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MOCK PARLIAMENT PRO- ROGUED

People's Party Brings Defeat to
Liberal Government, and Turns
Out Conservative Successors

The last session of the Acadia Mock Parliament was held on Saturday evening, April 12th. A third party, "The People's Party", was organized since the previous sitting, under the leadership of E. L. Currie. This party, which drew its followers from both the Liberal and Conservative parties, injected new life into the proceedings, and was instrumental in overthrowing the government on a vote of confidence.

The Conservatives were called upon to form a new government, and were defeated on the first measure they introduced. The Governor-General then prorogued Parliament. A large assembly witnessed the proceedings.

The session opened with the introducing of the Budget by the Minister of Finance, Hon. T. W. Cook, who moved the House resolve itself into a committee of supply. The Budget was novel in the extreme. The minister, in his speech, explained how the Treasury had been found empty on their coming into power, and how they had to float loans in various quarters to meet current expenses.

A tax was to be levied on all misdemeanors during "second shift" in the dining-hall; on all quadrupeds, reptiles, Dinosaurs and Engines entering North Section, Willet Hall. It created a subsidy for all "Frogging Parties" to aid them in their Biological work; for a Psychological test of the Seminary, and many other amusing features.

The Minister elaborated at great length, and the Budget seemed to be quite popular. The Budget was seconded by the Hon. J. Dexter.

A. A. McLeod, of the Opposition, attacked the Budget and brought some of its weak points to light. Nevertheless, when a division was called for, it carried by a large majority. The House resolved itself into a committee of supply, and H. M. Bannerman took the chair.

The leader of the Government moved that the House report progress, and the motion was carried. The Speaker then resumed the chair, and the House proceeded as usual.

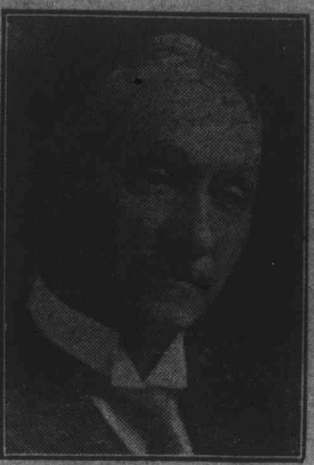
E. L. Currie, the leader of the People's Party, introduced a Bill on Woman Suffrage. This was seconded by M. M. Maclean. The House then resolved itself into a committee of the whole, and a large discussion took place.

The Conservative Party immediately formed a new Government and the Parties changed sides in the House. The new cabinet and appointments were read by the Speaker and some questions were asked by the Opposition.

The Government then introduced a measure, which was in reality an amendment to the Suffrage Bill, and they were defeated, after having been in power for about ten minutes.

The Parliament prorogued in the formal manner. The Governor-General, Prof. Norman Rogers, was unable to attend, due to illness, so the Chief Justice, Dr. deWitt, acted in his stead. He was ushered in by the guard amid a blare of bugles, and in his speech, thanked the government for their valuable services to the country. He was ushered out, and the Acadia Mock Parliament came to an end.

HON. J. A. ROBB



Acting Minister of Finance, who gave the annual budget to the Federal House, announcing reductions in the tariff. The budget provides for reductions in taxation amounting to \$2.70 per capita. Farmers will benefit by the reduction on farming implements and equipment. The Sales Tax is also reduced slightly.

GIRL GUIDE OPENING

Interesting Entertainment Given
by Girl Guides at Baptist Church.

A most interesting and instructive event took place in the Sunday-school room of the Baptist church on Friday, April 11th, when the Girl Guides of Wolfville, under the direction of Miss Marjorie Haley, their leader, gave a demonstration of the work which they are doing.

Each of the 6 Patrols had a corner decorated for the occasion and it was hard to say which one deserved the most credit. The programme opened with the Roll-call, which was followed by Inspection of Guides by Captain Haley and Lieutenant Parry, after which came the salutation of the Flag which was brought forward by the "Color Guard".

The knot-tying contest, between the "Bobolink" and "Robin" Patrols, was most interesting, and was a close contest. The revival of the old-time country dance was announced and an example given by the "Bluebirds" and "Crows" in which they displayed both gracefulness and agility.

Next came a play entitled "A Good Turn", in which a demonstration was given of their knowledge of "flag-signalling" and "first-aid" and also displayed considerable dramatic art.

After this part of the programme was completed the "Guides" all assembled and after a short drill formed a horse-shoe and took part in an old-time "Sing-song".

At the end of the programme Miss Harry had the honor of being made a Lieutenant of the Company and the following recruits took the "Guide promise" and were enrolled in the company—Ruth Ingraham, Betty de Witt, Margaret Fullerton, Eileen Harrington, Alice Guo, Pauline Bishop, Glenville Spicer, Vivian Walsh, Katherine MacDonald, Dorothy Angus, Dorothy Dakin, Hazel Dakin, Viola Caldwell, making a complete company of 48.

The Guides appeared at their Opening, for the first time, in their new uniforms, which are very trim and becoming. Miss Haley is certainly to be congratulated on the work that she has done among the girls—and also the "Guides", and we as towns-people should congratulate ourselves that we have such a painstaking and energetic leader as Miss Haley who, by her untiring efforts has done so much for our young girls, in training them to uphold the "guide law" and to become useful and patriotic citizens.

SPECIAL EASTER MUSIC

Special Easter Music will be given at the Baptist Church next Sunday as follows:
Morning Service
Violin Solo—"Cavatina"
Mrs. Thompson.
Vocal Duet—"When I Survey the Wondrous Cross"
Judge Mrs. Barteaux, Miss MacDonald
Evening Service
Vocal Solo—"Open the Gates", Knapp
Miss Simms
Ladies Quartette—"There Were Nine-ty and Nine", R. B. Wilson, R. R. A. Mrs. McLeod, Mrs. Adams, Miss MacDonald, Miss Prescott
Vocal Solo—Selected
Theodore Stackhouse
Anthem—"Alleluia", Brackett
Choir
Minard's Liniment for Sprains.

Resurrection Time

The March winds swept the desolate earth;
Chilled and dead lay once bright flowers;
The woodland songster forgot his mirth;
And gloom, supreme, held this world of ours.
But the healer Sun, with His magic balm,
Quickens the pulse of the mother-heart;
And breaks with thrills, the wintry calm;
And groves, to life and beauty, start.

No more the creak of branches bare,
Swells the shriek of the frantic wind;
Nor swirling snowflakes fill the air;
Nor icy chains the brown earth bind,
April's tears for the tardy buds
Fall on the earth in freshening showers;
Responsive, sigh the swelling woods,
Prophetic of the coming flowers.

O glorious resurrection time,
With truth symbolic all aglow!
We follow to the hope sublime
That cheers life's gloom and heals its woe.
No, not for aye, shall dark graves hold
Our dear ones, though they fall asleep,
And rest awhile; in calm repose
Their spirits, pure, the Lord shall keep.

The fast-sealed rock tomb's heavy door
That yielded to angelic might,
Set free our hope, and evermore
Brought immortality to light.
Up from the grave that could not hold
The Lord of Life, the Conqueror rose;
Satanic power subdued, controlled,
And captive led the last of foes.

Oh, death! thy venom'd sting is lost,
Spent when he died, our glorious Head!
Oh, Grave! no more thy victory boast!
We rise in Him, and are not dead!
Bring all your blossoms, dewy spring!
Let joyous carols hail the day!
A grateful heart, for offering,
Is all His ransomed ones can pay.

BASEBALL IN WOLFVILLE

Entry in League Dependent on Use
of College Campus

The annual meeting of the Valley Baseball League was held at Kentville on Monday, with delegates present from Middleton, Kingston, Bear River, Kentville Juniors, and proxies from Wolfville and Windsor. The Kentville senior team have refused to enter the league under present existing conditions. Temporary officers appointed were: President, G. L. Andrews, Middleton; Secretary, J. H. Cunningham, Bear River.

The Wolfville boys made application for admission to the league this year, as it is hoped that this season the locals will have material for a first class team. Application has been made to the College authorities for permission to use the campus for baseball, and it is expected that permission will be granted. If so this should be a big year for baseball in Wolfville.

