THE ACADIAN.

WOLFVILLE, N. S., JAN. 15, 1909.

There has been a great hurrying and scurrying in certain quarters of late over the prospect of the approaching civic elections. At all hours of the day and for seven days of the week, the faithful have gathered in secret conclave—and yet there is no actual occasion for such apparent anxiety. What we need is the election of four good, straight, honest business men to take up the work of the town government, and in conjunction with those who remain as members of the board carry on the public business in an honest, careful and efficient manner for the ensuing year. There is no issue before us requiring other than men of these qualifications—men in whom the community have entire confidence, and who do not require to be watched at all stages. There is no danger save in the election of an individual or individuals who have selfish ends to serve or who are the nominees of such interests. We place a sufficiently high estimate upon the intelligence of the citizens of this town to believe they will not allow themselves to be led astray by an imaginary issue; and we believe we have men in our town, life-long residents of proved integrity, in whom the electors have every confidence, and who will give their services without hope of personal profit. Let there be no panic.

Canada,s Climate.

The English paper, Canada, a publication devoted to making this country better known on the other side, is amused at the fears which are entertained by some that the Canadian winter is a thing not to be discussed on the ground that it might be detrimental to immigration, and it contrasts the efforts which are sometimes put forth to conceal our climatic conditions, with those adopted in Switzerland, where the cold winter is recognized as a valuable asset. Editorially, Canada says: 'We who have enjoyed the delights of a Canadian winter, and are filled with regret that we must spend the season in the muggy atmosphere of London, yearn for the bright, dry cold that characterizes the climate of Canada in the winter months. Winter in England, with its fogs and changeable temperature, and generally damp atmosphere, is notoriously trying to those accustomed to the far colder climates. Those with delicate lungs must leave for some more healthy clime. And where do the doctors send them? To the warmeth of southern countries? No. To Switzerland, that land of ice and snow, where with a bright sun shining overhead the thermometer shows a temperature that sounds terrible, where everybody enjoys open air life, where the keen winter atmosphere is bracing and invigorating—because it *is dry. There the man or woman with* a lung weakness lives out of doors—many patients sleep in the open air—and not only are they saved the dangers of the English winter, but they get a new lease of life from the cold and bracing air they breathe.

Rosy Cheeked Babies.

Nothing in the world is such a comfort and a joy as a healthy, hearty, rosy-cheeked, happy baby. Babies and young children can be kept in perfect health by giving them an occasional dose of Bays's Own Tablets, which will keep the stomach and bowels in perfect order. And when sickness comes there is no other medicine will cure the minor ills of childhood as speedily and safely as Baby's Own Tablets. Guaranteed to contain no opiate or poisonous drugs Mrs. M. Romard, Eastern Harbor, N. S., says:—'I have used Baby's Own Tablets for the various ills from which little ones suffer, and find them a marvellous medicine. Thanks to the tablets my baby now always enjoys the best of health.' Sold by all medicine dealers or by mail at 25c. a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

A Great Nova Scotian.

The proprietors of the Morning Chronicle of Halifax, N. S., of which paper he was for many years the editor, have in course of publication and will shortly issue a new and complete edition of the speeches and public letters of the noted Nova Scotian publicist, Joseph Howe. In this edition will be included the material contained in the edition published by Hon. Mr. Annand in 1858 and also all the important speeches and letters delivered and written by Joseph Howe between 1858 and the time of his death in 1873.

The editor of the new edition, Joseph A. Chisholm, K. C., has for many years been diligently collecting all the writing of the famous Nova Scotian, and he has carefully compiled the same for publication in the forthcoming work.

As an outcome of Judge Cassell's enquiry into the affairs of the marine department the government, at the next session of parliament, will introduce legislation to forbid the giving or obtaining personal commission either in private or government business or any other form of consideration which is given or taken with corrupt intent. The legislation will follow in the main lines of British statute in which severe penalties are provided for the punishment of offenders against this law, including a maximum fine of $500 or two years imprisonment.

☞ Those indebted to this office will help us greatly by making prompt payment.

There is No Defeat.

NEVER YIELD TO DISCOURAGEMENT IN A GOOD CAUSE.

The writer remembers the case of a pastor of a church in one of our county towns. He had started on a crusade against the saloon that he saw was directly opposed to the work of his church. He had a few to sympathise with him in his endeavor, but because he did not see results such as he expected he became discouraged and ceased to give his active influence in favor of the cause of temperance.

