

THE ACADIAN.

WOLFVILLE, N. S., SEP. 20, 1889.

Dry Weather.

The rain of Thursday morning was the first we have had for nearly four weeks, and though not of any great extent was greatly welcomed.

The Value of Irrigation.

The value of irrigation has received an unusual endorsement the past season, and the lesson taught by the experience gained may well be heeded.

The Exhibition.

The time of opening the exhibition is rapidly drawing near, and from present indications we are inclined to predict a successful show.

The Crops.

As the farming season draws to a close and the husbandman gathers in the various crops of hay, grain, fruit and vegetables, the operations of the year prove to be abundantly successful.

Vacation Jottings.

THE LONDONDERRY IRON WORKS—A VISIT AT THE BLAST FURNACE—AN INDUSTRY OF WHICH NOVA SCOTIA SHOULD FEEL PROUD.

Some time near the beginning of my vacation notes I promised our readers an account of the iron works at Acadia Mines. I hardly feel as though justice can be done them for, but in order to make good my promise, I will attempt it.

Since having taken my trip underground, I can now say that I have been through all the various departments of the iron works located at Londonderry. I have learned much of this great industry and there is much I would yet like to learn.

Through the kindness of Mr T. H. Guest, whom I have before mentioned, I was shown through the blast furnace, rolling mill, machine shop and foundry.

THE BLAST FURNACE. The blast furnace, now in operation, was rebuilt last year on a more modern plan than that of the old one, under the careful supervision of Mr C. P. Perin.

Mr Perin stands very high as a blast furnace man and has introduced several new ideas, which are of immense value to the company, prominent among which is the present method of removing the slag or dross.

My visit at the furnace was in the evening. The molten iron as it runs from the furnace is a very pretty sight. It makes the casting shed very hot, at the same time making the building as light as day, the reflection of which can be seen for miles around.

On another occasion when I was at the furnace I went up to the top by means of the elevator. A splendid view is here obtained of the town. Here the ore, which a few days before I saw away down in the bowels of the earth, was being dumped into the furnace with coke and limestone.

Merry Wedding Feils. The marriage of Miss Mary Mathieu Elizabeth How, youngest daughter of the late Dr. How, of King's college, to John Donaldson, of Port Williams, was celebrated at Christ church, Windsor, on Thursday morning, Sept. 12th, at nine o'clock.

The Halifax dry dock, has been completed and was formally opened yesterday. The dock, the building of which has been agitated for half a century, is the largest and best in America and probably in the world.

TAKE NOTICE.—If your razor is dull, take it to J. M. Shaw's Barber Shop, and he will put it in first-class order for the small sum of 15c. 10

Historic Grand Pre.

THE HOME OF EVANGELINE—THE SITE OF THE OLD FRENCH CHAPEL AND THE FORGE OF BASIL, THE BLACKSMITH—FRENCH RELICS.

Probably there is no other spot in the Lower Provinces, or even in British North America, that has attained such a world-wide popularity as has Grand Pre. Since the publication of Longfellow's "Evangeline," this locality has been steadily growing in interest and popularity with the travelling public.

THE HOME OF EVANGELINE, the forge of Basil the blacksmith, and the old French chapel in which the residents of Grand Pre were assembled on that eventful morning previous to their embarkation to leave the country. Neither history nor tradition gives us any reliable information as to the whereabouts of the old French village or where stood the forge or chapel.

REMAINS OF OLD CELLARS and building sites abound. It is in this neighborhood that the largest number of old French apple and willow trees are to be found, and every indication points to this spot as a centre of the French settlement.

WELL WATER.—The common well is the most undesirable source of all. If it is deep enough to strike a living spring of water, and removed from all sources of contamination, it may be unobjectionable, but these conditions are rarely met with in the country, and we may say never in large towns or cities.

A NASAL INJECTOR free with each bottle of Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy. Price 50 cents. Sold by George V. Rand.

SHERRIFF CURRY, of Hants county, died at his home in Windsor on Sunday last, aged 57 years.

MINARD'S LINIMENT Cures Burns, etc.

HARD COAL! To arrive at Wolfville about Oct. 10th cargo Laekawana Hard Coal per schr. "Moselle."

J. W. & W. Y. FULLERTON, Wolfville, Sept. 12th.

TWO Ev'g's Amusement —IN— MARGESON'S HALL, KENTVILLE, —ON— Tues and Wed Evgs, 24 & 25 Sep. Under auspices of St James' Church.