WOLFVILLE CUB GETS CROSS FOR GALLANTRY

The award of a Gilt Cross by the Dominion Scout Council to Cub Bryce Hatfield, of the local pack, for gallantry in rescuing his younger brother from burning, last winter, has arrived and will be formally presented to young Hatfield at the annual Scout Entertainment to be held early in May.

This is the third award for gallantry won by members of the Wolfville Troop during the thirteen years of its existence. The other two were silver crosses for saving life.

Fifteen big advertisers in the United States have agreed to abolish billboard publicity which tends to offend lovers of natural scenic beauties.

Town Topics

Bits on the Tip of Everybody's Tongue

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A Record Cut.

Moir's logging operations for 1923-24 are completed, more logs being cut this year than ever before. You can estimate the size of the cut by multiplying by seven the logs you see piled at the head of the Arm.

Around 2,000,000 feet in all were cut, enough to make a quarter of a million wooden boxes for Moir's Chocolates and Biscuits.

Placed end to end these boxes would stretch a distance of over 200 miles.

HUGO STINNES DEAD



Germany's richest man died just two days after the report of the Reparations Committee was made public. He has tremendous interests all over Europe and has greatly increased his wealth since the fall of the mark in Germany. He was always a bitter opponent of the payment of reparations. As he was worth at least half a billion dollars, his death will give to Germany about \$125,000,000 under the inheritance laws. The proposed allied loan to Germany was suggested as \$200,000,000.

SPLENDID ENTERTAINMENT

Given by Acadia Seminary Glee Club
Tuesday Evening

A good sized audience greeted the presentation at the Orpheum Theatre, on Tuesday evening, of the operetta, "The Feast of the Red Corn", which was splendidly given by the Acadia Seminary Glee Club, under the direction of Mr. W. A. Jones. The whole performance was much enjoyed and reflected much credit on those who had it in charge. The music was tuneful and well rendered, and the stage settings, directed by Miss Pearl Griffith, very realistic. The accompaniment was skillfully rendered by the Acadia Conservatory Orchestra, with Miss Miriam Bancroft at the piano. The cast of characters was as follows:

- Wanta Tribe Minnie Poole
- Impee Light (mezzo Soprano), her younger sister Beulah Wry
- Fudge Mary Brady
- Pudge, Children of the queen Melba Roop Enid Fowler
- Old Squaw, sorceress of the tribe Kathryn McLean
- Indian Maidens—Marie Sexton, Helen Yeamans, Virginia Dixon, Margaret Cochran, Jean Murray, Lucy Cogswell
- Audrey Riseborough, Isabel Robertson, Vera McEachern, Marion Bentley, Ruth Clark, Margaret Lawrence, Vera Oits, Evelyn Hatfield, Helen Earle, Addie Snowden.
- Indian Squaws—Dorothy Wynacht, Evelyn Longley, Margaret Reid, Ruth Harris, Mary Millard, Alice Wisdom, Doris Leard, Frances Canning, Tira Falt, Marion Banks, Greta VanWart, Ena Roop, Doris Spinney.
- Ghosts of the Dead Trees—Ruth Clark, Vera Oits, Virginia Dixon, Vera McEachern.
- Flaming Arrows—Marie Sexton, Marion Bentley, Jean Murray, Helen Earle.

BOY SCOUT NOTES

On account of Scoutmaster Brown being at Halifax attending the marble contest, the scouts will not meet at the usual time this week. The Cubs will meet on Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock, and the Scouts at 7 o'clock the same evening.

WANT TOWNS TO SHARE THE SHORTAGE

Conference Held At Kentville in
Effort To Arrive At An Under-
standing

Discovery of a \$50,000 shortage in the municipality of Kings, following an investigation by Price, Waterhouse and Company, auditors, has led to the recommendation by the auditors that the towns of Kentville, Wolfville and Berwick should pay their proportionate share of the shortage, so far as it applies to the expenditure incurred under joint services, and this matter claimed the attention of representatives of the municipality and the towns involved, at a meeting held at Kentville Monday afternoon and evening.

It is the contention of the auditors that the taxation has been insufficient to meet the current expenditures for the last few years. The justice of the claim has been questioned by the towns, after taking legal advice in the matter. Each of the towns was well represented by members of their committees and legal advisors.

For the county there were present Warden F. M. Munroe, Councillors C. R. Bill and George L. Bishop, Solicitor H. L. Dennison, K. C.

The towns were represented as follows: Kentville—Mayor A. E. H. Chesley, Councillor J. W. DeWolfe, Solicitor H. M. Chase. Wolfville—Mayor J. D. Chambers, A. B. Balcom, Dr. J. T. Roach, W. A. Reid, H. A. Peck, Town Manager Stairs. Berwick—Mayor Parker, Solicitor A. L. Davidson.

The matters brought to the attention of the meeting included several previously considered in the joint service account. The entire afternoon was spent in the discussion of the charges which the municipality was claiming from the towns. Sheriff F. J. Porter and Mr. Chalk, accountant of Price Waterhouse and Company, gave particulars of the many items under consideration. Several of the items considered were agreed upon as properly being joint service accounts, while others were objected to. The committee seems with a fair understanding of the accounts under dispute, but without a full agreement.

BUY AT HOME

To the Editor of THE ACADIAN.
Dear Sir:—I notice from time to time your advocacy of the principle of buying at home. The work you are doing for the community is a most commendable one and deserves more hearty support than it receives. Not only should the public follow the good advice given, but all business firms should co-operate in the movement. My experience is that merchants who want supplies outside their own particular line are just as likely to offend in this regard as other people. They should seek to advance this sound economic principle by example as well as precept. What Wolfville needs, as well as most other communities, is more unity along this line. When buyers and sellers both seek to bring about the desired goal, and both are willing to sacrifice a little personal advantage for the sake of community welfare, then and not until then, can we expect to attain the condition which you are continually advocating and which all good citizens should give their hearty support. If our town government, our educational institutions, and all citizens should strive to bring about this end, Wolfville would prosper as she has never done and all would be better off. This is not a sentiment but a sound business proposition.

OPTO-MIST.

ELECTRIC RANGES

Monthly Cost In Wolfville

The low cost of operating an Electric Range is again shown by the results of the first quarter of 1924. The net average cost of current per month for Ranges for the quarter ending March 31st was \$5.83. The corresponding accounts for the three months ending September 30th and December 31st, 1923, averaged \$5.15 and \$5.76 per month respectively.

We have lines and equipment available to supply many more Electric Ranges. Why not have the convenience and cleanliness of an Electric Range for the coming warm summer months?

The Wolfville Electric Commission

TOWN OF WOLFVILLE

Annual Report For 1923

REPORT OF THE TOWN MANAGER

(Continued from last issue.)

to the system. This fund is being administered by the Eastern Trust Co. of Halifax in the same manner as our sinking funds.

With regard to the sinking funds the water bonds outstanding are \$46,000.00. Sinking funds for this Department amount to \$3790.31 at the end of 1923. Assuming that the sinking fund investments continue to earn at least 5 per cent. the present payment of \$510.00 per year into the sinking fund will pay off the bonds to the value of \$3,000.00 and \$5,000.00 due in 1926 and 1934 respectively, and will have established a fund of about \$9200.00 in 1940 to meet bonds to the value of \$38,000.00 maturing at that date.

If the sinking fund payments beginning with 1924 were increased to \$920.00 at two per cent. of the outstanding bonds the funds created by 1940 would amount to about \$20,000.00 which therefore would still require a new issue to go towards paying off the bonds then maturing. It may thus be seen that it will be many years before the interest and sinking fund charges on the water debt can be appreciably reduced, especially if any further large capital expenditures are made in the near future.

The town has just acquired title to two properties at the reservoir at a cost of \$216.00. One of these was a strip of land thirty-two feet wide across the site of the new reservoir and which until recently remained in possession of Mr. W. H. Evans. The other lot is the Joseph Rogers property on which are two houses. By agreement these houses will be removed during the coming summer and it will be a source of satisfaction to the citizens to know that both reservoirs may then be properly fenced off and kept free from possible contamination.

