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Mental Deficients in Nova Scotia

Professor MacPhee Addresses Large Audience at Baptist Church

"The Weaker Vessels" was the subject in which Professor Earl D. W. MacPhee deeply interested a large audience in the auditorium of the Baptist church Tuesday evening, under the auspices of the Women's Social and Benevolent Society. He took pains to describe the causes that contributed to the prevalent increase of the Mental Deficients in Nova Scotia, especially since the war, and to locate the responsibility for the solution of the problems arising from their continued presence in the community. He quoted from reports and statistics based upon careful observation in certain prisons proving that forty per cent. of the prisoners had started upon their immoral and criminal lives at a very early age, were mental deficients, and the offspring of mental deficients.

He urged the people of Wolfville to lead the way in the discharge of a community's duty by this unfortunate class of children, so that they be no longer forced to remain in an environment in which they were not understood, thus destined to be cast upon the world without the ability to control their passions and actions, and so become the easy prey of evil influences. There should be an effort to discover them by classifications, and in this he suggested that the Board of Examiners include the doctors, nurses—especially the Victorian Order of Nurses, upon whose appointment Wolfville has already determined—also the teachers and ministers, as well as the friendly and philanthropic organizations of the churches and the town. Such a board should be a permanent one.

To allow the mentally deficient children to remain with the normal ones in the schools was a waste of school money and a great tax upon the patience and temper of teachers. Once discovered, the mentally deficient child became a state problem, and there was 600 of them in this Province. Sympathetically cared for and properly trained for the several vocations for which they would be suited, a fair percentage of them could be re-claimed as efficient, while by their judicious segregation the progress of the normal child-

A New Civic Building

One of Wolfville's Pressing Needs

One of the pressing needs of Wolfville which has been apparent to many citizens for years past is a public building properly equipped and capable of accommodating all the departments of our civic government.

Recent events should determine our citizens to make haste in securing such an institution with the least possible delay. The securing of a proper location will demand considerable deliberation and this should be decided as soon as possible. Had such a site been secured years ago when the project was favorably discussed it would have been to the advantage of the town in many ways. Most of the desirable locations have since been taken and although it is still possible to have a choice it will involve a greater cost than had the matter been arranged years ago. We believe it would be good business for the town to set in operation at once the necessary machinery to secure the erection of a suitable building with as little delay as possible. The new building should have accommodation for the public officials of the town, ample room for the meetings of the Council, School Board and various committees and a large auditorium for the use of the town and public meetings of its various organizations. The building should be of such architectural design and construction as to make it an ornament and credit to Wolfville and set a standard for other public and business institutions. The ACADIAN will be glad to publish suggestions relating to this proposal.

It would not be retarded, and when the child-bearing age was reached the danger of perpetuating the propagation of the feeble-minded class could be averted. It was imperative that steps be taken at once to ensure the establishment of suitable institutions and a home for these unfortunate beings. In a truly eloquent peroration the speaker appealed for the exercise of Christ-like compassion towards the feeble-minded, and that, by their votes, the citizens would see to it that they were by this class be no longer deserted. Professor Perry, who presided, voiced the appreciation of the audience of the very able and convincing address. After a silver oratory had been taken the National Anthem was sung to close the proceedings.

Acadia's Proposition

Ambitious Program of Board of Governors

It is always the desire of THE ACADIAN to give the news while it is news, and we therefore endeavored last week to secure for our readers details of the meeting of the Board of Governors of Acadia on Tuesday evening. We were informed, however, when we made application at the proper source for such information that the Board was not ready to make any public statement, but that as soon as information was available, THE ACADIAN would be promptly advised. The ACADIAN went to press on Friday afternoon without being able to secure for its readers the desired facts. However, by the Halifax papers of Saturday, under date of Wolfville, December 10th, the coveted information was received. It seems that it is the intention of the Board of Governors to inaugurate a campaign to secure the magnificent sum of one million dollars for the erection of a new Main College building and other extension work. The money is to be applied as follows: For the erection of the new building, \$250,000, for the new building for Acadia Ladies Seminary which has been in prospect for some time \$350,000, and the recent increase in professors' salaries which makes and endowment imperative. There is also required a new building for classrooms for Acadia Collegiate Academy. The amount asked for is not any too large to cover these pressing needs and it is believed that the public will respond generously to the call. In fact we have heard a hint that the Board of Governors have already been promised some generous subscriptions.

DARK SUNDAYS

To the Editor of THE ACADIAN.

Dear Sir,—Allow me also to make a suggestion regretting our lighting system. During the few dark short Sundays of this time of the year could not we have the use of the lights, especially during the time of the church services, by means of a very heavy expense, it would only be for a very few Sundays, and it would mean a great convenience. When it is possible to enjoy such advantages it seems a pity to be obliged to do without them.

CITIZEN.

VICE REGAL VISITOR

Governor General Pays Wolfville An Official Visit

Wolfville was highly favored yesterday by a visit from His Excellency, the Duke of Devonshire, Governor-General of Canada.

Notification of the visit was only received by Mayor Fitch on Saturday last and did not permit of any public announcement. The Council held a special meeting on Saturday evening, when a committee composed of the Mayor, Dr. Cutten, Dr. MacDonald and Mr. E. Percy Brown was appointed to make necessary arrangements.

The Vice-regal party arrived on Thursday by special train from Windsor and were met by Mayor Fitch and members of the Council, Dr. Cutten, the College band and numerous citizens. The G. W. V. A. formed a guard of honor and the visitors were driven in Mr. G. D. Prescott's car to the Baptist church, which had been selected as the largest auditorium in town, for the reception of His Excellency. The route was lined by College students and at the church there was a guard of honor composed of the Boy Scouts, under the direction of Scoutmaster Brown.

The church was very prettily trimmed with flags and bunting and was filled with townspeople and students. Mr. M. Cameron, organist of the church, rendered appropriate music while the distinguished party entered and took their places.

His Excellency and two aide-de-camp occupied seats on the platform with Mayor Fitch, Dr. J. H. MacDonald, representing the G. W. V. A., and Dr. Cutten.

His worship, the Mayor, read the following address on behalf of the town:

The Rt. Hon. The Duke of Devonshire, K.G., G.C.M.G., G.C.V.O., P.C., Governor General of Canada.

May it please Your Excellency:—On behalf of the Corporation and of the citizens of Wolfville, I beg to extend to you a cordial welcome to our Town and to the part of the Province of Nova Scotia.

Your Excellency can be assured of the loyalty of the citizens of this community to the British Crown, which you so worthily represent as Governor General of the Dominion of Canada. We rejoice in our British connections which have been strengthened with the passing of the years and which have been cemented afresh by the mutual experience through which the Mother Country and the Overseas Dominions have recently passed in the great struggle in behalf of human liberty. We share with other parts of the Dominion the fond belief that the ties of Empire will be further strengthened by the place which Canada has attained in the Sisterhood of the Britanic Commonwealth of Nations.

It is a matter of regret to us that your visit could not have been timed when this part of the Province could have been seen to greater advantage, with its wealth of spring-time bloom or its luxuriance of autumn fruit. But in the assemblage before you I feel assured you will behold a more heartening and inspiring sight, namely, that of the young men and women of our Country, training in the Educational Institutions which bear the historic name "Acadia", for citizenship in our beloved Canada, which counts itself honored in having Your Excellency as representative of His Gracious Majesty, King George V.

On behalf of the Corporation and Councilors of the Town of Wolfville, Nova Scotia.

CHAS. S. FITCH
Mayor

On behalf of the G. W. V. A. Rev. Dr. MacDonald read the following address:

The Right Honorable The Duke of Devonshire, K.G., G.C.M.G., G.C.V.O., P.C., Governor General of Canada.

May it please Your Excellency:

On behalf of the Great War Veterans Association of Wolfville, Nova Scotia, and vicinity, I beg permission to endorse the hearty welcome and cordial expression of good will accorded you by His Worship, the Mayor.

Since returning from the war the citizen soldiers of this part of Nova Scotia have sought quietly to resume their places in the curious walks of life as soldier citizens, each endeavoring to contribute his quota to the welfare of Canada, with the earnest expectation of making the victories of peace more glorious than those of war.

The Great War Veterans Association, however, wishes to assure Your Excellency that since their return to civilian life their loyalty to the King and Empire has in no way abated. The broader imperial vision obtained overseas and the manifold per-

sonal kindness received in the Old Land have strengthened the ties that bind them to the Throne. The conviction has been confirmed that in the maintenance of the integrity of the Empire lies not only Canada's hope of self-fulfillment but the surest guarantee of this Country making the largest contribution to the peace and security of the nations of the world.

The Canadian soldiers have always appreciated the keen interest of His Majesty the King and of Your Excellency as his Representative in everything pertaining to their welfare; and having returned to pursue the arts of peace they count themselves happy in having at the Head of the Empire and of the Dominion Rulers whose lives and interests are so indissolubly linked with their own.

On behalf of the Great War Veterans Association of Wolfville, N. S.

J. W. Williams, President.
P. W. Davidson, Secretary.

The address of Dr. Cutten, as the representative of the educational institution was as follows:

The Board of Governors, Faculties, and Student Bodies of Acadia University, and affiliated Institutions;

To His Excellency, Victor Christian William Cavendish, K.G., G.C.M.G., G.C.V.O., P.C., Duke of Devonshire, Governor General of Canada.

In extending to your Excellency a greeting, we regret that the disastrous fire of a few days ago prevents our welcoming you in our own Assembly Hall, but we join with the citizens of Wolfville in expressing the pleasure which your visit gives us and in assuring you of our loyalty to His Gracious Majesty, The King, whom you represent at this time.

Acadia University has had a long and useful career, the first schools being founded here in 1829 and never since that date have the doors been closed. Beginning in a small way, the University has multiplied by the needs of the people of the Maritime Provinces the educational facilities, and now the registration of the three schools exceeds one thousand. Many former students have attained eminence, among whom was the late Rt. Hon. Sir Charles Tupper, Bart. and many men and women have taken a humbler but no less useful part in the world's work.

