

Personal Paragraphs

Mr. D. B. Angus has tendered his resignation as principal of the Berwick school.

Mr. Walter Johnson, of Halifax, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Johnson.

While in town last week, Col. J. L. Ralston was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Fraser.

Mrs. A. J. Mason left on Wednesday for Boston, having been ordered by her doctor to take a vacation.

Hon. A. B. Morine and Mrs. Morine, of St. John's, Newfoundland, have been the guests this week of the former's brother, Mr. N. B. Morine, of Lower Wolfville.

President G. B. Cutten, of Acadia University, left last week for New York and Chicago. Dr. Cutten has been requested by the University of Chicago to deliver a series of lectures beginning the first week of December.

**MORE CAPITAL FOR NOVA SCOTIA
Twenty Million Dollars to be Spent in Pictou County**

NEW GLASGOW, Nov. 29.—It is learned here tonight that British capital to the extent of five million pounds sterling has been pledged to finance the development of the vast and rich Pictou County oil shale field, lying within the southern boundary of New Glasgow and east of Stellarton. One million pounds (upwards of five million dollars at normal exchange) will, it is stated, be made immediately available to be spent during the coming year, work to begin when the season opens and weather permits. The balance of the capital to be provided "as and when required."

This good news comes following a conference in New York between a representative of the holding company and representatives of Great Oil Organizations of Great Britain and of the Petroleum Executive of the British Government, of which Sir John Cadman is the chairman, succeeding Sir Boverton Redwood, the world's greatest oil expert, who died in 1918.

There will, it is stated, be behind the enterprise some of the foremost technologists and executives in the Empire, the whole to be under the aegis of a world famed oil organization, acting in conformity with the wishes of the Imperial authorities.

It is understood that Colonel Thos. Cantley, during his visits to Europe of late years, was in touch with the executives referred to, and during the past summer two scientific officers of the Anglo-Persian Co. visited this county, returned home and reported. Following this report the executive officers came out and it is now understood that an agreement has been definitely arrived at, whereby the local holding company have transferred a major interest in the Pictou field to a powerful all-British group who have pledged themselves to the investments stated.

A Detroit woman, divorced at three o'clock was re-married at four. The despatches did not expalin the delay.

A Detroit girl who was married over the telephone has been granted a divorce. Evidently she got the wrong number.

Which is the best way to make a thin boy fat?
Tap him on the back and he will look round.

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Should you desire to forward them any distance your order should be placed with us at once to insure plenty of time in transit.

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The Acadian Store

NOVA SCOTIA AGAIN TO THE FRONT

At the recent Imperial Fruit Show held at the Crystal Palace, London, England, Miss J. Beatrix Martin, who was in charge of the Nova Scotia Government stand, obtained at the close of the Exhibition the highest average price paid for any one large lot of apples.

The apples referred to were obtained and forwarded by Mr. W. B. McCoy, Secretary of Industries and Immigration, Halifax, N. S.

N. GRAND PRE NOTES

Mrs. Robert Chisholm, of Wolfville, and Miss Sadie Dill, of Windsor, spent the week end with the former's son here.

Mr. John Palmer, of Kentville, spent one day last week with Mr. Harry Palmer.

Mrs. Maurice Dimock is visiting friends in Halifax.

Master Tilberry Boates, of Wilmot, spent last week visiting Mrs. Harry Palmer.

Miss Evelyn Palmer spent a few days last week visiting Miss Mary Taylor, of Hortonville.

ELECTION RETURNS AT OPERA HOUSE

Every body is anxious to know how the Election will go Tuesday evening, December 6th. The management of the Opera House wish to call your attention that by special arrangement with the Western Union, and at considerable expense to us we are having installed on the stage a direct wire with Halifax and bringing a special telegraph operator for the purpose of giving the patrons first hand news of the returns as they are received.

We will also show an extra special picture by that great producer David Wark Griffith entitled "The Love Flower" starring Richard Barthelme, hero of "Way Down East", and an all star cast.

There will be other short subjects, news events of the day, and special music by Local Talent including a Male Quartette, which will make December 6th an evening that everyone will enjoy and long remember.

Owing to the extra cost of installing this telegraph outfit, and the entertainment, etc. the price for Tuesday evening will be 50c. The Performance will commence at 7 P. M.

A HINT FOR NOVA SCOTIA FRUIT GROWERS

The following despatch from London would indicate that Nova Scotia fruit growers must look to their laurels. Time was when they carried off the honors at the big exhibitions and they ought to be doing it again:

London.—Ontario, which led the other Canadian provinces at the Royal Agricultural Dairy show, held here recently, had to yield the premier honors to British Columbia at the Imperial Fruit show. The Pacific province captured gold medals in the fourth, seventh, eighth, ninth, tenth and eleventh classes; silver medals in the first, second, third, fourth, fifth, twelfth, thirteenth and fourteenth classes; and bronze medals in the first, second and third classes, besides being highly commended in the third class.

