

THE ACADIAN.

WOLFVILLE, N. S., JUNE 2, 1899.

Editorial Notes.

The Kentville School Board, forced by the newspaper criticisms of their action in dismissing Principal McLeod, have at length begun to appreciate the disgraceful light in which they have placed themselves, and their town as well, and have sought by a number of resolutions to parry the censure they so richly deserve. The *Wedge*, which probably from its natural propensity and desire to even up old scores has been led to champion the "clique" which constitutes the School Board, publishes a report of those resolutions, which we have wasted sufficient time to read, in the hope that the Board might be able to say something which would tend to throw off the stigma now upon their official record. This, however, the Board altogether fails to do. Their defence consists wholly in citing cases of Mr. McLeod's alleged wrong doing and disagreement with the Board in the past. Were all these assertions true they would constitute no explanation, for the iniquitous things which are charged to Mr. McLeod were all done, if we read aright, before the close of the last school term. No reason is given why the services of Mr. McLeod were retained in spite of his imperfections through all these years to be dismissed when his attitude toward the enforcement of the law made his presence in Kentville hostile to the interests of the liquor men and their sympathizers.

It is very pleasing to note the improvements that are taking place this spring in the appearance of private properties in Wolfville. Much more attention is being paid to gardens and lawns than formerly, and as a result our town presents a much better appearance. Wolfville has always been noted as a pretty place, particularly at this season of the year. Few towns in the province have as many fine residences, and with grounds tastefully laid out and a greater attention paid to the arranging and keeping of lawns and gardens Wolfville will indeed appear "a thing of beauty." We are glad to see this spirit manifesting itself among our people and shall always be glad to report such improvement from time to time.

From the Yarmouth Steamship Co. we have received their annual issue of "Beautiful Nova Scotia." The booklet contains this year about 100 pages and is more handsome than ever. The beauties of Nova Scotia are set off in a most artistic manner. The engravings are of a high order, and the reading matter most interesting in character. Every point of interest between Yarmouth and Halifax receives attention. Great credit belongs to the Yarmouth Steamship Co. and its enterprising president, Hon. L. E. Baker, for the good work being done by them to advertise our province abroad.

The closing exercises in connection with Mt. Allison University took place this week. The graduating class numbered twenty-two, four of whom were ladies. It represented New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, Prince Edward Island, Ontario, Newfoundland, and also contained the first citizen of the United States ever graduated there. The exercises were of a most interesting character.

We trust our citizens one and all will put forth every effort to make our town present an attractive appearance next week. Wolfville will be full of visitors. Let them see our town at its best. A little effort put forth in cleaning up the streets and tidying up lawns and grounds will be well expended. We are glad to see much in this line being done now.

Friends of the *ACADIAN* from out of town, who are attending the anniversary exercises next week, will be welcomed at our new quarters in McKenna Block. Drop in and see us—next door to the post office.

Great interest has been taken through out England in the institutions of Empire Day in Canada. Messages sent to the Queen by the school children of Halifax and Montreal were widely published.

Dr. Peter H. McIntyre, of Souris, has been appointed Lieutenant-Governor of P. E. Island.

Anniversary Exercises at Acadia Next Week.

The Anniversary Exercises in connection with Acadia College and the affiliated institutions will begin on Sunday next, June 4th. There is promise of the accustomed large attendance and enthusiasm. Indeed, it looks as if the accommodation which the town affords is likely to be taxed to the utmost in providing for the large number who are expected to attend. Below we present the programme of exercises:

Sunday, June 4, 11 a. m.—Baccalaureate Sermon, Rev. J. H. McDonald, B. A., Amherst.
Sunday, June 4, 7 p. m.—Address, subject, "Jerusalem," before Col. Y. M. C. A., Rev. G. O. Gies, M. A., St. John.
Monday, June 5, 7:30 p. m.—Annual Address before the Senate of the University, James Hanney, Esq., M. A., St. John.
Tuesday, June 6, 10:30 a. m.—Class Exercises of Graduating Class.
Tuesday, June 6, 2:30 p. m.—Closing Exercises of Houghton Academy.
Tuesday, June 6, 8:00 p. m.—Closing Exercises of Acadia Seminary.
Wednesday, June 7, 10:15 a. m.—Commencement Exercises of the College.
Wednesday, June 7, 8:00 p. m.—Conventions in College Hall.

Christian Endeavor Convention.