An inventory shows value of supplies on hand as follows:

Purchased on Capital Account:

Pipes, fittings, etc. \$1130.00

(Most of these having been bought previous to 1923)

Purchased on Maintenance Account:

Service pipe and fittings \$215.00

SEWERS.

Although the actual expenditure in this department during the last year has not been large, some important measures have been carried out, and a limited amount of construction as well.

Early in the summer the limited storage capacity of the main outlet pipes when the sluice gates are closed down during high tide, became very apparent. In May at the Eastern main outlet sewer during a high tide the water burst through a joint in the pipe and flooded Mr. D. Munro's garden. This particular break was repaired by enclosing the pipe in concrete which, however, does not guarantee that other joints may not in the future break out in the same way.

This outlet now discharges into the creek some 400 feet North of the railway, which undoubtedly is too close to the wharves and town generally. The gate which closes at high tide is immediately outside the railroad and 400 feet North of Main Street. It will be readily understood that with this gate closed at high tide a heavy rain would very quickly fill the sewer on Main Street in that vicinity. This outlet may demand some attention in the near future.

At the Western outlet during the high tides in May the sewer running North from Main Street across the dyke became overcharged and flooded out through the top of the man holes in Mr. E. C. Johnson's pasture. In addition to this, the water broke up through the ground and flooded the college dyke in several places along the line of the sewer. These conditions were bad both from the stand point of the property owners and of the town. Although an inspection showed sticks wedged in the sluice gate, preventing it from closing tightly and which were removed, the real cause of the trouble was not from the gate. Measurements made of the normal dry weather flow in that sewer showed that when the gate closes the sewer will fill from the running dyke back 2800 feet to Main Street in about four and one quarter hours. Other measurements after a heavy rain showed that at such a time the same length of that fifteen inch sewer would fill in about forty minutes. As the gate is closed for from two to five hours, depending on the range of tides, it is plain to be seen why the sewer often flooded back through the man-holes.

Half way across the dyke and at a cross ditch running westerly to an old creek bed, we built last summer over the sewer an overflow man-hole which acts in the nature of a safety valve to the system. That is, when the sewer fills from the sluice gate back to the railroad during high tide, but not until that time, this man-hole will begin discharging through an opening on one side and continues until relieved by this sluice gate opening again. The water discharged passes into the old creek bed and remains there until the main aboteau opens with the lowering of the tide. Although this man-hole effectually stops the flooding of Mr. Johnson's pasture and the college dyke from the sewer, it may still be necessary to provide some storage basin under control of the Town in which to hold the excess water over high tides. The gate on the outlet should be inspected every few months to provide against any large leakage coming in from that direction.

Two catch basins were built, one on the East side of Elm Avenue above Front Street, and one on the South side of Main Street just East of Victoria Avenue. These will carry away a good deal of surface water at those points.

On Front Street during heavy rains there has been trouble with the sewage backing into the cellars. An opening has been cut into a catch basin drain, which passes through a man-hole at the foot of Gasperau Avenue and discharges into Mud Creek. Levels taken show that the opening made is twenty inches below the cellar floors formerly flooded and the same distance above highest tide, so that when Front Street sewer again fills during heavy rains the surplus water which cannot flow out to Main Street should pass into off Mud Creek. This will undoubtedly prevent further flooding of the Front Street cellars by way of the house drains.

During the early summer many complaints were made by reason of the over flow from a private septic tank, at the West end of Town, discharging into the open street drain and creating a nuisance. The septic tank is built in clay and the difficulty is that there is no porous soil near into which the effluent can be led and absorbed. The Health Officer reported especially to the Board of Health on this matter at the time. A survey was made and as it was found feasible the construction of a sewer to drain that Western section of Main Street was recommended to the Council and passed. A meeting of the rate-payers has approved of the necessary expenditure and it is intended to proceed with the construction of this sewer in the Spring. The Town has an agreement from Dr. Eagar to pay towards the expense of this construction the sum of \$500.00.

A further important matter relating to sewerage was dealt with during the past year when the sewerage frontage tax was raised from fifty cents per foot frontage, as passed in 1902, to seventy-five cents per foot frontage, which is more in keeping with the increased cost of construction since the earlier date.

Other maintenance work on the system included clearing stoppages on the main sewers, cleaning catch basins and flushing out pipes.

The following are the costs of the catch basins and man-holes built in 1923:-

Table with 2 columns: Description and Cost. Includes items like 'Cost of man-hole-Western Out-let \$ 50.00' and 'Cost of catch basin-Elm Avenue 48.00'.

An inventory shows supplies on hand as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Description and Value. Includes items like '633 feet 6 inch Sewer Pipe at 26c \$164.58' and '242 feet 9 inch Sewer Pipe at 48c 116.16'.

Total Valuation \$367.95

FIRE.

The Secretary of the Fire Company reports ten alarms of fire in 1923

I. C. Archibald's house on Earnscliff Avenue and T. E. Hutchinson's stables and small tenement house on Main Street were destroyed. The good work of the firemen saved Mr. Hutchinson's larger tenement dwelling and the barn on the College property adjoining. The roof of T. S. Sanford's garage was burnt, the remainder of the building being saved by the firemen. Water pressure was good at these fires. The Hockey Stick Factory owned by A. V. Rand was destroyed early on the morning of September 13th.

The action of the Council in placing an order for a fire engine of the triple combination pumper, chemical and hose car type, has been one of the most important steps taken in recent years towards improving the fire protection facilities for Wolfville. A statement prepared by the writer in conjunction with the Fire and Water Committee and read at the rate-payers meeting which authorized the purchase of the fire apparatus outlined the reasons for the choice of the particular size ordered.

It must be remembered that with the possession of a fire engine of any size our fire protection system as a whole still will be far short of the requirements of the Underwriters. The Town is to be re-rated for insurance purposes in 1924. The condition and size of our mains and number and size of the hydrants will have a considerable bearing on the rates. In the report on our system some months ago by a representative of the Underwriters, it was pointed out that, although the Underwriters requirements are for nothing smaller than six inch mains for hydrant supply, 60 per cent of our hydrants are supplied off the four inch mains. Their recommendations include the gradual replacement of the four inch mains with six inch or larger, and the laying of another eight inch main in to Town from the reservoir at the top of the hill. The laying of an eight inch main from the reservoir to, say, Gasperau Avenue below the cemetery and down Gasperau Avenue to Main Street, which should be one of the first recommendations to carry out, will cost in the vicinity of \$10,000 or \$12,000. Further expenditures on Prospect Street and Highland Avenue would greatly improve the pressure and water supply for fire fighting purposes on those streets. It will hardly be feasible for some years to increase the size of mains in the East and West ends.

In December, through the kind co-operation of the Telephone Company, a push button switch was placed in their office for operating the fire siren. This switch operated a remote control switch on the fire alarm circuit on Main Street at the head of Central Ave. Alarms can now be sounded directly by the telephone operators, and the former alarm switch at the fire station can be used as well. The total cost of the new installation amounted to \$75.00, which was not provided for in the estimates. One thousand feet of new rubber fire hose was purchased in 1923. Besides this hose there is now on hand five hundred feet of hose eight years old, and one thousand feet about twenty years old.

The expenditure in this Department was about \$100.00 over the estimate. The installation of the new alarm facilities contributed largely to this.

POLICE AND LICENSE.

The Police Court records for the year 1923 show that the following arrests have been made:

Table with 2 columns: Offense and Number of Arrests. Includes 'Drunkenness 5', 'Violations of Motor Vehicle Act 4', 'Assault 2', 'Selling without license 2', 'Creating a disturbance, etc., 2'.

Outstanding examples of law-breaking during the past year have not been many. Most of the disturbances on the streets have been due to the use of liquor, some of which was manufactured locally. An effort must be made during the coming season to prevent as much violation of the Motor Vehicle Act in the matter of speeding on our streets as there was during 1923. There is here a considerable possible source of revenue to the Town in the way of fines.

The estimated expenditure for police during 1923 has been exceeded. New clothes for the Chief of Police and costs of extra police have made

(To be Continued.)

