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J. W. Caldwell, Secretary.

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WOLFVILLE DIVISION 8 or T meets every Monday evening in their Hall Witter's Block, at 7 30 o'clock.

ACADIA LODGE, I. O. G. T., meets every Saturday evening in Music Hall at 7 30 o'clock.

CRYSTAL Band of Hope meets in Witter's Hall every Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

DIRECTORY

OF THE
Business Firms of WOLFVILLE

The undermentioned firms will use you right, and we can safely recommend them as our most enterprising business men.

BORDEN, C. H.—Boots and Shoes, Hats and Caps, and Gents' Furnishing Goods.

BORDEN, CHARLES H.—Carriages and Sleighs Built, Repaired, and Painted.

BLACKADDER, W. C.—Cabinet Maker and Repairer.

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CALDWELL, CHAMBERS & CO.—Dry Goods, Boots & Shoes, Furniture, &c.

DAVISON, J. B.—Justice of the Peace, Conveyancer, Fire Insurance Agent.

DAVISON BROS.—Printers and Publishers.

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CHILMORE, G. H.—Insurance Agent, Agent of Mutual Reserve Fund Life Association, of New York.

GODFREY, L. P.—Manufacturer of Boots and Shoes.

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ROCKWELL & CO.—Book-sellers, Stationers, Picture Framers, and Dealers in Pianos, Organs, and Sewing Machines.

DAND, G. V.—Drugs, and Fancy Goods.

SLEEP, S. R.—Importer and dealer in General Hardware, Stoves, and Tinware. Agents for Frost & Wood's Plows.

SHAW J. M.—Barber and Tobaccoist.

WALLACE, G. H.—Wholesale and Retail Grocer.

WITTER, BURPEE—Importer and dealer in Dry Goods, Millinery, Ready-made Clothing, and Gents' Furnishings.

WILSON, JAS.—Harness Maker, in still in Wolfville where he is prepared to fill all orders in his line of business.

WOLFVILLE.

PAST AND PRESENT.

FROM A LITTLE HAMLET TO A THRIVING TOWN.—THE HISTORY OF OUR MERCANTILE HOUSES.

Wolfville has at last woken up. The town is going ahead. Never in its history has there been such advancement as in the last few years. From a little hamlet it has grown into a thriving town. New streets are being opened to give room to those who are making homes among us. A half a hundred houses have been erected during the past year or so, with the expectation of a larger number during the coming year. Strangers visiting our town are delighted with its appearance, and in many cases come to stay. Wolfville is on the eve of good times. On our next page we give a history of our town, of the University for which it is so widely known, of some of the leading business and professional men. On this page we give a short history of the business houses of our town, commencing with the dry goods establishments, arranging them in alphabetical order. Never were the merchants better prepared to meet the wants of their customers. Multitudes are flocking into our town daily to see the beautiful display of Christmas goods. Indeed they are worth coming to see. The prospects are of a bright Christmas trade.

C. H. Borden & Co.
Boots and Shoes, Hats and Caps, Trunks and Valises, and Gents' Furnishings Emporium.

Somehow about ten years ago the above business was started in Wolfville by Mr. C. H. Borden, and it has steadily grown until it now is probably the most complete establishment of the kind in the county. They carry an immense stock of everything in the line of gents' furnishings and clothing, and their goods are of the best and most fashionable character. Nothing is allowed to remain on their shelves or counters after it has become "out of style." At the time Mr. Borden started business in Wolfville this branch of trade was done by the general stores as a side line, and consequently did not receive the attention that it now enjoys. This firm gives its whole attention to these lines, and is thus able to keep thoroughly posted in the wants of customers, and are thus enabled to supply their every need. It would indeed be a fastidious person who could not be suited in their extensive range of goods. Those who are looking for Christmas presents for gentlemen cannot do better than call and inspect, as they are sure to find something to suit.

J. W. Caldwell.
Importer and Dealer in Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, Ready-made Clothing, &c.

Twenty-five years ago Mr. Caldwell came to Wolfville and entered the establishment of John Rouseff as clerk. In this capacity he remained for a few years, gaining a knowledge of mercantile life. He then entered into a partnership with John L. Brown on the premises where he now carries on business. Subsequently he went into a partnership with Mr. A. S. Murray, which lasted until Mr. Murray withdrew from the business to enter the firm of Burns & Murray, of Halifax. After Mr. Murray left this establishment, Mr. Caldwell took into partnership his senior clerk, Mr. J. D. Chambers, and continued the business under the firm name of Caldwell, Chambers & Co. Under this name the business was conducted until last spring when Mr. Chambers sold out his interests to Mr. Caldwell, since which time Mr. Caldwell has conducted the business alone. The transactions of this house have ever been conducted in an honorable and upright manner, and it merits the success that it has ever achieved. The store is a commodious one, and its shelves are well filled with all the fine grades of dress goods, silks, satins, laces, plushes, woollens, trimmings, as well as ladies' and gents' furnishings goods, hosiery, gloves, caps, hats and fancy articles of all kinds. Boots and shoes and rubber goods always in stock. In addition to the above a large variety of furniture in ash, walnut, etc., is kept on hand and offered for sale at reasonable prices.

