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Why Not Adopt These?

An exchange recently presented a set of resolutions which every public spirited citizen of Wolfville ought to adopt for his own guidance. Here they are:

That you will keep so busy that you will not have time to knock.

That you will vote talk and work for a bigger, better, brighter town.

That you will help to make this a good town, so the town can make good.

That you will increase the value of your property by improving its appearance.

That you will say something good about this town every time you write a letter.

That you will invest your money here, where you made it and where you can watch it.

That you will not point out the town's defects to a stranger or fail to point them out to a neighbor.

That you will keep your premises picked up and your buildings repaired, as a matter of both pride and profit.

That you will never buy a thing outside of town until the local merchants have been given a chance to sell it to you.

That you will brag about this town so much that you will have to work for this town in order to keep from being a liar.

That you will take half a day right now to pick up the odds and ends a road the place and turn them into either use, money, or ashes.

That you will contribute as much money as you can afford, and as much enthusiasm as anybody, to any movement to develop the town's resources.

That you will join the movement to induce the people in this town to do their buying at home, or, if there is no such movement, that you will start one.

That you will make friends with the farmer, if a town man, or with the town folk, if a farmer, and help work together for the good of the community of which this town is the center.

Editorial Notes.

Death has removed from our public life a very conspicuous figure in the person of Hon. William Patterson, who was called to his eternal rest on Tuesday afternoon of last week at Pictou, Ont. He was one of the strong men in the Liberal party and was Minister of Finance in the Laurier Administration from the date of its formation in 1896 until its defeat in 1911. He will be a distinct loss to the Liberal party. Mr. Patterson was not only a clever politician and an able statesman, but a very successful man of business. He was at the head of a large manufacturing concern in his native province of Ontario. He has been in public life almost without a break since 1872. The news of his death was received with universal expressions of regret at Ottawa and the same feeling is expressed throughout the country.

Board of Trade.

Quite a successful meeting of the Board of Trade was held at the Council Chamber on Wednesday evening. A goodly number of new members were elected and the following officers were chosen for the ensuing year: President—Edson Graham; Vice President—A. M. Young; Sec. Treas.—Rev. G. T. Bryant; Council—Dr. DeWitt, H. Stairs, J. W. Williams, J. F. Herbin, A. R. Hales, C. M. Gentry. It is proposed during the coming year to make a special effort along the lines of civic improvement, a work in which the Board has accomplished considerable in past years. There are undoubtedly many improvements that might be made especially in the matter of tidying up the streets and public property, as well as in interesting citizens to a still greater degree in the beautification of lawns, grounds, &c. Much of the advancement made in Wolfville during recent years is due to the efforts of the Board of Trade and we trust with increased membership and enthusiasm much may be accomplished during the present season.

An Interesting Series of Lectures.

Mr. John Bradford, who made such a signal success of the experiment in Community Work tried by the International Committee of the Y. M. C. A. of America at Amherst, N. S., and now Community Secretary for Montreal, is addressing student meetings at Acadia. So far reaching are the benefits of these addresses that we would like to have the whole community participate. On Monday evening the subject was: (a) The Home and Family Life. (b) The City. Tuesday evening Mr. Bradford spoke on (c) The Public Care of Children. (d) The Boy Problem. The Wednesday subject was: "Wider use of Schools—Illustrated." There will be four more lectures in this series, the first one being Friday evening. All these addresses will be in College Hall at 7 o'clock. The addresses on Friday evening will be illustrated and to help defray expenses a silver offering will be asked on that occasion. All these lectures are free to any one who wishes to attend. The following is the remainder of the schedule: Friday, 7.30, Play ground and Public Recreation (Miss Stairs). Saturday, 7.30, The Social Evil. Monday, 7.30, The Modern Church. Tuesday, 7.30, The Y. M. C. A. in Education.

