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Editorial Notes.

When one finds he is out of sympathy with his home town he should move out. Do not get into that unconscious habit of growling. Thank fortune we only have a few "kickers" in this town, but the few we have are worth the rest to carry. If you have made up your mind to live in a town then stand up for it.

One of the streets which we would like to see improved as soon as possible is that part of Acadia street leading from Highland avenue to the college grounds. Because of its location this is a most conspicuous thoroughfare and one much used. It should be made one of the show places of Wolfville, and being short, could at a very small expense, be made an object of pride to our citizens.

The Chinese Republic.

The announcement that Great Britain is ready to recognize the new Chinese Republic as soon as the latter agrees to maintain existing treaties, is good news. The Chinese, all things considered, have been behaving very well under the new regime. Their behavior has been vastly better than that of Mexico, which had the audacity to refuse them recognition a few months ago when Mexico herself was in the throes of an intermitting peace.

China will, one day, be a very desirable ally for some Power. It that Power, as is likely, should be Japan, the yellow peril will be less illusory than it is now. The vast resources of the country and the integrity of the people should make China the predominant partner in this alliance. The recognition of the Republic is merely logical after it has become a further debtor to Europe for a considerable sum. If the money borrowed is to be used to the best ends, the Chinese must be given every kind of encouragement. Prosperity will do more than anything else to make the new government stable, and the more Britain helps towards it, the sater will be her own interests in India and elsewhere in the East.

Woodman-Foshy Nuptials.

The Methodist church on Wednesday evening was the scene of the most brilliant social function of the year, the occasion being the marriage of Miss Annie May, eldest daughter of Mr. A. J. Woodman, to Mr. Otto Herbert Foshy. The church was artistically decorated with evergreens, potted plants and apple blossoms, the work of the bride's friends. Mrs. (Dr.) Moore gave a fine rendition from "Lohengrin" as the bride party entered, and of Mendelssohn's march at the conclusion of the ceremony. The wedding ceremony was performed by Rev. W. H. Rackham, pastor of the church.

The bride, looking the picture of girlish grace, entered with her father by whom she was given away. She wore a gown of ivory chamoisee draped in white tulle with pearl trimmings, and the conventional veil and orange blossoms, and carried a shower bouquet of white roses and lily of the valley. She was attended by her sister, Miss Hazel Woodman, who wore a gown of pink marceline with over dress of pink silk marceline, and a picture hat trimmed with pink poppies and black velvet ribbon. Little Maude Burgess as flower girl looked very sweet in a dress of white lace over pink silk. The bride's mother was gowned in lavender chamoisee and brocade silk and wore a black and white hat crowned with a willow plume and trimmed with osprey. Mr. Lloyd Black, of Amherst, acted as best man. The ushers were Messrs. Douglas Borden, Frank Woodman, and Norman Gibbons.

Following the ceremony a reception and lunch was held at the home of the bride's parents. The parlors and dining room were very beautifully decorated in ferns and pink carnations. This was the work of Mr. P. W. Killian, manager of the N. S. Fisheries, Halifax. The table was decorated in lily of the valley and pink carnations, and the bride's cake stood on a stand of maiden hair fern and lily of the valley. Mrs. R. E. Burgess presided at the tea. Mrs. Bowles and Miss Dineen were the entertainers and Mrs. C. H. Borden the hostess.

The happy couple left by automobile for Kentville and will spend a few weeks at various points of New Brunswick, after which they will reside in Wolfville. The bride's travelling outfit was of navy blue serge with a tailored hat of black and white.

A large number of splendid and valuable presents were received. The groom's present to the bride was a diamond and emerald ring. A substantial cheque was received from the bride's father and mother.

Baby's Teething Time.

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John H. Macdonald of Charlottetown, N. S., was killed at Wolfville by a runaway train on Monday afternoon. Two automobiles were on the track when the train struck them.

Wolfville's Grand Old Man.