FOUR MAJOR MARITIME SPORTS WILL BE CONTROLLED BY SEPARATE ASSOCIATIONS

TRURO, April 3.-In future, basketball, football, baseball and hockey will be controlled by associations independent of the M. P. B. A. A. U. C. This announcement was made by President Covey at the semi-annual meeting to-day. Such a move will benefit the M. P. B. A. A. U. C. greatly. Mr. Covey's union will still continue to control the issuing of cards and sanctions and decide who is and who is not an amateur.

Although ill, Mr. Covey appeared at to-day's meeting under a great handicap, and ably reviewed the work of his union the past year. He was assured of the support of the delegates present.

K. L. Pineo and W. P. Mailman were heard on the Kentville-New Glasgow hockey mixup, but the finding of the union after the protest had been filed, was upheld. Mr. Covey also offering evidence he had secured.

The feature of the meeting was in the presence of J. H. Crocker, manager of the Canadian Olympic team. He asked for the co-operation of the Maritimes and pointed out the possibilities for the eastern stars of going to France.

Funds to finance the Maritime men to the trials at Montreal are badly needed and ways and means to secure the needed monies, were discussed. It was finally decided to hold a Maritime Tag Day on April 19, and athletic events will also be held at some of the towns.

Mr. Crocker informed the meeting that the Maritimes should endeavor to have entrants in the dinghy race trials—a sport event on the Olympic program.

Amherst and Halifax bid strongly for the Maritime Olympic trials, but this was left in the hands of the executive. Wanderers, of Halifax, have secured the Maritime track and field championships.

Interscholastic and Intercollegiate sport will come under the associations hereafter, President Covey announced. These leagues will be asked to organize, but the final body of appeal will be the hockey, football, basketball or baseball association.

A Maritime baseball association will be formed this month when the various leagues will be called together. L. A. Andrews and Dr. Kirkpatrick, representing the champion Middleton club, favored the adoption of the constitution of the Nova Scotia Association.

GO BURY IT DEEPLY.

A town that never has anything to do in a public way is on the road to the cemetery. Any citizen who will do nothing for his town is helping to dig the grave. A man that cures the town furnishes the coffin. The man who is so selfish as to have no time from his business to give to civic affairs is making the shroud. The man who will not advertise is driving the hearse. The man who is always pulling back from any public enterprise throws bouquets on the grave. The man who is so stingy as to be howling hard times preaches the funeral, sings the doxology, and thus the town lies buried from all growth and progress.

Minard's Liniment for Headache.

VISITORS FROM MIDDLE WEST

Representatives of Bankers Life Will Tour Province Next August in Special Train—Features of Itinerary.

Among the important conventions next summer in Montreal will be that of the Bankers Life Company. Most of the members are from the Middle West and it is expected that five hundred will gather at Montreal. What, however, is of greater interest provincially is the fact that one hundred and twenty-five of these will be given a special selling service will be a reward for tour through the Maritimes. The party travels in a special train with pullmans and diners attached, and will be expected spend August 15th and 16th in Halifax, coming through to Grand Pre the day following. After visiting this historic spot, they will be driven by auto to various points of interest in this part of Kings County, and will have dinner at Kentville. Continuing to Yarmouth they will be met there by representatives of the Town and Board of Trade and among items

of entertainment planned is a steamship trip and a genuine clam bake on one of the islands in the harbor. These last features will prove of interest and novel pleasure to the party, many of whom will doubtless be enjoying their first sight of the sea. They will have an excellent opportunity of seeing our Annapolis Valley under favorable conditions and the advertising which Nova Scotia will get as a result of this visit will be considerable.

The Bankers Life Company is composed of many of the big insurance men of the country, representing thirty-four States of the Union.

KEEP YOUR SIGN UP.

"To discontinue an advertisement is taking down your sign. If you want to do business you must let the public know it. I would as soon think of doing business without clerks as without advertising."—John Wanamaker.

A welfare report says that a family of five can live on \$9.60 a week. A family of five what?

Advertisement for Red Rose Coffee and Purity Flour. Includes text 'RED ROSE COFFEE For particular people Pure! No chicory or any adulterant in this choice coffee' and 'USE IT IN ALL YOUR BAKING PURITY FLOUR' with an illustration of a woman baking.

Large advertisement for 'Your Home Paper'. Includes text 'Your Home Paper, The Acadian, \$2.00 a Year \$2.50 to the United States' and 'The HOME PAPER 52 TIMES A YEAR'.

AN EASTER HAT

One day in March Martha Camm decided not to have an Easter hat. A dull yellowish light from a muddy sky fell impartially on Martha's little unpainted house, with its stony yard and scraggy pear tree, and on the Judson house across the street, which had just received a fresh coat of white paint with green trimmings. In her tiny living room Martha was watering a window box in which white buds were showing amid green spears; through the window she could see Lucretia Judson in the yard across the street removing the straw jackets from her four-year old roses.

"Lucretia will have ten times as many blooms this year as she had last," Martha said aloud wistfully. "No one will see my zinnias!" Martha's stony half acre would not produce roses without deep fertilizing, and deep fertilizing meant hiring a man, and that was as far beyond Martha as the moon. She owned the little unpainted house in which she had lived alone the seven years since death had loosed the last of her family ties, but her meagre income barely clothed and fed her, and she had no strength to work and earn money.

People going by the little unpainted house in summer had not guessed that from behind its shutters Martha watched hungrily to see whether they noticed her zinnias. Her thin drab face was transfused when they stopped; there was a look on it like a hurt child's when they hurried on. And they had not noticed that at Christmas and Easter services Martha never took her eyes from the hyacinths or narcissi she had grown in a window box for the pulpit vases. They did not know that the gift of flowers to the world made a very passion of joy surge in Martha's breast because it was the only thing she could give to justify to herself her existence.

"There's nothing I can do now to be a mite of use in the world!" she had reflected the day after her brother Stephen's funeral. "As long as Stephen lived it was different, I could make his toast to just the right brownness and see that his lamp and slippers were exactly where he liked to find 'em when he got in from work, but now there's nothing I can do for anyone. With my weak lungs I can't earn, and I haven't a speck more than what will feed and clothe me. The place will get to be an eyesore with the house needing paint I can't ever give it. In this stony yard I can't have any flowers except common ones that will grow without deep digging—now that Stephen's gone!"

That spring, when she sat by the window and saw the scraggy pear tree outside putting forth its meagre bloom, she could not help thinking, "I'm like it—barely able to keep myself alive, with nothing over. There's nothing I can do for anyone!" Then one day in August a woman leading a child had passed by, and the child had pointed its stubby finger at the zinnias and exclaimed, "Prittee!" And the woman had stopped and agreed, "Yes, they are pretty! So bright and cheerful!"

Martha listening eagerly, had planned to plant more zinnias, and that fall she had put hyacinth and narcissus bulbs into a window box, and at Christmas and Easter services she had sat in church for the first time since Stephen's death with the erect bearing of one who has a share in the world's business. Out of that passionate desire to be of use to her fellows had grown Martha's custom of wearing an Easter hat. "I'm glad I'm alive, now that I've found I can do something of use in the world," she had reasoned, "and if we're glad we ought to show it."

She had really never had an Easter hat since her brother's death. For six seasons she had worn the same drab straw toque trimmed with durable silk loops; but every spring she made the toque into an Easter hat by changing the angle of the loops. On her way to the post office in late March or early April she would notice that little pools reflected a rosy glow, and passing the old Peyton garden she would see a yellow crocus pushing through the drifted dead leaves. Then she would cross the square and sure enough, in Fanny Pirtle's little show window was evidence that Fanny had returned from the city with her spring stock! For the next quarter of an hour Martha would stand before the little show window and try to decide how best to make an Easter hat out of her old toque.

