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CITIZENS' MEETING

VOTED \$20,000 FOR SCHOOL EXTENSION

There was a good attendance at the citizens' meeting in Temperance Hall last evening, when the matter of providing additional school accommodation was deliberated upon. Other attractions in town kept a large number of business men away but the hall was well filled including a goodly proportion of ladies.

Mayor Fitch took the chair at a little after eight o'clock and briefly outlined the business to come before the meeting in accordance with the announcement which appeared in THE ACADIAN last week. He called upon Mrs. Moore, chairman of the School Board, who in a brief address urged that the Board should be supported in its endeavour to provide better school accommodations.

It was moved by Dr. G. E. DeWitt, seconded by Dr. Elliott that:

"This meeting of the ratepayers of the town of Wolfville duly convened by the Town Council under the provisions of the town's Incorporation Act, to consider a request of the Council for authority to apply to the Legislature for power to borrow a sum not to exceed \$20,000 for erecting a new School Building for the town do now after due consideration—Resolve that the Council be and hereby

The discussion, while not so general as it should have been, was taken part in by a number of citizens, all of whom appeared anxious to secure the best possible solution of the difficulty. The Board explained that they were able to give very little information as no plans had been prepared and the site had not even been decided upon. The vote when taken resulted 64 for the proposal and 11 against.

The second proposal before the meeting that of authorizing the Council to effect a temporary loan to meet the present financial situation was then taken up.

Mayor Fitch stated the circumstances which made the present step necessary, due, he said, to the fact of a too low tax rate and a number of expenditures made on capital account. Councillor Shaw, Chairman of the Finance Committee made a statement regarding work done by the different departments during the year. It was moved by Mr. C. R. H. Starr, seconded by Dr. McKenna, that "this meeting of the ratepayers of the town of Wolfville duly convened by the town Council under the provisions of the Town's Incorporation Act for the purpose, among other things, of considering the request of the Council for authority to borrow



Wolfville's Present School Building.

is authorized to apply to the Legislature to borrow on the credit of the town a sum not exceeding \$20,000 for the purpose aforesaid."

Discussion ensued which brought out the fact that a number of ways in which the needed room might be secured had been under consideration. It had been

proposed to purchase and add to the building already existing and to erect a four department building should be erected on an acquired lot to cost in the vicinity of \$23,000. Another proposition had been to either move the present school building back and duplicate the present accommodation in front or make the same addition to the rear, leaving the building in the present position. This would provide six departments and provide for the needs of the school for a number of years at a minimum cost. A six-room building, an eight-room building and a twelve-room building to cost \$65,000 or more had also been proposed. After considering all, the Board had decided upon the first proposal—the building of a four-room building.

This will meet only present needs but provisions would be made for adding to this building when necessary.

POLICE COURT

For some time back Messrs. R. E. Harris and Sois have been missing goods from their sheds and warehouses and on Monday a search warrant was issued from the town court to investigate. Policeman Crowell visited the premises of a man named William Berry, who lives on Pleasant Street near the reservoir and recovered a quantity of flour, coal, soap, baking soda, etc., and arrested Berry. On Tuesday morning the prisoner was arraigned before Stipendiary Cawley for examination. Sufficient evidence was presented to enable the Court to commit the accused for trial at the supreme Court.

It appears that Berry lived for some time in rooms in the building formerly occupied by Burgess & Co., just south of the store of R. E. Harris & Sons. Witnesses who visited him there testified that he had shown them goods similar to those found in the Pleasant Street house and identified by Mr. W. C. B. Harris as belonging to the firm. The prisoner while in custody gave information which also implicated William Rogers and a warrant for his arrest was issued. He was brought before the stipendiary on Wednesday morning and pleaded "not guilty". The case was adjourned until afternoon and he was again brought before the Court and amended his plea to "guilty".

Stipendiary Cawley stated that he might impose a sentence of six months in the county jail but in view of the request of the plaintiff the prisoner was released on "suspended sentence" for one year upon promise of good behavior. Berry was taken to Kentville on Wednesday afternoon to await trial.

OUR TAXES

As reported in the last ACADIAN the assessment of the town has increased by nearly \$75,000, while the assessment for the county has remained stationary. It seems that the equity assessors hoodwinked the town assessors into raising their assessment by promising to do the same then gave our fellows the merry ha! ha! This means that we will have several hundred more dollars to pay in to the County Treasurer, and so swell our deficit. It is hoped that when the appeal courts sit, they will have backbone enough to calmly cut our whole town assessment in two and pass up half of the amount to the county and let them take a dose of their own home brew.

It is with wonder that some of us look to the time when our rate of taxation was less than two per cent and our assessment was at least twenty-five per cent less on each home. Why has the increase been made at both points? Truly we have more things to pay for; but there is at least one hundred more homes than then; which should pay for the increased cost of schools and streets. We need not brag that we have paved streets, sewers, etc., we owe for them, and we paid more for keeping up mud streets than the interest on the money in the pavement. While we paid three per cent last year, it looks like a four per cent affair this year, with the assessment raised too. Money is wasted in two ways. We pay more than our share to the county, and we waste it at home by doing what is not necessary, and not doing the necessary things economically. We must remedy this if we wish more people to come to our town to settle.

C. M. G.

Wolfville Loses To Windsor

In Fast Game of Hockey at Evangeline Rink

Before one of the largest crowds that ever witnessed a game of hockey in Wolfville, the Windsor boys defeated the local team at Evangeline Rink last Friday evening, the score being 4 to 3. The ice was a little sticky but nevertheless the play was fast from beginning to end. The special train from Windsor was late and the game did not start until 9.30. The visitors had the better of the play during the first period and scored two goals, Poole and Wigmore making the tallies. The home team put up a fight but were unable to score.

The second period opened with Woodman and Kennedy playing in place of Beardley and Mason, and the puck never more than twenty feet from the Windsor goal for five minutes. Smith being kept busy stopping hot shots from Tingley, Fraser and Kennedy. Puck then went into Wolfville territory. Beardley and Mason replaced Woodman and Kennedy. The game was very fast during this period and the playing about even. After repeated attempts, the home team succeeded in getting past Smith for their first score. During the last two minutes, J. MacDonald scored twice, making the score 4 to 1.

The Wolfville boys took the lead in the third period with the determination to tie the score, and nearly succeeded in doing so. The play was kept in Windsor territory during practically all the period, and only the good work of Smith in goal saved the day for the visitors. About the middle of the period Tingley sent the puck at mid-ice and by good luck work passed the Windsor defence and sagged the net with a hot shot from in front of goal. A few minutes later Tingley received a pass from Mason who had carried the puck up the length of the board, and when within ten feet of the goal, made a terrific shot that sent the puck and George Smith's stick into the net. The crowd roared and called for another score, and Wolfville responded by sending the Windsor goal the hottest shot of the game. Mason made a splendid shot, but was turned aside by the stick. Beardley, Tingley and Fraser got in hot shots, but to no avail. The final score was four to three in favor of Windsor.

The referee, G. B. Smith, of Windsor refereed most satisfactorily.

WINDSOR DEFEATS CANNING

The Canning Hockey Team made its first trip to Windsor on Monday evening and suffered defeat by the close score of 3 to 2. The game was reported as one of the roughest games played in Windsor in several years. Ted Stackhouse acted as referee and his job was a difficult one. The score by periods was as follows:

First period—Windsor 1, Canning 1. Second period—Windsor 1, Canning 0. Third period—Windsor 1, Canning 0. The line up was:—For Windsor: George Smith, Wigmore, S. MacDonald, F. Poole, R. Cochrane; for Canning: Baxter, Lyons, Joudrie, Eaton, Houghton, Kinsman and Burbridge.

The standing of the teams in the League is now as follows:

	Won	Lost	Drawn
Wolfville	2	1	0
Windsor	2	1	1
Canning	0	2	1

As the drawn game between Windsor and Canning has to be replayed, Wolfville and Windsor are now tied for first place. If Wolfville wins from Canning to-night they will again be in the lead.

PRICES

Our citizens are beginning to ask why prices have not come down in Wolfville in accordance with the wholesale prices. Our merchants say "we paid more for the goods and can't lose on them." Yes, my dear fellow; but what about the goods you marked up from 60c per yard to \$2.40 when prices rose and got rich with it? I remember one case of a lady who went into a grocery store and asked the price of canned tomato. The clerk replied: "I will have to go and ask the proprietor for they mark them up so often that I can't keep the run of them." Now my candid opinion is that if the merchants here are not willing to take the same medicine that they prescribed to their customers years ago; that the people will get set in the habit of buying out of town, and the habit is one that is hard to break.

C. M. G.

Civic Club Lecture

Inspector Robinson Gives Informing Address on the Growth of the Public School System in N. S.

There was a good attendance at the Civic Club lecture on Friday evening last at the Temperance Hall notwithstanding other attractions. The audience expected an interesting address and were not disappointed. Inspector Robinson is always original and practical and his lecture on "The Growth of the Public School System in Nova Scotia" afforded him opportunity for a free discussion of a theme with which he is thoroughly familiar.

The speaker began with the first schools opened in the Province after the founding of Halifax. The growth of the interest in education traced from the work of the S. P. G. up to the beginning of voluntary assessment by the people. The principles and scope of the Public Education Act were given, and its working explained.

The speaker next dealt on the work of the schools from 1865 to 1880. While the teaching in the schools was not what it is today, yet both boys and girls received a training at home in practical things requiring judgement and skill. After 1882 the school work was extended. The grading system was fully introduced, and the education of children was chiefly memorizing text books. In 1895 Manual Training and Domestic Science were introduced. Since that time the idea of the Practical education has grown. Rural Science has been introduced into all schools. The emphasis is being placed on doing rather than knowing.

The schools of the future must make it possible for the children to develop along natural lines. As the school is a preparation for life, so those subjects should be emphasized that deal with life. There is a minimum that the public have a right to demand that the pupils be taught. As much more as possible—but at least the minimum.

A vote of thanks to the speaker was proposed by Rev. R. F. Dixon, and seconded by Prof. Balcom, and enthusiastically adopted by the audience.

Acadia and Wanderers

Play Tie Game of Hockey

The Acadia hockey team played its first game of the season on Wednesday evening when it crossed sticks with the Halifax Wanderers at Evangeline Rink. The game, which was in some respects the best seen here this season, was witnessed by a good number of fans, who thoroughly enjoyed the game.

The Collegians put up a splendid game, their good team work being noticeable. During nearly all the game they had the better of the play and only the splendid work of the visiting goal tender, who stopped numerous hard shots, prevented the Acadia boys from piling up a big score. The visiting players were inclined too much to off-side playing which delayed the game in a most perceptible manner. The game was most remarkably clean, there being no penalties imposed.

The first period went largely in favor of Acadia, who were attacking the Wanderers goal most of the time. Beardley, after essaying several straight shots, passed to Parker, who scored the first goal. Soon Ellis equalized for the Wanderers. Gladwin saved several shots magnificently.

In the second period Acadia was unable to score, but Beasley and Hunter each added a tally to the visitors' score, putting them well in the lead.

Starting the third period with a lead of 3 to 1, the Wanderers forced the pace but Acadia rallied and sent in several hot shots, which Gladwin blocked. Another score for the Wanderers, made in error by an Acadia player, and the visitors were sure of a victory. At this stage the Acadia boys got down to work in earnest and for the remainder of the game had everything pretty well their own way. Murray and Mason each scored and the rink rang with the yells of the Acadia rooters. Then Fraser made a magnificent rush and after carrying the puck the full length of the ice, tied the score. The local team tried hard for another score but the time was too short.

The spectators called for a play-off

Annual Meeting

Farmer's Association Kings County

The Kings County Farmers Association met in the Town Hall, Kentville, on Friday, Jan. 14th. The attendance was fairly representative of the various parts of the County. The business of the Association is the betterment of farm conditions by concerted action.

