THE ACADIAN.

WOLFVILLE, N. S., SEPT. 10, 1897.

Editorial Notes.

The number of Nova Scotia towns is swelling. Bridgetown, on the 4th, declared emphatically for incorporation by a vote of ninety-one pro. and forty-one against.

In 1749 Lord Cornwallis was appointed Governor of Nova Scotia. Since that time, a period of 148 years, thirty-four different persons have filled the gubernatorial chair.

There is a great boom in Newfoundland owing to the recent discoveries of coal on the west coast. The deposits are very extensive and the seams vary in width from 6 to 13 feet. The quality of the product is believed to be equal to the best Welsh steam coal. Experts pronounce the prospects excellent. Sixty thousand tons are already visible, and it is expected that coal mining will become one of the most promising resources of the island.

The outlook in Ireland for the coming winter is gloomy in the extreme. The potato, hay, and corn crops in most districts have proved failures and the chairman of the Michaelstown Board of Guardians declares the Island on the verge of a great agricultural crisis and that numbers of ratepayers will be compelled to go to the workhouse. In London, too, the rise in wheat, which has so cheered the heart of the Canadian farmer, is making ominous the approach of winter.

A company which promises much for the people of Nova Scotia and the Provinces has just been formed in Boston, and has for its object the handling of lumber, and is known as the Boston and Halifax Lumber Co. The company is composed almost wholly of men who are interested in the real estate and building business, and who themselves use large quantities of lumber, and who believe that they can find a ready sale for lumber from the Provinces, in addition to their own needs.

The open announcement of an alliance between Russia and France, the one on Germany's eastern frontier and the other on her western, has had the remarkable effect of causing the Emperor William to recognize merit in Great Britain. At a banquet in Coblentz, a few days ago, he complimented the Duke of Cambridge and referred in the highest terms to the achievements of the British army. But John Bull can regard the Emperor's praise with the same indifference with which [illegible] that he's not alliance.

We understand that a gentleman has been in town this week looking into the advisibility of starting a flour mill here. It is said that he has decided to begin operations in some town in the valley and is inclined to give Wolfville the preference. Such an undertaking would undoubtedly prove a profitable one, and a benefit to the town. We trust that every encouragement will be given to the proposed venture. What Wolfville needs more than anything else at present is a few good manufacturing establishments.

The Dominion Atlantic Railway Co. have issued a beautiful pamphlet entitled "The Story of the S. S. *Prince Edward*," a copy of which we have received. It contains a minute and attractive description of the superb steamer which the Co. have just placed on their new Boston route. The absolute safety of the boat, the perfection of her machinery, and her exquisite equipment receive vivid portrayal, while the magnificent furnish of the different departments is well brought out by a number of fine illustrations. In glancing over the pages of the booklet one is impressed with the strides of science which has made possible such a wonderful piece of marine mechanism as the S. S. *Prince Edward*.

We have received in exchange the second number of the new Presbyterian paper, *The Presbyter*, published at Toronto and Montreal. This present adjunct to religious journalism in Canada promises to be most helpful. The editorials are strong, vigorous, and inspiring; its contributed articles are fresh and on matters of present day interest. It aims to give an index of the life and work of the church and to incite and stimulate to better things. An interesting feature is the course in Memory Training given by Dr Kilburn, whose lectures in Mnemonics have made his name famous. It is the object of this course to give the Christian workers the benefit of the Mnemonic science for the best purposes. We predict for the paper a warm reception in Presbyterian homes.

A matter which we had intended to refer to before is the need of some protection against accident being provided at the wharf crossing. Within a short time two of our citizens have had narrow escapes from being killed by the train at this place. The building that stands alongside and quite near to the track east of the crossing, completely hides approaching trains from sight. Either the building should be removed or proper gates be placed at the crossing to prevent teams from passing near train time. We do not know whose place it is to provide this protection, but the Council should certainly take the matter in hand and either by itself or through the railway company, see that the danger is removed. We have had sufficent warning and it should be heeded.

Town Council.