How are you?
"Nicely, Thank You,"
"Thank Who?"
"Why the inventor of SCOTT'S EMULSION"

Which cured me of CONSUMPTION.

Give thanks for its discovery. That it does not make you sick when you take it.

Give thanks. That it is three times as efficacious as the old-fashioned cod liver oil.

Give thanks. That it is such a wonderful flesh producer.

Give thanks. That it is the best remedy for Consumption, Scrophula, Bronchitis, Wasting Diseases, Coughs and Colds.

Be sure you get the genuine in Salmon color wrapper; sold by all Druggists, at 50c. and 1.00.

SCOTT & BOWNE, Belleville.

TRY OUR CELEBRATED INCA FLOUR

A first-class grade of family flour, winter wheat, ground from choice Northern wheat. Pure, white, soft, and of the very best quality. Superior to any other flour ever put upon the market. Honest and reliable. It contains the most health-giving and nourishing properties. Guaranteed and warranted to give satisfaction.

Dealers supplied by J. A. CHIPPAN & CO., Halifax, N. S., or direct from the Mills of HULLAND & PELOW, Peterborough, Ont.

WOLFVILLE, - O. D. Harris.

General Dry Goods, Clothing and Gents' Furnishings.

Mr. O. D. Harris, of the Glasgow House, began business in Wolfville in October, '86, in the store now occupied by Miss Hamilton, buying out Mr. J. S. Dodd, who established a dry goods business here a short time before. He is a native of Wolfville and has been engaged since a boy in mercantile life, at Halifax, St. John, N. S., and in the West. Meeting with a large measure of success, he returned to his old home and embarked in the dry goods business as above. He soon found his business increasing so as to necessitate more accommodation, and in a short time began the erection of the commodious building which he now occupies. The new store, which is one of the finest in the valley and an ornament to the town, he keeps constantly filled with an immense stock of General Dry Goods, embracing everything usually found in a first-class establishment. He buys in the best markets and gets the advantage of cash prices, and his prices are consequently the lowest. The Glasgow House is noted for attentive clerks, and customers can always count on being used right. His Christmas stock will be found as usual up to the mark and no one should fail to give him a call in making their holiday purchases.

S. A. Hamiltou.
Millinery and Fancy Goods.

From Avon's ancient river to Aylesford's sandy plain, they call me to make bonnets on every shape and frame. What though the old one pleases, it did well for a while, but now the new one teases—the old one's out of style. In vain with lavish kindness, are flowers on it strown, but it is simply madness to wear the old alone. Shall I, whose store is stocked with bonnets just from town, stand up behind my counter and let them beam down on me? Oh, no! my price I'll have it, and bonnets I'll proclaim 'till earth's remotest nations have learned the maker's name. Waft, waft ye winds the story and you, ye waters, roll, till like a sea of glory I fit out every poll. Then from my dandy showcase they come and take them down, S. Hamilton's the maker—the best there is in town.

Burpee Witter.
Dry Goods, Millinery, Ready-made Clothing, Gents' Furnishings, &c.

Mr. Witter commenced business Oct. 1st, 1874, in a part of the Borden Block dealing only in dry goods and gents' furnishings. On the 18th March, 1880, the Borden building was destroyed by fire. Mr. Witter sustained no loss by the fire as it occurred at six o'clock in the evening, a time when help could be quickly summoned. His stock was all removed before the fire reached the store occupied by him. Mr. Witter has since occupied the large and commodious building known as Witter's Block, where his business has grown to its present proportions, embracing dry goods, millinery, ready-made clothing, boots and shoes and gents' furnishings. In referring to Mr. Witter's advertisement in this issue it will be seen that his stock of goods for the Christmas trade is large, attractive, and embraces a great variety of goods suitable for the holiday trade.

Rockwell & Co.
Bookellers, Stationers & Newsdealers.

The Wolfville Bookstore, under the management of Mr. P. P. Rockwell, has been established in Wolfville for a number of years, and has always given entire satisfaction to the public demand. Here you can always find a complete assortment of books and magazines of every description, stationery, room paper, blank books, school supplies and all other goods usually found in a first-class establishment of the kind. The Bookstore at this season is especially attractive, and Mr. Rockwell is well prepared for the Christmas trade. Santa Claus makes his headquarters here, and it is naturally a favorite resort of the young people. And really it does present a most tempting appearance. Mr. Rockwell has a large stock of goods such as would be suitable for present for young or old. We advise all the readers of the ACADIAN who possibly can to call and inspect his pretty stock in making their Christmas purchases. Mr. Rockwell also carries a large variety

of picture mouldings and is prepared to frame pictures of any kind in a satisfactory manner at very low prices.

