

THE ACADIAN.

WOLFVILLE, N. S., OCT. 12, 1894.

Oliver Wendell Holmes.

Oliver Wendell Holmes, famous as a poet and author, died at his residence, Boston, on Sunday, from a complication of diseases. Dr. Holmes has been in feeble health for a long time, and although an iron constitution, has long labored with disease, it was at last shattered. The last hours of Dr. Holmes were passed quietly, with his family at his bedside.

Oliver Wendell Holmes was born at Cambridge, Mass., in 1809. At the age of 20 he graduated at Harvard College and began the study of law, which he abandoned for that of medicine. In 1847 he was appointed to a professorship in the Massachusetts medical school, from which he retired in 1882. As early as 1838 his contributions in verse appeared in various periodicals, and his reputation as a poet was established by the delivery of a metrical essay entitled Poetry, which was followed by others in rapid succession. As a writer of songs, lyrics and poems for festive occasions he occupied the first place. For many years he was a popular lecturer, and contributed largely to current medical literature, as well as literary journals and reviews.

Prohibition Convention.

A Prohibition Convention for the Maritime Provinces will be held at Annapolis Royal, on Wednesday and Thursday, Oct. 17th and 18th. The first session will be held at 2 p. m. on Wednesday. All Churches, Lodges, Divisions, Councils, W. C. T. U.'s and Religious and Temperance Societies of whatever name, are requested to send representatives. The prominent temperance workers in the three provinces are expected to be present. W. W. Buchanan and other temperance leaders from Ontario and Quebec have announced their intention of attending. The objects are stated to be to prepare the temperance forces for action in view of the near approach of a general election to prevent the supreme issue from being ignored in the coming campaign; to consider the advisability of putting independent candidates in the field in certain constituencies; and to complete the formation of a central bureau on political action, thus securing uniformity of the most effective and powerful force in all railway and steamship companies for the transportation of delegates. Hotel accommodation can be had at very reasonable terms. Delegates will be met at all trains.

According to the Ottawa Bureau of Industries' latest report there is a noticeable disposition on the part of the farmers to improve away the "snake" fences which so greatly mar our landscape. On a few farms experiments with hedges have been tried, especially with the locust, but the comments made upon it are not favorable. Barbed wire, however, is finding favor, which is perhaps but a qualified blessing. Woven wire is not so bad, and the use of that is likewise increasing for fencing. Straight rail fences serve to break the monotony of the enterprise in this line of agricultural improvements. But the farmers say prices are poor and they do not feel justified in going to greater expense in their devotion to beauty.

Between 1870 and 1880, says the London Times, Danish agriculture was on the brink of ruin, but the establishment of agricultural schools, the abandonment of wheat growing for dairy work and the establishment of co-operative factories converting the milk of a score or two of farms into butter for the English market, have given the Danish farmers prosperity amid universal depression. Canada has been following the same policy and is reaping the same reward. Thanks largely to the energetic policy of the Dominion department of agriculture.

The nomination of Senator Hill by the Democrats, for the governorship of New York state, is evidently but a stepping stone to his appearance in the list of presidential candidates two years hence. His nomination will bring out the fighting Democracy in full force, but it will also bring to the front all that is objectionable in the Democratic party organization in the empire state. His defeat might not be a mishap to the future and permanent interests of the Democrats.

The opening lecture of the College year was delivered in Assembly Hall on Monday evening by Prof. D. F. Higgins, Ph. D. There was a good attendance of students and townspeople. The address was an able plea for the College as a means of equipment for the duties of life. It was heard with close attention and received applause at several points.

We understand that the Brown, Munro & Co. building, on the corner of Main and Chapel streets, has been purchased by Messrs T. L. Harvey and Watson Duncan. The building will undergo some changes at once. Mr. Harvey will occupy the corner store and Mr. Duncan the new store on

Fall Races at Kentville.

The managers of the Kentville Driving Park have the best list of entries for the races next Wednesday, Oct. 17th, that has ever been offered at one meeting in this county. Seven of the fastest trotting and pacing stallions in Nova Scotia are entered in the 2.29 class; and eight of the fastest trotters in this county are entered in the 2.55 class. All that is needed to make the meeting a grand success is a fine day. There will be an excursion from Lunenburg to Kentville on the 17th, and from 800 to 1000 people are expected to take advantage of the cheap fare to Kentville. The secretary has engaged the Lunenburg Brass Band to play at the trotting park, in the afternoon. This Band is one of the best in the Province, and all lovers of good music and fast trotting should make an effort to attend this, the last trotting meeting of the season.