During the late war over seven hundred graduates and former students of Acadia enlisted for active service for the Empire and our own country, sixty-three of whom were called upon to make the sacrifice which all were so ready to render. Your Excellency will be interested to know that the present students and friends of the University were not willing that these sacrifices should be forgotten, but have erected a beautiful and commodious Gymnasium building typifying their splendid physical condition, manly vigor, and undaunted courage. It is hoped that before you leave Wolfville you may be able to see this building as well as the other buildings of the University. May I assure your Excellency that among all the subjects of His Majesty in this Dominion there are none more loyal and none who have the interests of the Empire more at heart than the Faculty and Alumni of this University, and that in the development of our own splendid country we believe our graduates will have no small part.

Being the first University in Canada to establish courses in Canadian History and Canadian Literature we want also to keep the ideals of the Dominion and of the Empire ever before our students in order that these ideals may never be forgotten, and we hope that the things for which we suffered so much and our friends fought and died may be the inspiration of our lives as they are the hope of Canada.

GEORGE B. CUTTEN,
President Acadia University

To all these addresses, His Excellency made a gracious reply which was carefully listened to and frequently applauded. He regretted that his intended visit of last summer was prevented owing to official duties and expressed his sincere thanks for the hearty welcome given him. Reviewing Britain's part in the great war he said that as the Empire had been foremost in bringing the war to a successful conclusion, so it must be foremost in promoting the interests of peace. His reference to Canada's part in the war and the brave Canadians who had helped win the victory was timely. Canada, said the Governor-General, is the most fortunate land in the world, but we should not be lulled with material prosperity which alone can never make a nation.

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OLD WAYS DISDAINED.

(From the Cincinnati Times-Star.) The old fashioned spelling-bee in the church parlors or at the community "sociable," and the custom of "spelling down" toward the end of the school year, had their good uses. In the days of our daddies it was considered a disgrace not to be able to spell, not only the words in ordinary or even occasional use, but words which seldom saw the printed page. Competition under the eyes of fellow-scholars had the effect of putting mental mucilage into the memories of the spellers. Today ask almost any employer as to the spelling of his young stenographers, and he will throw up his hands in horror. He will say that they "spell with a lick and a promise," going at it phonetically and blaming the sad result upon the typewriter. In other times spelling was taught to classes which chanted the words in unison until the arrangement of the letters was impressed upon the memory. Modern teachers eschew this method as archaic, but they seem to have produced nothing better.

CANADA AGAIN AT THE FRONT

Sir George E. Foster, showed himself a tower of strength in the great assembly of the League of Nations, when he opposed a resolution offered by Gustav Ador of Switzerland setting up a permanent economic and financial commission, one of the duties of which would be to examine measures for preventing monopolies in raw materials and the means of controlling their distribution.

The resolution based on Article 23 of the Covenant, which assures all states equitable treatment. It was supported chiefly by Italy, Switzerland and other countries not rich in raw materials.

Sir George Foster of Canada as one of the strongest opponents of the resolution asserted that any attempt to exercise such control would be regarded as interference in internal affairs to which Canada would never submit. The Canadian delegates also spoke for the United States, and said that the entry of the United States could not be hoped for if any such interference were attempted.

The Assembly saw the force of the Canadian contention and the resolution was modified and amended to suit the demands of the Canadian delegates.

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THE USE OF "ESQUIRE"

(Manchester Guardian.) The title of "esquire," which is the subject of a new legal definition, is probably the most misused of all our appellations. The word is derived from the Latin scutarius (a shield bearer, and formerly designated the attendance on a knight, who ranked below the knight bachelor and whose office was recognized as a stepping to a knighthood. Later it came to be a title of honor, implying a rank between-knight and valet. Subsequently it was laid down that only those with a legal right to be called a "gentleman" could use "esquire", the definition of a "gentleman" being one who lawfully bore a coat-of-arms. In recent times the title of esquire "has been indiscriminately used, usually in a flattering sense, and the majority of letters of a solicitous nature have adopted the word in the address. The new legal definition, which is promulgated especially for the use of overseers in making up their jury lists, gives the following qualifications for the title of "esquire":—Sons of peers, the eldest sons of baronets, barristers, justices of the peace, mayors during their term of office, holders of a crown office, and attorneys in the Colonies.

GET BUSY!

(Somerville, Mass. Journal) Don't talk of what you're going to do, Don't boast until you're wholly through. Success means work—it's up to you— Get busy!

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(From the Forest Free Press.) The city papers are telling their readers about the great riches the farmers are gathering in this year. But they forgot to say that these returns have been made possible only by the toil, not only of the farmer himself, but by the toil of his wife and his boys and girls, of whom are doing farm labor. The family on a prosperous farm do more hours of hard work week days and Sundays, in three months, than the members of a well-to-do city family do in a whole year. Any prosperity that comes to the farmer and his family is always well earned. Domestic help is almost unknown on the farm, while the city families, outside the laboring classes, which are without help, are very few. If the working hours on the farm were as few as they are in the city, starvation and famine would soon be the result.

NEW CLOTH FOR HARD WEAR

A new textile fabric which, it is claimed, will tend to lower the present high cost of mens clothing, is being placed on the market by a Pudsey, Yorkshire, manufacturer, writes U. S. Trade Commissioner Henry F. Grady, from London. The London agents of the manufacturer state that the new cloth is made entirely of silk noil (or short fibres), and that, while superior in wearing properties to a pure worsted, it can be sold at the price of shoddy cloth, or one-fourth the price of the best wool fabrics. It is said to be strong and almost untearable, very suitable for hard wear; and can be obtained in grays, browns and blacks.

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COUNTED BOTH WAYS.

"An' now, ladies and gents," began the English show man, "there's this 'ere haligator. Note the length. Fifteen feet from tip o' the nose to the tip o' the tail, and 15 feet from the tip o' the tail to the tip o' the nose—30 feet in all!"

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THE FAMILY HERALD AND WEEKLY STAR

The Family Herald and Weekly Star of Montreal has announced that after December 31st, 1920, the subscription price of that great weekly will be \$2.00 per year in Canada, England, Ireland, or Scotland, and \$2.50 to the United States. The recent heavy increase in the cost of white paper make the slight advance necessary, in fact it is only a small portion of the increased cost over pre-war prices of production. All renewals and subscriptions, the publishers say, mailed before December 31st, 1920, will be accepted at the old rate of \$1.50. Even at the advanced price \$2.00 a year The Family Herald is regarded as the best value on the Continent. It is acknowledged to be absolutely without a rival, hence its enormous circulation.

There is very little waist material in a fashionable evening gown.

PARTIES IN ONTARIO.

(From the London Free Press.)
While numerically small in the Ontario Legislature, the Conservatives polled last election the largest vote of any of the groups and under proportionate representation would likely be in power today.
The Conservatives contested 101 seats and had four acclamations and polled 391,278 votes.
The Liberals contested 72 seats and polled 333,550 votes.
The U. F. O. contested 68 seats and polled 258,090 votes.
Labor contested 24 seats and polled 131,391 votes.
Independents ran in 17 seats and polled 56,256 votes.

EVIDENTLY, NOT BY THE SENSES

(From the Boston Transcript.)
An American was with gushing enthusiasm describing his new car to an English visitor. It runs so smoothly," he said, "you can't feel it. Not a bit of noise you can't hear it. Perfect ignition, you can't smell it. And speedy, why it simply whizzes, you can't see it."
"My word!" exclaimed the astonished Britisher. "How do you know the bally thing is there?"

Shaving, according to one doctor, increases neuralgia and other troubles of the face, and so tends to shorten life.

Any man can take a day off, but when it comes to putting it back—well, that's different.

WOMANS' RIGHTS.

(From the London Bystander.)
A loud-voiced lady was holding forth in a crowded train. "Yes, I maintain that a woman can take a man's place in almost any walk of life." She looked around, as if expecting an opposition to her statement. A weary Tommy, who was standing, tapped her on the shoulder. "Excuse me, mum, would you take a man's place?" Certainly," she answered. "Well," continued the Tommy, "take mine and let me sit down."

HER TRANSLATION.

From the Kansas City Star
"Say, looky here!" demanded a chin-whiskered customer in the rapid fire restaurant. "I want a good, substantial meal; no frills or fixin's, y'undersand, but suthin' that'll fill me up."
"Bale o' hay for the gent from Jimson Junction!" calmly yelled Heloise the waitress back to the kitchen.

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Yours truly,
ERNEST LEVEILLE.
216 Rue Ontario East, Montreal.
Feb. 14, 1908.

Sir George E. Foster, head of the Canadian delegation to the League of Nations Assembly, was married to Miss Jessie Allan, at Geneva, on Thursday of last week.

The Dominion Atlantic Railway Station at Paradise was destroyed by fire Saturday night. The cause of the fire is unknown.

"Say, Jim," said the friend of the taxicab driver, standing in front of the vehicle "there's a purse lying on the floor of your car."

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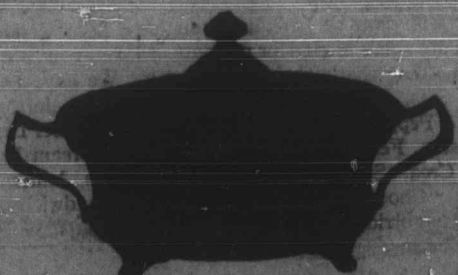
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AN INTERESTING OCCASION

The regular weekly session of Wolfville Division, S. of T., was held on Monday evening at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Maynard Freeman, two old and faithful members of the order. A most enjoyable evening was spent, both Rev. and Mrs. Freeman taking part in the exercises, the former having been the honored chaplain of the Division for a number of years, and faithful to duty so long as health permitted. Both Mr. and Mrs. Freeman evinced a deep interest in the welfare of the Division and the address given by the former was full of words of kindly advice and encouragement.

