

THE ACADIAN.

WOLFVILLE, N. S., JULY 23, 1897.

Editorial Chat.

A Good Roads Association has been formed in New Brunswick. Nova Scotia should move in the same line.

The town presents quite a gay appearance in the evenings now. There are a lot of tourists here, and those who are not bicycling are strolling about in animated groups. Such unwonted gaiety is infectious, and gives the whole town a livelier aspect.

The Grand Lodge, I. O. G. T., held their annual session this year in the charming town of Baddeck, C. B. Reports of officers received, show 184 lodges, and 49 temples, with a total membership of 8859, an increase of 460 in the adult branch. Number of lodges put up during the year, 56. The revenue from all sources is over \$2,300. Grand Lodge is clear of debt, with a balance in the treasury.

Rev. D. O. Parker has our thanks for a copy of his lately published "Sonnet of Grand Gre." It is an artistic little work, and contains much interesting and valuable information for tourists. With the aid of this book, the various points of interest may be located, and the history connected with each, is given in a concise and attractive form. Mr. Parker has placed it on sale at the different hotels.

Will our subscribers who are in arrears make an effort to let us have all or part the amount due at an early date. We need money very much just now to carry on our business. Publishing expenses must be met, and we have to look to the patrons of the paper for money to meet them. In next issue we shall be glad to acknowledge all amounts paid during the week. If your name should be there please see to it that it is.

We understand that Mr. D. M. Dickie has been appointed to the office of registrar of deeds for this county. The office has been vacant since the death of the late registrar Fred Brown, Esq., and much speculation has been indulged in from time to time since as to whom it was to go. Mr. Dickie has been a faithful worker for his party and is entitled to this recompense. The office is probably worth more than any other government position in the county.

Look here, honorable members of the Town Council, we want a watering cart—of some sort. If your retrenchment policy won't permit of anything fancy, get an old hoghead, and have the policeman hore a few holes in it. Then, for a season, if it would tax your wits to remember to buy out-right, a couple of old cart wheels and an axle. It wouldn't be a very elaborate outfit, but it would answer the purpose, and a dust-begrimed people would bless thee.

A Mother's Meeting.

The last regular meeting of the W. C. T. U. was held in the interest of mothers. Quite a number of women other than white-ribbons were present. It was presided over by Mrs. Humeon, the faithful and efficient superintendent of this department of work, whose genial manner, motherly presence, and intelligent enthusiasm have done much to make these occasions an inspiration to those who attend. Her opening remarks were suggested by the 1st chapter of 2nd Timothy, and dwelt on the far-reaching influence of Christian motherhood. After several offerings of prayer, Mrs. Trotter addressed the meeting, choosing for her subject, The Law of Heredity, pre-natal influence and allied truths. Her remarks were clear, forcible and practical in their bearing, and could not fail to impress every thoughtful mother with a clearer conception of the high honor and privilege conferred upon her in being chosen a co-partner with God in the fashioning of an immortal soul.

Mrs. Tufa then offered a few suggestions relative to the rights of children, dwelling especially on their right to receive from the mother the teaching of truth pure and simple concerning the origin of life.

After the closing of the meeting, refreshments were served and an opportunity given for social converse and discussion.

Hortonville Items.

A goodly number are planning to go to Parrboro on Saturday. The Foresters promise a good excursion and no doubt all who go will have a good time.

Mr. Jas. Dill, of Parrboro, is visiting his sister Mrs. Tufa.

Miss Mumford, who has taught the district school for the past two years, has been engaged to continue for another year.

Master Geo. Salford, of Poughkeepsie, N. Y., is spending his summer at Acadia Villa, and will take up studies when the school opens. He is accompanied by his mother who is boarding at Mr. F. G. Curry's.

Mr. Tom Batherland has the foundation for Mr. W. D. Patterson's new home completed. Mr. Bryson, the head builder, will have carpenters at work in a few days.

Rev. Mr. Langille arrived with his family last week and preached the first sermon here on Sabbath morning.

The editors of the two Windsor papers were in the community on Wednesday. Miss Edith Curry returned to her office in Halifax last Monday.

