

THE ACADIAN.

WOLFVILLE, N. S., APRIL 27, 1894.

A New Street.

We understand that arrangements are completed between the owners of property for the opening up of a road between Main street near Mr. Vaughn's store, to College avenue west of J. W. Caldwell's new house and just east of the school house. This will be hailed by the people of Wolfville as a great improvement and convenience to the town. The necessity for such a street has for years been apparent. The grade is an easy one and will make it a desirable way over the hill south. The land for the street will be given to the town, although it takes a valuable lot off the street, owned by Mr. J. F. Herbin. Very fine building lots will be found on this street, and the promoters of the scheme have kept in view as well the future needs of this growing town in the way of a fine and convenient avenue between what has become the leading sections of the town. Wolfville has grown into the necessity of more than one street. We are glad to find our citizens abreast of the times.

Town Council.

A special meeting of the Town Council was held on Tuesday evening, April 24th. Present the Mayor, Coun. Thomson, Sawyer, G. W. Borden, Starr and the Recorder.

Coun. Sawyer, chairman of the School Board, submitted the following:

The Board of School Commissioners at their last meeting, on April 14th, passed the following resolution which is respectfully submitted to the Town Council.

Whereas the estimates submitted for school purposes, \$1721.61, was adopted by the Council, March 6th, last; and

Whereas, some draining has been found necessary, also the furnishing of another room; therefore

Resolved, that the Town Council be requested to assess the town of Wolfville \$1800 for school purposes for the current year.

Resolved that the report of the School Board, in reference to assessment be adopted and the amount asked for be placed in the estimates.

Resolved that the Com. on Water Works be instructed at once to complete the purchase of land about the dam on the mountain.

Com. read from Walter Brown, Town Clerk, resigning the position, to take effect May 1st. On motion the resignation was accepted.

Cum. was read from Mr. Frank A. Dixon offering himself for the position of Town Clerk. On motion the offer was accepted, and Mr. Dixon was appointed Town Clerk, at the same salary as paid Mr. Brown, to begin May 1st.

Application was read from Messrs. Duncanson Bros., asking permission to establish a slaughter house on property adjoining that of Mrs. James Wallace.

Resolved that the consent of the Council to the request of Duncanson Bros., respecting erection of slaughter-house, be deferred until the written assent of those residing near the projected slaughter-house be obtained by Duncanson Bros., and submitted to the Council.

Resolved that the estimates for Poor for coming year be raised from \$200 to \$300.

The following estimates for current year were presented:

Table with 2 columns: Item, Amount. Schools \$1800, Streets 750, Street Lighting 360, Poor 300, Salaries 550, Assessment 50, Contingency and overdraft 500, Safe and expenses 150, Fund to County 900.

Resolved that the Town Clerk be instructed to levy and collect a rate of one per cent. or one dollar on the hundred, 60 cents for general purposes and 40 cents school purposes for the current year.

Resolved that the Town Clerk be instructed to retire the note given by the late road commissioner to J. W. Hamilton.

Resolved that the bill of Leonard Rogers for \$400 be paid.

Resolved that the Council in accepting Mr. Brown's resignation as Town Clerk express its appreciation of the way in which he has performed the duties of his office.

Resolved that the Water Com. be requested to make suggestions and recommend what changes would be advisable in the water service rates.

Our valued contemporary, the Bridge-town Monitor, completed its 21st year on the 10th inst., and to commemorate the event has issued a special issue containing portraits of the founders, the present manager, and leading citizens, buildings, etc., in the country. The paper is well printed on good paper and reflects the greatest credit on the publisher. The Monitor is one of the best journals in the Maritime Provinces, and deserves the success it has achieved. We extend our congratulations and best wishes for its continued prosperity.

We understand that Captain Taylor has sold the fine new residence which he erected last summer to Dr. Parker, of Halifax. This property is a very desirable one. The house which was built by Mr. D. A. Munro, is excellently planned and was constructed of the best of material in the most modern style, and does great credit to the mechanic. We are glad to see such men as Dr. Parker coming to Wolfville. Captain Taylor will probably build again in another part of the town.

Acadia's Alumni in New England.

(Special Correspondence to the ACADIAN.)

