

THE ACADIAN.

WOLFVILLE, N. S., SEPT. 20, 1912.

The Canadian Pacific.

The statement recently issued by the Canadian Pacific Railway gives an idea of the magnitude of that corporation, which in the eighties was considered by the Liberals of this country as a wildcat undertaking.

On the thirtieth of June last the Company had 1820 locomotives and 61,446 freight cars. They carried during the last year 13,758,000 passengers, and their net earnings for the last year was \$43,298,000.

It would be interesting reading to now look up the speeches of Sir Alexander MacKenzie and the lesser lights of Liberalism during the debates when Sir Charles Tupper proposed to incorporate the company to build the road. The prophecy of Sir Richard Cartwright, the blue ruin knight of Canadian politics, that the road would not pay for its axle grease, like all Liberal prophecies, falls short in realization.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier thinks the people of Canada are sorry for what they did on Sept. 21st last. The people of Quebec, Montreal and Ottawa did not exhibit any of the outward signs of mourning on the occasion of the Premier's recent visit to these cities.

A Brilliant Wedding.

The new Baptist church was the scene of a pretty wedding, Wednesday morning when Gladys, Victoria-only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Harris, and John Francis Kennedy, formerly of Halifax, now of Quebec, were bound together in holy wedlock by the Rev. E. D. Webber. The church, which was tastefully decorated with green potted plants and yellow carnations, was filled with a large number of friends of the principals. The wedding march was played by Mrs. W. C. B. Harris, sister-in-law of the bride, accompanied by Miss Helen DeWolfe, violinist.

About half past ten the bride entered the church on the arm of her father. She was tastefully attired and looked very winsome in a cream diaphanous gown, wearing the conventional veil and orange blossoms, and carrying a shower bouquet of white roses and lily of the valley. She was attended by Miss Hilda Vaughn, who looked charming in a pretty gown of yellow crepe de chine with black picture hat, carrying a bouquet of yellow carnations and maidenhair fern. The groom was supported by Edward Martin, of Halifax. The flower girls were Jean Kennedy and Loretta Benjamin, who were dressed in white silk muslin and chiffon bonnets, and carried baskets of lily of the valley and smilax. The ushers were Judson Harris, brother of the bride, Herman DeWitt and Leonard Eaton. At the close of the ceremony, following an established custom, the minister presented a small bible, bound in white, to the bride, she being the first to be married in the new church.

At the conclusion of the ceremony a dainty luncheon was served at the home of the bride's mother, at which a large number of invited guests were present. The dining room was tastefully decorated, the bridal table being decorated with asparagus fern and lily of the valley. The happy couple left on the 'Bluenose' for a trip to the Thousand Isles, at which they will go to Quebec where Mr. Kennedy has a position in the Bank of Quebec. The bride's travelling dress was of navy blue serge with hat to match.

Many beautiful and valuable gifts, including cut glass, silverware and linen, testified to the esteem in which the bride was held. The groom's gift to his bride was a diamond and sapphire ring, to the bridesmaid a pearl pendant, to the groomsmen a pearl stick pin, to the flower girls gold bracelets with their monograms on them, to the pianist a silver card case with her monogram on it, to violinist a pearl crescent pin, and to the ushers amethyst stick pins. The bride received a substantial cheque from her father, a silver tea set from her mother, and a handsome set of mink furs from her brothers. The staff of the bank in which Mr. Kennedy has his position gave them a silver soap tureen set, and the staff of the Bank of Montreal at Quebec, where he had a position for several years, gave them a quantity of cut glass. Many other gifts were received, which are too numerous to mention. The Acadians join a host of friends in wishing Mr. and Mrs. Kennedy every happiness and prosperity.

Keep Children Well During Hot Weather.

Every mother knows how fatal the hot summer months are to small children. Cholera infantum, diarrhoea, dysentery and stomach troubles are rife at this time and often a precious little life is lost after only a few hours illness. The mother who keeps her baby's Own Tablets will know how to prevent these troubles from bowing down on her child. Own Tablets will bring the baby safely through the summer. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

We were sorry to learn of the death of Mr. W. C. B. Harris, on Sept. 19th, of Camp Ritchie at the D. A. R. He was born in Kentville, Nova Scotia, and was a member of the D. A. R. for many years.

Some Reciprocity Facts.

BY REVIEWER.

The Washington crop report states that the United States this year will produce between 700,000,000 and 800,000,000 bushels of wheat, nearly 1,500,000,000 bushels of corn, 3,000,000,000 bushels of oats and 72,000,000,000 tons of hay—this an increase over last year of 59,000,000 bushels of wheat, 368,000,000 of corn, and of 374,000,000 bushels of oats. The apple crop is extraordinarily large, and vegetables of all sorts are in greater abundance than in any year of the past quarter of a century. This abundance of food stuffs means a new prosperity for the Republic, but it also means that the United States will have a much larger quantity of wheat and other products of the farm and orchard for export than in any previous year. What good would Reciprocity do Canada under such conditions? We would like for Reciprocity advocates to explain how, in the larger market of the United States, there are lower prices for wheat and other products of the farm, than in Canada. Lower prices are caused by a surplus, not a deficit. The United States has a surplus and lower prices, and still there are some economic fools, who say that if we had Reciprocity we would get higher prices for the products of our fields and orchards. But for the Canadian duty upon wheat, vegetables and apples, the eastern Canadian markets would be flooded with the crops of the United States, to the detriment of our farmers and producers in general. And yet some of our Liberal party are making themselves hoarse crying for Reciprocity, because it will give us a 'wider market.' When once the wealthier producers of the United States get a foothold in Canada, and another our weaker producing enterprises, they can be depended upon to set the price in proportion to our necessities, regardless of all considerations save their own pockets.

