

THE ACADIAN.

WOLFVILLE, N. S., OCT. 25, 1895.

Exhibitions.

An important change has been made by the legislature in the system of holding exhibitions in this province, to which attention has been called by the secretary for agriculture in his annual circular to the agricultural societies. Next year, 1896, and in every third year thereafter the exhibition grant of \$4,000 is to be divided into two equal parts—one half of which (\$2,000) will be given for the encouragement of a "western exhibition," and the other half for an "eastern exhibition."

The western exhibition is to be held in any one of the following counties, viz.: Hants, Kings, Annapolis, Digby, Yarmouth, Shelburne, Queens, Lunenburg. The eastern exhibition is to be held in one of the following counties, viz.: Colchester, Cumberland, Pictou, Antigonish, Guysboro, Iversburg, Richmond, Victoria, Cape Breton.

It will be incumbent upon the agricultural societies at their annual meetings on the 5th November to forward to the secretary of the new arrangement, and to make arrangements as far as possible for the western exhibition. That is fixed by the act for the year 1896.

It is announced that ex-President Benjamin Harrison is engaged in writing a series of magazine articles for The Ladies Home Journal, in which periodical they will begin in the December number. The series will be called "The Country of Ours," and will consist of ten articles and probably more. The papers are being written by General Harrison especially for women, to meet a growing widespread desire on their part to intelligently understand the workings of the government and the great National questions. It will be the aim of the articles to explain in the clear and concise style for which the ex-President is famous, just what the United States Government means; the origin and meaning of the Constitution; how laws are enacted and enforced; what the powers of the President and other officials are; what the judiciary system means; how the foreign relations are brought about and their meaning; how Congress and the Senate legislate; in fact, a complete explanation of the Government told in a popular way. General Harrison writes the articles from the standpoint of a citizen who understands his subject. They have no bearing on political matters. While directly intended for women, the articles will naturally have a much broader scope and likewise interest men, and especially young men.

Says the St. John Post:—The Prince Rupert is now receiving her new cylinder. After this is put in she will be ready to have her bottom cleaned. Rumors that she will not again be on the Bay route are quite rife. One story is that the Dominion Atlantic Railway has opened negotiations for the purchase of the City of Monticello, and that if a satisfactory arrangement is made she will be continued on the Bay route. The Prince Rupert will be put on the route between Boston and Yarmouth, in opposition to Yarmouth steamers. Another story is that an entire new route is to be opened up and that the Prince Rupert will be put on it. The new route is said to be from Digby to Boston. It is believed this route could be made to pay well, particularly in summer, when American passengers would patronize it, as it would be direct communication with the Evangeline country.

The British Trades Union statistics recently made public cover 677 unions with 270,789 members. The income of the reporting unions for the year was £1,996,971, and the expenditures £2,246,515, and the funds on hand at the end of the year £1,653,068. The largest item of expenditure was: Diabetic benefit, £738,045; funeral benefits, £24,192, paid out only about one-half of the reporting unions; unemployed benefit, £512,929; sick benefit, £238,739, paid out by not much more than a third of the reporting unions; medical benefit, £26,074, paid by only ninety-nine unions and superannuation benefit, £117,339, paid by only eighty-five unions, which included about one-third of the total membership. These figures do not, of course, include the statistics of the friendly societies, which in Great Britain serve the working classes so well for savings and life insurance purposes.

The president of the Fruit Growers' Association is anxious that a good display of fruit, flowers, etc., should be made at the annual meeting of the association in January next. All fruit growers are invited to bring samples of their best fruits and any new varieties which they consider valuable for propagation. It is to be hoped that the cooperation of all our orchardists may be gained in this effort to present a good display of our fruits. A number of visitors will no doubt be present, and the opportunity given to advertise our capabilities in the fruit line will be a good one. Mr. Bigelow informs us that no prize will be given, as the funds of the association will not permit; but it is hoped, nevertheless, that a good display of fruit and flowers may be obtained.

