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TOWN OF WOLFVILLE.
J. D. CHAMBERS, Mayor.
A. F. COLWELL, Town Clerk.

OFFICE HOURS:
9:00 to 12:30 a. m.
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POST OFFICE, WOLFVILLE.
Office Hours, 8:00 a. m. to 8:00 p. m.
On Saturdays open until 8:30 P. M.
Mails are made up as follows:
For Halifax and Windsor close at 8:00
a. m.
Express west close at 8:45 a. m.
Express east close at 4:00 p. m.
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E. S. CRAVLEY, Post Master.

CHURCHES.
BAPTIST CHURCH.—Rev. E. D. Webster,
Pastor.—Services: Sunday, Public Worship
at 11:00 a. m. and 7:00 p. m.
Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. Mid-week
prayer-meeting on Wednesday evening
7:30. Women's Convention on Wednes-
day mornings on Wednesday following the
first Sunday in the month, at 8:30 p. m.
The Social and Entertainment Society meets
the third Thursday of each month at 8:30
p. m. The Mission Band meets on the
second and fourth Thursdays of each
month at 8:45 p. m. All seats free. A
cordial welcome is extended to all.

METHODIST CHURCH.—Rev. W. H.
Rackham, Pastor. Services on the Sab-
bath at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sabbath
school at 10 o'clock, a. m. Prayer meet-
ing on Wednesday evening at 7:45. All
the seats are free. All friends are cordially
invited to attend.

CHURCH OF ENGLAND.
St. John's Anglican Church of Wolfville.
—Services: Holy Communion every
Sunday, 8 a. m.; first and third Sunday
at 11 a. m.; Matins every Sunday 11 a. m.
Evensong 7:30 p. m. Wednesday
Evening, 7:30 p. m. Special services
on Advent, Lent, etc., by notice in
church. Sunday school, 10 a. m. Super-
intendent and teacher of Bible Class, the
Pastor.
All seats free. Strangers heartily wel-
come.
Rev. R. F. DEZOR, Pastor.
W. H. Evans, Warden.
T. L. Harvey.

ST. FRANCIS (Catholic).—Rev. William
Brown, P. P.—Mass 11 a. m. the fourth
Sunday of each month.

THE TABERNACLE.—During summer
months open air gospel services—Sunday
at 7 p. m., Tuesday at 7:30 p. m., Sunday
School at 8:30 p. m. All friends cordially
invited to attend.

WOLFVILLE.
St. Andrew's Church, A. R. & A. M.
Meets on the first and third Wednesdays
of each month at 7:00 o'clock.
A. K. BARR, Secretary.

WOLFVILLE.
UPPER LODGE, No. 22, meets every
Monday evening at 8 o'clock in their hall,
12 Henry Street, Wolfville. Visiting brethren
are welcome.
H. B. WARD, Secretary.

WOLFVILLE.
The Y. M. C. A. building is open to all
young men desiring to attend their Hall
at 8:00 o'clock.

WOLFVILLE.
Court Sessions, I. O. F. meets in
a session Hall on the first Wednesday
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You don't want to be loaded down with clumsy, heavy cotton-
filled underwear, you want to feel free—Free to move your
limbs and body without carrying a load all day. GET INTO

Eureka Underwear

The one underwear made from pure domestic wool "NOVA
SCOTIA WOOL IS CANADA'S BEST." Wool that won't
shrink. Wool knit into garments which still retain all that
nature intended it to do, viz., Warmth Without Weight.

Domestic Underwear is guaranteed Unshrinkable.

Write for Free Booklet
Almost every merchant sells
Eureka. Any dealer in wearing
apparel or in the line of underwear
will send you a free booklet
describing the merits of this
wonderful underwear.

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A New Year's Resolve.

As the dead year is closed by a dim December,
and the new year opens with a bright January,
it is a fitting time to look back upon the
past and to plan for the future. We have
four leaders to climb to the sky.
We have the weight of a mountain
upon our shoulders and the burden
of a world upon our hearts.

