

THE ACADIAN.

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Acadia News.

From a personal letter received from Dr. Cullen, the president of Acadia University, we gather that he and his family expect to reach Wolfville about the 28th inst. We understand that the residence to be occupied by President Cullen and family will be ready for use about Feb. 1st. A new heating apparatus, electric lighting and other modern improvements are being installed by the executive committee of the Board of Governors.

We understand that a public reception will be tendered Dr. Cullen in about a week after his arrival, when the two weeks' semi-annual College examinations will have ended, immediately after which Dr. Cullen will assume the duties of his office.

The formal induction of the new president will probably not occur before October next, when he will have been able to size up the situation and will be prepared to announce his policy for the future. Of course no sane friend of the institutions would expect him to be able to announce any platform or policy immediately on arrival in the town. A good deal of interest will no doubt surround that policy when it does come and will be awaited with extreme anxiety in certain interested quarters.

Help for Farmers.

Any farmer who will need help during the coming season should send at once for application forms to Mr. Arthur S. Barstow, the Secretary of Industries and Immigration, Halifax. Mr. Barstow is in touch not only with the present immigration into Canada but also with many persons who intend to remove shortly to Nova Scotia. Those of our readers who desire to avail themselves of the opportunities for securing help offered by this department should act without delay. Last year some applications were sent in too late in the season. An early application will perhaps prevent subsequent disappointment.

Huge Benefactions.

The total public benefactions in the United States during the past twelve months was \$1,129,000, an amount just \$40,000 greater than any previous year in the history of the country, according to statistics compiled by a New York newspaper. The principal benefactors in 1909 have been the late John S. Kennedy, of New York, \$2,500,000; Mr. John D. Rockefeller, \$1,822,000; and Mr. Andrew Carnegie, \$6,650,000. Of the total amount given in 1909, over a third was given specifically for educational work. The total benefactions in the United States reported in the public press the last seventeen years, add up to no less than \$1,100,150,000.

Acadia's New President.

THE ACADIAN is very pleased to be able this week to present its readers with a cut of Rev. G. B. Cullen, M. A., B. D., Ph. D., the new president of Acadia University. Dr. Cullen scarcely needs an introduction to Wolfville people, and it is not necessary for us to say that he is most admirably adapted to the task that he has undertaken. On the scholastic side few could be better equipped. He graduated from Acadia in 1896, from Yale in 1897. He spent seven years of post-graduate work at the latter university, taking successively his M. A., Ph. D. and B. D. degrees. As



an author he has already reached an enviable fame. His first book, the 'Psychology of Alcoholism,' is regarded as the highest authority in its own field, while his later book on the 'Psychological Phenomena of Religion' covers a wide range, and is of the deepest interest to all students of things fundamental to religious development. As a man, Dr. Cullen has always been particularly strong in his touch upon men. As a student, both at Acadia and Yale, he was always a leader, and in his pastorate he has drawn to himself the strong in all walks of life. His excellence and delight in athletics, as well as in scholarship gives him a heavy sympathy with all forms of graduate life.

The chief topic of interest this week has been the elections in Great Britain which began on Saturday last. While they will not be finished for a week yet, the general opinion is that the government will be sustained with a much reduced majority, although the unionists have made steady gains. There appears to be an exceedingly low issue in the old land, and even if it does not win this time there is no doubt but what it will ultimately.

Monster Steamship.

Steamships large enough to hold a town of five or six thousand persons are now being built in Belfast. These monsters, which will have a tonnage of 60,000 tons each, are being built to the order of the Oceanic Steam Navigation Company, more commonly known as the White Star Line. Each of the new steamers will have a length of 430 feet or nearly one sixth of a mile. The Olympic is expected to be launched in August next and the Titanic will take the water later in the year.

These big steamers of the near future will be built for comfort rather than for speed. Very high speed can only be gained by a large consumption of coal, and coal costs money. But while record breaking time is not expected to be made there will be other attractions. Each of the new steamers will be equipped to carry 5,000 passengers besides a crew of 600. In other respects they will be mammoth floating palace hotels, dancing rooms, smoking rooms, cafes, a library and even gardens are to occupy prominent positions in these wonderful vessels. The plans include a cool avenue of palms, beds of roses and carnations and arbors skilfully contrived by expert gardeners. In the winter, these will be protected by glass roofs. To the gardens will be added a swimming bath deep enough for diving and a skating rink. One of these steamers will be a small city afloat with a population of thousands and more means of employment and recreation than most small cities afford.

The Civic Elections.

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE TOWN OF WOLFVILLE.
LADIES AND GENTLEMEN.—Having been requested to allow myself to be nominated to fill the office of Chief Magistrate of the town for a second time I have consented, and if elected will give the best service in my power to promote the advancement and prosperity of our town. Citizens may rest assured that their interests will be safeguarded while under my care to the best of my ability.

Thanking you for your support in case of an election.

Yours respectfully,
T. L. HARVEY.

