



# THE ACADIAN.

WOLFVILLE, N. S., DEC. 9, 1904.

## Our Independence.

THE ACADIAN prides itself upon being an independent journal in the proper acceptance of the term. An independent journal is not one which does not discuss political matters at all because of the fear of antagonizing the political party. Such a paper is more really 'dependent' even than the party organ, which at least is free to express its opinions in reference to the opposite party, and is not in fear of both. The truly independent paper knows neither fear nor favor, but strikes at the abuse wherever it shows itself, providing the blow can be useful. Since, however, the Province is pretty well supplied with party organs on both sides THE ACADIAN as a general thing, is willing to leave mere party controversy to them, and only enters the discussion when the questions at issue are of particular interest to its constituents. Our columns are always open, however, to legitimate discussion by correspondents, irrespective of their politics.

Two weeks ago we published a letter from a highly respected correspondent, dealing briefly with militia matters and the public record of the Minister of Militia. In the course of this letter our correspondent quoted the opinion of the Canadian Military Gazette in reference to the present militia department as follows:

"This is almost altogether due to the natural inability of the Minister of Militia to act in a straight manner. . . . No other reference was made to the matter in our columns and editorially THE ACADIAN has been perfectly silent on the question."

This, however, does not prevent the official organ in this country of the Minister of Militia from reviewing in its last issue the correspondence as the utterance of THE ACADIAN and attacking our independence for giving expression to such views."

A party organ is naturally expected to reflect in its columns the policy of its patron. Have we not here unmistakable evidence that our contemporary has taken on that characteristic of Sir Frederick which THE Canadian Military Gazette describes as a 'natural inability to act in a straight manner.' Judging from what we know of the Western Chronicle we can further take for granted that the characteristic was assumed without any very severe wrench of traditions.

Our contemporary seeks to impugn our reputation for honesty and independence.

**The Kind You Have Always Bought**  
change of ownership, and the fact that which would be guilty of such a flagrant misrepresentation as that made in this connection does not make us feel very bad. An authority, too, which would regard the Halifax Chronicle as its standard of independence might be expected to be no altogether suited with the independence of THE ACADIAN.

It is a little unfortunate that so serious an imputation of professional decency and truthfulness should be made by our contemporary so soon after the announcement that its despatches had been committed to a lady editor. It seems only fair to state that the connection of the nominal editor with the authorship of the article in question is probably very remote. As a warm champion of the Minister of Militia could only be the product of some one who, as our correspondent hints, has good and sufficient reason to wish to appear to be friendly disposed to the department. Perhaps the eulogy is to make certain the presumption of the writer that the 'provisional appointments' in the Army Service Corps shall be made 'permanent.' How pathetic is his complaint that anything like independence in newspaper work means the 'prompt withdrawal' of the 'means of existence.'

It was not our intention to discuss the merits of the new Army Service Corps in its management at Aldershot during the past season, but inasmuch as our criticism is thus challenged by the Minister's organ we will probably have occasion in a subsequent issue to throw some light upon it, as well as upon other matters connected with the militia department.

## The Christmas Canadian Magazine.

It is pleasant to know that the Christmas numbers of the Canadian periodicals show signs of displacing the Christmas numbers of foreign magazines. The Christmas 'Canadian Magazine' with its handsome cover and its magnificent illustrations is something to be proud of, seeing that every feature of it is 'made in Canada.' The art of printing has not been neglected in this issue, that is quite evident, for nothing could be finer than the mechanical appearance of this issue. The contents are also worthy of commendation. Mr. Waters, a returned self-supporting missionary, gives a picture of social life and customs in Tongaland. G. Mercer Adams gives some reminiscences of Professor Goldwin Smith's advent to Canada. Sir Gilbert Parker tells of his experiences during his first days in the House of Commons. This is profusely illustrated. T. G. Marquis delineates the peculiar character of the Hon. Andrew G. Blair. William Wilford Campbell contributes a two-page poem. The stories are by W. A. Fraser, W. Albert Hickman, and G. W. Murray.