We have half our strength in a useless regard
for the past.
We have our mind fixed on the dark to come.
We have our heart set on the things of this
world.

Have you asked in your soul, "Well, what is
the matter?"
Did you flinch at the goal? Well, take breath for
the next.
Did the clouds drive you back? Well, see your
light.

Were you disappointed and fell? Let it serve for
a lesson.
As each year passes by, let it be a year of
progress.

There is a great field for
the energetic.
There is a great field for
the ambitious.

Let the future not hold no terrors
for any man while the stars revolve,
if he will but stand firm in the grip of his
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The Census.

The first volume of the fifth census
of Canada, taken in June, 1911, has
been published. It contains statistics
of areas and population by "pro-
vinces, territories, districts and sub-
districts," or, at least, it is so stated
in the report of the chief commissioner,
Mr. Blue, which accompanies it.

The greater part of this publication
was set out in blue book form nearly
a year ago. As it was "subject to re-
vision" we did not comment unfavor-
ably upon it but endeavored to secure
some light upon one or two dark pas-
sages. We were disappointed and
waited patiently for the revision
which we have received and by which
the census of the whole Dominion has
been taken upon the system followed
in Kings county it will be of little
value for purposes of comparison.

In the census of 1901, taken by the
same chief commissioner, the record
of Kings county is given by polling
districts. Of these there are twenty-
eight, two of which are incorporated
towns and the remaining twenty-six
are sub-divisions of the Wards or
what the statutes know as the Poll-
ing Districts of the constituency. In
this census Kings is divided into fif-
teen districts besides the incorporated
towns. As there are fourteen wards
in the county it would naturally be
supposed that one of these

is divided, and that a general knowledge
of the sub-divisions of the county and
a little skill in mathematics would
enable any one to compare the out-
come with the other.

The person who attempts to make
such comparison, however, will en-
counter unexpected difficulties. The
fifteen districts of the Municipality
are entered as Aylesford, Cambridge,
Canard, Canning, Cornwallis, Dal-
housie, Harborville, Horton, King-
ston, Melville, North Kingston, Port
Williams, Scotsman Bay, Sheffield
Mills, and Somerset. In 1901, Ber-
wick was reported as having a popu-
lation of 106

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WOLFVILLE, N. S., JAN. 3, 1913

Editorial Notes.

It is true of newspapers, as of churches, that the people who contribute the least towards their support, criticism and find the most fault with their management.

May the year that is just opening bring to all the friends and patrons of THE ACADIAN much happiness and true prosperity. At its close may we all be able to look back with satisfaction on the part we have played during its months and days.

The year 1912 was a banner year in the history of Wolfville. There was plenty of work for all and the town made real progress. Let our citizens make the resolution that 1913 will be equally good. A long pull, a strong pull, and a pull all together will keep the good work going.

Nearly 400,000 school pupils in the Philippines are engaged in some kind of industrial work. Twenty-six well equipped trade schools have been established in Manila and the various provinces, there is a college of agriculture at Los Baños and a college of engineering has been added to the University of the Philippines.

On the first page of THE ACADIAN this week appears an interesting article on the late census, taken from the columns of our esteemed contemporary, the Berwick Register. The Register has evidently gone into the matter very fully and its conclusions are exceedingly interesting and valuable. One item contained in the Register's article explains why the census returns place the population of Kentville as so much greater than that of Wolfville. It will be seen that the area of Kentville is given as 8.28 square miles, while Wolfville's area is only 2.03 square miles.

The beginning of the New Year finds THE ACADIAN's family of readers the largest in its history. During the last twelve months the growth of its circulation has been steady and satisfactory. We wish to extend our thanks to all our friends who have contributed in any way to this result and to solicit their continued assistance in the future. If you find the columns of THE ACADIAN of interest tell your friends about it and invite them also to become regular readers during 1913. If you can help to make the paper more interesting by contributions from your pen we shall appreciate it.