The smallest paper in the world is published in Guadalajara, in Mexico. Its title is El Telegrafo, and it is printed in eight columns, each four and a half inches long and one and a half inches wide, on thick manilla paper. And yet the staff includes an editor and printer, an administrator or business manager, responsible men of capital, and a printer.

Nell Dew, the famous prohibitionist, says that she has been at work since 1851 trying to have the Maine law properly enforced, but she hasn't succeeded yet. For we have been hoodled off by politicians who care nothing for the welfare of the State or nation, but are simply in quest of offices or profit or honor.

Sheffield Mills.

DEAR ACADIAN—Have you forgotten that there is such a place as Sheffield Mills? Then it is owing to the procrastination of your correspondent. We are moving along as usual. It is more busy here than usual. Barrel making seems to be a leading industry. Mr. Cecil Harris has made and delivered nearly 10,000, while Thomas Forsythe is not far behind.

The saw-mill owned and run by Mr. Wilson Sandford has been running to its utmost capacity since the first of April, sawing staves, heading and shingling. He will soon put in a thirty-horse-power engine and a rotary saw to be ready for next year's work. He is an enterprising fellow and pushes things right along.

The carpenters are also reaping their harvest. Capt. Thomas Perry, from Yarmouth, who purchased the farm of Joseph E. Ellis, has been putting repairs on the house and has built a carriage house. He has also graded the front which makes a great improvement in the general appearance of the place. The Capt. is having a fine crop of apples this year, the largest the orchard has ever produced.

Mr. Joseph Ellis, not wishing to leave our pleasant village, purchased the farm of the late A. W. Sheffield and has put the buildings in thorough repair. The house has received the most attention. Large windows have been put in and a veranda added, which we think cannot be excelled in the county for beauty and finish. Mr. W. L. Harris was the designer and workman and it speaks well for his taste and skill.

Last but not least is the house of Mr. W. E. Eaton, which has been raised from the floor in the first story and the whole inside put in new. It has been a long job and will make practically a new house. They are living meanwhile in their tenement house.

Apples are much better price than they were in the early autumn. Some orchards are selling for \$2.25 a barrel, while many are shipping their own fruit.

Potatoes are a very fine crop both as to quantity and quality but remain at the low price of 25 and 30 cents. Many acres are yet to be dug.

Our Division held an entertainment in the summer, and a pleasant and a temperance lecture this autumn, the proceeds of which have thoroughly renovated the interior. Paper and paint, etc., have transformed a neglected looking room into a thing of beauty and a pleasure to see. They intend to complete the seating of it with chairs, when it will be very pretty and comfortable. The Division deserves a great deal of credit for the way in which they have worked.

Our schools are doing good work under the tutelage of Misses Best, of Grafton, and Harris, of this place.

Hantsport.

Mrs. W. Wier arrived in town on Saturday last. She is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Tobin.

Mrs. Kaye is spending a few days with friends in Cornwallis.

Mr. B. Beanson arrived home from Boston on Friday to attend the funeral of his father, Joseph Beanson, who died after a short illness on Wednesday last.

Miss Rita Coiffait is home again. She has been spending several weeks with friends in the vicinity of Yarmouth.

The steamer Hwasatha, on her last trip from St. John, experienced the heaviest weather of the season. A large part of her cargo was damaged, and several cases of lime had to be thrown overboard, as they had caught on fire.

Dr. and Mrs. Margeson celebrated the twenty-fifth anniversary of their marriage on Saturday, 19th inst. A large number of friends were present, among the number being Mr. and Mrs. Bayard Margeson, parents of the doctor; Mr. and Mrs. B. Short, Digby, and Wiley, their son, from Wolfville.

Mr. Harlow, of Berwick, is at the American House.

Master Paul Longley, son of Attorney-General Longley, spent Sunday with his grandmother, Mrs. Brown.

Capt. Fraser is back with us for a short stay.

Mr. John McEwan and daughter, of Lawrenceton, are visiting Capt. Whitman Holmes.

Miss Eva Margeson, who has been spending a few weeks with her uncle, Rev. W. Robinson, at Summerside, P. E. I., arrived back on Friday.