ENTRIES IN 2.29 CLASS:

"Rowdy" 2.30%, by Alford.
"Sir Brenton" 2.31, by Grand Sentinel.
"Sir William" 2.35%, by Messenger Wilkes.

Hugh Fowler, Bridgetown.
"Rampart Jr." 2.29, by Rampart.
"Resolution" 2.28%, by Rampart.

James Gibson, Br.oklyn.
"Cushing's Pilot" 2.34%, by Black Pilot.
"Nellie Bly" 2.33%, by Alford.

ENTRIES IN 2.55 CLASS:

"Lakeville Girl" by Zenith.
"F. L. Robinson, Lakeville.
"Machinist" by Alford.

J. P. Jordan, Kentville.
"Sealette" by Zenith.
"Kingbird" by Rampart.

E. P. Bowles, Wolfville.
"Kentucky Prince" by Lambert.
H. C. Lydiard, Kentville.

"Vera Wilkes" by Mambino Wilkes.
J. L. Cox, Canning.
"Little Tiger" by Frenchman.

A Declining Industry.

According to present indications the Gloucester fishing fleet, once the pride of New England, will soon be a thing of the past. The number of vessels engaged in this branch of industry has been steadily decreasing and the operations of this year have been very unprofitable; indeed, a Gloucester despatch says, scarcely a firm has paid expenses, while of profit there is none. The mackerel fishery, once a profitable industry employing a thousand sail and twenty thousand men, is almost extinct while halibut and cod are rapidly disappearing from waters at all convenient to New England fishermen. The disappearance to disaffection among those interested in the fisheries and this in turn led the United States government to abrogate the fisheries treaty with Canada. It was a purely selfish policy but instead of helping the Gloucester industry it has but hastened its ruin. The government of Canada, feeling that our fishermen were to be placed at a disadvantage in disposing of their catch, took the only sensible course and adopted measures for protecting our vastly richer fishing grounds from the ravages of the fisher men of the United States; the fishing industry was assisted in every possible way and the result is that our people, being able to build and fit out vessels cheaper than those of Gloucester, have reaped a benefit and not an injury from the hostile policy that was intended to take us on our knees to Washington begging for favors. Thus it is that while the fishermen of the maritime provinces are fairly prosperous, the hardy sons of New England dependent upon a once prosperous industry are now in sore straits and see their great source of employment gradually slipping from their grasp.

New Hall at Port Williams.

During the past summer the members of "Lily of the Valley" Division, S. of Port Williams, have erected a commodious and comfortable hall, which is an ornament to the place and speaks well for the enterprise of the members. On Friday evening last the hall was dedicated in regular form. Besides the members of the division there were present a goodly number of persons interested in the cause of Temperance, among whom were several members of the Grand Division. The Division, clothed in regalia, occupied seats on the platform. Excellent addresses were given by James Dempster, G. W. P.; W. S. Sanders, G. S.; J. E. Butler, (representing the Grand Division); Rev. E. C. Ford, Rev. Mr. Axford and Professor Keirstead. While all the addresses were good, that given by Prof. Keirstead was especially so, and was listened to with close attention. The speaker said that the building of a temperance hall in a community was not, as many supposed, a small matter. The influence of a good temperance society is of value to every citizen. The prosperity of a county depends upon its land, its capital and its citizens. What ever tends to build up a strong, moral manhood should receive the encouragement of all. During the evening an excellent programme of music was rendered by a choir from the Division, and a well-written poem, appropriate to the occasion, was read by Mr. E. Blackadder, of Wolfville Division. We wish the members of "Lily of the Valley" Division a successful and useful career in their new hall.

Members of the Winnipeg grain exchange are enthusiastic over this season's samples of two rowed barley grown in this country. It weighs 56 lbs. to the bushel and is equal to English grown barley in quality of making whisky.

The second steamer load of plant for the construction of the South Shore Railroad has been landed in Yarmouth. This plant is said to be the largest of the kind ever landed in the Dominion, and with the force of men now working over six hundred, work has been commenced in a manner that signifies a speedy completion of the line from Yarmouth to Shelburne. Many of the Italians that have been working on the Harvey line are now engaged on the South shore, and as this extensive plant above referred to is extended over a distance of fifteen miles the transforming of many miles of rough lands into good road bed will be a work soon accomplished. One good feature in connection with the building of this road is that the Company buys the "right of way" as the surveys are made and pays cash. We wish the construction gentlemen who comprise the

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Fire insurance in reliable English Companies.
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Prompt attention given to collection of debts.
Fire insurance in reliable English Companies.

