THE ACADIAN.

WOLFVILLE, N. S., APRIL 1, 1898.

Town Council Meeting.

An adjourned meeting of the council was held on Friday evening last at which the Mayor and all the councillors, except Councillor Chase, were present, with the recorder. The principle business before the meeting was the passing of the estimates for the ensuing year and the fixing of the rate of taxation. The following amounts were estimated for the expenditure for year 1898:

Streets	$1000
Poor	250
Salaries	850
Electric Lighting (streets)	500
County Council	1258
Contingent account	300
Schools	2150
Town Lands	130
Discount on Taxes	100
Debit balance	500
Water Assessment	416

The tenders for the position of superintendent of streets and water works were opened; the following being the tenders: Joseph Jones, $200; H. G. Collins, $250; and Joseph Christie, $225;—the offer of the late superintendent, Wm. Hardwick, standing at $300. On motion the tender of Mr Jones was accepted, and he was appointed for the year on condition that he furnish to the council a guarantee from Mr D. R. Munro agreeing to render such aid to Mr Jones as will enable him to perform his duties to the satisfaction of the council.

The special committee appointed at a former meeting on the petition of residents of Cherry avenue, asking that the avenue be widened, reported giving facts relative to same. A letter was read from Mrs Moore, the owner of land required for the purpose, stating the price wanted. On motion the matter was laid over until another meeting.

Resolved that the rate of taxation on $100.00 for the year be 45 cents for schools, and 95 cents for town purposes, and 10 cents for water purposes.

At a meeting of the town council on Tuesday evening it was decided that the guarantee submitted by Mr Joseph Jones was not satisfactory, and the meeting adjourned to Wednesday afternoon when it was resolved that the council ask the applicants for new tenders, to be accompanied by the names of two bond-men in the sum of $400 as required by amended bye laws.

Wolfville Division's Open Meeting.

Wolfville's Open Division last Monday night was a grand success. Their large neatly furnished, tastefully trimmed Hall was well filled with the members and their invited guests. The program, wisely short, was excellent and of a high order throughout. The Division "Chorus," consisting of five or six female and two male voices, was one of the pleasing features of the occasion, and the recitations of Miss Patriquin and Miss Pick were nice selections and well done. The vocal solos by Miss Edith Toye and Mrs B. O. Davison were well rendered and much enjoyed. The church was represented by the three clergymen of town. Mr Hale, Methodist; Mr Hatch, Baptist; Mr McDonald, Presbyterian each giving a temperance address in the order named. They all expressed themselves as heart and hand with the temperance workers and in favor of prohibition, paid a high tribute to the half century's splendid work of the grand old order of the S. of T., and congratulated Wolfville Division on their successful work in the town, and heartily wished them continued success in their work for "God and Home and Native Land." County Deputy, Dr. Chipman, made a short and excellent address in the interests of the Order, the Division, and Prohibition urging the clergymen and the leading men of Wolfville to join the Division and help save the young and keep out the liquor traffic. The editor of the ACADIAN also spoke for the help and support of the leading men and women of the town for the Division which had done and was doing a good work in the interest of all. The "Closing Ode" was sung and a very pleasant evening came to an end at a reasonable hour. All our Divisions would do well occasionally to invite the public to visit them and see for themselves the inner working of our Divisions. We have no secrets except those necessary to protect us from impostors and preserve our organization and the constitution and ritual of our grand old Order in their simplicity and beauty. Their noble sentiment and literary and practical merit are easily first among all the societies of which I have any knowledge. COM.

Baptist District Meeting.

The next meeting of the Kings Co. District Committee will be held, D. V., in Wolfville, April 5th. The morning session begins at 9.30. First a devotional service conducted by Rev. J. Williams, then follow reports and general business. The P. M. session commences at 2.30. Papers are expected on the following topics: "The Church as Divinely Constituted," "The Church Organized for Work," "The Church filled with the Spirit." There will be also one or more addresses by representatives of the Womans' Aid Societies. The evening session opens at 7.30. It is expected that the W. A. Society will be represented on the platform. Addresses will also be given on "Home Missions," "Foreign Missions" and "The Forward Movement."

