

# THE ACADIAN.

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## Editorial Notes.

The weather which has been decidedly backward during the present spring made a pleasing change this week and yesterday and Wednesday were quite springlike. The frost has about gone at last and the ground is drying rapidly and farming operations will soon be in full swing.

Canada's greatest preacher, Dr. Barclay, of Montreal, addressing the graduating class of Knox College a few days ago, said this to the young men: 'Do not take your gropings and crude speculations into the pulpit. The place for them is the study. It is not learning, but divine pity, that reaches and wins the heart of man.'

The Toronto newspapers report that the baccalaureate sermon at McMaster University, on Tuesday, May 9th, is to be preached by Rev. Dr. R. S. MacArthur, of New York, who preached at Acadia last year. The baccalaureate preacher at Acadia this year has not yet been announced. The Halifax dailies will probably announce the preacher at the earliest date possible.

Those who intend to observe what has come to be known as 'Mothers' Day' in May is the day for the observance. The mothers cannot be too much honored every day in the year. If once a year they are to be especially honored, the recognition cannot take any better form than ministering comfort and cheer to the aged, the poor and the shut-in mothers.

The special session of the United States Congress passed the Reciprocity agreement on Friday last by an immense majority, the vote being 265 to 89. The very fact of this great majority in favor of the agreement on the part of the people of the United States ought to at least make our people sit up and take notice. Evidently our neighbors expect great results from their stand-point to come from the agreement—and why shouldn't they?

The local government organ in this county issues in a supplement the manifesto of Mr. H. H. Wickwire, one of the candidates for the ensuing election, in the shape of a speech recently delivered by him in the assembly on the subject of reciprocity. The people of Kings county may or may not be interested in Mr. Wickwire's opinion on this subject. For the purpose of the coming contest his views on Home Rule or Church Union would be as much to the point.

On Saturday last a contingent of Divinity students and members of the faculty of Acadia College, Wolfville, and King's College, Windsor, some forty strong, were guests at the Agricultural College, Truro. Two weeks prior, the Theological students from Pine Hill visited this institution. Clergymen, especially in the rural sections, have a great opportunity of assisting in the improvement of rural conditions and the department of agriculture deem it a splendid opportunity to show to the embryo clergymen of the province the equipment of the Agricultural college at Truro and to tell them something of the character of the work that is being done.

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## A Word in Seaport.

The Beacon, of St. Andrews, N. B., says: 'How may the town be improved? By each citizen constituting himself a committee of one to do the work that lies nearest to his hand in that direction. If every resident would regard it as his duty to keep his own premises clean and attractive; if he would keep his outbuildings in neat shape and not offend his neighbors and the public any more than is necessary by ill-smelling and ill-appearing barns, poultry houses, piggeries, and such like; if he would see that the pieces of street in front of his property were kept clean and all trash in close proximity therein protected; if he would insist that all refuse hauled from his premises shall be placed where it would not be an offense to the public; if he would plant flowers about his place, there a long step would be taken in the way of improvement. Unfortunately there are a few people who seem to think that it is nobody's business but their own if they keep their premises in a filthy condition. These are the people who have to be educated up to their duties as citizens.'

## The Summer School of Science.

The student-teachers in the provinces are now looking forward to the Summer Schools. In Fredericton, N.B., from July 12th, to August 2nd, will be held the Summer School of Science.

This year a more attractive program even than last is just out. More teachers have been added to the Faculty and every effort is being made to add to the high reputation of the school.

Last year the attendance was large, 271, and the interest and enthusiasm very marked; the necessity for Physical Drill attracted many of the diploma men, no farther use of Summer School will be the experience of some—but not all.

The student-teachers (we like the name) will want to go again and again.

By opening time many unknown flowers, ferns, mosses, stones, &c., will be awaiting the inspection of Mr. DeWolfe and Prof. MacIntosh, who are holding themselves in readiness to meet all inquiries and specimens.

Last year, not even the burning rays of old Sol and the scorching sun of the drill students were a sufficient excuse to miss the Field Work. The students in Agriculture will be ready for more advanced work this year. The rural school teachers will find this course a great advantage if they teach from an agricultural basis which many people are now advocating.

The primary teachers will have a good opportunity to get many helpful ideas. Mr. Kline will show how paper-folding, plasticine, modelling, etc., etc., may prove a boon to the teachers of several grades and most fascinating to their fingers. Drawing is a very helpful study for the eye information does not gain a foothold. Even a small knowledge of drawing is a great help.

Physics, Chemistry, Physiology and Literature will be taught by skilled instructors.