The annual convention of the Kings county local union Y. P. S. C. E. was held at Greenwich on Wednesday. There were three sessions. The first convened at 10 o'clock. The attendance was good and the meetings throughout were full of interest and very helpful. Revs. J. E. Donkin, R. G. Sinclair, J. M. Hawley and Daniel Coburn were present and assisted greatly in the success of the convention. The reports of the delegates were encouraging and showed steady advance in the work "for Christ and the church." Papers were read at the afternoon meeting on "Our Privileges and Responsibilities," by Rev. Daniel Coburn; "The C. E. Prayer Meeting and how to prepare for it," by Miss Bertha Ellis; "Our Junior Work," by Miss Sterling. In the afternoon Rev. Mr. Sinclair, of Canada, conducted a very interesting "question box."

The evening session was a very pleasant and profitable one. The Methodist church, in which the meetings were held, was prettily draped with bunting and banners and was filled to the doors. The programme began with an inspiring and helpful devotional service led by the following were elected officers for the ensuing year:—President—Mr. Geo. Bishop, Greenwich; Vice-president—Miss Elsie M. Best, Waterville; Sec. Treas.—Miss Emma Best, Grafton.

Rev. J. E. Donkin. A pleasing address, was given by Miss Woodill, of Halifax, superintendent of juvenile work. The speaker explained fully the object and work of the juvenile organization and urged that a superintendent be appointed for King's county. On motion of Rev. Mr. Hawley, Miss Addie Bowles, of Grafton, teacher in the Greenwich public school, was appointed to the position. A well-written paper on "Spiritual Growth" was read by Miss A. Power, and elicited helpful discussion. Miss L. O. Woodroff presented a paper on "Our Pledge" which was greatly enjoyed. Both papers were highly praised by several speakers. Rev. J. M. Hawley spoke briefly on the "Consecration Service, its Meaning and Object" in an address which must have been very helpful to all present. The usual votes of thanks were passed and the meeting was closed with a consecration service led by the new president, and the mishap benediction.

Meteorological Observations

Taken at the N. S. School of Horticulture, Wolfville, for the period May 25-31, 1899.

Max. Ther.	Min. Ther.	General state of weather
May 25	64.5	37 Fine
26	71	43 "
27	74	47 "
28	75	48 Rainy
29	50	33 Fine
30	62	44 Threatening
31	61	45 Fine

Rain fell May 28th, 61 inches.

Heavy frost in most districts on the morning of the 29th, doing considerable damage to tender plants.

The superintendent of the poultry department and the chief chemist of the Central Experimental Farm at Ottawa have issued jointly a report upon the value of lime water as a preservative for eggs. The experiment was conducted so as to give comparative results with lillie of soda and the finding was that the lime preserved the eggs and was better than the soda for general purposes. This announcement will be received by the farmers generally with interest. They have been using lime water for years with success and although lime eggs have a specially low rating in the market they will be glad to know that their live long practice has been endorsed even at so late a date.

For carrying letters from Yarmouth to Boston, for the year ended June 30th, 1898, the Yarmouth S. S. Co. received \$1,002.96 and the Dominion Atlantic \$569.09. During the same period for a similar service between Halifax and Boston the Plant Company received the following for mail service by rail: Halifax and Yarmouth, \$10,867.86; Halifax and Kentville, \$1,777.85; Kentville and Kingsport, \$701.12.

The June number of *The Delinquent*, called the Early Summer Number, and combines an immense amount of authoritative and applicable advice as to what is newest and most beautiful in the world of fashion—including special illustrations of Social Costumes—with a profusion of sparkling literary features, Social, Household and Departmental hints and suggestions and Fancy Work detail.

Rosa Bonheur, the celebrated animal painter, died in Paris on May 26th. During the siege of Paris, her studio at Fontainebleau was spared and protected by the order of the Crown Prince of Prussia. The Empress Eugenie bestowed upon her the Cross of the Legion of Honor.

The watering cart has done good service so far this season and those who spend their time on Main street especially are thankful for it. We would have been smothered with dust before this were it not for the watering-cart.

Building operations are in full blast in Wolfville now and carpenters and laborers generally are busy. Wolfville is now, standing still, and every year sees a substantial addition to the number of fine residences and other buildings.

The tax accounts have been issued. Taxes are due and payable June 5th. The usual 2½ per cent discount is allowed to those who pay within fourteen days from that date.

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Getting Interested.

PRESIDENT OF THE YARMOUTH S. S. CO. WAKING UP AMERICAN CAPITALISTS ABOUT NOVA SCOTIA.