The enormous increase in the trade of Canada is shown in a report just issued by the Department of Trade and Commerce. This report contains unvarnished returns for the twelve months' period ending with September, and shows that, comparing this period with the corresponding period in 1903, the trade of the Dominion has more than doubled. The trade total for the 1903 period was \$481,059,335, and for 1912 it was \$863,594,382. Compared with the values for the 1911 period the returns this year show an increase of \$109,606,414 and of this \$105,994,550 is accounted for in the last six months of the period.

Never find fault because a news paper fails to give every scrap of news, if you are one of the people who never give the editor any information. As editor isn't a medium or a maid reader but he gets his news the same way the milkmaid gets her milk, by pumping. This is true especially of that class of items known as "personals." Rightly they are not "puffery" or taffy but simple personal mention, given for the benefit of the local readers, and if you have a friend or relative visiting you, let us know and we will be glad to give the item proper notice. Put any bit of news worth printing in the way of our pencil pointers.

Wheat and oats have been successfully grown at Dawson City, in the Yukon. Samples were shown at a newspaper office in that city the other day. A report says: "The wheat stands approximately five feet high and has large, full stems, rich in their maturity, capped with long heads of ripening grain. The kernels are full, and the specimens something worth displaying in any part of the world. The oats also are on long, full stems, with splendidly ripened grains." Barley, rye and potatoes have also turned out well, and the agricultural capabilities of the region are shown to be very much greater than had generally been supposed.

Speaking in Ontario last year Mr. Borden, the present premier of Canada, referred to the wretched condition of the roads in this country, and compared them with those of Europe. "It is a remarkable contrast," said Mr. Borden, "to travel on European highways. In France one of the outstanding benefits of the magnificent roads, the construction of which he initiated. His purpose was primarily a military one, but the benefits have extended to this day. In Switzerland, even away up in the rugged mountains, one travels on roads as hard, almost as smooth, and as well rounded, as the asphalt roads of our cities."

In England, every few miles one comes across a main trunking station. Instead of the highway, country roads are used for systematically. When rain comes, as it does here, they are intended to be used. A silver line runs across the road.

The Culture of Roses.

The rose may well be considered the queen of flowers, but unfortunately there are many parts of Canada where only a limited number of the hardiest varieties can be successfully cultivated. For this reason many who would grow roses are debarred from doing so because of a lack of knowledge of which are the most hardy sorts and the treatment that should be given them. To supply this information in readily available form, the Dominion Horticulturist, Mr. W. T. Macoun, has prepared a pamphlet of a dozen pages, entitled "Hardy Rose Culture in Canada." It is designated, Pamphlet No. 9 of the Experimental Farm, and may be had free by applying to the Publications Branch, Department of Agriculture, Ottawa.

The pamphlet divides the roses usually cultivated in Canada into four groups according to the degree of hardiness possessed by each. The hardiest group includes Rosa rugosa and hybrids, Austrian briars, Provence or Cabbage roses, Damask roses and Moss roses; next come Hybrid Perpetuals, climbing roses and dwarf Polyantha roses, then Hybrid Tea roses, and last of all Tea roses. It is stated that the roses of the first group may be grown in some parts of Canada with little or no protection. The pamphlet treats in a very practical manner the culture of roses under the following heads: site and soil, plants and planting, cultivation and watering, manuring, pruning, winter protection, insect and fungus enemies and how to treat them. Then follow lists of the best varieties of the various classes with a brief description of each as regards form, color and fragrance. In the preparation of this treatise the conditions in all parts of Canada were kept in view so that prospective rose growers in each province may receive valuable information from its pages.

Go! Learn!

A PLEA FOR OUR THREE BROTHERS. "Master—what is it that you tell us to go learn?" "That I will have mercy and not sacrifice." "But Master, three men, under the influence of liquor, have done to death an honorable and valued citizen of ours and insulted his wife. How shall we avenge his death? Shall we not sacrifice them—break the necks of all three?" "Avenge not yourselves, but give place to the wrath of God. Go, learn what this means: 'I will have mercy and not sacrifice.' Let this hideous deed goad you to legislate against the accursed cause rather than judge three victims of that loathsome liquor-disease which is inflicting our body politic."

