyment of the blessings of freedom and free self-government. Our young men should remember that they have a duty to perform in preventing the sacrifice of all that makes life worth living.

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Gunner Charles O'Brien, 56th Battery, R.F.A., who was wounded in the leg at Ypres, and is now in hospital at Southsea, tells of the terrible experience under fire from the German heavy guns. In a letter to his brother, Gunner O'Brien, who is only eighteen years of age, writes:

"We went into action at Ypres from behind a small forest, as we thought, unobserved. We had been there only half an hour when the sausages found us with their shrapnel. I tell you it was horrible. We couldn't stir an inch without their seeing us, and then they sent over six shells at a time.

"On our third day in this position we found the Germ-hun guns and put to them. Of course, we all thought that we were all right after all. Well, we lived in a fool's paradise until the seventh day, when all of a sudden we heard a sound like a motor car coming up a steep hill. We knew what it was, and everybody promptly dashed for the gun pits, and then they arrived, four of 'em—heavy coal boxes.

"Even the sound of a coal box bursting 300 yards away simply terrifies you, while at 100 yards the explosion is absolutely deafening. Well, these four burst about 30 yards behind the battery! We all trembled. Twenty seconds later another four shells burst five yards in front of the battery. There were three of us in our gun pit, and the shock threw us off our feet. The man who fell on top of us got hit in the head. He was the first to go. Then the Huns burst four more one on one, and three of our guns were smashed, two men killed, and about fourteen wounded. They kept us in mark like that for about twenty minutes and then went off to another unfortunate battery.

"When we ventured out we found the dead and wounded all over the place. One poor chap had one of his legs blown about three yards away, while the calf of his other leg was blown about ten yards away. I was struck later in the leg. It is a flesh wound above the knee, and I hope it will be healed in about six weeks."

THE DUKE'S MESSAGE

"I would bid the people of Canada to be of good cheer. This is a time for courage and confident belief that the resources of the Dominion are equal to every stress which we may be called upon to meet. The present struggle has dislocated industry throughout the world, but it has also given great opportunities. The people of Canada should avail themselves of these. A better and wider market for food products is certain for some time to come at good prices, and Canada should increase as much as possible the area of cultivation, in order to profit thereby. This must necessarily tend to give an impetus to agriculture, the great basic industry of the country which will not only maintain, but strengthen our resources. Again, the Dominion can undertake the manufacture of many articles not hitherto made in Canada and thus do much to supply employment for those artisans and laborers who are temporarily out of work owing to changes brought about by the war."—H.R.H. Duke of Connaught.

Fate Refused Sacrifice

Lieutenant Pottinger and his section of Royal Engineers were attempting to blow up a bridge under fire. They laid the charge, and the section retired. The lieutenant and the sapper remained behind to light the fuse, but the charge, for some reason, did not explode.

The sapper fired ten rounds of ammunition at the charge—still without success. Then Lieutenant Pottinger said, "I'll make the thing go off!"

He shook hands with the sapper, after which he stepped towards the bridge. When on the bridge, he put the muzzle of his revolver into the charge and fired all six cartridges.

Even then the charge did not go off, and the men had to flee, leaving the bridge intact. Had the charge gone off, the young lieutenant would have been blown to atoms, while the Germans would have been robbed of an easy crossing.

Hon. Neil J. Gillis, of Glace Bay, has been appointed to the Legislative Council to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Hon. J. N. Armstrong, of North Sydney.

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