

CIVIC CLUB MEETING

There was not a large attendance of citizens at the special meeting of the Civic Club on Thursday evening of last week but the discussion was interesting and dealt with matters of vital importance to the town.

Mr. B. O. Davidson, the president, was in the chair and stated at the opening that the meeting was called at the request of the Educational Committee to consider some of the revelations made by the recent census taken by the department of Social Service of Acadia University, relative to the school attendance of the town.

In the absence of Dr. Wheelock, the Chairman of the Committee, who was in Toronto, Councillor Sutherland stated briefly the situation. The recent census had shown that in a few cases children of school age were not attending school at all, and in other cases the attendance was not regular. The matter had been brought to the attention of the School Board by representatives of the Childrens Aid Society, and a small committee of citizens and members of the School Board now sought the support of the Civic Club in the matter of the enforcement of the Compulsory Attendance Act and in securing a more general attendance at the public schools.

The question was discussed at some length and the following resolution passed:

WHEREAS it has come to the attention of the Civic Club that there are still a number of children of school age in the town of Wolfville who are not in regular attendance at the public schools,

Therefore RESOLVED, that the Club recommend to the School Board the strict enforcement of the Compulsory Education Act as the only effective agency to meet the needs of such cases;

And Further RESOLVED, that in the event of families to which those delinquent children belong being found unable to provide the necessary clothing and books for their children, the members of the Club hold themselves in readiness to stand behind the School Board, to the end that no child be debarred from the educational privileges provided by the town.

The Educational Committee of the Club was instructed to deal with the matter of assistance referred to in the foregoing resolution.

A resolution was also passed congratulating the School Board on the progress made in school work during the year and

recording the Club's appreciation of the faithful efforts made by the Board to advance the educational standards of our schools and to increase the attendance in all departments.

The matter of providing a suitable place for the children of the town to coast was also considered and the proposition of last year to allow the use of Highland Avenue, properly safeguarded, was again made. Rev. Dr. MacDonald and Mr. E. Percy Brown were appointed a committee to wait on the Council at the meeting this week and ascertain what arrangements, if any, can be made.

MELANSON MANUFACTURING CO. Holds Annual Meeting and Declares Satisfactory Dividends

The annual meeting of the Melanson Manufacturing Co. was held on Thursday, Dec. 22. Organized more than twenty years ago, this concern has made great advancement of late and is one of the most progressive industrial concerns in this locality. Barrel making is one of the chief operations of the company and they also carry on a general milling business. During the past year over one hundred thousand apple barrels were turned out. The capital of the company was increased during the year to \$24,000 and, upon which, at the meeting last month, a dividend of seven per cent was declared. Last summer a fine building was erected to provide a boarding place for the employees of the company, which sometimes number from twenty to twenty-five. It is the policy of the company to carry its own insurance and to place the sum of One Thousand dollars in reserve each year for the purpose.

Mr. F. B. Westcott is the President and Mr. James Eye, largely through whose energy and ability the affairs of the company have reached the present satisfactory state, is Secretary and Manager. THE ACADIAN congratulates the stock-holders of the company on the successful year which has just ended, and extends best wishes for the continued success and prosperity of this most worthy industry.

Mr. and Mrs. W.M. Manning and daughter, who spent Christmas at the home of Mrs. Manning's parents, Dr. and Mrs. G. E. DeWitt, returned to their home at Amherst on Dec. 27. They were accompanied by Mrs. DeWitt who spent a few days at Amherst en route to Florida to spend the winter.

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Personal Paragraphs

Mr. A. J. Russell, of Moncton, spent Christmas with his family here.

Mr. William Chase was home from the Dalhousie Medical College for the holiday.

Mr. Donald Grant was home from the Dalhousie Law School for the holidays.

Dr. Moran Hemmeon, of Halifax, spent Christmas at the home of his mother, Mrs. J. B. Hemmeon.

Miss Jean Russell, who has been spending a few weeks in New York, returned home on Dec. 24th.

Mr. Geo. K. Anderson and his cousin Miss Margaret Cochran, spent the holidays with friends at Halifax.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Williams spent Christmas at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Sleep.