Some of the problems brought up were: stock-yards and cold-storage at Halifax, improvements of types of cattle so as to attract buyers, fertilizers and prospect of prices, exorbitant freight rates discriminating against the east, the disappearance of cattle pens at railway stations, and closed doors of railway waiting-rooms against passengers waiting in stormy and cold weather for delayed trains.

Continuing the work of last year, efforts are being made to co-ordinate the work of Agricultural Societies and County Farmers' Associations. A board of directors was chosen representing the different Wards of the County. The officers for the ensuing year are: President, N. A. Osborne; Vice-President, J. G. Webster; and Sec.-Treas., Ernest L. Eaton of Upper Canada.

but the Wanderers refused to play further and the game was called with the score 4 to 4.

The teams were as follows:
WANDERERS—A. J. Gladwin, goal; W. B. Arthurs, H. Hickey, defence; E. M. Norton, left; J. E. Monaghan, centre; Beasley, right; H. Young, J. B. Hunter, P. R. DeYoung, F. T. Ellis and H. Tucker, substitutes.

ACADIA—W. Steeves, goal; K. C. Fraser, D. S. Wetmore, defence; J. M. Beardley, left; W. A. Parker, centre; Karl Mason, right; R. Murray, H. E. Langwith, W. Monckey, substitutes.

David Lloyd George, Prime Minister of Great Britain, was 58 years old on Monday. He has been a member of the British Cabinet for fifteen years and Prime Minister since 1916.

Nelson and The Kootenay



The name Kootenay has long been familiar to the mining and lumbering worlds.

Kootenay has extensive, varied and rich mineral deposits and every valley and mountain side is a store-house of valuable timber. The city of Nelson, on the Kootenay Lake, is the distributing centre for the district from which the wholesale trade of the interior is carried on. Nelson owns the public utilities, electric light and street railway, water works and gas works. Special attention is given to the forestry department in guarding the timber resources of the district. With an unlimited supply of wood in the mountains there is a great future in the pulp industry. Within a radius of twenty-five miles there are twenty-five saw-mills in operation. The Board of Trade of Nelson is now in communication with New York capitalists regarding the establishment of a pulp mill. Tributary to the proposed mill site are 11,200 square miles of territory from which wood supplies can be produced. The slopes, forested with timber, are easily workable. The population of the region embracing about forty thousand people, is fairly well spread over the entire area. There are about 15,000 inhabitants in ten towns and the balance are scattered on homesteads, ranches, lumber and mining camps through the district. Many, in order to obtain working capital, accept contracts for delivery of logs, trees, shingles, cedar poles and other products from their lands and there are a number of forest product operators around the Lake. It is computed that nearly 14 million cords of pulpwood could be secured, enough to last one hundred and fifty years, figuring three hundred cords per day.

The maximum distance of raw material from Nelson is sixty-five miles with an average of thirty-five miles. There are excellent railroad connections to market and there is abundant cheap electric power. The most important power development in the interior of British Columbia is that of the West Kootenay Power and Light at Bonington Falls. Power and light are furnished to Trail, Rossland, Grand Forks, Phoenix, Greenwood, Boundary Falls, the



(1) Nelson, B.C., beautifully situated beside mountains and lakes. (2) The S.S. Kuskanook, one of the C. P. R. boats plying the Arrow Lakes in the Kootenay District.

every lake and border every stream. There are rich fruit lands. There are exceptional advantages in diversified farming where are combined dairying and the production of hay, grain, poultry, hogs, sheep and a variety of small fruits and vegetables. In the district are many retired military and naval officers who are able to find congenial occupation and for leisure hours there are no waters in Canada that offer greater attractions to the sportsman or lover of the beautiful in Nature than the Kootenay Lakes and rivers. Bonington is a new city that is making progress—C. G.

Grand Pre News

Miss Marguerite Adamson, who has been spending a few weeks with Mrs. C. S. Pickford, returned on Saturday to Windsor, where she will continue to attend Edgell.

We are sorry to report that Mr. R. L. Harvey has been ill and is now in the Hospital at Wolfville. We understand that Mr. Harvey has already undergone a successful operation, and all his friends are looking forward to a speedy recovery.

Mrs. George A. Harvey returned home on Saturday from Halifax, where she has been spending a few days. Her daughter Miss Kathleen, who is training at the V. G. Hospital has been ill, but is improving and we trust will soon be able to return to her duties.

Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Graham, of Hantsport were in Grand Pre on Saturday, the 15th inst.

The interest and loyalty of the members of the Grand Pre Woman's Institute have created a live society, therefore, in spite of rather inclement weather, the meeting held at Mrs. Avery Bowser's on January 7th, was well attended and considerable business was satisfactorily despatched.

An interesting report was given by the committee which had been appointed to carry Christmas Cheer to the inmates of the Home at the Poor Farm. This was followed by a discussion on the care of the poor and the feeble minded in the County and the following resolution, re the matter of caring for the mentally deficient of this Province, was passed and ordered to be presented at the next meeting of the Mental Hygiene Society:

That, Whereas in Kings County we have two Poor Farms fairly well equipped for the maintenance and care of the so-called poor, maintaining at present some forty inmates; and

Whereas investigation has shown that of this number only a very small percentage are of normal mentality, thus showing that our poor Farms are maintaining the feeble minded rather than the indigent; further that there is a large number of feeble minded throughout the County who should be cared for in an Institution and

Whereas it is the opinion of our Institute that our feeble minded can be cared for more satisfactorily by suitably equipping and utilizing the two Poor Farms of our County, rather than by sending them to a general Institution for the Province;

Therefore be it resolved, that we, the members of the Grand Pre Woman's Institute, work toward this end as the most practical and economical solution of the care of our mental deficient.

The Institute, by resolution, placed itself on record as being in favour of the appointment of women as members of the School Board, a copy of the said resolution to be sent to the local Council of Women which will have the matter under consideration at its meeting on February 1st.

An appeal for help, having been received from the Infants' Home, Halifax, it was decided that an offering for this Institution be taken at every monthly meeting.

Rev. George Miller, President of the Children's Aid Society, was the speaker for the meeting. He told of the work being done in Kings County for the better training of children, whose home influences are viciating and stressed the vital importance of surrounding a child with good influence during the most plastic period of his life. A vote of thanks was extended to the speaker and the Institute stands ready to help in this very necessary work.

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8. Don't use all the old man's money; consider the rest of the family.
9. Don't follow your girl about like a pet dog; it makes you conspicuous.
10. Don't squeeze girls when dancing; it's improper.
11. Don't dance improperly; men are more improper than women, you know.
12. Don't stay at your girl's house till midnight, in spite of hints.
13. Don't flirt with your friend's wife; it isn't done, or shouldn't be.
14. Don't tell the family of your quarrels with your girl—sisters are liable to repeat.
15. Don't change your girl every month.
16. Don't call on your girl every night—she tires of you.
17. Don't imagine you're the only man on earth for your girl.
18. Don't keep your seat in the car while women stand; gentlemen never do that.
19. Don't be mushy.
20. Don't smoke in the presence of ladies.
21. Don't flirt with your stenog.
22. Don't utilize the office telephone to phone your girls—you'll lose your job.

BACK OF WINGS SCENES SHOWN IN PHOToplay

An actual theatrical stage was used for the settings in many of the scenes of "Mind the Paint Girl," a First National feature, with Anita Stewart in the leading role, which will be shown at the Opera House Friday and Saturday, January 28-29.

Interesting details of the workings behind the wings are brought out in this story of stage life and its ups and downs. The tedious and trying work of rehearsal are brought out, girls are seen in their dressing rooms, hurrying to doff one gown and put on another for the next scene. Scene painters, carpenters and stage hands are all seen taking their natural parts. In fact the entire life of the back stage folk at their work and also at their play are shown.

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HALIFAX—At a meeting of the Executive of the Provincial Red Cross held at the home of Mrs. Dennis on Friday evening, January 7th, the sum of \$150 was voted for prizes to be given to the members of the Boy Scouts throughout the Province, who take the highest stand in the Health course prescribed for by Scout organizations.

This move to promote health education amongst the young has been highly endorsed by Dr. W. H. Hattie, Provincial Health Officer, and other local health authorities.

Dr. Hattie and Dr. F. V. Woodbury were appointed by the Executive of the Red Cross, as a committee to confer with local officers of the Boy Scouts concerning the arrangements for the courses to be given and the terms of the competitions.

On the same evening that the Red Cross Executive met, there was a mass meeting of Boy Scouts of this district in the School for the Blind. A very interesting programme was provided and an address on Health was given by Dr. Craig of the Massachusetts-Halifax Health Commission. The boys were very much interested and enthusiastic over the possibility of undertaking health work. Seventy-six boys present at that meeting undertook to take the prescribed Health course.

Too much cannot be said in favour of Health education amongst the young; not only from the standpoint of the boy himself, but from the fact that he goes out as a missionary amongst others, and is a fruitful means of disseminating the principles of good health living and public health ideals.

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CANNING AND VICINITY

Mr. Fred Blenkhorn, of Scott's Bay, underwent a successful operation at Dr. DeWitt's Hospital, Wolfville, last week.

Mrs. N. W. Eaton is the guest of Mrs. Mrs. Charles Wright, Wolfville.

The Ladies' Aid met at the home of Mrs. M. W. Steele, Scott's Bay, Supper and a splendid programme were provided.

Miss Leah Harris, of Sheffield Mills, has returned to Kentville to resume her duties at the Royal Bank.

Thomas Forsythe, Jr., has returned from Saskatchewan, and is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Forsythe, Sheffield Mills.

The Women's Institute of Medford, met at the home of Mrs. David Weaver, Mrs. H. G. Vaughn presiding. The following are the officers: President, Mrs. Lorne Parker; Vice-President, Mrs. H. G. Vaughn; Secretary, Miss Jackson.

After the discussion of business, the following programme was enjoyed: Piano solo, Mrs. Young; piano solo, Miss Carrie Weaver. Miss Jackson, of the staff of Medford School, gave an interesting and instructive address on "Medical and Dental Instruction in the School."

This Institute is doing much practical work. A large box of clothing has been forwarded to the Infants' Home, Halifax.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Payzant entertained the Canning Literary Society, a delightful evening being spent. The musical programme was in charge of Mrs. Charles Sinnett, and Miss Minnie Miller, of the teaching staff of Edgehill, and consisted of the following: mixed quartette, Mrs. Sinnett, Miss Miller, Mrs. Burgess, Rudolph Schafheitlin; vocal solo, Charles Sinnett; cello solo, Mrs. Sinnett.

The Literary programme was under the direction of Mrs. Payzant. The speaker was J. L. Hsley, of Kentville, who in an excellent address, outlined the "Policy of the Present Three Political Parties Existing in Canada Today."

A vote of thanks was tendered Mrs. Sinnett, Miss Miller and Mr. Hsley, and a card of admission was presented to Mr. and Mrs. Hsley, after which a social hour was enjoyed.

Canning Rink is being well patronized, the ice being in splendid condition. Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings are given over to hockey; Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday to skating.

Mrs. Rufus Dickie left Monday for Toronto, where she will be the guest of her sister.

sympathy is felt for Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Muir, West Side, in the death of their little daughter, Jean, who passed away after a few days illness of diphtheria.

Mrs. H. T. Begg, who has been visiting in North Sydney, returned last week.

James Legg, son of Mrs. Matthew Legge, Sheffield Mills, while driving from the woods Saturday on a load of wood, was struck by a falling log, severing an artery in the neck. Medical aid was called.

The marriage took place at Afbury Temple, Waltham, Rev. Mr. Miller officiating, of Evelyn, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Schofield, of Canning, and E. Foster, of Maine. Mr. and Mrs. Foster, after remaining a month in Waltham, will reside in Maine.

Mrs. Alfred Ellis was at home Friday afternoon, her home being thronged with guests. Mrs. Ellis was assisted in receiving by her sister Miss Bessie Hennigar. Mrs. George Woodworth, who has been the guest of Mrs. Ellis, left for Kentville Thursday.

The pupils of Sheffield Mills school held a sleighing party Saturday evening. The chaperons were Miss Holland and Miss Newcombe. The sleighs were provided by H. V. Vaughan and Murray Rockwell.