The recent commencement exercises in connection with Acadia College were marked by one event, which will render them memorable to a large number of the citizens of Wolfville as well as to the members of the University. We refer to the retirement of Dr. Jones from the chair of Classics which he has held for considerably over half a century. Graduating from Acadia in 1860, Dr. Jones has since then remained uninterruptedly a member of the College faculty. He has served, if we are not mistaken, under five presidents, Drs. Cramp, Sawyer, Trotter, Hutchinson and Catten, and has seen scores of professors come and go. Generation after generation of students, including the last two presidents and seven professors have passed through his hands, totaling it is likely considerably over a thousand. He has seen the College grow from a membership of thirty, and with a faculty of four professors, to its present membership of nearly two hundred and fifty and a faculty numbering about twenty. He has also seen every College building go up, some of which were rebuilt, the majority however being entirely new. During all these years and through all these changes Dr. Jones has pursued the even tenor of his way, esteemed by his conferees, beloved and honored by his pupils, and accorded the full and ungrudging support of the authorities. A record like this would be hard to beat, if indeed it is surpassed in the college annals of this continent. For the good doctor has shown both as an admirable teacher, who dug deep and laid enduring foundations, and as a man of singularly winning and attractive personality that he possesses not only the art of imparting his great classical knowledge, but also of gaining the confidence and affection of those who sat under him. It is hardly too much to say that every one of his students became his personal friend. College students, we know, are a critical race, probably the most ruthless and merciless in existence, to them little is sacred. With their youthful confidence in their own untried powers they set up standards which very few ever reach, and by which they judge their preceptors and instructors. It was always and everywhere so, and probably always will be. But for Dr. Jones there was always a kindly and respectful word. The most blatant and irrepressible to whom professors are "natural enemies," and all outward and visible signs of an authority symbol of tyranny, made an exception in favor of the Doctor. He was a good sort anyway and what he said went. Writing as an outsider and a looker on and as one on friendly, sometimes intimate terms, with many of the students of Acadia, I can bear reliable witness to the singularly warm personal regard, in which the Doctor was held by the great body of the undergraduates. To many of the students of this generation Acadia will hardly seem the same without him and to the older graduates his withdrawal will mean the ending of one very strong link that has bound them to their Alma Mater. As a citizen of Wolfville for considerable over half a century Dr. Jones has won the esteem and affection of all his fellow citizens of whatever age or condition. Every man, woman and child in Wolfville, who enjoys the privilege of his personal acquaintance, has something kind and appreciative to say of Dr. Jones. The hearty good wishes of the citizens of Wolfville will follow Dr. Jones into his well earned retirement. Long may he and his amiable partner be spared to enjoy the pleasures of a green old age. The Doctor, we understand, is to retain his position as an honorary professor. He will, we presume, therefore remain a member of the faculty, and it is to be hoped, occasionally, give the College the benefit of his wide experience, shrewd well balanced judgement and massive learning. R. F. D.

One Hundredth Anniversary.

Sunday, June 1st, was the 100th anniversary of the naval battle, off Boston, between the American Frigate Chesapeake and the British Frigate Swanton. The engagement lasted but fifteen minutes, and during that time 150 of the American frigate's crew were laid low by the tremendous broadsides of the Swanton. The British frigate's list of wounded numbered 15. With the British colors floating above the Stars and Stripes, the vessels set sail for Halifax, arriving there the following Sunday.

Judge Haliburton, famous as "Sam Slick," then a youth of seventeen, boarded the Chesapeake as the two battered ships sailed into Halifax. The deck, he wrote, "had not been cleaned, and the coils and folds of rope were steeped in gore as if in a slaughter house. Pieces of skin with pendant hair were adhering to the sides of the ships and in one place I noticed portions of fingers protruding as if thrust through the outer walls of the frigate."

Only the prompt action of a war man, says the Montreal Witness, saved the international express from Halifax, with its heavy load of people en route to the Provincial assembly at Toronto from certain wreck between Halifax and Moncton. The train was making nearly on time, but a washout occurred near the place accident, and a woman warned the general railway official, who held up the train. As a result, when Little Miss was reached, the train was seven hours late, a circumstance very inconvenient, but very small in view of the Provincial session of the year.

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The Boy Scouts. The Canadian Bioscope Company will shortly take their organization to Grand Pre, where the scene as depicted in Langgeline's Evangeline will be enacted. Bioscopine has all ready been produced in moving pictures, but not with the scenery in the actual place. This being applied to the actual time, the scenes should be especially attractive now. Minard's Liniment Cures Gout in Cows. Comfort Your Stomach. We pay for this treatment if it fails to promptly relieve indigestion and dyspepsia. Retail Dyspepsia Tablets readily stomach troubles because they contain the proper proportion of Bile and Mucosa and the necessary curatives that help nature to carry out its function. They do not irritate the gastric juices cause indigestion and dyspepsia. They do not convert food into acid and thereby make it necessary for overworking natural body waste. Carry a package of Retail Dyspepsia Tablets in your vest pocket or keep them in your room. Take one after every heavy meal and give your attention that they will keep indigestion from troubling you. We know what Retail Dyspepsia Tablets are and what they will do. We guarantee them to remove all acid, gas and indigestion, or to refund your money, if they fail to do so. Don't let it stand to reason that you would purchase this money back sure to fail, unless you know that they will satisfy you! These tablets cost 25 cents, 50 cents and \$1.00. You can buy Retail Dyspepsia Tablets in this community only at our store. AUGREY V. RAND, Wolfville, N.S.

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