Jas. S. Morse.
Flour, Meal, Feed, Groceries, &c.

One of the oldest and most reliable houses in Wolfville. In 1853 Mr. Morse opened a Grocery Store in Wolfville and by close attention to business soon merited and obtained a liberal share of the patronage of the township, which he has recently had ever since. He is one of the most popular of our business men and his word is as good as his bond. He deals in flour, meal, salt, leather, paraffine oil, and general groceries of the best quality, and purchasers may rely on getting what they bargain for every time.

F. J. Porter.
Groceries, Glassware, Crockeryware, Flour and Feed.

Mr. Porter came to Wolfville in May, 1887, and opened a small Grocery Store on Main street. By close attention to business and catering to the wants of the public his business increased to such an extent as to oblige him to seek for enlarged premises which resulted in his having a fine store built expressly for his trade, into which he moved in June last. This is said to be the finest grocery store in the County. It is well stocked with general groceries, farmers' produce, fish, salt, flour, meal &c. He also keeps constantly on hand oats, bran, shorts, middlings, &c., all of which he disposes of at lowest market prices. Farmers will find this a good place to exchange their produce for such groceries as are kept here.

J. W. Vaughn.
Bakery, Restaurant and Grocery.

There is no single branch of trade so much important as that of the grocer. He it is who supplies the necessities sufficient to sustain life, and the baker exercises his skill in compounding and preparing them for food. About two years ago Mr. Vaughn commenced the Bakery business here, and has met with such success as to encourage him to extend his business on a much larger scale. He has built a fine building, the lower part of which is occupied for a Bakery, Restaurant, and Grocery. His assortment of groceries, although not so extensive as that of some others in the town, is equal in quality with those of the best. In the Restaurant luncheons may be had at any hour of the day and at reasonable charges. His Bakery supplies bread, pies, cakes, &c., a stock of which is kept on hand and always fresh.

G. H. Wallace.
Dealer in Choice Family Groceries.

The trade in groceries everywhere ranks as one of prime importance, including as it does nearly all the actual requirements of our daily subsistence. Amongst the popular and reliable grocery establishments of Wolfville, that of Mr. Wallace, opposite the Baptist Church, is worthy of mention. This business was established in 1869, since which time the trade has been steadily increasing. This establishment is well stocked with a fine assortment of choice family groceries, general provisions, and canned goods of every description, the best brands of pure and unadulterated spices, teas and coffees, sugar, molasses and the usual grocers' sundries. A department is devoted to crockery and glassware, in which will be found all kinds of useful articles. Mr. Wallace is a native of Wolfville and has through all these years made it his special study to supply his customers with the very best goods the market afforded, and at reasonable prices. He has gained a reputation for square dealing and customers are never disappointed in not getting what they bargain for.

G. F. Hamiltou.
Groceries and Canned Goods.

Mr. Hamiltou has the newest grocery store, and is himself the youngest proprietor in the town. He commenced business in the J. G. Eagles shop, but a few weeks ago, with a full assortment of general groceries, and has already succeeded in obtaining a fair share of patronage of the trade, encouraging quick sales, by small profits. During the Christmas season he offers for cash, good fresh raisins at eight cents per pound, currants at same price, four

gallons best American oil for one dollar, twenty-three pounds of light brown sugar for one dollar, and all other goods at proportionately low prices. His stock of spices, teas, coffees, and canned goods is all new and fresh, having purchased none but the very best articles in all the lines which he handles and consequently has no old stock. Fresh country produce in the line of butter, eggs, &c., constantly on hand; also sugar, candies and the usual grocers' sundries.

Mr. Hamiltou is well known in Wolfville, having lived here the greater part of his life. The business he has embarked in is a profitable one if properly conducted, and we bespeak for him that success which strict attention to business is always sure to bring.

Mrs. Weston.
Confectionery, Toys and Fancy China.

This is one of the neatest shops in the town, everything inside is arranged with the nicest precision. Upon the counter are the most tempting candies and enticing syrups. To go inside is to partake of some of the delicacies therein displayed, as the palate is sure to sympathize with the eye; and to sample something so temptingly arranged before one, becomes inevitable. Not only the interior but the exterior attracts the attention, as the most beautiful plants and flowers adorn the shop windows which are kept in bright foliage and beautiful blown throughout the entire year, and for sale. Toys in variety are also to be had here.

Franklin & Fuller.
Hardware, Paints, Oils, Lumber, &c.