Earl Dickie, who has spent two years in Boston, is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hibbert Dickie, Lower Canard. He will spend the winter in Canard.

The marriage of Jean, daughter of Mrs. Mable Borden, of Canard, to Fred B. Eaton, of Lower Canard, will take place Wednesday at three o'clock, at the residence of Mrs. Mable Borden, Rev. A. J. Prosser officiating.

Frank Parker, Baxter's Harbour, has sold his house to Fred Houghton, who has moved into his new home.

Many persons attended the hockey game between junior teams of Kentville and Canning, in Canning rink Friday evening. The Canning boys proved too much for the Kentville boys, the score being 20-0 in favour of the home team.

The first real talking machine, in which no improvement has been made, was made out of a rib.

YOUR GROCER IS NOT A PROFITEER

Have a heart! Your grocer is not a profiteer! He is passing along to you reduced prices, as fast or faster than they come to him. Just because the prices on many good things are still high, don't blame him. It is usually the poorest quality of everything that shows the greatest decline.

If he is as good a man as the average, your grocer is still doing his utmost to give you the best value for your money. But don't push him too hard. He is only human.

You don't know, but we do, that he is recommending goods that pay him less profit than other well known brands which he might easily persuade his customers to take if he cared to do so.

We know this because he pays us more for Red Rose Tea and sells it at less profit than other teas, so when he recommends you to buy Red Rose Tea, you will know it is because he believes it the best and is willing to take a little less profit for the sake of giving you the best value he can.

We are publishing this because we believe the more our people know of the true facts concerning the profits made by those they deal with, the more generous they will be in their judgements.—T. H. Estabrooks Co., Ltd., St. John N. B.

GOOD OLD CHEAP COAL DAYS

In the good old days of 1812 one could step out with a couple of dollars and come home with food and fuel sufficient to supply a good-sized family for a week.

Facts regarding living expenses a century ago are contained in a letter from John Sims, great-grandfather of Admiral Sims, to his wife Molly, dated Uniontown, 15th October 1812. At that time, board and lodging for two cost \$3.50 a week. Coal was 6 cents a bushel. Chickens, still wearing feathers, cost 75 cents a dozen. Beef was from 3 to 3 1/2 cents a pound, while butter retailed at 12 1/2 cents a pound.

Great Britain at one time obtained \$100,000 a year from tax on users of hair powder.

Minard's Liniment for Diphtheria.

CLARION CALL

The world needs a song— Now sing, if your gift be singing! The world needs a song To set men's pulses ringing. Over the ultimate seas The jubilant strains must carry To lift up the heavy-hearted. So their feet may lag not or tarry.

The world needs a prayer— Now pray, if your gift be praying— The world needs a prayer That will mean what all are saying: Give us a ray of hope— Something to lessen the sorrow— Faith that 'tis all for the best, And courage to rise tomorrow.

The world needs a light— Now see, if your gift be seeing— An all-pervading light To send the darkness fleeing. Show us the vision divine And do not dare conceal it! You on the mountain tops, If you see truth, reveal it!

WINTER

When icks hang by the wall, And Dick the shepherd blows his nail, And Tom bears logs into the hall, And milk comes frozen home in pail; When blood is nipt, and ways be foul, The nightly sings the staring owl Tu-whit!

Tu-who! A merry note! While greasy Joan doth keel the pot.

When all about the wind doth blow, And coughing drowns the parson's saw And birds sit brooding in the snow, And Marion's nose looks red and raw; When roasted crabs hiss in the bowl, Then nightly sings the staring owl Tu-whit!

Tu-who! A merry note! While greasy Joan doth keel the pot. —Shakespeare.

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Winter Hard on Baby

The winter season is hard on the baby. He is more or less confined to stuffy, badly ventilated rooms. It is so often stormy that the mother does not get him out in the fresh air as often as she should. He catches colds which rack his little system; his stomach and bowels get out of order and he becomes peevish and cross. To guard against this the mother should keep a box of Baby's Own Tablets in the house. They are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

TOURIST BENEFITS TO TOWNS

Money circulates in the average towns. Its circle is from industry to employees, from employees to stores, from stores to banks, and back to industry again. Any additions from outside sources are, real gains and real profits to the community. The tourist spends his money and admires the scenery. The scenery costs nothing, and is still there when the tourist is gone. It is an undiminishing asset, and as it draws tourist travel and tourist money, the money thus obtained is net profit. If therefore follows that the town which repels automobilists by poor roads, lack of signs and petty traffic restrictions is losing money. The community that goes out of its way to attract motor travel is doing real good for itself. To draw the stranger and treat him well is more than advertising—it is making money.—Western Canadian Motorist.

A lady from the backwoods went to a photographers shop and asked, "Do you photograph children, sir?" "Yes, madam," was the reply; "that is my specialty." "What do you charge?" "Ten shillings and sixpence a dozen, madam." "Thank you very much," said the lady, "but I'm afraid I must call again later on. I've only got eleven."

There are two freedoms—the false, where a man is free to do what he likes; the true, where a man is free to do what he ought.

A BIRD TABLE

Lovers of birds can secure a splendid opportunity to study local bird life by providing such a bird table as is used in some European countries, where the birds are helped through the rigors of winter by a supply of food. All that is necessary is a shallow box fastened on top of a stake thrust in the ground. Bore holes in the bottom of it so as to allow drainage for rain or snow-water. Keep it away from the house, trees or any adjacent lurking-place from which cats could pounce upon the birds. Every day provide any eatable scraps such as crumbs cabbage, lettuce, apple cores, or whatever is available, and the birds will come in flocks. One man found twenty-seven different kinds of birds at his bird table one morning.

Cheer up! The days are growing noticeably longer.

HE TOOK A CHAIR.

The principal of one of two grammar schools, Mr. Jones by name, wished to get some extra geographies from Mr. Brown, principal of the other school, and so he sent a boy with a note to that effect. In half an hour the boy returned bringing a heavy office chair, and a moment later another boy arrived with a request from Mr. Brown that the first boy should bring back the chair that he had carried off.

Mr. Jones was mystified. "What did you say to Mr. Brown when you went to the school?" he asked his own messenger.

"I didn't say anything," was the reply. "I just gave him the note."

"He told me to take a chair, and I took it and brought it up here."

Canada has 1,111,250 church members, according to the last official census (1911)

MORSE'S TEAS advertisement featuring illustrations of a man and a woman drinking tea, and a box of Morse's Orange Pekoe tea. Text includes: "The rich mellow flavour of 'MORSE'S Selected Orange Pekoe' makes it a prime favorite at Afternoon Teas." and "MORSE'S TEAS ORANGE PEKOE TEA".

This means dollars to you, Mr. Merchant

READ IT—

NEWSPAPERS would be much less than they are if they contained no enjoyable, instructive and valuable advertisements. Many persons read the advertisements quite as thoroughly as they read the news matter. This is just as it should be.

The more advertising the more buying. The more buying, the greater the consumption of goods or service advertised.

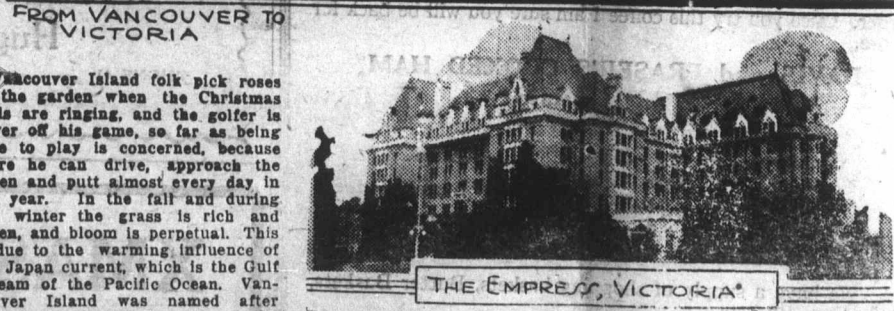
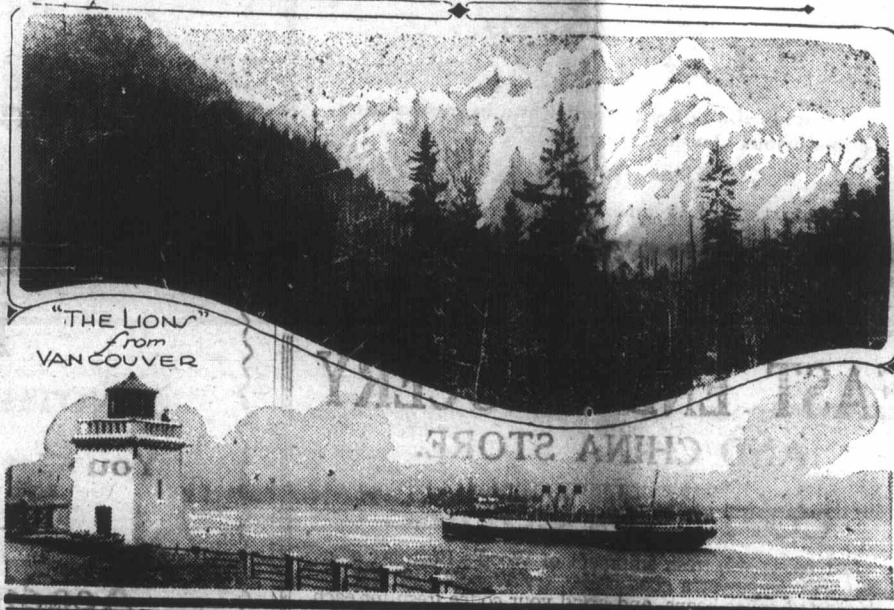
More business could be done by the merchants of Wolfville if they advertised more, and if more of them advertised. Much business goes to the big city mail-order houses because they advertise. These houses would cease to draw business from this community if they ceased to advertise.

TO THE MERCHANTS OF WOLFVILLE

Advertise more, and more of you advertise, and the big mail-order houses will get less and less business from this community.

Advertisement Reading is worth while

BRITAIN AND VANCOUVER ISLAND WHERE GRASS IS ALWAYS GREEN AND GOLFERS PLAY AT CHRISTMAS



Vancouver Island folk pick roses in the garden when the Christmas bells are ringing, and the golfer is never off his game, so far as being able to play is concerned, because there he can drive, approach the green and putt almost every day in the year. In the fall and during the winter the grass is rich and green, and bloom is perpetual. This is due to the warming influence of the Japan current, which is the Gulf Stream of the Pacific Ocean. Vancouver Island was named after Captain George Vancouver, of the British Navy, who discovered it in 1792, and has an estimated area, or 15,000 square miles. Its trees, among them the stately Douglas fir, which towers 300 feet above the roads over which the traveller glides by automobile, or by the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway, which runs northward through half the length of the island, are magnificent beyond description, some of them being 6 or 7 feet in diameter. Along

the road are many comfortable hotels and country chalets, many of them like the Inns one finds on English country roads.

Victoria, the capital of British Columbia, is a city of rare charm with its beautiful drives, its golf courses, its Chinese quarter, its turbaned Hindoos, its Empress Hotel and its beautiful Capitol buildings. Every year at least 5,000 American golfers visit one course in Victoria, the Victoria Golf Club course and

thousands of automobiles leave Seattle annually for Victoria and Vancouver.

There is splendid inland and deep sea fishing in and on the coast of Vancouver Island, and the ambitious fisherman who really wanted to do something sensational has even gone out on the west coast waters of the Pacific and caught a real whale for breakfast. Needless to say, he did not have it served on toast.

PEERLESS DRY GINGER ALE

Can be supplied by the bottle (cheaper by the case), from all Grocers, Druggists and Confectioners. If not write GEO. H. YEATON & SON, Hantsport, N. S., Wholesale Distributors for Valley J. & T. Morris, Manufacturers "Peerless" Beverages, Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island.

Claimed by experts to be the finest Dry Ginger Ale made or imported into Canada.

