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A Parting. God keep you, friend! We may not know All that this parting means for you and me, And what things sorrowful and sad may be In wait for our sweet eyes, and so God keep you, friend!

Fruit Raising in Nova Scotia. THE APPLE INDUSTRY OF THE PROVINCE. AND SOME OF ITS FAMOUS VARIETIES. BY GUY C. FULTON. If the story is true that the forbidden fruit at the time of the creation was the apple, then Nova Scotia must have been the Eden, for, without a doubt, here is the home of the most favorite fruit, and the temptation of Adam and Eve in the gardens of Eden would have been great and impossible to withstand.

Recent press dispatches have announced that a number of farmers have recently arrived in Nova Scotia from Scotland, bringing with them some twenty thousand dollars in capital and many years of experience. A full grown, well developed orchard will give all the way from 350 to 400 barrels of apples per acre, and it is doubtful if this percentage can be equalled in the world.

It seems that practically every known variety of apple can prosper in Nova Scotia, and the varieties shipped are almost too numerous to mention. During the season of 1909 the Nova Scotia apple growers of the Annapolis Valley chartered their own steamers and made direct shipments to England, which, by the way, is the biggest market for Nova Scotia apples.

A prosperous farmer of Waterville, Nova Scotia, figures that it is possible to make a profit of \$500 per acre from an apple farm in Nova Scotia. If such is the case then it is more profitable than wheat raising, and the conditions and work are easier, too.

It is impossible to estimate the value of the apple crop to the Province of Nova Scotia. Hundreds of thousands of barrels are shipped annually to England, while as many more find sale in the retail markets of the United States and the Province itself.

It is estimated that the Nova Scotia exports of apples for this year will be from five to seven hundred thousand barrels, the most of which will be sent to England.

Now, what I want to make emphatic at this point, is that, to assure success in horticulture, it means investigation is a crying disgrace to any country.

Badly Hurt In Thresher. Blood poison set in—Great suffering—Cure effected by Dr. A. W. CHASE'S OINTMENT. Mrs. G. Hopkins, St. George, Ont., writes:—I feel like shouting the praises of Dr. Chase's Ointment. While threshing grain, my son got badly hurt. One of the men who was pitching shovels, at the above, and ran the prongs of the fork into my son's leg. He did not take much notice of it and in a day or two it got more and very hot and blood poison set in. We did everything for it but it would heal one place and break out at another and kept on this way for three months.

work intelligent, persistent application to labor. The old proverb of 'Poor Richard' needs to be reiterated and re-emphasized: 'He that by the plow would live, himself must either plow or drive.' There is no royal road to success in horticulture other than the intelligent application to labor.

Three services were held during the day. Rev. Edwin Crowell, D. D., preached the dedication sermon in the morning, Rev. J. W. Manning, D. D., offered the dedicatory prayer, after which the dedicatory hymn, written by the pastor, was sung by the choir and congregation.

The afternoon session Rev. J. D. Spidle, M. A., of Kentville, was the preacher. He spoke from John's account of the healing of the man at the pool of Bethesda. It was a thoughtful and interesting presentation of Jesus as the friend and Saviour of man, of Christianity, as the completion and enlargement of Old Testament religion and economy, and of the Gospel as the only remedy for the sins and woes of mankind.

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life and death, he betrayed the character of the Divine Being as a Father, holy and righteous. The dedication sermon by Rev. Dr. Crowell was from Heb. 11, 17. 'Therefore we should give the most earnest heed to the things heard, etc.' The speaker took his theme: 'A new departure.'

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Canning Church Dedicated. On Sunday, March 12th the new house of worship, erected by the United Baptists of Canning, was opened and set apart to the service of God. The steps leading up to the merging of these two families of 'common faith,' and the mutual good will that has attended developments hitherto, made the day one of delightful significance to all interested.

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A Notorious Land Grab. The following vulgar letter concerning a number of the good people of Cape Breton adorned the pages of the government organ at Sydney: 'I wish to thank all my employees for the loyal support which they gave me for D. D. McKenzie, Esq., a VOTER'S PROMISE CANNOT ALWAYS BE RELIED ON, but in this instance every single one of my men was true to his ante-election promise. I feel this the more in this election as there were many and various influences brought to bear on them on the other side, and to be able to say THAT NOT A SINGLE MAN OUT OF MY WHOLE FORCE VIOLATED HIS PLEDGE TO ME, IS PROBABLY A RECORD SELDOM BEFORE EQUALLED. This is not only a source of great pride and satisfaction to me as an employer, but it is a record that my men and their whole district of North River may well feel proud of.'