Miss Milner, of Liverpool, N. S., is visiting at H. W. Davison's.

Capt. Marshall Trefry and wife spent Sunday at Summerside. They were the guests of Mrs. Greene.

We noticed our old friend, Wm. Glenn, of Cheverie, in town on Tuesday. He looks as hale and hearty as he did twenty years ago.

Miss Alma Stoddart is in town. She has been spending a few weeks in Halifax, Windsor and Yarmouth.

The schooner Seaside arrived here on Saturday, and discharged a cargo of flour for our merchants. She rode out the gale on Thursday and Friday in the Basin.—Hants Journal.

One of the largest single pieces of bituminous coal ever mined was shipped from California, Pa., recently, to Atlanta, Ga. It is four feet six inches wide, five feet three inches thick (the thickness of the vein from which it was taken being seven feet between bands), and eight feet two inches in length. The weight of the mass is eighty tons. The mine from which the block was taken has a remarkably good record according to government tests 1,975 pounds being equivalent to the standard cord of oak wood. The block of coal was taken out half a mile back in the mine and required the labor of a gang of men several days before it was landed safely on a flat car.

The Dominion Coal Company's railroad between Sydney and Louisbourg, C. B., is said to have the strongest rails of any road in America. The weight of rail is eighty pounds per lineal yard; ballasting on the main line has been completed, and the company is now finishing up sidings, side track and station building. Two express trains per day have been running over the line since the 14th of August. The tourist can now ride a railroad from Louisbourg on the Atlantic to Vancouver on the Pacific and all within nine days.

You can save 10 per cent. by buying Blankets and Horse Blankets at W. Regan's.

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Wolfville, August 5th, 1895.

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Personal Mention.

(Contributions to this department will be gladly received.)

Mrs. (Prof.) F. R. Haley left last week for a few weeks' visit to friends in the U. S.

Mr. Henry A. Porter, of Fredericton, is spending a few days in town, the guest of Rev. T. Trotter.

Dr. G. E. DeWitt arrived home on Saturday evening last, from a trip to various points in the U. S.

Mr. James Blackadder, who for some weeks has been visiting at the home of his parents in this town, left on Friday morning last for Cape Breton, where he will spend a few months in the interests of the order.

The Ottawa Citizen says:—Mr. George Johnson, Dominion statesman, has returned from a well-earned two weeks' holiday, spent in his native province of Nova Scotia.

Mr. E. Blackadder, agent and lecturer of the Grand Division No. 1, left on Tuesday morning last for Cape Breton, where he will spend a few months in the interests of the order.

Mr. Warren H. McLeod, class '94, Acadia, is spending a few days with friends in Wolfville. Mr. McLeod has for the past year been engaged in pastoral work at Springhill.

The increasing business of the Peoples' bank agency of this town, has obliged them to make an addition to their staff. Mr. Henry Arnaud, of Annapolis, who arrived last week, is the new clerk.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Gillmore, of Boston, arrived in Wolfville on Thursday morning last, and will spend a week in town, the guest of the former's father, Capt. G. H. Gillmore. Mr. Gillmore's many Wolfville friends will be glad to meet him again.

The ACADIAN had a pleasant call on Monday from Mr. M. J. Taskeson, Rev. De Bute, one of the layest and apple dealers in New Brunswick, who was in town last week. Mr. McQueen has purchased about eight hundred barrels of apples in this vicinity, which will be conveyed to Sackville by the Ash, Orville, and placed on the local market.

The death occurred at St. John on Tuesday last week of Mr. James Ward, brother of Mrs. D. A. Munro of this town. The deceased, whose home was in Fredericton, had gone to St. John a few days previously in order to meet Mrs. Munro, who was visiting in that city at the time, but was taken ill shortly after his arrival, but his condition was not thought to be serious. He grew worse, however, and a few days after her arrival home, Mrs. Munro received a telegram apprising her of the sad news of his death. A large number of friends will join with the ACADIAN in expressing their sincere sympathy for the bereaved relatives.