The Bottle Wrapped in Pink Tissue Paper

Bacteriologically Pure Safe for Children

The Acadian

Published by DAVIDSON BROS., WOLFVILLE, N. S.
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Copy for change of contract advertising must be in the hands of the printer not later than Tuesday noon to insure publication in the next issue.

OUR ENLARGED PAPER.

In the furtherance of our desire to make THE ACADIAN the best newspaper in the Valley, we are making this week a new departure by adding materially to its size and appearance. This is the second change that has been effected since the paper came under the present management. The first was the change from a four page to an eight page publication, and in this we had the approval of our patrons, if we may judge from the same complimentary expressions which we have heard, and read regarding it. The change we are making this week places us in a much better position to serve our advertising patrons and at the same time increase the amount of reading matter. We commend the present issue of THE ACADIAN to the attention of our readers, and ask them to compare it with similar publications. There are yet many improvements which we hope to make and we ask the assistance of our many friends in the endeavour to make the paper worthy of their admiration and support. In the past year we have added to our plant the latest improvements in the printing art, which enables us to produce this issue from material actually made in our own office. We are no longer dependent upon others as all the type, rule, borders, ornaments, and other material necessary to the production of anything in the line of printing we are now able to produce. This gives us a great advantage both in our newspaper and job printing departments—and our patrons reap the benefit. It will be our determination in the future as it has been in the past, to give the public the best possible value for their money. We want to make THE ACADIAN the people's paper and a medium through which suggestions in the public interest may always secure the largest possible attention. We believe that a well-conducted newspaper is a most important institution in any community, and aim to make THE ACADIAN function in that capacity. Give us your support and help and we promise to do our best. The change we are making this week necessitates quite a large outlay at a time when newspapers the world over are seeking to curtail their expenses. But we have faith in our constituents and believe that our enterprise will be appreciated.

Despite all her trouble, Britain is paying off more than \$1,000,000,000 of war debt this year, besides the extraordinary expenses connected with cleaning up the war.

In Dartmouth that fighting Mayor Simpson is again in the field for the mayoralty. Mr. I. W. Vidito has been requested to enter the field against the warlike Mayor, who is ready for all comers.

OUR FINANCIAL CONDITION

In another place will be found the balance sheet of the town at the end of the year 1920. This is a statement in which every citizen is deeply interested and we need not ask that it have careful perusal and study. The large debit balance of \$14,941.96 is due not so much to any lack of business methods on the part of the council during the past year as to the fact that the rate of taxation was not made sufficient to meet the running expenses of the town. Our financial condition while not in an alarming condition, will require careful handling next year and citizens may as well be prepared to face a much larger rate of taxation than has yet been made since the incorporation of the town. This is only reasonably to be expected when we consider that in the past due regard has not been taken of the fact that the price of everything has been practically quadrupled. It is to be hoped that our financial position may not make it necessary to abandon plans already made for the extension of the town's departments.

The reasonable thing will be as a citizen to face the situation confidently, thankful that it is no worse. The rate of taxation next year should be made large enough to provide for every needed service and assure a balance on the right side at the end of 1921. THE ACADIAN has no criticisms to make of the men who have handled civic affairs during the past year. They have freely given their services in the interests of the town and deserve only thanks from their fellow citizens for painstaking efforts which in many cases must have cost them much time and thought.

NO ROOM FOR PESSIMISM

The man on the farm is sometimes inclined to look at the future with a certain degree of pessimism. He sees prices declining in many lines and in some instances inclines to the belief that the good days are past. Well, perhaps the days of \$3.00 wheat are a thing of the past. Perhaps also the days of top prices for beef and hogs, and butter and eggs and cheese, have gone for good. They were bound to go eventually, because they were the result of a world torn with struggle, a world so needy that no price was too great to be paid. But while the golden prices may be a thing of the past, not so the golden days. It is not the actual money, but its purchasing power that matters, and the purchasing power is advancing as the farmer's prices decline, so that he actually stands to lose comparatively little, and that little he gains in peace and good will and a world free from the dust of war.

There is nothing in the present situation to remotely suggest a return to the old hard days of farming. They have passed, as they should pass, to return no more. There is a world need for food, a world appreciation for the work of the farmer, and a world acceptance of the fact that he is entitled to his reasonable profits as in any other essential business. There is, indeed, in the present days, no room for pessimism. —Farmers' Magazine.

THE SCHOOL RINK

Good progress is being made with the open-air rink on the school grounds and if the weather remains steady it is expected that it will be ready for use on Saturday. The committee in charge ask that any persons who intend contributing to the undertaking should do so at once without being called upon and thus make the work as easy as possible. So far only one other contribution beside those published last week has appeared. A number of citizens including Mr. E. Percy Brown, and Mr. G. K. Prescott have given a great deal of time and assistance to the undertaking.

COASTING

It seems unfair that our young people should not be allowed to enjoy life while they are young, in the exciting sport of coasting. Is there any more reason why a person should coast down a hill in an automobile or on a bicycle than on a sled? Why should a sled be debarred the use of the highways any more than any other means of conveyance? There may be some danger in coasting, but that is where the fun of it comes in. There seems no good reason why some person could not be placed on the Acadia Street corner as a "traffic cop" and see that no collisions take place. Now don't be alarmed you old fossils: for traffic "cops" are not new things. They have them in all cities wherever necessary. Coasting should be permitted and regulated; but it should not be permitted on sidewalks. As it is, it is neither permitted or regulated; but it happens continually and our police committee have neither the backbone to stop it nor the intelligence to regulate it. C. M. G.

RARE OLD BIBLE IN ACADIA LIBRARY

In the Acadia Library is a copy of the third edition of the Saur Bible, published in Germantown, in 1776. It is a book of rare value, and interesting to people of the Maritime Provinces because the publisher, Christopher Saur, afterwards came with his family to New Brunswick, and was the first King's Printer there. Almost the whole of the third edition fell into the hands of the soldiery at the battle of Germantown, and was torn up for cartridge and waste paper. Only ten complete copies were saved and most of these were soiled. They were given to Catherine Saur, a daughter of the publisher, who gave one to each of her children. The one at Acadia must have had many vicissitudes. It is quarto printed on heavy paper and has a strong leather binding, with old fashioned brass clasps.

Canada has 140,550 Baptist church members.

A HARVEST FOR THE JAILS

(From the Kennebec Journal.)
We can't say we are in sympathy with the proposition to do away with the jails. There are reckless automobile drivers enough to fill every one of them.

OR PERHAPS TOO MUCH

(From the Los Angeles Times.)
The old-fashioned man who kept a diary has about disappeared from our midst. He is so busy with his runabout that he has nothing to write about.

OPERA HOUSE, Wolfville, N.S.

Friday & Saturday, January 21-22

"Shore Acres"

FAMOUS NEW ENGLAND DRAMA

Adapted from the famous Stage Success of the same name

Also Comedy entitled

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Monday & Tuesday, January 24-25

TOM MOORE

"DUDS"

A story of a returned soldier and his unmasking of Notorious Jewel Smugglers.

Plenty of Thrills

Show starts at 7.30 and 9 p.m. Prices 17-28c.

EAST END GROCERY AND CHINA STORE.

COFFEE COFFEE

Just received a fresh shipment of Wood's Boston Coffee. If you want some extra good coffee, try Wood's. We get the fresh roasted coffee beans, and grind your coffee fresh for each order. Once you try this coffee I am sure you will be back for more.

DAVIS and FRASER'S COOKED HAM, BACON, HAMS

Choice Cooking Figs 25c. lb.	Tea Bulk Orange Pekoe 50c. lb.	Mince Meat home made 30c. lb.
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We have a supply of shopping baskets, Butter Baskets, and Egg Baskets.

W. O. PULSIFER
PHONE 42

COAL

SOFT—at present we have some nice rescreened Spring-hill Coal in stock. Don't wait for the roads to get bad, order now.

HARD—We still have twenty or thirty tons of stove coal.

COKE—We have been able to secure a small quantity of coke. Place your order at once.

KINDLINGS—Large bundles 10c. each delivered with your coal.

Ground Bone for Hens—With our new Electric Bone Grinder we can now supply Green or Dry Ground Bone whenever ordered, at the lowest price.

R. E. HARRIS & SONS
Phone 1117

Acetylene Welding

Battery Repairing and Charging.

Cylinder Re-boring and Accessories.

J. F. CALKIN
MAIN STREET EAST

Specials for One Week

From January 22nd to 28th

Sale of Millinery will continue another week in order to clean this line up.

This season's Hats for One Half regular price.

All older stock of Hats for 50 cents each.

As we have only two or three Old Coats left at \$1.00 and \$2.00, we will include about six or seven Ladies Raincoats at the same price. Some slightly faded and a few odd sizes.

Furs at Slaughter Prices

Ten pieces comprising Neck Pieces and odd Muffs priced from \$1.00 to \$5.00.

C. H. PORTER

Dry Goods, Men's Furnishings and Clothing

Did You Ever Have
An Irritated Throat
Try
Medicated Throat Discs
NOTHING BETTER
You Get Relief At Once

Acadia Pharmacy
Hugh E. Calkin

PHONE 41

WOLFVILLE, N. S.

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
Iceing 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

FRANK W. BARTEAUX

Items of Local Interest

H. E. Blakeney has our thanks for a very pretty calendar.

The Canadian Parliament will assemble on Monday, February 11th.

Mr. and Mrs. Robie Tufts have moved into their new house on Highland Avenue.

The 57th annual meeting of the Nova Scotia Fruit Growers Association was held in Windsor last week.

Phillip Hsley, of the Valley Real Estate Agency, has sold the Town Hall and Opera House property to Mr. N. Evans.

Mr. W. C. B. Harris entertained seven tables of his gentlemen friends at 'Auction' last evening in honor of Mr. I. A. Daniel, of Brandon, Man.

Mr. E. C. Griffin, of Port Williams, was re-elected vice-president of the Nova Scotia Poultry Association, at its annual meeting in Truro last week.

Mrs. Howard Pineo had the misfortune recently to fall and break one of the bones in the wrist of her right arm and has the sympathy of many friends who wish for her a speedy recovery.

Mr. A. C. Johnson, Superintendent of streets, has been confined to his home since the New Year, and has had a narrow escape from blood poisoning. We are glad to note that he is getting around again, and hope he may soon be fully recovered.

Mr. W. J. Boates, foreman at Wright's Wood-working Mill, met with a painful accident last Saturday when he lost part of the two fingers of his left hand, by coming in contact with one of the machines. This is the second accident of a similar nature which Mr. Boates has suffered within a short time, and much sympathy is felt for him.

While the political pot of Wolfville has scarcely a bubble so far as civic affairs are concerned, it appears to be quite different at the shire town. Two candidates for the mayoralty, Mr. A. L. Pelton, and Councillor A. H. C. Chesley, are already in the field and it is understood that next Tuesday will see plenty of candidates for the Council vacancies.

The annual meeting of the congregation of St. John's Church was held in the new church hall on Monday evening. The Rector, Rev. R. F. Dixon, was in the chair and there was a large attendance. The financial report showed a good balance on hand. Mr. Tuzo Watson was elected Junior Warden and the Senior Warden will be appointed next week.

The A. C. Cox Farm Agency, Wolfville, closed three large real estate deals for the month of December: F. W. Mosher, known as the Archibald property, Wolfville; Dr. Eugene Watson, of Canning; C. L. Mosher, known as the Hogan property, Church St., to William Graves of Port Williams; G. P. Cox, Kentville, property at Canning, to Ira Kaiser, of Centreville.

St. George's Lodge, A. F. & A. M. had an official visit on Monday evening from Mr. George Hay MacDougall, Grand Master, and Mr. John B. Douglas, D. D. G. M., for District No. 1. The visit was altogether unannounced and unexpected by the brethren but nevertheless duly appreciated, and a very enjoyable time was had, including addresses by the visitors, conferring of degrees, and a banquet. The members of St. George's are always equal to the occasion.