Many Christians and Christian ministers say that this life is our time of probation and death seals our eternal doom. Dare we then, as a community, deliberately cut away from three fellow citizens all hope of restoration, all chance to make good, and in the blazing light of our Master's Sermon on the Mount, break their necks and then hurl to that doom?

Can we, hereafter, call ourselves a Christian community if we by our silent consent do thus deliberately choose to show judgment without mercy?

And have we no fear of our Master's stern warning, "They shall have judgment without mercy who have shown no mercy."

I refuse to believe that in the year of our Lord 1913, we Nova Scotians shall make ourselves a community of murderers to the amazing extent of taking three lives for one.

Is it mere child's prattle when we sing— "Rescue the perishing, care for the dying, Seatch them in pity from sin and the grave."

'Down in the human heart, crushed by the tempter, Feelings lie buried that grace can restore."

Touched by a loving heart, Wakened by kindness, Chords that were broken will vibrate once more."

Not A thousand times, it means that disciplined and restored by kindness, these three brothers of ours will presently take their place as useful citizens, and their lives add notes of sweetness to that great human harmony which is dear to the ear of our own God.

A C. MAU. The Canadian Magazine for January contains a fine appreciation of Sir Richard Cartwright by Prof. W. L. Grant, of Queen's University, Kingston; an illuminative essay entitled "Canadian Womanhood and Beauty," by J. D. Logan; a startling account of "A Summer Night in My Lodging-house," by Kenneth Douglas; an experience in superstition, by Dr. Wilfred Grenfell; "The Life of the Bohemian," beginning an account of railway labor and construction work, by W. Lucy Amy; a popular scientific article by Prof. D. Fraser Harris, entitled "Mechanism Before Metals," a review of the early theatrical seasons in New York, by John E. Webber; a picturesque description of Bristol, entitled "Canada's Cradle," and other contributions.

A feature of the annual meeting of the Nova Scotia Fruit Growers Association at Middleton Jan. 28th and 29th will be the lecture by Prof. J. P. Stewart, of the State College, Penn. Prof. Stewart is regarded by many as the greatest authority in America on spraying and orchard fertilization. Fruit growers should not fail to hear him.

Just Received
1500 bags Middlings, 1000 bags Bran, 600 bags Oats, 600 bags Chop, 500 bags Heavy Crushed, 400 bags Feed Flour, 400 bags Cottonseed, 200 bags Linsed, 100 bags Rolled Oats, 200 Bbls. Rainbow, 300 Bbls. Kings Quality, 100 Bbls. Canada's Pride.
300 to 400 tons Nut and Furness Hard Coal.
We must lower this large stock. It will pay you to get our Cash Prices before buying elsewhere.
R. E. HARRIS & SONS
PHONE 16-11.

Kind Words for Larry at Christmas.
GREETINGS EXCHANGED BETWEEN SIR WILFRID LAURIER AND HIS OLD FRIEND, MR. LAWRENCE A. WILSON.
For over a quarter of a century it has been the invariable custom between Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Mr. Lawrence A. Wilson to exchange greetings, and this correspondence is one highly treasured by both. The kindly old Liberal chief has penned the following this year:
335 Laurier avenue, Ottawa, December 23, 1912.
My dear Larry—
Whatever you may say or think, I have an abiding belief that, sinner as you are, you must have some power in heaven. Your good wishes for me and my wife have been heard above and answered. My health is excellent and here is much improved. It is with a very warm and sincere heart that I also send you my best wishes for you and all your own.
Believe me ever, my dear Larry, Your old and sincere friend, (Signed) WILFRID LAURIER.
—Montreal Star.

PAPERS WANTED
The Subscriber, who was many years ago the publisher of the Canning Advertiser, The Kings and Hants Counties Advertiser and The Acadian is very anxious to secure a copy of either of the first named journals, or one of the earlier issues of the old Acadian a full Year's Subscription to the present ACADIAN. Send either to THE ACADIAN or Major Theakston, Halifax, N. S.

