

# THE ACADIAN.

WOLFVILLE, N. S., MAR. 8, 1907.

## Town Council Meeting.

The regular monthly meeting of the Council was held on Wednesday evening, with the Mayor and all the Councillors present.

The Finance Committee reported the expenditures for the past month \$668.52, and receipts for the same period \$657.84. The credit balance at the bank at the end of February was \$314.48.

The following accounts were read and ordered to be paid:

Wm. Sturmy	..... \$ 9.00
Rebecca Gould	..... 10.00
Valley Telephone Co.	..... 10.40
F. S. Crowell	..... 40.
Acadia Electric Light Co.	..... 26.06
J. W. Selfridge	..... 35.
Wolville Orchard Co.	..... 11.25
Davison Bros.	..... 23.75

A bill of Charles Murphy was referred to the superintendent of streets for report.

A bill from Mrs. Currie for expense of repairs to fence adjoining school property was referred to the Committee on Public Property for investigation.

Can. McKenna reported that a number of water services had been frozen during the late cold weather. Some of these had been thawed out at considerable expense, and in other cases it was deemed useless to attempt to get the pipes clear at present.

The amended assessment-roll was then placed before the Council, showing the valuation to be:

Real Property	..... \$417,258.
Personal Property	..... 98,812.
Income	..... 30,250.
	..... \$546,320.

The estimates for the current year were taken up and fixed as follows:

County Fund	..... \$1000 00
Salaries	..... 1500 00
Streets	..... 2000 00
Sewers	..... 100 00
Sewer Interest	..... 1320 00
Poor	..... 200 00
Schools	..... 3300 00
Lighting	..... 550 00
Contingent	..... 30 00
Insurance	..... 600 00
Discount on taxes	..... 100 00
	..... \$10,700 00
Sources	..... 3153 00

Amount to be levied on Assessment.....\$7,547 00

The rate of taxation for the year was placed as follows: General, 60c; Sewers, 20c; Schools, 60c; or in all \$1.40 on the hundred dollars.

The clerk was instructed to advertise for sale all lands in respect to which frontage taxes for 1906 have not been paid by the 15th of April, 1907.

## Halifax Notes.

With the opening of the 'House,' and the advent into the political arena of a new element, viz a 'Moral Reform' member in the person of your Mr. Campbell, considerable interest centres in the final outcome of this new departure. In the opinion of those who stand on the side of right, untrammelled by party allegiance, the possibilities of independent action are such as to yield out province the greatest good. Necessarily therefore, those elected on a 'Moral Reform' platform must ever be found in the van on all questions affecting good government.

As the liquor traffic is recognized as the greatest foe to our present day progress, here is something that a 'Moral Reform' member will make no mistake in opposing with all his strength. And if one true man in our House of Assembly will study this question so as to intelligently and truly portray the loss we suffer from the liquor traffic, both moral and financial, he will, ere long, win a following that will be recognized as an important factor in our government, in this way will success be ultimately attained. But there must be no wavering course, no trimming to meet the importunities of political leaders apart from honest conviction. Here lies the advantage of the 'Independent,' and if he appreciates his advantage, his position will be one of power.

Beneath the flimsy arguments of many public writers can easily be detected the true bias of the mind in favor of the 'traffic,' or a stupendous ignorance of the history of this war between right and wrong. Enlightenment is needed and from the vantage ground of our Legislative halls, ought to shine clear and bright, the light of truth and right.

PENSTOCK

A considerable quantity of editorial and contributed matter intended for this issue is held over in consequence of lack of space.

## PATERSON'S

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## The Isle of Wight.

AN INTERESTING LETTER FROM MR. WILLIAM CHIPMAN.

DEAR MR. EDITOR.—The place of which I now write being rather out of the line of ordinary tourist travel the thought occurred that possibly some of your readers might be interested in hearing a few facts concerning the Isle of Wight. After our return from a few months' excursion through England and Scotland, taking in many of the most famous places including the English lakes, we returned to London and from there on by way of Brighton and Dover, giving these places some few weeks' visit.

On reaching the Island we find it has some especially fine features of body, color and climate that grow upon one to such an extent as to make our month's stay appear altogether too short. This is the universal testimony of all visitors. In consideration of the Island's beauty one wonders why it has not received the praise it so justly merits—some hold to the opinion that the commercial instinct is too evident in her well written guide books, and that this fact makes the true nature of the Island less to writing of the Island's charms, for fear of classing himself among those that seek for a few weeks' visit from the guileless stranger. However, the true reason is yet to be given. Historically too, the Island scores. It has once been Celt, Roman, British, Norman, and Saxon, and very hard to realize now when looking over its fertile fields, that every foot of surface has been, thousands of years ago, trodden over by these hardy half barbarians who talked, and walked, and no doubt over which they strenuously fought, joyed and suffered. These old Iron-Ages knew a good thing when they saw it. To-day its appearance verifies the old written accounts of its great diversity in wood, hill, and rich pasture-lands. The Island now measures in length twenty-three miles, breadth about thirteen. It is divided quite equally by a range of chalk hills, and to one, even barely acquainted with the first principles of geology, is very interesting, as nearly all the ordinary formations are traceable in its cliffs, from the very old up to that of to-day.