CANNING BOYS WON

The Beavers of Canning defeated the Tuxis Boys of Wolfville at the Canning rink Wednesday night. It was one of the cleanest and fastest games ever witnessed in Canning. The score ended 7 to 6 in favor of the home team.

The spirit of true sport prevailed throughout the game. Scoutmaster Brown of Wolfville accompanied the Tuxis Boys, who were entertained by the home team at F. E. Jodrey's. Benn Laing refereed to the satisfaction of both sides.

It is said that President elect Harding, as soon as he takes the oath of office, will ask the great Powers to meet and talk over the question of disarmament.

DEATH OF MRS. ALICE CHIPMAN

In the death of Mrs. Alice Chipman, at Berwick Tuesday morning, at the residence of her son, Alvah Chipman, Kings County lost another of its most venerable and most distinguished citizens, and one who is directly responsible for the splendid educational facilities many young women of Nova Scotia enjoy today. Alice Theodora Shaw was a daughter of the late Isaiah Shaw and was born in Cornwallis Township, on the 21st day of June, 1832, and grew up to young womanhood in that splendid environment. She opened a school at Berwick, for the education of young women and finally removed to Wolfville, where she opened a school on the present site of the Royal Hotel, which she conducted for several years, when it was finally merged into Acadia and became the starter of the magnificent Acadia Seminary of today.

Miss Shaw was one of the first three young ladies from Nova Scotia to enter Mount Holyoke Seminary, and she was the very first graduate from Nova Scotia. After her graduation she became principal of the Seminary at Worcester, Mass., subsequently returning to Nova Scotia and opening her school at Berwick, as already stated. After the absorption of her school at Wolfville, by Acadia, she was the first Principal and her sister was the first pupil to graduate. The absorption of her school by Acadia took place in 1878.

The fiftieth wedding anniversary of Mrs. Chipman and her husband, the late Dr. Alfred Chipman, was celebrated in 1913, and upon that occasion Acadia Seminary was presented with a beautiful Sepia Portrait of Mrs. Chipman, which has and always will have, a place of honor in the halls of the Seminary. She was a life member of the Alumni Association, whose members will reverently remember a meeting of the Alumni Association is called for next Tuesday, when doubtless suitable resolutions will be adopted.

She leaves to mourn her loss as far as her immediate family is concerned, one son, Alvah H., residing in Berwick, and another son, C. O. of Pueblo, Colorado. The funeral was held in Berwick from the residence of her son Alvah on Thursday afternoon at one o'clock. The interment was at the Berwick Cemetery, and the officiating clergyman, Rev. Percy R. Hayden.

INSPECTOR ROBINSON'S LECTURE

To the Editor of THE ACADIAN: DEAR SIR—I was one of those who attended the lecture by Inspector Robinson last week under the auspices of the Civic Club, and I was much interested.

It was certainly a most practical address—full of ideas, as was to be expected from a man of his wide experience. The present school system appealed to me as being most timely and I have wondered how I and the other citizens present might help correct the present situation. Inspector Robinson would be doing a great service if he would indicate through the columns of your paper what steps might be taken in the matter. His suggestions at the meeting were really valuable, and for one I should like to see them put into practice.

PUBLIC SCHOOL.

ELECTIONS Town of Wolfville

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that nominations of Candidates for the ensuing Town Election of MAYOR and THREE COUNCILLORS must be delivered to the Town Clerk, at the Town Hall, in Wolfville, not later than 5 o'clock in the afternoon of

TUESDAY, 25th DAY OF JAN., 1921

The poll, if granted, will be held on TUES., THE 1st DAY OF FEB., 1921 between the hours of nine in the forenoon and five in the afternoon Polling District No. 16—At Rockwell's Sample Room.

Polling District No. 16F—At Town Hall. H. Y. BISHOP, TOWN CLERK. Wolfville, N. S., January 15th, 1921.

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. F. J. Connaughton will sing in the Methodist Church on Sunday evening, Jan. 23rd.

The hockey game tonight at Evangeline Rink promises to be an interesting and exciting one. Show your approval of good clean sport by giving it your support. The boys will appreciate your presence.

Mrs. E. D. MacPhee, assisted by the Executive of the Social and Benevolent Society, will receive for the first time after her marriage at the home of Mrs. G. K. Prescott, Summer Street, January 26th, from 4-6 p. m.

On Saturday afternoon, January 22nd, there will be afternoon tea served at the Devonshire Tea Rooms, the proceeds to go to the fund for the relief of the destitute children of Central Europe. All should make it their business to attend, and help this most worthy cause.

On Thursday evening of next week an event of real interest to hockey enthusiasts will take place at Evangeline Rink, when Acadia meets Mt. Allison in the first inter-Collegiate game of the season. It will be a swift game and full of happenings, and ought to be largely attended.

Citizens should remember the Cemetery meeting on Monday evening, and make no other engagements. Surely we can take one evening in the year to look after the resting-place of our departed. The help and counsel of every citizen and lot-holder is needed if we are to make our "God's Acre" what it ought to be—a worthy memorial of our regard for the dear ones gone.

Canada has had six war loan campaigns totalling \$2,338,917,969.

Business Locals

Read C. H. Porter's advertisement this week.

Maid Wanted immediately at the "Palms."

Skates sharpened and put on boots by S. L. Murphy, at Evangeline Rink.

Wanted to borrow—\$2500, All first mortgage security. Apply to Box 368, Wolfville.

Wanted—A maid for general housework. Apply Mrs. Phipps, Bank of Montreal, Wolfville.

For Sale—Ford car in first class running order, \$475 cash or \$500 terms. Apply to Philip Hsley.

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

Furniture repairing and upholstery done by S. L. Murphy, Main Street, Opposite "The Palms."

FOUND—A Fountain Pen. Owner can have same by applying at this office and paying for this notice.

WANTED.—Clean cotton rags, free from lint, buttons, etc., and suitable for wiping machinery. Will pay 10 cents per lb. THE ACADIAN OFFICE.

Get free illustrated catalogue fruit and mixed farms offered in rich beautiful Annapolis Valley. VALLEY REAL ESTATE AGENCY 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.

Closing Out Sale

of EVER-READY, DURHAM DUPLEX AND REGULAR STYLE RAZORS PIPES OF ALL KINDS

In order to make room for more stock in our regular line, we are clearing out these side lines at sacrifice prices.



Ever Ready Razors Regular price \$1.50, now \$1.00.

Durham Duplex Razors Demonstrator 40c, now 25c. Regular \$2.50 now \$1.50.

Strip and attachment to strip any safety razor blade Regular price \$1.50 now \$1.00

Shaving Brushes, regular \$1.35, \$1.25 now 75c.

Pipes Regular \$4.50 and \$5.00 now \$2.75 Regular \$2.50 now \$1.50 Regular 75c. now 49c.

Pipe cleaners, 2 bundles for 5c.

WILLIAMS & CO.

Jewelers - Opticians - Engravers

GIRL WANTED IMMEDIATELY

APPLY AT

THE PALMS

Phone 238 E. C. H. YOUNG, Prop.

AUTO OWNERS

REPAINT YOUR AUTOS WITH EFFECTO ENAMEL

We carry this in the following colors: Black, Green, Red, Grey, Yellow and Cream. This stock includes Effecto Seat and Top Dressing and Effecto Finishing.

These goods are made by Pratt & Lambert, the best varnish makers in Canada.

L. W. SLEEP, Wolfville.

WHO LEFT THE DOOR OPEN

(From the Washington Star) The ex-Kaiser does not desire to live in Holland and Holland is justified in sarcastic inquiry as to who invited him.

The new Premier of France is Aristide Briand, a former Prime Minister. He has succeeded in forming a strong cabinet.

A ten per cent. cut in the price of high grade bulk chocolates, a twenty per cent. cut in hard candies, and a seven per cent. cut in chocolate package goods, has been announced by the leading confectionery firms of Canada.

Australia has a larger national debt than Canada. It totals \$3,500,000,000, while that of Canada is half a million less.

SNAPS For Snappy Cold Weather

Comfortables made from the best of Chintz and Sateens filled with pure white washable batting.

- 60 x 72 inches Chintz Coverings Regular price \$5.00 Now \$3.95
60 x 72 inches Turkey Red Chintz Regular price \$6.50 Now \$5.45
60 x 72 inches Sateen Coverings, Light and Dark patterns, Regular price \$9.75, now \$8.25
60 x 72 inches Best Sateen coverings in panel effects Regular price \$12.00 now \$10.25

BLANKETS

Best quality Flannelette Blankets. White or Grey. 10-4 Size, Sale Price \$2.95 a pair. 11-4 Size, Sale Price \$3.25 a pair. 12-4 Size, Sale Price \$4.25 a pair.

J. E. HALES & CO., Ltd. WOLFVILLE, N. S.

Dry Goods Men's Furnishings House Furnishings

Sporting Goods Souvenirs Toys and Fancy Goods

STATIONERY & SCHOOL SUPPLIES OF ALL KINDS A full line of Tobaccos, Pipes, Pouches, Cigarette Cases and Holders and Pipe parts. Just received a supply of Guns and Ammunition. Come and look them over.

Stores 2 Stores

The Wolfville Sporting and Fancy Goods Co., Phone 237 The Eureka News Agency - Phone 228

A Lending Library run in connection with the above Stores.

H. E. Blakeney, Prop.

YOUR GOLDEN OPPORTUNITY

Sewing Machines

Rock Bottom Prices

Having bought a large number of sewing machines, sometime ago, we are in a position to give you some wonderful values.

- The White Rotary No. 80 \$69.00
The White Rotary No. 77 \$68.00
The White Rotary No. 70 \$67.00
The Raymond Machine \$55.00
1 Davis Rotary, Absolutely New \$40.00
1 New Williams, second hand; In first class condition \$30.00
1 Raymond—old style \$20.00

Take into consideration the quality of these Machines. Fix the prices in your mind and Take Immediate Advantage of this Great Opportunity.

These prices are for cash only.

WOODMAN & CO. WOLFVILLE

FURNITURE DEALERS Phone 46-11

NOTICE!

TO MOTOR VEHICLE OWNERS AND CHAUFFEURS: I am directed to notify you that all must have their Number plates and licenses on or before

February 1st, 1921

or they may be prosecuted under the Motor Vehicle Act, without further notice.

F. S. CROWLEY, Policeman.

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 (Tues., Fri., Sun.) arrives 12.18 a.m. No. 100 From Yarmouth (Mon. Wed., Sat.), arrives 4.43 a.m.

DEFECTIVE WIRING

The small son of a well-known electrical engineer is more familiar with the appliances of modern civilization than with the small things of nature, and when visiting the country unhesitatingly picked up a horseshoe to more closely inspect its mechanism. When his father hurried out to discover the cause of the commotion which immediately broke the peace of the summer day, the little lad was ruefully sucking his thumb, while tears streamed down his face. "Why what is the trouble, son?" he asked. "It was the bug," he managed to explain between sobs. "I think his wiring is defective. I touched him and he wasn't insulated at all."

Nothing Like Internal Bathing for Constipation

If people only knew what internal bathing is doing for thousands of others there would be fewer Pills and Laxatives swallowed and very much less suffering from Constipation and the accompanying Stomach and Nervous Troubles resulting from it. J. A. Darrach, Copper Cliff, Ont., writes: "I have been using your J. B. L. Cascade for the past three months, and am convinced that it is the most modern and scientific method of dealing with Constipation that has ever been devised, and I will lose no opportunity to promote its use among my friends, as I can speak truthfully and enthusiastically as to its merits." By the proper application of Nature's cure, warm water, by means of the J. B. L. Cascade, the lower intestines are kept free from all poisonous waste. Drugs force Nature. Internal bathing assists her. Dr. Chas. A. Tyrrel of New York, a specialist on Internal Bathing, invented and perfected the J. B. L. Cascade which has done more during the past twenty years in restoring health and lessening disease than all other means combined. Ask A. V. Rand, Druggist, Wolfville, for booklet, "Why Man of To-day is Only 50 per cent. Efficient." They will also be pleased to show and explain the J. B. L. Cascade to you, or write to Tyrrel's Hygienic Institute, 163 College Street, Toronto. If you can convince a man against his will you may have to do it over again next day.