Brown University is the oldest Baptist college in America. It is now struggling somewhat for want of funds. A few years ago Prof. Beth, of Dartmouth College, Halifax, was drawn to this institution and now fills a chair at Cornell. When he left Brown University he was regarded by many as the ablest member of the faculty.

The Foresters' Excursion.

The excursion to Partridge Island tomorrow, under the auspices of Court Blomidon, I. O. F., promises to be a most pleasant one. The steamer *Himantus* has been engaged for the occasion, and will leave the wharf at Hortonville (Horton Landing) on the arrival of the early morning train from Middleton, returning in time to make connection with the train in the evening. Every preparation is being made to insure a good time for all who attend. The Wolfville band, which was reorganized last Friday evening, will accompany the excursion and furnish a good programme of music. Refreshments will be furnished on board and a competent committee will see to it that there is no disorder on the steamer. The sail will be a beautiful one, the steamer passing near old Blomidon thus giving an excellent opportunity for a close inspection of points of interest. Excursionists may spend the day at Partridge Island from whose lofty summit most beautiful views may be obtained, or can take a team and after a pleasant drive of two miles visit the pretty town of Parrboro, where a baseball match is to be played between teams from Wolfville and Springhill. The steamer will leave Hantsport in the morning and those who wish to go from that place may go on board there. She will also call at Kingsport going and returning to accommodate those who wish to go from that place. The steamer tickets will be 75 cents each at either Hantsport, Hortonville or Kingsport, while railway tickets at all stations will be issued at one fare good to return at night.

Billtown.

The grass crop in these parts is considerably above the average, and under sunny skies is being rapidly cured and gathered.

The apple crop is very light, a moderate calculation would not make it more than one third of other years. Some suggest whether this is not a judgment upon us for the grumbings of last year over the heavy crop. There is a prospect of shortage in oats and potatoes.

Several of our young people are visiting at their homes. Among the returnees we notice the Misses Winnie Card, Agnes Johnson and Mable Tilley and Mr. Leveret Foote. We hope they are for a long stay.

Miss Ruby Card has left to spend some time in Wolfville.

We are sorry to hear that Mr. Rowland Chute, of Brooklyn St., is prostrated with fever.

Mr. Gideon Rockwell has been indisposed for several months and is not yet able to be out.

Miss Hattie Rockwell is spending a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. Finch, at 23 St. Minas.

Mr. Asa Steele and Miss Agnes Johnson were married in the church on the 21st, Rev. Mr. Freeman officiating. We need say nothing respecting the bride's costume, except that it was charming and in good taste. The happy couple receive many sincere congratulations from their friends, who hold them both in high esteem.

Literary Notes.

McClure's Magazine for August will be a special Midsummer fiction number, with a complete novelette (a story of England and India) by Rudyard Kipling, chapters of a novel by Robert Louis Stevenson, and short stories by A. Conan Doyle, Robert Barr, John Kendrick Bange, and others. It will be richly illustrated, the frontispiece being from a drawing made expressly for the magazine by Boutet de Monvel, the distinguished French illustrator.

The August number of the *Delinquent* is called the Midsummer number, and its exposition of hot weather Modes and Fabrics is made graphic by full-page color plates and intertextual illustrations, supplemented by a special article on Mourning Attire. The number is notable for its fiction, Frances Lynde's "Diana of the Ephesians," a dainty love story with a setting among the mountains of Northern Alabama, being complemented by the fascinating narration of an encounter with a Paris necromancer, which forms the second of Martin Orde's serial accounts of Clive Rayner's adventures. Especially suited to the dog-days are the directions for making various Salads and Salad Dressings, and Francis Leeds recipe for a Summer Pick-Me-Up. Young people looking for a new entertainment will enjoy Lucia M. Robbins' description of "A Butterfly Party." The usual pages are devoted to needlework. Subscription price of *The Delinquent*, \$1.00 per year, or 15c per single copy.

Prof. Keirstead at Ottawa.

Rev. Dr. Keirstead, professor in Acadia College, Nova Scotia, has filled the pulpit of the First Baptist church for three Sundays and his sermons have been exceedingly helpful and very much enjoyed by the church. His visit here and his services will be remembered by many as one of the sunny passages of life. Some express a desire to extend a call to the pastorate while others think it would be a stroke of good fortune to obtain so able and genial a pastor. It is not known whether he is available or whether he would take a sabbatical, but many think that if he could be prevailed upon to come he would be a great accession to the already strong and vigorous preaching and pastoring in the city.—*Ottawa Free Press*.