On Tuesday—Mr and Mrs J. Maurice Barnett, assisted by the leading talent in the county, will give one of their

Grand Concerts. On Wednesday—Miss Peabody, of Eastport, Maine, will give a selection of her admirably chosen Readings. These will be interspersed with Choruses, Songs, and Instrumental Music.

Doors open at 7:15; Commence at 8. Admission 25c., Reserved Seats 50c.

Tickets may be obtained from C. F. Cochrane, R. W. Eaton, Kentville; Rupert Prat, Walter Brown, Wolfville; and at the door on evenings of entertainment.

See Large Bills and Posters.)

Press Notices. Miss Peabody is one of the most talented and accomplished readers in Maine, and her readings are always a delight.—London Gazette.

Miss Annie Peabody appeared at her best, and she received hearty applause at the close of every selection, and more than once held her audience spell-bound by her clear and superior elocutionary descriptions.—Halifax Standard.

A more delightful reader than Miss Peabody, one very rarely has the opportunity of hearing.—Brunswick Telegraph.

Miss Peabody is one of the most charming readers who has ever visited this city. She possesses rare genius for her chosen work, reads with perfect naturalness, and shows dramatic talent of the highest order.—Brookton Enterprise.

BUILDING LOTS! A number of very desirable building lots for sale, situated near the Presbyterian church. Apply to MRS EDWIN JOHNSON, Wolfville, Sept. 6th, '89, 4f.

29 DAYS 29

I will sell balance of my Spring Stock at cost for cash down, by the yard or made up. Now is your chance for bargains. This sale to continue only 29 DAYS. No trouble to show goods.

Yours very truly, WALLACE, THE TAILOR. Wolfville, June 2d, 1889.

The apple tree was afterwards known as the grave tree. They were both cut down by James Leard, Esq., the present owner of the land, many years ago, but he is able yet to point out the spot with certainty to those who desire to see it.

Directly at the last of this, over the road fence about six or eight rods, lie in one grave the mortal remains of Col. Noble and his two lieutenants. This spot was also marked by two trees. In this case both were apple, one at the east and one at the west. They have both long since disappeared. It is supposed that

THE OLD FORT STOOD near this spot, but where no one can tell. The whole history of the place previous to the occupancy of the English is shrouded in mystery and must of necessity remain so.

It is interesting, however, to visit these localities which are so wrapped in historic associations, and any facts concerning their history which may be known by the present inhabitants of the place should be obtained and recorded before they are lost.

ARRANGEMENTS with W. & A. R. for conveyance of animals and articles to and from Exhibition at one fare.

Return tickets for one class fare will be issued on Monday, Sept. 23d, to all exhibitors and on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday to the general public, good to return up to and including Saturday, the 28th.

Return tickets will be issued at all stations on the W. & A. R. and Western Counties Railways, and by steamers from St John, N. B., and Parrsboro, N. S.

C. F. ROCKWELL, SECRETARY.

JUST OPENED

--AT--

Burpee Witter's!

2. CASES ORSETS! 2.

Embracing the following Special Lines:

DR. WARNER'S, CORALINE, FEATHERBONE, JOSEPHINE, FRENCH D. & A., BALL'S, OLIVET, ABDOMINAL.

Prices from 40c to \$2.25. Sizes from 18 to 36.

Store closed Thursday evenings at 6 o'clock. Wolfville, August 15th, 1889.

WOLFVILLE WATER WORKS. NOTICE! The Commissioners of Wolfville Water Supply will receive sealed tenders up to Wednesday, September 25th, 1889, at noon, for the work of making Excavations, also for Caulking and Covering Water Pipes from Duncan's Brook, Gaspeau, to Reservoir; thence to the town of Wolfville, in accordance with plans and specifications which may be seen at the secretary's office.

The commissioners do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender. A. DEW. BARSS, Secretary of Gaspeau, Wolfville, Sept. 16, 1889.

GRASS! A fine lot of grass on the Gilmore Dike for sale. For particulars and terms of sale apply to either of the undersigned.

H. B. WEBSTER, Kentville. J. W. WALLACE, Wolfville. JAMES LEARD, Grand Pre. Wolfville, Sept. 12, 1889.

Farm for Sale. The subscriber offers his Farm, situated about 2 of a mile south of Wolfville, for sale. It contains between 30 and 40 acres of upland more than half of which is under a good state of cultivation, the remainder is pasture. There are 100 apple trees on the farm, all first-class varieties and nearly all in bearing.