Election Talk Just Big Bluff.
(Special to the Toronto News.)
OTTAWA, Dec. 28.—All talk of the Liberals forcing an election on the navy question is regarded in Ottawa as a huge bluff.
That the Liberals will block the passage of the government bill for some time is likely, but that they will go so far as to hold up estimates to obstruct all legislation for the purpose of bringing about an election on the question is regarded as an absurdity.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for Lock, Dam, etc., in East River, N.S.," will be received at the office of J. L. Michaud, Esq., District Engineer, Merchants Bank Building, Montreal, P. Q., on Monday, January 20, 1913, for the construction of a lock, dam, regulation sluices and approach piers and the excavation of roadway and channel in the East River, near New Glasgow, N.S.
Plans, specification and form of contract can be seen and forms of tender obtained at this Department and at the offices of J. L. Michaud, Esq., District Engineer, Merchants Bank Building, Montreal, P. Q.; C. E. W. Doherty, Esq., District Engineer, Halifax, N.S., and on application to the Postmaster at New Glasgow, N.S.
Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed forms supplied, and signed with their actual signatures, stating their occupations and places of residence. In the case of firms, the actual signature and name of the occupation, and place of residence of each member of the firm must be given.
Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank, payable to the order of the Honourable the Minister of Public Works, equal to ten per cent. (10 per cent.) of the amount of the tender, which will be forfeited if the person tendering declines to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or fail to complete the work contracted for. If the tender be not accepted the cheque will be returned.
The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.
By order, R. C. DESROCHERS, Secretary, Department of Public Works, Ottawa, December 18, 1912.
Newspapers will not be paid for this advertisement if they insert it without authority from the Department.—2126.

NEGOTIATIONS are in progress for uniting the Grand Pre and Hortonville school sections. The old building of the Chalmers' Presbyterian church, with the lot on which it stands, has, we understand, been purchased for the purpose of the amalgamated school. The building will be fitted up in modern style and the school made a good one. We congratulate the rate payers on this sign of progress in educational matters.

THE KEPTVILLE Lawn Tennis Club held a very successful dance at the Pastime Hall on the evening of New Year's Day. Quite a number from Wolfville attended and report a very pleasant time.

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OUR 1913 HARLEY DAVIDSON MOTOR CYCLES has arrived. Place your order at once.
A fresh stock of Gasoline Engine Supplies just received.

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Open every Monday, Wednesday and Saturday Evenings, Tuesday and Friday Afternoons.
Prices the same as last year. Admission, 15c., Band Nights, 25c. Children under 12, 10c. afterwards.
Season Tickets:—Gentlemen, \$3.25; Ladies, \$2.75.
Having imported a patent skate grinder, we are prepared to sharpen skates in the best manner possible.

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Holiday Announcement
AT CHAMBERS'
Our big store is full of splendid values in all kinds of useful and fancy articles for the Holiday trade. Buy your Christmas presents here.

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THE GROTTO
Re-opened this season with everything to delight the children. Bring them along. Specialties in 5, 10, 15 and 25c. Goods.

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GREAT MARK DOWN SALE IN MILLINERY
Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats at 1-2 Price
See our line at \$2.50.
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We are well equipped for the Christmas Trade, Xmas and New Year's Post Cards and Booklets, Xmas Folders and Booklets, Christmas Gift Seals, Tags and Holly Cards.

WHEN LOOKING
For Xmas Gifts don't forget to give us a call.
We have a Full line of Xmas Gifts, Carving Sets, Hand Sleds, Fancy Boxes of Note Paper and Aluminum Ware. You save money when buying from us.

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New Advertisements.

Auction. For Sale. C. H. Borden. Opera House. Vernon & Co. Mail Contract. Sealed Tenders. Papers Wanted. R. E. Harris & Sons. D'Almaise & Johnson.

Local Happenings.

Just received supply of dry cell batteries—good and strong—at Drug store.

Read the adv. of Evangeline Rink in this issue for full particulars as to prices, etc.

