

THE ACADIAN.

WOLFVILLE, N. S., OCT. 4, 1912.

College opened on Wednesday with splendid prospects for a successful year. Up to last night the registered attendance was 220 and this will be considerably increased. The Freshman class so far numbers 75. Success to our educational institutions during the coming year.

On the words of Mr. J. Octave Mousseau, Canada does not want 'an Imperial Prime Minister like Mr. Borden.' Mr. J. O. Mousseau is the Liberal member for Soulanges in the Quebec legislature. He was with Sir Wilfrid Laurier at the latter's meeting at St. Clet in Soulanges county. The Montreal Witness (Liberal) reported Mr. Mousseau as follows:—'Mr. J. O. Mousseau, M. P., made an introductory speech, lauding Sir Wilfrid Laurier as the greatest man in the country. Canada did not want, said he, an Imperial Prime Minister like Mr. Borden.'

The potato crop of Nova Scotia this year is fully up to the average and the farmers will receive good prices for their stocks during the next few weeks. This is the opinion given by a prominent exporter who recently motored through the greater part of the Province a tour of inspection. The Annapolis Valley yield, in particular, he said, will be exceptionally large. They are of good size and free from blights. Early varieties only are on the market at present, the bulk of the crop being still in the ground. Receipts have been small so far in the season, but the harvest will soon be completed and consignments will be going forward in greater volume.

It is reported that Hon. G. E. Foster, who is now on his way to England for another two months' stay on imperial business, will next year have his headquarters established permanently there and become Canada's diplomatic agent and general representative in London with a salary of \$15,000 per year. The present scheme is to extend the scope and importance of the high commissioner's office by giving it semi-diplomatic and advisory or consultative functions in relation to the imperial government. Hon. Mr. Foster, by reason of his political experience and training and his aptitude for the larger problems of imperial politics, has splendid claims to the position, and his appointment would receive the hearty approval of Canadians generally.

'Nova Scotia is all right,' has been heard and said often enough. And it is quite true. Our own province is all right, as far as natural resources, situation, climate, advantages, and so forth are concerned. If our people generally had more faith in their own country; if our capitalists and money men, instead of investing in real estate, railways, mines, etc., in Western Canada, would invest in farms and industries right here; if we only had a government that was in the interests of the people, a government that would improve our roads and highways, and make a strenuous effort to attract good British immigrants here and make inducements to them to settle amongst us, and that would endeavor to re-populate the many vacant abandoned farms throughout our land, then we would and could say with truth: 'Nova Scotia is all right.'

Town Council.

At the regular meeting of the Council on Wednesday evening the Mayor and Couns. Hales, Regard, Haycock, Harris and Bishop were present.

The Streets Committee reported that about 6000 square yards of street had been completed, a sample specimen of which cost fifty cents per yard, and 664 feet of curbing at a cost of twenty-two cents a running foot.

The Sewers Committee reported contemplated repairs upon the western outlet.

The Finance Committee laid before the Council a balance as at Sept. 30th, 1912, showing receipts \$9,907.78, expenditures \$16,781.67, and a debit balance on Sept. 30th, of \$6607.89.

The following accounts were read and ordered to be paid:

Austin Bros.	\$ 4.34
Davidson Bros.	66.85
Carroll Bros.	599.79
Wm. Steinhilber	5.25
Lloyd Myl.	3.10
Valley Telephone Co.	7.63
Watsons Engine Works	14.00

A communication was read from the Natural Resources Department of the C. P. R. asking for a list of uncultivated farms which are for sale in this vicinity with other data that might be useful for intending purchasers or tenants. Couns. Haycock and Harris were appointed a committee to go into the matter and formulate a suitable reply.

After a free discussion of the project of forming an area in which pigs will not be allowed to be kept within the town, it was resolved that the Council give notice of its intention to amend the by-laws referring to the keeping of pigs within the town limits, and that it authorize a closed area in the more central portion of the town.

The question of moving the lock-up from its present position to the new fire-building was discussed, and the chairman of the Public Properties Committee was instructed to have the change made.

Trade-Tariff-People.

BY REVIEWER.

Mr. Woodrow Wilson, the Democratic candidate for the Presidency of the United States, when speaking at New Haven, Conn., Sept. 28th, made a most remarkable statement in acknowledging that the reciprocity agreement as agreed upon by the Laurier government and President Taft, would have been injurious to Canada. He said:

'I was very much interested in some of the reasons given by our friends across the Canadian border for being very shy about the reciprocity arrangements.' They said, 'We are not sure where this will lead, and we don't care to associate too closely with the economic conditions of the United States until these conditions are as modern as ours.' When I resented this and asked for particulars I had to retire from the debate, because I found that they had adjusted their economic development to conditions which we had not yet found a way to meet in the United States.

In April President Taft made public a letter to Mr. Roosevelt in which he stated that the trade arrangement would make Canada only an adjunct of the United States. He says 'I would transfer all their important business to Chicago and New York, with their bank credits and everything else, and it would increase greatly the demand of Canada for our manufactures.' I see this is an argument against reciprocity made in Canada, and I think it is a good one.