After the business of the session had been disposed of an interesting program of addresses and readings was given, refreshments were served and an enjoyable social time was had.

Those present were interested in the inspection of a pledge card in the possession of and much prized by Mrs. Freeman, signed on her behalf seventy-one years ago by her father, the late Stephen Selden, of Halifax, when she was but a year old.

While not intended as an Anniversary meeting it is interesting to know that on Tuesday this grand old society, which has done so much for Wolfville, rounded out its sixty-seven years of history, having been organized on Dec. 14th, 1853.

ACADIA NOTES

On Saturday evening the monthly meeting of the Pierian was held in the assembly hall of the Seminary. The paper on current events was read by Miss Helen Harper, and the Pierian was read by Miss Barbara McNeil.

The senior gym class was entertained on Saturday afternoon at the home of the gymnasium teacher, luncheon being served.

Mrs. Young, formerly a matron of the seminary, has recently undergone an operation in a Boston hospital.

The Christmas vesper service was held at the seminary on Sunday afternoon. The following was the program which was most excellently rendered:

Order of Service
Hymn—It came Upon the Midnight Clear.

Invocation—

Chorus—

- (a) Away in a Manger.
- (b) The First Noel.
- (c) We, Three Kings of Orient Are

Glee Club

Soprano Solo—Christmas Herald

Coombs

Mrs. Hannah Russell Gregory

Prayer—

Violin Solo—Berceuse, from Jocelyn

Godard

Miss Pauline Tourjee Nelson

Scripture Reading—

Vocal Duet—Silent Night Haydn

Miss E. Marie Underhill

Miss Winnifred Stephens

Miss Ruth E. Van der Pyl at the piano

Address—Dr. H. T. DeWolfe

Offering—

Chorus—

(a) What Child is This

(b) God Rest Ye, Merry Gentlemen

Glee Club

Hymn—O little Town of Bethlehem

Benediction—

To Subscribers

In order in some measure to meet the greatly increased costs of production The Acadian must fall in line with the course adopted by nearly all papers throughout Canada by increasing its subscription price. The price of paper is a serious one, being today more than three times that of a year or two ago with no probability of any decrease for several years.

Beginning with January 1st our subscription price will be \$2.00. Subscriptions or renewals offered to that date will be accepted at the old price of \$1.50.

The following letter was sent yesterday by the Sir Robert Borden chapter, I. O. D. E., to the Duchess of Devonshire, who holds the office of National Regent of the order:

Her Excellency the Duchess of Devonshire
Dear Madam:—I take great pleasure in extending to you a warm greeting on behalf of the "Sir Robert Borden" Chapter Imperial Order of the Daughters of the Empire.

We wish to express our sincere regret that you are not present today, with His Excellency the Duke of Devonshire, in his visit to Wolfville.

Please accept our devotion, and our appreciation of the high office you hold in the National Chapter of Canada.
Laura Haliburton Moore
Regent

MacLean's Magazine will make a splendid Christmas Gift, 24 numbers for \$3.00. Give your orders to H. P. Davidson, phone 217.

Rev. L. H. Crandall has resigned from the pastorate of the Hantsport Baptist church.

Mrs. W. C. L. Bauld entertained a number of her lady friends at "Bridge" last evening, having five tables.

**OPERA HOUSE
WOLFVILLE, N. S.**

MONDAY AND TUESDAY

ENID BENNETT

IN

"LAW OF MEN"

WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY

UNIVERSAL SPECIAL
ATTRACTION

THE GREAT AIR
ROBBERY

See Lieut. O. L. Locklear, the dare-devil of the air, in a series of amazing feats. See him in the stupendously thrilling picture, "The Great Air Robbery." A rare treat.

ALSO SERIAL

PRICES 17 and 28 CENTS

**Our Good Ship The
"Santa Claus"
Has Arrived**

Loaded with a large assortment of Xmas goods. Only 6 more shopping days—every one of which is BARGAIN DAY with us.

- 10 lbs. onions 40c.
- New Figs 40c. lb.
- Table Raisins 45c. lb.
- Best Mixed Nuts 40 lb.
- Ordinary Mixture 30 lb.
- 5 lbs. Shortening \$1.40
- 5 lbs. Pure Lard \$1.70
- 3 lbs. Mix. Candy \$1.00

- 10 lbs. R. Oats .75
- 3 qts Cranberries .45
- Cooking Molasses \$1.25 gal
- 3 lbs. Good Bulk Tea \$1.60
- 7 lb. tin Marmalade \$2.00
- 6 tins O. Dutch .50
- 3 lbs. P. Sugar .50
- 5 lbs. B. Cod \$1.00
- 10 Bars Electric Soap \$1.00

Book Your Xmas

Turkey

Goose

Chicken

At Once

We Guarantee Delivery

Choice Steer
Beef for Xmas

ALSO

Pork

Lamb

Sausage

We have over thirty kinds of Candy to choose from. Come in and see our Special Mixtures.

R. E. HARRIS & SONS

Phone 115-17 and 18.

XMAS XMAS

Now is the time to do your Christmas Cooking

New Raisins, Dates, Figs, Citron, Orange
and Lemon Peel, Spices and Flavoring

Christmas Candies, Nuts and Fruits
Icing Sugar, Almond Paste

Layer Table Raisins
Fancy Biscuits and Grapes

Xmas orders taken now for Turkeys,
Geese, Ducks and Poultry

Choice Beef, Lamb, Veal, Sausage, Pork,
Hams and Bacon

PHONE 53

FRANK W. BARTEAUX



**EAST END GROCERY
AND CHINA STORE.**

Only 6 days to do your

Xmas Shopping

get busy and do your buying while we have a complete stock to choose from.

A Few Suggestions for Xmas Cooking

Bulk Dates, Loose Muscatell Raisins, Seeded Raisins, Seedless Raisins, Currants, Figs, Citron, Orange and Lemon Peels, Cranberries, Apples, Spices of all kinds, Sherriffs extracts, Pure Lard, Crisco, XXX Oleomargarine, Choice Butter, Fresh Eggs, Icing Sugar, Thousands, Pastry Flour, Etc.

Try a pound of Wood's Boston Coffee with your next order.

Choice	Sweet	California	Choice
Grape	Juicy	Lemons	Grapes
Fruit	Oranges	45c.	45c.
2 for 25c.	50c. doz.	per doz.	per lb.

Santa Claus Supplies have arrived. Xmas Stockings, Christmas Candles, Santa Claus four sizes, Christmas Crackers, Tree Trimmings, Nuts Candy, Mints, Chocolates, Popping Corn, Pop Corn Balls, Etc.

Xmas will soon be here and you have been wondering what you are going to give for presents. Make your presents China, something that's useful and pretty. We have Dinner Sets, Tea Sets, Toilet Sets, Nut Bowls, Biscuit Jars, Bon Bons, Salt & Peppers, Milk Pitchers, Berry Sets, Butter Dishes, Cheese Dishes, Fern Dishes, Jardiniere, Whip Cream Bowls, Sugar and Cream Sets, Tobacco Jars, Ash Trays, Marmalade Jars, Vases, Chocolate Sets, Cake Plates, Sandwich Sets, Baby Mugs, Porridge Sets, Baby Plates, Childs Tea Sets, Cups and Saucers.

Glassware, Cut Glass Baskets, Vases, Water Sets, Berry Sets, Candle Sticks, Salt and Peppers with Silver Tops, Etc.

W. O. PULSIFER

PHONE 42

Advertise in "THE ACADIAN."

Items of Local Interest

Wolfville stores will be open every evening from now until Christmas.

Mrs. Haliburton Moore announces the engagement of her daughter, Helen Marie, to Mr. Philip Harold Hamon, of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, Grand Bank, Newfoundland. The marriage to take place early in January.

Messrs. Pineo & Collins have removed from the Reid property to the garage owned by Daniel Munroe, lower Main street, where they will continue to carry on Automobile repairs in connection with a new firm started, partnership having been entered into between J. Basil Collins and Roy N. Evans.

Rev. Dr. DeWolfe occupied the pulpit of the Baptist church on Sunday and preached two characteristically able sermons. Rev. Dr. MacDonald spent the day in Halifax where in his capacity as President of the Maritime Convention he assisted in the dedication of the new Tabernacle Baptist church.

At a meeting of the Quarterly Official Board of the Wolfville Methodist church on Wednesday evening, the pastor, Rev. W. H. Watts, announced his acceptance of a call to Digby at the close of his term here next June. A lengthy discussion followed, with the result that the Board unanimously voted to invite Rev. Douglas B. Hemmon, now in St. John's, Nfld., to become Mr. Watt's successor. It is understood that Rev. Mr. Hemmon, who is one of the ablest preachers in the Methodist Conference, and a Wolfville boy, has signified his acceptance of the call. The church is to be congratulated in securing such an able and popular pastor.

Through the kindness of Mr. C. H. Wright, the contractor, a representative of THE ACADIAN had the pleasure of inspecting the new Gymnasium, now nearing completion. A description of the handsome structure would require more space than is available in this issue. The building is an ornament to the town and a credit to the university. It is expected that the work will be practically complete when the schools re-open after Christmas and will be opened with appropriate ceremony. Under the adverse conditions which have prevailed, Mr. Wright has had many difficulties to overcome and that he has been able to produce such a fine structure in the time that he has speaks well for his enterprise and ability as a builder.

THE DEFICIT

At the last regular meeting of the Council, some one explained that the reason why some street lights burned all the time was that the cost of burning the light was less than the interest on the cost of wiring them to the switch. Let us make a little calculation. There are three lights burning all day, in sight of my house which would take about 1,000 feet of wire to connect to the switch at a total cost of about \$15.00. Now the lights cost one half of a cent per hour to burn, and they burn on an average per day, fourteen hours unnecessarily.