There is a comfortable House, good Out-buildings and Barn upon the premises; also two good wells of never-failing water. The above property is pleasantly situated with a good view of Blomidon and Minas Basin. It is within twenty minutes' walk of Acadia College and Seminary, Public Schools and Churches of Wolfville; and within twenty minutes' drive of Gaspeau Grist and Saw Mills. The farm is very level and easily worked. For terms apply to the subscriber or the premises.

Marshall G. Coldwell, Wolfville, Aug. 17th '89. 3 mo

Building Lots! For sale, near the College. Apply to Walter Brown, Wolfville, June 3d, 1889. 4f

Our Store:-

In connection with all others in Wolfville, will be closed every THURSDAY EVENING, at 6 o'clock, beginning August 1st.

WALTER BROWN, Wolfville, July 24th, 1889.

KENDRICK'S MIXTURE! NATURE'S Remedy for all SUMMER COMPLAINTS. For Children and Adults. Use it promptly. Purely Vegetable. Agreeable to take. Safe and effectual. The best known Remedy for CHOLERA, MORBUS, CRAMPS and PAINS IN THE BOWELS. Price 25 Cents.

EXHIBITION, King's, Hants and Annapolis, AT KENTVILLE, Sept. 24th, 25th and 26th, 1889.

\$2500. Premiums! \$2500. HORSES, CATTLE, FRUIT, FARM PRODUCE, NURSERY STOCK, MANUFACTURES, PAINTING, FANCY WORK, ETC.

BRASS BANDS WILL BE IN ATTENDANCE. Hon. A. W. McLellan, Lieut.-Governor of Nova Scotia, Hon. W. S. Fielding, Provincial Secretary of Nova Scotia, and Dr McKay, M. P., are expected to take part in the opening ceremonies.

King's County Fair will be held on Thursday, the 26th day of September, in connection with exhibition, when all animals and articles entered for the Fair will be sold.

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STEAMER "ACADIA," Will leave Windsor every Wednesday to connect with "HIAWATHA" at Parrsboro for Windsor on Wednesday 18th, 5:30 p.m.; Thursday 19th, 1:00 p.m.; Parrsboro for Windsor, calling at Hantsport and Kingsport—Friday 20th, 6:00 a.m.; Friday 13th, 10:40 a.m.; Parrsboro for Windsor, calling at Hantsport—Friday 13th, 10:40 a.m.; Parrsboro for Windsor, calling at Hantsport—Friday 13th, 10:40 a.m.; Parrsboro for Windsor, calling at Hantsport—Friday 13th, 10:40 a.m.

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Will call at Spencer's Island going and coming from St John, weather permit. Through freight taken from St John for Parrsboro, Kingsport, Wolfville, Summersville, Hantsport, Avonville, and Windsor.

FARES.—Windsor, Hantsport, Kingsport, Mattitani and Parrsboro to St John, \$2.75. Return, \$4.50. Children under 12 years, half price.

Three hours added to time of leaving Hantsport or Mattitani will give time for leaving Parrsboro for St John. Boats run on Halifax time.

E. CHURCHILL & SONS, Hantsport, September 1, 1889.

OUR STORE! In connection with all others in Wolfville, WILL BE CLOSED every Thursday evening at 6 o'clock, Beginning Aug. 1st!

G. H. WALLACE, Wolfville, July 24th, '87.

Removal. J. M. Shaw wishes to notify the public that he intends to remove his business about the 20th of September to the shop next the Glasgow House, where rooms are now being fitted up for him. A splendid stock of foreign and domestic Cigars, Tobaccos, Pipes, and Smokers' Sundries are now on the way and will be then opened. Will be glad to see all old friends and as many new ones as possible.

Wolfville, Sept. 11th, 1889.

NOTICE! ALL PERSONS having legal demands against the estate of J. Wesley Stewart, late of Horton, in the County of Kings, are requested to render the same, duly attested, within twelve calendar months from the date hereof; and all persons indebted to the said estate are required to make immediate payment to

JOHN B. STEWART, Administrator. R. R. DUNNAN, Lower Horton, May 1st, 1889.

\$5. \$3. \$2. ARE OFFERED! —UNTIL— September 30,

to the three families in King's county who send WRAPPERS representing greatest value in

WOODILL'S German Baking Powder.