

THE ACADIAN.

WOLFVILLE, N. S., JAN. 14, 1916.

Editorial Brevities.

Easter this year will fall on April 23rd. Only once again in this century will it be so late, in 1943, when the date will be April 25th, the latest that is possible.

The date for holding the civic elections is rapidly approaching. It is none too soon to be thinking about who are to manage the affairs of the town during the coming year.

Recent Chicago papers report the death of that city of Rev. E. C. Spiney, D. D., which took place on December 30th. Dr. Spiney was a graduate of Acadia in the class of 1868. His boyhood home was in Wilmet, Annapolis county.

Fruit Growers' Parliament.

Next week will be a rather important one in Wolfville as the Nova Scotia Fruit Growers' Association are to favor our town with their presence on the occasion of their annual meeting. Wolfville has always been regarded as the headquarters of the Association and for a long time the meetings were always held here. We doubt very much if the decision made some years ago to hold the annual meeting from place to place has proved to be a wise one.

Be that as it may we trust our people will do all in their power to make the visit of the fruit growers next week pleasant and profitable and the meetings successful and interesting.

Fruit-growing has assumed very large proportions in this vicinity during the past twenty-five years, and may be justly regarded as the leading industry. It is very proper, then, that we should consider these meetings as important. The program prepared for this year's meetings looks interesting, and special interest should be taken in the debate on Wednesday evening when the subject of mixed farming will be discussed by men well qualified. This is a subject of which we have heard very much during recent years in the valley and we presume much can be said in favor of its adoption by our orchardists. This, however, we will leave to the gentlemen who have been chosen to carry on the discussion.

An Appeal to the Men of Nova Scotia.

The Premier of Canada has just announced the decision of his government to call for 250,000 more men. This will make a total of half a million men called to the colors since the beginning of the war. While this announcement will cause a thrill of determination to do her full share in the prosecution of the war, it places a deep responsibility on every man and woman in the country to help to secure the men. In this province we have so far recruited about 12,000 men, so that the duty before us is to enlist at least as many more. This can only be done if every available young man who is physically fit places his services at the disposal of his country.

In this grave emergency when the fate of the Empire is being determined, we earnestly appeal to you, the young men of our own Province, to give continued proof of your courage and patriotism. We appeal to your sense of duty so that you may not evade the sacrifice involved in defending your country. We appeal to the manhood within you so that you may not be content to let your fighting be done for you by your friends and fellow citizens. Above all, we appeal to your sense of honor, so that the cry that comes back to us from the blood-stained trenches of Flanders may not go unanswered, so that the sons of Nova Scotia who have already made the supreme sacrifice, shall not have died in vain. Let your response to this appeal show that when it comes to a question of patriotic service, the young men of this noble little Province of ours will take second place to no other part of the King's Dominion.

On behalf of the Recruiting Association,
DAVID MACKERN,
L. Governor of Nova Scotia, Hon. President.
G. S. CAMPBELL, Chairman.
Halifax, N. S., 12th January, 1916

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New York Times: The Germans and the Austrians seem to glory in their outlawry, to be absolutely determined to make the rest of the world understand that they have detached themselves from civilization and are frankly given over to barbarism in this war.

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Volunteer-Or Conscript?

To recruit as many men in the next eight months as have been recruited in the last seventeen months is the task set the people of Canada.
Can this task be accomplished without conscription? Will the young men volunteer, or must they be forced to do their duty?

One would have scorned to ask such a question before the war began, so confident were we of the loyalty and courage of the young manhood of the province; but the experience of the recruiting committee has shattered some idols, and given a rude shock to the general feeling of complacency. It is one thing to boast about our loyalty, and quite another thing to prove that loyalty. It is one thing to sing patriotic airs with great fervor, and quite another to put on a suit of khaki and train for active service.

Places of amusement and entertainment are more popular than recruiting meetings. Skating or dancing is more popular than marching to the tap of the drum.
And yet a young man, writing in a dugout in France, in quarters where he could not stand up, wrote home the other day:-
"Yet the truth is-I am enjoying myself here—a thing I could not do if I were at home."
What is the difference between this young man and the one who goes to the rink or pool room or other place of pleasure of an afternoon or evening? The one has seen a vision of duty, the other will not see it until he is prodded with a bayonet.

Of course an exception must be made of the many young men and mere boys who have earnestly tried to enlist and have failed to pass the physical test. They deserve to be honored, and we may yet arrive at the time when they will be given a badge, so that everybody may know who has honestly tried to enlist and who was refused. The distinction would hardly be fair, however, because there are young men who for sufficient reason must stay home, and who are really eager to go. If the real slackers could be sorted out and labelled, their number would rapidly diminish—for the shame's sake—and the ranks of the battalions would be filled.
No doubt there are young men who have felt that they ought to go, and that eventually they would go, but the time has been put off from week to week. Perhaps some are influenced by ill-advised optimists who occasionally assert that the war will be over before men now enlisting have completed their training. For what would be the use of throwing up a position to train for a service that would never be required? This war may still be in progress two years hence. Most of us believe it will end before that time, but who knows? Who expected the Germans to be holding the fish Empire has not passed. It will not pass till Germany is crushed, Canada has offered another quarter of a million men, and Sir Sam Hughes believes they can be got without conscription. In his faith well-founded, or is his belief in the loyalty and courage of young Canadians misplaced? Is he leaning upon a broken reed, or upon the club that will eventually smash the German lines?

