

THE ACADIAN.

WOLFVILLE, N. S., DEC. 9, 1898.

Editorial Notes.

A quantity of editorial and other matter intended for this issue has been unavoidably crowded out owing to the extraordinary demand upon our space.

Canning.

Mr. John Melvin is building a bar-racks and hall for the Salvation Army.

The coal laden schooner for Messrs Binkhorn, which left Cape Breton some time ago, was so disabled by the storm that it had to return to Sydney for repairs.

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The heavy frost has weakened the new dyke. Repairs are being made as rapidly as possible.

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A Visit to Newfoundland.

To the Editor of the ACADIAN.

Dear Sir,—Having just returned from the old colony of Newfoundland, and there meeting with some things of interest, some of them unique in their way, I have thought it not out of place to mention a few of them thinking perhaps there were those who possessed a little knowledge of the doings over there as I before my visit.

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THE NEW REMEDY.

Nature is full of hidden forces that are being utilized and yet to be utilized for the benefit and upbuilding of mankind.

It is a great tonic and builds up the system and thereby throws off disease. It is good for almost any complaint, but particularly effective in Dyspepsia, and general debility, and is also a great remedy for sore throat, bruises, etc. It is not a drug but the vital principle of life, and the most delicate can take it without harm.

Now is a good time of the year to take it, and fortify the system for the winter. Get a circular at the druggist, which tells all about this wonderful remedy, and try it, and you will see that it is all or more than is claimed for it.

PRICE:

50 cents, and \$1.00 per bottle.

The town of St. John's, with its 24,000 inhabitants, is unique in its government.

The town is not incorporated, there are no taxes levied on the real estate or personal property of its citizens. This body known as the town council is unknown there. Nearly the whole Colony is represented in the House of Legislature by residents of the town.

Hoof Prints.

Warren Guy, 214 1/2, went a half over the Yarmouth track recently in 1:05 1/2. Our friend Steadman has sent his promising young horse "Dick Nelson," by Nelson, 2:09, to Maine, U. S., to be trained, and we predict for him a record of 2:20 in 1899, and why not?

We hear that Leslie Eaton's son of "E. T. M." is yearling—hips the scales at 1150 lbs. There is a son of this illustrious and much owned sire in Wolfville that is somewhat lighter in weight but heavier in ambition.

At a recent sale in New York—the Frasier sale—some horses brought old time prices. "Star Pointer" brought \$15.00, "L. L. D." \$15.50, "Handspring," \$31.00, "Wilderness" \$28.00, "Jolly Bird" \$37.00, "Kistawab," a 3-year-old, \$70.00.

Barnhart is the only horse owned in the Maritime Provinces who had two trotters to enter the 230 list in 1898. He is the only one also that has two trotters with records better than 2:20, and further he is the only horse ever owned in the provinces with 10 of his legs in the 230 list.

It is conceded that had he the opportunities of many noted sires he would be the peer of the best, and why not? He is bred in the purple and with the individuality that impresses.

What a beautiful thing a Shetland pony is! Such altogether entrancing things are these ponies that one never wants to see one without a full pocket-book and grip to carry one home in, just to put in the parlor as a bric-a-brac.

Of course they are only useful as pets, just like babies, canaries and pug dogs. We have heard of an occasional one that was fast—when tied up—and fit to challenge the world—exceptional cases.

The people of New York have been having a great time lately over what they call the national horse show, and to which many of our upper province papers have been leaping through advertising news items.

It is simply an annual freak show. It is not and never has been anything "national" from an American standpoint, and the horse cuts but a sorry figure in the show. It is run by a little Mr. Hyde, an English son of the first water and who does not know a cob from a children's pony.