"They're wearing the trimming on the left side, a little tilted toward the back," she would notice; or, "The general effect is a mite flatter this year." In a day or two she would take from the wardrobe the pasteboard box in which she had put away the old toque and would set cheerfully to work. This dull March afternoon, when the yellowish light fell impartially on her house with its stony yard and scraggy pear tree and on the newly painted Judson house across the street, was the one that Martha had set apart for the retrimming of the toque. But she stood by the window box with her watering pot suspended, watching the woman across the street remove the straw coverings from the four-year old roses. Then she said aloud again,

"Lucretia will have ten times as many blooms this summer as she had last." She bent eagerly over the window box and began to part the spears with her thin fingers. "One, two, four,

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of doing your best when it was so little it was no use to anyone." Martha began, then suddenly she stopped. The bare pear tree standing in the midst of the glory of the spring, had an unaccountable effect on the scene. "Surely it can't be that its few blooms are missed in the midst of all this!" she thought. Then a smile irradiated her thin face. "Martha Camm," she said to herself, "you've been a goose! You've been so busy sulking over how little good you could add to the world by doing your best that you forgot how much harm you could work by not doing it. You may not have much cheering effect on people with your zinnias and narcissi alongside of Lucretia's roses and that new woman's Bermuda lilies, but sulking and giving up you'd have a mighty depressing influence on 'em. In a world full of busy people you'd be like the pear tree; you'd spoil the picture."

She looked at the clock. "Seven already! I'd better hurry and straighten up my house. After dinner there'll be narcissi to cut and carry to the church, and I must get back in time to trim my Easter hat." On Easter morning Martha ate her breakfast in a flood of gold that poured through the kitchen window. After she had washed away her plate and cup, she put on her neatly polished worn boots, pinned the retrimmed toque over her smoothly brushed hair, and set out for church.

Coming out of church after service the minister's sister from New York, who was visiting him at the parsonage, turned to him eagerly and said: "O Dick, such a satisfying service it was! Your sermon was fine, and the music so sweetly simple, and some one had put a vase of narcissi among the lilies and the incense from it was heavenly. And, Dick, there was a perfect darling of a little old woman in third pew on the left aisle. She was without a single new thing about her, but she was the springiest person in church. Who was she?"

THE BUDGET AT A GLANCE

Reductions of thirty millions in net debt announced. Tax reductions estimated at twenty-four millions. No change in the income taxes. General rate of sales tax cut from 6 to 5 per cent. Duties reduced on agricultural implements, manufacturers of these to receive reduction in turn on raw materials, pig iron, bar iron and bar steel being free, when imported by these manufacturers. Duties reduced on implements of fruit industry, dairy industry and poultry industry. Fishing industry aided by putting all maulin, deep sea fish hooks and fish nets on the free list and reducing the sales tax on rubber boots. Breadstuffs and provisions—Sales Tax removed from cereals, salted meats, etc., and reduced on biscuits and canned vegetables and fruits. Boots and shoes—Sales Tax cut in two. Woollens—Materials used by manufacturers to be exempt from Sales Tax. Sales Tax—List of exemptions largely extended. New articles exempted include insulin, milk foods, scientific and text books, cream separators, and other agricultural implements, and binder twine. Sales Tax—Removed from materials used in manufacture of agricultural implements and from materials used in manufacture of implements of other industries on which duties are reduced. Sales Tax—Exemption is abolished on facts manufacturing less than \$10,000 worth of products per annum. Rum imported under license to be denatured for use in industrial arts put on free list under preference and subject to tax of sixty cents a gallon under other tariffs.

British preference. Provisions made for extending these rates to the products of countries, for which mandate under the League of Nations is held by a British country to which the preference applies. Tariff changes and changes in the Sales Tax to go into effect on April 11; removal of exemption of small manufacturers from Sales Tax not to take effect until July 1 next.

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EASTER MORNING When he arose The watchers saw the scars that told them how He suffered on the cross. Upon his brow There still remained wounds that bruised Him so; And told of all His agony and woe: O resurrection miracle! The night Of that low grave was conquered when the light Of Easter morning broke.

As he arose, So may I rise in victory today; Breaking the bars of sorrow all away; Leaving the sackcloth of my tearful tomb, To life indeed; and like a lily bloom, Of triumphing, of gladness over strife, My soul must know the resurrection life, When Easter morning breaks. A splendid assortment of birthday Cards, including some very pretty book-lets, at THE ACADIAN store

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Saving Snow-bound Deer from Starvation. How they brought the deer in. WHEN winter comes and with it the deepest snows of the season the dwellers in the north country often have opportunities to perform humanitarian acts towards the animals that roam the woods. It is only now and then that the winter proves too severe for the furry folk. Cold weather they can pretty well stand and when the snow is heavy there are always spots in the depths of the forest where it is not too deep to move and places where an energetic and resourceful deer can dig down to the food that lies underneath. But sometimes the deer are caught in the open by a heavy fall that makes the going hard and if the way to safety is long the deer become exhausted and likely victims of starvation. That was the case when these photographs were taken near St. John's, a pleasant little summer and winter resort that lies among the Laurentian hills on the Canadian Pacific Railway north of Montreal. They were laid on the toboggans and towed back to the hotel where their introduction to a big hay stack, and a shed to sleep in quite reconciled them to their troubles. In an astonishingly short time they became used to being with human beings and they apparently find their new home has many advantages over their older and wilder state. Includes illustrations of a man with a deer and a deer in a snowy landscape.

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Personal and Social

Mrs. C. G. C. Coombs spent Saturday last in Halifax.

Mr. Frederick Ellis, of Halifax, formerly of Wolfville, recently went to Boston to reside.

Miss Pauline Miller, of Elderbank, Halifax county, has been visiting friends in Wolfville this week.

Mrs. Philip Hsley and two daughters, who have been spending the winter in Boston, returned home last week.

Mr. Guy MacDonald, of Windsor, has entered the service of the local branch of the Bank of Montreal as junior clerk.

Dr. Edmund Erss, of Windsor, Conn., who was called home on account of the illness of his father, Dr. A. deW. Erss, returned home this week.

Mrs. G. H. Ruffee and children, who have been spending the winter at the former's old home in England, returned to Wolfville this week. They arrived in Halifax on Sunday and were accompanied home on Monday by Mr. Ruffee.

Mrs. W. D. Withrow left on Friday last to visit for a time at her old home in Scotland. She was accompanied by her friend, Miss Noble, who has spent the winter in Wolfville. They sailed on Saturday from St. John by the C. P. R. liner Marloch, and their many friends will wish them a safe and pleasant journey.

Harold Chipman, of Port Williams, who since last fall has been confined to Westwood Hospital with paralysis, left Tuesday morning for Boston where he will enter the Massachusetts General Hospital for treatment. All the members of the present freshman class at the university, of which class Mr. Chipman is a member, were at the train to wish him "bon voyage". There were many other friends present.

AVONPORT

Miss Madge Daniels, accompanied by her brother Fred, left on Wednesday for their home in Martock, Hants Co., to spend the Easter holiday.

Miss Crocket, teacher of the West Brooklyn school, left on Wednesday of this week to spend the Easter vacation at her home in Colchester Co.

Miss Kimba Lockhart left on Tuesday for Natick, Mass., where she will enter the "Leonard Morse" Hospital to take a course in training. Her many friends here wish her great success in her chosen profession.

Miss Winifred Trefry, R. N., of the staff of Corry Hill Hospital, at Brookline, Mass., arrived home on Tuesday morning, having been called home by the death of her mother, Mrs. L. M. Trefry.

Mr. Albert Publicover, teacher at Avonport school, went to Halifax on Wednesday afternoon, where he will spend the Easter vacation with relatives.

Miss Cora Walsh, of Kentville, spent a few days of this week at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Walsh, of Kentville, spent Wednesday in Avonport to attend the funeral of Mr. Walsh's sister the late Mrs. L. M. Trefry.

Mr. Clarence Holmes, who for the past three years has been a patient at the Nova Scotia Sanatorium, Kentville, has received his discharge from that institution and arrived home on Tuesday. His many friends are glad to know of his complete recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Fraser and two children, of Wolfville, spent the week end with Mrs. Fraser's parents, Mr.

and Mrs. Geo. Brooks. Mrs. Geo. Pye and daughter Alice, of Sheffield Mills, were the guests last week of Mrs. Pye's mother, Mrs. David Fuller.

Mrs. Henry Lockhart returned to her home in Falmouth on Monday, after spending the past two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Starratt.

CONSERVATION OF BARREL MATERIAL

The Editor of THE ACADIAN Dear Sir—I have followed with a great deal of interest the numerous communications in the press in regard to an embargo on the export of pulp wood from the Dominion and am of the opinion that the weight of argument is all on the side of those in favor of such action.

