

THE ACADIAN.

WOLFVILLE, N. S., APR. 10, 1914.

Editorial Notes.

In Yarmouth the women are taking steps towards organizing a branch of the National Council of Women of Canada. This organization has become an effective instrument throughout the Dominion for the correction of evils and the spread of a new type of Canadian womanhood. There is room for its operations in every town in Canada.

Board of Trade Notes.

The Council met on Monday evening with a full attendance on hand. Several important matters were discussed and referred to the different committees for further consideration and report.

The next meeting of the Council is called for Monday next, April 13th, at 7:30 p. m. The whole Board will meet on Wednesday, April 15th, in the Council Chamber at 8 p. m. An every-member present attendance is desired for this meeting as several important matters of vital local interest will be presented for discussion. Among the latest reports, etc., on file in the Council Chamber are, 'Hansard,' (received regularly), 'Royal Commission on Industrial Training and Technical Education,' these volumes, also, the report of the National Transcontinental Railway Investigating Commission, and many others. This literature contains information of immense value, and it is hoped that the members will avail themselves of it, and thus come into the possession of a fund of knowledge of intrinsic value.

The ladies of the town are cordially invited to identify themselves with the Board at this stage of its history, as special attention is to be given to civic improvement affairs.

G. T. BRYANT, Secretary.

A Mother's Praise of Baby's Own Tablets.

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A Musical Treat.

Manager Black of the Opera House announces that he has completed arrangements for a festival concert by Mme. Evelyn Scott, the coloratura soprano of the Boston Opera Company, who so delighted music lovers here last spring. She will be assisted by other artists from the Boston Opera Company, the names of Mr. Howard White, the splendid leading basso, and Mme. Clara Sapis, prima donna contralto, having already been announced. Mr. White, it will be remembered, was next to Mme. Scott, the greatest favorite of the last season, which was his only appearance in this town. None of the artists who are to come here this spring, except Mme. Scott and Mr. White, have appeared here before. The date of appearance is Wednesday evening, May 13th. Mme. Scott has some new and spectacular coloratura arias, including the Mad Scene from 'Hamlet,' the Polonaise from 'Mignon,' the waltz song from 'Roméo and Juliet,' and the ball song from 'Lakmé,' while Howard White is always magnificent in his deep voiced numbers. He has scored significantly this year at the Boston Opera House, as Mephisto in 'Faust,' and as Plunkett in 'Martha,' as well as in the Wagnerian cycle. Mme. Sapis is a newer member of the organization, but one who has been well liked in Boston, both in opera and in concert.

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Good Roads Again.

DEAR MR. EDITOR:—No man is better qualified than a doctor to write on the subject of roads. When a physician's services to a community cover a period of forty-five years it means that hundreds of thousands of miles of roads in all conditions have rolled beneath his wheels. Dr. G. E. DeWitt need make no apology for his interesting letter in your issue of April 3.

I happen to be secretary of the Good Roads Association of Kings county, but it is not in that capacity that I wish to say a few words regarding Dr. DeWitt's letter.

First, I would express the wish that more citizens of the county would show the active interest in the good roads movement that is shown by Dr. D. Witt. As a resident of the county, however, not fortunate enough to live within one of the incorporated towns, my viewpoint of the road question differs in some ways from the viewpoint of the doctor.

A resident of an incorporated town is not so apt to become enthusiastic over the use of the split-log drag. He wants surfaced, permanent streets and if the cost happens to be \$70,000 per mile that cost can be distributed over a good number of taxpayers. Out in the smaller villages and the sparsely settled country districts there is a different problem. Splendid, indeed, would it be if we could have the country roads surfaced, but when we consider that Kings county has over a thousand miles of country roads not only is the financial part troublesome but the choosing of a starting point would arouse local disturbances.

The doctor suggests that a town ship might bond itself for, say, \$50,000, get that supplemented with \$50,000 from the government and spend the total on permanent roads. I believe it would be a good investment, but my believing so would have little influence on the vote in that township and in these days of the high cost of living and the great scarcity of money I do not believe a bond issue would carry. At any rate the carry out of such a plan would involve much bitter controversy.

In the meantime we have our thousand miles of earth roads capable of being improved at least fifty per cent. by the judicious use of the machinery we have. We need a little more local pride stirred up. We need that every surveyor should be impressed with the fact that drainage is the first great essential in good road making. We need an effort put forth in every section to have the road work done earlier, in April if possible. We need a thousand split log drags in the county and an arrangement made whereby, even under our present faulty law, these drags can be used after every rain. Surely here is a great work for a Good Roads Association.

As the Good Roads Association grows stronger it can branch out and try for such roads as the doctor suggests. We need them. We ought to have them, and what is more, we are becoming really aroused in the matter. Our first great work, however, should be to systematically arouse interest in the improving of our earth roads.

At the outset I said this letter was not official. I have a personal suggestion. If we had surfaced roads all over the county we would be in a better position to haul around our cannon, mobilize our fighting forces, haul in commissary supplies, etc. Therefore, why not let us ask the who rule us to close up Aldershot Camp for a few years and take the \$150,000 it costs each year to run the camp to expend on the kind of road Dr. DeWitt suggests? A few years of closed camp would do the trick. I don't believe one of us would lose a wink of sleep if we had to do without the militia protection for a few years honestly. I believe that is a better plan than asking our townships to take on a bonded debt.

P. F. LAWSON
Berwick, April 6, 1914.

Coming to Wolfville.

The friends of Capt. James McConnell of Port Hillford, N. S., the pioneer fox breeder of the province, were glad to see him in town last week. Mr. A. T. McConnell, his son, is coming to our town to reside this summer, as soon as the foxes of the Bout Island Fox Co., Ltd., can be moved to the company's ranch. The captain himself is a fur dealer of more than thirty years' experience and he has made a fortune from the sale of black foxes. He knows the business, and his son, who is a director of the Bout Island Company, recently organized here, has had all the best training in the McConnell Co.'s business to fit him for the work. He will advise the manager of our local company, thus ensuring its success. The McConnell stock has been sold on P. E. I. for years, because of the exceptionally good quality of its skins. We are informed that nearly forty foxes have been sold to one island firm alone. The demand for the McConnell foxes this spring greatly exceeds the supply. The Bout Island Fox Co. are fortunate in getting the contract for their two pairs of breeders early in fall.

Acadia Notes.

Work on the new library building has been resumed and is going along rapidly.

Rev. Dr. Cutler made a flying visit to Montreal at the end of last week.

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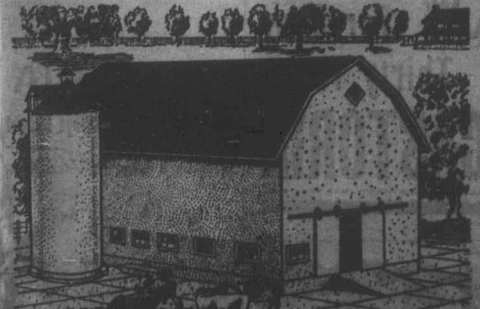
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