In Inverness county 350,000 acres. In Inverness county 151,000 acres. It was to pay a rental. The company was to spend in Inverness county \$10,000. All this was to be done before July 1, 1901. The company was prohibited from exporting unmanufactured timber from the province.

By various orders in Council the government of Mr. Murray has undertaken to sweep away the conditions of the contract as ratified by the legislature. I—Feb. 1900—Time extended for expending money to July 1, 1901, for building mills to July 1, 1904. II—July 1, 1901—Time for expending money further extended to July 1, 1904, and for building mills, to July 1, 1906, and declaring that wood should be considered as manufactured.

III—Feb. 1904—The company relieved from building pulp mills. IV—Feb. 1904—Terms extended from 30 to 25 years. None of these amendments were ratified by parliament but stand, and the company is permitted to denude the valleys of the north and export the wood; build no mills but still to hold the heritage of the people for three generations; to keep off the land for which they have not paid, the farmer and the fisherman, and yet the guardians of the public rights, the government of Nova Scotia, are satisfied because the president of the company insults some of the premier's own constituents and boasts that with his pittance of daily pay for heavy toil, he has purchased the independence of his workmen and delivered their franchise to his masters. Barnjum's unrebuked epistle is significantly dated at a new town named for the premier.

Using Purgatives Injures Health. What You Need in Spring is a Blood Building Tonic. A spring medicine is an actual necessity to most people. Nature demands it as an aid in carrying off the impurities that have accumulated in the blood during the long winter months of indoor life. Unfortunately thousands of people who recognize the necessity for a spring medicine do not know what is best to take and dose themselves with harsh, gripping purgatives.

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WOLFVILLE, N.S., MAR. 26, 1914.

## Editorial Notes.

We fancy it must be more than a coincidence that the abominable agitation and a local election again make such good connection. It was so in 1906 and may be likewise in 1915.

During the discussion on the proposed amendment to the Temperance Act in the assembly last week Mr. Wickwire is reported as having said that it was not in the best interests of the province to have prohibition in Halifax at this time! We would like to hear what our readers think of this.

We notice in a Montreal paper of recent date the following curious paragraph: 'Though there are no prospects of any hangings in the near future, Sheriff Lemieux received, this morning, two applications for the position of hangman. Both came from Nova Scotia.' Wonder if either of these was from Kings county.

The town council of Pictou has placed in the estimates for the current year the sum of \$15,000 to be devoted to advertising the advantages and attractions of that town. Other Nova Scotia towns are spending money for similar work every year. The Wolfville Board of Trade, some years ago, raised an amount by private subscription which was devoted to the publication of a booklet which did a great deal to make our town better known, but of late years nothing has been done. If Wolfville's attractions were advertised as are some towns' her citizens would see something doing.

Considerable is being said these days about the valuable amendments that are being secured to the Temperance Act. It should be distinctly understood that only in one direction can the act be amended in order to make it effective. While liquor is sold freely in Halifax and furnished to the people of other counties without restraint the Nova Scotia Temperance Act will accomplish its purpose, amended, in the direction of preventing sobriety among the people. All the talk about penalties, appeals and other provisions amounts to very little so long as the act does not apply to Halifax, the fountain head from which the flow of the intoxicating and debasing stuff is increasing and not diminishing. Temperance people will not surely allow themselves to be humbugged by such palpable attempts at disguising the real issue.

Considerable interest has been manifested in the new road-making machine which arrived on Saturday last. It comprises a 10-ton Bradford Pitts double-cylinder steam road-roller from the Watrous Engine Works Co., of Bradford, Ont., and a No. 1 Champion steel rock-crusher with elevator and revolving screen complete. The crusher is mounted upon wheels which makes it portable. It was made by the American Road Machine Co., of Goderich, Ont., and is claimed to have capacity for crushing from twelve to eighteen tons per hour. The engine in connection with the roller develops an actual capacity of from 25 to 30 h. p. The roller will be used for drawing the crusher, hauling the road-grader, rolling the streets, as well as rolling the crushed rock when making new streets. It will probably be some time in May before the street department will be able to begin laying the new streets, owing to so much work being required upon the underground system. New water-boxes will be required for all service pipes on the street, as well as new valves to all the hydrants, and every property must be connected with the sewer before the work of laying permanent streets can be begun.