The cost per year wasted on the three lights would be about seventy five dollars. The facts speak for themselves. The interest is quite liberal and I would be pleased to effect a loan at the generous rate. Now this is a fair sample of the wasteful aliphod way they have of doing business. It is reasonable to suppose that the business in other departments is conducted on much the same lines. Another instance was the way in which the electric light bonds were sold. If they had been sold on Jan. 1st, 1920 they would have brought par instead of ninety eight.

The loss incurred thereby was about two thousand dollars. Now I think when I get through summing up the various wastes of the year there will not be much change left out of seven thousand dollars. C. M. G.

FIRE TODAY AT GREENWICH

The evaporating plant of Forsythe Bros. at Greenwich was totally destroyed by fire at about 1 o'clock this morning. The fire was discovered by the night watchman who narrowly escaped. There was about a thousand dollars worth of finished material ready to ship and other contents all of which was consumed. The loss is a heavy one.

Last Notice

I am directed to notify you that all Amounts due the Town of Wolfville must be paid at once or warrants will be issued.

MAIGH YABUND Town Clerk

Coming Events

Notices under this heading are inserted at 10 cents a line. Each repeat, 5 cent a line; minimum charge, 30 cents. Contract rates on application.

Mrs. B. O. Davidson will hold her sale of fancy work on Saturday and following days at THE ACADIAN store.

Reserve New Years Eve for Odd-fellow's Night at the Opera House. Special pictures and Vaudeville acts by members of Orpheus Lodge.

XMASSERVICES 1920.—In the Methodist church, Sunday, Dec. 19th, will be observed as Xmas Sunday. There will be appropriate messages of Music. The musical program will consist of Ladies chorus, male quartette, solo and two special anthems. Everybody welcome. Hours of Worship 11 and 7.

The Pictorial History of the Great War will make a splendid Christmas gift. Price \$3.95 at THE ACADIAN store.

The following have our thanks for calendars received: Waterbury Co. Ltd. and E. C. H. Young.

NOTICE

All those who contributed to the fund for the relief of the family of Frank Croft, whose house on Gasperau Mountain was destroyed by fire July 1919, are requested to communicate with the undersigned at once, stating amount contributed and name of collector.

R. B. BLAUVELDT Wolfville, N. S.

TENDERS

are asked for up to February 1, 1921, for the purchase of one or several blocks of choice building property. Situated on Main street and Kent avenue as shown on surveyor's plans. No tender necessarily accepted.

Stackhouse Bros.

Special Christmas Dinner SERVED AT THE Royal Hotel, Only \$1.50 Reserve Your Seats Before December 24th

"Who sows no seed, no harvest reaps"

The BEST CHRISTMAS-GIFT An Independent Future

A small monthly payment, or a lump sum paid in advance, will assure to young and old a Canadian Government Annuity of from

\$50 to \$5,000

per year for life payable monthly or quarterly. May be purchased on a single life, or on two lives jointly. Employers may purchase for their employees.

Apply to your postmaster, or write, postage free, to S. T. Beckett, Superintendent of Annuities, Ottawa, for new booklet and other information required. Mention age last birthday and sex.

Useful Christmas Gifts

The Wolfville Hardware and Stove Store

LET US SUGGEST

Pyrex, Aluminum Ware, Carving Sets

We have a Full Assortment of these in Stock

L. W. SLEEP, Wolfville

Business Locals

Skates sharpened at the Wolfville Garage.

Furnished room to let. Apply to THE ACADIAN.

Get your Christmas decorations at THE ACADIAN store.

You can get the daintiest Christmas Cards at Williams & Co.

Get the Kiddies a box of Page & Shaw's Lollipops for Xmas. At Rands.

Christmas and New Year post cards, 2 for 5 cents at the THE ACADIAN store.

We have some very pretty paper napkins for Christmas at THE ACADIAN store.

Gift Stationery and Correspondence Cards just arrived at THE ACADIAN store.

If its French Ivory you want see the best assortment in town at Williams & Co.

Everybody uses a pencil, get an Eversharp at Williams & Co., \$1.75 to \$6.00.

The famous Page & Shaw line for Xmas is now on sale at Rands'. Any size from 1 to 5 pounds.

BOOT AND SHOE REPAIRING done by F. O. Godfrey, Prospect St. Prompt attention to all orders.

Don't forget that the price of THE ACADIAN will advance to \$2.00 on Jan. 1st. Renew your subscription now and save fifty cents.

Give the boy a Pirate hockey stick for Xmas. Its the kind the big teams use and he will want one. Two sizes 50 cents and \$1.00 at Rands'.

How about making the wife a Xmas present of that Sewing Machine she has been needing so long? Some real bargains at Woodman's Furniture Store.

Have you read the advertisement of Williams & Co., it is well worth reading and it will pay you to see their magnificent display of "Gifts that last" before buying elsewhere.

Get free illustrated catalogue fruit and mixed farms offered in rich beautiful Annapolis Valley.

VALLEY REAL ESTATE AGENCY WOLFVILLE, N.S.

Useful Christmas Gifts

After all the best place to buy

is at

A. W. BLEAKNEY'S

Select from our fine stock of

Kitchen Utensils, General Hardware, Knives, Scissors, Razors, Sleds, Hockey Sticks, Flashlights, Enamel Ware, Aluminum Ware

and a thousand and one other useful articles.

A. W. BLEAKNEYS

The Santa Claus Store

CALL AT ANY TIME

A Savings Pass Book

IS THE BEST

Christmas Gift Book

ESPECIALLY FOR THE CHILDREN

Start the New Year with Savings Accounts for each one of them in

The Royal Bank of Canada

Capital and Surplus \$38,000,000. Total Resources \$600,000,000 (Over 700 Branches)



Largest stock of RECORDS in town. If the Record you want is not in stock we can get it for you in three days

Koppel's Music Store

Furniture for Christmas

Among many beautiful as well as useful household articles that make most acceptable Christmas Gifts, we have:

Piano Lamps, Serving Trays, Portable Lamps with Art Glass Shades, Wicker, Hardwood and Upholstered Chairs, Tea Wagons, Kitchen Cabinets, Porcelain Top Tables, Electric Vacuum Sweepers, Electric Irons, Toasters and Heaters.

For The Children--

Chairs, Sleds, Kiddie-Kars, Tea-party Sets, Doll Carriages, Etc.

WOODMAN & CO. FURNITURE

Phone 46-11

D. A. R. Timetable

The Train Service as it Affects Wolfville.

- No. 96 From Annapolis, arrives 8.01 a.m.
- No. 95 From Halifax, arrives 9.50 a.m.
- No. 98 From Yarmouth, arrives 3.52 p.m.
- No. 97 From Halifax, arrives 6.27 p.m.
- No. 99 From Halifax (Mon., Wed., Sat.) arrives 12.18 a.m.
- No. 100 From Yarmouth (Tue., Thurs., Sun.), arrives 4.43 a.m.

ARTIFICIAL REARING OF YOUNG OYSTERS

Discovery of American Biologist May Revolutionize Oyster Industry

A discovery of great importance to the oyster industry is reported by the New York State Conservation Commission. Mr. W. F. Wells, biologist, has succeeded in the artificial propagation of young oysters. The eggs are obtained from the oysters and fertilized in much the same way as is done with the spawn of fish in hatcheries, and the young oysters, which are free-swimming during the earliest stage of their life history, are reared in tanks until they "set", that is, attach themselves to shells and other objects. As the great difficulty of oystermen during recent years has been to secure a good set of oysters by natural means, the importance of Mr. Wells' discovery may be readily appreciated.

Young oysters, before "setting," are very minute, and it has hitherto been found impossible to change the water in the rearing tanks without losing them. This has now been overcome by a centrifugal machine which concentrates millions of the tiny creatures from a large volume of water into a small bowl. They can then be transferred to a tank in which the water has been renewed. Though very delicate animals, their shells enable them to undergo this process without harm. About one month after hatching, the young oysters attach themselves and their free swimming existence is over.

These experiments are important from a scientific, as well as from a commercial, viewpoint, as they provide material for the study of the life history of shell-fish, which has in the past been very incomplete.

Our favorite musical instruments, Roger are the horn of plenty and the trumpet of fame.

It is said that the best way to make a new coat last is to make the trousers and waistcoat first.

WHAT WENT UP IN ONE FIRE

Under this caption the Canadian Forestry Magazine for August-September tells a graphic story, which it is stated was embodied in remarks made by a well-known lumberman of the Ottawa valley. He said: "Some years ago a settler who was allowed to locate on the edge of our pine limits in Eastern Ontario started a fire in his land in order to clear space for a potato patch. That single fire burned from Mattawa westward towards North Bay and consumed more pine forests than would keep our big mill running for 56 years."

The Forestry Magazine comments further, by saying: "The speaker was one who considers all public statements carefully and his knowledge of that fire was first hand." Continuing, the editor sums up such occurrences in the following pointed paragraphs:

"A potato patch versus 56 years' supply of pine."

"Or a neglected camp fire versus a pulp and paper mill."

"Or a tossed-away cigarette versus a million railroad ties."

"Or a locomotive smokestack versus a struggling half-insured village."

THE USES OF ADVERTISING

Sir Woodman Burbidge, in a message to the organizing committee of the International Advertising Exhibition, to be held at the White City at the end of November, says: "The more one studies the potentialities of advertising, the more one investigates its often remarkable results, the more one is led to the conclusion that among all modern forces for business development it stands first and foremost. And my belief is that even now, advertising is but on the threshold of its possibilities."

"I say, dad, what keeps us from falling off the earth when we are upside down?" asked the young democrat.

"Why, the law of gravity, of course."

"But how did folks stay on before that law was passed?"

