

THE ACADIAN.

WOLFVILLE, N. S., JULY 24, 1896.

Premier Murray's Cabinet.

Hon. W. S. Fielding tendered his resignation as Premier and Provincial Secretary of Nova Scotia on Saturday afternoon last.

Hon. Geo. H. Murray was invited by His Honor, Lieutenant-Governor Daly to form a cabinet, and accepted.

Premier and provincial secretary—George H. Murray.

Commissioner of public works and mines—Charles E. Clouston.

Attorney-general—J. W. Longley.

Members without portfolio—Thomas Johnson, A. H. Comeau, Angus McGillivray, William Roche, T. R. Black.

Murder on the High Seas.

The barquentine Herbert Fuller arrived at Halifax on Tuesday morning with the tidings of one of the blackest tragedies in the annals of maritime crime.

An authentic account of the horrible affair cannot be obtained till after the preliminary examination which is now going on at Halifax, is completed; but the following appear to be the facts of the case.

On July 9th the barquentine left Boston for Rosario, loaded with lumber. The Captain, Charles J. Nash, was accompanied by his wife.

The vessel carried one passenger, Leslie Monks, of Boston, a young Harvard student. On the night of the 13th, the passenger was awakened from a sound sleep by the shriek of a woman; springing from his bed and placing his hand on the berth where the captain was sleeping, he withdrew it wet with blood.

He rushed on deck and there met the mate, (Charles Bram) who struck at him with a piece of lumber. Monks drew his revolver and brought the assailant to terms.

Each appeared to have thought of the other murderer at first, and with this understanding they went to investigate. The lifeless and mangled bodies of the Captain, his wife, and the second mate were soon discovered.

All night the passenger and the supposed murderer watched one another without rousing the crew. Next morning a consultation was held and the helmsman was assigned to the helm on suspicion.

The suspicious actions of the mate who was now left to navigate the ship, together with the statement of the man in irons that he had seen Bram murder the captain, led the passenger and the colored steward, with the aid of the crew, to effect his arrest.

The passenger and the steward now took charge of the vessel and succeeded in bringing her into port. The motive of this awful crime was probably robbery. The criminal perhaps imagining that he could make a sale of the craft to the revolting Cubans.

Editorial Chat.

In a recent statement of Bismark's, the "man of blood and iron" contends that Europe is on the eve of a great military struggle. He thinks that England's existence depends on the strength of her navy.

The other day in the British Commons the Land Lords and Irish Nationalists combined and succeeded in defeating a clause of the Government's Irish Land Bill.

On the 22nd inst. the Crown Prince of Denmark was married to Princess Maud, granddaughter of Queen Victoria. The royal ceremony took place in London, at the Chapel Royal.

Mrs Letitia Youmans, the celebrated temperance advocate and president of the Canadian W. C. T. U., died at her home in Toronto, on Saturday last.

The Governor-General has approved of the recommendation of the advisory committee to revise and consolidate the Federal statutes.

D. A. R. Dining Car Service.

The enterprising management of the Dominion Atlantic railway is constantly making such improvements as tend to the increased popularity of the road and make it up-to-date in every particular.

This week has begun a superb dining-car service. The Pullman palace dining-car was attached to the "Bluenose" on Tuesday evening, and she is very fittingly called Sarsaparill.

The Pullman company to the exact requirements and ideas of the D. A. R. general manager, W. R. Campbell, the Sarsaparill carries out in detail the luxurious notions embodied in a palatial car, plus the recherche and up-to-date fixings of a magnificent dining car.

No passenger need leave the car from one end of the journey to the other. The kitchen is entirely enclosed, and its presence is not likely to be detected, so ingeniously is everything arranged.

The car is long, the maximum of accommodation being secured. What will be greatly appreciated is the handsome smoking room in which the dinner can also be served.

The initials of the Dominion Atlantic railway are to be seen worked in wherever possible on the glass. Travelers have been grateful to the D. A. R. in the past, and this double daily service to and from St. John and Halifax this season has been a precious boon.

Now has been added the finishing touch which makes their royal mail and Flying Blue-nose expresses perfect. The cuisine of the new dining car service will be under the care of a chef chosen by General Passenger Agent Giffins, whose one aim is to give the patrons of his road comfort and satisfaction.

Hoof Prints.

"Room Willies," 2.07 1/2, at Old Orchard, was driven by his owner, a young man who never drove a race before.