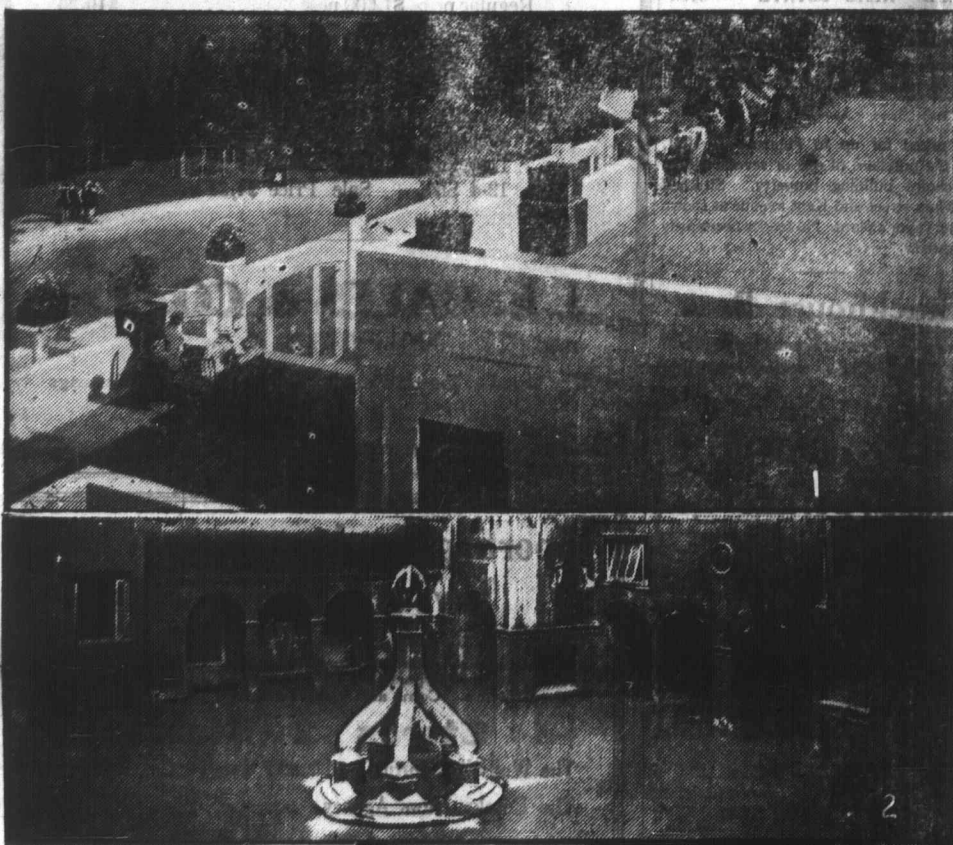
HYMNEAL MATRONS OF NOVA SCOTIA'S CROPS WERE WORTH OVER \$45,000,000 LAST YEAR. According to the annual Nova Scotia crop report which is now available, the valuation set upon last year's field and fruit crops by the Secretary for Agriculture is \$45,660,162, a much lower figure than the estimate published by the Department of Trade and Commerce at Ottawa. Their figure for field crops not including garden and fruit products, is \$54,738,300. The difference is largely accounted for by the fact that the Ottawa bureau based its calculations on the November market quotations. These must now be discounted, owing to falling prices and comparative stagnation in farm produce as in other lines of trade. The salient features of the report noted in a rapid survey ran thus: The hay yield is 10 per cent. below last year's; the turnip crop 15 per cent. below. On the other hand, the potato crop is 30 per cent. higher, a fact however, which is heavily discounted by rot of 25 per cent. of the entire yield. A disappointing feature in this connection is that some of this loss fell upon farmers whose fields were fairly well sprayed. Such fields did not suffer from blight during the usual danger period, but fell victims to a late September blight, due it is believed, to the unusually warm weather which prevailed throughout that month. Last year's commercial production of apples totalled 1,112,520 barrels, as compared with 1,593,738 in 1919 and 1,731,539 in 1911. Last year was one of the three big years in the fruit history of Nova Scotia. When it is remembered that the barrel now in use is one sixth larger than the older barrel, it will be seen that last year's crop was not so very far below our best in bulk. The apple market started off at a very high level, then slumped heavily, and latterly has recovered some strength. The quality was high. Net proceeds of the crop are still uncertain, inasmuch as nearly 50 per cent. of it is still to be shipped. Shortage of feed for cattle and low prices for wool have resulted in a comparatively heavy reduction in live stock in those portions of the province which suffered from the midsummer drouth. On the other hand, a bright feature of the report is a 20 per cent. increase in creamery production over 1919, which, in turn was also a banner year. The 1920 output totalled 2,500,000 lbs. of butter. All in all, the past year has been a fairly good one for the Nova Scotia farmer and his prospects for the future are quite as sure as those of any other citizen in this broad Dominion.

THE AD AND THE MAN. He saw an ad from day to day. And muttered: I defy it; Their stuff may be just what they say. But I'm not going to buy it. As time wore on he made remarks. It would not do to mention. For he was mad because that ad Was forced on his attention. But in a week or two, or three. He said: There's no denying The way that ad gets hold of me— The stuff may be worth trying. For just about a fortnight more He dared mere words to win him. And then the ad completely had Aroused the spender in him. Next day he drifted in a store And quietly expended A few big iron dollars for The stuff the ad recommended. He found it filled a long-felt need Its excellence surprised him. And now he's glad because the ad So deftly hypnotized him.

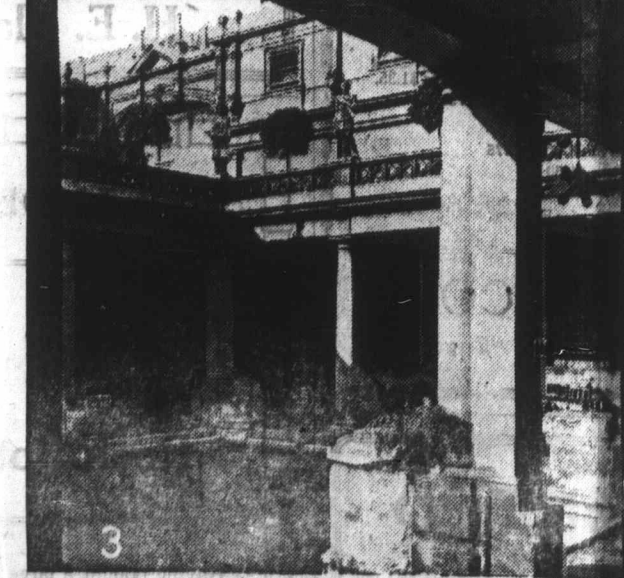
THE STATE OF INDUSTRY. (From the Toronto Globe) Automobiles—Recovering slightly. Condensed milk—Recovering. Building supplies—Quiet. Electrical equipment—Active. Implements—Slowing down. Furniture—Slow. Paint and varnish—Fair. Rubber goods—Slow. Woollens—Slow. Cotton goods—Slow at reduced prices. Steel products—Generally less active. Hot strip steel—In good demand.

H. PRICE WEBBER ORGANIZES DRAMATIC CLUB. The following item from the Kennebec Journal of Augusta, Me., will be of interest to many in the western part of Nova Scotia. "The officers of the Aid of the the Augusta General Hospital have asked the well known actor, H. Price Webber, who is visiting in the city, to give a play for the benefit of the Hospital. He has consented to do this and has organized the Augusta Dramatic Club. He is drilling it on the play dramatized from Tennyson's "Dora." Mr. Webber himself will take one of the leading parts. The play will be presented at the Opera House, for the benefit of the Augusta General Hospital."

Canadian and English Hot Springs



Recently the Canadian Pacific Railway film of the tour of the Prince of Wales in Canada was shown three times a day for three days at Bath, England. The mayor of the town and thousands of the residents of the town and district were exceedingly interested in those pictures, which not only showed the doings of his Royal Highness in the Dominion but also gave vivid details of many of the beautiful scenes of our country. Those who have visited the hot sulphur springs at Banff in the Canadian Pacific Rockies or the Halcyon springs on the Arrow Lakes and derived healthful benefit from them will be glad to learn something about the springs at Bath which are the only hot springs in the United Kingdom. About the middle of 1755 the old Priory or mediæval Abbey, which stood at the south-western corner of the existing Abbey at Bath, was pulled down to give place to a suite of baths for the Duke of Kingston. In removing the foundations, a number of stone coffins were found, and, on making further, the hot mineral water gushed forth and interrupted the work. The site being drained, Roman masonry was disclosed, and subsequently a number of baths and sudatories. That these lay buried still further remains of what must have been an extensive Roman bathing system indications were unmistakable. The rectangular bath, now commonly known as the Lucas bath, was uncovered, and at either end of it a semi-circular deep bath, entered by seven steps. The sudatories lay on the eastern side, together with a number of square baths and other apartments which apparently bathers used preparatory to entering the hot chambers. Some of these rooms were paved with flag stones others were beautifully treated with various colored tessera. Excavations were not then pursued; other buildings were quickly erected over the site, and during the next hundred years no attention was given to the place. It was the year 1878 that marked the most important epoch in the re-discovery of the baths. Engineering works were at that time undertaken to remedy a leakage from the principal spring, and it was discovered that from this leakage the Kingston Baths, then in private hands, derived the whole of their supply. Interpositions ensued, but the Corporation enforced their rights in respect to the water escaping from the King's spring, and the drainings of the site



(1) Banff Springs Hotel.—Guests watching the bathers in the sulphur bath outside the hotel. (2) The King's Spring, at Bath, England; the only Hot Spring in Britain. (3) The Roman Baths, at Bath, known as Aquæ Sulis, and other necessary works proceeded. It was then perceived that the foundations of a number of the modern houses rested upon what was little better than a morass, and Major Davis, to whose unwearied zeal and skilful excavation the city is so much indebted, found, after further exploration and careful tunnelling, that he had at last alighted upon the hidden treasures. Difficult and costly as was the subsequent work of uncovering these remains, the late Major Davis set himself with indomitable perseverance to push it forward. The facts that the baths were some 20 feet below the street level and that continuance of the excavations necessarily involved the demolition of much valuable property were serious considerations which all had the effect of retarding progress. Later on public interest increased and the houses were removed, the immense deposits of other ages carted away and the large area of Roman structures revealed. About 1878 when the great rectangular bath was opened up portions of the culvert of the outfall drain were discovered. In 1883 the hypocaust on the western side of the circular bath was discovered, in 1885 the circular bath itself; in 1886 the latrines and circular hypocaust; in 1887 the bath beneath the basement of the modern baths, and in 1896 another rectangular bath was excavated. That the builders of these baths were attracted into the valley by the hot springs about the middle of the first century, certainly not very long after the Romans first occupied Britain, we have fairly conclusive evidence. A coin of Claudius was found in such a position as to suggest to some authorities the theory that it might have been specially placed to commemorate the foundation of the baths. At any rate from the stones and altars dug up from time to time (one stone bears reference to a definite date A.D. 77-8), and the characteristics of a few of the sculptured remains, some vigorous occupation of Bath can be ascribed, with tolerable accuracy, to the last 30 or 40 years of the first century.