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE TOWN OF WOLFVILLE.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN.—Having been urged by a number of electors to allow myself to be placed in nomination as a candidate for the position of councillor at the ensuing election I have decided with pleasure to accept the confidence expressed. If elected I will to the best of my ability seek to conserve the economic and thorough administration of the town's affairs.

Yours faithfully,
C. R. H. STARR.

Wolfville, Jan. 21st, 1910.

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE TOWN OF WOLFVILLE.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN.—At the request of a number of prominent citizens I have signified my willingness to serve the town in the capacity of a councillor if it should be the wish of a majority of the voters; and I shall esteem it an honor to serve you in the council, promising also that if your choice falls upon others, and good men to fill such positions are not at all rare in Wolfville, I will turn a deaf ear to all similar requests in the future. Feeling that the office is not one to seek by a personal canvass, and that such a canvass would imply some private purpose to be served or gain accruing thereby, this public communication begins and ends my efforts to secure my election, but if elected I shall do my best to serve the town and work harmoniously with my associates in conducting its business judiciously and for its best welfare.

ERNEST HAYCOCK.

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE TOWN OF WOLFVILLE.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN.—At the request of a number of my friends I have allowed myself to be placed in nomination as a candidate for the position of councillor at the ensuing elections.

If elected to that position I will to the utmost of my ability act in the best interests of the town.

Yours respectfully,
W. REGAN.

Wolfville, Jan. 20th, 1910.

Speaks Well for Canada.

(Daily Telegraph.)

The distinction of producing the first sonata which has appeared in the colonies, is attributed to a Canadian composer, Mr. Byron C. Tapley, of St. John, N. B. The work in question is entitled 'The Royal Sonata,' and is published in England by Charles Shuard & Co., High Holborn, London, and in Canada by The Anglo-Canadian Music Publishing Association of Toronto. This musical production possesses marked merit, and will elevate the music standard in Canada in no small degree.

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Rink Notes.

In a practice game of hockey, played last Friday night, the Victorias defeated the clerks of the town by a score of 11-2.

On Saturday afternoon the rink was open to the students of the Seminary, College and Academy. Quite a number were present, and had a very enjoyable skate.

The Victorias hockey team added another to their list of victories by defeating the junior D. B. C. A. septette on Tuesday evening, by a score of 9-3. One of the Victorias, B. Shaw, was absent and his place was taken by P. Cook. In spite of the soft weather the ice was good, and the game was fast and interesting throughout. The play started in the Victorias' territory and in a mix up in front of the goal, Baird, in trying to pass the puck out of danger, scored one for the visitors. After this the home team got down to work and carried the puck to the other end of the rink where they evaded the score. After that the puck was carried from one end of the ice to the other, although the Victorias had the advantage and the first half ended 5-1. The second half was more even and the game ended 9-3. Both teams played a good, clean game, there only being three penalties. The Victorias had the best defence, and Baird and Eagles played a good game on the forward line. The rushes of Kent, of Dartmouth, were a marked feature of the game. The home team did not play its accustomed combi-ina. Mr. L. Black, of Acadia, refereed very satisfactorily. The teams lined up as follows:

Victorias D. B. C. A.
C. Robinson—Goal—W. Nicholson
C. Webster—Point—J. Drury
P. Bill—Cover—A. Harris (Capt)
H. Baird (Ct.)—Rover—W. Himmelman
B. Eagles—Centre—P. Kent
E. Barrs—R. Wing—J. Ritchie
P. Cook—L. Wing—J. Moore

The Faucy Dress Carnival, which was to have been held Wednesday, will take place this evening.

Public Debate.

The public debate which took place on Monday evening at the hall at Port Williams was very largely attended. The hall being filled to its utmost capacity. Mr. John Donaldson presided. The speakers for the Guild were Messrs. H. K. Lee, J. F. Healey and Dr. P. C. Woodworth, while the Division was represented by Rev. Mr. Titus and Messrs. Robert and Charles Newcomb. The Guild speakers supported the resolution, 'Resolved, that Canada should at once build and operate a navy of her own.' Mr. Lee led for the Guild and Rev. Mr. Titus for the Division. The addresses showed a good deal of careful study and thought and were attentively listened to by the audience. Messrs. Burpee, Bishop, Greenwell, Leonard Forsyth, of Church Street, and B. O. Davison, of Wolfville, were the judges, and after a short deliberation gave the decision in favor of the Division. An excellent vocal solo was given by Mrs. O. G. Cogswell, and there were a number of short addresses by different gentlemen, after which the meeting was closed with the singing of the national anthem.

Sympathetic.

We noticed in the press dispatches that the Post Master General had a tumor on the back of his neck. If the proprietors of the weekly newspapers in the Maritime Provinces could get a go at him there would be tumors on other parts of his body as well as on his neck. In connection with the oppression of Post Master General Lemieux it is more than passing strange that the Liberal members from these lower provinces have not protested against the burden placed on these necks, for there is not one among them whose name or office has not named on the government because of the costly discrimination against them. It was felt badly enough at the outset, but the relief given the dailies made the unseemly discrimination a ranking sore with the weeklies.—Eastern Chronicle.

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