The Anglo-Saxon opinion element of New York society has made it an excuse for parading itself—fore week, and the horse is the scapegoat instead of the bo-turret snuffers out and peddling safe-iron pup. Not long ago at one of these annual "Horse Shows" in New York, the members of the New York party, who so dearly love a lord, so far forgot their fifth avenue manners that they fought and trampled upon, and trampled each other in a style that would disgrace a lot of Boston tavern doxies, simply to get a chance to indulge in vulgar opera, and open mouth snoring at the insignificant little Duke of Marlborough, who, in trying to repair an ostentatious wrecked by his blackguard father, found it necessary to sell his title to the Vanderbilts in order to avoid "being broke."

It is a show indignantly gotten up for the purpose of society showing itself, and the vulgar public are permitted to look upon the "exclusive circles" including diamonds and fine linen, at a dollar a head. They look in wonder at the antics of the cad—the sweep and magnitude of their canes, how far Charlie, dear boy, turns up his trousers—the horse are not there to be seen, and yet the newspapers—down here would lead us to believe that it is the great "National Horse Show" of the United States.

There is an element of this show's fatality in connection with our provincial exhibitions that needs venting. The mutual admiration element is there, with all its accompanying evils, and the people are paying the price. Perhaps the least said, though, the soonest mended—at least for now.

OUR NEW

FALL STOCK

FASHIONABLE FOOTWEAR!

IS NOW COMPLETE!

Including some fine lines in Men's and Women's Heavy Skating and Walking Boots, Rubbers and Overshoes in all the latest styles and at the lowest prices.

We have an especially fine stock of Men's Goodyear Welt Boots at \$3.00 and \$4.00, unsurpassed by any other make; also Long Boots, Rubber Boots, Shoe Packs, Larrigans, Gaiters, Lamb's Wool Socks and all the small sundries of a well appointed Shoe Store.

Call and examine these Goods at the

PEOPLE'S SHOE STORE.

est route between Europe and America. Agriculture in the island is in a primitive condition. I am convinced, however that much good land awaits the agriculturist.

All vegetables, also small fruits, such as gooseberries, currants and cranberries, could be raised there in abundance, and I believe that in the most sheltered part of the country where the land is good apples of a fair quality might be produced.

Many of the people along the bays and inlets are living in small and uncomfortable houses—paying little heed to agriculture or trying to produce from the soil the luxuries that make life comfortable.

With the development of its minerals and attention to agriculture there is a brighter future dawning for the island.

G. E. DEWITT.

Merchants' Day, TOWN OF KENTVILLE, THURSDAY, DEC. 15.

SPECIAL TRAIN SERVICE. ONE FARE RETURN

From Hantsport, Kingsport, Middleton and intermediate stations. All regular trains will be used and a special will leave Kentville for Middleton at 8 o'clock, local, stopping at all intermediate stations.

Large trade inducements for one day only. Read the Following Special Announcements.

F. B. NEWCOMBE & CO. will sell a line sample (Ladies' Jackets) ranging in price from \$4.50 to \$15.00 for \$3.95 & \$5.85.

A. B. CALKIN & CO. will sell a full line of Men's Ties from 70c to 50c at 20c.

R. W. EATON will sell Paper and Envelopes price 10c to 15c for 5c per quire.

DODGE & SEALY have for sale a large range of pattern Flannellettes at 3c and 4c per yard.

W. E. PORTER will offer that day only white Caps and Saucers at 65c per dozen.

DEWOLF & LAMONT will sell Sea Brand pure Ceylon Tea, regular price 35c, at 25c.

J. W. RYAN will sell his whole stock at a special discount for clearance sale. T. P. CALKIN & CO. have bargains in Stoves and Kitchen Furnitures.