Comments

ON CURRENT COMMONPLACES

"LADIES FIRST."—Our arms their defence, their arms our police! Women as members of the School Board? Are there any reasons why they should not be elected or appointed? And, as Mr. Bradford affirms: "The community is the larger family," why not open to them the doors of the Town Council, and the Board of Trade? But, first give them the vote. A Liberal member of the Ontario Legislature recently argued in favor of granting the municipal franchise to all married women. He could not see why a woman who, in a moment of weakness, had married, should be denied the right to vote. Another member suggested that the granting of this privilege should prevent the introduction into Canada of militant methods. If women are men's equals, they should enjoy equal rights as citizens.

If your Xmas bill bills are all paid you may now give your attention to the Easter millinery.

The recent Social Congress in Ottawa was a great success. Ralph Connor commenting upon the administration of law declared that one result of the Congress would be a marked change in the present penal administration. "There is one thing clear," he said, "and that is this—our present method of handling crime is out of date." Speaking of another subject discussed at that Congress, viz. Unemployment, do you, my reader, think, with a University debater, that unemployment makes men dishonest? In speaking on the evils of unemployment the speaker is reported to have said: "Unemployment makes honest, physical fit men dishonest, and weak men criminals. The public cannot afford to laugh at the tragedy which this situation presents. It is the duty of the Government to ascertain the real condition of affairs, and reach conclusions as to the best way to remedy them."

In view of the avalanche of veteran claims being received daily at Ottawa it might have been cheaper to have allowed the Penians to take Canada

A Regina despatch says:—Next meeting of Council a resolution will be submitted to advance the clock an hour for summer months, thus gaining benefit of an hour's sunlight in the evening that now goes to waste in the early morning. Citizens generally, and particularly followers of sport, are strongly in favor of the change.

That looks like the West trying to get ahead of the East, which will never do. How many citizens of our town would be in favor of Wolfville following the example of Regina?

Senator Choquette desires to regulate the character of illustrations which appear in some of the news papers, and to prohibit the use of pictures of criminals and their crimes. From the Senate debate good may result.

Every honest journalist will frankly admit that Canadian newspapers have grave defects. After the last word of criticism has been spoken, however, the fact remains that our newspapers give less space to crime than they did twenty years ago; they are more moderate than the platform, and more restrained than the pulpit.

The kais er killed forty wild boars and seven teen stags in one morning. It the worst comes to the worst, and he loses his throne, he should be able to get work in a slaughter house

Public sentiment throughout the county in favor of better roads has been strengthened by the splendid demonstration of paved permanent streets in this town.

Good roads add tremendously to the pleasure and prosperity of a community. It is highly desirable that there should be at least two or three improved highways, built according to the best methods, in the county.

I suggest the bisecting of the riding by one such road from east to west; another from Kennebec to Kingsport, and still another from Greenwich to Canaan. From every possible standpoint, having in view economy with efficiency, a good road is a valuable asset. I trust the proper authorities will be far-sighted enough to take action immediately, following up the holding of a Good Road's Convention in our midst.

There is profound wisdom in the following verse. This is good gospel to preach in your home town:

In every town some folks keep a home around, And every time strangers come to town— Some folks go kicking the town around, It's ever some's kiddle's home around, (Keep your kiddle, be hopeful and profane!) It's a mighty poor way to build up a town— To keep kiddle's public interest around, But, like others, we have a few old heads 'Who get at the stranger that comes to town— Says 'Come to a home, and kick it round.' (A home's a home, then a town's a town, And can't build up if kicked around and around.) You have a right to kick your own town, But it hurts as all if you kick your town, Now let's pull together for the good's sake town, And stop kicking our own town around. 'Tis the town, if a man'll make an' mind! If you don't stop kicking, we'll get no strangers in town.

It is town talk that a Forward Movement, contemplating certain improvements—things that every well conducted town should possess, is about to be launched. I cherish the hope that the scheme will anticipate the conversion of every 'Knocker' in town into a 'Booster'.

By the way, what do you think of this as a definition of the former postmaster, or lady? "The bookster is the gentleman who sits read into the

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It has its salutary lessons, which should be taken to it by every Canadian, lessons teaching caution, prudence and moderation. The slow for some time to come should be: Make haste slowly, and, let us hope, surely and safely. VERAX.

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