

# THE ACADIAN.

WOLFVILLE, N. S., NOV. 22, 1918.

## The Assessment.

The time for making another assessment upon which the taxation of the town is to be based is again at hand, and it behooves citizens generally to take some interest in the proceedings. Forms to be filled up for the information of the assessors will soon be placed in the hands of ratepayers. That the assessment of not only the town but of the county in general has been very badly made in the past is generally admitted, and it is certainly time for a change. A great deal of the trouble is due to the fact that many departments of county expense are borne pro rata by the county and town, and there is, hence, a desire and effort on the part of all to have the proportion as low as possible. So far as Wolfville is concerned, and the same is undoubtedly true as regards other municipal ties of the county, there would be plenty of money at a moderate rate of taxation to provide all the funds necessary to carry on public affairs, if a fair assessment were made of all the property and a great deal of the property is assessed at a ridiculously low figure. A case in point is that of the Maritime Telephone and Telegraph Co., which probably owns more property and does a larger business than any other organization in the town. Reference to the assessment roll shows that last year the company was assessed for the magnificent sum of \$380. The annual income of this concern, which recently made a further reach into the pockets of its patrons, is probably not less than twelve thousand dollars for its Wolfville business, and the plant, we undertake to say, represents a valuation of not less than twenty thousand dollars. The professional man who receives an income of from fifteen hundred to two thousand dollars is assessed for every possible dollar and this wealthy concern is let off with the payment of a mere pittance. If the concern were a local one, trying to bear its share of public responsibility and, evidencing an interest in local affairs it might be expected to receive some consideration, but such is not the case. On the other hand they are encumbering and disfiguring our streets, and giving a very inefficient service with their obsolete equipment. The addition which was recently made to the building is an architectural offence to citizens, and a member of the Council referring to it recently, stated that the Town Clerk should have an increase in salary as a compensation for being compelled to look upon it from his office window. It is to be hoped that the assessors when making up the new roll may make such a valuation on this and other institutions as will do justice to the town and its citizens.

The Victory Loan Campaign in Kings county proved a great success, the total amount subscribed being \$245,000, while the amount allotted to the county was \$650,000. All parts of the county did splendidly, and nearly every place exceeded its allotment. The amount subscribed in Wolfville district was \$302,450 as follows: Wolfville, \$216,250; Grand Pre, \$37,500; Gasperere, \$37,500; Greenwich, \$10,750. Each place not only won a flag but a crown to put on it. Wolfville did exceptionally well. Estimating the population at 1500 it means that the average amount subscribed by every man, woman and child in the town was \$144. Can any town in Nova Scotia or in Canada beat this record?

Following are the flags and crowns won in the county: Wolfville, Grand Pre, Gasperere and Greenwich, each a flag and a crown. Port Williams has won a flag and five crowns, Canard a flag and crown, Canning a flag, and the Petereau, Kingsport, Scotts Bay district a flag and crown. Kesville also won a flag and crown. Berwick, Harborville and the Grafton-Someset district each won a flag. Aylesford has four crowns for its flag and Kingston has three.

## Victory Loan Success.

The Richmond, Virginia, Times-Dispatch pays this warm tribute to an English Princess, Queen Marie of Roumania, daughter of the late Duke of Edinburgh and cousin of His Majesty King George V.

When the right time comes all the victor nations should write in formal tribute to Marie, Queen of Roumania. Among the faithful she has been faithful. Amid cravens yielding to brutal power her courage never has faltered. With her treachery all about her, she has kept her honor and that of her country unsullied. This world war has developed no more majestic, heroic or beautiful character than hers, and she should know of the love and admiration felt for her by brave and honorable people.

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Speaking in London on Canada's Commemoration Day to an assemblage of 400 officers gathered together to celebrate the 4th anniversary of the arrival in England of the First Canadian Contingent, Lieut-General, Sir Richard Turner, V. C., paid the following noteworthy tribute to the Overseas work of the Canadian Y. M. C. A.

"Out people in Canada have from the drop of the hat responded nobly. It is their effort that has provided 300,000 Canadians—in addition to the thousands of reservists that had settled in Canada, but on the outbreak of war had to report to their fighting depots. And wherever you go you find the Red Triangle, and to the devotion of the Canadian Y. M. C. A. thousands of all ranks bear willing testimony. Canada's outstanding lessons are 'Efficiency, and the proper application of man-power.'"