Delegates coming by rail are requested to obtain certificates from agent at place of departure. If ten or more go by rail they will be returned free, if less than that number they will be returned on payment of one third fare.

M. P. FREEMAN, Secretary.

Wolfville and the Forward Movement Fund.

DEAR MR EDITOR,—If nothing has yet been said to the citizens of Wolfville respecting their relation to the Forward Movement, they may be sure that this silence is not an indication of intention to pass them by, but rather of such entire confidence in their loyalty, that it has seemed perfectly safe to leave the home field until other fields more remote were tilled.

Before long, however, we shall be constrained to put the loyalty of our fellow-citizens to a practical test. To raise sixty thousand dollars in these hard times is no child's play, and high example, as well as wise and reiterated precept, will be needed, if the people throughout the country are to be so roused and quickened as to ensure for the movement complete success. As a recent correspondent of yours intimated it is not unnatural that the outside public should be curious to know how much enthusiasm for the institutions exists among those who know them intimately, and whose lives are interblended with their life. I have no doubt that when Wolfville shows her hand, it will not be to discredit and retard the movement, but to commend and accelerate. We—I say "we" because I expect to give as well as to ask others to give—ought to raise among us as a community not less than $5,000.00. This is not visionary at all, when it is borne in mind that the collections of the amounts pledged are to extend over four years.

The Baptist people here will have a denominational interest in the movement, in common with the Baptist people in other places. We believe, however, that the response of Wolfville will be, not so much a denominational response, as a response of the whole community, inspired by genuine public spirit.

Wolfville should speak before the anniversary in June. People from far and near will be here on the occasion, and if it is a noble example that has been set, its influence will be far-reaching.

I am leaving town for an extended tour in various directions. Early in May, all being well, I hope to be at home again, to hear what Wolfville has to say. It has seemed well that I should thus foreshadow purposes for the future, that the citizens may have the matter in mind.

Very truly yours,
T. TROTTER.

Wolfville, March 26th, 1898.

The People's Shoe Store has some Children's Goods, both good wearing, and low priced.

Kings Co. Agricultural Society.

Quarterly meeting held in Temperance Hall, Wolfville, March 22nd, at 2.30 p. m. Pres. R. R. Duncan in the chair, and a large attendance of members. Minutes of annual meeting and committee meetings read and adopted. C. E. Starr was elected at last annual meeting, but his name was omitted in minutes, and his name was now read and entered in minutes, and the following members who had joined and paid dues some time ago were duly elected: J. E. Forsyth, Gustavus Bishop, W. H. Chase, Watson H. Miner, J. Elliot Smith, Otis Eagles, Samuel Moore. Capt. J. B. Tingley was nominated and elected a member. A. G. Goodacre resigned. Resolution passed to purchase another M. Campbell Farmer for Upper Gaspereau, price $30, to be paid in three equal annual payments without interest. It was agreed with Fred Westcott that he should purchase the farmer, the Society to pay him, and he to keep and be responsible for the farmer, and any outsider must become a member in order to have the use of it. Resolved that Directors provide Wolfville members with suitable bulls. Resolved that a test of the value and parity of fertilizers be made by some of the members as follows: Bone meal, muriate potas, sodium nitrate, barn-yard manure, etc., cost of fertilizers to be defrayed by society; fertilizers to be used with same variety of grain, as wheat, oats, barley, sown on alternate ridges. Committee to carry out the above resolution: Messrs. Geo. Thomson, J. B. Tingley, E. C. Johnson, J. W. Bigelow, Rupert Wickwire, Fred Mitchell, J. Elliot Smith and Dr. DeWitt. Some ears of corn imported by W. C. Hamilton from Mass., U. S., were distributed among the members. Meeting adjourned.

H. CHIPMAN, Secretary.

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Waldo Card has gone to Kentville to take a situation offered him in the Red Store. Horace will succeed.

The Rev. Horace Kinsman preached here very acceptably last Sabbath morning.