It will be certainly gratifying intelligence to the people of Nova Scotia who are interested in the tourist travel of this province, and to the tourist association as well, to be able to recognize the fact that the Hon. L. E. Baker, president of the Yarmouth S. S. Co., is making very strong exertions with a fair prospect of success, towards increasing the already large travel to this province from the United States. A late New York paper says:

"It is stated in commercial circles that President Baker, of the Yarmouth S. S. Co., of Yarmouth, N. S., being in close touch with several New York capitalists, has induced them to look with a good deal of interest upon certain developments that must be of great advantage to that province in the near future. Mr. Baker's push and energy in connection with the tourist travel from the United States to the provinces has already produced splendid results, as far as making known the attractions of the province of Nova Scotia is concerned. The capabilities of the Yarmouth S. S. Co. in providing splendid accommodation for several years past has been appreciated by the American travelling public, and now the movements looking to further facilities for our people to go to Nova Scotia are having their proper influence throughout the United States."

It is not too much to predict that Mr. Baker's work in connection with the development of travel to and from Nova Scotia, and also the other lines of steamers that are engaged in the same laudable enterprise will bring to our shores a larger number of tourists than ever. The Plant S. S. Co. in placing the magnificent *La Duchesse* between Boston and Halifax will mean a rank of first class visitors to this city. Nova Scotia as a summer resort is being more widely known and its advantages more made use of in all parts of the United States; and it is certainly a matter of importance and satisfaction that men like Mr. Baker are devoting their time and best interest in promoting the extension of this travel. The splendid illustrated pamphlet, circulated by the Y. S. S. Co., with all the other information weekly put in circulation throughout the United States and Canada, must have the desired effect of giving the people everywhere an idea of where to go and how to spend their summer vacation, and our province by these will be the natural resort.

It is to be hoped that the new movement alluded to above will result in bringing to Nova Scotia a number of intelligent and interested men, who will see to it that no feature for the development of travel and traffic between the two countries is in any way neglected.—*Halifax Chronicle*.

Indianstown, the northern portion of St. John, N. B., was visited by fire 25th-150 houses were reduced to ashes. Houses and places of business are no more. Property destroyed estimated at three-quarters of a million dollars. Insurance \$300,000. Five hundred people are homeless. The mass of buildings destroyed were of the cheaper class of wooden dwellings. All told only four or five brick buildings were in the district. The water supply was scarcely adequate, and the fire burned almost as it pleased. The greatest excitement and confusion prevailed, as people gathered their belongings together and hastily fled from the houses. The fire broke out in a warehouse. There were two deaths in the fire, Ann Cunard, who refused to leave her house, 80 years of age, and Mrs. Geo. Mowry, 50 years of age, who was in delicate health, died from the shock.

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It is stated that wheat seedling is practically over in Manitoba and Northwest, and that the average town is 10 to 15 per cent. larger than last year.

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Personal Mention.

(Contributions to this department will be gladly received.)

Rev. F. H. Reals, of Canoe, is spending a short time in Wolfville.

Mrs. T. E. Sherwood has been visiting friends in St. John during the past week.

Miss Minnie Woodman is home from Mt. Allison ladies college for the vacation.

Mr. Logan, of Pictou, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. F. M. MacDonald, at the manse.

Dr. T. H. and Mrs. Rand, of Toronto, are at their summer residence at Partridge Island.

Miss Ella Wallace returned last week from Lunenburg, where she has been spending the winter.

Dr. W. D. Harris returned to Boston last Saturday. He will engage in hospital work there for a time.

L. K. Drew, Esq., High Sheriff of Queens county, was in town last week the guest of Rev. J. E. Donkin.

Mr. John S. Smith, of Halifax, Inspector for the Standard Life Insurance Co., has been in Wolfville this week.

Rev. D. O. and Mrs. Parker have returned to Wolfville for a brief stay. They have spent the winter at Dorchester, Mass.

Rev. and Mrs. Vince, of England, are in Wolfville, the guests of their son, Rev. J. O. Vince, who is one of the graduates at Acadia this year.

Mr. C. A. Campbell, the popular dry-goods merchant of Port Williams, was in town on Tuesday and inspected the *ACADIAN*'s new home.

Miss Grace Patiquin returned on Saturday last from Boston, where she has been completing a course in elocution at Dr. Curry's School of Expression.

Miss Margaret Graham, of Halifax, manager of the woman's department for Nova Scotia of the Mutual Life Insurance Co., of New York, is in town.