Woodville.

The ladies of the Woodville Baptist M. A. Society held an ice cream festival on the grounds of Mr. Charles Wood last Tuesday evening. The proceeds go to the funds of the society.

Personal Mention.

Contributions to this department will be gladly received.

Mrs. Louisa Palmer is spending a few weeks visiting friends in Kentville. Miss Johnson, of Fredericton, is the guest of Mrs. C. R. Burgess, of this town. Mr. Frank Wortman left on Monday last for St. John, to resume his position.

Miss Harrington, of Halifax, is the guest of the Misses Sherwood, of this town.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Seavy of Everett, Mass., are visiting at Mr. C. M. Vaughn's, this town.

Dr. DeWitt left on Wednesday to attend the Maritime Medical Convention at St. John, N. B.

Mr. I. Longworth, Q. C., and Miss Longworth, of Truro, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. Elliott Smith, of this town.

Miss May Conrad, who has been visiting friends in Bridgewater for a short time, returned home on Wednesday.

Mrs. J. H. Tabor and children, who have been visiting friends in Fredericton for about a month, came home this week.

Rev. and Mrs. W. B. Wallace, of Utica, N. Y., are in town, the guests of the former's parents, Rev. and Mrs. Isiah Wallace.

Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Higgins, of Boston, who have been in town for a few days, visiting their friends, returned home on Wednesday.

Mrs. C. Murray and two children, of this town, left on Saturday last for Springhill, where they will be the guests of friends for a few weeks.

Miss Ida Jones came over from Amherst last Wednesday, and will spend a few weeks' vacation at the home of her mother, Mrs. Jos. Jones, of this town.

Mr. H. B. Masters and family arrived from New York last week, and have taken possession of their residence in this town, which they will occupy for the remainder of the summer.

Rev. Cranwick Jost, D. D., Sydney, C. B., has been laboring 33 years in the ministry, and during that long period has never failed to attend the annual meeting of the Methodist Conference.

Mr. W. G. R. Humphrey, of the Peoples' Bank staff, Halifax, rode up from that city on a handsome black charger last Wednesday, and will spend a few days of his vacation in Wolfville.

Rev. E. R. Curry, a class '81 graduate of Acadia, who is now pastor of a flourishing Baptist church at Jackson, Mich., was in town this week. At present he is visiting at his old home in Windsor.

Mr. W. D. Harris, B. A., who has completed the work of the first two years at the Baltimore Medical College, arrived in Wolfville last week, and will spend a brief holiday with his father, Mr. C. C. Harris, of this town.

Mr. J. K. Martin is to remove to Hantsport, where he has been engaged by Mr. John W. Chute to superintend changes that he is having made in his fine garden and grounds. Mr. Martin has few equals as a landscape gardener.

Dr. Keirstead arrived home on Friday evening last after spending a few weeks in the upper provinces. He was present during part of the session of parliament at Ottawa. For the next few weeks he will occupy the pulpit of the First Baptist church, Halifax.

Mr. James Fulton, representing the well-known C. Gates & Co's remedies, was in town on Monday, pushing the sale of his goods. Mr. Fulton devotes what spare time he has during his trip to the study of geology, and had in his possession on Monday a number of specimens of onyx and other stones.

Postmaster-General Mulock is being severely censured for his action in retarding the fair distribution of jubilee stamps. It looks as if he were creating a corner in certain denominations for the sake of enriching a few speculators who were fortunate enough to secure a supply. The halves, sixes and eights are not now obtainable at any of the offices except by the purchase of a whole set, costing \$16.22. This is manifestly unjust, and brands the whole issue as a fake in so far as giving the public an equal chance in the distribution is concerned. An explanation should certainly be made by the postmaster-general to show whether the action is the result of some miscalculation, or whether the government have adopted a new method of raising a revenue.—*Ex.*

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Thurs 15th	1.23	Fri 16th	2.40
Sat 17th	3.24	Mon 19th	4.49
Tues 20th	5.31	Wed 21st	6.16
Thurs 22d	7.02	Fri 23d	7.50
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