N. S.

N. B.—Mr. will be in Windsor on Thursday of next week, remainder of time at his office in Kentville.

AN ARREST

IN LIFE'S JOURNEY.

Had Taken the Wrong Road.

Endured Many Trials and Sufferings.

Heard of the Glad News of Paine's Celery Compound.

Mr Church Says: "It Snatched Me From the Grave."

THE CURED MAN'S HONEST TESTIMONY.

HE URGES ALL SUFFERERS TO USE THE MEDICINE THAT GAVE HIM NEW LIFE.

An important arrest in life's journey.

A man saved who had travelled on the road that leads to the silent, dark grave.

His trials and sufferings were heavy and cover he had made many efforts to rid himself of the shackles and chains that bound him, but for long months his endeavors were futile.

While on the great highway of disease and suffering Mr John A. Church, of Coldbrook, N. S., heard the glad news of victories won over disease by Paine's Celery Compound; his heart bounded with joy and fresh hope, and he lost no time in testing the virtues of nature's great healer.

The first bottle produced a mighty change, and warranted Mr Church in buying a second bottle, and a new lease of life was obtained.

Before hearing of Paine's Celery Compound Mr Church was literally robbed of his money as he bought medicines of all kinds that proved useless and worthless.

His experience is of great value to every sick and suffering man and woman in Canada. He writes thus:—

"It is with pleasure that I give testimony in favor of your Paine's Celery Compound. In the spring of 1892, I had an attack of La Grippe which put me into such a condition that I could not sleep or eat. I was completely run down, had extreme nervous prostration, and lay for days in a stupified state."

"After spending all my money for medicine which did little good, I gave up to die, when one day a paper on Paine's Celery Compound was brought to me. I at once procured the medicine, and derived great relief from the first bottle. I slept better, ate better, and digestion improved. After using nine bottles I feel like a new man."

I can truly say that Paine's Celery Compound snatched me from the grave, and gave me a new lease of life."

I earnestly urge all sufferers to use Paine's Celery Compound, feeling sure it will cure them. Do not spend your money for medicines that cannot cure you."

"Forward" on the Exhibition.

The prominence given in the late exhibition to the display of the goods of the brewer and tobaccoist, calls forth an indignant protest from Forward, the official organ of the Sons of Temperance. It says:—

"There was one feature of the exhibition that was simply an outrage upon the people of Nova Scotia, and a disgrace to those chargeable with the arrangement. We ask the farmers of Nova Scotia, those who delve in our mines, those who sail our ships, our mechanics, our engineers, our architects, artists, manufacturers of wood, steel, iron, cotton and wool, our educationists, if their departments were allotted space and position, in proportion to their relative value, as compared with that given the poison of the distillery, brewery and tobacco factories!"

It is simply a fraud and an outrage that the public sentiment of Nova Scotia should be set at defiance, the public funds used to provide a Provincial Exhibition, and that instead of exhibition purposes its best space should be utilized to advertise this nefarious trade.

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NEW DRESS GOODS.

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The variety consists of Sedan Cloths, Covert Coatings, Coating Serges, Habit Cloths, French and German Tweeds, Eastman's Serges, Silk Mixtures, Priestley's Cravettes, &c., &c.

We have also imported a beautiful assortment of Dress Trimmings to match our Dress Goods, in colored Pass-montres, Jets, Sequa Trimmings in black and colors, Braids of all kinds, Moire Silks, Moire Velvets, &c.

Mail orders will receive our careful attention.

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Latest Styles!

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COAL! COAL!

TO ARRIVE from New York, per schr. Wascana, another cargo

LACKAWANNA COAL, in all sizes!

ALSO: Cargo Old Sydney Mines Coal!

The public are invited to call or write for prices before purchasing elsewhere. Springfield and other Soft Coals in stock. 5 per cent. discount for cash.

Phone 26.

J. F. Armstrong & Co.

Wolfville, Sept. 5th, 1894.

WE SELL!

The Windsor "Silver Moon."

The Best Heating and Most Economical Base

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Cook and Parlor Stoves.

Kitchen Furnishings.

Carriage Rugs and Blankets,

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OF FALL AND WINTER

Trimmed Millinery.

Wednesday and Thursday, Oct.

3d and 4th.

Hardwick & Randall.

Wolfville, September 28th, 1894.

SYDNEY COAL!