FOR SALE.—Circular saw for sawing stove-wood. Apply to D. B. Shaw, Wolfville.

The steamer Prince Albert made her last trip for the season between Parrabro and Wolfville on Tuesday.

BATTERIES—Buy your dry cells at the Wolfville Garage and get satisfaction. Special prices quoted on quantities.

The sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be dispensed at St. Andrew's church next Sunday, at the morning service.

The teachers and students of the Academy presented the matron, Mrs. Stultz, at Christmas time with an address and a handsome gold and emerald necklace.

G. O. Gates & Son, practical piano and organ tuners, will be in Wolfville soon. Orders care of Miss Flo. M. Harris' Book Store, or by post, will be attended to.

The regular meeting of the Boy Scouts' Executive Committee will be postponed for one week owing to the services of the Week of Prayer.

W. H. Beckham, Secy.-Treas.

Rev. G. W. Miller has so far recovered from his late illness as to be able to occupy his pulpit on Sunday last. At the morning service Rev. R. H. England assisted and gave a strong sermon. In the evening Rev. Mr. Miller was himself the speaker.

At the Opera House to-night and to-morrow night, a fine selection of photoplays will be shown and on Monday night one of the very latest Pathe's weeklies containing interesting information from all parts of the world will be part of the program.

Mr. B. N. Steadman has sold his farm at Northville and removed with his family to Kestville, where he has purchased an interest in the business of DeWolf & Lamont. Mr. Steadman has had considerable experience in the grocery business in the United States.

Next Sunday morning at the Methodist church there will be special New Year's services, followed by the sacrament of the Lord's Supper. The preacher in the evening will be Rev. Dr. Spidle. At 3 p.m. service will be held at Greenwich with sacrament of the Lord's Supper, conducted by the pastor.

A Christmas tree was had in connection with the usual services of the Tabernacle Sunday school last Sunday afternoon. A finely trimmed tree did ample credit to Superintendent Patriquin and his staff of teachers and officers. All the pupils were well remembered and a very pleasant time was had.

Christmas Boxes of Chocolates. Best yet at RAND'S.

Mr. John Donaldson, president of the United Fruit Companies, and Mr. A. E. MacMahon, the organizer, held several meetings last week in Lunenburg county with successful results. The south shore counties are displaying considerable interest in fruit growing these days, and will have to be reckoned with in the future.

Pocket Flashlights. Just the thing for a boy. Buy him one at RAND'S.

An exhibition of moving pictures will be given in Temperance Hall next Tuesday evening by Mr. Legge. The program will include four thousand feet of pictures, including a liberal sprinkling of wit, wisdom and humor and will no doubt be very interesting. The entertainment will begin at 8.30 so as not to interfere with the church services. Half the proceeds go to the Division, and a liberal patronage is asked.

Mols and Nelson's Chocolates in bulk and fancy boxes at RAND'S.

The new organ for the Baptist church has arrived and been installed. It is a 'Warren' and is said to be a very fine instrument. The organ will be formally opened on Monday evening next by Mr. George Austen, organist and choir-master of All Saints' Cathedral, Halifax. The program will also be contributed to by Mrs. Austen, soprano; Miss Wilson, contralto; Miss Langley, violinist; and Mr. Wheeler, tenor. A rich musical treat is expected.

House to let on Main street. Apply to C. H. Borden.

On Monday evening the members of 'Crystal' Band of Hope were invited to visit Wolfville Division, B. of T. The band state of the weather prevented a large attendance, but some thirty or twenty of the young people were present and a very enjoyable time was spent. A good program was presented and was augmented by an exhibition of motion pictures given by Mr. Legge. Refreshments were served by the Division members.

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BIG SHIRT SALE!

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This is your chance to secure a half dozen good shirts at a remarkably Low Price.

We have just taken stock of our fancy and white shirts and find about 100 good patterns but odd sizes. Amongst the whole lot we have every size. These shirts are good value at the regular price from \$1.00 to \$1.50 but for one week we are clearing them out at

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Natural Gas in I. C. R. Workshops.