Town of Wolfville

Office of Town Clerk and Treasurer. Notice is hereby given that the assessment roll of the town of Wolfville upon which the rates will be levied in and for the said town for the year 1921 has been filed in the office of the undersigned, the town clerk, and that the said roll is open to the inspection of the ratepayers of the town. And further, take notice that any person, firm, company, association or corporation assessed in such roll, who claims that he or it is over assessed on such roll, may, on or before the tenth day of February next, give notice to the undersigned, the town clerk, that he or it appeals from such assessment, in whole or in part, and shall in such notice state particularly the grounds of objections to such assessment. And further take notice that if any person assessed in such roll claims that any person, firm, company, association or corporation has been omitted or wrongly inserted in such roll, he may, on or before the tenth day of February, give notice in writing to the undersigned, the town clerk, that he appeals in respect to the assessment or non-assessment of the said person, firm, company, association or corporation and shall in such notice state particularly the grounds of his objection. Dated Wolfville, this 29th day of December, 1920. H. Y. BISHOP, Town Clerk

BABY SLEIGHS

Latest styles, handsomely finished in red, green or white enamel, some of them with hoods. \$4.50 to \$21.50 RAIL SLEIGHS \$2.25, \$2.50 BOYS' SLEIGHS, with spring shoes 75c, \$1.00, \$1.50 and \$1.80. STEERING SLEIGHS \$2.00, \$2.25, \$2.70 and \$3.15. Special Price List of Sleighs Now Ready. Write for it. WE PAY FREIGHT on orders amounting to \$10. VERNON & CO., Furniture and Carpets. TRURO, N. S.

SIMPLY MADNESS

(From the Montreal Gazette) If the friendly temper which has prevailed between the United States and the Dominion for over a century could be operative in the European chancelleries, all the 'capital ships' could be sunk in the sea, and indeed, Mr. Wilson had it in mind when he penned the most idealistic message that ever thrilled the political world, that disarmament was to be immediate and complete, and that in the new world which was to arise upon the ruins of the old, force would be unthinkable. That splendid dream, which must become practical if civilization is to endure, awaits the better day and the better temper; but, however antagonistic passions may wax or wane, it would be inconceivable that the United States and Great Britain should go to war; and, therefore, the madness of competitive armaments between them should be realized as quickly as possible, so that instead of being alarmed by "the biggest navy," the world would be reassured by a few necessary police boats to regulate ocean traffic, unostentatiously and innocuously.

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A NEW INDUSTRY AT AYLESFORD.

An Account of the Opening of the New Canning Factory Established by the United Fruit Companies.

By F. E. Peck.

The accompanying article, on the new canning factory erected by "The United Fruit Companies of Nova Scotia," appeared in a recent issue of "The United Farmers' Guide," and was written by Mr. F. E. Peck, who has recently taken up his residence in Wolfville. The article has been highly commended by the officers of the fruit companies, as a fine description of the plant in operation. Mr. Peck is a graduate of Cornell University with the degree of Master of Science in Agriculture, instructing in agriculture at this institution during senior and graduate years; later teacher of agriculture at Mt. Hermon School, Mass., moving to Georgia to take charge of the Agricultural Department of the Berry School at Rome. While in the South, Mr. Peck took up Agricultural writing, contributing regularly to "The Southern Agriculturist." Most of the leading Agricultural papers in the United States have carried articles by Mr. Peck, as "The Country Gentleman" published by the Curtis Publishing Company; "The Rural New Yorker," "Hoard's 'Dairyman'" and "The New England Homestead." Before coming to Wolfville, for the past four years, as manager of the Berkshire County Farm Bureau, Mass., Mr. Peck published "The Berkshire County Farmer's Bulletin."

On Nov. 22, at Aylesford, the machinery of the new canning factory erected by the United Fruit Companies of Nova Scotia was set in motion for the first time. There was no formal opening. The daily papers carried no headlines heralding the news to the public. Only the general manager, the president, and board of managers, were present, as the wheels of this new enterprise were set in motion—an enterprise essential in the development of the Companies' policy of efficiency and economy in marketing, and destined to play an important part in the future of the Nova Scotia apple industry.

No doubt there is many an apple grower, who forgetful of the past, thinking only of this year's profitable returns, and with no vision of the future, will criticize the expenditure of money for such a plant and question whether, or not it is justified in view of the present profitable market reports. Such persons should study the history of large marketing enterprises, many of which attribute their success to the by-product end of the business. Strange to say, in not a few cases, the by-products which were formerly wasted have become the most profitable branch of the business. On the other hand, failure of many a co-operative selling association can be traced directly to the lack of facilities for handling the surplus. The Dairyman's League of New York, a very large, strong organization, is today being shaken to its foundations, simply because it has failed to provide a way to take care of its surplus.

Not only will such a plant act as an insurance against a year of low prices, and glutted markets, but as one of the local managers put it, will tend to improve the standard of the U. F. C. pack as more spotted fruit and fruit under colored, will be shipped to the canning factory, thus automatically improving the standard pack of the company, which will in turn create a demand for fancy Nova Scotia apples at a correspondingly high price.

But the object of this article is not to philosophise on, or defend the need of the plant, but rather to acquaint the members of the various fruit companies, and others interested in the plant and its operation. As one steps off the train at Aylesford, he will notice, a short distance down the track, a large cement block building, on a private siding. This building is 135 x 40 feet, is a three story building, and contains an equipment equal to anything in the Dominion today, of its kind, and probably superior to anything east of British Columbia.

Let us turn back to seventy five years, and note how our grand mothers pared by hand, a pail of apples, during the evening, by the fire-side, with only the light of a tallow candle; then by contrast we can better appreciate today's picture, as represented by the U. F. C. factory at Aylesford. As one steps inside the door, a barrel of apples is dumped on an endless carrier, and conveyed to the floor above; in five minutes time a barrel of peeled apples comes down the carrier at the other end of the room, and not one of them has been touched by a human hand—as wonderful and ingenious as is the electric light, which now supercedes the tallow candle of our grandmother's day, so is the modern machinery for paring apples brilliantly wonderful and ingenious, as compared with the slow tedious hand paring of pioneer days.

As we watch the last of the barrel disappearing out of sight, we are met by the superintendent, Mr. J. W. Corner

a man thoroughly acquainted with all branches of canning, coming from Ontario, where for nineteen years he has been managing similar plants.

With Mr. Corner to explain details, we follow the apples upstairs. From the endless carrier the apples are dumped into a tank of water, about forty feet long and four wide. Just above the tank on one side runs a slowly revolving shaft, upon which are paddles, these constantly keep the apples in the fifteen different sections, working towards the fifteen paring machines, located on the opposite side of the tank. Here the apples surround a narrow boxed in run-way; on either side of this run-way is a mechanical hand, which alternately lifts an apple up from the tank, first on one side, then on the other, placing it in the narrow box-like run-way—here let it be said that practically all apples float stem end up. Now a mechanical device like two open hands ready to catch a ball, comes out and down from the paring machine, closes on the floating apple, and returns to the machine, placing the apple squarely on the fork, more truly on the centre than would be possible by hand. In a twinkling the peel flies off, another move and the apple is kicked off, peeled and cored, another fork has moved into place, but the mechanical hands have another apple ready, and so on and so on, rapidly and tirelessly, with mechanical precision, and accuracy, fifteen of these machines eat into the carloads of apples at the rate of 600 to 800 bushels per day when running at capacity.

Cores and peelings drop on an endless carrier, and are conveyed to one end of the building where later they will be made into vinegar. The pared apples fall on another similar endless carrier, and go to the other end of the building where they are dumped into a brine solution in a tank on the floor below. The function of this brine being to keep the apples from discoloring. From this tank the apples are taken in pails, placed on another endless carrier about forty feet long, which carries the pails down between two rows of girls, seated at long tables on either side. Here the apples are trimmed and quartered, and passed on to the inspection table, then to the washing vat, where revolving paddles not only wash, but also work the apples on to a carrier which conveys them to the filling table, where forty gallon cans, twenty on a side, can be filled at once.

At this point it is interesting to note the labor saving device for bringing the empty cans and putting them in place to be filled. We might expect this to be the work of two or three boys, but no boys are in evidence. A shoot from the floor above, where the empty cans are stored, is filled with cans all the time; these come down the inclined shoot on their side, but as they near the filling table, by an ingenious spiral turn in the shoot, the cans arrive one at a time, right side up, and gently drop on to the carrier at the end of the table where they are to be filled.

At the filling table a girl on either side quickly fills the cans; they are again placed on the carriers and moved on to be sealed—a process in which the cans are filled with live steam and water—they now pass into the exhauster, a machine which removes any air from the cans, they then travel on their endless track to the sealing machine, where from a stack of covers, one drops on each can, and the heavy powerful machine gives the can a whirl, and it is sealed air-tight, and perfect.

One step more, however is needed—this is the cooking process. The cans now move into the large Wonder Cooker, a Canadian machine, made by The Brown, Boggs Co., of Hamilton, Ontario. This Cooker has a capacity of 5000 gallons a day, and is said to be the best machine of its kind on the market. Here, under pressure of superheated steam, the apples are given just enough cooking to destroy all forms of germ life that might cause fermentation, yet not enough to impair the color texture, or quality of the fruit. This is the most important step in the

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PHOSPHONOL FOR MEN

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canning process, and requires the knowledge of an expert to put out a uniform product of the highest quality. Different qualities require different lengths of time in cooking. If all varieties were given the same amount of cooking, some would come out underdone, some would be all right, and others would be a mush.

When this important step has been completed, the cans are mechanically run out of the cooker, and down an inclined plane to a tank of water in the basement, to be cooled, then stacked, ready to be labelled and boxed for shipment as desired. It is a wonderful sight to look into this great frost-proof cellar, already starting to fill with these bright cans of apples.

About forty hands are required, to operate the plant. How many more would be needed to do the work of the endless conveyors, mechanical parers, washers, cookers and other labor saving devices, it would be hard to say. The whole plant is planned as a unit of efficiency; empty cans and apples start from the top floor, work down, going the round of the second floor, and finally ending up ready for shipment in the basement.

Not only is the plant a model in efficiency, it is equally true "the last word" in sanitation. There seems nothing left to be desired in the way of cleanliness. From the time the apples reach the water bath on the top floor, where they are washed and pared, cleanliness and efficiency go hand in hand till the finished product leaves the factory.

GEESSE—BY A YOUNG GOOSE.

(From the Boston Transcript.)

Here is a Kansas schoolboy's essay of geese. "Geese" is a low, heavy-set bird composed mostly of meat and feathers. His head sits on one side and he sits on the other. Geese can't sing much on account of the dampness of the moisture. There ain't no between to his toes and he carries a toy balloon in his stomach to keep him from sinking. Some geese when they get big are called ganders and have curls on their tails. Ganders don't have to sit and hatch, but they just loaf and go swimming and eat. If I was a goose I'd rather be a gander anytime.

When a girl weighing 180 pounds answers to the name of "Birdie" the eternal fitness of things gets an awful jolt.

Immigration to the United States from any foreign country has been suspended for a period of one year. The ban will not be effective until two months after the passage of the bill by Congress. But the Canadian dollar can go, and probably will continue to go, where Canadians can't.

Suttee, that barbaric custom in which a Hindu widow cremates herself, or is cremated on the funeral pyre of her husband, has been abolished by the State of Nepal, India. The State of Nepal has instituted many reforms recently, notably the prohibition of opium and alcohol.

Minard's Liniment for Garget in Cows

A Quick Relief for Headache A headache is frequently caused by badly digested food; the gases and acids resulting therefrom are absorbed by the blood which in turn irritates the nerves and causes painful symptoms called headache, neuralgia, rheumatism, etc. 15 to 30 drops of Mother Seigel's Syrup will correct faulty digestion and afford relief.

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LOTS OF APPLES IN THE VALLEY

Two Hundred Thousand Barrels Are Available for Export.

The final stage of marketing operations of the apple industry season in the Annapolis Valley is now being entered in most warehouses. Packing of all except the harder varieties such as Ben Davis, Nonpareil or Roxburgh Russet, has been completed. Shipments of Baldwin, Spy, Golden Russet, Starks and such like are being made as fast as ships can be provided. The yield of 1920 on the whole was below that of 1919, which was exceptional in point of quantity, but the quality of the fruit, conditions of the weather, and labor for picking, and the average price per barrel tree run, have proved much better. As emphasized however, the advantage of ensuring the best possible crop, it is interesting to note that the costliest apples have proved the cheapest to the buyers. Much of the three dollar a barrel run resulted in loss which must be compensated for by profit netted by the three-fifty and three-seventy-five tree run fruit.