ON the way and daily expected from Sydney, per Schr. "Harold Borden,"

cargo BEST OLD MINES SYDNEY COAL. In store White Ash, free

burning, Lackawanna Hard Coal, in all sizes—Nut, Stove, Egg and Furnace;

also, Lehigh, broken for Foundry purposes—all of which will be sold at very

favorable rates and terms, and satisfaction to customers guaranteed. Also

SPRING HILL Coal always in stock and prices right.

TELEPHONE NO. 18.

HIGGINS & VAUGHN.

Wolfville, August 24, 1894.

Just Received!

A choice lot of "Blue Cross" Ceylon Teas.

BEST TEA IN THE MARKET.

Most fragrant and delicious, the Doctors recommend it, prices 40c, 50c, 60c per lb. Try this brand when you are ordering Teas, to be had at the Crystal Palace, China Teas at 20c, 30c and 40c per lb.

Our Coffee is Pure Java—the best article in town—Ground to Order.

A large assortment of Flavoring Extracts, viz. Lemon, Vanilla, Rose, Nutmeg, Apricot, Peach, Strawberry, Raspberry, Cherry, Blood Orange, Cloves, Pineapple, Banana and Pear. These goods are the purest manufactured and are guaranteed.

Leave your orders at the Crystal Palace and you will be well satisfied with the result.

N. B. Eggs wanted at 14c. Good Print Butter, 20c.

T. L. Harvey,

Wolfville, Aug. 30th, 1894. 49

W. J. Balcom

has secured an Auctioneer's license and is prepared to sell all kinds of Real and Personal Property at a moderate rate.

Fruit Baskets.

4500 arrived on Tuesday, with new book fasteners. For sale in lots to fruit purchasers at factory prices. Resident agency for the W. Valley district. Apply to W. C. ARCHIBALD.

Bennett H. Armstrong, LL. B.

Barrister, Solicitor, &c.

Office: Main St., Wolfville.

Money to lend on mortgage. [45]

FOR RENT!

Small tenement on Main Street.

Apply at American House.

Aug. 23d, 1894. 46

TO LET!

Three Houses in Wolfville.

Apply to G. E. DEWITT, M. D.

Wolfville, Oct. 12th, 1894. 47

Dr. DeWitt,

OFFICE IN HIS RESIDENCE, MAIN ST.

WOLFVILLE. 7-47

DOMINION ATLANTIC RAILWAY.

"LANE OF EVANGELINE" ROUTE.

On and after Wednesday, 3d Oct., 1894, the trains of this Railway will run daily (Sunday excepted).

TRAINS WILL ARRIVE WOLFVILLE.

Express from Kentville.....5.45, a.m.

Express "Halifax".....9.27, a.m.

Express "Yarmouth".....3.39, p.m.

Express "Halifax".....6.00, p.m.

Accom. "Kentville".....6.25, a.m.

Accom. "Halifax".....11.15, a.m.

Accom. "Annapolis".....11.25, a.m.

Accom. "Richmond".....7.35, p.m.

TRAINS WILL LEAVE WOLFVILLE.

Express for Halifax.....5.45, a.m.

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Monday, Wednesday, Friday.

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Trains are run on Eastern Standard Time.

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The subscriber offers for sale that very eligible residence and property now occupied by him on Main street, Wolfville; consisting of two and one half acres of land with a frontage of 170 feet on the street, a commodious house containing 14 rooms, stable and barn. On this lot are about 40 fruit trees in excellent bearing. Adjoining the above lot lies a valuable dyke lot of 19 acres in good condition, and cutting a fine quality of hay, also a 8 acre lot of marsh land.

These lots will be sold either separately or together. A large proportion of the purchase money may remain on mortgage. The pleasing appearance and convenient situation makes this a very desirable property. Apply to

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Office upstairs in Shaw's new

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THE ACAD

WOLFVILLE, N. S., OCT.

Local and Provin

Supreme court is in sessio

ville this week.

Prof. Keirstead preached in

ville Presbyterian church last

You cannot get your new

Dominion electoral lists after

day.

Yarmouth's reception of

Lady Aberdeen cost the to

\$800.

The frame for the new vi

is now up and work is being

rapidly.

Acadia Lodge, I. O. G. T.

preparations to celebrate its

on Oct. 27th.

The old house on the Gas

lately occupied by Andrew

destroyed by fire one day

Mr C. S. Baker, who has

Wolville agency of the Reg

for some time, left on Tues

for Halifax.

Mr W. K. Gilmore, who

arrived on Tuesday even

spent a few weeks with

parents, Capt. and Mrs G.

this town.

Amherst-made Long Do