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## WOLFVILLE AND ACADIA

Articles that have appeared of late in the daily press relative to the proposed amalgamation of Eastern Colleges have caused some of the more timid of our citizens to imagine the possibility of Wolfville disappearing from the map as the immediate result of the removal of Acadia College from this town. Naturally the interests of Wolfville and its College are very closely related and the carrying out of the proposal made by "American" magnates would without doubt be disastrous to both. We cannot believe that the spirit of the Baptist denomination, which has sacrificed so much for the establishment and maintenance of such an institution as Acadia has been during all these years would regard with any seriousness the proposition which it now faces. The whole scheme appears to us as most unwise, and it would indeed be too bad to have the educational policy of our country dominated by foreign capitalists. So far as Acadia is concerned any such action as is proposed would be a direct violation of all for which it stands.

But important as the college is in relation to the character and prosperity of the town, Wolfville is far more than the site of Acadia University. Its location in the heart of one of the finest agricultural and horticultural districts in the world and its advantages as a centre for industrial activity makes the future of Wolfville beyond question. Possibly our people have been too long content to "put all their eggs in one basket" and have been remiss in not properly making use of the advantages with which nature has endowed us. In view of the possibility of our sustaining such a loss as is certainly well within the range of possibilities—and in any case—it is time that our citizens should seriously consider the importance of encouraging the establishment of industrial concerns within our borders. With our excellent shipping facilities and our proximity to the coal field of Cumberland and the hydro-electric plant at Gaspereau, Wolfville is especially adapted to certain lines of industry. It may be that opportunity is now knocking at our door and that the psychological moment has arrived in our history for the extension of our activities along lines too long neglected.

One spring clean-up was not sufficient to put Main street in the condition in which citizens would like to see it put—and kept. During the past few weeks the street has been in a decidedly untidy condition and the attention of the streets committee and its arctic young chairman is directed to it.

Time was when Wolfville was justly proud of its ornamental trees. Perhaps we had too many of them and that the thinning out was necessary. During recent

years, however, these beautiful trees have been cruelly mutilated by the construction of telephone and electric lines and today most of the old giants have become sadly disfigured. A campaign for the protection and care of our trees is in order.

Citizens are naturally inquiring what is to be done this year in the matter of real sidewalks in Wolfville. This work—then long overdue—was deferred by the last Council notwithstanding that citizens were crying out for its performance and were willing to pay the cost. Where is the progressive wing of this year's Council?

The dump at "the bridge" presents an unusually disreputable appearance this spring. This spot is a most convenient one for house-holders who have refuse matter to dispose of at this season of the year—and who has not? Fill up the creek by all means but let it be done decently and in order. A little attention at the hands of the town workmen would work wonders.

The suggestion made on Tuesday evening at the Board of Trade luncheon that seats be placed in a number of resorts in this vicinity for the use of tourists is a good one. It was made by THE ACADIAN a year ago but never acted upon. Would it not be worth while for some of our hotel men or others more directly interested in the development of tourist travel to take the lead in having this work looked after. It ought to have had attention long ago.

## BOYS' WORK NOTES

Friday evening will be devoted to a preliminary rehearsal of the entertainment. All Scouts are asked to be on hand at 7 o'clock sharp. A full dress rehearsal will be held at the Opera House at 2 o'clock on Saturday afternoon. The public are asked to patronize this years "show" in the same generous manner as heretofore. 600 tickets (programs) have been printed and it is hoped to sell all of them before Monday evening. The largest number of badges ever gained by the Wolfville boys in one year will be presented at this time by Mr. W. O. Eaman, Asst. Provincial Commissioner. Four boys will be awarded the Kings' Scout Badge and two will be given the Gold All-round Cord, the highest honor obtainable.

Those who saw the Indian play, Pocahontas, when presented here ten years ago agreed that it was the "best ever" and this year it is hoped to go one better.

Thus it is assured to those who patronize the Scout Entertainment that they will not only have a pleasant and instructive evening but that they will be helping along a good work. In conclusion it should be mentioned that the work of Badge Demonstration is directly in charge of College men who are some of those who have given so freely of their time during the past winter and is a great object lesson on the value of the College to the young life of the Town.

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## PROVINCIAL LEGISLATURE

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out of revenue. If the member for Yarmouth went on, tuberculosis could be eradicated in this Province, no expenditure would be too great; and to say that tuberculosis could be stamped out for the sums mentioned, was to make, he felt, a "most arresting statement".

If such a table was in the hands of the Government, Mr. Corning declared, it should be made public at once. To him, this was a question of very great, very serious importance. The question of money should not be permitted to stand in the way. And if it was a question of money solely, then, he could point out to the Government where sufficient could be saved out of the estimates of this session to provide for interest and sinking fund on the capital required, and to supply the necessary annual sums from revenue.

That the Province's share of such annual expenditure would not be \$200,000, but about \$60,000 was a further assurance from the member for Yarmouth; and he proceeded to direct attention to the features of the estimates on which the required money could be saved. Among these he mentioned the Legislative Council expenses—a \$35,000 saving at once if the Council were abolished—public printing expenses and the department of immigration expenses. If the Government would go through the estimates for this year, Mr. Corning added, they would find many items of intended expenditure not at all necessary, when it was considered that the sums mentioned in Dr. Hattie's table could be spent to such remarkable purpose. He again pressed for the publication of the table; and drew from the Premier the statement that the information would be given if it could be given.

The statement that, with the necessary money outlay, the dread disease of tuberculosis could be eradicated in this Province has been freely discussed in Halifax during the past few days. And it does seem to one that, as Mr. Corning says, this is not a matter in which the question of mere money should be allowed to halt such a great work. Indeed, the more one considers the possibility, the more urgent and demanding seems the necessity for action before the House prorogues.

## SAD DEATH AT PORT WILLIAMS

The death at Port Williams, on Tuesday night, April 11th, of Lois Jean, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Reagh Fraser, was particularly sad, it being only a few months since these parents lost a little son by a shocking fatal accident. Baby Jean was only three and a half months of age, and a dear, winsome little one.

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## SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

Mrs. Hugh Calkin entertained at tea on Saturday the basket ball teams of the university. This courtesy was much appreciated and a very happy afternoon was spent by the young athletes.

Mrs. Roy Evans was "at home" for the first time since her marriage, on Tuesday afternoon, at the residence of Mrs. N. Evans. The rooms were beautifully decorated for the occasion with cut flowers and potted plants. Mrs. N. Evans assisted Mrs. Roy Evans in receiving her guests who were many. Mrs. Cowie poured tea and Mrs. Flick, Mrs. Wm. Grant, Mrs. H. E. Sleep, Mrs. O. H. Foshay, Miss Dixon and Miss Evans assisted in serving.

The Ladies Bridge Club was entertained on Tuesday evening by Mrs. T. S. Sanford.

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