Now Sir, there is another view of this matter all tending to the same end, I mean largely towards conserving our fast diminishing timber supply, which so far has escaped attention so far as I have seen. I allude to the vast and increasing demand for barrel material to contain our various products, principally apple barrels.

Now these are at present required for various uses, viz. Apples, Potatoes, Plaster, Fish and other purposes, not less than 2,000,000 barrels each and every year, to say nothing of boxes and other packages of various kinds all requiring more or less material in construction, and all adding to the general destruction of our forest resources.

Now leaving all else out of the question, and returning to the question of barrels alone, we have the following startling figures. Each barrel requires, allowing very little margin for necessary waste, 20 ft. to each barrel for staves and heads, making a total of 40,000,000 ft. each and every year, a very serious amount. It may be said that some may be packed in boxes, very true, but the number of feet would be quite as great, and the quality better.

In addition to this would be the matter of hoops for the apple barrels, and more for others, requiring without counting waste 6,000,000 poles for making the same, a serious matter in itself although a minor detail.

As fortunately our paternal government can not very well encourage the export of this material or encourage the manufacture of barrels as they are doing all they can towards the making of paper in a foreign country, but their ingenuity is great so perhaps they will do even that.

Enough for the present but there are other sides to the timber question which can be profitably considered. I have submitted my estimates to a prominent manufacturer of barrels and he quite agrees with my figures. G. A. P.

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Anthem: Lift up Your Heads
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Items Of Local Interest

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The spring session of the Municipal Council will be held at the Court House, Kentville, on Tuesday of next week.

When you buy a pound of MORSE'S Tea you are always sure of getting full 16 ounces of good tea.

Tuesday was the twelfth anniversary of the sinking of the White Star liner Titanic, with the loss of 1634 lives.

The semi-annual "At Home" held by the girls of Tully Tavern for the faculty and students of Acadia College was held on Friday night and proved an unqualified success.

The Ladies' Faculty Club of Acadia University held a social evening in the Club room of the College Women's residence on Monday evening.

SPLENDID ADDRESS BY REV. J. W. MCCONNELL

Rev. J. W. McConnell, Superintendent for Missions of the Methodist church in the maritime provinces was the speaker on Sunday evening last at St. Andrew's church.

DEWITT WILL LEAVE FOR HOME APRIL 24

Dr. G. E. DeWitt, of Nova Scotia, who is one of the prominent winter visitors to the Triple Cities, is the honored president of the Canadian Club, which was organized a few weeks ago.

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A Rummage Sale will be held by the S. & B. in Parish Hall on Saturday, May 3rd, for the benefit of the Acadia fund.

There will be a united service on Good Friday at St. Andrew's church at 2 o'clock p. m.

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FOR SALE.—Number of commodore in first class condition. Apply at Royal Hotel. 25-21

FOR SALE.—Quantity of household goods, on April 21, 22 and 23. Mrs. J. W. Vaughn, Linden Avenue.

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TO LET.—House on Front St. to good tenant. Apply Town Office.

ROOMS TO LET.—With or without board. Apply to THE ACADIAN. 24-31-pd

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TO RENT.—House of 7 rooms and bath on Main street east, April 16th. G. W. Baines. 24-41-pd

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WANTED.—Odd jobs of any kind. Apply to A. J. Lake, General Delivery. 24-31-pd

WANTED.—Young calves. McConnell's Silver Fox Farm. I phone 277. 26-41-pd

WANTED.—Sales lady, experienced preferred. Apply to S. Frank, Eaton Block.

WANTED.—Postage stamps before 1880 on original envelopes. Look over your old letters. Geo. A. Hitchcock, Ware, Massachusetts. 23-5i

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Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to noon, May 17th, 1924, for the lot of land with 6-room house, never failing well with pump in kitchen, and garage at Long Island, so called, east of Evangeline Beach, containing 9 acres more or less, having a frontage on Minas Basin of 744 feet.

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EXECUTORS' NOTICE

All persons having legal demands against the estate of William Regan, late of Wolfville, in the County of Kings, deceased, are required to render same, duly attested, within eighteen months from the date hereof; and all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make immediate payment to

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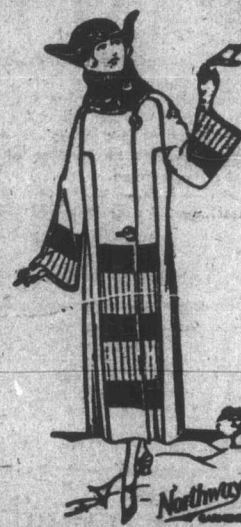
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NEWS OF CANNING

Miss Mary Kerwin, Miss Annie Dalton and Miss Kate Keegan, accompanied by Mr. Bernie Kerwin, returned on Friday from spending more than two months in Amesbury, Mass., guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Davis.

Mr. James Thompson, who has spent the winter in Massachusetts, returned on Friday.

Mr. Reuben Cohen spent the week end in Wolfville, guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Cohen.

Mr. Harry Brown returned to Halifax on Friday.

Mr. Reid Felton left for Boston on Wednesday of last week.

of Parrsboro. The bride was lovely in a gown of Copenhagen silk with hat to correspond, Miss Kathleen Weston of Upper Canada, wearing a gown of rose silk, making a charming bridesmaid.

Mr. Daniel Shaw, who has spent several weeks at his home, returned to New York on Thursday, where he is engaged in building operations.

Canning branch of the Women's Christian Temperance Union met at the home of the president, Mrs. N. W. Eaton, on Thursday afternoon.

Hilltop Rook Club held an enjoyable meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brown on Friday evening.

Mrs. Harold Kinsman returned on Thursday from Halifax.

Mr. Percy Kempton continued his class in basketry with the Boy Scouts on Friday evening.

"The Arts and Crafts" class under the direction of Mr. Percy Kempton, held a delightful meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Spurr Woodworth on Monday evening.

Miss Laura McGowan has returned from visiting friends in Scott's Bay.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Blanchard entertained at a delightful dinner in honor of the Hilltop Rook Club which has closed for the season.



O DEATH, where is thy sting? O grave, where is thy victory? But thanks be to God which giveth us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.

OWE NO MAN ANY THING, but to love one another: for he that loveth another hath fulfilled the law.

BUT NOW IS CHRIST RISEN FROM THE DEAD and become the first fruits of them that slept.

BRETHREN, if a man be overtaken in a fault, ye which are spiritual, restore such a one in the spirit of meekness; considering thyself, lest thou also be tempted.

LOVE, JOY, PEACE, LONGSUFFERING, GENTLENESS, GOODNESS, FAITH, MEKNESS, TEMPERANCE, AGAINST SUCH THERE IS NO LAW.

IF THINE ENEMY be hungry, give him bread to eat; and if he be thirsty, give him water to drink.

THIS IS THE CONFIDENCE THAT WE HAVE IN HIM, THAT IF WE ASK ANY THING ACCORDING TO HIS WILL, HE HEARETH US.

OUR TOWN

We want our town to grow to be The city that our fathers dreamed;

We want to build a city great, To greater than our city now;

We want our town to grow—but not In numbers only—only size;

Our population is not what Shall make us mighty, make us wise;

Now taught our Nineveh and Tyre, Where sudded thousands used to dwell;

Humanity will not inquire How many live here—but how well.

We want out town to grow in wealth, To grow in happiness and health.

Our children's welfare and health, A better wealth, a better boast;

In song, in soul, in sympathy, In love of good, in hate of sin,

In loyalty, in unity, We want our town to grow—and win.

And then we want to grow without, To tear away the ancient walls,

Big brother to the world about, Whatever comes, whoever calls.

A city not of brick or stone, We do not want to stand apart,

The more esteemed, the better known We want our town to grow—in heart.

—Charles J. Orlick

SCREEN GOSSIP

Now that "Ashes of Vengeance," starring Norma Talmadge, is being shown, George Westmore, hairdresser to Norma and Constance, reveals two or three secrets of interest to extra girls and men who failed to get parts in the production.

The works of Honore de Balzac are seldom seen on the screen, but the Grand-guer film "Farragus" (adapted from his novel, "The Story of the Thirteen") was released in London a short time ago.