The co-operative growers report returns of \$3.92 per barrel average of all grades from early shipments, but the interesting question as to whether the growers who stood loyal to the companies or those who sold to agents and other dealers will get the highest average tree run, cannot be answered yet a while. According to a conservative estimate by the shippers there are about 200,000 barrels available for export.

W. C. T. U. Notes.

Women's Christian Temperance Union first organized in 1874. AIM—The protection of the home, the abolition of the liquor traffic and the triumph of Christ's Golden Rule in custom and in law. MOTTO—For God and Home and Native Land.

BADGE—A knot of White Ribbon. WATCHWORD—A gitate, educate, organize.

Let us not judge one another any more, but judge this rather, that no man put a stumbling block or an occasion to fall in his brother's way. RM. 14-81. Business meeting of the W. C. T. U. the last Monday of every month.

OFFICERS OF WOLFVILLE UNION: President—Mrs. J. G. Elderkin 1st. Vice President—Mrs. W. O. Taylor 2nd Vice President—Mrs. G. W. Miller Recording Sec'y.—Mrs. Ernest Redden Cor. Sec'y.—Mrs. Roy Jodrey Treasurer—Mrs. H. Pineo

SUPERINTENDENTS Evangelistic—Mr. William Chipman Parlor Meetings—Mrs. D. G. Whidden Labrador Work—Mrs. J. W. Vaughn Fishermen and Lumbermen—Mrs. W. E. Fielding

Anti-Narcotic—Mrs. W. O. Taylor. Flower Fruit and Delicacies—Mrs. A. W. Bleakney Christian Citizenship—Mrs. B. O. Davidson

Press—Mrs. M. P. Freeman White Ribbon and Willard Hall—Mrs. T. Hutchinson. Temperance in Sabbath Schools—Mr. C. A. Patriquin.

A butcher boy says he has often heard of the fore-quarters of the globe, but he has never heard anyone say anything about the hind quarters.

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Personal Paragraphs

Dr. G. B. Cutten returned home from New York on Tuesday. Dr. and Mrs. Eugene Eaton have left for a two weeks trip to Boston and New York. Mrs. A. B. Balcom left last week on an extended visit to friends in Boston and vicinity. Mrs. MacKinnon, of Charlottetown, P. E. I., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. A. D. Borden. Mr. W. B. Withrow, of Windsor, arrived in town this week, having entered into partnership with Mr. R. B. Blauveltd. Mrs. W. C. Bleakney left on Tuesday for Sussex, N. B., where she was summoned in consequence of the serious illness of her sister. Mr. Fred Ellis, formerly of Wolfville, but now of Halifax, was a member of the Wanderers hockey team which played here Wednesday night. Dr. J. H. MacDonald was in Newton Centre, Mass., last week as a member of the examining board of the Newton Theological Institution. Mrs. Borden Young and three children of Winnipeg, arrived in Wolfville last Saturday morning and are visiting at the home of Mr. Young's mother, Mrs. E. C. Young. Mr. W. G. Mould, who spent some time in Wolfville last summer installing a Monotype in the office of THE ACADIAN, was in town for a few days at the week-end. He left on Monday for Sydney.

GASPEREAU NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Turner, of New Minas, have been spending a few days with Mrs. Turner's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Westcott. We are sorry to hear Mrs. John Brown very sick with Erysipelas. Mrs. Fred Pratt has returned from Falmouth after visiting relatives there. The young people have been spending very pleasant times playing Progressive Crokinole in the Division Hall every fortnight. Mr. Wilbert Duncanson took a number of the farmers to the Fruit Growers Association at Windsor in his auto truck, on Wednesday of this week. Congratulations are extended to Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Davison on the arrival of a son, on Sunday, January 16. The Oyster Supper of the Agricultural Society was successfully carried out on Jan. 17th. The supper was served at 9 o'clock in the lower part of the hall, afterwards going up stairs, where several speeches, music and good times were delightfully rendered. Owing to weather conditions Prof. Blair and other guests were unable to attend. Miss Bertha Nowlin spent last week with friends in Hantsport. The Annual Business Meeting of the Melanson Cooperage Co., was held on Tuesday, Jan. 18th.

ANOTHER FIRE IN HALIFAX

Destruction of property valued at \$150,000; the wiping out of the entire stock of Morton and Thompson, one of the largest hardware houses of Halifax, and the complete gutting of their large brick premises, with the total property loss of all the tenants, and more or less damage by water and smoke to seven other business concerns in adjacent buildings, were the results of a fire which broke out in the second story of the Morton and Thompson building, corner of Sackville and Granville Streets, Halifax, at ten minutes to five o'clock Wednesday afternoon. The fire swept with astounding rapidity and in ten minutes from the ringing of the alarm, the building with all its contents was doomed and danger to surrounding buildings was becoming more and more acute. Fortunately there was no wind, and the sheets of flame with enormous volume of smoke carried straight skyward, the brick walls of the building confining the blaze, the windows being the only escape for the flames until they had vanquished the roof. Others who were burned out were: Dr. W. H. S. Gray, dentist, and O. L. Murphy, tailor. The following firms water: The Capitol Cigar and Shoe Shine Parlor; Thomas J. Markley, barber; New York Millinery Parlors; J. A. MacDonald, Piano and Music Company; English and Scotch Woolen Company; Scotia Billiard Parlour and Dunlop Tire and Rubber Goods Company.

EGG LAYING CONTEST

The report of the Nova Scotia Egg Laying Contest which is being held at the Agricultural College, Truro, up to and including January 9th, has just come to hand. The leading pens as follows: Leading Pen: White Wyandottes, 181 Eggs, owned by Edison Eagles, Windsor. Second Pen: Barred Plymouth Rocks, Owned by Mrs. W. S. Eagles, Gasperreau. Third Pen: Rhode Island Reds, 137 Eggs, Owned by Edison Griffin, Fort Bank. J. W. Williams' pen of White Wyandottes is in sixteenth place with 70 eggs to their credit. Edison Griffin's pen of Rhode Island Reds is in nineteenth place with 57 eggs.

The Canadian Presbyterian Calendar for the month of January is now available.

TOWN OF WOLEVILLE

Receipts and disbursements for year ending 31st Dec., 1920.

Table with columns for Receipts and Disbursements. Items include Court Fees, Licences, Municipality of Kings County, Poll Tax, Dog Tax, Assessments, Assessment Interest, Schools, Streets, Street Construction, Patriotic Fund, Highway Tax, Salaries, Water Rate, Water Reservoir, Contingent Acct, Police, Deposit Receipt, Street Lighting, Fine, Sewer, Poor, Water Debenture, Interest, Front Street Property, Bank Balance as at 1st Jan., '20, Outstanding Cheques 1st Jan., '20, Bank Balance as at 31st Dec., '20, Outstanding Cheques 31st Dec., '20, Cash on hand at 1st Jan., '20, Cash on hand as at 31st Dec., '20.

S. C. WEST & John W. F. Maxwell, Auditors.

TOWN OF WOLFVILLE

Balance Sheet as at 31st December, 1920.

Table with columns for ASSETS and LIABILITIES. Assets include Sinking Fund-Sewers, Sinking Fund-Schools, Sinking Fund-Streets, Sinking Fund-Water, Water Works and Land, School Buildings and Land, Fire Station and Land, Fire Equipment, Town Lot-East, Town Lot-West, Taxes over due, Considered good, Road Making Machinery, Watering Cart, Cart and Harness, Horse, Sewer System, Town Scales, Permanent Streets, Deposit Receipts, Inventories-Water, Inventories-Streets, Inventories-Sewer, Cash on hand. Liabilities include Water Debentures, School Debentures, Sewer Debentures, Streets Debentures, Overdraft due Bank, Outstanding Cheques, Accounts Payable, Balance-Surplus.

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N. S. FRUIT GROWERS' ASSN

The 57th annual meeting of the Nova Scotia Fruit Growers' Association was held at Windsor this week. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: M. K. Ellis, President. G. H. Vroom, Vice-President. F. W. Foster, Secretary. H. Foote, Assistant Secretary. Prof. W. S. Blair, Treasurer. Auditors: J. R. Webster and R. S. Eaton, Kentville.

The Provincial Legislature of Quebec opened on the 11th. A Bill is promised that will restrict the sale of liquors and give the Government absolute and immediate control.

NOTICE

The annual meeting of Willow Bank Cemetery will be held at the Council Chamber of the Town Hall, Monday, Jan. 24, at 7:30 p.m.

R. E. HARRIS, Secretary.

A London astronomer says that the Earth may be in collision with a Comet in the month of June. A Comet, that appears only once in 5,983 years, is traveling 100 miles a minute head-on for our little earth.

PHOTO FRAMES

AT THE GRAHAM STUDIO

PHONE 70-11

MELANSON MANUFACTURING CO.

Holds Annual Meeting and Declares Dividend

The annual meeting of the Melanson Manufacturing Company was held on Tuesday. The directors reported the completion of a banner year, and recommended the declaration of a ten per cent. dividend on the stock. It was also proposed that the business be enlarged and the solicitor be instructed to prepare preliminaries necessary to the carrying out of the scheme for enlarging the capital for the extension of the business. Mr. James P. Eye, to whose energetic and careful management is largely due the success of the company, stated in an interview that the flat-hoop barrel has not been abandoned, and that a limited quantity will be manufactured for sale next season. Various experiments have proved that the soft maple and yellow birch, after a two-thirds seasoning, will undoubtedly give results, equivalent to the elm in Ontario. The machine which turns out the finished hoop, is the invention of R.B. Richardson, of Bedford, N. S., and was built by Cowans, of Gault, Ontario. But it is not perfect as yet, the main difficulty being with the steel belt, but this, too, is in process of being remedied. A new steel belt has just arrived and awaits trial, while the inventor proposes the trying of a specially made chain belt, but the question is to who is to stand three hundred dollars or more which it will cost has not as yet been settled. Once these matters of the belt and the suitable wood have been settled, Mr. Eye is enthusiastic in his confidence that the flat-hoop barrel will prove a commercial success as well as a boon to the apple industry of the Valley.

The city of Moose Jaw, Sask., has set aside two streets of the city for coasting purposes and have closed them to vehicular traffic.

The United States Congress on the 17th voted to limit the size of the regular army to 175,000 enlisted men.

Masquerade Dance

Olympic Chapter, I. O. D. E. Nicklet Hall, Kentville Thursday Evening, February 3rd

Harmonic Orchestra, Halifax in attendance

Prizes awarded for the best Lady's and Gentleman's Costumes

Gentlemen \$2.00 Ladies \$1.00

The Big Social Event of the Season

The Merchant Who Advertises

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We wish to take this opportunity of thanking our customers for their patronage during the past year and wish them all a Happy and Prosperous 1921

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MIND THE PAINT GIRL

FEATURING

ANITA STEWART

Slum Girl wins Fame as Theatrical Star. English Lord and Army Officer battle for her love. Anita Stewart excels in "Mind The Paint Girl"

At the Opera House, Friday & Saturday, Jan. 28-29

Don't mind ordinary paint, but beware of the grease paint on the chorus girl.

When you kiss a chorus girl, mind the grease paint.

Don't worry about spoiling a suit of clothes with paint. But don't soil your marriage with grease paint. It may cost you your home and \$50,000 for breach of promise.

We are not knocking the chorus girl, but Oh, you beautiful doll.

Mind the Paint Girl, but see the stage behind the wings in this picture.

Would you like to leap into fame as an actress in one night? See how it is done in "Mind the Paint Girl." It has happened.

Take a look at the scenes behind the wings in an actress' life. It is all shown in "Mind the Paint Girl."

Here's your chance to see the stage girls behind the scenes, making up for their parts, their dressing room scenes and their parties after the play, on the stage and in the lobster houses. Get a ticket for the "Mind the Paint Girl" Friday and Saturday.

Don't miss this Special Production and after seeing it you will thank us for telling you about it.

Shows at 7:30 and 9 p.m.

Prices 20c and 30c.