

THE ACADIAN.

WOLFVILLE, N. S., JAN. 22, 1897.

Editorial Chat.

No part of our town business needs reconstruction so much as that which relates to the water service.

The tariff commission in their pilgrimage through the Dominion have this week visited Halifax.

The county rulers have decided that as usual 500 copies of a pamphlet of proceedings be printed for distribution.

During the series of Hunter and Crossley evangelical meetings, which closed recently at Lunenburg, no less than 786 persons, of whom 400 were men, professed conversion.

Municipal Council.

The regular January meeting of the County Council was held at the Court House in Kentville on Tuesday and Wednesday of last week.

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WHITSON & FRASER'S College—the largest, oldest, and best Commercial College in Nova Scotia—has a staff of seven skilled instructors.

N. S. Fruit Growers' Association.

The first session of the 33d annual meeting of the N. S. F. G. A., was held in College Hall, on Wednesday evening.

The following is the programme for to-day's meetings:

At 10 a. m., business meeting of the Association, secretary's report, treasurer's report, election of officers, report of Council Board Hort. School, general discussion.

The Civic Elections.

Following is a copy of the requisitions presented to Messrs. W. H. Chase, E. W. Sawyer and Dr. Bowles, asking them to become candidates at the coming civic elections:

We, the undersigned Electors of the Town of Wolfville, hereby request that you will allow yourself to be nominated as a Candidate, for the office of Town-Councillor, at the next Town Election.

Should you accede to this request we pledge you our hearty support in the event of a contest.

- C. R. Burgess, E. L. Collins, D. A. Munro, E. Lawrence, Geo. V. Rand, Geo. Thomson, C. R. Hill, C. R. H. Starr, I. W. Sleep, F. R. Haley, D. E. Munro, G. E. Torrie, E. B. Shaw, G. W. Munro, E. P. White, D. Thompson, C. H. Borden, E. A. Brown, H. B. Gilmore, A. V. Rand, G. H. Wallace, J. W. Wallace, F. O. Godfrey, Joseph Christie, F. W. Godfrey, A. Martell, F. P. Bockwell, J. W. Vaughn, J. L. Murphy, C. W. Strong, Jas. Wallace, E. J. Woodman, T. Trotter, E. H. Blagden, Mrs. Harvill Johnson, E. C. Randall, S. P. Benjamin, Alfred B. Sattis, Geo. C. Johnson, J. E. Forsyth, J. L. Bishop, D. F. Higgins, G. M. Knowles, J. B. Tingley, H. Bishop, O. D. Harris, W. J. Balcom, E. M. Kelstead, J. W. Beckwith, J. F. Tufts, Geo. A. Prat, A. deW. Bess, E. W. Eagles, M. Z. Fitch, F. W. Woodman, M. W. Pick, J. E. Eaglar, C. M. Vaughn, H. W. Starr, J. W. Caldwell, O. E. Starr, J. E. Wortman, John H. Taber, J. E. Wortman, J. E. Wortman, Wm. Regan, Noble Crandall, J. M. Shaw, B. O. Davison, E. E. Faville, W. H. Duncanson, T. L. Harvey, J. Z. Chipman, W. S. Wallace, Johnson H. Bishop, Geo. W. Borden, A. J. McKenna, A. W. Johnson, F. D. Christie, J. F. Herbin, F. M. Macdonald, F. M. Logan, J. E. Macdonald, J. E. Forsyth, J. E. Macdonald, James O'Brien, Bryan Murphy, John Calder, F. M. Angus, W. J. Higgins, G. W. Abbott, H. Taylor, E. V. Jones, Chas. H. Borden, C. P. Caldwell, Aubrey Brown.

Distribution of Samples from the Central Experimental Farm at Ottawa.

During the past three years, samples of those varieties of grain which have succeeded best on the Experimental Farms have been distributed on application in 3-lb. bags to farmers in all parts of the Dominion, free through the mail.

Instructions have been given by the Hon. Minister of Agriculture to make a similar distribution this season.

The distribution now in progress consists of some of the most promising sorts of Oats, Barley, Spring Wheat, Peas, Field Corn and Potatoes.

WM. SAUNDERS, Director, Experimental Farms, Ottawa, Jan. 5th, 1897.

WHITSON & FRASER'S College—the largest, oldest, and best Commercial College in Nova Scotia—has a staff of seven skilled instructors.

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The D. A. B. Co., have declared a dividend of 5 per cent. on the preference stock for the twelve months ending September 30th, 1896.

SILVER

Tea Sets, Cake Baskets, Bake Dishes, Syrup Pitchers, Crumb Trays, Fern Pots, Bon Bon Shell, and many other articles.

Sterling Silver Knives, Spoons, and Novelties. J. F. Herbin, Wolfville, Optician and Jeweler.

Reminiscences of the Old Pleasant Valley Meeting House.

IN FOUR PARTS—PART III.

REV. WM. CHIPMAN, THE VALLEY PRAECHEUR.