This was in a community where the liquor power had long held sway, and consequently where much patient labor was needed before the results desired could reasonably be expected.

The reformer has need of patience. 'Rome was not built in a day.' The great and venerable piles of architecture required many years for their completion. Great reforms have been accomplished in the face of fiercest opposition. Only the craven spirit abandons the field when the struggle against iniquity is going on. The men of iron are moved by opposition to greater effort.

John Howard, in the work of prison reform; Wilberforce, using his influence for the distruction of slavery throughout the British Empire; Cromwell, in the fight for freedom; afford examples of the indomitable spirit that can never look backward when once they have put their hands to the plow. This has been the characteristic of the Temperance reformers of these modern times. They have many forces to contend against. The monster of intemperance is hydra-headed. It assumes many guises. It is even appearing in the role of reformer, disguising itself in the robes of an angel of light. It has the sanction of legislatures. It has its bloated capitalists, with their 'vested rights,' and powers of darkness innumerable; and has hitherto believed itself to be invulnerable. But the forces arrayed for righteousness do not doubt the ultimate triumph of their cause. They see already the beginning of the end. Let every one who has entered into this conflict know that he is working in harmony with an eternal law that assures him of success. There are eddies along the shore, but the river still flows on.

We have in our county a body of men of whom every true citizen may well be proud, men who have won the respect and approbation of the best class of citizens throughout the wide Dominion—men who stand for civic righteousness and Temperance men who vote as they pray. These have broken away from their party affiliations to stand against all corruption in political life. This has not been without much self-denial and sacrifice Although they have not yet accomplished all their desire they are not disheartened. President Newcombe well expresses the sentiments of the Alliance when he thus writes: 'There is an unseen influence going with every truth uttered which is seed sown to generate and bring forth fruit according as the soil of the heart of the listener receives what is given.'

Some may, like the good man to whom we have referred, in a moment of weakness, sheath their swords and shrink ingloriously from the conflict, but the true man will not so soon get weary. The hope of personal profit may blind the vision of some, by the tricks of politicians many may be deceived, and thus iniquity may flourish for a time; but in the end the right shall prevail. The friends of good government can stand adversity when it comes, but from it they shall rise—made all the better from the prosperity that is to come. 'No single victory will accomplish all that is desired, and no defeat sounds the death-knell of a righteous cause.' In truth there is no such thing as defeat in such a cause; it is only in the seeming.

VERITAS.

Dr. Eaton Wants no Church Drones.

A congregation that thronged the Madison Avenue Baptist church to the doors, gathered yesterday morning to hear the initial sermon of the new minister, the Rev. Dr. Charles A. Eaton, famous for some years as the pastor of John D. Rockefeller's Euclid Avenue church in Cleveland. It was thought by many that Mr. Rockefeller would desert his own church for one service to hear his favorite preacher, but he failed to appear.

The new minister made it clear that he intended to begin aggressive parish work at once. He emphasized this when he asked for a record breaking collection He declared he needed money in his business of doing church work in the neighborhood. The piled-up appearance of the contribution plates, indicated that he had impressed his hearers.

'We don't want any drones in this hive,' said Dr. Eaton. We're going to get right down to business. Madison Avenue Baptist church is going to become a power in this community.

We will become a power by fighting.'

Dr. Eaton's topic was 'The Place of the Church in Modern Life.' 'The Christian Church,' said he, 'must abandon its stupid conservatism. We must meet modern conditions. You must not use chest tones in the pulpit nowadays. We want the Wall Street man to use the same passion for good and for the advancement of the church, that he uses in his daily business. Just watch him in the way he sets about his business and then watch what a meek creature he is when he comes to church.

'We want to make this church a light house for the man who is down. We don't want to spend all our time talking about preparing souls for eternity.'

At the conclusion of the service the entire congregation filed by the pulpit and shook the hand of the new minister.—The World, New York City, Jan. 4.

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WOLFVILLE, N. S.

TOWN OF WOLFVILLE.

BALANCE SHEET—DECEMBER 31ST, 1908.

