

# THE ACADIAN.

WOLFVILLE, N. S., NOV. 25, 1910

The news that the price of beef and pork has taken a tumble in the big meat markets will be gladly welcomed by householders. Within the last week the price of beef has been reduced between four and five cents a pound by the meat packers. The price of pork has steadily most dealers say that mutton and veal and other products of the packing houses will take a downward turn within the next few days. The market men attribute the relief from the high prices to the enormous corn crop.

The sneak-thief is about the most beset specimen of humanity extant. To be a highwayman requires some courage, but the sneak-thief is always a coward. He creeps in the dark and under cover of the night robs his defenceless neighbor. Some of these gentry have recently made their presence felt in Wolfville, and petty depredations have been committed. Patches and cellars, gardens and orchards, hen-houses and clothes-lines are fair fields for their operations. Householders should take warning and guard their property by locks and bolts from these parasites on society.

## Street Improvement.

A special session of the Council was held on Monday evening to consider the matter of street improvement. There was a full meeting and a free discussion of the whole subject was had. The general opinion seemed to be that the most advisable method to follow was the purchase of suitable roadmaking machinery—including a steam roller and a stone-crusher—and the securing of a sufficient amount of suitable material to put our streets in good condition as soon as spring opens. With this end in view the clerk was instructed to call a public meeting of the citizens for Tuesday evening, Dec. 6th. It is to be hoped that our people generally will give this important matter the most careful consideration, and be present at the meeting to give their aid in the movement to provide good streets for Wolfville.

## Mother's Praise.

Mothers are always willing to shower their praises on a medicine that not only relieves their precious little ones from pain but removes the cause and keeps them well, bright, active and happy. Such a medicine is Baby's Own Tablets. No other medicine for little ones has received such praise from thousands of thankful mothers. These Tablets never fail to relieve the little ones from any of the many little ills that afflict them. Mrs. Thos. Hodgson, Riviere du Loup Station, Ontario, writes: "I always keep Baby's Own Tablets in the house, and have given them to my two little ones with the best results. I always recommend them to my friends as they are so reliable and easy to use." The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents each box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

## District S. S. Convention.

Meetings will be held in the Presbyterian church, in Wolfville, on the afternoon and evening of December 6th. Discussions of different phases of the work will be introduced by superintendents of departments and others. Echoes of the Washington and Truro conventions will be given. Dr. Brown will give an address on the new Department adopted by the Association. A cordial invitation is given to all. Interesting and profitable sessions are assured.

J. B. TINGLEY, Secty.

## The Youth's Companion for 1911.

The publishers of the Youth's Companion, will, as always at this season, present to every subscriber whose subscription (\$1.75) is paid for 1911 a beautiful Calendar for the new year. The picture panel reproduces a water-color painting of an old-time garden in a flood of summer sunshine, with a background of Lombardy poplars, through which one catches a glimpse of distant hills. The picture is in 12 colors, the tones of the original are faithfully reproduced.

A letter was received by the Wolfville post-office a few days ago from a former Wolfville boy, asking if any members of his family were still resident in this town. Many years ago Mr. Lewis Pick left here for the Western States and for the past twenty-five years no tidings have been received from him. It was thought by some of his relatives that he must have died, but others maintained that he was still living and would yet be heard from. The letter which recently came to hand containing the welcome news that he was alive and living in Salt Lake City was at once replied to by his sister, Miss Harriet Pick, and further details will no doubt soon be to hand from him. Mr. Martin Pick is a brother, and another brother resides in California.

## If You Take a Few Doses of FIG PILLS

All Backache and Distress from Catarrh of Kidneys or Bladder Trouble will vanish, and you will feel like Lane Back Painful Stitches, Rheumatism, Nervous Headache, Dizziness, Sleeplessness, Worn-out, Sick Feeling and other symptoms of Bladder, Inactive Kidneys and Liver disappear. Smoothing, Pleasant Urination and all. Reader, Trouble ends. FIG PILLS go at once, the disease cured, and complete a cure before you know it. At all drug stores, 50c a box, or five for one dollar.

## The Reviewer.

FIFTY YEARS OF PROGRESS.

In science, there has been the broadening and cleansing of man's outlook on the universe, the realization of his place in the scheme of things, and of the help which is expected from his conscious co-operation towards progress and enlightenment, these are perhaps the greatest of all the results of the past fifty years.