PURHENS HEAT, LIGHT AND POWER AT BIG PLANT OF GOVERNMENT MONCTON, N. S., December 20th, 1912.—The workshops of the Intercolonial Railway are now piped with natural gas, which is being used extensively for the generation of power.

Experiments conducted for some time have demonstrated that the natural gas could be used more economically and to better purpose than the producer gas from the railway plant, and this is to be closed down and held in emergency reserve.

The entire railway plant is now supplied with the natural gas which is used under six large boilers and in all the forges and gas engines as well as for heating purposes and for the generation of electricity for both power and light.

Natural gas is also being used in the general office and at the station as fuel with the most satisfactory results.

Successful experiments have also been made in our lighting and pipe lines now supply the Pinoth gas producing plant and the cars passing through Moncton are charged with natural gas for illumination.

The Halifax Morning Chronicle has issued a very excellent New Year's number, a copy of which has come to our table. The articles are interesting and deal with matters which are bound to prove of value as an advertisement of our province's possibilities. Wolfville has a good write up of the past year.

ASPHALT ROOFING.—Best on the market, sand surface, needs no painting. Good for 30 years. Sold by D. A. MUNRO, Wolfville.

MORSE'S TEAS advertisement with logo and text: Pure, Rich Indian Tea and Fine Young Ceylon Leaves—this is all that enters the Morse package. That is why it makes so many cups of strong yet delicately flavored Tea.

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Personal Mention.

(Contributions to this department will be gladly received.)

Mr. William Regan is spending the holidays in Boston and vicinity.

Mr. W. H. Chase and son William spent Sunday last at Shediac, N. B.

Mr. Austen Chute is home from Harvard for the Christmas holidays.

Mrs. Julia Saunders, formerly of Wolfville, is spending the winter in Florida.

Mrs. Robert Duncan has been spending the holidays with friends in Sydney.

Mrs. Kenneth Bishop, of Lawrenceville, spent New Year's Day in town, returning home yesterday morning.

Mr. A. W. Stabb, who has been in the Upper Provinces for some time past, arrived home on Saturday last.

Miss Boutiller, teacher of the public school at Billtown, is visiting in Wolfville, the guest of Mrs. G. H. Patriquin.

Dr. Cutten, who has been on a business trip to the United States since college closed, returned home on New Year's Eve.

Miss May Reinhardt, of La Have, Quebec, formerly a student of Acadia Seminary, is visiting in town, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Chamberlain.

Mr. Major Theakston, city missionary, of Halifax, spent New Year's Day in town, visiting his son, Mr. Henry Theakston.

Mr. A. L. Davidson, M. P., accompanied by Mrs. Davidson and Master Herbert, left yesterday morning for Middleton, to remain until parliament resumes.

Mr. L. W. Archibald, gymnasium instructor, who with Mrs. Archibald and family has been spending the holidays in Middleton, returned to Wolfville on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Starr, Starr's Point, accompanied by Miss Maude McLatchy, went to Windsor for Christmas to join in the family reunion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Henry Dimock.

Misses Hilda and Gladys Vaughn, who have been spending the holidays at home here, left on Wednesday to return. They were accompanied by their mother, Mrs. C. M. Vaughn, who will spend some time in Boston and vicinity.

Rev. E. W. Weddell, of the Methodist church, Woodstock, was presented with \$150 in gold by his congregation. Mrs. Weddell was also remembered by a gift of gold of \$50. Rev. Mr. Weddell was formerly pastor of the Lower Horton church.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Stephens and three children, of Saskatoon, Sask., arrived on Monday, 23rd Dec., to spend a few weeks in Windsor, with relatives. Mrs. Stephens' mother, Mrs. Chas. Vaughn, and Mr. Stephens' father, Mr. J. W. Stephens—Hants Journal.

Tabernacle Notes.

The evening services at the Tabernacle are, for the present, under the direction of Mr. H. E. Allaby, of the senior class of the university. The speakers are taken from the student body, or from the more experienced preachers in active service.