The regular monthly meeting of the town council was held on Tuesday evening. Present—the Mayor, Couns. Border, Bowles, Sawyer, Caldwell, and the Recorder. The regular standing committees presented reports of routine work done during the past month.

The following accts were read and ordered paid:—

Dom. Atlantic Ry.	$1.22
W. J. Balcom	1.50
G. H. Wallace	3.23
Town Clerk (postage)	3.29
Londonderry Iron Co.	5.63
Capt. J. E. Eagles	1.60
Patrick O'Brien	2.84
G. N. Knowles	1.50
Illsley & Harvey	2.16
F. B. Westcott	9.00
J. W. Vaughn	15.00
Town Clerk (Bank Discount, Ry. fares, etc.)	4.63

Petition was read from Rev. D. O. Parker, asking for refund of taxes on account of alleged inequitable assessment of his property.

Resolved that the Clerk be instructed to notify Mr Parker that the Council is legally unable to accede to his request, and advise him to protect his interests as by law required at the next appeal court of the town. A letter was read from Prof. Tufts re condition of Acadia street which was referred to the Street Committee.

A letter was read from J. W. Bigelow, Esq., re his offer made at the late meeting of the citizens, Mr Bigelow stated that what he had said at the meeting was: "If the town establish a thorough system of cess-pools, the sewage could be made a source of revenue to the town, and when put up for tenders I would tender one hundred dollars for it." He had in mind such a system as was described at the meeting as adopted in Malden, Mass., and when the Council enforces such a system he promised to do exactly what he offered.

Considerable time was taken up by the Council in discussing matters relating to the general welfare of the town and its citizens, during which many good suggestions were made which will no doubt be heard from at subsequent meetings of the Board.

Trotting Gossip.

The Labor Day races at Halifax were all that could have been anticipated.

In the 2:35 class—trot—Virginia J., a 4 year old, by Brazillian, and driven by the old time favorite Al Slipp, was the winner in straight heats, best time, 2:30¾.

The great race of the day was the Free-for-All. The entries were Arc Light, by Rampart, Warren Guy, by Princeer, Minota, by Sir Nutwood, and Resolution, by Rampart. The first heat was won by Arc Light in 2:22¼, the second Minota in 2:21½. Arc Light won the third and fourth heats in much slower time, viz, in 2:25¼ and 2:24¼.

Arc Light did not make a break in the scoring or during the race, and Minota, driven by Lewis Cox, made but two or three. If Minota ever meets Arc Light when he is even a little off she will beat him, if as good as she was on the 6th. Warren Guy took third money. He showed lots of speed, but was unreliable.

The races at Kentville are down for the 15th, at 2 p. m. The sport will be good, and much fun may be anticipated.

At the Mahone Bay races, Lucilla B. won her race in straight heats, best time 2:30. Darkey was second, Lady Rampart third. Lucilla B. is a pacer and has been in good company before she came to N. S. She is owned by Mr Langley, of the Grand Central Hotel, Bridgetown. She started in the 2:35 class at Medford, Mass., Sept. 15th, 1896, in a race won by Story, Clay in 2:15¼, 2:17¾, 215¾, her position in the summary was 2—4—6. She started later in that season at Saugus, Mass. The time was much slower and she did not get any of the money.

She is entered in five races at St. John, during Exhibition, and also in 2:45 class, Halifax, and we doubt if she will need to go faster than 2:30 to win them all.

GOSSIP.

Billtown.

Rev. A. Vincent, a former pastor, preached here and at Woodville last Sabbath. He left with his family on Monday for Isaac's Harbor.

Mr Vincent's brother, from New York, is visiting at Mr H. P. Sweet's.

Mrs John Corbett is visiting her friends.

Mr Zenas Chute and family are having a serious time with typhoid fever. The whole family of twelve have taken the disease, with the exception of the oldest daughter. Three are decided convalescent.

Willie, son of C. R. Bill, took ill on Sunday. Timely medical skill was secured and he is better.

Provincial Exhibition Exhibitors.

