

THE ACADIAN.

WOLFVILLE, N. S., AUG. 30, 1918.

Editorial Brevities.

Buffalo Commercial.—No fault can be found with the efficiency with which England is doing her recruiting in this country. No other country that has national in the United States is making half the effort that Great Britain is, to see that all her sons render patriotic service at this time. Britain is showing in this time of stress and sacrifice and thoroughness she has shown all the way through. One of the real causes of war was the mistake Germany made when she assumed the British bulldog had degenerated into a sleepy hound, sun-basking and fire-loving.

London Daily Chronicle.—There is a curious kind of irony in the fact that a weapon once so universal as the sword should have become hardly more than a metaphor. We speak and write of 'victory by the sword,' or of 'a peace imposed by the sword,' though the sword is now more a decorative object for parade functions than a piece of tempered steel for killing purposes. Shrapnel, high explosive, poisonous gas, and the rest of the ingenious modern deviltries have left the more heroic weapon to rust in its sheath. Yet it will probably never be supplanted as a metaphor because it is picturesque, and has a bite in it which no other word possesses. Certainly poets are not likely to substitute anything else for it.

'When the war began,' said Mr. Lloyd George, 'the British Navy, the largest in the world, represented a tonnage of two and a half million. Now, including the auxiliary fleet, it is eight millions.'

'I wonder how many people understand the number of men required to maintain and man the British Navy and mercantile marine. There are at least 1,500,000 probably 2,000,000 or 3,000,000 of whom are of military age. There was an attempt to count out some of these men, but it was found impossible, for to do so would be letting down the British Fleet. Since August, 1914, including those already with the colors, Great Britain alone has raised for the army and the navy 6,250,000 men, for the most part voluntarily. The Dominions contributed one million, and India 1,250,000.'

Tridger Mittens For Our Boys Overseas.

Can't we send every boy a pair for Christmas? It every woman who can knit so will at once turn to mitts it can be done. Get wool from the Field Main street, and in case you do not know how, here are the directions:

Cast on 52 sts.—16—16—20

Knit 2 plain, 2 puri, for 3 1/2 inches Commence thumb—knit 2 plain, 1 puri, 1 puri, 2 plain, making 12 on thumb needle, knit 3 plain rows always keeping puri stitches each side of thumb. Increase every 4th row by making extra stitch on 1st plain stitch after seam and 1st plain before other seam st. Make 5 increases and end with 3 plain rows. Then knit 3 plain and take off 16 stitches on safety pin. Cast on 6 st. and knit 3 remaining sts. Knit 20 rows till first finger is reached. Take off 15 sts, on pin in line with thumb, cast on 2 st. Divide evenly and knit 24 rows, toe off like sock.

1st finger—Take up 15 sts. from pin, pick up 7 sts., knit shapely finger.

Thumb—Take up the 16 sts. from pin and 10 extra sts. Knit one plain row, then on inside needle narrow down to 22 sts. Make shapely thumb.

The Boy Scouts.

All that is needed to make Labor Day a memorable occasion in the annals of the Wolfville Scouts is fine weather.

The Hantsport program in which a genuine Whale Hunt is the main feature, has been carefully thought out and should give great pleasure to old and young alike.

Transportation will be provided for all Scouts in tents and autos. The main body will leave Hantsport's stables at 7 o'clock sharp. The band will leave in the auto truck at 8.

If any of the friends of the boys can help out in the matter of transportation, their assistance will be appreciated. All Scouts who wish to go must notify the Scoutmaster this evening on the Campus at 7:30, or the Club Room at 8:30.

Sugar Conservation Urgent

Next to saving the harvest the most urgent food service at the present moment is to save sugar and the Food Board appeals to every loyal Canadian to do everything to encourage similar conservation by others. This is absolutely necessary in order that our available supply of sugar be stretched until the new crops become available and that it be equitably distributed.

NOTICE

A physician's certificate will be required from all outside pupils showing that they are free from or convalescing from any infectious or contagious disease, before they can be enrolled or admitted to the Wolfville public school.

By order of the School Board,
A. V. RAND, Chairman.

Canadian Food Board Says.

In response to the call for increased production of the people of the cities, towns and villages of Canada have vastly increased the garden acreage in this country. Last year it was estimated by the Agricultural Gazette that the value of the war gardens' produce amounted to somewhere between \$20,000,000 and \$30,000,000. This year Mr. Frederick Abraham, Hon. Chairman of the War Gardens and Vacant Lot Section of the Canada Food Board, after a survey of Canada's war garden reports from coast to coast, estimates that this year's production will be two or three times greater than last. On this basis the war gardens of Canada this year have produced anywhere from \$40,000,000 to \$50,000,000 worth of fruit and vegetables. Taking a conservative view of these figures, the war garden production in Canada for 1918 should be worth about \$50,000,000.

