

THE ACADIAN.

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Editorial Notes.

Liberal seniors gave an illuminating answer to the question, "When is a man a man?" in their vote on the naval bill.

There was no demonstration when the senate turned down the Borden navy bill. Evidently the large audience in the galleries was too much disgusted to express itself.

It is understood that as a result of the visit to Ottawa of Sir Cecil Spring Rice, the new British Ambassador at Washington, the Dominion will in the future have an official attached to the British Embassy at the United States Capital, in the capacity of an adviser to the British Ambassador on all matters pertaining to Canada.

Mr. Borden Justified.

A review of the inability of the Canadian Government to provide additional battleships, the British Government has determined to hasten the construction of the three vessels necessary to maintain the Empire's proportional strength at sea. The British taxpayer is once more compelled to assume that portion of the Imperial burden that should properly fall upon Canadians. This decision of the Liberal Government in the Mother Country finally and absolutely justifies the Canadian Prime Minister's policy.

Surely we have heard the last of the argument that there is no emergency. If there were no crisis in European armaments the peace-loving Radical Government of Great Britain would not hurry to make good Canada's default caused by Sir Wilfrid Laurier, George Ross, and a group of Liberal Senators responsive to the party whip. The three additional battleships were hurried to completion for the security of Canada as well as to ensure the general safety of the Empire.

The purpose of the Liberal Government of Great Britain is not to increase the humiliation of Canadians. Its purpose is solely to make good the breach in the Imperial defence, which the Prime Minister of Canada proposed to fill. The protection and the safety of the Empire must be assured despite the shortcomings of partisan protection out of office and capable of any action which they think might give them a gambler's chance of getting back to power.

The Government and the people of the British Isles may rest assured that Mr. Borden's policy has the approval of the great majority of Canadians, and that this will be made absolutely plain when the issue is submitted to the electors. It is probable that Mr. Borden will be able to take over the three ships now to be laid down long before they reach completion. For the moment an irresponsible band of politicians has humiliated the Dominion in the eyes of the world, but when Canadians get the chance they will show that they are anxious to pull their own weight in the Empire, instead of remaining a burden on other British citizens.

An American View.

Viewing the political deadlock at Ottawa as an outsider, the Cleveland Plaindealer observes that the Canadian Senators were confronted by a problem similar to that which was presented to the British House of Lords when the memorable Lloyd George budget was sent up for its approval. The Asquith Government gave the Lords the choice of approving the budget or of being permanently short of power. They chose the latter alternative and suffered the consequences. The Plaindealer acutely remarks that the Canadian Senate has no strength of tradition and antiquity to uphold it, and should fall more easily before the attacks of the reformers. Every one excepting a few exasperated partisans in and out of the Senate realizes that in all free countries the day is past and gone for unwarranted assumptions of power by unrepresentative and irresponsible second chambers.

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Windsor, June 11th.—A monster forest fire is reported to be raging in the Starling woods, on the Meander River, Burlington, Ontario. The fire, it is stated, covers an area of half a mile in width and two miles long. It is sweeping everything before it, and the damage will be very heavy. Valuable timber has been already lost, and the fire continues to rage unchecked.

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A Musical Treat.

The people of Wolfville were given a treat last week that they will not forget for some time. We refer to the concert given on Thursday evening by the Boston Opera singers. As star followed star, each one perfect in the exquisite numbers rendered, the audience was stirred in a manner unusual for Wolfville people, and continued applause and repeated encores voiced their warmest appreciation of this excellent performance.

The singers not only reached the highest expectations of the most critical, but they succeeded beyond measure in delighting everyone. The audience itself was a splendid one and in a most receptive mood, made the evening all too short, and if they had only a taste of grand opera as presented by the leading artists, and their appetites were whetted. Mme. Scotney of course captivated everyone, and sang as has never before been heard here, the same terms in fact might be applied to all the stars. It was a night of nights for Wolfville people, and we were very fortunate to have it.

The program opened with the celebrated sextette from "Lucia di Lamermoor," to comment upon which superlatives would have to be used. The artists in this number were Mme. Scotney, Mlle. Gauthier, Mm. Gatti, Cassell, Huddy, White.

This was followed by the aria "Vissi d'Arte" from "La Tosca" which served to introduce Mme. Maria De Gatti, dramatic prima donna soprano, who created an impression not soon to be forgotten. Her voice has a rare and appealing quality, her technique is faultless, and every gesture showed the artist through and through.

Mr. Howard White scored a great success in his rendition of "The Two Grenadiers." His is a voice peculiarly suited to melodies of a stirring, martial character and in this song he found full scope for it. As an encore he gave the stirring "Rolling Down to Rio." Miss Edith Sinclair, who is a native of Montreal, N. B., delighted the audience with her excellent rendition of "The Spring Has Come" and "I'm Wearin' Awa' Jean." Mlle. Gauthier captivated the audience with her charming manner when she sang "Habenera" from "Carmen." She was forced to give two encores one of which was "Break, Break, Break."

Then came that favorite for a dramatic baritone, the well worn but well loved prologue from "I Pagliacci," sung with verve by Frederick Huddy.

Perhaps somewhere in the world there is a coloratura soprano who could sing the difficult "Ah, for a lull" aria from "Traviata" better than did Mme. Evelyn Scotney last night, but from the enthusiasm with which she was received one would not think the audience could have been better satisfied. She was forced to give a double encore. The second piece, "Coming Through the Rye," was greeted by long, sustained applause, the accompanist, touched the keys.