The trade of the hardware man is second to none in the community, and his range of customers is as varied as any other. He furnishes the blacksmith with iron, the mechanic with tool, the farmer with farming implements, the builder with builders' hardware, the housekeeper with table cutlery, the hotel waiter and a great variety of useful and elegant articles needed in the dwelling. The small boy is also provided for with sharp jackknives, &c., that go to make him happy. The Messrs. Franklin and Fuller, having purchased the business and good will of the late firm of Walter Brown, are now in a position to supply the trade with everything to be desired in their line. A fine assortment of skates for the holiday season have been procured in plain steel, nickle, silver and gold. Their shelves are well stocked with cutlery, in table and pocket, carvers, dinner and desert knives and scissors. A fine assortment of Granite Iron Ware, in tea or coffee pots with plated and nickle mountings are also in stock. In silver-ware they have a fine display of cake baskets, berry and fruit dishes, breakfast, table and pickle castors, butter knives, tea, table and desert spoons, all of which will be sold low as they intend closing this department of their business. House finishings, illuminating and lubricating oils always in stock. Also, dry pine shingles and timber.

S. R. Sleep & Son.
Stoves, Ranges, Furnaces, Tinware General Hardware.

Among the old and reliable houses in this business may be numbered that of S. R. Sleep & Son. Mr. Sleep commenced business in Wolfville upwards of fifty years ago, and by strict attention to business built up a large and constantly increasing trade. The articles here displayed are such as are usually found in first class stores of this kind, consisting of stoves, ranges, hollow ware, paints, oils, nails, glass, and shelf hardware. In this large stock will be found stoves and ranges (adapted for wood or coal) of the best grades. Mr. Sleep is also prepared with competent workman to do any description of house plumbing, water piping, and fixtures kept constantly on hand and supplied and fitted at reasonable price. Here also can be found stove-pipe and kitchen goods generally, and are offered at prices which cannot fail to please customers.

T. A. Munro.
Merchant Tailoring Establishment.

The world judges largely by outward appearance, and the art of the tailor is one of primary significance. Mr. Munro is one of our best representatives in this line, and his efforts to please have

been fully appreciated by the residents of Wolfville. He came here in 1889, having been engaged in the city of Boston in a large tailoring establishment, as foreman of one of the departments. Immediately on his arrival he commenced operations on the upper flat of the building he now occupies, under rental. His business, which was good at the start, continued to increase to such an extent that he was induced in March last to purchase the building with a view of making Wolfville his permanent home. This summer he found it necessary to enlarge his premises and to occupy both the lower and upper flats for his business. In connection with his tailoring he has put in a fine and selected assortment of cloth. As a cutter and fitter Mr. Munro stands at the head of his profession and his work is fully appreciated by those who believe the old saying that fine feathers make fine birds. He has a talking tube in his establishment between the upper and lower flat which is a novelty here, as it is the first and only one in Wolfville.

W. S. Wallace.
Fashionable Custom Tailor.

Dress is a fine art, in which nothing is so conspicuous as the absence of taste. A great many people simply exhibit the ability to purchase without the taste to select, not giving due attention to the choosing of material which harmonizes in color to suit the complexion or the style of garments becoming to the size. It is by close attention to such details that Mr. Wallace is meeting with such good success. He has on his counter and to arrive a fine assortment of cloths and suitings including English, Scotch and Canadian tweeds, which will be made up in the latest styles and fashion. None but experienced and thoroughly practical hands are employed and perfect fits are in all cases guaranteed.

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"German Syrup"

We have selected two or three lines from letters freshly received from parents who have given German Syrup to their children in the emergencies of Croup. You will credit these, because they come from good, substantial people, happy in finding what so many families lack—a medicine containing no evil drug, which mother can administer with confidence to the little ones in their most critical hours, safe and sure that it will carry them through.

Ed. L. Willits, of Mrs. Jas. W. King, Alma, Neb. I give it to my children when Harrodsburg, Ky. I troubled with Croup have depended upon preparation and find it in attacks of Croup. It is simply marvelous, and find it an invaluable remedy.

Fully one-half of our customers are mothers who use Bosche's German Syrup among their children. A medicine to be successful with the little folks must be a treatment for the sudden and terrible foe of childhood, whooping cough, croup, diphtheria and the dangerous inflammations of delicate throats and lungs.

BE A MAN

All men can't be Apollos of strength and form, but all may have robust health and strong nerves and clear minds. Our treatment makes such men. The methods are our own exclusively, and where anything is left to build upon, the **VIGOR OF MEN** is easily, quickly, permanently restored. Weakness, Nervousness, Debility, and all the train of evils from early overwork or later excesses, the result of error-work, sickness, worry, etc., forever cured. Full strength, development, and tone given to every organ and portion of the body. Simple, natural methods. Immediate improvement seen. Failure impossible. 2,000 references. Book, explanations and proofs mailed (sealed) free. Address, **ERIE MEDICAL CO., BUFFALO, N.Y.**

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