## Boxing and Good Manners.

It will be gratifying to the many admirers of Sir Frederick Borden, Minister of Militia and Defence, to learn that he and the famous Empress Catherine of Russia had not a few traits in common, chief among them being an aversion to the vulgarities and unmanliness of the so-called sport, boxing. Some months ago, Sir Frederick learned with sorrow as well as annoyance that the young men we are training at Kingston in the gentle art of making war were becoming more or less addicted to the habit of striking at one another. The seriousness of the offence was somewhat mitigated by the fact that, on the majority of these occasions, the participants were large, muscular, gloved, stuffed with hair or some other soft material, but the vulgarities appear to have remained, for the Minister immediately intimated that he did not consider boxing a gentlemanly or appropriate diversion for young men who might sooner or later be connected with the Department of Militia and Defence. We now learn with interest that views very similar to those of Sir Frederick are held by the Russian authorities. Boxing exhibitions of any kind are strongly deprecated in the realm of the Czar, and boxing itself is regarded with grave disfavour. The Empress Catherine of glorious memory was strongly opposed to the 'exchange of blows' among the common people, especially in public, which she held to be uncivilized and a thing to be frowned down upon. Kingston cadets are scarcely to be regarded as in the category of 'common people,' but the fact that the exhibition has been extended to them only shows the advances in good morals between the period of the Empress Catherine and the time of Sir Frederick Borden. Montreal Star.

## Our Public Schools.

The annual report of the Superintendent of Education for the year ended July 31st, 1910, has been received. The usual interesting information is contained therein. Dr. MacKay makes the following reference to the report and work of Mr. Roscoe, which will be read with pleasure by readers of THE ACADIAN:

The report of C. W. Roscoe, M. A., is especially interesting on account of his graphic summary of the educational progress made in the counties of Kings and Hants since he became inspector in 1873. On account of failing health, after thirty-seven years of unremitting and highly successful service, he tendered his resignation at the close of the school year. He worked up to his extreme physical limit with a courtesy of demeanor, a coolness of judgment, a firmness of purpose, and a tact which can hardly be expected to be excelled.

The following paragraph from the report of Mr. Roscoe will also be of interest:

Now that my term of office has expired, it is but natural that I should refer to the progress and some of the changes made during my incumbency. In 1873, A. D., when I became inspector for Kings county, there were 93 schools taught by 92 teachers in the county. For the past term there have been 135 schools taught by 144 teachers. The increase in number of schools has been 42, teachers 45. In 1873 there were but 9 graded schools, 8 of which had two departments, and one three departments, total 19 classrooms. At the close of the school year 1910, Kings county had 18 graded schools, 11 two-department schools, one three, one four, one six and one eleven, total 52 classrooms. This shows that the graded school-houses have just doubled in number and the classrooms nearly trebled. The efficiency of these schools also shows an immense advancement in both the quality and quantity of work done. Almost all the school buildings have been built or undergone very extensive repairs during the last thirty-seven years. Most of the buildings are now new. New furniture, new blackboards, new school maps, apparatus, etc., have been supplied, until the schools are now pretty well equipped. About all the graded schools and some of the miscellaneous ones have supplied scientific apparatus and are prepared to teach chemistry and physics. There is still room for improvement, but the advancement made, to one who has spent thirty-seven years connected with the work, is notably marked. I may cite two or three cases to indicate the improvement made. Kentville, in 1873, had its school in an old tumbled-down building, inferior to some of the horse stables now in town, and it was taught by one class 'B' and one class 'C' teacher. Now the school is in a house that has been built and enlarged two or three times to meet the demands. And at length the time has come when a new brick school is needed and must be built to retain the academic grant. The school now employs 11 teachers, four of class 'A', three of class 'B', two of class 'C', one of Domestic Science and one of Mechanical Science. A good library has been procured and several hundred dollars' worth of physical and chemical apparatus provided; so that the school is in a position to do superior work and does it. An excellent building has been erected on the school grounds for the departments of Domestic Science and Mechanical Science. The schools in Wolfville, Berwick, Canning, Canard (Upper and Lower) measure up well beside Kentville, and, in fact, some of these schools in some respects excel.

