THE ACADIAN.

WOLFVILLE, N. S., DEC. 14. 1917.

Local Happenings.

Union Government meeting this evening at Citizens' Hall, Port Williams. Addresses by Major Williams and Dr. Cutten.

The musical service that was to have taken place last Sunday in the Presbyterian church will be held next Sunday evening at 7 p. m.

Ladies looking for pretty articles of fancy work for Christmas are invited to inspect a very limited number of fancy collars and useful things at the home of Mrs. B O. Davidson, Summer street.

At the Methodist church on Sunday evening, the pastor will preach on a subject most vital to the nation: "Facing the Facts." We are in danger from within and without, and no true patriot can be easy in mind while the danger continues. Every citizen is invited

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One of the best entertainments given in Wolfville in a long time was that given at the Opera House last Friday evening by the "Marigold Quartette." The very disagreeable state of the weather prevented many from being present but those who stayed away missed a rich treat. The young ladies of the quartette are finished musicians and elocutionists and the program furnished was most enjoyable.

One of the best authorities on Typewriters is generally the Large Business College which acting as go-between to Student and the Business world and desirous of giving practical training to their pupils—generally know the best machine. The decision of the St. John Business College to instal all Remingtons—discontinuing other makes is an indication of the leadership of the Remington Typewriter.

A. Milne Fraser, Halifax, N. S.

The Red Cross Society wishes to thank Mr C. S. Hamilton, of New Haven, Conn., for his check for $25 for Red Cross work.

The Red Cross also acknowledge gratefully the following contributions for relief of the sufferers in Halifax: Mr. W. H. Chase $50 00; Mr. Charles Wright $10 00; Professor Hanney $5 00; Mrs. George DeWitt $5 00; Mrs. Haliburton Moore $5.00

When filling that soldier's sock be sure and include the rubber wash cloth and soap package at Rand's.

The remains of Private George Keeble, of this town, who was one of the victims of the Halifax tragedy, were brought to Wolfville on Tuesday evening and buried on Thursday morning, from St. John's church The deceased was on the home guard and was doing sentry duty at the dockyard at the time of the accident He was terribly injured and died a few days later. He leaves a widow and three small children.

Extract from letter from the wife of a well known Laurier--Liberal worker to a friend in Wolfville:

"When our boys—as mine has had to—never have their boots, putties, or clothes off to sleep for forty days and nights, do you not think they need reinforcements? The more we send now the sooner the war will be over. Canada has sacrificed too many noble sons to fall back now and abandon the remaining ones and leave them to disaster."

Money to loan on Real Estate security. Apply to Owen & Owen, Barristers, Annapolis Royal.

The Grotto

Will open Monday 15th with a full stock of Toys, Books, Dolls, Games.

This department will be in charge of the "Give Service Girls." Five per cent of all sales will be given them to be used for patriotic work. Five, ten fifteen and twenty five cent tables of extra good values.

J. D CHAMBERS.

Halifax Relief.

At a meeting of the citizens of Wolfville, called by His Worship, the Mayor, on Monday evening, an association for the relief of the sufferers in the Halifax disaster was formed under the name of the Wolfville Relief Association.

The following officers were appointed:—

President, J. D. Chambers; Vice-pres., Rev. R. F. Dixon; Secy., F E Wheelock.

The president, Mr. Chambers, then took the chair and the following committees were appointed:—

Ways and Means Committee—Mayor J. E Hales, Mr. Carter, Mr. Graham.

Entertainment and Assignment Committee—Mr. Hugh Calkin, Rev. G W Miller, Dr. A. J McKenna, Rev. R F. Dixon, Mrs. L C Moore, Mrs. J D Chambers.

Reception and Train Committee—Miss Marguerite DeWitt, Mr Fred Rand, Miss Helen Moore, Mr. Ernest Bares, (ch) Mayor J. E Hales.

Clothing Committee—Ladies of Wolfville Red Cross, Mrs. W. H Chase, president.

Medical Attendance Committee—All physicians, all druggists, Dr. G E DeWitt, (convener)

Publicity Committee—B O Davison, Prof. Hannay, Conc. Harvey.

After an informal discussion concerning the financial obligations of this Association, it was moved by Dr Cutten, seconded by Dr. Roach, that this Association request the Mayor and Town Council to set apart a sum of money sufficient for the maintenance of refugees from Halifax.

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What the Soldier Gets.

To the Editor of THE ACADIAN.

DEAR SIR,—It is quite evident that a great many people have the idea that when one of the boys goes out to France and becomes disabled it is the end of their career—and that the government here in Canada leaves him to his fate. Just why the government does not boast of what they are doing—as they have every right to do—I cannot say Perhaps they are afraid that some of our patriotic (?) citizens will object to the returned soldier being given so much.

In order to make it a little more clear I would like to have you publish what they have done for me and what they are willing and anxious to do for all disabled men. Slightly over a year ago I was wounded and disabled. Since then I have had many months in different hospitals with the best of medical attention in them all. Everything possible was done for me and my disability reduced to the lowest degree. During this time my pay and allowances went on as usual. Upon being discharged I was granted an additional three months pay as a bonus, also six months free tuition at any college or university I wished to attend. During that time I will also receive one dollar a day pay, allowances as before, and eight dollars per month pocket money, and a pension in the neighborhood of thirty dollars per month. This latter will continue for life, as also will any medical attention that I may need in connection with my wounds

If some of the young fellows who are about to be called up under the Military Service Act would consider this they would perhaps not be quite so unwilling. If a man is killed he dies an honorable death, and that is the most any one can wish. If he is disabled the government will do everything in their power to lessen his loss.