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The Liquor Traffic
In Manitoba legislation to be introduced provides for provincial prohibition, to be preceded by the popular referendum.
In Quebec the anti liquor league is asking the legislature for a no-trading law. The league also wants all bars closed at 7 p. m., and not open till 7 a. m., and asks for an amendment to the law which would permit of voting against licenses taking place in wards of municipalities. A regulation is sought for forbidding the licensing of a hotel within two hundred feet of a church, college, school or conv. Certain changes in the clauses of the license law dealing with penalties are suggested, while it is urged that no new liquor licenses or privileges be granted to any clubs, societies or associations by the licensing authorities; while existing licenses shall not be transferred, and if cancelled or withdrawn for cause they shall not be replaced. It is also asked that no club licenses be granted for premises in wards in which hotel and other licenses are prohibited.
The Ottawa Free Press says that a number of prominent Ottawa gentlemen in conjunction with large employers of labor in the big cities, are starting a very vigorous campaign to induce parliament at the coming session to pass legislation prohibiting for the duration of the war the manufacture, importation and sale of intoxicating liquors throughout Canada. The present idea of the committee is that the prohibitory legislation asked for should extend for a period of two years following the conclusion of peace—the recessive reaction period—and that it should be repeated only by

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Balance Sheet as at December 31st, 1915.

Receipts	Expenditures
Assessments. \$10959.03	Police. 177.80
Poll Tax. 278.50	Street Lighting. 563.39
Water. 2923.37	Interest. 5400
Court Fees. 35.74	Old Cemetery. 1.00
Sewers. 63.53	Dog Tax. 44.00
Schools. 269.14	Mud Bridge. 5.00
Fire. 498.46	Street Construction. 1464.85
Streets. 44.50	
Poor. 90.26	
Contingent. 4.00	
Licenses. 88.00	
Police. 177.80	
Street Lighting. 563.39	
Front Street Property. 155.05	
Interest. 5400	
Old Cemetery. 1.00	
Town Seal. 2.00	
Dog Tax. 44.00	
Mud Bridge. 5.00	
Street Construction. 1464.85	
	\$15629.48
	\$19445.20
D-bit Bank Balance Dec. 31st, 1914. 3229.99	
Debit Bank Balance Dec. 31st, 1915. 7071.54	
Outstanding Cheques. 16.30	
Cash on hand Dec. 31st, 1915. 330.05	
Cash on hand Dec. 31st, 1915. 372.18	
	\$23,047.37
	\$23,047.37

(Signed) M. E. ARNOLD, Auditors
S. C. WEST

Wolfville, Jan. 3rd, 1916.

direct vote of the people. The Free Press adds:—
"It may be taken for granted that there will be a prohibition debate in parliament in the coming session, and the attitude of the different members of both sides of the House will be watched with much interest. It is understood that, at the outset owing to the lack of time, there will be no effort to obtain a large number of signatures to the appeal of parliament, but an endeavor will be made to make it strikingly representative, and strong enough to bear on the members and senators."

Grand Pre.

The meeting of the Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. S. A. Bowser. After the business of the meeting was over the following program was rendered: Opening poem; A prayer for the new year, by Mrs. Roy Woodman; History of the Grand Pre Institute, by Mrs. Frank Fuller; A reading, "The Horse by the Side of the Road," by Mrs. MacRae; An

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—Mrs. FRED BENNER, Marquette, Wis.

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"The Work of a Dominion Fruit Inspector," George H. Vroom, Middleton. "Results Obtained at the Dominion Entomological Laboratory During 1915," Geo. E. Saunders, field officer in charge. "Some Lessons Learned from New England Fruit Growers," W. H. Woodworth, Berwick. "Commercial Strawberry Growing and Marketing," William B. Fawcett, Sackville, N. B. "Why We Should Prune, and the Different Treatment for Old and Young Orchards," M. B. Davis, Ottawa, Ont. "Scab Control in the Dominion Experimental Orchards in Nova Scotia," Prof. W. Saxby Blair, Kentville.

A Debate will be held on Wednesday evening, Jan. 19th, on the following resolution, "Resolved that the general adoption of mixed farming, by which is meant the keeping of live stock and the raising of feed for the same, in addition to fruit growing, is in the best economic interest of the farmers of the fruit growing counties of Nova Scotia." All interested in fruit growing are cordially invited to attend, join the Association and take part in the discussions.
MANNING ELLS, Secretary.

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