One of the ideals which the Hon. Mr. Foster, the Minister of Trade and Commerce in the Borden Cabinet, set up when he entered upon the duties of his office, was to attain closer trade relations throughout the Empire, which spells, Imperial Reciprocity.

Under Sir Richard Cartwright the department had gone to sleep. The officials simply marked time and in native was discouraged. Immediately Mr. Foster was in harness, he opened negotiations with the British West Indies and Australia. In March representatives from the Indies visited Ottawa, and after a series of conferences a treaty was signed which it is believed will be mutually beneficial. The agreement has already been ratified by all the West Indies governments, and as soon as the Canadian Parliament assembles it will be approved and will come into effect early in the coming year.

Faster and better steamship services and cheaper cable rates are necessary to make the agreement a success and both are being provided for by Mr. Foster. Negotiations with Australia are already under way and he will visit the Antipodes early in the new year when a treaty will be discussed. This is the kind of a trade Reciprocity that is bound to help Canada. We produce what the West India Islands do not, and they produce what we do not.

Canada Temperance Act Enforcement.

On Friday several constables were in town and in conjunction with some of the citizens a search was made for liquor at the Railway Restaurant and at Frane's Hotel. A quantity of liquor was found at both places and it was promptly taken in charge and sent to Canning, where trials against the proprietors of the above two places will be heard later.

A little later County Inspector Patrinquin made a search at Aldershot and only discovered a few bottles of beer. If there was more liquor in the cantens surrounding the grounds it had been hid, after the word of the search for liquor at Kentville became known.

On Saturday Inspector Patrinquin again made a raid on one of the places at Aldershot and recovered a large quantity of liquor. These raids have quite paralyzed the liquor vendors in this vicinity and the outcome of the trials will be watched with interest. Two of the persons who have actions pending against them have third offences outstanding upon which no warrants were ever issued by the town authorities. The action was taken at the instance of the Kings Co. Temperance Alliance after repeated complaints having been made as to the continued violation of the law in the Town of Kentville.—Kentville Advertiser.

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The Fall Term will begin
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Golden Wedding.
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Craig of Cambridge, this county, celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage on Tuesday, Sept. 10th. Mr. and Mrs. Craig were married in 1862 and have spent all their wedded life in this county, residing on Brooklyn Street until a few years ago, when they moved to Cambridge and built the house in which they now live. Mr. Craig was formerly Miss Susan Strong, of Brooklyn Street. Of their family of six daughters and two sons the following were present and enjoyed the re-union of the day: Mrs. Alex. Hill, of South Brantford, Mass.; Mrs. J. M. Marchant, of Somerville, Mass.; Mr. A. E. Craig, of Melford, Mass.; Mrs. J. H. Morris, of Belfast, Maine; Mrs. C. A. Patriquin, of Wolfville, and Miss Alice Craig, of Cambridge. Mr. K. B. Craig, of Belfast, Maine, and Mrs. E. Stolier, of Somerville, Mass., were unavoidably prevented from being present. About seventy relatives and friends of Mr. and Mrs. Craig responded to the invitation and were pleased to take advantage of the opportunity to extend congratulations and best wishes to the estimable couple. Many tokens of affection and good will evidenced the high place they hold in the regard of their children and friends. Among the many occasions for thankfulness Mr. and Mrs. Craig have this annual experience that throughout their long married life they have been spared the loss of any of their children or grandchildren, all of whom have been left to them. THE ACADIAN begs to tender its congratulations and very best wishes for the continued health and happiness of Mr. and Mrs. Craig.

Band Concert.
The Grand Band Concert and Recital, given in the Opera House, Wolfville, Friday evening last by the 78th Royal Highlanders Band, under patronage of General Drury and staff officers, assisted by other high class talent, was one of the best ever put on and a great success. The first large Wolfville Opera House was completely filled with a large appreciative audience. The band is under direction of Daniel Mounsey, and every member is an artist. The selections were very excellent and enthusiastically applauded.

Track Meet.
In the foot races, open to Colleges only, at the exhibition at Halifax last week, Mr. Allison was the trophy scoring 24 points; Aouda scored 17 points; Dalhousie 3 and Kings 1. The events were as follows:
220 yards—Smith, Mr. Allison 1; Harlow, Aouda 2 Time 24 1/2 seconds.
440 yards—Hart, Mr. Allison 1; Smith, Mr. Allison 2; Harlow, Aouda 3. Time 21 1/2 seconds.
880 yards—Richardson, Aouda 1; Paton, Mount Allison 2; Patterson, Dalhousie 3. Time 2 1/2.
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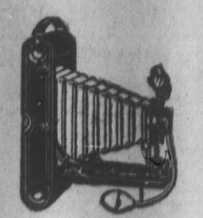
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