The dinner was held in the Criterion Restaurant, Piccadilly. General Turner himself presided, other speakers being Sir George Perley, Lord Beaverbrook and Mr. Donald Macmaster, K. C., M. P.

Earlier in the day a Commemoration Service was held in St. Margaret's Church, Westminster, attended by about 2000 Canadian troops representing all the divisions and training units. At this service conducted by the Rev. D. F. Warner, senior Canadian chaplain in the London area, the lesson from Revelation 21 was read by Lieut. Col. G. W. Birks, Chief Supervisor of the Canadian Y. M. C. A. Overseas, and the address delivered by Colonel the Rev. J. W. Almond, C. M. G., director of Canadian Chaplain service.

## Russian Instinct.

Kerensky, says a liberated Russia, will rise like a Phoenix from the Tonic Bolshevik ruin. His confidence is supreme in the 'unshakable Russian will to be free.'"

Kerensky's faith seems well founded. After long years of tyranny, torture, taxes and terror; after Cossack whips and Siberian horrors; after living in the domain of dungeons and the shadow of death—the Russian people may be expected to save themselves, though the throes of readjustment at present resemble objectless chaos.

Russia's persecuted peasantry is governed by instinct. Instinct is ever fallible than reason. It is the unerring guide of nature. Russia hears and is striving to heed its call. German corruption and disruption has sharpened the briars along the way, but they will serve to hold the stragglers to freedom's fresh-blazed trail.

—Am. Ex.

## Guard the Children From Autumn Colds.

The Fall weather is the most severe season of the year for colds—one day is warm, the next is wet and cold and unless the mother is on her guard the little ones are seized with colds that may hang on all winter. Baby's Own Tablets are mother's best friend in preventing or banishing colds. They act as a gentle laxative, keeping the bowels and stomach free and sweet. An occasional dose will prevent cold or if it does come on suddenly the prompt use of the Tablets will quickly cure it. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

The November issue of Rod and Gun published by W. J. Taylor Limited, Woodstock, Ont., is on the news stands and is replete with good things for the sportsman reader and lover of outdoor life generally. 'Canadian Game Trails' by Hubert Hutson, 'The Moose Call', a story of two narrow escapes, by G. F. Hiltz, 'Carcass', the record of a unique experience in the winter wilds, by A. Sturtzel, and 'Humors of the Hunt' by George E. Belton, are some of the contributions to the story section of the magazine. Other articles follow and the usual departments are well maintained. An article on the making of moccasins is illustrated by F. V. Williams who is also the cover design artist. Guns and Ammunition contains the first instalment of 'The National Matches at Camp Perry' by C. S. Laidie, 'Rod and Gun Mechanics' for Trappers is a page of illustrations and supplements the department. Along the Trap Line which is continued in this issue.

Now that peace is here you will find The Nation an almost indispensable journal. With the coming of peace the problems of thoughtful citizens will be even greater; if that may be possible, than during the war. All the great issues of readjustment and reconstruction will be discussed by leaders of progressive thought in the pages of The Nation. Published weekly at \$4.00 a year.—H. P. Davidson, the Magazine Man, Phone 201.

A striking proof of the increasing wealth of Canada is furnished by the monthly report of Canadian banks. At the end of September there were \$26,000,000 more on deposit than at the same time last year. The increase in savings deposits is \$69,000,000 and in demand deposits \$117,000,000. During September alone savings increased by \$23,700,000 and demand deposits by \$34,000,000, a total of \$57,700,000. During September, 1917, the increase was only \$25,500,000. Much of this money should find its way into Victory bonds.

Do not delay ordering your Christmas magazines. Order at once so as to be sure to get them here in time. H. P. DAVIDSON, The Magazine Man, Phone 201.

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## Wedding Bells.

JOHNSTON-BILL.  
A very pretty and quiet wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ingram E. Bill, Nisga Man, on Friday evening, Nov. 8, when their second daughter, Arabella Rebekah, was given in marriage to Arto Welbert Johnston. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Mayse, Baptist pastor, in the presence of friends and relatives.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, entered the room to the strains of Lock-in's Bridal March softly rendered by Miss Dorothy Bill, sister of the bride. The room was tastefully decorated with white drapery and toilage, the wedding party standing beneath an arch banked with flowers.

The bride looked charming in an evening gown of cream satin with trimmings of seed pearl embroidery and tulle and veil crowned with orange blossoms. She carried a shawl bouquet of cream roses and maiden hair ferns and was attended by her sister Miss Violet, becomingly attired in fish palette silk with touches of pearls and carrying a bouquet of pink roses and ferns. The groom was ably assisted by his cousin, Mr. Haden Cardno, of Darlington. At the close of a pleasant evening spent in musical selections a dainty buffet lunch was served.