It would be a positive shame, if, after all the work, time, money and material spent upon these gardens, a large proportion of the crops were allowed to go to waste for lack of distribution to consumers. It is impossible for the family of the war gardener to consume, in many cases, more than a fraction of the vegetables and fruits his garden has produced. The Canada Food Board has urged war gardeners to can perishable fruits and vegetables in the greatest possible quantity, but many lots have grown more than one family can use, even taking into account the interval between now and next harvest, either fresh, canned, dried or stored. Amateur gardeners, in numerous cases, expressed themselves as unwilling to sell their surplus vegetables and fruits, not caring to take the position of growing garden stock for money. If such gardeners would forego their delicacy in this matter, recognizing that these are war times, and the shortage of foods is well nigh world wide, it would avoid a serious danger of waste. Where they can dispose of their surplus, either by sale or by gifts to their less well-attuned neighbors, they should take pleasure in doing so. The community is being closely knit by the necessities of war. Food production, food storing, food conservation and food distribution are all patriotic services of utmost importance to the whole community.

The Honor Roll.

On Saturday morning last Mr. Bruce Schofield received the sad news that his nephew, Pte. William Schofield, who had lived with him several years previous to his enlistment, had, on the 18th inst., received a gunshot wound in his chest and before reaching the first base hospital life was extinct. Thus another has made the supreme sacrifice and another home is saddened.

Pte. Schofield enlisted in the 25th Batt. in October, 1914, and was the second in our town who voluntarily offered himself for action overseas. Shortly after arriving in England he went through a course of training in sharp-shooting and bomb throwing in which he was very successful. This brave soldier, shot down at the early age of 21, had saved his King and country faithfully and uncomplainingly for almost four years. He was of a kindly, gentle disposition and held a warm place in the hearts of many Wolfville friends where he will be much missed.

Cleanly, loudly, duty is calling,
Our dear boys who bravely go;
Some are standing, some are falling,
As they proudly face the foe.

Terrible Accident.

An exceedingly sad affair occurred in Wolfville on Saturday evening last by which a young lady from New Minas, Miss Flora Bishop, met instant death. At about half past ten o'clock an automobile driven by Pte. Everett Smith, of Kingston, containing besides the driver Miss Bishop, her sister Dorothy and Miss McInnes, her board for Kentville and when near the residence of Mr. Stairs came in violent contact with a team coming in the opposite direction driven by Ainsley McDow, of Gasperau. Mr. Dow, who it is claimed was racing with another team, was travelling at rapid speed and on the wrong side of the road. As he showed no signs of turning out, Smith swerved to the right. Mr. Dow did so at the same time, and the two vehicles collided. The horse mounted upon the running board of the automobile, and the shaft struck Miss Bishop just above the heart, then upon the temple, killing her instantly. The remains were taken to Woodman's undertaking rooms where an inquest was held on Sunday. The verdict being in accordance with the facts.

The drivers of the two teams, Glen Gertrude and Ainsley McDow, and the driver of the car, Pte. Everett Smith, were arrested on Monday on a charge of manslaughter, and admitted to bail. They will come up for examination before Stipendiary Cawley next Tuesday morning.

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 all at this time and often a precious little life is lost after only a few hours illness. The mother who keeps Baby's Own Tablets in the house feels safe. The occasional use of the Tablets prevents stomach and bowel troubles, or if the trouble comes suddenly—as it generally does—the Tablets will bring the baby safely through. They are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Fruit Jars!

What about your Fruit Jars?

Those who do the extra canning now are going to be the ones with the broad smile this winter.

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SAVE THE VEGETABLES!

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Corwallis Exhibition.

Reserve Wednesday afternoon, Sept. 4th, and attend the Annual Corwallis Exhibition in St. John's Parish Hall, Church Street. The exhibits this year promise to be larger and better than ever. Come and see the beautiful display of vegetables and flowers grown by the school children as well as the older people. Tea will be served on the grounds and ice cream will be sold for Red Cross.

In the evening addresses by eloquent speakers will be delivered. Prizes for the best and entry blanks at once from Mrs. Cecil Woodworth, Sec'y, Church Street.

Acadia Seminary Notes.