Mr. W. B. Bishop, of J. E. Hales and Co., Ltd., spent Christmas in town, a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hales.

Mr. Murray Beardley and Mr. Francis Archibald, who are attending McGill University, spent the vacation at their homes here.

Miss Gladys Elderkin, of Lawrence, Mass., has been spending a short vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Elderkin.

Mr. Roderick Grant, a student at the Dalhousie Medical College, spent his vacation at the home of his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Wm. Grant.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. MasKenzie, of Montrose, Colchester county, are visiting at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Shaw.

Miss Stella Bleakney, who has been engaged in Kindergarten work in Boston for the past few months, was at her home here for the Christmas holidays.

Mrs. G. A. Foote and daughter, Frances, of Sudbury, Ont., who have been guests of Rev. and Mrs. C.H. Martell, left Dec. 23 for Daytona, Fla., where they will spend the winter.

Mr. William C. Card of Loomis Institute, a high-class school for boys at Windsor, Conn., who has been spending Christmas at the home of his father, Mr. J. M. Card, of Kentville, was in town on last week, renewing old college day associations and visiting relatives and friends.

While your point of view may be more correct, remember, it's the customer's that controls the profit of your business.

BAPTIST SUNDAY SCHOOL CHRISTMAS TREE

The Christmas tree festivities of the Wolfville Baptist Sunday School were held in the lecture room of the Church on Friday evening, December 23rd, and were greatly enjoyed by all present. The programme was brief and interesting. A piano solo was rendered by Miss Miriam Coit. Miss Evelyn Smallman gave a delightfully appropriate reading, on "Why the Chimes Rang", and Mrs. J. G. Elderkin's class of girls furnished music suited to the occasion. The various department of the school came forward by classes and presented their gifts which were at once sent to other schools and organizations made up of less fortunate children. In the absence of the Superintendent, Mr. L. E. Shaw, Dr. MacDonald presided. Santa Claus entered at the right moment and in his usual jolly way directed the distribution of gifts from the well-laden and brilliantly-lighted Christmas tree. The Kindergarten held their exercises on a subsequent occasion with Mrs. R. W. Ford in charge.

Town of Wolfville

Office of Town Clerk and Treasurer.

Notice is hereby given that the assessment roll of the town of Wolfville upon which the rates will be levied in and for the said town for the year 1922, has been filed in the office of the undersigned, the town clerk, and that the said roll is open to the inspection of the ratepayers of the town.

And further, take notice that any person, firm, company, association or corporation assessed in such roll, who claims that he or it is over assessed on such roll, may, on or before the tenth day of February next give notice to the undersigned, the town clerk, that he or it appeals from such assessment, in whole or in part, and shall in such notice state particularly the grounds of objections to such assessment.

And further take notice that if any person assessed in such roll claims that any person, firm, company, association, or corporation has been omitted or wrongly inserted in such roll, he may, on or before the tenth day of February, give notice in writing to the undersigned, the town clerk, that he appeals in respect to the assessment or non-assessment of the said person, firm, company, association or corporation and shall in such notice state particularly the grounds of his objection.

Dated Wolfville, this 3rd day of January, 1922.

R. W. FORD, Town Clerk.

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Kazubazua--The Happy Hunting Ground

Kazubazua! What is it? Where is it? Does it exist outside the comic papers? Thus the ignorant and untravelled.

How many Canadians know that Kazubazua is situated in one of the most beautiful sections of the Gatineau district, that the word, far from being one with humorous intent, is of Indian origin, meaning "hidden river," which is descriptively accurate of the Gatineau at this point? Very few, it is to be feared.

It takes the sportsman to prick up his ears at the mention of the name. For he will probably know that near Kazubazua lies one of the finest trout streams in the province, and that it forms the base of many famous hunting expeditions.

Notable among these were the two trips which have given the Gatineau a staunch friend in Rex Beach, who claims to have hunted over thousands of miles of country without finding anything that could touch the Kazubazua region.

To Conn Teepie, a resident of Kazubazua and the most renowned of Gatineau guides, a measure of Mr. Beach's enjoyment and success is certainly due.