"John B. Conroy," 2.03 1/2 carries a six ounce bar shoe forward and a five ounce one behind.

The little pacing giant "Direct," 2.05 1/2, is again in training. The black two-year-old by "Director," 2.17, from the dam of "Nancy Hank," has been named Director Moore.

"Midi," a three-year-old pacing filly by "Electrician," has lowered her record to 2.14 1/2 in a winning race.

"Stam. B.," the son of Stamboul, dam "Belle Medium," 2.30 (formerly owned in this county) has been winning a five heat race already this season.

"Little Hope," formerly owned by our Dr. Bowles, is now owned by some party by the name of Patillo in Lunenburg County. She is a lovely little mare and we should hate to see her wind up in a fish cart.

Dr. Bowles has a bay mare, a recent purchase, that is said to be by Hebron dam said to be by Sultan. It is doubtful what her breeding really is.

Again the Cold Stakes go to Amherst, Halifax made a bid but was not so much as Amherst. Messrs Lamy & Etter will have their track in fine condition and give a three days' meeting in connection with the Cold Stakes—at least so we understand it.

We are glad to learn that the veteran driver, Harry Lydiard, who was severely and dangerously injured recently, has so far recovered to be behind his horses again. Harry has no peer among Nova Scotian drivers. He is strictly honest, painstaking and a race driver of nerve and great ability.

We hope to see him in his own special place at the Colts Stakes—at least so we understand it.

We notice two very fine Rampart Jr.'s in the town occasionally, one owned by Mr. George Thomson and the other by Mr. Gertrude. They are large, handsome and square gaited. Their sire "Rampart Jr." is a horse that will weigh at least 1200 lbs., stands strong 16 hands, can trot in 2.25 or better, goes without hobbles,—the bane of all horse and horsemen who use them—and as a sire he is rapidly coming to the front.

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Largest & Most Complete Line

Furniture, Blinds, Curtain Poles, etc.,

Ever shown here.

PRICES LOWER THAN THE LOWEST.

Call early and inspect.

A. J. WOODMAN.

Wolfville, March 24th, 1896.

Dominion Temperance Alliance.

The Dominion Temperance Alliance met in Toronto on Wednesday last. The executive-committee's report submitted by Dr. J. J. McLaren, Q. C., chairman, and Ald. E. S. Spence, secretary, presented the view of the political outlook from the Dominion election standpoint.

The result of the Dominion election is to place the control of Dominion political affairs in the hands of the Liberal party. At a representative convention of that party held in the city of Ottawa in July, 1895, the policy of that party in relation to the liquor traffic was declared in the following resolution:

"That whereas public attention is much directed to the consideration of the admittedly great evils of intemperance it is desirable that the mind of the people should be clearly ascertained by means of a Dominion plebiscite."

The Hon. Wilfred Laurier, leader of the Liberal party, has declared from time to time that when such action is taken the Liberal party will be prepared to carry out the mandate of the people.

We are now, therefore, face to face with a plebiscite for the Dominion. It is to be hoped that every province and every locality will immediately perfect organization to secure such a victory as will ensure us the speedy enactment of a prohibitory law for the Dominion.

Kings County Boy Camed.

The following reference to a young man well and favorably known in this place will be read with pleasure by many of the readers of THE ACADIAN. It is copied from the Fredericton Herald, of July 10th:

Mr Harold W. White, son of E. P. White, Grand Pre, who for the past three years has been the efficient and obliging clerk at the Queen Hotel, has resigned his position, and has accepted a clerkship in the Hotel Aberdeen of St. John.

He leaves to-morrow to spend a few days at his old home in Grand Pre, Nova Scotia, after which he will proceed to St. John and enter upon the duties of the situation which he has accepted in that city.

Mr White's fellow employees of the Queen, learning of his intended departure, waited upon him in a body in the dining-room this morning, and through their spokesman, Mr F. G. Crowley, presented him with a handsome, gold headed ebony cane, suitably engraved, accompanied by the following address:

Fredericton, N. B., July 10th. To Harold W. White:— We, the undersigned of the Queen hotel staff, having learned that you are about to sever your connection with the house to assume a similar position elsewhere, desire before you take leave of us to express our regret at your departure.

Your kindly manner and gentlemanly conduct at all times, both towards the guests of the house, as well as to the members of the staff, have not only merited but won from us our highest appreciation and regard.