A. C. MOORE will sell Mixed Nuts, 2 pounds for 25c.

J. E. BATTON has for sale that day Men's and Boys Suspender's at one half price.

G. W. MARTIN, special price in best groceries.

T. A. B. BISHOP will sell Rengalla, the finest of 40c bleached Tea, at 30c.

A. W. & E. G. BISHOP have a high grade Coffee, regular price 35c, at 25c.

J. S. ROCKWELL will sell regular 5c Soap at 3c & 4c.

S. S. STRONG, one pound can Cream Baking Powder at 20c. Ammonia 10c per bottle.

E. J. BISHOP will sell 1000 Ladies' and Gentlemen's White Handkerchiefs at 3c each.

J. B. WEBSTER will sell Sewing Machine Oil, 1 lb. at 8c.

J. M. ARNOLD will sell good Confectionery at 6c per pound.

A. L. HARDY will sell finest Views of the Land of Evangeline, 25c for 1 lb.

E. M. ARNOLD will sell Spectacles, aluminum bows with finest quality lenses, \$2.00 to \$2.25 at \$1.00.

DODGE & DENNISON, 10 bars Maple Leaf or Signal Soap at 1 lb. Dominion Blend Tea at 50c, regular price 75c.

MISS E. M. DAVIS will sell Trimmed Hats and Children's Headwears from 50c up.

MISS RATHBONE will offer Ladies' Felt Walking Hats, winter styles, at 35c and 65c. Veils at 10c.

ELLA M. MARGESON will sell first class Flannellette Night Dresses at 50c.

HOTELS ABERDEEN AND PORTER HOUSE will furnish best accommodations to all visiting the town.

Come and see the Town. Come and meet your friends. DON'T FORGET THE DAY. Don't forget Special Train Service to Middleton.

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is done by using the eyes if they pain you. Save trouble by having them tested at once.

A FULL LINE OF GOLD GLASSES IN STOCK!

The latest and finest thing in Kinless Spectacles and Eye-glasses.

Wolfville Jewelry Store. J. F. HERBIN.

In Selecting Your Xmas Gifts

Don't forget that a natty piece of Furniture is the nicest present of all. We can please all tastes and all ages. Come and see.

A. J. WOODMAN. Macdonald & Co., (LIMITED). HALIFAX, N. S. Every requisite for the application of STEAM, WATER AND GAS. NOS. 1, 7, 102 & 114 BARRINGTON ST.

Fancy Fresh Fried Codfish, TWO CANS FOR 25 CENTS.

WHITE & CO'S, LONDON, MIXED PICKLES.

"CHOW-CHOW" AND "PICQUILLI," IN LARGE, PATENT-TOP BOTTLES, 25 CENTS EACH.

CASH BUYS HUNGARIAN PROCEES:

"Golden Top" Flour.....\$4.35. "Beaver" Corn Meal..... 2.50. Bran..... .90. Chop Feed..... 1.30.

ALWAYS ASK FOR "MAYFLOWER" OIL! IT IS THE BEST! FIVE GALS. FOR \$1.00, cash.

F. J. Porter,

Wolfville, Nov 3rd, 1898.

WOLFVILLE REAL ESTATE AGENCY.

Desirable Properties for Sale:

4. Fruit Farm on Main Street. 15 acres, mostly in Orchard. New House—3 rooms and Bath-room, lot and cold water.

5. Residence and Dyke lot on Main Street—House, 10 rooms and bath-room, hot and cold water. Heated by furnace. Stable and Carriage House. One acre in house lot—apples, plums and small fruits. 5 acres good Dyke adjoining.

6. Small Farm at Hantsport—15 acres. House 10 rooms, heated by furnace. Stable. Suitable for Summer Tourists or Country Residence.

7. House and lot on Central Ave.—6 rooms and bathroom. Price reasonable.

8. Farm near Wolfville—70 acres. Orchard 300 trees. Good buildings.

9. Land at Wolfville—5 1/2 acres. 1/2 acre Orchard. 10 acres Dyke.

10. Dyke—7 acres on Wickwire Dyke and 6 acres on Dead Dyke.

11. Modern House on Main St.—Nine rooms, Bath room, heated by hot and cold water. Small garden.

12. Farm near Aylesford station. House, 11 rooms. Barn and out-buildings. 2 1/2 acres land. 400 apple trees. 1 1/2 acres prime pasture.

13. The Wallace property at corner Front street and Central Avenue. Two Houses, six and seven rooms each.

14. Two new residences on Acadia St. and Highland Ave., in convenient proximity to depot, post office and College;—Well finished, 9 and 10 rooms, fitted with furnace, range, and all modern conveniences. Also two desirable lots adjoining. Yield 20 to 40 bush. apples besides usual fruits.