Boston, Mass., April 18, 1894.—Today the United States hotel was the scene of re-union of a number of Acadia's alumni. The occasion was the second annual meeting of the New England Branch of Acadia College Alumni Association. The following gentlemen were present: Rev. C. A. Eaton, B. A. Lockhart, Esq., M. G. Smith, D. D. S., M. D., I. W. Tingley, Rev. A. T. Kempton, J. W. Godfrey, A. R. Minard, I. W. Porter, C. H. Miller, M. D., H. Y. Corey, I. E. Bill, G. S. Freeman, S. A. M. Reid, Rev. W. M. Smallman, J. W. Hiley, E. W. Marvin, J. C. Farish, M. S. Campbell, Prof. S. M. MacVane, L. A. Palmer, Prof. J. F. Tufts, J. E. Eaton, G. W. Cox, Rev. D. H. Simpson, Rev. W. B. Bogg, Rev. G. B. Titus, Rev. F. D. Crawley, and Rev. R. M. Hunt. The meeting was convened at four o'clock this afternoon by the President, Rev. C. A. Eaton, of Natick. After the discussion and disposal of several matters of business, the officers for the ensuing year were elected. They are as follows: Rev. R. M. Hunt, of Jamaica Plain, President; M. C. Smith, D. D. S., M. D., of Lynn, Prof. S. M. MacVane, of Harvard University, Rev. G. B. Titus, of Everett, Vice Presidents; B. A. Lockhart, Esq., of Boston, Secretary-Treasurer; Rev. C. A. Eaton, Rev. D. H. Simpson, M. C. Smith, D. D. S., M. D., C. H. Miller, M. D., Rev. Robt. MacDonald, Executive Committee.

After a few short speeches, the entire number, accompanied by President Elliot of Harvard University, and President Hoveh, of Newton Theological Seminary, adjourned to one of the spacious dining-rooms of the hotel where an elaborate and sumptuous banquet was partaken of. At the close of this some stirring speeches were made. President Eaton first called upon Rev. Dr. Bogg for some account of the educational institution over which he presided in India. Dr. Bogg in responding briefly outlined the work in which he was engaged. A great demand for religious instruction had come soon after the great revival which had spread over the land some years ago, when 10,000 natives had been converted to christianity in a single year. In endeavoring to meet this demand an institution had been established in connection with which there are at present 120 students. Notwithstanding many difficulties referred to the work has been wonderfully successful.

Prof. McVane in responding to an invitation from the president referred very graphically to several incidents in connection with the college life at Acadia. Although twenty years had passed since he had been in Nova Scotia, the beautiful scenery of Wolfville and its surroundings was still fresh in his memory. He was glad he had gone to Acadia College, for had he never done so he would never have gone to Harvard. The two he thought made a good combination, much better than one alone even though that one were Harvard.

The next speaker was Prof. Tufts. The majority of these present had studied under Prof. Tufts' efficient guidance and it seemed as though the entire company were transferred to one of Acadia's class-rooms when he arose to speak. He received a great ovation. He prefaced the most important part of his speech with some remarks respecting Nova Scotia as a country. He said he believed it was one of the finest on the globe. On its mountains were large forests of excellent timber, while beneath the surface of many of these mountains were stored inexhaustible supplies of coal and iron. The valleys produced the choicest fruit, and the waters which surround her coast yield a harvest more valuable than that of the mines of Peru. In Nova Scotia collegiate education was of three types—that of Kings college was modeled after Oxford, England; that of Dalhousie after Edinburgh and Glasgow, and that of Acadia after New England. The constituency of Acadia had been largely peopled by New Englanders. Men trained in New England had occupied a prominent position on the teaching staff. Acadia received her support from the Baptists, of whom there were about 30,000. Not more than two among this number were worth \$500,000, not over thirty were worth \$100,000, while about nine-tenths were in moderate circumstances. During the past 20 years this denomination had raised for educational and missionary purposes about \$200,000, which was a good sum considering their financial condition; but a debt had also been incurred to the extent of about \$40,000. The authorities were anxious to wipe this debt out. In 1874 when he became connected with the college, there were only 32 students in attendance; now there were 110. The equipment of the college and standard of the work done had kept pace with this progressive age. He felt that good work was being done there on a very limited amount of capital. The increase in students and adoption of the elective system of studies in Junior and Senior years necessitated increased accommodation in the way of more class rooms. He hoped to see some steps taken to provide this. As Acadia had sent a large number of men to New England, he thought New England should in justice make some return for it.

Mr. Horr, of the Watchman, being present, was asked to say a few words. He said that he had become acquainted with many graduates of Acadia and found a large number of them had strong predilection for the ministry. He wondered

if Nova Scotia was more religious than this country or if this was due to the influence exerted at the college.

President Hoveh expressed great pleasure at being present. He said if he had a basket full of large, part of it went out towards men from Acadia, because Newton had received many splendid students from there. Her students had taken as high rank in scholarship with them as students from Brown, Waterville, or any other institution. He paid a very high compliment to Acadia's honored president when he said that he wished he was as good a teacher as President Sawyer. He felt Newton was indebted to Acadia and he hoped the time might come when that debt would be paid off.