The pastor with his shaven face, Who preached the truths of sovereign grace, Whose raven locks of silken hair, Were always dressed with strictest care;

With faith he fled the burning moor, He shored the sands that others felt; And drank Silos's living fount, And then inspired to preach and tell,

Beside the sick he often knelt, He shared the pangs that others felt; And by the anxious bed of death, Where lingered yet the fleeting breath;

While from his early, studious youth, His soul was filled with gospel truth; He had a wealth of useful lore, For times of need, rich held in store,

With all the zeal of his command, He entered long with heart and hand, To place within the reach of all, The district school and college hall;

At age of four score years and eight, He entered in the golden gate, No more on earth, a saint above, He wears the robes of light and love,

Notes.—In his early days Mr Chipman was a very prosperous merchant, he lived for some years in the house afterward occupied by his son, the late Senator Henry Chipman.

The Lounger Magazine for January has reached our table. The publishers appear to be determined to make each issue surpass the previous one.

Mr Harold Hatt, of Horton Academy, spent Sunday last with his brother, Rev. D. E. Hatt.

Miss Eva McKay, of Annapolis, who was visiting her aunt, Mrs McCulloch returned home last week.

Mr Arthur Allison, of Windsor, was the guest of his brother, Mr Edward Allison, a few days last week.

Mr James Robinson, of Boston, is visiting some old acquaintances here.

Beginning Jan. 5th, '97, we will send a man through the town to gather Laundry. Customers will kindly have their bundles ready when called.

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Good Dress Goods and Right Prices. Importing all our Dress Goods from England we find that we can sell at a much lower price than firms buying from Canadian wholesale houses.

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Robln. I will quote a few lines, as related to me several years ago:— "Who killed Tom Rum? I says Ned Manning, With my good planning, I killed Tom Rum."

I will not prolong these notes, but at no distant date will furnish an article written by the late Dr. S. T. Rand, as a supplement, that has all the interest of a romance.

Literary Notes. The many friends of Theodore H. Rand, D. C. L., throughout the Maritime Provinces, as well as those who have admired his contributions to the press and the magazines from time to time, will be glad to learn that a collection of his poems under the title "At Minas Basin and Other Poems" is being brought out by the Toronto publisher, William Briggs, and will soon be placed on the market.

As a poet, Dr. Rand is particularly happy in his sonnets. These reveal a keen appreciation of nature in her varied moods, an admirable interpretation of their moral and spiritual teachings, and are marked by fine poetical diction and musical rhythm.

The book should therefore be highly prized as a souvenir by the friends of the poet, in increasing numbers, come each summer to visit the romance-haunted shores of the Basin of Minas.

Appt to the time, the February number of McClure's Magazine will continue the series of "Life Portraits of Great Americans" with thirty life portraits of Washington: about all the original portraits of Washington now in existence, and several of them practically unknown.

Nothing could be more appropriate than one of those Rattan or Cobbler Seat Rockers, Music Cabinets, Secretary or Work Basket, Haseis, Etc.

Don't forget a Small Chair for the Children. A. J. WOODMAN. Wolfville, December 4th, 1896.

Vaughn's Bakery. Having secured the services of a first-class baker I feel more than ever confident in soliciting the patronage of the people of Wolfville and vicinity.

Miss Seabourne, Teacher on Piano & Organ. WOLFVILLE, N. S. DENTISTRY. The subscriber will be at his office in Wolfville every Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Next Week A Special Sale in Trimmed Hats and Bonnets! FROM \$1.50 UP! GREAT BARGAINS! S. E. WELTON. Opposite the American House.

CHRISTMAS NOVELTIES! We are showing a nice range of above at prices which cannot fail to meet the approval of all.

OUR PRICES ON Ladies' Initial Silk Hdkfs. 27c.; Gentlemen's Initial do, 49c.; Boxes Soap, 5 pieces 16c.; Children's 3-piece Silver Set, Cup, Napkin Ring and Spoon, 75c.; Napkin Ring, silver-plated, 15c. each; also, Dolls, Books, fancy Caps and Banners, Bisque Figures, etc.

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Express from Kentville..... 5 35, a m Express "Halifax"..... 9 10, a m Express "Yarmouth"..... 9 09, p m Express "Halifax"..... 5 55, p m Accom. "Richmond"..... 11 30, a m Accom. "Annapolis"..... 11 25, a m

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Cash Store! I take this opportunity of thanking the inhabitants of Wolfville and vicinity for their patronage during the past two years, at the same time saying that from this date on, my business will be run on strictly cash principles, thus enabling my customers to obtain their Groceries 10 to 15 per cent. cheaper than they can be bought anywhere else in the County.

C. W. STRONG. Wolfville, Dec. 3d, 1896. Houses to Let! To let, furnished or unfurnished "Rose Cottage," lately occupied by Mr F. P. Rockwell—3 rooms, town water, etc., etc.

DR. BARSS. Wolfville, Oct. 1st, '96. NOTICE. ALL PERSONS having legal demands against the estate of James F. Armstrong, late of Wolfville, in the County of Kings, deceased, are requested to render the same duly attested, within one year from the date hereof, and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to M. A. ARMSTRONG, ADMINISTRATOR.

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Farm for Sale. The very desirable property in Lower Wolfville on which I now reside, consisting of good dwelling and out-buildings and about nine acres of land, all thoroughly cultivated, and produced this season 250 barrels of apples, besides plums, pears, cherries, grapes, etc.

John E. Palmeter. Wolfville, Nov. 20, 1896.