The groom's presentations were both costly and beautiful, his gift to the bride being a handsome diamond brooch; to the bridesmaid a twin diamond and ruby ring; to the best man a tie pin set with white pearls; and to the maid of honor a cameo ring set with diamonds.

The numerous and expensive gifts and abundance of good wishes showered upon the happy couple by their host of friends revealed the high esteem in which they were held among the people of the community.

Owing to the influenza Ban Mr. and Mrs. Johnston were obliged to postpone their wedding tour to the coast for some future date. They will reside on the Johnsons farm north of Nisga.

[The bride was a one time a visitor to Wolfville and her friends here extend congratulations and good wishes for her future happiness.]

## New Travelling Regulations.

Persons Embarking at U. S. Ports Must Procure Passports Before Leaving Canada.

UNDER an order issued by the Secretary of State, Washington, effective November 18, 1918, all persons going from Canada to foreign destinations by way of United States seaports must obtain a passport from the U. S. Department of State before embarking there for Canada.

Such permission must be arranged for either by executing a declaration and procuring visa on passport before one of the American Consuls in Canada, or by making formal application before any of the United States Immigration officers located in Canada upon forms furnished by the said officers.

In order to allow sufficient time for investigation, the submission of papers to Washington, etc., applications should be filed either with the Consul or the Immigration Officer at least 17 days prior to the date of proposed departure.

The State Department invites special attention of prospective travelers to the fact that unless they have obtained visa by an American Consul, and it is effective regarding all destinations, including Mexico, U. S. insular possessions, etc., but not including Bermuda.

United States citizens seeking to proceed to foreign ports are required to have passports issued by the State Department, applications for same being obtainable from the various American Consuls.

The figures of the Victory Loan are not complete, but there is every prospect that the total will amount to \$700,000,000, an excess of \$200,000,000 over the objective set for the Dominion. It is truly a triumphant success—the greatest financial achievement in the history of the country, and the Canadian people may well be proud of the magnificent result of their own effort.

Particulars have been received of the exploit of a French-Canadian who gave his life and won the V. C. over in Flanders. He could not speak a word of English.

Good Housekeeping advances in price Jan. 1st. Order now. Price \$2.00.—H. P. DAVIDSON, the Magazine Man, Phone 201.



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The Cash Shoe Store

## Announcement.

The shareholders of Hilly & Harvey Co., Ltd. have resolved to liquidate their business by December 31st of the present year.

They take this opportunity of thanking their numerous customers for patronage extended during the past years, and would also ask your further cooperation by settling all accounts by December 31st, also after October 31st, as far as possible to pay cash for goods purchased.

Yours sincerely,  
HILLY & HARVEY Co., Ltd.  
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Special attention given to Storage Batteries. Defective and sulphated (dead) batteries cleaned and repaired and restored to their original strength. Batteries re-charged; batteries loaned; batteries stored.

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D. R. MUNRO, - PROPRIETOR

## NOTICE

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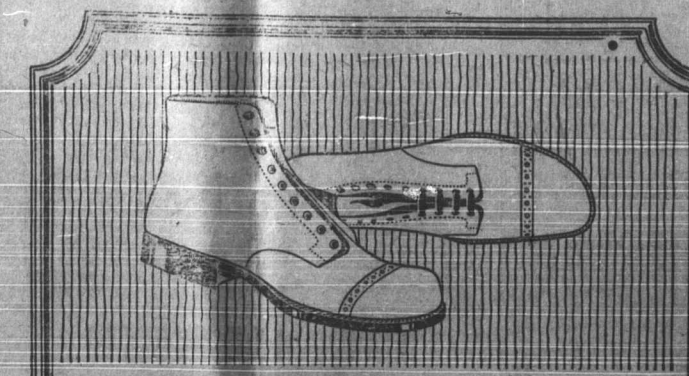
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Look for the manufacturer's trade-mark on the shoes you buy. It is a sign that the manufacturer himself has confidence in the shoes, and that they are worthy of your confidence. A responsible manufacturer will not jeopardize his reputation by placing his business signature upon an unworthy product.

Buy shoes of a brand you know, from a dealer whom you know. Buy for service rather than merely for appearance. Thus you may be assured of Quality Shoes at Fair Prices.

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20 per cent. off Coats and Suits.

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