Your strict attention to all matters calculated to maintain the high reputation of the house, as well as your courteous treatment of us as members of the staff, have proven to us at all times your fitness for the position which you have filled to the satisfaction of all during your three year stay here.

With best wishes for your future well fare, and assuring you of our kindest regards, we ask you to accept the accompanying token of our respect.

L. Lawrence F. G. Crawley Nathaniel Brooks Geo. B. Currie James Bagley Patrick Walsh Chas. Sproule H. W. Morgan Wm. Hart J. Doran John Foster

Mr White, who was taken completely by surprise at the manifestation of good will evinced by his fellow employees, made a suitable reply, returning thanks for the beautiful gift, and expressing regret at his intended departure from their midst.

SPRING OF '96.

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RAND'S

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We have in stock the celebrated LACKAWANNA HARD COAL in all sizes—fresh from the mines. Also, the Best Grades of SOFT COALS.

We are also agents for the celebrated STOCKBRIDGE MANURES, manufactured by the Bowker Fertilizer Co.

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Be careful! Beware of cheap imitations! The latest improvements are not owned by and cannot be secured from any firm in Nova Scotia but the

Willis Piano and Organ Co.

Any other advertiser, therefore, who may claim in any way the agency for the Bell Pianos, or Bell Organs, do so under false pretences, to attract attention to goods sold in opposition to those renowned instruments.

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Straw Hats and Flowers at half price.

Black Straw Hats, different styles, 50c. and 75c. reduced from \$1.00 and \$1.25.

Colored Straws at half price.

Lot Fine Straw Sailors in Black and Colors at 50c. only.

White Sailors from 25c. to \$1.00.

Flowers 25c. former price, 50 and 60c. Fine assortment.

Lot Dress Laces in Black, Cream and White at a big reduction.

Hermodorf Hosiery 25c. pair.

Ladies' Skirts and Underwear cheaper than ever before sold here.

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Wolfville, June 17th, 1896.

A Chance for us all.

The possibilities of winter comfort seem now to be truly limited by the extent of the spruce trees in the land. So long as "wooden cloth"—and this is precisely what Fibre Chamois is, can be had for a trifling expense to line our outer garments with, no one need ever suffer from the sharpest winds of frostiest air of winter.

An absolute nonconductor of heat and cold, Fibre Chamois is also durable, light and pliable so that the presence of a layer of it through a coat is never felt save by the protection it gives from a roaring gale of icy temperature.

Evangeline Beach, Long Island, IS NOW OPEN TO THE PUBLIC.

Every convenience for Bathing, Boating, etc. Ice Cream, Fruits and Refreshments of all kinds, at restaurant on grounds.

HIGH TIDE.

On Friday, July 24, 12.31

Saturday, " 25, 1.19

Sunday, " 27, 2.43

Tuesday, " 28, 3.22

Wednesday, " 29, 4.01

Thursday, " 30, 4.41

Five hours bathing each tide.

Balcony terms run daily to and from beach. For further particulars apply to C. A. PATRIQUIN.

Of Interest to Teachers.

A special six weeks course will be open at Whiston & Frazer's Commercial College, beginning Monday, July 6th.

This will afford teachers an unequalled opportunity to obtain a practical knowledge of Book-keeping, Shorthand and Typewriting.

For further particulars apply to, S. E. Whiston, 95 Berrington St.

Sir Donald Smith, the Canadian High Commissioner in London, was invested at Windsor-castle as Knight Commander of the Orders of St Michael and St George.

C. E. Stevens & Co.,

have opened up quarters at 87 Grandville Street, Halifax, for the sale of Bicycles, and to do first-class repair work.

We have on hand all Sundries that are required in the using of a Bicycle.

Our repair shop is complete, and we are able to attend promptly and properly to all kinds of repair work.

Call and see our machines, and try our workmanship, and you will never have cause to go elsewhere.

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Local and

Camp-meeting July 31st.

The Wolfville stand on Tuesday of elections were audience greatly we them out summer.

The Carnival July 28th, and on this fair to be regatta will be large number of the world being

The next meeting Co. District Com. held at New M. will be three or four noon and evening M. P.

Our popular "did up" the staff on Wednesday was most delighted Albert Bishop, of the shadow of a grow less.

Mr Sydney B. who took the Methodist church and Armstrong, but he is now Yesterday the bridge west of B will prevent direct.

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