15. House and Orchard on Main St. House, 2 stories, 9 rooms. Stable, 3 acres land in orchard producing apples, pears and plums. Trees in full bearing. Also a quantity of small fruits.

16. Farm near Canning. 100 acres. 6 1/2 acres Orchard. Prime hay and tillage land. Farm house and barn. Easy shipping by water and rail.

To Let.

17. That desirable Shop, corner of Main Street and Highland Avenue. Possession given at once.

For further particulars, apply to AVARD V. PINNO, Barrister, Real Estate Agent, etc., Wolfville, N. S. Office in R. E. Harris' Building.

CHRISTMAS DISCOUNTS!

I have in stock and to arrive a full supply of Groceries for Xmas trade. I will give Cash Customers a special discount of 10 per cent. on all goods except Flour and Feed and 5 per cent. on that; also will give a very pretty Silver Tea Service to any one paying me the most Cash at the time of purchasing goods during the two weeks previous to Christmas.

C. W. STRONG. Wolfville, Nov. 30th, 1898.

A Woman's Exchange

Will be opened next week in part of the building occupied by Mr. Barberie, Wolfville. Home made goods, both fancy and useful, wanted to sell on the usual commission.

MRS. BARBERIE.

NEW GOODS...

Just received at ACADIA RESTAURANT. Choice Fresh Cheeses and Cakes and Candies in all varieties. [11 O. D. BARBERIE.

Mme. Andrews, Fine Millinery.

WOLFVILLE Main Street, Wolfville. ASK YOUR DEALER FOR "Acadia" K. D. CORNMEAL. Yellow, dry, granular. Milled by S. J. WATKINSON. DARTMOUTH.

W. J. BALCOM

has secured an Auctioneer's license and is prepared to sell all kinds of Real and Personal Property at a moderate rate.

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A lot of Dress lengths and ends were offered at Bargain Prices.

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Local and Provincial.

We are and hear Mr Carruthers next Monday evening.

The annual rhetorical exhibition of the Junior class of Acadia takes place on Monday evening, Dec. 21st.

The A. A. A. are giving a reception at College Hall this evening, when an enjoyable time will no doubt be spent.

All accounts due J. W. Caldwell must be settled before the end of this year.

The teachers of Acadia Seminary are giving the first recital of the course in College Hall on Friday evening of next week.

Next Sunday morning, Dec. 11th, at the Wolfville Baptist church, the pastor expects to preach on the subject, "The Kingdom of God realizable in Wolfville."

Great Clearance Sale now on at Caldwell's. Come early and often.

The first lecture of the course to be given by St. Andrew's (Presbyterian) Y. M. C. E. is to be delivered on Friday evening, 16th, by Rev. J. S. Carruthers, subject: "The World gone Mad."

1000 Socks and 2000 Show Cases for Sale at Caldwell's.

Miss M. A. C. Johnson gave a very pleasant progressive crochets party at her pretty residence on Wednesday evening. There were a large number of guests and a most enjoyable evening.

The winners were Mr. C. H. and Miss Ethel Johnson.

If you want strong well made shoes, call at Borden's. Prices \$1.00, \$1.50, \$1.75.

Mr. R. M. Seyford, the college evangelist, spent four days with the Acadia students, leaving Wolfville on Tuesday evening. Mr. Seyford visits the college every week, and is to be welcomed to the work he has undertaken. The meetings held here were very successful.

Charles Boots, grain leather, 4 Buckle and with Fat, neat and durable.

All interested in the game of hockey are requested to meet at Aberdeen rink on Monday evening, next at 8 o'clock. It is proposed to arrange a series of games to be played by the teams of the various towns between Windsor and Digby. The Wolfville team is a good account of itself in the past and we hope to see a strong team on the ice this winter.

Have you seen those Bay's Skating Machines, stylish and low priced.

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