British Columbia thus took six gold medals to Ontario's four. Nova Scotia's two and New Brunswick's two; eight silver medals to Ontario's five and Nova Scotia's one and three bronze medals to one for Nova Scotia and two for New Brunswick.

POLITICAL MEETING

In the interests of
The National Liberal-Conservative Party

CANNING
THE ARMOURIES

Monday, Dec. 5, 1921

at 8 p. m.

SPEAKERS:

**MISS A. L. CHIPMAN
G. E. KNIGHT
J. P. CONNOLLY, M. C.**

WOLFVILLE OPERA HOUSE

Election Returns by Direct Wire at the Opera House, Tuesday Ev'g, Dec. 6th.

By special arrangement with the Western Union we will give our Patrons the Election returns by having a direct wire on the stage. The returns as they come to us will be given out from the Stage.

The management have also secured a special Picture for that evening produced by D. W. Griffith

"The Love Flower"
ALSO OTHER SHORT SUBJECTS

Special Music, songs, etc., by local talent including a Male Quartette will mean a great evening's entertainment.

Admission Tuesday evening 50c. Show starts 7 p. m.

WED. & THURS., DEC. 7-8
J. Parker Read's Latest screen success

"LOVE"

by Louis Joseph Vance

also
Eddie Polo in
"THE BLACK WALLET"
Show at 7.30. Prices 20-30c.

FRI. & SATUR., DEC. 9-10.

Fascinating, Beautiful
BABE DANIELS

in
"Two Weeks With Pay"

You need a vacation! Come in and see
"TWO WEEKS WITH PAY"
also LARRY SEMON
in two reels of fun
"THE HEAD WAITER"
Show at 7.30. Prices 20-30c.

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Blue Bird Tea

"Brings Happiness"

Romance of the Orient

In the Oriental tale, a genii is imprisoned in a vase and when released floats out to bring a benediction to the one who broke the shackles.

Even so the romance of India, the sunshine of its mountain slopes, the fragrance of its flowers escapes to reward one opening a package of

Blue Bird Tea
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This is the Shoe that will STAND the hard Knocks

A regular knockabout shoe that will keep in step with you every day, fair weather or foul, and at the same time give your feet desirable style.

In three different lasts by Slater at \$6.90.

During the last year when all merchants have learned once more that "all that goes up comes down", most merchants have been pretty well burned—to use the slang expression.

The burnt child dreads the fire, and as a result of the losses which liquidation of stocks has involved there has been, and is, a general hesitation in stocking up beyond the most immediate needs.

Although we've had our share of "liquidation" we've never lost faith in our public or our confidence that good selections of the right sort of stocks at the right prices will always draw trade.

So for this Holiday Season we have made up our usual ample stocks of dress goods, silks, hosiery, gloves and neckwear, and we have just received our new Ladies Oxford, these with the colored spats look smart.

A few Ladies' Coats Left

Large stocks of suits and overcoats for men and boys.

Our new Hats in Velour and Plush are taking well.

Many useful gifts put up in fancy boxes ready to mail.

DOWN TO DATE IN PRICE AND UP TO DATE IN VALUE

GEORGE A. CHASE
Port Williams, N. S.

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The Subtle Art of Gift Selection

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A gift of jewelry in its enduring beauty keeps alive the memory of the giver and the giving. Its intrinsic value grows. Its exquisite charm is unchanging.

We are showing a wonderful selection of Christmas gifts and will welcome an opportunity to aid you with your Gift list.



Bracelet Watches

are here in great numbers and dainty dresses, from a silver case and leather strap at \$12.00 to a handsome 14K gold engraved case and high grade movement at \$50.00. Pocket watches for Boys & Men that are absolutely guaranteed and good value at whatever price you pay. \$2.50 to \$45.00.

French Ivory

We have the best stock of French Ivory ever shown and prices are considerable lower than last year.

No boudoir is complete without an Ivory Toilet or Manicure Set.

Manicure sets in handsome silk lined Rolls \$3.25 to \$20.00.

Toilet sets (Brush, Mirror and comb), \$10.00 to \$50.00.

Ivory Photo Frames 25c. to \$3.50.

Jewel cases 45c. to \$7.00.

Cloth Brushes, Hair Brushes, separate manicure pieces, in fact any thing you want that's made in Ivory.

We can engrave in colors any piece of French Ivory you buy here.

Swan Fountain Pens & Pencils

We have never shown such an array of high class pens and pencils as we have this year.

Pencils for the school boy or girl in enamel and silver, 75c. to \$1.50.

Pens at \$1.75 and \$2.00 that are made to stand the wear.

Handsome, silver and gold mounted pencils and pens \$2.25 to \$12.00.

Combination sets Pen and Pencil \$11.00 to \$16.50.

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