

Editorial Notes.

The Bangor Commercial notes the fact that all over the United States there is a decided reaction against the teaching of what it calls 'races' in the high schools, and as a result of the adoption of a more practical course.

There is evidently a very general desire on the part of the citizens of Wolfville that at least one woman should be a member of the School Board.

Prof. Robertson's Lecture.

On Wednesday evening the citizens of Wolfville and the students of the university had the pleasure of listening to a most excellent address delivered by Dr. J. W. Robertson on the subject of 'Technical Education.'

In opening Dr. Robertson stated that the aim of the present system of education was that 'everybody should be trained for his job.'

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Comments

ON CURRENT COMMONPLACES

In taking up my pen to write for the first time over the non de plume 'Verax,' I am reminded of a former editor of the 'Manchester Examiner,' writing to the daily press articles which were afterwards republished and attracted widespread attention.

I do not pretend to wield the pen of a Dickens or a Mark Twain, though I often sigh for such. To attain unto the excellence of such writers as Defoe, Swift, Bolington, Southey, Coleridge, Macaulay and Lang, to mention only a few of those literary luminaries who in their day and generation so edified their readers through that organ of public opinion, the newspaper, is beyond my power.

Our orchardists grow the varieties of apples that the markets demand. Taking my cue from them it will be my constant care to comment only upon subjects of public and popular interest, both local and general.

Without further preamble I will proceed to comment upon the Public Notice signed by the Chairman of the Police Committee, which appeared in the last issue of THE ACADIAN.

April 1st is a day chosen for the commencement of this campaign of confiscation. It is to be hoped that no person, pig owner or 'pig kicker,' will be troubled. Poor innocent pigs, why should they be treated thus while poultry are allowed to trespass on the property of citizens whose own fowls are kept within the poultry yard?

The probability is that hens will be more impudent than ever this spring by reason of the present market value of their eggs.

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Householders owning black cats will, of course, collar and chain their pets, failure to take this precaution may result in 'Tom' being 'collared' anyhow.

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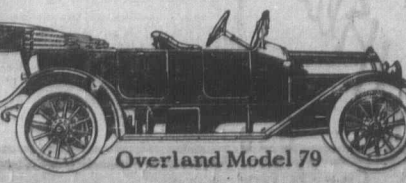
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