Allow me to make note of the following: In 1873 there were 71 male teachers employed in the counties of Kings and Hants. During the term just closed there were only 16. In 1873 there was but one teacher of the academic class in these two counties. During the last term there were 10 'A' teachers, five male and five female. The 'A' grant was received by E. E. Fairweather, R. W. Ford, May, Foster, Josiah B. Campbell, John A. Smith and George W. Hill. The 'A' grant was received by Winifred Webster, Bertha Orner and Laura Kaulbach. The 'A3' grant by Besiege Parrel. I cannot make a comparison of the 'B' teachers, as in 1873 class 'C' female was styled 'First Class', and class 'C' male 'Second Class'. There were, however, in 1910, 65 class 'B' teachers, only one of whom was male. I believe there were no class 'B' female teachers previous to 1873.

Of the very many teachers whose schools I have visited during the past thirty-seven years I wish to testify that all have treated me with the utmost frankness and courtesy, and have been willing to give attention to and carry out any suggestion that I have made, so far as they were able, and have thus made it a pleasure to be connected with such a noble body of workers.

I have also been connected with three boards of district school commissioners, of which I have acted as clerk. I wish to bear testimony to the valuable work done by these commissioners and to their readiness in all cases to co-operate with me in dealing with all matters pertaining to the well being of the schools. It has always been a great pleasure to meet these boards, and I regard it as one of the many pleasant memories of my life that I have succeeded in retaining their confidence for so long a period without interruption. During my incumbency there have been three Superintendents of Education for the Province, viz: Rev. A. S. Hunt (deceased), Dr. David Allison, and Dr. A. H. MacKay. From all of these and from the clerks in the Ed-



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## J.W. Williams

JEWELER & OPTICIAN.

### Holocaust in New York.

A cigarette lit by a cutter and thrown into a heap of clippings started a fire in a New York factory last Saturday afternoon which proved to be the worst disaster that city has known since the steamship General Slocum was burned to the water's edge off North Brother's Island in '04. One hundred and fifty persons, ninety of whom were Jewish and Italian girls, were crushed to death on the pavements or smothered, and others were shrivelled to a crisp in the awful holocaust. The tragedy took place in the factory of the Triangle Waist Co. on the eighth, ninth and tenth floors of a ten story building where seven hundred hands, 500 of these women, were employed. The fire occurred about five minutes before quitting time. The exits of the building proved almost useless. Practically all who escaped either climbed to the roof and scrambled thence to the roof of the adjoining building or led at the first rush for safety before the smoke grew too thick.


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That it is high time for a change of government in Nova Scotia is clearly suggested by the remarkable statement of Premier Murray at Yarmouth, September 7th, 1909. On that occasion, which he said was memorable because it was the first opportunity he has had to address the electors of that stalwart liberal county, he said: 'We have administered the affairs of this province practically since confederation, forty-two years, except for a period of four years between 1878 and 1882.'

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Local Happenings.

Cash paid for Hides at Willow Vale Tannery, Wolfville.

A meeting of the proprietors of the Wickwire Dyke is to be held at the usual place on Monday afternoon next, at 2 o'clock.

Mrs. Ethel Green has sold her dwelling on Gasperau avenue, which has been adv. for some time in THE ACADIAN, to Mr. A. C. Johnson.

Leave your orders at once with A. J. Woodman for having your carpets, curtains, draperies, etc., cleaned by the new and greatly improved Regina Vacuum Cleaner.

THE ACADIAN regrets to learn of the rather serious illness at Ottawa of Mr. Avard Cohoon, son of Rev. Dr. Cohoon, of this town. We trust he may soon be on the road to recovery.

There will be a meeting of the Tabernacle Society this evening at the Tabernacle, at 8 o'clock. Important business will be before the meeting and all interested are requested to be present.

Just received—velvet, labet and collar pins, the latest styles in beautiful enamels. W.L.L.A.M.S., The Jeweller.

A social will be held in the S. S. room of the Methodist church, Wolfville, this evening, the 31st, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid. Games, music, recitations and light refreshments bespeak an enjoyable evening. All are invited. A silver collection will be taken.