Prof. Sears, of the School of Horticulture, has returned from a successful lecturing tour in the western counties. He was accompanied by Col. Blair and the Secretary for Agriculture, Mr. B. W. Chipman.

We are glad to be able to announce that Rev. C. R. Minard, who was reported as seriously ill of consumption at the Worcester, Mass. hospital, is recovering and in a fair way to recover his usual health; Mr. Minard is a graduate of Acadia.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Chase, of this place, and Mr. and Mrs. Barclay Webster, of Kentville, expect to leave the first of next week for a trip to the Pacific coast. They will be gone about six weeks and will visit Montreal, Ottawa, Toronto, Winnipeg and other places en route.

Travelling Arrangements for Acadia Anniversaries.

The Dominion Atlantic Ry. will issue return tickets for one first class fare from all stations including St. John and Paroboro on June 5th, 6th, 8th and 7th good to return till June 10th. Tickets from Boston will be issued on June 4th for D. R. steamer leaving on that date good to return till the 13th.

The Intercolonial Ry., will give free return tickets to all who get standard certificate when purchasing their tickets and present such duly signed to the agent at Wolfville or Windsor Junction. The Central Ry. will return tickets on days named above at one first class fare.

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7. House and Lot on Central Ave.—6 rooms and bathroom. Price reasonable.

8. Farm near Wolfville—70 acre Orchard 300 trees. Good buildings.

9. Land at Wolfville—3½ acre, 3½ acres Orchard. 10 acres Dyke.

10. Modern House on Main St.—Nine rooms, Bath room, furnace, hot and cold water. Small garden.

11. Farm near Aylesford station—House, 11 rooms. Barn and outbuildings. 2½ acres land. 400 apple trees 1½ acres prime interval.

12. The Wallace property at corner Front street and Central Avenue. Ten houses, six and seven rooms each.

13. House and Orchard on Main St.—House, 2 stories, 9 rooms. Stable, 1 acre land in orchard producing apples, pears and plums. Trees in full bearing. Also a quantity of small fruits.

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L. F. BLENKHOPE, Wolfville, April 5th, 1899.

Fire Company Meeting.

A meeting of the Wolfville Volunteer Fire and Protection Co., was held in the band room on Monday evening, when the officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows:

President—F. P. Rockwell, Vice President—F. J. Porter, Secretary—G. W. Munro, Treasurer—G. W. Munro, Captain—J. F. Herbin, Vice Captain—George Egwood, 2nd Lieut.—J. R. MacDonald.

Protection Company Captain—F. P. Rockwell, Vice Captain—Martin Pick.

It now seems likely that Newfoundland will soon receive a colony of Finlanders. Applications have been received by the colonial government bearing on the subject, asking what steps are necessary to take and how far the Newfoundland authorities would assist.

A physician accidentally discovered a case of leprosy near Annapolis, on Monday. The afflicted one is a married woman, and the medical man states it is the worst case of leprosy he has ever seen.

The Orangemen of Nova Scotia will hold their 12th of July celebration at New Glasgow this year.

Archbishop O'Brien, of Halifax, will confirm eighty candidates in Yarmouth county about June 26th.

Halifax will celebrate its 150th anniversary on June 21.

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Local and Provincial

Anniversary next week.

The Supreme Court will be in session at Kentville next week, the Chief Justice presiding.

The Wolfville Band will furnish the number of lady friends were entertained at the Conversations in College next Wednesday evening.

DELIVERY MAN WANTED—At O the grocery business. Must be acquainted with the trade in Wolfville. Apply to

ACADIAN

The Senior class of the college number of lady friends were entertained by Dr. and Mrs. Keirstead on the evening of last week.

Bicycle Sundries at the Drug Store

Strawberries have been on sale in Wolfville this week. They look like the real article, exchequer does not admit of a test on our part.

Mr. W. M. Black, who purchased the first time this season of evening last, and rendered a very interesting programme. We trust to be often during the coming summer.

Professor Siebels, of Halifax, engaged as the teacher in the Acadia Seminary for next year will perform on Wednesday next at the commencement exercises of the College.

The heavy rainfall of Sunday last was needed for the season had an immense amount of good seed has been almost unproductive and dry, but notwithstanding country looks well and grass is coming along finely.

BICYCLE SUNDRIES! F Wolfville Book Store.

The cellar for the fruit was now completed and the material building on the ground. The will be a fine large one and a residence to shippers of fruit.