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THE BOARD OF TRADE

The date of the annual meeting of the Wolfville Board of Trade, which comes next week, reminds us that this is a community institution which we cannot afford to neglect. For years back the Board of Trade has not had the support of our business men as it deserves, and the business interests of the town have suffered in consequence. Organized in 1898, in the early days of its history much good was accomplished through its ministry. All that is needed to make the Board the power for community progress that it might become is the earnest co-operation of business men and citizens. We trust that nothing will be allowed to interfere with a full attendance at the meeting next week, and that citizens will come together with the determination that every day and in every way the Wolfville Board of Trade will be made better and better. Such a result can be obtained only through a united effort. Wolfville ought to make big strides during the year 1923 and one of the most effective helps will be found in a wide-awake and well supported Board of Trade. Get behind it.

TOWN MANAGER NEEDED

Considerable criticism has both been made within the Council and among citizens because of the fact that so much of the town's work has been done during the past year without being put to tender. It is claimed that considerable public money might have been saved if the latter method had been followed, and that it is poor management to have work done under the prevailing conditions. THE ACADIAN believes that, other things being equal, residents of the town who pay their share of the taxes should always be given the preference when anything is needed for town use, but such a procedure ought to give no license for excessive charging or negligence in the completion of work in a business-like manner. The appointment of a competent town manager would, we believe, correct many of the evils which are found under the "no management" system and effect a considerable saving to citizens in the way of taxes. At any rate the idea is well worthy of careful consideration on the part of the ratepayers who ought to have a vital interest in the town's welfare.

THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

The editor of the Annapolis Royal Spectator, which journal we have been inclined to regard as generally sound in its conclusions, has recently expressed himself as favorable to the continuance of that usually considered obsolete body, the Legislative Council. The Spectator has a theory of how appointments to the Council should in future be made and maintained that is probably much in advance of present methods, but why this "fifth wheel" should be longer allowed to exist seems to us to be past finding out. In view of the fact that there is a vacancy in the venerable institution at present from this county, and of the present need of practical economy in the matter of our governmental expenditure, it is most timely that some consideration be given the proposals to do away with an expensive legislative body that has long ago outlived its usefulness.

SMOKING AT HOCKEY GAMES

At a recent hockey game at Halifax the rink management gave notice that no smoking would be allowed during the game. The suggestion is a good one and should have the approval of all true sportsmen. Besides being decidedly unpleasant for many of the spectators, who are sometimes hardly able to see the players, the dense smoke-cloud that is often in evidence at these contests must be very trying to the players and prevent them from doing their best. Such a game as was witnessed at the rink last Friday evening makes heavy demands upon the physical powers of those engaged and in the interests of good sport nothing should be allowed that would in any sense impair the efficiency of the players.

BETTER BUSINESS PREDICTED FOR 1923

In various directions the indications favor a strong upbuilding of general trade and generally better business during 1923, says The Financial Age. This prediction is supported by the forecasts made by some of the best economic experts, and, while no one can predict with thorough accuracy as to what will develop during the coming six months, the consensus of opinion is that the showing will be satisfactory with largely increased industrial and business activity.

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BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

JANUARY 26
SAFE STEPS—The steps of a good man are ordered by the Lord; and he delighteth in his way.—Psalm 37:23.

JANUARY 27
REFUGE, STRENGTH, HELP—God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble.—Psalm 46:1.

JANUARY 28
ALMIGHTY PROTECTION—He that dwelleth in the secret place of the Most High shall abide under the shadow of the Almighty.—Psalm 91:1.

JANUARY 29
THE SOURCE OF HELP—My help cometh from the Lord, which made heaven and earth.—Psalm 124:2.

JANUARY 30
SAFE FROM ALL EVIL—The Lord shall preserve thee from all evil; he shall preserve thy soul.—Psalm 121:7.

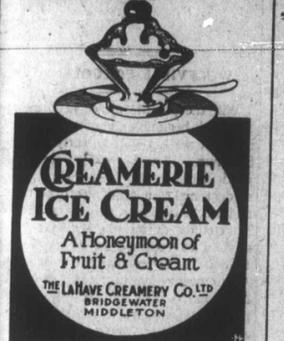
JANUARY 31
PERFECT PEACE—Thou wilt keep him in perfect peace, whose mind is stayed on thee: because he trusteth in thee.—Isaiah 26:3.

FEBRUARY 1
JESUS' INSTRUCTIONS—Provide neither gold, nor silver, nor brass in your purse; nor scrip for your journey, neither two coats, neither shoes, nor yet staves: for the workman is worthy of his meat.—Matthew 10:9,10.

A NATIONAL INSTITUTION
A journal that for over fifty years has grown in public esteem until it has acquired the largest number of readers of any journal in the country in which it is published may without exaggeration be said to have grown into a national institution.

By the testimony of its readers, by the testimony of the press of Canada, by the testimony of vast numbers of the thinking population and by the admission of capable journalists and other onlookers in other countries, The Family Herald of Montreal, based on its enormous army of readers, on its independence and on its devotion to the welfare of the country, has come to be regarded as one of the National assets of the Dominion.
For the year 1923 the publishers of The Family Herald and Weekly Star promise their readers better value than ever in the past, with more valued contributors and more resources in all departments. The plans involve heavy outlay for new features, but the subscription price will remain at \$2.00 per year, the extra expenditure being undertaken in absolute faith, upheld by the confidence and practical co-operation of more than half a million readers.
The New Year has opened with a rush of subscriptions that has smashed all previous records. Judging by the stacks of subscription orders that at times have threatened to choke the great Montreal Post Office, it would appear that half of Canada had selected The Family Herald and Weekly Star as the best all round journal for 1923.

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"I Recall My Experiences with the Burglar with Feelings of Horror!"

"How would you feel if you awakened in the middle of the night with a flashlight shining in your eyes and the gruff voice of a man threatening that, 'If you make the slightest noise, I'll shoot?' That was my experience at the end of last March when my husband and I were alone with my three children. Everytime I think of this experience a shudder passes over me and as long as I live I shall remember it. At the time I really thought I would die. It's a wonder my heart did not stop beating. I was so weak that even if I had any desire to move, I could not. I was bathed in a cold, clammy perspiration. Even to recall the shocking details now makes me shudder. It was a result of this shock that I contracted a high fever and for hours at a time I was delirious. I got so bad that the doctor finally gave up hope of my ever recovering, but by careful nursing, I was finally pronounced out of danger. The shock had left me so weak, that, for no reason whatever, I would suddenly burst into tears. All the life seemed to have been taken out of me. I kept getting weaker and weaker, so much so that my husband and children were constantly worrying about me. Doctors prescribed for me and while I willingly tried their medicines, only very few of them did me any good. It was unfortunately the good was not long in coming. My family asked me if I would try Carnol and I said, 'I was willing to try anything,' but felt that it would not do me any good. Four bottles of Carnol taken regularly, has completely restored my former health and strength and, while I occasionally recall my experience with the burglar with feelings of horror, I am otherwise as well and strong as I have ever been. Carnol is the most wonderful preparation I have ever used for building and restoring health and strength. It has done wonders for several of my friends to whom I have recommended it." Mrs. McC. O.L.

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