The lecture by Rev. Dr. MacKinnon, of Halifax, which has twice been postponed on account of the illness of the lecturer, will take place next Monday evening in St. Andrew's church. The subject will be: 'The Public Man.' No one who can possibly bear this lecture should fail to do so.

Recall Kidney Pills, 'The Best Yet.' Your money refunded if not satisfactory, at RAND'S

On Friday evening of next week, in College Hall, will be given a violin and elocution recital by the pupils of Acadia Seminary. The program will consist of violin solos, duets, quartettes, etc., and a presentation of 'As you like it,' by members of the elocution department. Pupils from the departments of piano and voice will also assist. An attractive entertainment is assured.

Horse Clipping properly and promptly attended to at Hutchinson's Stables, Wolfville.

We wish to thank those who have responded to our appeal by handing in the amounts owing to THE ACADIAN. There are a large number, however, who have not yet been heard from, and these we would again ask to assist us by at once making payment in full of their part. There is at present a large amount due this office, every cent of which is needed. The amount of your indebtedness may appear to be insignificant, but with many other small amounts aggregate a considerable sum.

Money to loan on approved real estate security. Apply to R. S. Crawley, Wolfville, N.S.

The parlor concert given on Tuesday evening at the Royal Hotel in aid of the building fund of the new Baptist church was a very pleasant affair, although not so well attended as it should have been. An interesting program was rendered, including piano duets by Misses Rockwell and Haines, both of whom also gave vocal readings by Mrs. R. W. Ford, vocal solos by Miss Helen Beckwith, and violin solos by Mr. R. W. Ford. At the close of the program ice-cream and other dainty refreshments were served.

April is the month for Blankets. Here is the place to get them, cheap and best. W.L.L.A.M.S., The Jeweller.

The officers of Wolfville Division, S. of T., for the ensuing quarter were elected on Monday evening last as follows:

- W. P. O. A. Patriquin, W. A. Miss Freeman, W. A. Miss Freeman, A. R. S. Miss T. E. Hutchinson, F. S. Miss Ernestine Bishop, Treas.—Miss Emma Schofield, Chap.—Rev. M. P. Freeman, Cond.—Mrs. Howard Pines, Asst. Cond.—Mr. Legge, J. B.—Miss Chisholm, O. S.—J. W. Vaught, Patron.—W. A. Freeman, F. W. P.—G. M. Peck.

Just received G. B. Chocolates, bulk and packages. Luggets and Fenway Chocolates (American) in 1 lb. packages at A. V. RAND'S.

The meeting house of the Wolfville Baptist church was sold at public auction on Wednesday afternoon. Quite a number of the members of the church and others were present to witness the sale. One of the conditions was that the building must be removed completely before April 20th so as to enable the work of constructing the new building to go on without interruption. The building was purchased by the contractors for the new building, Messrs. A. W. Ainslie & Son, of Annapolis, for forty dollars. We understand that the college authorities have granted the church the use of College Hall for holding their Sunday and other services until the new building is completed, which will be in about a year's time.

Special Bargain Announcement

We have set out to do the biggest spring business in the history of this house. We propose to get this business through a series of out of the ordinary merchandise offerings in all lines.

THIS WEEK

We offer the Following: CAPS, about 200 in stock, usually sold for 75c. now

38 CENTS

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WOLFVILLE.

Arc Light Dead.

Arc Light, a 1904, died at the stable of his owner, Mr. Fraser, Truro, a few days ago at the age of 25 years. Mr. Fraser had been driving the old warrior, and he never seemed in finer shape up to the moment that his stout old light stopped beating.

Arc Light was by Rampart, dam, Gipey by Robert R. Morris, 2nd dam by Crown Prince 2 25. He was bred by Dr. Taylor, of Hampton, N. B. He made his record of 2 1/4 in a race at Lawrence, Mass., September 10, 1904, driven by C. W. Bell, of St. John.

His majestic air when at full speed, his stamina and impressive action made him in his palmy days the most popular race-horse in the maritime provinces.

Weather for February.

Barometer.—Maximum, 7th. 30.56; Minimum 18th. 29.495. Temperature.—Maximum, 4th. 45.2; Minimum 13th. 8.7. Precipitation on Feb. 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 19, 21, 23, 24—14 days. Total Precipitation 3.37 in. Total Snowfall (unmelted) 29 in. Snow on ground at beginning of Feb. 4 in. Snow on ground at end of Feb. 6 in. Number of gales, 4. Aurora on Feb. 21, 27, 28. W. A. COIT, OBSERVER.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Elderkin, who have been spending some weeks in the United States, returned home on Wednesday afternoon, after a very pleasant trip.