Acadia Seminary expects to open Wednesday, Sept. 4th, with the largest attendance on record. Day pupils will be registered in the Principal's office at 9 o'clock. It is considered advisable that all day pupils at the time of their registration present certificates of health from the family physician. This is being required of the public school pupils and Acadia Seminary desires to fall in line with everything which means better health and life.

Money to loan on mortgage securities. Apply to E. S. Crawley, Wolfville, Sec'y, Church Street.

Acadia Seminary

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Pupils may register in the Principal's Office at 9 o'clock. Special opportunity is offered to Pupils desiring thorough instruction in

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PRINCIPAL.

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Why should the farmer cling to horses—a slow, expensive means of power—when every other business is adopting the truck and thereby reducing the cost of hauling, speeding up deliveries, and saving for human needs the food that the horses would otherwise consume?

The motor driven truck can work constantly at maximum load under the burning summer sun, or in the coldest weather. Unlike the horse it needs no rest while working, it cuts only while in actual use, and when the day's work is done it requires very little attention, and leaves you free for other "chores" about the place. Then, it can be housed in one-quarter the space of the horse, wagon and harness it replaces.

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DEALER

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Notice.

The Provincial Highway Tax and Patriotic Fund are now overdue and all who have not paid please do so at once.

H. Y. Bishop,
TOWN CLERK.

Wanted!

TO RENT

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A. E. Regan, Wolfville

SALE OF LANDS FOR TAXES.

Province of Nova Scotia
Towns of Wolfville.

In the matter of 'The Assessment Act' in the matter of lands of Charles Stewart.

To be sold at public auction by the Towns Clerk of the Towns of Wolfville, at the Town Hall in the said town, on the third day of October A. D. 1918 at eleven o'clock in the forenoon; pursuant to a warrant under the hand of the mayor and seal of the said town of Wolfville bearing date the twenty-seventh day of August A. D. 1918 commanding the said clerk to levy upon and sell the lands hereinafter described for the arrears of rates and taxes due thereon, with interest and expenses, unless, before the time of sale the same be paid to the said clerk.—All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situated in the said town of Wolfville and described as follows:—

On the north by the road leading from the said bridge to Gasperau, on the east by lands now or formerly belonging to the estate of the late C. D. Randall, on the south by lands of Martin Pick and the Cemetery land, and on the west by lands of Watson Duncanson, and containing six acres more or less.

TERMS OF SALE.—Ten per cent deposit at time of sale, remainder on delivery of deed.

Wolfville, the 27th day of August A. D. 1918.

H. Y. BISHOP, Town Clerk.

Sheriff's Sale.

1018. A No. 3274.

In the Supreme Court

Between—
WILLIAM B. HARRIS and JUDSON D. HARRIS, Plaintiffs,
and
LESTER RAFFUSE, Defendant.

To be sold at public auction by the Sheriff of the County of Kings, on this day, at the County Court House in Wolfville, in the said county, on

Monday, the 16th day of September, A. D. 1918

at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, pursuant to an order of foreclosure and sale made in the above action dated the sixteenth day of August A. D. 1918, unless before the day appointed for such sale the amounts due the plaintiffs herein for principal, interest and costs, be paid to them or to their solicitor.—

All that certain lot of land and premises situated at Lower Wolfville in Horton township, and bounded as follows:—On the north by the highway to Wolfville, east by lands of the late George Graham, west by lands of the late Lyman Harris and north by lands of David McInnes, containing twenty acres more or less. Also a lot of land opposite the above described and bounded north by the road leading to Wolfville south by Fred's, west by Cross Road, south by lands of Edward Tremblain, east by lands of the late William Brown and east by old road, containing twelve acres more or less, the same being the lands conveyed to the said Lester Raffuse by John D. Martin by deed bearing date the fifteenth day of January A. D. 1909 and recorded a registry of deeds for said county of Kings in book 94 page 241, but subject to a mortgage held by said John D. Martin for \$2,200 and the building, hereditaments, fixtures, tenements and appurtenances to the same belonging or in anywise appertaining.

Said to be subject to the prior mortgage held by John D. Martin for \$2,200, and all sums due thereon.

Terms of Sale.—Ten per cent deposit at time of sale and remainder upon delivery of deed.

Kentville, August 16th, A. D. 1918.

F. J. PORTER,
High Sheriff.

E. S. CRAWLEY, Wolfville, N. S.,
Plaintiff's Solicitor.

F. J. PORTER

Licensed Auctioneer for
Towns of Kentville and
Wolfville, N. S.

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