We come from Brighton here by way of Portsmouth. The steamer voyage down the harbor and across the Solent was most enjoyable. There were ships of all classes, from the low black and ominous-looking war-ships of to-day, back to the old Victory, Nelson's Flag Ship, built more than one hundred years ago, her huge hull made more apparent by her light draught. Bunting was flying from every mast and on almost every rope from deck to main truck, and as she jauntily moved with the tidal swell, showing her three tiers of sinister guns it gave her a look of conscious pride as if she fully remembered her part in bringing to the nation the glory of Trafalgar, not showing any signs of age or decay.

We landed at Kyde on the Isle of Wight, a town built on the cliff. The sea is reached by a slight descent first, then on to a gracefully bowed, natural terrace, green and smooth, a flight of steps on either end enables one to reach a long and broad esplanade, almost on a level with the sea. Here, most of the attractions centre. Thousands of people, some boating, others bathing, walking, and talking. These, with the donkey and goat carriages, riding ponies, out door theatricals, all busy. The boys shout, dogs bark, babies cry, and banal music keeps up the vibrating din. This reduplicates Brighton, only in a lesser degree. Shanklin has many fine modern houses, yet in contrast there are many very old and quaintly constructed, with straw-thatched roofs. Its chime is a great attraction. This is a wide water-worn fissure, its rocky sides take the most fantastic shapes, which are covered partially by trees, shrubbery, and protusely growing ivy, and ferns, all flourishing together in a most friendly and artistic way.

An artificial roadway follows the side near the bottom of the chime, and its serpentine course is crossed over the water-ways, by pretty rustic bridges, giving a most pleasing effect. Longfellow visited this place, and the lines he wrote in admiration of its beauty are cut in stone on the side of the chime in a very conspicuous place. Shanklin has its village church nine hundred years old, besides many others of all stripes. The walk over to Venton by the cliff road, a distance of four miles, is a delightful one. The way, a foot-path running at times over smooth high downs, at others over rugged wooded hills with the dancing sea always in sight. This is a very popular walk judging from the scores of happy people we met coming and going. The first sight of Venton so romantically situated, almost starles one, it's natural beauty is such a great surprise. The town is built very irregularly upon a series of high hills, or rather upon a succession of natural terraces along the hill-sides, and these are built upon in some places close down to the sea. These great hills are worn by erosion from rainfall and hidden springs into the most confused and irregular rocky shapes which give these high hills a most strange and wild beauty, and art in many places has added to this one instance from a concealed spring a fall breaks out near the centre of the town some thirty or forty feet above the under cliff a place for dumping town debris.

WILLIAM A. CHIPMAN. (Continued Next Week.)

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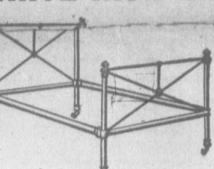
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Friday Night's Recital. Balcom, Margaretville, sang respectively, "The Bandolero," by Stuart, and "Beloved it is Morn." (Allyard) and "The Beautiful Land of No-d-Greece. Both were in good form and sang with ease and considerable dramatic force, with good phrasing and distinct enunciation. The success of the recital depended in no small degree on the excellent accompanists. It was a creditable performance throughout. The second in the series will be given March 22.

A program interesting and varied was that presented by the pupils of Acadia Seminary on Friday evening last. College Hall was filled for the occasion. Except the pianoforte selections the work of advanced pupils was presented. In the case of the pianoforte selections, while the pupils represented the intermediate grades, the rendering gave evidence of careful training and reflected credit on the teacher, Miss Burmeister, as well as on the pupils, Miss Sadie Dobson, Moncton; Miss Eva Smith, Marysville; Miss Myra Chambers, Wolfville; Miss Goldie Sweet, Bridgetown.

Miss Goodspeed's department, Elocution, was efficiently represented by two advanced pupils, Miss Mary E. Richards, Campbellton, N. B.; and Miss Elinor Wood, Wolfville; both pupils with pronounced talent. The former gave a dramatic reading, "Old Mother Goose," from Elizabeth Stuart Phelps Ward, with fine effect and reserve force. The latter was thoroughly at home in a scene from the "Bird's Christmas Carol." Miss Evelyn Starr, the talented daughter of Mr. C. R. H. Starr, of this town, nobly upheld the traditions of the violin department and was heard with great interest, both in the Bach concerto, in which she was assisted by Miss Rath, her teacher, and in a most complicated selection from Hubay "Hejre Kat." Miss Merson's pupils, Miss Helen Beckwith, Wolfville, and Mr. Claude

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APRENTICES three apprentices in the city of Wolfville. A don, at Chamberment. Miss Congdon of Chambers' are in St. John's styles. They will be ready for Friday and Saturday.

FOR SALE.—T cust avenue late Simson. Will apply to Mrs. I or at this office.

The recital by reading rooms was attended by persons and was by all. Miss M. elocutionist and tribulation an able manner Bulletin.

LOST.—An ov Evangeline rink Feb. 27. A new return to room Wolfville.

Farmers' meet next week as fol Upper Perea Gasperau... Grand Pre... Avonport... North Alton... The meetings wing at 7.30 o'clock discussed will be and soil cultivation, Grand Pre ings H. C. Black present and deli

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