A Kidney Remedy

Kidney troubles are frequently caused by badly digested food which overtaxes these organs to eliminate the irritant acids formed. Help your stomach to properly digest the food by taking 15 to 30 drops of Extract of Roots, sold as Mother Seigel's Curative Syrup, and your kidney disorder will promptly disappear. Get the genuine.

WILSON'S VINDICATION

(From the Brooklyn Eagle.)

President Wilson has only to read the daily papers to find his vindication. There is hardly a phase of the European turmoil that does not show that in rejecting his view of the kind of peace that should follow the war the nations, including our own, have brought their present woes upon themselves. When he leaves office he will not have to wait long before he finds himself vindicated at home. President-elect Harding's popularity has yet to meet the test of action. The moment he begins to make decisions and to act he must inevitably lose some of his support. The President henceforth has everything to gain and nothing to lose in the way of popularity and fame.

CASHING PENSIONS

Ottawa, Ont.—The monthly pension bill for soldiers is being reduced about \$400,000 a month on account of returned men with disabilities of from 5 to 14 per cent. commuting their pensions and cashing in instead of drawing a small monthly allowance. A total of 20,000 are taking advantage of this privilege and 8,500 have done so already, and been paid an average of \$430. The total amount paid is \$3,650,000, and when all the commuted it will be \$9,000,000.

A man's enemies do not need to kick him when he is down; they can stand aside and let his friends do it.

NO HALF WAYS FOR HIM

(From the Boston Transcript.)

Mrs. Jones had arranged to meet her husband at a certain store. After standing about for some time she grew impatient, and, thinking that he might have forgotten to meet her, she called him up at his place of business. Supposing that Central had given her the right number, she exclaimed:—"Hello, Frank! Is that you? I'm nearly dead."

"Well, madam," came the reply, "I guess you have the wrong man, I'm an undertaker, and I want them entirely dead."

Registrar—"How old are you, madam?"

Voter—"I have seen nineteen summers."

Registrar—"And how long have you been blind?"

Utica Observer.

Nearly half the shell-torn land in the Somme area is already being cultivated.

A BATCH OF HOWLERS

James I. died from argus. An eyrie is a needle's nest. Esau was the author of a book of fables.

A Jacobite was a man descended from Jacob.

The press today is the mouth organ of the people.

The Semitic races were half-breeds, from wemi, half.

The Sanhedrin was composed of seventy men of reclining years.

Hannibal was a man who ate human beings, especially Romans.

February the fourth is regarded as the earliest possible date for the opening of parliament but the eleventh is more likely.

The first fruits of romance are the wedding date and the bridal pair.



and the sealed air-tight carton keeps it "Good".

Red Rose Tea comes to you with all its original rich strength and rare flavor fully retained.

Red Rose Coffee is as generously good as Red Rose Tea

As a very short time remains for Christmas Shopping, a visit to this store will suggest hundreds of useful and pretty gifts, at this season.

- Ladies' new Silk and Crepe Waists, all shades from \$4.50 to \$15.00
- Ladies Silk and Lace Camisoles 50c. to \$4.00
- Silk, Suede and Kid Gloves, Boxed 75c. to \$4.50
- Silk and All-Wool Mufflers, for Men or Ladies, in newest stripe and Plain Shades.
- Handkerchiefs to suit everybody, singly or in boxes, one to six in box.
- Fancy Xmas Boxes, Ribbons, Seals and Tags.

Holeproof silk Hosiery, all shades and sizes.

Fancy Heather Hose Ladies Slippers, Rubbers and Gaiters.

Ladies Sweaters, in pull-over and coat styles.

Ladies Skirts, Dresses, and Underwear.

LADIES WINTER COATS 15% discount

Men's Ties, boxed at 75c. to \$2.00.

Men's and Boys' Lined and Unlined Gloves, Mitts and Gauntlets.

Shirts from \$2.00 to \$5.00

Men's Underwear separate pieces or Combinations, Fleece lined at \$1.25 to All-wool Stanfields.

SUITS AND OVER-COATS 20% discount

Men's and Boys' Boots, Slippers, Rubbers and Lumberman's Rubbers.

Slater and Amherst Boots and Shoes

Men's and Boys' Sweaters in pull-over and coat styles.

All-wool Norfolk Sweaters at \$13.50, Full-over Jerseys \$4.50.

Balance of Ladies' Millinery until sold 20% discount

This Christmas Try Moir's Cooking

Moir's fruit cakes and plum pudding have been made from a rare old English recipe under Mr. James Swan for 30 years. Last year he made over three tons of plum pudding, yet every late order had to be turned away. And that's just a hint of how good they are!

You can still get Moir's plum pudding or fruit cake in 2 to 8 lb. sizes if you order now through your grocer, or write us direct. State size, whether you want your fruit cake plain, frosted, almond pasted and frosted; almond pasted, frosted and decorated; or frosted and decorated.

Just think, Moir's fruit cakes have been melting for months and they will beiced the day before delivery so they arrive in perfect condition.

Moir's Limited Halifax, N. S.



The GROTTO will be open again this year with a larger and better assortment than ever of Toys, Dolls, Books, Etc. You will be sure to find something here for the children.

C. H. PORTER, Departmental Dry Goods Store.

A Series of Talks on Music

By Prof. C. C. Laugher, Mus. Bac., Sarnia.

VIII.—EARLY TRAINING IN MUSIC

All teachers are aware of the need for the best possible drill in life. The idea one so often hears expressed is: since my child is only beginning her studies, any teacher will do.

If such a man is to build a house, shall we hear him say: since I am only laying a foundation, any kind of trashy material will do, but when I get the roof I will engage the finest roof makers in the world.

Then we agree that just as the husbandman carefully prepares the ground before he puts the seed so does the teacher, for the teacher will confine himself to one at a time.

A true teacher will think more of his pupils' musical development than of the class he is likely to obtain; it is certainly up to the teacher to make it interesting not amusing.

The child who is destined for a musical career should receive as much musical instruction in early life as is compatible with the child's health and receptivity.

Children learn far more rapidly than adults, the child's power of absorption in music study between the ages of eight and twelve is simply enormous, between twelve and twenty it is less and still less between twenty and thirty and lamentably small between thirty and forty.

There are yet exceptional cases of astonishing development late in life to the enormous ambition and industry.

Someone separates a child's musical education thus: 20 per cent. teacher, 60 per cent. mother, mother, and 20 per cent. just plain child, from this it appears that mother controls the majority, if the mother exerts her majority, lucky will be the child.

It is plainly observed that to obtain dexterity of the hands and the mechanical side of the instrumental performance, one should start young and should certainly make the study of technique the most important.

Technic is like money in the bank, a good thing to draw on when you need it but it is unlike money in the bank in this respect, that you cannot exhaust it by drawing upon it freely and frequently.

During the period of practice the major and minor forms will be dealt with and it does seem strange that one should feel that the major and minor are opposite for they both present the same face, now more joyous, now more serious and a mere touch of the pen suffices to turn the one into the other.

An examiner once said to a candidate

you play very nicely, but why did you omit the two measures in the second line, also the middle section of the second page? Oh, said she, Pa cannot bear the minor parts and I always leave out those bits in order not to distress him when he is tired.

It is needless to add that this is wrong for the major and minor must be heard in contrast. Major and minor—contentment and discontent—joy and sorrow—light and shade. These things make variety in music and by them you may remember some one piece that stands out from all others.

Often some incident which happened in your young student's life will have a lasting influence on you.

I remember reading of a little boy who's first attempt at instrumental music was with the bass drum, for when as a boy Haydn was studying in Hamburg, it happened that his boy friends were invited to church in a grand procession, but the drummer was missing; one boy suggested Haydn, so he was lined up and we can assume that he acquitted himself finely.

In after years he often recalled that he never recalled a prouder moment than when scantily clad and half starved, he marched proudly among his boyish friends beating the bass drum.

Acquiring musical knowledge should be a pleasure, because it comes naturally and should help to cultivate and improve our affections.

MUST LOWER PRICES

(From the New York Journal of Commerce and Commercial Bulletin)

Whether or not the plans discussed recently by garment manufacturers for invasion of the retail market by the use of their own salesmen will be put into actual practice depends perhaps a good deal on the action of retailers in reducing their prices. Such procedure would be, of course a radical departure and would be justifiable, it would seem, only in quite unusual circumstances. The whole scheme is admittedly devised for the sole purpose of forcing retailers to lower prices. This the retail merchant will be forced to do in the near future in any case. But there can be no doubt that in the meantime his tardiness is seriously holding up the process of adjustments.

Minard's Liniment for Colds, Etc.

Dr. DeVan's French Pills
A reliable Regulating Pill for Women. \$5 a box. Sold at all Drug Stores, or mailed to any address on receipt of price. The Sebell Drug Co., St. Catharines, Ontario.

PHOSPHONOL FOR MEN
Restores Vim and Vitality; for Nerve and Brain; increases "gray matter"; a Tonic—will build you up. \$3 a box, or two for \$5, at drug stores, or by mail on receipt of price. The Sebell Drug Co., St. Catharines, Ontario.

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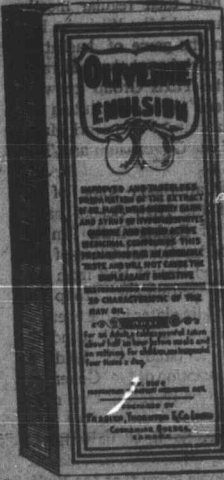
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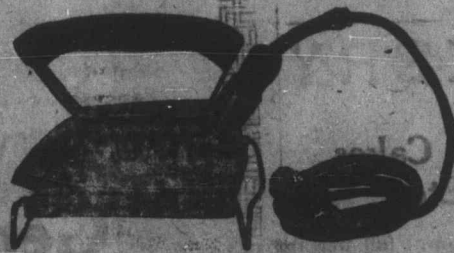
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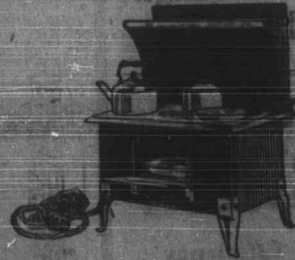


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Personal Paragraphs

Mr. E. C. H. Young spent Sunday in Halifax.