Teepie, a spare, wiry man who does not look his age—whatever it is!—has "called" moose for many a hunter, but save for bears, whose skins adorn his home, he does not care "fer killin'."

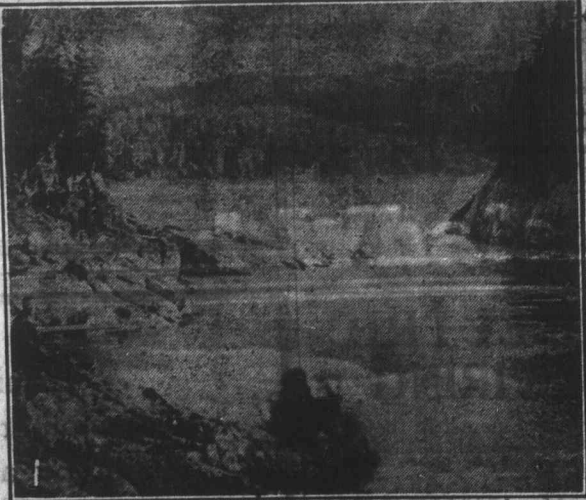
"He's an awful dear man," said a neighbour of his one day, and when pressed to give a reason for Mr. Teepie's expressiveness, he explained:

"He can spot a deer miles away. Seems almost as if he could feel 'em in the air. Where nobody else can bring in game, Conn Teepie can. He knows by lookin' at a hill whether there's deer on it. Yep, he's an awful dear man, he is!"

Mr. Teepie's tastes are frankly rural. He looks with keen disfavour upon metropolitan inventions, especially the motor car. Walking to him is the natural method of locomotion, though the advantages of a "team" are at times apparent. He walks 25 miles a day with true enjoyment, but one evening after motoring sixteen miles, he returned to his home exhausted. "Tuckered right out," he complained. "It's a good strain on a fella, you know, fella settin'!"

The station at Kazubazua holds itself haughtily aloof from the town. Conveyances of every description meet the trains and transport travellers over a sort of sandy table-land, profusely covered with blueberries in summer, to the cluster of cottages that form the village. This blueberry patch is about 9 miles in area and its output would practically feed Montreal.

Kazubazua presents a very different appearance to Low for example. The hills seem farther away, the country is wilder, in spite of a relatively larger settlement. Deer are seen close by, bears are not unknown, moose drink at the "crick" and yet telephone bells whirr in almost every home and three hours travel will take one to the Capital of the Dominion.



(1) A typical view of the Gatineau River and Hills.

(2) Kazubazua has a main street.

There is a main street in Kazubazua, a carding mill, a cement plant and a flour mill. Outside the latter stand the old grinding stones that were used in past years, and on the main road there is an earthen oven, upon which one might look as the grandfathers of our Community Kitchen. It has been extensively used within recent times.

Kazubazua will not attract the commensurate, the type of vacationist to whom six wardrobe trunks and ten hatboxes are a necessity. There isn't a moving picture palace in the place, nor a Chinese restaurant, nor an apartment house!

There are two stores, however, and gold has been found in the district. This is true because at one of the stores there are postcards for sale showing a robust looking gentleman leaning on a pick-axe and shadowed by a huge mound, which is supposed to represent pay dirt, probably, but which sceptical non-investors regard merely as a futile attempt to alter the position of the Gatineau hills.

There is a bear at Kazubazua. Its face is not confined to

those generally associated with that melancholy carriage. On occasions it will draw up smartly at the hotel, the sombre-clad driver will jump nimbly from his box and assist a passenger to alight. Then, in a hearty tone quite at variance with that he is wont to use, he will explain for the benefit of the gallery, "Wern't no room in the rigs over to the station, so I brought this fella' along with me. One dollar please!"

Where is Kazubazua? What is it? Ask any of the men who from now until the close of the hunting season may be seen driving their motors along the main road and into the hills. Observe the sportsmen's restless eye, the tonneau filled with camping equipment, listen for the intermittent bark of a gun in the distance! Or, if an answer is not forthcoming from these signs, sit at some bountiful table a little later in the year, feast the jaded palate upon a succulent steak of venison or moose and ask, Where is Kazubazua? Your huntsman host will tell you!—Madge Macbeth.

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