Miss Ivy Duke, the favorite English screen actress, has been selected to play the leading part of Lady Maggie Trent in "The Great Prince Shan," the first English-made film in which Sessue Hayakawa will appear.

A poster of herself on a boarding in Paris is said to have led to the engagement of Mlle. Andree Lafayette by Richard Walton Tully for the name title in "Triby."

Harold Lloyd is regarded as a freak in Hollywood. He is the only "big star" who has his name in the telephone book!

Recent utterances of prominent members of the Labor party in the new Parliament of Great Britain have had to do with Cromwell, and an interesting event took place in London a short time ago when "The Fighting Blade," a picturized story of the Cromwellian period, and in which Cromwell himself is depicted, was shown at the central Hall, Westminster.

Dorothy Dalton's latest Paramount picture, "The Woman Who Walked Alone," ranges in locale from baronial English estates and London ballrooms

to the rolling South African veldt. In this picture Miss Dalton has ample opportunity to prove her remarkable versatility, being called upon to ride to hounds, shoot, take part in various English sports, dance a fandango under the most drastic circumstances, try her luck at the roulette tables, and finally run a tavern on the African veldt.

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Most folks who pinch their feet with tight shoes haven't any too much understanding to start with. An exchange says that one result of more automobiles is poorer walking.

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Blanche Sweet and Marshall Neilan have renewed an old movie combination when they started work on "Tess of the D'Urbervilles" recently.

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KINGSFORT

Kingsfort Whist Club met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Weaver, Wednesday, April 9, the evening being very delightful.

Mr. and Mrs. Augustus Dickie entertained Medford and Kingsport Bridge Club, Miss Margaret Woodburn winning the ladies' prize, and Mr. E. I. Loomer, the gentlemen's.

UPPER CANARD

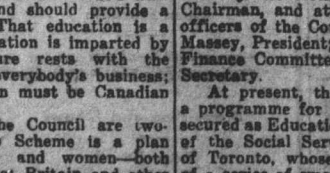
The Women's Missionary Society of Upper Canard Presbyterian Church was delightfully entertained at the home of Mrs. William Burgess, Sheffield Mills, Wednesday afternoon, April 9.

EASTERTIDE

The little flowers came from the ground At Easter time, at Easter time;

THE APPLE IN ROMANCE

The apple has figured in at least four stories of world-wide fame—the apple of the Garden of Eden, the golden apple of Atlanta, the apple of the William Tell legend, and the falling apple which was seen by Newton and which suggested to him the law of gravitation.



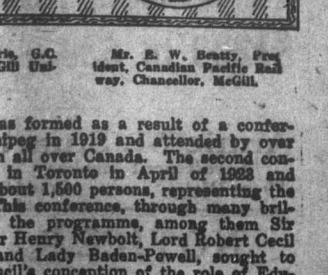
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SCOTT'S BAY A wedding of interest was solemnized at the Baptist Parsonage, Canning, Thursday afternoon, April 10.

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cause may be laid to lack of bees and other pollinating insects, sterility of the variety, unfavorable weather, insects and diseases, there is yet another factor which by no means should be ignored.

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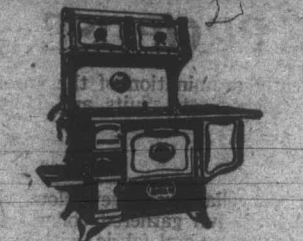
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PORT WILLIAMS AND VICINITY

Mr. and Mrs. D. Sutton were in East Gore last week attending the funeral of their niece Miss Kathleen Murphy, who had been ill for a long time. Miss Murphy lived here several years and by her bright disposition had many friends among the young folk.

The young son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Regan was baptized on Sunday morning by Rev. G. C. Brown at St. John's church, receiving the name of Mark Andrew Garland Regan. The sponsors were his aunt, Miss May Garland, and uncle, Mr. Norman Regan.

Mrs. Robt. Mahwinney and children, who have spent the winter with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Gates, left on Tuesday for their new home in Amherst. Mrs. Gates accompanied them for a fortnight's visit.

Miss Hiltz (advanced) and Miss Coleman (primary) left on Wednesday to spend their Easter holidays at their respective homes, the former at Lawrencetown, Halifax Co., the latter at Burlington, Kings Co.

The Port Williams ACADIAN extends sympathy to the family of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Parks, of Church Street, on the death of their daughter Mrs. Ralph Connell (Addie Marguerite), which occurred at Kentville on Sunday, April 6th. Mrs. Connell was born and spent her girlhood here, her father then owning the Faulkner farm. Complications following an operation caused her death at the age of 32. Drs. Miller, of Halifax, and Burns attended her. She leaves a husband and two sons.

The annual Roll Call of the Baptist church was held in the vestry on Wednesday evening. A large number were in attendance and many not able to be present sent responses. The reports from the different branches of church work were encouraging. The church has during the year in addition to the pastor's salary and current expenses, expended \$1400 on repairs, etc., of which there is now but the small debt of \$450 remaining. After a delicious tea in charge of Mrs. Frank Balcom and her committee, a purse of \$220 was presented to the pastor by Deacon O. G. Gogswell from the church and friends who sympathize deeply with him in the serious illness of his son, whom he accompanied on Tuesday to Boston for special treatment under Dr. Lovitt, who is said to be one of the best nerve specialists in America. The church also gave him two months' leave of absence.

Miss Blanche Regan, who lately entered the Halifax Infirmary for training, was compelled to return home for a time on account of poor health.

Mrs. Shaffner, of Lawrencetown, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. O. N. Chipman, at the Parsonage.

Quite a number from here attended and enjoyed the operetta "Feast of the Red Corn", on Tuesday evening at Wolfville, given by the Glee Club of Acadia Seminary. The girls looked very striking in their Indian costumes, powder and paint galore. The acting as well as music was beyond criticism.

On Palm Sunday evening the Senior and Junior Choirs went to Upper Canada and gave their Easter Cantata "The Resurrection Light". It consisted of solo, duet, quartette and chorus work, beautifully and impressively telling the Easter story of the Resurrection of Christ. It will be repeated here Easter Sunday evening.

Mr. Oscar Chase is confined to his bed with a severe attack of pleurisy. His daughter, Dr. Margaret Chase, of Halifax, is attending him.

The "Old Maids' Convention" on Monday evening in Temperance Hall was a decided success. The audience laughed and applauded the whole program which was ludicrous in the extreme. The costumes of the whole membership were well gotten up. Some of them one would think might have belonged to Mrs. Noah and her daughters. All did their parts so well that special mention would be impossible. The officers:

President—Priscilla Hope (Miss Francis Lockwood)
Sect.—Mehitable Heywood (Miss Rita Hiltz)
Treas.—Merebah Lovejoy (Miss Claire Cogswell) on whose shoulders the whole burden of the important business of the convention rested, with Prof. Pendleton (Mr. Chas. Newcombe) who manipulated the Electric Transformer, seemed to provoke the greatest merriment. An instrumental duet (piano) was rendered by Miss Lucy Cogswell and Curtis L. Newcombe. The proceeds (\$43.00) were for Hall Repair Fund.

GREENWICH
A flock of wild geese, so plainly heard, passed over toward the North West, in the night on Tuesday of last week, and another flock on Thursday morning, we understand.

The music of the Acadia College Band was very plainly heard up here last Wednesday morning (9th) when it was played in connection with the Students keeping in memory the Battle of Vimy Ridge and their fallen fellow students or former students of Acadia, who nobly did their part in the World's War.

Mrs. Margaret Bezacon, of Belcher Street, spent the day last Wednesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Schofield.

A large number from this community attended the roll call and social at Baptist church, Port Williams, last Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Ray Fraser and two children, Ivan and Velma, of Canaan, visited here at the home of her parents several days last week.

Mrs. Frederick Baker, Wolfville, visited at the home of her friend, Mrs. George L. Bishop, last Friday and Saturday.

Miss Freda Ritcey enjoyed a visit last Saturday afternoon, between trains, from her brother, who is spending some time in Kentville.

Mrs. Arthur Leslie—nee Dorothy Brown—of Dartmouth, spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Forsythe. Mrs. Leslie went on Monday to Hantsport to visit a few days with her father, Mr. C. C. Brown.