Principal DeWolf, whose interest in the work continues unabated, spoke last Sunday evening with his usual felicity. A number of the young people are helping much in the singing and in the social services. Previous to leaving for the Christmas holidays they favored the audience with musical selections specially adapted to the occasion. One of the pieces was a favorite hymn of Luther's, sung by Mr. Allaby with Miss Goulet at the organ. Mr. Bleakley followed with an appropriate sermon.

THE CHRISTMAS TREE

The Wolfville Tabernacle School, C. A. Pathequin Superintendent, had their annual Christmas tree on Sunday afternoon. It was a quiet affair, attended by the members of the school and a few friends. The school opened in due form with Miss Richardson at the organ, the classes keeping their places throughout the exercises.

For a program, a recitation was given by Master Harold Wetherby. Two little girls, Jessie Farris and Milnes Dykens, sang prettily together. Miss Richardson gave a nice Christmas reading entitled, 'Anne and Willie's Prayer'. A few words were added by Rev. M. P. Freeman and Mrs. George Fitch, a former devoted worker at the Tabernacle.

The presents were then taken from the tree which had been tastefully decorated. A pretty box of candy was found for every member of the school, with a Christmas gift for each, besides something for those unable to attend. The thanks of the school are heartily extended to the merchants and friends who so kindly contributed to the success of the occasion.

The first game of the Nova Scotia Hockey League will be played next Monday evening at Windsor. The Wolfville team and their friends will go and return by special train. On Friday evening the Windsor team come to Wolfville to play in Evangeline rink.

SEARCHLIGHTS.—At the Wolfville Garage may be seen an assortment of Electric Pocket Searchlights at various prices. These make an extra good gift for anybody.

The union week-of-prayer services in the various churches in town begin next Tuesday evening in the Baptist church, when the subject will be 'Thanksgiving'. There should be a large attendance. What better way to open the new year.

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The Wolfville Private Skating Club has been organized for the season. The following are members of the executive committee: Mrs. D. R. Munro, Mrs. E. F. Moore, Mrs. E. H. Johnson, Mrs. A. J. Woodman, Miss Daisy West, Sec.-Treas., Messrs. L. W. Slep and A. M. Weston, Business Managers. Owing to the mild weather the first skate of the season will not take place until Thursday evening, Jan. 9th. All members of the club may secure tickets on or before Tuesday evening, Jan. 7th, from the secretary.

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The following: 1 pr. young horses, weight 2000 lb and 7 yrs. old; 1 Mare, driver, 10 yrs. old; 1 Mare, driver, 6 yrs. old; 3 Coll. 5 mos. old; 1 Cow, 10 years old, farmer; 1 Cow, 6 years old, fresher March 25; 1 Cow, 3 years old, fresher March 12; 1 Jersey heifer, 2 years old, fresher April 2; 1 pr. yearling steers; 1 steer, 2 yrs. old; 1 yearling heifer; 1 bull calf; 1 heifer calf; 1 horse Heber breeder.

Terms: Cash at 25c and under. Cash over that amount, nine months credit with approved joint note at 6 per cent.

Mail Contract. SEATED TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until Noon, on Friday, the 1st January, 1913, for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails, on a proposed Contract for four years, to be made on week over Rural Mail Route No. 1, from Kentville, Nova Scotia, to commence at the pleasure of the Postmaster General.

Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed Contract may be seen and blank forms of tenders may be obtained at the Post Office of Kentville, Lakeville, Steam Mill Village, Centreville (Kings) Millville and at the office of the Post Office Inspector, at Halifax.

G. C. ANDERSON, Superintendent. Post Office Department, Mail Service Branch, Ottawa, 16th December, 1912.

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A house and lot on Westwood avenue, situated between Mr. C. R. H. Starr's and Dr. W. L. Archibald's. The house is two and a half stories high, with steam heating, electric lighting and all modern improvements. For further information, apply to

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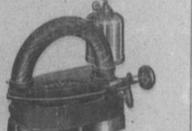
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