Mrs. W. B. Eaton left on Saturday last to spend a few weeks with friends in Halifax.

Miss Margaret Chase, of Church street, was in Halifax this week attending the Keer-Nye nuptials.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bauld and little daughter went to Halifax on Tuesday morning for a few days stay.

Miss Helen Eitch returned home last week from Amherst where she was the guest of Mrs. Wythe Manning.

Mrs. Henry Ruffee and little child left Wednesday for Halifax where they sailed yesterday for England on the White Star liner "Meganitic."

Mr. Edgar Archibald, Superintendent of Dominion Experimental Farms, passed through Wolfville on Monday on a visit to the Experimental Station at Kentville.

Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Davidson were over-Sunday visitors in Halifax, where the former was in attendance at the meeting of the Provincial Secretaries of the G. W. V. A.

Mr. Vaughan Henshaw has been compelled as a result of his wounds received overseas, to enter Westwood Hospital for treatment. He may have to undergo another operation.

Mr. E. C. Griffin, of Port Williams, recently returned from St. John's, Newfoundland, where he was the judge at the Newfoundland Poultry Association's Eighth Annual Show.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Bishop left on Tuesday morning for Florida where they will spend the winter. En route they will visit Boston, New York and Washington. Their many Wolfville friends will wish them a pleasant and prosperous trip.

A meeting of the Ken-Wo Country Club was held Wednesday evening in the Town Hall, a good attendance of the Share Holders being present. Owing to the unavoidable absence of the President, Mr. Graham, the Vice-President, W. C. B. Harris took the chair. Mr. J. Howe Cox was appointed Secretary pro tem. Capt. Holland reported in reference to the work done so far for this season. The report of the Treasurer was also given. These reports were read and adopted.

Mr. Bos... some general information as to the work and what would be necessary to complete the work as far as to be able to use the ground early the coming season. After a general discussion a resolution was passed that the matter be left with the executive committee. A resolution was moved by W. H. Chase and seconded by J. Howe Cox to the effect that the club was heartily in sympathy with the movement of the Boards of Trade of Wolfville and Kentville towards a more permanent road between these towns.

NEWS OF THE BOY SCOUTS.

These are busy times at the Boy Scout Building. Last Friday evening the program was as follows: from 6.45 to 7.15 all the juniors took part in group games under the direction of Mr. Marshall of the College, from 7.15 to 8.00 the opening game of the basketball league was played between the "Foxes" and the "Lions" the former winning by a considerable margin. Mr. Karl Mason refereed. While this game was going on the "Beaver" patrol played billiards in the Tuxis room for the championship, Tom Beattie leading for the evening.

Mr. Stairs gave instruction in the Pathfinder badge to an interested group from the "Wolf", "Cuckoo" and "Tiger" patrols while the remainder received instruction in the Morse badge and First Aid. At 8.15 o'clock the Rev. Mr. Dixon gave an excellent talk on the second Scout Law, "Patriotism."

At 8.30 the Boy Scouts dismissed and the Tuxis Scouts occupied their own room and the gymnasium. Many of the Freshmen are Tuxis Boys and are able to make use of the building.

The people of the town may be interested to hear that only Boy Scouts, Tuxis Scouts and Girl Guides are allowed to use this building. To be a Scout a boy must be between the ages of 10 and 15 and have regularly taken his promise as a Boy Scout. To be a Tuxis Scout he must be over 15 years of age, have been regularly initiated as a Tuxis Boy and be a member in good standing, of an organized Sunday School Group.

On Saturday afternoon the Wolfville Girl Guides held their regular meeting, Miss Schurman and Miss Wickwire being in charge. In the game of basket ball the senior patrol defeated the juniors. In the evening the Tuxis Group known as the "Pathfinders", who constitute a Sunday School Class under Mr. Karl Mason, had the use of the Gymnasium and Tuxis Room.

On Monday afternoon some of the Tuxis Boys of the High School had a practice game of Basket Ball. In the evening the Sunday School Class of Mr. Goodwin practised Basket Ball from 6.30 to 7.30 and the "Pathfinder" group had the use of the building later in the evening.

Tuesday afternoon a special parade of Scouts with bugle band was held to practice for the reception of the Governor-General. It is to be regretted that more of the boys have not uniforms for such occasions. Perhaps Santa Claus will take the hint. By the way it may not be out of place to let people know that the Wolfville Tuxis Scouts will shortly put on an entertainment that bids fair to surpass anything yet seen or heard in this part of the country. The principals have been hard at work for some time.

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VICE REGAL VISITOR

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great. The whole address was couched in graceful terms and most interesting.

At the close he asked that the children in the schools be given a holiday in order that they might remember his visit.

The singing of the national anthem ended the exercises after which at the request of His Excellency all those present had an opportunity of meeting him personally and shaking hands.

Outside the church the students gave the college yell in hearty fashion and crowds of people assembled to say goodbye to the distinguished visitor. The party was driven through the College grounds to the railroad station where they entrained, while the band played "O Canada," and vigorous cheers were given as the train pulled out.

AN OFFICIAL VISIT

On Monday evening Mr. N. W. Eaton, G. W. P. of the Sons of Temperance, paid an official visit to Cornwallis Division, at Lower Canada. There was a goodly number of members present and an enjoyable time was had. The Grand Worthy Patriarch made a telling and inspiring address which was listened to with keen interest. Two members were initiated and the Division is apparently starting out on what promises to be a successful winter's work. Cornwallis Division has been a valuable force in temperance work in the past and the members believe they have still much to accomplish.



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The annual dinner of the Kings County Agricultural Society was held at the Royal Hotel on Monday evening, when some sixty-five persons sat down to the excellent repast served by mine host Sanford. After ample justice had been done to the dinner speeches were given by the following: Prof. Blair, of the Experimental Station, Kentville; A. E. Mahan; Dr. Cutten; Miss Annie Stuart; Mrs. A. H. Patterson; Rev. G. W. Milner; Rev. Geo. Whitman.



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"The Possibilities of Wolfville"

Paper Read by E. Percy Brown Before the Civic Club, Dec. 9, 1920.

If one were to climb the hill behind the College buildings on the afternoon of a clear autumn day and, resting on the brow of the hill, look northward over the buildings of the College, Seminary and Academy with the residences of the professors to the East and West and the roofs of the town buildings just visible on the edge of the dyke land, beyond which the sparkling waters of Minas Basin stretch to the deep purple bluffs of Blomidon and to the paler outlines of the Cumberland shore, he might be pardoned were he to weave a dream of the possibilities of this fair land.

However the purpose of this short paper is to present not dreams but facts and to set forth possibilities that, even if they seem too optimistic at present may yet be realized provided that we have the vision of this future before us and work consistently in that direction.

In treating of this development, I may hurt someone's feelings but I will ask them to please remember that whatever I may have to suggest is entirely impersonal.

It is my opinion that the future of the town is inseparably bound up in the future of the College.

I have heard it said that Wolfville existed before it had a College and could do so again. Perhaps it could; but who would wish to go back to that state of existence? The interests of the College and Town for mutual benefit are identical, what benefits the one must benefit the other and vice-versa. The College has always shown its willingness to do its part towards co-operation and what I will venture to call the better class of Wolfville citizens will do the same.

To my mind we cannot consider any development of Wolfville apart from the development of the College and in the following notes I have taken for granted that this spirit of co-operation exists between the two. One or two events that have happened lately must have impressed this upon many of our citizens.

I refer, firstly, to Armistice Day, when the College Band, formed in large part of our own young men, led a procession composed of Wolfville's future citizens and some of those men who, through the trying years of the war, so ably defended our homes against the ravages of the would-be invader; when a College Professor presided over a gathering of the citizens of the town, and another College Professor gave an address that long will be remembered by those present.

Secondly, I refer to Miss Vaughan's lecture in College Hall, when the College and Town were so prominently represented. It is to be noted that on this occasion

the College and Seminary students for the most part occupied the galleries, while the main portion of the hall was reserved for citizens of Wolfville, and a lady member of our Town Council ably presided. Remember, this was College Hall (and may the new College Hall witness many such scenes). Is this not a spirit to be fostered? Anyone who looked over the audience, and heard the remarks of the Chairman, the singing of the Students and the music of the band and orchestra must have been blind indeed if they did not see great possibilities both to Wolfville and to the College as the significance of such a gathering.

In my opinion the future of Wolfville consists in realizing its possibilities as an ideal residential town.

It may do some manufacturing and as a centre of an important agricultural district, do considerable shipping, but I believe there will never be enough of either to put Wolfville "on the map." Remembering therefore that our ideal should be to make out town an ideal residential one, I will endeavor to treat the subject of its possibilities under four heads as follows:

- 1.—Intellectually
- 2.—Physically
- 3.—Devotionally
- 4.—Socially

1. Intellectually. We have in our town a combined Common or Grammar School and a High School, which though crowded beyond its capacity, is doing good work. This year in particular I believe that the staff is better than for some years past. However here is a situation that must be met. What are the possibilities? Let us remember that the function of the Common School (grades 1 to 8), is to provide an education fitting the boy or girl for every day life while that of the High School is primarily to enable the student to enter College. Less than ten per cent of the total number of children who enter school pass into the High School.

At present we are giving this small percentage the most attention the best rooms and equipment and the highest paid teachers. As one of the best authorities on school matters in our County said to me, "We are fertilizing the branches rather than the roots of the tree." It surely seems hardly fair to tax the people as a whole for the education of this minority. Let us make our Common School an ideal one, with special attention to the lower grades and a principal who will have time to supervise not only the work of the school but the play of the boys and a lady vice-principal who in addition to teaching, will supervise the play of the girls.

