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### C. H. BORDEN.

#### THE ACADIAN.

WOLFVILLE, N. S., FEB. 23, 1900.

##### Local and Provincial.

The whist club meets next Monday evening at the home of Mrs. C. R. Burgess.

The Browning Club will meet at the residence of Mrs. Taylor on Monday evening, March 5th.

Dr. Barn has been re-appointed by the government as a member of the Board of School Commissioners.

Ice-houses are being replenished this week. Owing to the very mild winter it was feared that the supply would be short.

Be sure and keep Friday evening, March 3rd, open for the Patriotic Concert. It's going to be the event of the season.

At the last meeting of the W. C. T. U. Mrs. DeWitt was elected president in place of Mrs. Trotter who resigned some weeks ago.

Rev. Mr. Donkin, of the Methodist church, exchanged pulpits last Sunday with Rev. Mr. Johnson, of Canning whose sermons were much enjoyed.

If every pound package does not contain a key, it is not the genuine Union Brand Ice.

The greatest sympathy is felt for Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Wallace in the bereavement that has come upon them this week. Little Hugh was a bright and beautiful child and his death is a great blow to the sorrowing parents.

The special services held in St. John's church, this town, on Sunday 9th, in connection with the South African war, were of an intensely interesting nature. The collection for the "Patriotic Fund" amounted to the very creditable sum of \$47.00.

Messrs. T. C. Allen & Co., publishers, of Halifax, have lately issued to the public a neat little volume of poems entitled "Pae Symphonies," by Miss Maude E. Baker, a former pupil of Acadia Seminary. The little book is on sale at the bookstore.

Rev. Mr. Dill preached in the Presbyterian church last Sunday morning and evening. His sermons were able and helpful, and were much enjoyed. Next Sunday it is expected that Rev. Mr. MacMillan, of Kentville, will conduct the service.

The first and only fancy dress carnival of the season will be held in Aberdeen rink on Friday evening, March 2nd. Two prizes will be given for the prettiest costumes, lady's and gentleman's. A select programme of music will be furnished by the Wolfville band.

Rev. D. O. Parker has the ACADIAN thanks for copies of late Boston papers. Other unknown friends have recently favored us with papers which we are unable to acknowledge because they are neglected to mark names on same. They will please accept thanks, however.

A hockey match was played at Aberdeen rink last Friday evening between teams from Acadia Y. M. C. A. School and Horton Collegiate Academy, resulting in a score of 6-1 in favor of the Academy. Mr. C. F. Chaudhri refereed the game and Messrs. A. H. Patterson and I. J. Best were goal judges.

Mrs. W. C. Archibald gave an unusually pleasant "at home" at "Everscliffe" to fifty of her friends on Saturday evening 17th. The Senior class of Acadia Seminary contributed several numbers of delightful music. Mr. and Mrs. Ford's entertainment with the violin was highly appreciated. "The days of auld lang syne" closed the evening.

#### Local and Provincial.

The collection in St. John's church next Sunday will be in aid of Foreign Missions.

The recital to be given this evening in College Hall by the ladies of the Seminary promises to be a very enjoyable one. We have had the pleasure of reading the programme and can assure a treat to all who attend.

At a meeting of the Presbyterian congregation of Wolfville and Lower Horton, held in St. Andrew's church this town, on Wednesday evening, it was decided to give a unanimous call to Rev. B. M. Dill, formerly of Parrboro.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Wallace wish to express to their many friends their heartfelt thanks for the many kindnesses and words of love and sympathy shown to them throughout the illness of their dear little Hugh. May the Father in Heaven richly bless them all.

Through the courtesy of Mr. J. D. Leavitt, manager of the agency of the Union Bank of Halifax here, we have received a copy of the annual statement of the bank. The comparative statement annexed shows very substantial progress made during the past twelve years. With this year the capital stock advanced from \$500,000 to \$1,500,000.

The snow-fall which began on Thursday night of last week has been added to until enough has come to make good sleighing at last, and times are much more lively in consequence. Snow was much needed as lumber operations were at a stand-still and there was almost a famine in wood for fuel purposes. If the snow lasts the next few weeks we will see a great amount of work done in the woods and elsewhere.

A very pleasant "at home" was held in the vestry of the Methodist church Tuesday afternoon, February 13th, to which the ladies of the Baptist and Presbyterian Missions Societies were invited. Mrs. Donkin and Mrs. Avara Woodman received the guests at the door. Mr. H. H. Henson the president of the Methodist Missions Society gave a graceful address of welcome to the visitors, after which there was an interesting program of music, reading and recitation. Solos were sung by Mrs. Easton and Mrs. Hatch. A pleasing feature of the program was the singing of songs by a number of little girls dressed in white. Mrs. Higgins gave a very interesting address on mission work in India. Refreshments were then served and after a half hour spent in social intercourse this pleasant reunion came to a close.