The social event of the season is the marriage of Rev. Horace Kinsman to Miss Myra, daughter of C. B. Lamont, Eq. Although at this writing the event has not occurred, yet the ACADIAN of Friday may say to its readers that the marriage was celebrated yesterday morning at the church, pastor M. P. Freeman officiating. The party drove immediately to Kentville to take the train for Yarmouth on their way to their future home in Verona, near Pittsburg, Pa. Mrs Kinsman was a teacher in the Sabbath school, and popular in the community. The young ladies of her class presented her with their pictures taken in a group by Mr Hardy. She has the good wishes of her numerous friends for her prosperity and happiness.

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The People's Forum.

To the Editor of the Acadian.

DEAR SIR,—Your issue of March 18th contains an article from the pen of Mayor Thomson, of Wolfville, which I think is misleading, although I believe it was unintentional on his part. He says the treasurer of Kings Co. paid in 1894 the sum of $735 in bounties on wild cats. He should have said that amount was paid on wild cats, bears and skunks. In that year the bounty on bears was $8.00 and on skunks twenty five cents, which makes quite a difference. There is another cause for the reduction of bounties which he should have mentioned. In 1895 the bounty on bears was reduced from $8.00 to $4.00, the bounty on wild cats was reduced from $4.00 to $2.00, and the bounty on skunks was taken off altogether. Mr Thomson says that towns are required to publish an annual statement of the doings of their town council with an abstract of their account, and hints that the municipal council might adopt the same method. Now, sir, the municipal council has done this same thing for the last ten years at least, and the county clerk would be pleased to furnish Mr Thomson or any other person with the minutes and proceedings of the municipal council if they would call at his office and ask for them.

Yours, etc.,
J. P. LYONS.

P. S.—The matter of assessment will likely be discussed when the municipal council meets. J. P. L.

To the Editor of the ACADIAN.

The Mayor of the town of Wolfville seems to think his position entitles him to publish over his signature that the assessors of Wards 1, 2, 4 and 9 have dishonestly discharged their duties. He says, "The valuations, numerous errors and general appearance of some of the assessment rolls display incompetency on the part of the assessors as well as perhaps something worse," and he especially marks out Ward 1, which he says, "shows a decrease of $50,536 over the previous year," and asks, "can you believe this to be a fair and honest valuation?"

If Mr Thomson will take the trouble to look up the 1897 assessment roll made by the assessors, he will find it about $20,000 less than we made it for 1898. But the general assessors, having a very wrong idea about the valuation of Ward 1, like Mr Thomson, comparing no doubt, the old Ward 1 assessments with that of 1897, added 15 per cent., which made it about as Mr Thomson states, which was very unjust. Ward 1 some years ago when we were building three or four large ships a year, besides other smaller craft, had a large amount invested in shipping, and employed several hundred men in the construction of ships, and this added very materially to the assessable valuation. Since shipbuilding has stopped shipbuilders have left the country, ships have been sold, or lost or worn out, and the assessable property has as a natural consequence decreased. Other parts of the county, not taking this into consideration, like Mr Thomson put the blame on the assessors, whereas the ratepayers of Ward 1, (as can be proven by men who know the county thoroughly and who have gone into the depths of the assessment system, as I am sure Mr Thomson has not) are to-day paying more than their share of the taxes of Kings Co.

If Mr Thomson is really desirous of knowing how the assessors of the different wards value the real estate in their wards relatively to the selling value, and will take all the sales made in the different wards the past year or any number of years and compare them with the assessors' valuation, he may learn the facts of the case as others have done before him; in which case I am sure he will not repeat the not only ungentlemanly but slanderous assertions in regard to the assessors, and if he will publish the result (and I am sure he will as he seems very anxious to get his name in the papers as "Mayor of the Town of Wolfville") the general assessors will not again add 15 per cent. to the valuation of the assessors of Ward 1.

A. D. PAYZANT.

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10.—A lot of dyke land on the "Wickwire Dyke," near Wolfville, containing 3 2-10 acres more or less, "Forsythe" lot so called.

11.—Also lot on same dyke containing about 5 2-10 acres, known as the "Webster" lot.

12.—Also a lot on same dyke, containing about 1¼ acres, known as the "Leard" lot.

13.—Also a lot of salt marsh near last lot, containing about 2½ acres.

14.—A tract of land on mountain north of Berwick, containing 134 acres, more or less, and known as the "Wilson" place.

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March 23rd, 1898.

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