Let the Town enter into an agreement with the College authorities so that the work of grades 9, 10 and 11 may be carried on at the Academy and Seminary.

Many of those to whom I have mentioned this, have objected, saying that these institutions would not meet the provincial requirements; however, I am quite sure that this matter can readily be arranged to the mutual benefit of the Town and College.

Considering the education of those of more mature years, we have the great advantage of an institution in our midst where our young men and women may prepare for professional life without leaving home and where all those who wish may attend educational lectures and thus keep themselves up-to-date, in any subject, whether it be music, art or poetry.

2. Physically. The importance of this side of civic life may be doubted by some, but let me assure you that it is now recognized that the whole moral tone of a community may be developed by properly organized and supervised games.

Let us look back at the ancient Greeks and their Olympic Games, known for ages to have had so marked an effect on the moral life of the nation. The contestants in the games, if I may explain, were continually in training and were obliged to lead moral lives, and, as great numbers took part, the salutary effect of them was widely felt.

With medical inspection and the constant attention of a nurse, with play for both boys and girls in our schools carefully supervised, we will start our children well on the road of life. Apart from school hours such organizations as the Girl Guides, Boy Scouts and Tuxis Scouts should provide a healthful outlet for youthful activities and place ideals of clean sport and its attendant virtues before our growing girls and boys.

School sports such as were held in Wolfville and Canning at the time of the School Exhibition last year will be very valuable, due to the fact that all take part and a healthy rivalry and a desire to win for the sake of winning rather than for the sake of a prize is encouraged. These sports will be made still more interesting when we take the winners from each school and have a grand field day between all the schools in the County.

The value of training the boys in team games may be shown in a small way in our town when we consider the showing that our boys have made during the past two years in the back line of the Acadia's football team and in hockey. From this it will appear that perhaps the systematic playing of these team games as carried out as part of the Scout work under the competent direction of the best Athletes of the College may be producing its effect. At this point it may not be out of place to note one or two of the benefits our Town is deriving from co-operation with the College. At the present time a committee of 25 College men is taking hold of the Scout work on Friday evenings. This com-

mittee consists of a chairman, who is responsible for the attendance of the members and 8 groups of 3 each, who in conjunction with myself carry out a definite program each week.

This is but the commencement of a scheme which should be mutually beneficial and will be enlarged upon each year. Another benefit of this co-operation of the College and Town was noticed last year in connection with the formation of the Wolfville Amateur Athletic Association. In my opinion, the success of the Association will depend upon its ability to act in an official capacity for the Town in all negotiations for the use of the Campus, and no indiscriminate use of the Campus should be allowed by any townspeople.

The improvement in the character of the sport carried out in Wolfville last year due to the activities of this Association was very marked when compared with the preceding year.

What has been said of the Campus may also be said of the Rink and perhaps some day of the Memorial Gymnasium as the Wolfville Amateur Athletic Association proves itself capable of acting for the Town in a manner acceptable to the College authorities.

3. Devotionally. Perhaps it is too much to hope for in our generation but I feel certain that the day will come when we will have one Union Church in our Town. One able Minister with one or more active assistants, well paid and carefully selected will attend to the spiritual needs of the community. We will then avoid all this wasteful overlapping and other drawbacks that must face anyone who thoughtfully considers our present system.

However, to me a Union Sunday School is even more desirable than a Union church. What a great institution such could be. I realize that in our town the Baptists are almost able to carry this out but there

are just enough of other denominations to spoil its completeness. The natural groups of boys, those chaps who are together all week, must be broken up on Sunday. This seems unreasonable to the boy (as of course it really is) and herewith he registers his first objection to Sunday School.

With one Sunday School we will be able to organize each natural group of boys as a unit and during the week carry on team games and other activities between these groups thus founding an esprit-de corps that can never be attained otherwise.

In this way, and in this way only, can we carry the work of the Sunday School into the week and make religion not merely a Sunday affair, as it now too often is, but one for every day use.

4. Socially. In what is usually known as the Social side, Wolfville is today in many ways admirable. The people are friendly and sociable with an absence of those petty class distinctions that are found in so many of our small residential towns. However in dealing with this portion of my subject I wish to go farther than this phase of the matter. Many questions that will be considered by people coming here to reside may be discussed under this heading.

Lighting is one that may be said to be in a fair way to a very satisfactory solution. The present season has been an unusually dry one, but with increased storage facilities it is probable that the present company will be able to meet even such a situation.

The use of electrical power is but in its infancy. All of us using it for light, some for such purposes as irons, toasters, vacuum-cleaners, washing machines and other power while a few are using it for actually heating their rooms. It is a fortunate thing that during the season

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NORTH GRAND PRE NOTES

Miss Mary Eagles, who is taking a course in music at Acadia Seminary, spent last week-end at her home.

A number of young people from here attended the Methodist Supper in Hortonville last week. The Misses Mary and Georgie Sanford, Jennie and Muriel Palmer, Hilda Eagles and Blanche Palmeter assisting as waitresses.

Miss Evelyn Palmeter spent last week-end at her home.

Mr. Maurice Dimock has been spending a few days with his wife in Halifax this week.

That the United States is consuming its timber products four times as fast as they are produced; that more than \$20,000,000 worth of standing timber is allowed to burn annually; and that there are 81,000,000 acres of cut-over idle land in the country more suitable for forests than for any other purpose, were points made in a resolution urging Congress to make an appropriation of \$1,000,000 for the prevention of forest fires passed by the Massachusetts Forestry Association at its annual meeting. The resolution also advocated the general upbuilding of the national forests and opposed the exploitation of the national parks.

THE POSSIBILITIES OF WOLFVILLE

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in which we need the greatest amount of light and heat, we also have the greatest supply of water with which to generate our electric power.

No doubt many of you when passing among the many water courses of our country have been struck with the immense waste of energy that is continually going on. We have been using up valuable reserves of coal and timber while allowing this waste of power to continue.

The harnessing of the Gaspereau River so close at hand means more to Wolfville than many of us realize.

As I have stated above the use of electrical power is yet in its infancy. As time goes on and a reasonable rate is established for those who use the power in excess of a certain quantity we will doubtless see its use greatly increased. One of the greatest problems confronting the average family today (and more especially the large family) is the lack of domestic help.

The wider use of electricity in our homes will do much to solve this problem and there are other ways in which this is being met in some of the more up-to-date residential towns of the United States.

I refer to the Community Kitchen, where meals are cooked and sent out to the members at a cost just sufficient to cover expenses. The Community Cafeteria or Restaurant and the Community Laundry are also run on a co-operative basis.

These may seem wild dreams at present; but there is no reason why things that are done in other places should not be carried out in Wolfville, particularly as the town increases in size due to the growth of the College and the appreciation by the people of the City of its desirability as a place

of residence.

We hope that the problem of the Water Supply will be solved by the sinking of the Artesian wells and that we will have abundant supply of pure water from this source to augment our present supply.

I think that most of us believe that it is only a question of time before a Trunk Road will be constructed from Halifax to Yarmouth via the Annapolis Valley, and when I say a "Trunk Road" I mean a properly constructed paved road and not a road that must be remade every year by dumping in loads of gravel to be thrown out or torn into holes by the rapidly moving and heavy cars.

When our people wake up and decide to take the road question out of the hands of the grafters and politicians this will be done.

Wolfville, as undoubtedly the best residential town on this road will benefit greatly thereby and even the historical associations of our neighbourhood alone will cause the tourist to linger awhile, and perhaps settle for life in our midst.

We are justly proud of our streets (with the exception of the upper portion of Highland Ave.) and now that the town has an abundant supply of electrical power it is surely good policy to light them in an adequate manner so that they may be appreciated by night as by day. You will remember the appearance of Main St. during one of the Victory Loan Campaigns when strings of lights made the thoroughfare a veritable "white way."

When something of the same kind is done as a part of our program for town improvement it will contribute largely to making Wolfville what it was meant by nature to be, "The ideal residential town of Nova Scotia."

GASPERAEU NOTES

At the Annual Meeting of the Gaspereau Agricultural Society the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Pres., W. S. Eagles; Secy.-Treas., P. J. Gertridge; Directors, F. B. Westcott, E. S. Coldwell, C. M. Coldwell, B. A. Davidson, F. L. Gertridge.

A very enjoyable evening was spent in the hall on Friday of last week playing "Progressive Crokinole."

The School Christmas-tree and entertainment will be held on Tuesday, Dec. 21st. We hope the weather will be favorable.

The linemen are connecting the Black River Mutual Telephone Co. to the main lines this week. This will be a great boon to people of Black River and community.

The farmers are taking advantage of the favorable weather by getting a considerable amount of fall plowing done.

GRAND-PRE AND HORTONVILLE

The Women's Institute is looking forward to a busy winter. The officers for the present year are:

Pres.—Mrs. A. H. Patterson
Vice-Pres.—Miss A. M. Stuart
Secy.—Mrs. F. C. Dennison
Directors.—Mrs. G. P. Fuller, Mrs. S. A. Bower and Miss U. N. Magee.
Auditors.—Mrs. L. L. Bishop, Mrs. W. A. Woodman

Publicity Secy.—Mrs. G. W. Whitman
It has been decided to collect at each monthly meeting for the Children's Hospital and Infant's Home. Miss Patterson and Miss Magee have been appointed to collect for the destitute in Europe.

The Community Committee who will provide weekly entertainment during the winter are as follows: Mrs. G. W. Whitman, Mrs. A. H. Patterson, Mrs. A. Johnson, Miss A. M. Stuart and Miss Laura Trenholm. They hope to have moving pictures of an Educational and Instructive Nature as a part in the entertainments and are looking forward to a Community Play later in the season; also plans are being made for Basket Ball, etc., for the pleasure of the young people.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Eaton, are spending the winter months in Halifax.

Miss Pearl Sawler, primary teacher, will spend her Christmas vacation in Boston, Mass.