Canadians Eat Eggs from Many Countries.

We Bought over Nine Million Eggs from the United States Last Year and Large Quantities from China

Canada imported 893,324 dozen eggs during the fiscal year ending March 31, 1916. From the United States alone 757,316 dozen eggs came to Canada. China sent us 27,075 dozen, and Hong Kong 41,245 dozen, while small quantities came from Great Britain, France and Japan.

Our egg exports amounted to 164,835 dozen, but only 39,917 dozen went from Canada to the United States, so that we bought from the American 124,918 dozen more eggs than we sold to them. Canada sold 33,465 dozen eggs to Great Britain, 20,947 dozen to Newfoundland, 10,700 dozen to Bermuda, 2,196 dozen to the British West Indies, 44,100 dozen to Cuba, 12,555 to St. Pierre and a few dozen to British Guiana, Mexico and China.

Deducting our total exports of eggs from our total imports of eggs it will be found that Canadians consumed 728,499 dozen more eggs than the total production of eggs in Canada.

The duty on eggs coming into Canada is three cents per dozen. If the Reciprocity Agreement goes into effect this duty will be removed and the importations of eggs will greatly increase.

A board of tariff experts, recently appointed by the United States Government to compare Canadian and American prices, has reported on the price of eggs at Buffalo, Toronto, Burlington, Vt., Montreal, Lancaster, N. Y., Prescott, Ont., Bangor, Eastport and Calais in Maine, and St.

THESE FACTS IN YOUR MIND

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A full stock of the above at lowest prices at THE WOLFVILLE HARDWARE & STOVE STORE

Agriculture in Nova Scotia.

The report of the Secretary for Agriculture was placed on the table of the House of Assembly by the Provincial Secretary, the Hon. Mr. Murray, on Monday, March 27th, last. The report contains an outline of the various activities of the department, and gives evidence of the continued aggressive policy of this department.

In addition to a statement of the routine work, the report contains a series of articles on 'Fruit Growing and Gardening in Nova Scotia', which should prove of great interest to the farmers generally and the fruit growers of the province in particular. This makes the fourth series of educational articles issued by this department in connection with the annual report. The report of 1907 dealt with sheep, that of 1908 with dairying, that of 1909 with soils, etc., and that of 1910 with the above mentioned.

The report of the Secretary for Agriculture seems to be a popular feature. It has led to a more than 100 per cent. increase in the requests for the report from the people of the province itself, and has been most highly appreciated by the new settlers who have recently come to our province.

While the present series of articles deal most largely with the fruit growing as carried on in the Valley, yet there are a number of articles dealing with fruit growing in other parts of the province, and also with such subjects as strawberry growing, tomato growing, vegetable gardening, cranberry culture, etc., as adapted to all parts of the province. In the main body of the report are presented interesting facts in regard to the general work of the department. The report of the College shows a marked advance for the year. There is an increase in attendance in all courses, and a most marked increase in the regular courses, amounting to 44 per cent. over last year.

The commission of the Lord's Supper will be celebrated at St. Andrew's church next Sunday at the morning service. This evening at 7:30 o'clock a preparatory service will be held, when a sermon will be preached by Rev. Mr. McCurdy, of Canard. Don't make a Mistake. Don't Buy too Quick.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

The death of Rev. R. C. Ford, pastor of the Coburg St. Christian church, St. John, occurred suddenly at Halifax last Friday afternoon. Rev. Mr. Ford was spending a few days in Halifax on his way to his old home in Milton, Queens county, on a short vacation. The deceased was seventy-three years of age and was well known throughout the province. He was at one time pastor of the Christian church at Port Williams. He leaves one son and one daughter, his wife having predeceased him three years ago. The son is Rev. F. C. Ford, of Cleveland, O., and the daughter is the wife of Rev. R. E. Stevens, of Wisconsin.

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A bill was presented to the legislature this week by Mr. Hall, of Queens county, for the giving of free fishing rights to the citizens of this province along the rivers and lakes of the province. The matter was strenuously opposed by the premier and other members of the government and finally defeated by a straight party vote, 24-5.