The second part of the program consisted of the garden scene from the second act of "Guinevere." Very fetching indeed looked Mme. Maria De Gatti, as Marguerite, in her cap and gown of simple blue, while the much bewell and elaborate costume of M. Gatti, the Faust, lent an air of opulence to the entire setting. Mr. Howard White, the huge basso, made a Mephisto at once of splendid voice, commanding appearance, and excellent histrionic ability. The Siebel of Miss Edith Sinclair, and the Marthe of Mlle. Ernestine Gauthier were both well worthy of praise.

Brought to a close with the second act of "Marta," this will be an evening long remembered by local music lovers. The title role was interpreted by Mme. Scotney, who displayed rare dramatic ability and a tendency towards the humorous unbecoming in prima donna; and as Nancy, little Mlle. Gauthier was both sweet to listen to and delightful to the eye—her frequent saucy ways so well suited to the character, being in laughable contrast to the six foot four of Howard White, the huge basso, who as Plunkett towered so far above her. The Clonnet was sung by M. Giovanni Gatti, a tenor of rarest voice, called by Italians the "silver voice."

Newtonville Notes.
Our farmers are getting pretty well through with their seeding. The cold, backward weather a short time ago was a great drawback.
The attendance at school is very good, the children are looking forward now to the summer vacation.
Mr. A. B. Dorman, engineer of the B. S. Brunswick makes a fortnightly visit to his family here.
Mrs. Ruby L. Parks and little niece, Miss Grace Dowie, of West Margerville are visiting at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. P. H. Caldwell.
Mrs. Harriet Schofield intends starting for Boston next Saturday to undergo a surgical operation in one of the hospitals there.
Miss Lily Blair, the fourteen year old daughter of Mr. Harry Blair, is very sick. Her health has been entirely ruined by her mother's illness.
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June Wedding.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph W. Harris was the scene of a quiet wedding Tuesday afternoon, when their daughter, Susie, was united in marriage to Robert Bauld, son of the late William Bauld, of Halifax. Rev. G. W. Miller performed the ceremony in the presence of about thirty relatives and friends of the contracting parties. The parlors were nicely decorated and the ceremony was performed under an arch of white lilacs. The bride was given away by her father and was attended. She was dressed in a travelling suit of navy blue serge with hat to match, and carried a bouquet of white roses and maid in hair fern. Many beautiful gifts were received. After the ceremony a dainty lunch was served, and the happy couple left by the express for Truro, en route for different points in the New England states and Canada.

Sudden Death.

Wolfville people were shocked on Monday to hear of the death of Mr. J. E. Gould, which occurred at his home on Main street, at one o'clock in the afternoon, at the age of 66. Mr. Gould has been in poor health for the past year suffering from heart trouble. About a month ago he began to fail at death came on suddenly. He was a man highly respected by all who knew him. In addition to his widow the deceased leaves three sons and a daughter to mourn his loss. The sons are Arthur in Lynn, Mass.; John in St. John, Quebec, and Everett at home. The daughter, Hattie, (Mrs. Fielding) also resides at home. All the children were home to attend the funeral which took place yesterday afternoon. THE ACADIAN joins a host of friends in extending sympathy to the bereaved ones.

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Town Council.

At the regular monthly meeting of the Council which took place last Friday evening Mayor Chambers and all the Councillors were present. Reports were received from the chairmen of the Street, Finance, Water, Police, Sewer and Poor Committees.

The following bills were read and ordered paid:
Sch. Maple Leaf.....\$ 3.92
T. MacWhitty.....14.15
Hennigar Bros.....4.10
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Hinsley & Harvey.....1.50
Falconer & MacDonald.....2.13
H. J. Delaney.....6.40
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M. W. Pick.....9.50
A. J. Woodman.....6.75
Petty Cash.....8.59

A petition from A. D. Rinkin asking that he be allowed to connect with the town water service was read, and it was resolved that A. D. Rinkin and J. A. Rinkin be allowed to connect with the town service on specified conditions.

Applications for the position of Town Clerk were read. W. M. Black was appointed on the same salary as was paid in the past.

Wolfville Public School Examinations.

Public examinations in the various departments of the Wolfville Public School will be conducted according to the following time table:
Miss Coggins' dept., Wednesday, June 16th, 1.30 to 2.30 p.m.; Miss West's dept., Wednesday, June 16th, 2.30 to 3.30 p.m.; Miss Davidson's dept., Thursday, June 17th, 9.30 to 10.30 a.m.; Miss Purdy's dept., Thursday, June 17th, 2.30 to 3.30 p.m.; Mr. Lewis' dept., Friday, June 18th, 9.30 to 10.30 a.m.; High School dept., Friday, June 18th, 2.30 to 3.30 p.m. Parents and friends are cordially invited to be present.

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Crossing the harbor from Dartmouth in a motor boat on Saturday, in order to attend his cousin's funeral, Robt. Donaldson, a young man of twenty-five years of age, and a native of Eastern Passage, was thrown overboard by collision with the tug "Miles" and drowned. Donaldson's parents were already on the Halifax side waiting for him so as the three could attend the funeral together, and their grief upon hearing the sad news can be readily imagined.

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