Word has been received that Grand Pre will be honored by a visit from the Gov.-Gen. the Duke of Devonshire on Thursday Dec. 16th.

Miss Doris B. Eaton is visiting her sister Mrs. C. L. Grant, New Glasgow, N. S.

Mrs. E. MacLachy and Miss P. C. MacLachy left last week for Halifax, where they will spend the winter.

The Hattie Jost Mission Circle met at the home of Miss Jean Curry on Dec. 6th and were pleasantly entertained.

The Ladies Aid held a Sale and Supper on Dec. 8th which was a big success, about \$200. being realized. A pleasant evening was spent by all who attended.

Mrs. Jackson, of Berwick is visiting her sister Mrs. L. L. Bishop, Grand Pre.

The Grand Pre School pupils are donating a silver collection to be divided between the Children's Hospital and Infant's Home for Christmas. The pupils are earning the money themselves and are taking a great interest in the work.

The Institute has been instrumental in obtaining two German Machine Guns for Hortonville, which will likely arrive shortly.

The Brockville Times and Recorder says to watch your change in ordering a ton of coal. No need to; there isn't any.



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Christmas Shoppers

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- Christmas and New Year Postcards - 2 for 5c.
- Tags, Seals, Stamps - 5c a package
- Gummed Labels for Xmas parcels - 5c a package
- Ribbonzene and Tinsel Cord for tying Xmas parcels 15c a spool
- Christmas Tree Decorations (tinsel) - 10c each
- Santa Claus Snow - 15c a package
- Christmas Bells - 5c, 10c, 15c
- Christmas Garlands (paper) - 5c, 10c
- Tinsel Decorations - 10c. a yard
- Parchment Stationary - 75 cents a box
- Linen Finish Stationary - 5 cents a box

THE ACADIAN Store

SKIRTS TO STAY SHORT—FOR SPRING ANYHOW

The semi-annual meeting of the National Cloak, Suit and Skirt Manufacturers' Association in the city of Cleveland recently was attended by more than 300 delegates, who discussed the new fashions for spring, as displayed by living models. No very radical changes are shown from the lines of fall and winter garments. Skirts continue short and straight. The slender silhouette predominates, and the youthful spirit was expressed in many garments shown. Individuality is the keynote of early spring apparel. A wide choice in suits was displayed in straight, boxy jackets and closer fitting suit coats, with ripples at the sides and flat hanging panels front and back. Eton and bolero models give new effects with scallops, uneven hems and coat edges. Tailored suits, with and without belts, are cut severely slender. Skirts are short, with a suggestion of more fullness; in some cases with panels, tunics, hem trimming and pleatings.

NOBEL PRIZES

CHRISTIANA, Dec. 11—The distribution of the Nobel prizes was made here yesterday afternoon. The principal awards, the peace prize for 1919 and 1920, were given respectively to Leon Bourgeois, of France and Woodrow Wilson, President of the United States. The documents presenting the peace prizes to President Wilson and also the Nobel medal were received by A. G. Scheidemann, the United States Minister to Norway, who read a message of thanks from President Wilson.

LESSONS IN RAILROADING.

(From the Overland Digest)
Picking her way faintly through the locomotive plant, a young woman visitor viewed the huge operations with awe. Finally she turned to a young man who was showing her through, and asked: "What is that big thing over there?" "That is a locomotive boiler," he replied. She puckered her brows. "And what do they boil locomotives for?" "To make the locomotive tender," and the young man from the office never smiled.

While making her way towards the entrance to Halifax Harbor last Friday morning the Norwegian steamer, Romdalsfjord, struck on Broad Shoal, Sambro Ledges. Six hours later she was abandoned by her officers and crew who landed safely near Ketch Harbor, and eight hours after she struck the ship became a total loss, she having broken in two.

Several large sections of Cork, Ireland, were devastated by fire on Saturday night and Sunday. The damage is estimated at between 2,000,000 and 3,000,000 pounds sterling.

HARDENING CONCRETE

Experiments by the United States Bureau of Standards to develop a method of accelerating the hardening of concrete, especially when it is to be used in wet or damp situations, have shown that 4 per cent. of calcium chloride added to the mixing water increases the strength of concrete at the age of one day 100 per cent. or more. In some cases in two days the strength equalled 75 per cent. or more of that normally attained in one month.

ROADS WITHOUT RUTS

"Please do not drive in ruts." Signs carrying this message are posted along many of Michigan gravel roads and are aiding in keeping them in good condition. Motorists heed the injunction and as a result the roads retain an even surface. Ruts made by one car are ironed out by the next, thus both roads and tires are saved.

A BEADLE'S COMPLIMENT.

(From the Glasgow Herald.)
The minister had just been married, and on his return from the honeymoon he introduced the bride to his beadle. Some days afterwards, when he met that worthy, the minister inquired what impression the new lady of the manse had made on him. "She's as the Lord made her," came the unexpected reply; "but sir, she's no His masterpeice."

Mr. Austen Chamberlain's announcement that no programme of capital ship construction for the Navy will be presented to Parliament until the whole question of naval strength as affected by the latest development in naval warfare has been exhaustively investigated by the Committee on Imperial Defence and the results of such investigation have been considered, will be a relief to the overburdened British taxpayer. The expenditure on the Navy is still abnormally high, but the pledge of the Chancellor of the Exchequer seems to settle that further increases are not to be considered.

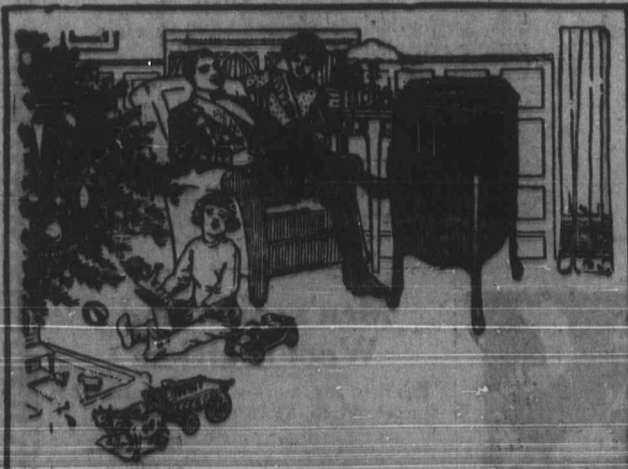
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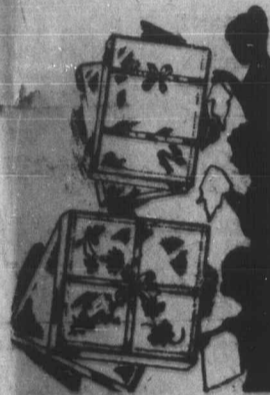
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For Men and Women, Black and Colored silk, Newest Handles in Silver, Metal and wood. \$1.75 to \$15.00 each.

Silk Hosiery

All Shades, Black and White, Marked Down Prices \$1.50 to \$3.00 a pair.

Heather Hose \$1.50 and \$2.00 a pair.

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all Ladies' Misses' and Children's Coats in Plushes, Velours, Cloth Coats.

FURS

Wolf, Fox, and Lynx Muffs, Stoles, and Scarfs, to close out balance of our stock.

FOR CASH ONLY

Men's and Boys'

Neck Ties, Mufflers, Suspenders, Arm Bands, Garters, Gloves, Silk Hosiery, Silk Shirts. All in Fancy Christmas Boxes.

Gloves

French Kid and English Cape Gloves in Greys, Tans, Black and White at \$3.00 and \$3.75 a pair.

Silk Gloves in Greys, Modes, White and Black at \$1.25, \$1.75, and \$2.50 a pair.

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Holeproof silk, assorted colors, were \$1.50 now \$1.35.
Cashmere, Black, Brown, Heather, etc., special price 90c., \$1.25, and \$1.50.
Other Hose at 30c. to 75c.

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At prices which spell value. A lot of Tooke made shirts, all sizes, were values at \$2.50, now \$1.55.

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Stanfields Red Label \$2.95.
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Penmans Fleece Lined \$1.25.
Other Weights and Makes in Stock.

Big Cut in Cap Prices

All our Caps at \$3.50 to \$4.50 have been put in at one price \$3.00, no Luxury Tax.
Another lot of Caps 95c. to \$1.25.

All Felt Hats at 20% discount including Velours.

We have an extra large assortment in both **HATS** and **CAPS.**

Men's Clothing Bargains

Our stock and these Sale prices should interest every man.

Regular \$60.00 Suit	Sale price \$48.00
Regular \$53.00 Suit	Sale price \$43.00
Regular \$45.00 Suit	Sale price \$36.00
Regular \$30.00 Suit	Sale price \$24.00
Regular \$24.00 Suit	Sale price \$19.00

Overcoats

Regular \$60.00 Suit	Sale price \$48.00
Regular \$49.00 Suit	Sale price \$39.00
Regular \$36.00 Suit	Sale price \$29.00
Regular \$30.00 Suit	Sale price \$24.00

Boys' Suits and Overcoats

Regular \$31.00	Sale price \$25.00
Regular \$21.00	Sale price \$17.00
Regular \$17.00	Sale price \$13.50
Regular \$12.00	Sale price \$9.50
Regular \$10.00	Sale price \$8.00

BAGGAGE

Trunks, Suit Cases and Club Bags all at 20 p. c. Discount.

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Men's, Women's and Boy's Automobile Skates, \$2.00 to \$8.00.



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Men's Hockey Boots \$4.50 to \$8.00.
Women's Hockey Boots \$6.40 to \$7.00.
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Men's Felt Slippers \$1.35, \$1.80, and \$2.00.
Men's Kid Slippers, \$2.25 to \$4.00.



Woman's Kid Boudoir Slippers \$2.00 to \$2.75.
Woman's Felt Slippers \$1.35 to \$2.00.

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Woollen Gloves at \$1.35 and \$2.00.
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