President Starratt would like the Literature class to have a talking knowledge of Tintern Abbey, Chaucer's Prologue, the elegy in a Country Churchyard, the Lady of the Lake and Ivanhoe; memorize favorite passages.

Kings county did well last year in scholarship winning. This year we have a scholarship of our very own. Sir Frederick Gordon will give a \$200 one for five years. Who will earn it?

Catalogue of the Summer School are now ready for distribution. Four circular blanks were sent me, filled out but without the name of the sender. Kindly send in names and the catalogue will be forwarded. Anyone wishing a catalogue, whether a teacher or not, can have it by applying to Mr. J. D. Seaman, Secretary-Treasurer, Charlottetown, P. E. I., or to (Mrs.) Nina E. Davidson, Associate Secretary, Berwick, N. S.

## Mount Allison's New President.

The appointment of Dr. B. C. Borden as president of Mount Allison University must strike all as an eminently judicious one. It would be hard to find a more deservedly successful career as student, preacher, teacher and administrator generally than that of Dr. Borden. Of the success at the Ladies' College, where he has stayed the rod of empire for twenty-six years it is needless to speak. As that institution was opened in 1854, this period of twenty-six years covers nearly half of its existence. Dr. Borden is the second son of the late Mr. George N. Borden, of Arnprior, this county, and his mother was a Miss Crane, daughter of Colonel Jonathan Crane. His only brother is Mr. R. A. Borden, of Moncton, N. B. A. 1866, and he has likewise but one sister, Mrs. Reuben Smith, of Somerville, Mass. He was admitted to the degree of M. A. in 1866, and was made a Doctor of Divinity in 1893. Dr. Borden is in the prime of life, is a man of most amiable character, has hosts of friends, and is of remarkable executive ability. He is, further, one of the strongest and most eloquent preachers in Canada. Dr. Borden has been very aggressive in the work for moral reform and good citizenship, and is a public spirited and energetic man. His many friends in this county, his old home, will congratulate him on his increased sphere of usefulness.

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## Those Apple Cases.

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In the supreme court Mr. Justice Meagher tried a case of particular interest to Nova Scotia fruit growers.

The action was brought by R. J. Graham, an Ontario apple buyer, who seeks to recover extensive damages from J. W. Bigelow, of Wolfville, for alleged fraudulent packing of apples, sold by Bigelow to Graham in the winter of 1900.

The plaintiff produced a number of witnesses from outside the province, who testified as to the condition of the fruit sold and the defendant called others to show that his apples were well packed. Owing to the illness and age of the defendant, his evidence as taken before a commission was received. Judgment was reserved.

The case is the first of over two hundred similar actions which Mr. Graham will bring against valley fruit growers, mostly from Kings county. Following the ruling of the chambers' judge in this case the other actions will probably also be tried in Halifax.

We understand that Rev. Austen K. deBlois, Ph. D., of the First Baptist church, Chicago, has accepted a call to the pastorate of the First Baptist church in the city and is located on Commonwealth avenue. It numbers among its members many of Boston's strongest men and is an institution of great influence. Wolfville friends of Dr. deBlois and family will be glad to hear of his continued success and to know that he is to be settled so near his old home as Boston. He comes to his new field, we understand, on June 1st.

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## Prof. Ringwald Resigns.

THE ACADIAN regrets to announce the resignation of Prof. J. C. Ringwald, the very efficient director of music at Acadia Seminary, which is to take effect at the end of the present year's work. We cannot permit the occasion to pass without publicly expressing our appreciation of Prof. Ringwald as a courteous, Christian gentleman, as well as a musician of high attainment. Wolfville people who have had the privilege of listening to Prof. Ringwald's performances in College Hall and elsewhere will agree that they displayed technical ability of no ordinary character, and when he has had the handling of important productions of the universal commendation of the audience has been a generous tribute to his skill and efficient direction. As a pianist Prof. Ringwald has few equals, and as a popular member of the community he has been highly regarded. Wolfville people will certainly recognize their deep loss when the professor and his good lady leave our town.

What is doubtless the largest claim for damages by deer has been received by the commissioners of Hampshire county from Prof. Vaughn and Sons, of Amherst, Mass., who have a large farm of 65 acres, on which, young deer was entirely destroyed. The claim is for \$1,500, reduced under protest from \$2,500. Altogether, 1,200 trees, mostly apple, were ruined or injured, and of \$300 nothing but stumps were left.—The Country Gentleman.

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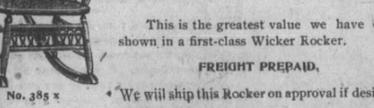
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