Canada was saved from this great betrayal of herself by the common sense and patriotism of her farmers, citizens, and business men. The word 'bureau-steroids' were first concocted by President Taft and then blown into atoms when they turned their borrowed tricks upon the over-intelligence of the Canadian people. They were not even playing the game for their own hand, but were the silly dupes and decoys of a fat, sleek gambler, in a political string game at Washington. Canada is not likely to forget the trick that was attempted. She has given part of the punishment deserved, and will finish it when next she has the chance. Woodrow Wilson has given a full endorsement of Canada's overwhelming anti-reciprocity feeling. Although apart and aside from wise sentimental considerations, it is becoming clearer daily that our people showed a wise measure of economic insight in standing out against reciprocity. And yet we read of the leaders of the Liberal party speaking to large numbers of electors in the backwoods of Quebec and northern Ontario, proclaiming what Canada lost by rejecting reciprocity and a government composed of themselves. They say, however, that the Liberal party will require new leaders and a new platform. Sir Wilfrid Laurier has become hysterical, vain and somewhat laughable. He talks of things lead, buried.

As a matter of fact the Liberal party today is absolutely without a policy and without leaders, either sound on the trade question or upon the question of national defence. Canada can't and won't trust them on the latter decision. A party that was so easily deceived by Washington, for the latter's personal and national benefit, cannot expect Canadians ever to trust them at the polls again until they purge themselves of their leaders and get solid upon such a platform as means Canadian individuality and development upon Canadian and Imperial lines. Reciprocity is as dead as Judas Iscariot himself.

**The Free Testing of Farm Seeds.**

During the season 1912-13, the Seed Branch of the Federal Department of Agriculture will test free of charge samples of seeds of grasses, clovers and cereal crops. This has been the policy of this branch since the passing of the Seed Control Act. As a guide to growers, dealers and others who desire to have samples tested for purity, grading and germination, a leaflet of instructions has been prepared. Under twenty-three numbered paragraphs these are described, among other things, how to prepare, pack and address samples of seeds of various kinds. Useful notes are given on qualities affecting the value of seed. It is pointed out that injury to wheat from frost or dampness usually appears in the color and abnormal condition of the grain. While a hulled kernel of small oats is usually semi-transparent and not brittle a frosted kernel is dark and mealy, particularly at the tip, and is usually brittle. Instructions are given for cleaning grass and clover seeds, but growers whose farms are not clean are recommended to sell their seed in an unclean condition to a wholesale merchant who has special power cleaners. Persons who desire to have seed tested may procure a copy of this document by applying for it to the Publications Branch of the Department of Agriculture, Ottawa.

A New Departure.

General interest has been aroused over the launching of the new C. P. R. steamer 'The Empress of Russia.' She is the first private vessel to have what is called the cruiser stern, and at a day's notice can be turned into an armoured cruiser sailing under orders from the Admiralty. Meanwhile she will be on the Canadian Pacific's service between Vancouver and Hong Kong. Her length is five hundred feet, her breadth is sixty-eight feet and she has got to build over half a million dollars.

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Matters are booming at the Experimental Farm near Kentville—clearing, building and preparing for future experimental work. Some fifty men are employed in the various services under the supervision of Superintendent Professor Blair, and the department of agriculture, Ottawa. It is amusing to hear of the things certain angry politicians around Kentville, as a center, propose doing as soon as parliament is in session. Even the navy question is to be tracked for a time, in order that a thorough investigation shall be held into the expenditures at the Experimental Farm, Kentville. The fact that politics is eliminated there, and professional and expert supervision is conducted by Dominion officials, counts for nothing. The prices paid for material, such as cement, nails, lumber, and the wages paid in the several departments, is to be gone into rigidly. All other public business must stand aside at the best of these jealous, avicious, self-seeking politicians. Mr. Foster, M.P., is to be impeached. Prof. Blair is to be impeached. Mr. Bishop is to be impeached. Mr. Barre is to be impeached. Mr. Gault is to be impeached. Mr. Gault is to be impeached. Mr. Gault is to be impeached.

When this investigation begins we will venture to predict that the 'blocking brigade,' the 'dark lantern' outfit of the late parliament, will be out of business, and every facility given to provide every detail of the most minute expenditure since Sept. 21st, 1911.

What took place previous to that late will also come under the search light of an unhampered public accounts committee. And if the various expenditures of the Dominion government during the past fifteen years are gone into as well, we prophecy that some startling facts will be revealed. When once the lid is off, a book can be written, and there will be no blocking brigade to prevent the facts coming out. We imagine the public are quite as much interested in a thorough examination of all expenditures as are those politicians who have mulched at the public trough for so many years. It is somewhat remarkable that only Liberals, in the opinion of Liberal politicians, are fit to handle public monies. When the lid is off, and it will come, we will be able to get at the inside of things, and the sooner this comes the better.

**A Wonderful Discovery.**

An eminent scientist, the other day, gave his opinion that the most wonderful discovery of recent years was the discovery of Zam-Buk. Just think! As soon as a single tiny layer of Zam-Buk is applied to a wound or a sore, such injury is insured against blood poisoning! Not one species of microbe has been found that Zam-Buk does not kill!

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