Miss S. M. Jackson, of Boston, a fashionable dressmaker of long experience, is spending some time at Gasperau, at the home of Mrs. George Davidson, during which she will do a limited amount of work either at her home or at the houses of patrons. Those desiring her services should apply at once. 314 25.

FOR SALE.—Welsh Pony, 3 years old, carriage and harness, can be seen and demonstrated at any time. Apply to A. V. RAND.

Mr. T. S. Roy, of the Senior class at Acadia, has been unanimously called to the pastorate of the Digby Baptist church. While supplying for the church he has made many warm friends who will gladly welcome him as their pastor.

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HEADQUARTERS For the Na-Dru-Co Preparations

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T. L. Harvey

A Theorist.

To the Editor of THE ACADIAN. DEAR SIR,—I notice in the Acadia Orchardist of March 28th a somewhat remarkable letter from Mr. Budge L. Bishop, of Greenwich, in favor of reciprocity.

It is not my place to give any reason why reciprocity would benefit Canada, except that free trade is the correct economic theory.

I submit that practical people are more concerned about facts than theories.

Until Mr. Bishop can give us some thing more substantial, I advise him to continue his theological researches and devote his time to raising fine turkeys. ANTI RECIPROCIITY.

FOR SALE.—Heavy draft horse, good order, weight about 1400 pounds. Apply to J. W. SELFRIDGE, Wolfville.

The communion of the Lord's Supper will be celebrated at St. Andrew's church next Sunday at the morning service. This evening at 7:30 o'clock a preparatory service will be held, when a sermon will be preached by Rev. Mr. McCurdy, of Canard.

Kidney Suffering

Backaches and tired feelings tell of weak kidney action—Prompt relief by using D.R.A.W. CHASE'S KIDNEY AND LIVER PILLS. There is no treatment for kidney disease which will afford you relief so quickly as Dr. W. Chase's Kidney and Liver Pills, and none which will so certainly cure the most complicated form of this disease. There is a reason for this. Dr. A. W. Chase's Kidney and Liver Pills affect the action of the liver and bowels as well as the kidneys and thereby effect a thorough cleansing and regulating of the excretory system. Mr. S. Argyus, Esq., Charlottetown, P.E.I., writes: 'I have suffered a great deal with kidney troubles and pains in the middle of the back and have tried many remedies without obtaining any relief. I wish to say, however, that I can heartily recommend Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills as a splendid medicine as they have proven of very great benefit to me.' Dr. Chase's Kidney and Liver Pills, one pill a dose, 25 cents a box, at all druggists or Widdowson, Bates & Co., Toronto. Refuse substitutes.

Fruit Farm for Sale.

Situated on Belcher St., 1/2 miles from Kentville, 32 acres, about 22 acres in orchard, best varieties. Good land, easily worked. Young orchard includes 250 Cox's Orange Pippin trees. Apply C. C. BROWN, Greenwich, Kings Co.

Offices To Let.

Offices with all modern improvements including Steam Heat, Electric Light will be fitted up to suit prospective tenants in the building lately acquired by me on Main St. These should make desirable offices for Professional Men, Insurance Agents or Commission Brokers being situated in a central location and in the same building with the Town Offices. Possession on or before May 1st. W. M. BLACK.

For Sale

Pleasantly situated on Acadia street, Wolfville, house and barn, half acre of land with about twenty apple trees just beginning to bear. House has nine rooms beside hall pantry and bath, heated with hot air. Can be bought at a bargain. Apply P. O. Box 79, Wolfville, N. S.

Modern Residence for Sale.

Modern dwelling house situated corner Linden Ave. and Summer Street in the town of Wolfville. Fronting is 25 x 25. 21' deep high and was built in 1902. House contains bath room, furnace and one open grate. Lot is 45 feet on Linden Ave. and 140 feet on Summer street. Price \$2800.00. For further particulars apply to F. H. Christie or F. J. Porter, Local Manager for McCallum Ltd.

Fruit Trees for Spring Planting.

The subscriber has about 2000 No. 1 Apple Trees, three years old, which are offering intending planters at current rates. A discount to those who take delivery at Nursery. Write or see E. E. ARCHIBALD, Wolfville, Feb. 15, '17. 11. ff.

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