Mr. Peter Murphy, one of the well-known and popular citizens of Penacola, has just returned from a three months' trip to Nova Scotia. He went via New York, Boston, Philadelphia and other cities in the States, and visited several different parts of Nova Scotia. He returns in glowing speech of the accounts of his trip, and feels a hundred per cent. better for his outing, but says there is no better place than Penacola for a man to live and die in. Mr. Murphy was accompanied home by his sister, Mrs. Reddy, and two sons, who will spend the winter here, enjoying our balmy breezes and glorious climate.—Penacola, Florida, Daily Times.

One evening last week the incoming Dominion Atlantic train struck a large stone on the track near Rockingham. The stone had been lifted out of a bank at the side of the road, and it is thought was being used as a seat by some soldiers who had been in the vicinity and who forgot to remove the stone.—Chronicle.

The first 13 1/2 miles of the coast railway is expected to be opened Dec. 15th. This will no doubt be a great day for Yarmouth.

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Wolfville, Oct. 16th, 1895.

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This grand old Company has now entered upon its seventeenth year. The following figures testify to its stability, liberality and popularity: Accumulated Funds, about \$40,000,000; Annual Revenue, over \$5,000,000; Bonuses already declared, \$7,000,000; Claims Paid, over \$2,000,000.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO all persons whose WATER RATES are unpaid that unless the same be paid the Town Treasurer on or before the 5th DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1895, inst, proceedings will be taken to enforce payment, as the law directs.

The water will be turned off the premises of all persons whose Water Rates are unpaid on NOVEMBER 11th, 1895. A charge of \$2.50 will be made for turning on the water again.

By order, FRANK A. DIXON, Town Clerk, Oct. 21st, 1895.

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The subscriber will be at his office in Wolfville every Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

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The subscriber having opened a first-class Bakery at the Wolfville Hotel is now prepared to supply to customers White and Brown Bread, Cakes and Pastries of all kinds.

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Mrs. Eastwood, Wolfville, May 14th, 1895.

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Wolfville, Oct. 23d, 1895.

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Box 64. Wolfville, N. S. Sept. 6th, 1895.

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS having legal demands against the estate of Joseph B. Davison, late of Wolfville, in the County of Kings, Esquire, deceased, are requested to render the same duly attested, within one year from the date hereof, and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to

MARGARET A. DAVISON, EXECUTRIX, AYARD L. DAVISON, EXECUTOR.

Wolfville, N. S., Oct. 16th, 1895.

Notice of Assignment.

NOTICE is hereby given that Edward N. B. Shaw, of Wolfville, in the County of Kings, Shoemaker, has by deed of assignment dated the 13th day of August, A. D. 1895, assigned to the subscriber all his stock in trade, book debts and property of every kind, in trust, after paying the expenses of the assignment; first, for the payment of certain creditors therein named; secondly, for the payment of certain other creditors therein named; third, for the payment of other creditors therein named; fourth, for the payment of certain other creditors therein named; and fifthly for all other creditors of the said Edward B. Shaw.

Said deed of assignment has been duly filed in the office of the Registrar of Deeds at Kentville, in the County of Kings, and a duplicate thereof lies at my office at Halifax, in the County of Hants, where the same may be inspected and executed.

JAMES E. STEVENS, ASSIGNOR.

Halifax, August 13th, 1895.

Dissolution of Partnership.

The co-partnership heretofore existing between Fred M. Davidson and Watson H. Duncanson, under the firm name of Davidson & Duncanson, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

Watson H. Duncanson will continue the business, and is authorized to settle all claims and receive all amounts due the late firm.

FRED M. DAVIDSON, WATSON H. DUNCANSON, Wolfville, Oct. 6th, 1895.

In connection with the above I beg to notify the public that I will be found at the old stand as usual prepared to furnish all kinds of Fresh and Salt Meat, Bacon, Hams, Sausages, Poultry, etc., at right prices—and would solicit a continuance of patronage. All accounts due the late firm must be paid within 30 days from above date.

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