Personal Mention.

(Contributions to this department will be gladly received.)

Mr. C. H. Borden left on Wednesday for a trip to the United States. He will be away about two weeks.

Miss Ruby Card, who for some time past has been a valued member of the ACADIAN staff, left on Saturday last for her home in Billtown. Miss Card made many friends during her residence in Wolfville, among whom she will be much missed.

A Wolfville Boy Wounded.

It was with deep regret that Wolfville people heard on Wednesday that one of our brave boys who went with the first Canadian contingent to battle for the Empire in South Africa had been wounded in action. Mr. W. J. Regan, son of Mr. William Regan, of this town, is among the list of wounded in Sunday's engagement at Modder River. The extent of his injury could not be ascertained up to the time of our going to press, but it is hoped by all that it may not be serious. His parents have the sympathy of all.

Born.

BRITAIN.—At Wolfville, Feb. 15th, to Principal and Mrs. Birt, a son.

Died.

WALLACE.—At Wolfville, Feb. 19th, Hugh, infant son of W. S. and Ella Wallace, aged one year and 5 mos.

#### Wood Wanted!

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Wolfville, N. S. Jan 10th, '00.

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Dr. H. Lawrence,

DENTIST, Wolfville, N. S. Office in Vaughn building. Telephone No. 20.

Mme. Andrews,

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The People's Forum.

DEAR EDITOR.—I noticed in your last issue the complaint of the language used on the streets on the night of the 11th, as people were on their way to church, and have heard the question asked, "Where is the policeman?" and the answer came, "Oh, he don't take any notice of the boys." Now, I know that is a mistake. I have been a close observer for some time, and know that our policeman tries to keep order, but there are a few young men who delight to take advantage when the worthy police is at one end of the town, to kick up a dust at the centre or other end of the town. Why don't the citizens help the police by banding in the names of the offenders to him instead of criticizing a man who is doing his best?

Yours truly,  
FAIR PLAY.  
Wolfville, Feb. 19th, 1900.

As day after day the Halifax Herald comes to hand, with its long list of school contributions to the "Patriotic Fund," I have looked over them in vain to see our own town among the "role of honor." It certainly is most unseemly that a place taking so influential a stand in matters of education, should be so backward in doing its share towards so laudable an object. So far with the exception of one congregation nothing has been done in a public way to show our interest in this noble work. We have seen three, yes, I may say four, brave boys, go from among us, to do their duty to "Queen and country." So, for the sake of all that is decent let us have done with "killing Kruger with our mouths" and "pass the hat for our credit's sake and pay it pay!" our share towards forming a fund and so make it plain that "we, who stay at home at ease," are willing to do something more than empty words will amount to.

Allow me to remark in addition, that the school in the little settlement of East Dalhousie has chanced us by sending a contribution to the fund before we do.

Money to lend on mortgage—Apply to E. S. Crawley, Solicitor, Wolfville, N. S.

Loose Business.

It has become a standing disgrace on our town and town council that the law which forbids any town councillor to supply commodities of any kind to the town, is broken at nearly every meeting of our council. There are not three councillors at present in office who have not been paid bills out of the town treasury. We think it is the duty of the mayor to see that such flagrant and disgraceful proceedings are not allowed; but he seems to have gotten into the habit of allowing it, so that now he does not notice it. Just how he can permit it without violating his oath of office is hard to see. We would hardly know what to think of a meeting of the council without passing a bill presented by Starr, Son & Franklin. One of the present councillors in office before the last election said that legally all of the old councillors were unseated, and we think that on a pinch we might catch the newly elected duly.

Now, as every one knows, the very principle of this is wrong. That a councillor should sit and vote whether his own bill shall be paid or not is outrageous. There never would be a case when he would oppose the bill. Then there is the temptation to fulfil the old saying "You scratch my back and I will scratch yours." We do not pretend to say that this has been done in the council or that unjust bills have been paid to councillors for their goods; but since all our councillors are human, and some exceedingly so, it is not well to set too many snares in their way.

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With our adv. next week we will continue offering bargains until our entire stock is sold. Jan. 24, 1900.

F. J. PORTER.

#### Something New

IN STATIONERY!

Just received at the Wolfville Book Store a large assortment of

Fine American Stationery in all the latest designs and shades, including Old Parchment Bonds, Irish Linen, etc.

For Invitations.

A fine line of Billet Notes and Cards.

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**White Sheetings!**

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