Rev. D. B. Hemmeon, D. D. of Wolfville, again occupied the pulpit in Methodist church here, last Sunday afternoon.

noon. Many friends were glad to welcome him back from his vacation.

A good many of our residents attended the play "Old Maids' Convention", put on in hall at Port Williams by members of "Lily of the Valley" division, which is still in a flourishing condition. One of our girls, Greta Pudsey, had a part in the play.

Mr. James E. Forsythe, we are sorry to report, is still confined to his bed. Mr. Humphrey Bishop is improving in health, his friends are glad to learn.

Mr. Vernon Gove, "Ridgeland Farm", visited in Grand Pre last Sunday afternoon, finding roads down there very bad.

NEW DRIVING CLUB

At a meeting of horsemen held at the American House, Kentville, on Mar. 26th, a new club was formed to be known as the Eastern Kings Driving Club. The following were elected officers:

Pres.—H. C. Lydiard, Centreville.
Vice-Pres.—G. B. Sanford, Coldbrook
Secretary—R. T. Caldwell, Kentville.
Treasurer—W. E. Ramey, Kentville.
Directors—Peter Gertridges, Gaspereaux; Oscar Rogers, Canning; Grant Foote, Brooklyn St.; W. P. Wheaton, Centreville; L. C. Boyle, A. L. Pelton, Kentville; L. W. Sleep, Wolfville. It was decided to adjourn the meeting to April 9th to take up various matters incidental to the racing season. At this meeting there was a large attendance, and fifteen horsemen joined the Club.

It was decided to open the racing season on the 24th of May with three classes, viz: free for all, 2.25 class and a named race. The prizes to be \$100.00 for each class—Half mile heats. Upon adjournment of this meeting, the annual meeting of the Kentville matinee Club was called, and the following were elected officers for the ensuing year.

President—L. C. Boyle, Kentville, re-elected.
Vice-President—William Lyons, Canning.

TOURISTS AND THE BALANCE OF TRADE

One Important Source of Wealth From the U. S. to be Cultivated

The Dominion Parks Board is throwing a great deal of effort into its campaign to make the beauties of Canada better known both to those at home and abroad. It estimates that the tourist traffic last year was worth \$136,000,000 to Canada, and thinks that this figure may be exceeded this year. Its estimate by provinces is as follows:

British Columbia	\$360,000,000
Alberta	200,000,000
Sask. and Manitoba	100,000,000
Ontario	300,000,000
Quebec	300,000,000
New Brunswick	400,000,000
Nova Scotia and P. E. I.	600,000,000

When it is taken into account that over nine-tenths of this tourist traffic was from the United States it is quite evident that Canada is thus setting up an invisible credit that is going a long way to offset the adverse balance of trade in favor of the United States.

DR. CUMMING ADDRESSED ACADIA STUDENTS

The students of Acadia University last Thursday morning heard a lecture by Dr. M. Cumming of the Nova Scotia Agricultural College at Truro, on "Agriculture and Its Relation to the College Student". The speaker was introduced by Prof. A. B. Balcom, professor of economics.

Dr. Cumming first dwelt upon the importance of agriculture to the nation, quoting statistics which showed that 51 per cent. of the exports from Canada (in value) in the year before the war were agricultural products. He emphasized that the products of agriculture form new wealth and that the farmer creates wealth. The economic and social conditions of the rural communities were next explained. Although labor-saving machinery was being used, it was due to economic and social conditions that the people were leaving many rural communities to go to the city. Dr. Cumming made a plea for more agriculturists. With modern methods a farm could be made, not a source of great riches, but of comfortable means and of great service to mankind.

BRIBERY A BOOMERANG FOR BIG BUSINESS

Sir Richard Squires, former premier of Newfoundland, got into financial difficulties when he started a newspaper for electioneering purposes and accepted \$40,000 from the British Empire Steel Corporation, just at the time he was revising the contract between his government and that corporation on the royalties it was paying on ore production. As a result Squires is labeled by a Royal Commission of Inquiry as guilty of accepting bribes and he goes down in history as a grafter.

OVER TWO MILLION BARRELS OF APPLES

Were Grown in Nova Scotia During the Past Year

Over two million barrels of Nova Scotia apples were shipped to points outside of Canada, Canadian points, used in local manufacture and home consumption for the year 1923-24 according to the official report issued by G. H. Vroom, District Fruit and Vegetable Inspector.

To the British, West India and Newfoundland markets there were shipped 1,452,228 barrels and 6,846 boxes. To Canadian points, including St. John and Halifax, there were shipped 228,800 barrels. Over 100,000 barrels were used in evaporators, cider mills and vinegar factories and canning factories; and for home consumption the figure is placed at 225,000 barrels. The London market took the largest quantity, namely 457,955 barrels; with Manchester a close second, Liverpool and Glasgow third and fourth. Halifax consumed 27,720 barrels.

There were 495,328 boxes of strawberries shipped from the Annapolis Valley during the season.

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If it needs repairs "Bring it over here", we will put it in good condition, and if you do not want it, we will sell to your advantage. We have been in the "Liquid Spray Business" for over Thirty Years, and still going strong.

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A medium size Marvella in the new cloud shade, plain back straight as an arrow with full gathered collar. Others that combine all that is new to styling and fabric, with a range of sizes and models that will insure your finding exactly what both suits and pleases you.

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A smart tailored suit of fancy Poirer Twill in the popular Log Cabin shade, lined with silk crepe to match. More of Tweed and Navy, some with the Jacket cut.

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Adorable dresses of black satin crepe, canton and Wool crepe, original in their newness. Ideal for Easter, only one of a kind.

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No new costume can hope to step out for Easter without new silk stockings to match, and to take the place of the heavy wool hosiery of the winter months, think of the advantage of choosing from stockings bearing such a reputable name as HOLEPROOF.

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Decides to Ap...

The Council of King's, in session on Tuesday with the present appointment only one resolution brought forward by J. B. Gertridges, was appointed at the January 9th meeting that the Councilors be authorized to procure the necessary money to carry the resolution, as soon as the requirement is engaged the person to be such as they shall determine. The discussion occupied a large part of the afternoon session. Councillor took thought it a very much power, an rebellion in the Council's assessment to the resolution, and the subject was to increase Councillor Bishop suggested is now voted in the three count ed it. He believed change, because of ten assessment to the fair basis. Some others too little, jing on the assessment done their duty, Councillors that drew absolutely refute statement about tax. Councillor Hugh one man was tax assessment. Count that any system present one. Sher ed to give his view that his estimate that the present unequal. He advised which is the same in Kentville and poration, with the should be a Court towns have. "Cou against the meas certainly be the King's County we Vote on the resolu For—E. L. Gertrid Brown, Ward, Mo ridge; against Mr. Gars, Heydon, Councillors of the and Hamilton. M a committee to p legislation to carry effect. The morning in the Warden and al except Councillor G loring routine. C J. Howe Cox read bill from the estate ing fires for the p over for further o Dr. Lawlor who that some of the now confined in any able to King's, w they could be co Asylum, thereby considerable money siderable discussion some of the council believed that it had accommodate some o County Home. T posed by many o licitor Outhit gav the law would not put in the same h A committee was further information May session. The motion of and Hubbard that janitor of the cour by ten dollars per Contract for the law was awarded a al. Councillor Durro Burgess maintains, seconded by Hubbs Clark, seconded by amendment that a disinterested coun to look into the m port at the May s ment carried and C ridge, Nichols and ed to look into the Chairman J. Ge stance Committee, r in the Local Hou to be used as borro draft in banks; \$11 Highways; \$33,000 ness. The money is sale of sixty \$1,000 trest at five per ce the every year, after tire bonds to be re years. A motion of Cou Ward Thirteen, bea taxes for 1924, bea double in 1922 was o ing were appointed Union of Municipal Dartmouth: The W and E. Gertridges, appointed to look s some method of Councillor Bishop an County Treasurer going to take up hi ions under bonds, that bonds had been expected that Mr. Kinsman would up his duties. Council that it would be bett were under the con socially with the new cred accountant. Councillor Gertrid mary report of the a collected, \$4,500; re are on amounts whic