	Receipts.	Expenditures.
Municipality of Kings	$ 440.90	$ 1958.00
Assessment	8884 70	
Poll Tax	246 00	
Water	3069 22	2435 43
Court Fees	230 74	
Sewer	271 06	1291 39
Schools	402 08	3814 60
Fire		58 05
Streets	156 62	2229 45
Poor	84 50	250 31
Contingent electric light bill $1305 42	22 00	1738 54
" other expenses 433 12		
Licenses	128 50	
Dog Tax	119 00	
Salaries		1605 65
Police		576 28
Acadia Electric Light Co.		532 82
Nova Scotia Hospital	360 31	653 93
Town Seal	3 00	
Town Scales	31 00	1 64
Halifax Industrial School		60 00
Credit balance 'Cash on hand Jan 1, '08'	1232 61	
Debit " overdraft due Bank of Montreal, Dec. 31, 08	1528 85	
Cash on hand		5 00
	$17211.09	$17211.09

ASSETS.

School Sinking Fund	$ 4103.51
Water " "	5520 00
Sewerage " "	4467 02
Taxes and Water Rates overdue, estimated good	1600 00
Sewerage and Frontage Interest due	893 73
Water Works and Land, cost	45043 87
School Building and Land	8000 00
Town Hall, Furniture and Police Residence	2000 00
Fire Equipment	2400 00
Town Lot East of School House	1100 00
" West Property	180 00
Road Machine, Tools and Fittings	310 00
Watering Cart	130 00
Roller	115 00
Horse, Cart and Harness	200 00
Sewerage System, amount expended	34592 85
Deposit Receipt, Sewerage Construction acct.	431 09
Current Account, Bank Balance acct.	13 12
Deposit Receipt, Water Construction acct.	90 71
Town Scales	175 00
Cash on Hand	5 00
	$111,376 90

LIABILITIES.

Water Debentures	$ 45000.00
School "	7700 00
Sewerage "	32000 00
Overdraft in Bank of Montreal	1528 85
Balance	25148 05
	$111,376.90

H. E. ARNOLD, N. M. SINCLAIR, } Auditors.

Wolfville, N. S., January 6, 1909.

WHAT THE DOCTOR SAYS

If your physician recommends something you follow his advice. If it's bad advice you call him a bad doctor. So doctors are all careful with their advice. All good physicians will quickly recommend

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because they know that it contains only those ingredients that

Build up bone and muscle.
Add flesh.
Strengthen jaded nerves.
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Make the weak strong.

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Try it—all druggists.

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This happy mother, like thousands of others, believes in nothing so much as Mother Seigel's Syrup. The days when household work was a burden and the least exertion painful, when even her own children irritated her, are a long way behind. So are the headaches, the nasty taste, the heartburn, the dizziness and the constant feeling of fatigue. They vanished like a bad dream the day she first bought Mother Seigel's Syrup, and they will stay away as long as Mother Seigel's Syrup has a place in her cupboard. It is the standard remedy for Indigestion and Liver Disorders, and the regular family medicine in thousands of Canadian homes.

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Notice.

All persons having just claims against the estate of the late Elizabeth B. Jones (Mrs. Joseph Jones) are requested to hand the same to the subscriber within thirty days from date hereof.

Wolfville the 30th day of December, A. D. 1908.

E. S. CRAWLEY, Solicitor.

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The thousands of people who have visited the Great Fire Sale will testify to their friends that their are still Great Bargains to be had. Everyone has found the goods as advertised.

On Saturday, January 16th

We will Plunge our Big Knife

still deeper and will cut our prices still lower. Don't believe papers or posters, come and convince yourself that the prices at this Great Fire Sale are tremendously low.

It Will Pay You To Visit Us.

CARD.

Ladies & Gentlemen.

I have not been asked to offer myself as candidate for Mayor or Councillor at the coming contest. Increasing business demands all my attention. But I intend serving your interests quite as well in my line. I thank all that have helped me stay in business for four years and promise you that 1909 will give you better results than ever. Our stock will be better, larger and low prices will prevail. Watch this space for good things. Yours,

B. G. BISHOP.

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Ladies' and Misses' Coats 35 1-2 and 50 per cent. Discount.

See the Coats we are Selling for $1.00

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But very much alive for 1909.

No doubt our readers have settled down to another year of active work and are already planing for the future.

In Your Plans

We should be considered, as we are in a position to save you money.

In Dry Goods Department

We are disposing of our Ladies' and Misses' Coats below Cost, also giving special discounts on all other goods.

In Other Departments

The High Quality of all goods will be maintained and our cash prices for 1909 will be away down low.

Additions.

We have added very fine line Furniture, Carpets, Rugs, Squares, Linoleums, Etc.

PLUMBING. We are prepared to do all kinds Heating and Plumbing. Satisfaction Guaranteed.

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Jan. 8, 1909. 39

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