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Editorial

Our pulpits are our work clothes. Each of us live some kind of a sermon every day.

THIS NEEDS ATTENTION

The attention of the town authorities is again directed to the unsightly and rather alarming condition of affairs which at present exist along the water front. These conditions have been referred to before by this journal but so far we have been unable to secure the necessary action on the part of the powers that be. A stroll in this section of the town at the first of the week revealed a state of affairs far from creditable and inspired this comment.

The principal place of offence appears to be at the rear of the old DeWolf wharf. This property was purchased some years ago by the Dominion government and what remains of the wharf is in a most delapidated condition. This has apparently been made a place of deposit for all sorts of refuse material which emits a stench that is almost unbearable, and the nuisance continues practically along the whole bank. With the tourist season now at hand the prospect presented to the passengers approaching the railway station is far from pleasing or attractive, while the neglected section furnishes a most favorable breeding place for all kinds of insect pests. Immediate steps should be taken to prevent the practice of using this place as a public dump and the work necessary to put it in a satisfactory condition should be proceeded with at once.

While we dislike exceedingly giving publicity to such matters as the above mentioned and much prefer pointing out only the beauties and attractions which abound on every hand, we feel that we would be remiss in our duty to the public by refraining from calling attention to the need of correcting the case of every evil that exists in the community.

A GENERAL ELECTION NEEDED

The present indications in the political affairs of Canada point to the necessity of a federal election in the not far distant future. While the outlook is by no means a pleasing one it seems the only way out of the muddle into which the country has been plunged as a result of the contest of 1921. Both sessions that have been held during the life of the present parliament, while decidedly expensive to Canadian people, have been practically barren so far as the passing of any useful measures has been concerned. A member of the present house some time ago volunteered the information to THE ACADIAN that "government by minority is no joke". It certainly is no joke so far as the interests of the country are concerned. The existing three-cornered fight for supremacy is a menace to the country's well-being that we cannot afford to longer continue.

Canada pays more per capita in governmental expenses than any other country under the sun and its people should demand efficiency and honesty in the conduct of its public affairs. A government that fails to function is of no use to the people of this promising young country. Regardless of its political stripe our next government should be strong enough to be able to deal with the many important issues now facing Canada in an independent and aggressive manner, with due regard for the happiness and prosperity of its people.

A LITTLE HELP WANTED FOR A GOOD CAUSE

The "Neracar" recently purchased by the Victorian Order for the use of Miss Harry in her work is giving splendid satisfaction. By its use the nurse is able to proceed easily and quickly from place to place and render more efficient service.

There yet remains, so THE ACADIAN is informed, a balance of about ninety dollars to be met in the payment, which it is hoped some generous person or persons will provide. In the recent canvas citizens responded most willingly and over two hundred dollars was secured, mostly in small amounts. One lady, who has since taking up her residence in Wolfville been foremost in every good work, made a donation of fifty dollars, which gave the undertaking a splendid start.

The work being done by the V. O. N. in this community is of such value as to appeal strongly to the sympathy of the public, and as a consequence every appeal that has so far been made for help has been generously received and responded to. THE ACADIAN hopes to be able in its next issue to announce that the present requirement has been provided for in full. Contributions may be left at the office of this paper and will be duly acknowledged.

"There is so much bad in the best of us
And so much good in the worst of us
That it hardly behooves any of us
To talk about the rest of us."

Take things gently, forget the ill and remember the good. Never fret about what you cannot help or cannot understand. Be patient and kind to man and beast for all need kindness. Make much of the sweet, tender honest things which are the true riches.

Six little words lay claim
To me each passing day—
I ought; I must; I can;
I will; I dare; I may.

An Atlantic City barber, while cutting a customer's hair, recognized a scar on his head, and discovered that he had been attending to his brother, whom he had not seen for twenty years.

A man often makes fun of a woman for not reasoning things out—when, perchance, that is all that keeps peace in the family.

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SPRING FLOWERS COLLECTED BY GRADE VI