Fifty years ago the nature of disease was unknown, and fermentation and many other organic processes were treated as purely chemical instead of as mainly biological. Certainly it is not too much to say that the discoveries of the nature of disease in the act of revolutionizing medicine. It also throws light upon the activity of soil in agriculture, the purification of rivers, the treatment of sewerage and many other problems.

In surgery, the germ theory, as applied and enforced by Lister to the treatment and infliction of wounds, has enabled the surgeon to perform operations with safety, which before were quite impossible, and the after effects on the patient are not of all comparison less painful than in the days when suppuration was regarded as a normal and inevitable consequence.

Fifty years of science has nearly annihilated space. The friendships of great continents and peoples must be credited in part to the increased facilities for intercourse afforded by engineering science.

Telephones can hardly be said to be an unmixt blessing, but electric light is a pure gain.

In astronomy great things have been accomplished. The motion of stars in the line of sight, the photography of the heavens, the penetrating further and further into the depths of space by gigantic telescopes, the determination of the nature of nebulae, and the vast ideas of stellar evolution and of the infinite drama of the heavens which is being played before our eyes, all this, though heralded by the men of genius of earlier days, has now penetrated to, and is now influencing the thoughts of the man of the street to-day.

Electrical applications, the electric furnace, the extraction of nitrogen from the air for purposes of agriculture, the transmission of power, the utilization of water power by electrical means for locomotion, are all practically the outcome of this period. The discoveries of rays, of radio-activity, and of the probable electrical constitution of matter belong to recent history.

In chemistry, the greatest discovery has been that of the relationship among the atoms, whereby all the elements are exhibited as a group of families having probable relationship with each other. The prediction of new elements thus rendered possible before their experimental discovery was made, marks this as a great discovery. And the discovery of argon and the other inert constituents of the atmosphere has served to justify the forecast of such chemists as Julius Thomsen.

The recognition of hypnosis, also, and of telepathy, is not to be ignored. It is more difficult to speak of progress in religion without evincing some kind of prejudice or prepossession. What one person may regard as progress another person will interpret as retrogression. Thus, if one were to claim the Higher Criticism, last fifty years, as a contribution to the advance of the religious interests of mankind, he would have already begged the question as to what religion was and meant.

Perhaps the most incontestable step of advance has been the growth of a temper which shows itself reluctant to lay down in advance the line of thought which religious progress is to take. Idealists have been influential in a deepening conviction that the movement of the human spirit, in religion as in everything else, is free, which it would not be were it possible to lay down any line of advance as the line that must be taken. Great thinkers give the view that religion, in their view, being what it is precisely through its freedom from the fetters of scientific or dogmatic formulation.

This attitude of mind, for it is rather this than a cut-and-dried doctrine, is deeply characteristic of the Modernist Movement in the Catholic Church. If we judge the Modernist Movement by its temper, rather than by the somewhat complicated apologies for its connection with Rome, it would be probably true to say that no more genuinely Liberal movement has ever arisen within the Christian Church. But we speak of this latter as a temper rather than a specific opinion as belonging to the Modernists. No opinions can be Liberal which one man, or one set of men, is seeking to enforce upon others, or to lay down as the only opinions that can be rationally held.

Although the spirit of liberal secularism is undoubtedly less active than it was fifty years ago, less has been done than one would expect in breaking down the ecclesiastical divisions between Church and Church. On the other hand, it is doubtful whether, from a genuinely liberal point of view, such a breaking down of divisions is much to be desired. A true spirit should rather rejoice in the rich variety of difference which marks the proclamation of the Christian gospel.

A general fusion of the Churches is by no means the only form in which modern charity would express itself. Charity will be equally disposed to welcome the strengthening of individuality in each of the churches, and to

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## Personal Mention.

Contributions to this department (with the exception of those received from Mrs. T. R. Gae, of Halifax, in visiting at the home of her son, Mr. L. Gae, Wolfville, N.S.)

Miss Belle Bill, of Bellows Falls, Vermont, who has been visiting relatives here, left on Wednesday to return.

Mrs. George C. Johnson has closed her house here and gone to Windsor to spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. (Dr.) Keedy.

The teachers of Acadia Seminary will be at home on Tuesday, Dec. 6, from 4 to 6 o'clock and thereafter the first Tuesday in each month.