The last speaker of the evening was President Elliot. He said he had been much touched by what Prof. Tufts had said, as it recalled incidents in the history of Harvard ever since he became connected with her. Then Harvard's faculty only numbered 14 persons. Her great growth had come since the civil war, as a part of the general development of the country. He thought that Acadia, in sending many of her sons to New England, was only paying off a part of the debt the province owed this country, as Nova Scotia had been peopled more than once from New England. He had always admired those people whose convictions were so strong as to lead them to make sacrifices for them. As to the hope of any college in the future, that will depend upon the growing strength of the community in wealth, moral force, etc. Harvard has grown that way and so will Acadia. Harvard depends on the character of the men she produces. That is what builds up a college. Prof. Broye is right in saying that each small college is a centre of intellectual life. These diffused small institutions are going to live. They will not be extinguished. They are more durable than any other human institution. Many state institutions in Europe have quickly collapsed. We can safely affirm the permanence of educational institutions. They are second only in stability to the church. His acquaintance with men from Acadia was very similar to that of president Hoveh. An excellent line of students had come from Acadia to Harvard and he hoped it would continue. None were more welcome to their graduate school than the graduates of Acadia. He liked them for another reason. They were apt to be Baptists, and the Baptists were the first in Mass. who recognized the right of independence in religion and who practiced toleration; and they were the first to suffer for this. On the water-gate at Chicago he had inscribed this short sentence, "Religious toleration the best fruit of the last four centuries." The Baptists had powerfully contributed to this.

Several letters were read from alumni in different parts of the neighboring country. Among which we remember those from President Scherman of Cornell University, Rev. W. B. Lockhart, of Manchester, and Rev. Robert MacDonald, of Warren Avenue church, Boston. All expressed deep regret that they were unable to be present. The last named

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member of the association expressed his sympathy and loyalty to the college by enclosing a cheque for thirty dollars. This very generous donation of Rev. Mr. MacDonald to the Alumni Professorship was received with much enthusiasm, and will doubtless stimulate others to do likewise. The entire meeting was an unqualified success and reflected the greatest credit upon those who have had the matter in charge. The N. E. Branch of Acadia College Alumni Association is evidently now a settled fact. It has passed beyond the initial stages, and promises to be very aggressive in promoting the interests of the alma mater of its members.

DR. BARSS, At the residence of Mr. Everett W. Sawyer, Wolfville. Telephone No. 38.

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NOTICE OF ASSIGNMENT. NOTICE is hereby given that Burpee Witter, of Wolfville, in the county of Kings, merchant, did by deed bearing date the 5th day of April, instant, assign to me all his real and personal property, whatsoever and wheresoever, in trust for the benefit of his creditors. The said deed of assignment has been duly filed in the Registry of Deeds for Kings county, and a duplicate thereof lies at my office in Kentville, Kings county, for inspection and execution by the creditors within three months from the date thereof.

W. P. SHAFNER, Assignee. Kentville, N. S., April 11th, 1894. 5 ms.

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Death of John W. Harris.

It is with deep sorrow that we record the death of Mr. John W. Harris. In a short time last week the ACADIAN stated that Mr. Harris was suffering from pneumonia. He was around town on Wednesday evening, but was taken ill during the night. From the first very little hope was entertained of his recovery, and the news of his death which occurred Sunday morning at half-past 3 o'clock was not a surprise. So great was his suffering that he had to be kept continually under the influence of morphia up to the last hour, although on Saturday he rallied sufficiently to transact some important business matters. The deceased was widely known and universally respected, not only by those among whom he lived, but also by hundreds who have been entertained at the American House, of which he was the past fourteen years the proprietor, and which he had lately disposed of. He was a kind neighbor and a good citizen, and will be greatly missed in the community. The funeral took place on Tuesday afternoon, and was very largely attended. The services were conducted by Rev. Dr. Higgins, who was assisted by Revs. Deacon and Mr. J. Freeman. The remains were interred in Willow Bank cemetery. The bereaved widow and surviving friends have the sympathy of all.

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TENDERS! For the erection and completion of a Cheese and Butter Factory Building at Wolfville, will be received until 12 o'clock, noon, on Saturday, May 5th. Plans and specifications may be seen on and after Monday morning, next, at the residence of C. R. H. STARR, Wolfville, to whom tenders are to be addressed. The committee do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender. By order of the directors. Oscar Chase, Sec.-Treas. Acadia Dairy Co. (Limited). Wolfville, April 26th, 1894.

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