PENSIONER

Miss Baxter, daughter of Dr G O Baxter, Union street, St John, is one of those who had a narrow escape from death in the destruction of the Military Hospital on Pier 2 Halifax. Miss Baxter was dietitian in that institution and when the explosion came, ran for safety. She fell down the stairs in the hospital, but fortunately escaped with slight bruises Talking with the Globe this afternoon, Miss Baxter said she was most fortunate. The St John Standard said "Miss Baxter won distinction by her valuable services to the wounded after her narrow escape."

(Miss Baxter graduated from the Seminary two years ago and later from a Toronto institution She is a niece of Mrs R C G Harris, this town.)

DIED.

CURRIE.—Sweetly fell asleep in Jesus in "hope of the glorious awakening", at New West Minister, B C., on Dec 6, 1917, Laura, eldest daughter of the late Rev Geo F and Mrs. Maria A Currie, formerly of Wolfville.

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L. W. SLEEP.

The Premier's Visit.

Sir Robert Borden, premier of Canada, paid a visit to Wolfville on Tuesday, and spoke before the students of Acadia in the morning. At 2 p m. he addressed a large and representative audience in the Opera House, under the chairmanship of Mr. W. H Chase, president of Kings County Union Government Association

Sir Robert is a plain and forcible speaker, and the audience followed him with the closest attention. He first described the situation in Halifax, whence he had just come, after spending three days among the desolation and horrors caused by the recent terrible explosion. The scenes he witnessed there simply baffle description, extending as they do over two square miles, and the cause of which seemed to be surrounded by mystery. He found there among the sufferers, women and children, the same fortitude as exhibited by the boys in the trenches, and feelingly acknowledged the wonderful aid and sympathy from all parts of the Dominion and from the United States.

Sir Robert then approached the issues of the present general election 'Personal consideration was," he said, "quite indifferent with that of the world-wide issue, now being fought out on the battlefields, and if not won now by our united efforts the future generations of Canada would come under the rule of Germany. "Make no mistake about that" he solemnly declared.

'Stand together to the end" The greatness of Canada cannot be based upon wealth alone. Every Canadian has the obligation of military service. He owes that duty to the state, to serve and protect it, and that can only be done by a willingness to fight for it.

The Military Service Bill, Sir Robert declared, was nothing new. It first saw light 49 years ago, and its principle reaffirmed in 1904 by Sir Wilfrid Laurier. Voluntary service had given splendid results, but it was attended with much unfairness and difficulties. He had seen splendid accomplishments of Canadian division at Vimy Ridge, deeds that Canada may justly be proud of.

Two alternatives now presented themselves: First, either to leave the Canadian troops at the front without aid; or, second, to enforce the principle agreed upon 49 years ago We can only win this war by the last alternative, which will enable every man and woman to serve Canada

Selection by the Military Bill was not left to blind choice, but to an impartial tribunal, which would protect the interests of all, giving a right of appeal therefrom to a higher court thus guaranteeing its enforcement fairly, impartially and devoid of favoritism.

There was a cry in some quarters that there was an abundance of reinforcements in England available There was, he declared, no authority for idle gossip and the government would barely be able to provide reinforcements for the gallant defenders of the "Road to Calais," even by using the greatest expedition in enforcing the act.

By adopting the Referendum, make no mistake, he asserted, Canada goes out of the war, and Canada now covered with glory by the glorious deeds of her boys, would then be covered with shame The critical stage of the war is Now, and had not the United States come in, the end of the war may have come and been very different to what we expected Why the troops, Sir Robert maintained, might with the same reason, demand a referendum, to decide if they continue the fight for reinforcements.

The safety of Canada to-day depends upon the gallant efforts of the troops in the trenches The first battle line in France The second battle line in Canada The first line will stand firm, provided Canada does the same.

The formation of a Union Government was quite impossible until its value had become generally recognized. He, Sir Robert, invited Sir Wilfrid Laurier to join it, and after deliberating two weeks finally replied he could not accept unless Military Service was abandoned Sir Robert said 'No. Will abandon neither conscription nor the boys in the trenches.'

There were, he declared, eight strong and sturdy Liberals who had joined the Union Government. He had asked three Liberals of Quebec to join, but without success. This Union Government, he said, was an alliance against the Hun The ablest and best men of Canada were, he maintained, now sitting in Council for the good of Canada.

While mistakes had been made by the late Conservative Government, yet he insisted they made fewer than any other previous government He challenged any one to deny that a real Union Government existed; and in conclusion, he said, that the men at the front were absolutely confident of result, if Canada did its duty.'

Dr Cutten made a few telling remarks and the proceedings were terminated by singing the National Anthem

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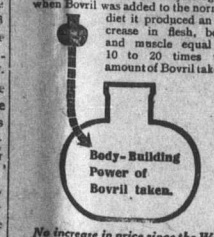

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G. W. BAINES, Administrator
White Rock, Oct. 5th, 1917.

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