

THE ACADIAN.

WOLFVILLE, N. S., APRIL 17, 1896. The Standard Dictionary.

The most comprehensive and highly developed production in English Lexicography has recently been published by Funk & Wagnall, New York, under the title of the "Standard Dictionary of the English Language."

The work embracing 2,580 pages is arranged under two volumes bound in full "Russia." While spelling and pronunciation are treated with great care it is in definitions that the "Standard" particularly excels.

In the appendix an explanation of the "Scientific Alphabet" comes first. Then follows a full explanation, with pronunciation, of the various notable and recent names in bibliography, biography, fiction, geography, history and mythology.

Such a Dictionary as the "Standard" will be hard to improve upon, and it will probably be the leading authority for some time to come.

Town Improvements.

Spring is again with us and a general "clearing up" around town is now in order. First, our streets need it, and they should receive a little attention at once.

It is estimated that last year four's spent in the vicinity of \$10,000 in the town. Is not this worth looking after?

The Town Improvement Society is an organization that was formed last year for the purpose of improving the general appearance and condition of our town.

Time to Choose Good Candidates.

The men of both parties who are chronically and openly disaffected with the personnel of most Parliaments, have now their best opportunity to ensure a better class of members for the next House of Commons.

It is exceedingly difficult to get the members of that party to vote against him because he is unworthy of the place personally. Then, they say, he stands on the party platform and for the party leader; and that a vote for him is in reality a vote for them.

One advantage of having good candidates on both sides is that it frees the contest from the personal element and concentrates public attention on the questions of national interest before the country. This helps to secure an intelligible verdict on the issues at stake and tends to prevent a too common misunderstanding of the meaning of a vote.

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Cambridge.

John Webster, Esq., is making preparations to build a fine residence for himself this summer, near the Station, on the S. Borden farm. Mr Webster is a highly progressive farmer and fruit grower, and is a grand example of patient industry and "self-cultivation" in developing home resources and securing a competence for himself and family.

The northern sections of this part of the County having had greater natural productiveness to start with, have increased in national prosperity correspondingly.

The contrast between the old school houses and schools and what are enjoyed under our free school system is even more marked than are these other improvements, which, doubtless, to no small degree, are due to efficient schools.

For the Atlantic Provinces holds its tenth session at Parrboro from July 9 to July 24, 1896. At the opening Educationists will deliver addresses. On the 10th, excursions to Partridge Island; on the 14th to Blomidon; on the 18th, to the Wolfville Insitutions and Historical Grand Pre.

Registration and one subject, ordinary classes, \$1. Advanced classes, each \$2 per week. Expenses—Class fees for ordinary classes, from \$2 to \$2.50 for the course. Advanced classes, \$2 per week. Board, from \$3 to \$5 per week.

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Wolffville, March 24th, 1896.

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The popular craze of the day is now directed toward the new and elegant cabinet photo of Her Majesty the Queen, worth fully forty to fifty cents each.

The well-known manufacturers of Diamond Dyes recently made arrangements with the publishers of Our Home, by which they were enabled to make the following offer.

An elegant full cabinet photo (from a recent photo taken by royal command) of Her Majesty, Queen Victoria; a four-page pamphlet giving dates and births, marriages and deaths, and other items of interesting and useful information relating to the royal family, but that few people have access to; six Diamond Dye Pills with six extra dyes; and a card of forty-five samples of dyed cloth, showing colors of Diamond Dyes, sent to every man, woman, and child who will send in 25 cents in money or stamps for one year's subscription to Our Home, a paper that thousands declare to be worth \$1.

Wells & Richardson Co. regret very much that they were compelled to keep so many waiting from three to five days before orders could be filled and mailed. The rush of new subscribers has been, and still is, extraordinary—in fact so heavy that the artist has not been able to keep up with the demand.

A special meeting of the Council was held on Tuesday evening, to consider matters relating to the Fire Station. The committee appointed to consider new sites for the building reported that several had been offered and recommended the lot on the corner of Acadia street, and Linden avenue, which could be purchased for \$500.

Tenders were received for the present fire building, viz., E. C. Johnson, \$350; Wm. Regen, \$351.

A motion was introduced to take steps to lease the lot on which the building now stands for a term of five years. An amendment was moved that the tender of Mr Regan be accepted and the fire company and apparatus be located in the present town building. The amendment passed.

Councillors Borden, Caldwell and Harris were then appointed a committee to have the Town Hall put in a suitable condition, and have the fire apparatus located there.

It is Whisped That two young ladies lost their bearings while taking a stroll through the valley of the Gasperen, on Sunday last.

That "Cutey" gets hysterical when he goes to church. That the "wee uns," are beginning to toddle about in pairs.

That a certain courageous young man will shortly make her appearance in bloomers. That one of our most popular young men is suffering from a bad case of big knees, or something of that sort.

On Saturday evening last the Band of Hope of this place paid a visit, on invitation, to the Division. The young people were present in goodly numbers and marched in orderly to the music of a march, skillfully played by Miss Williams, of the Division, and took the seats reserved for them. A joint programme was presented and was most heartily enjoyed by all present.

It is rumored that on the return of Hon. L. E. Baker from Florida he will make a trip to England to consult the management of the D. A. R. towards improving the present arrangements for handling the great volume of American tourists that annually visit Nova Scotia. At the same time he will visit a number of the large shipbuilding firms. The business of the Yarmouth line is taking the present facilities to the utmost, and a new ship, which means a daily trip, is one of the probabilities of the near future.

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Hardwick & Randall, Wolfville, April 15th, 1896.

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The subscriber now offers to sell lots of land, each 140 feet x 50 feet, situate in the Town of Wolfville, Scotia, for the sum of one hundred dollars (for the two lots).

The said lots were conveyed to the present owner by Deed dated the 20th June, 1894, from "The Wolfville Free Land Improvement Company, Limited," for the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars (in cash), having been sold by the said Company, by the aid of the plan supported by the testimony of prominent and influential men of Wolfville, as choice building lots.

Eager purchasers are respectfully referred to Dr. C. B. DeWitt, or William the President of the said Company, for description of the excellence and beauty of the said building lots which may not be apparent on inspection to a person not thoroughly acquainted with the "Land of Evangeline." The said lots are described in the Deed as Lot No. 17 in Block C and Lot No. 3 in Block E, on the plan of the said Company's lands on file in the Office of the Registrar of Deeds at Kentville.

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Two lots on Main street, adjoining property of Louis Bishop, 90 feet front on east side of said Bishop property, 40 feet front on west side of same.

Also: That lot of land on Highlands avenue bounded on north by lands of A. Dixon, on west by lands of J. W. Bishop, and on east by Highland avenue, containing about 1/2 acre, with some 300 trees mostly in bearing.

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