Among the many who will exhibit at the Provincial Exhibition, commencing September 28th, are: N. S. Carriage Co., Kentville; Harry Dickey, Canard; Charles Beckwith, Steam Mill Village; Herbert Stairs, Hillaton; A. G. Goodacre, Grand Pre; Stephen Belcher, Kentville; Edgar Beckwith, Centreville; Almon L. Morse, Berwick; F. A. Parker, Berwick, Norman Beckwith, Middleton; Union Aglt. Society, Canard.

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Canning News.

Mrs Stephen Sheffield is home from California. She is accompanied by her sister-in-law, Mrs Hamilton, of New York.

Miss Stone, of St John, is visiting Miss Wickwire.

Miss Ben Oliel lectured Thursday evening in the Methodist church.

The Creamery is putting up 3lb. tins of butter for the West India market.

The dam across the river has been raised so that it keeps the tide off the marsh. The contractor has had a great deal of trouble in placing the sluice.

The moonlight excursion Tuesday night was well patronized. A large crowd enjoyed the pleasant sail on the Basin. Wolfville looked beautiful across the water.

At a meeting of the business men of the town held in A. D. Payzant's office, last week it was unanimously agreed to make the closing of the stores and other places of business a fixture for the future, and the public are asked to kindly assist in making the movement a success.

Mr Jas. Payzant has returned to his duties in "Dorchester," N. B., after spending his vacation with his friends here.

Potter Bros. have just had completed a large freight-shed in one of his wharves to accomodate the steamer *Beaver* which arrives here every Tuesday from St John with freight.

It is rumored that a big hotel, large enough to accomodate 800 guests, will be started on the big flat on top of Cape Blomidon this winter. No doubt now that the government is building a big pier at the foot of Blomidon, at which the different steamers and vessels plying on the basin can call, that the hotel will prove a paying investment. There is no reason in the world why "the far famed Blomidon" shouldn't or couldn't be made the greates summer resort in Canada.

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SEPTEMBER.

Wed 1st	3 43	Fri 10th	11 54
Thurs 2d	4 41	Sat 11th	13 37
Fri 3d	5 41	Mon 13th	2 03
Sat 4th	6 43	Tues 14th	2 48
Mon 6th	8 41	Wed 15th	3 35
Tues 7th	9 24	Thurs 16th	4 24
Thurs 9th	11 23	Fri 17th	5 16

The September number of the *Delineator* is called the Autumn Announcement Number, its forecast of Autumn fashions, with color-plate illustrations, being authoritative. With this number of the magazine is begun a department of exceptional interest and value—a page devoted to Social Observances in which Mrs Mary Cadwalader Jones brings the weight of unquestioned authority to the discussion of good form. Other serial features begun in this issue are Home Taxidermy for Women, by W. S. Edwards, and "Japanese Women," by Francis Stevenson. Order from the local agent for the Butterick Patterns, or address The *Delineator* Publishing Co., Limited, 33 Richmond St., West, Toronto. Subscription price, $1.00 per year or 15 cents per single copy.

Frank A. Dixon, of Wolfville, who is considered a reliable authority on the Nova Scotia apple crop, writes the Montreal *Trade Bulletin* under date of Aug. 26th, that this year's crop of apples in the Annapolis Valley will only be about 100,000 barrels of first class shipping quality. He also says that the bloom in the spring fell in a most unaccountable way, and that orchards now wear a very different appearance to what they did twelve months ago. Mr Dixon closes by saying that the prospects for prices on the London and Liverpool markets are much brighter than those of last year.

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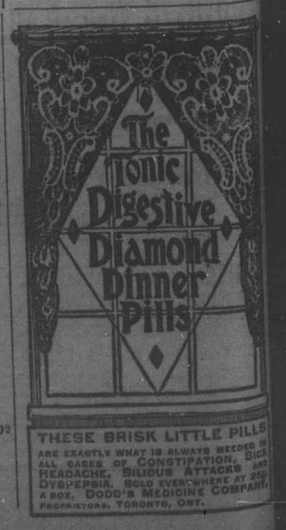
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