Dr. Everett Sawyer, the president of Okanagan College, Summerland, British Columbia, spent last Sunday at Toronto, Ont., the guest of Rev. Dr. E. M. and Mrs. Keirstead.

Mrs. Mary Cobb has returned from the White Mountains, where she spent the summer, and will be with her daughter, Mrs. Burpee Bishop, of Greenwick for the winter.

## SEALED TENDERS.

For the Collection of County and Poor Rates in the various Wards in the County of Kings, are requested for the year A.D. 1911:—

1. Tenders to be filed with I. Dev. Chipman, Clerk of the Municipality, at Kentville, until the first of January, A.D. 1911, noon.
2. All tenders to be marked "Tenders for the Collection of Rates," and to name the proposed two bondsmen.
3. Collectors must guarantee the amount of each rate roll, and the collection thereof, subject only to any losses the Council may see fit to adjust.
4. The Council do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.

## Notice!

Immediate payment is requested of all rates and taxes due the town of Wolfville.

After December 1st warrants will be issued for the collection of amounts still due without further notice.

A. E. COLDWELL,  
Town Clerk,  
Wolfville,  
Nov. 25th, 1910. 21

## Wanted.

A young lady as bookkeeper who has had experience.

Also one preferred with knowledge shorthand and typewriting, but latter not necessary.

W. H. CHASE & Co.,  
Wolfville, Nov. 25, '10. 21

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## For the Cough our WHITE PINE AND TAR SYRUP

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WOLFVILLE.

## NOTICE!

To the ratepayers of Ward 8, Kings County: All rates not settled before Dec. 1st will be left for collection.

J. D. MARTIN, Collector,  
Gasperau, Nov. 16, '10. 2 in.

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## C. W. DAWSON.

A public meeting of the ratepayers of the Town of Wolfville convened by the Town Council under the provisions of "The Towns' Incorporation Act," will be held at Temperance Hall in the Town of Wolfville, on

## PUBLIC NOTICE.

Tuesday, the Sixth day of December, A.D. 1910,

at eight o'clock in the evening, for the purpose of submitting to such meeting for approval the provisions of chapter 111 of the acts of 1910 relative to the borrowing of \$10,000 by the Town Council for street improvement and for obtaining from such meeting authority for the borrowing of such sum.

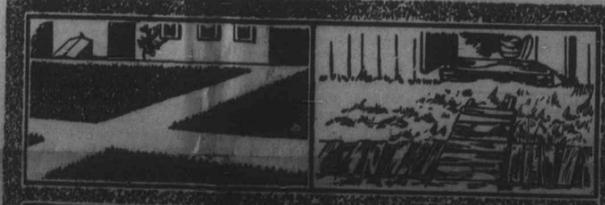
Only those persons can vote at such meeting whose names appear as assessed in respect to real or personal property or income on the assessment roll of the town which was used in preparation of the existing list of voters of the town and whose rates and taxes of all kinds for the previous year have been fully paid at least three days before such meeting.

Wolfville, the 25th day of November A.D. 1910. 21

By order,  
A. E. COLDWELL,  
Town Clerk.

## THE GRAHAM STUDIO

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In a stock so completely representative of all that is new and good in Dress, Coat and Costume Materials for Winter, it is possible to single out for special mention only the merest few of the many good values. You'll find here ample selections of the newest weaves and colorings the season knows.

<b>Broadcloths</b> The most favored dress fabric is an all wool material, soft in finish and attractive for house and street wear, in black and colors, 48 to 50 inches wide at \$1.35 per yd.	<b>Serges</b> Fine all wool English and French Serges in smooth or rough finish, guaranteed spot proof, the popular material this season from 45c. to \$1.50 per yard.
<b>English Tweeds</b> In leather mixtures, stripes and fancy weaves, good heavy weights suitable for skirts and children's dresses, 40 to 42 inches wide from 25c. to 50c. per yard.	<b>Special value in Tartan and Fancy Plaids, all the new colorings, from 35c. to 75c. per yard.</b>

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<b>English Peou de soil</b> 300 yds. more of this popular silk in all of the best shades at 49c. per yard.	<b>Blanket Cloths</b> Extra heavy for children's coats, colors navy, cardinal and plaid, 56 inches, for \$1.35 per yard.
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Sec'y-Mgr.,  
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