Name of Flower	Date	By whom found
Alder	Apr. 17	Vernon Brown
Mayflower	" 23	Mary Coldwell
Pussy Willow (shedding pollen)	May 2	Avard Wallace, Horace Brown, Harold Mitchell
Poplar	" 2	Murray Smith
Daphne (escaped from garden)	" 9	Dorothy Lockhart
Red Maple	" 9	Leota Spicer, Alan Carey
Dandelion	" 10	Elaine Abbott
Shepherds Purse	" 10	Elaine Abbott
Horse Tail	" 10	Vernon Brown, Avard Wallace
Strawberry	" 11	Elaiife Abbott
Periwinkle	" 14	Kenneth Murphy
Blue Violet	" 14	Gertrude Duncanson, Murray Smith
Elm	" 14	Leota Spicer, Dorothy Lockhart
White Violet	" 16	Mary Toney
Trillium, Wake robin	" 18	Horace Brown
Common Chickweed	" 18	Dorothy Lockhart
Ground Ivy	" 18	Earl Pineo
Gold Thread	" 21	Mary Toney, Murray Smith
Wild Pear	" 21	Leota Spicer
Birch	" 21	Murray Smith
Blueberry	" 22	Leota Spicer
Cherry	" 22	Murray Smith
Eyebright	" 22	Earl Pineo
French Willow	" 22	Leota Spicer
Mouse-ear Chickweed	" 22	Alan Carey
Currant	" 22	Kenneth Murphy
Gooseberry	" 22	Kenneth Murphy
Bellwort	" 25	Earl Pineo
Plum	" 25	Murray Smith
Sorrel	" 25	Freeman Walsh
Sugar Maple	" 25	Freeman Walsh, Thomas Stackhouse
Swamp Blackberry	" 25	Murray Smith
Wild Mustard	" 25	Murray Smith
Rhodora	" 28	Alan Carey, Murray Smith
Everlasting	" 28	Mary Toney, Leota Spicer, Alan Carey
Wild Cherry	" 28	Leota Spicer, Murray Smith, Alan Carey
White Clover	" 28	Seymore Gerard
Hop Clover	" 28	Murray Smith
Apple	" 29	Elaine Abbott
Painted Trillium	" 29	Frances Patterson
Broom Crowberry	" 29	Elaine Abbott
Low Buttercup	" 30	Isabel Smith
Bane-berry	" 30	Horace Brown
Forget-me-not	" 30	Frank Regan, Alan Carey
Sand-spurrey	" 30	Dorothy Angus
Sweet Fern	" 30	Murray Smith
Elderberry	" 30	Alan Carey
Bunchberry or Cornel	June 1	Alan Carey
Pear	" 1	Elaine Abbott
Chokeberry	" 2	Lorraine Jackson
Star Flower	" 5	Brought by many
Cinquefoil, Five-Finger	" 5	Mary Coldwell
Red Clover	" 5	Elaine Abbott, Dorothy Lockhart, Leota Spicer
Peach	" 5	Gertrude Duncanson, Frances Patterson
Tall Buttercup	" 5	A. Carey, D. Angus, L. Spicer, E. Abbott
Horse Chestnut	" 5	Dorothy Angus
Mountain Ash	" 5	Frank Regan
Yellow Violet	" 5	Horace Brown
False Solomon's Seal, bifolia	" 5	Alan Carey
Lance-leaved Violet	" 5	Horace Brown
Choke Cherry	" 11	Dorothy Lockhart
Sarsaparilla	" 11	Avard Wallace
Milkweed	" 11	Murray Smith
Blue-eyed Grass	" 11	Elaine Abbott
Purple Lilac	" 11	Dorothy Angus
Small Creso	" 11	Earl Pineo
White Hawthorn	" 12	Murray Smith
Charlock	" 12	Murray Smith
Caraway	" 12	Leota Spicer
Blackberry	" 12	Avard Wallace
Wild Raspberry	" 12	Seymore Gerard
Wild Turnip	" 12	Vernon Brown
White Lilac	" 13	Dorothy Lockhart
Iris, Blue Flag	" 13	Gertrude Duncanson
Nodding Trillium	" 14	Horace Brown
Twisted Stalk	" 14	Horace Brown
White Daisy	" 14	Murray Smith
Lady Slipper	" 17	Vernon Brown
Sweet Cicely	" 17	Vernon Brown
Rattlesnake-weed	" 18	Kenneth Murphy
Silver Cinquefoil	" 19	Frances Patterson
Quince	" 20	Gertrude Duncanson
August Flower	" 20	Murray Smith
Pink Hawthorne	" 20	Horace Brown
Stitchwort	" 20	Isabel Smith
Common Speedwell	" 20	Murray Smith
Shrubby Cinquefoil	" 20	Lorraine Jackson
Thyme-leaved Speedwell	" 21	Leota Spicer
Yellow Wood Sorrel	" 21	Elaine Abbott
Bed-straw	" 21	Elaine Abbott

Bladder Campion	" 21	Alan Carey
Chocolate Root, Avens	" 25	Vernon Brown, Avard Wallace
Corkscrew Orchid	" 25	Vernon Brown, Avard Wallace
Rein Orchid	" 25	Vernon Brown, Avard Wallace
Cockle	" 25	Dorothy Lockhart
Vetch	" 29	Vernon Brown, Avard Wallace
Ladies Tresses	" 25	Horace Brown
Sheep Laurel	" 25	Murray Smith
Wild Parsnip	" 25	Mary Coldwell
Small Evening Primrose	" 25	Leota Spicer
Yarrow	" 25	Frances Patterson

HATTIE BISHOP, Teacher.

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