## The Wolfville Tabernacle.

ITS WORK AND NEEDS.

The Executive Committee of the Wolfville Tabernacle Society has instructed the undersigned to present the claims of the work being carried on at the Tabernacle.

The enterprise originated in a desire to bring spiritual help to a certain class of our community that was not being reached by the churches.

With this end in view certain persons from different churches in the town combined for the erection of a suitable building which was named the Wolfville Tabernacle. A society was then organized and arrangements made for the carrying out of the purposes contemplated.

The fundamental idea of the whole work was thus expressed, Conversion, Christian Education, general helpfulness, and assistance towards self-respecting good citizenship. Article II of the constitution adopted by the society, states its object in the following comprehensive words:

'The purpose of the undertaking is the glory of God in the salvation of our fellows.'

A Sunday School was organized after the opening of the Tabernacle which has done excellent work. There is an enrollment on the register of 70. The average attendance is about 40, with six teachers who have assumed the work with an earnest and Christ-like purpose.

A preaching service is held every Sunday evening when some 40 or 50 assemble to hear the word, a portion of the audience being composed of persons who usually attend other services.

The prayer meeting attendance on Wednesday evenings is not as large as it should be, but the same may be affirmed of other prayer meetings in the town.

Several have already professed conversion who, so far as we are informed, are leading consistent lives, although not as yet applying for membership in the church of their choice. The promoters of this work do not wish it to be considered a rival of the churches. The Tabernacle work should have a close and vital relation to them all. It should furnish a common meeting ground for Christian service. Streams of sacred influences should flow thither from all our churches, and so help to purify and sweeten the lives about us.

Institutional work is being attempted on a small scale. With the necessary means much more might be undertaken.

The upper rooms are opened four evenings of the week for the use of men and boys, under certain restrictions. One is a Reading-room that has a supply of magazines and papers. The other two rooms are used for the playing of games. Thursday evenings are given to the women and girls.

The Social Committee have arranged that there shall be an attendance of at least three persons who shall have the oversight of the rooms during the evening, and, as far as practicable, provide some literary entertainment.

We have in the above briefly indicated the nature of the work that is being done. It is apparent that such an enterprise requires money to carry it on. It seems to us that no home work appeals more strongly for pecuniary help than this. The collections in the Sunday School and at the Sunday evening services have thus far sufficed for their running expenses. The opening of the upper rooms entails a further outlay which must otherwise be provided for.

There is also an indebtedness upon the building of \$600.00, the yearly interest of which must be met and a sinking fund created which in the course of a few years shall be sufficient to pay the principal.

We believe that this work is deserving of a large place in the sympathies of all who desire the uplifting of their fellow citizens, and confidently ask for their pecuniary and moral assistance.

Some are already pledged to a certain amount yearly. More of this class are needed. We shall also be glad to receive any sums, at any time that cheerful givers may hand to Principal E. W. Sawyer, Treasurer of the Society, or to any member of the Soliciting Committee.

## Mr. Woodman's New Store.

Mr. A. J. Woodman moved into his new store last week. The building which has just been completed, is of brick, 62x28 feet, two stories high, and is a decided addition and ornament to the town. The store is 28 x 30 feet, and is lighted with large 9 x 9 feet plate-glass windows. The walls and ceiling are painted white, making the store bright and attractive and very well adapted to the showing of goods. A neat stairway leads to the second floor, where is a large show-room 28 x 30, well lighted with a window of 7 x 7 plate-glass and other windows. This will be used for showing parlor and other fine furniture. In the rear is a large room for storing furniture and a part of this floor will also be devoted to show undertaking goods. On the first floor in the rear is a commodious room for picture framing and similar work, with racks for wall-paper, picture moulding, blinds, &c. The building has a fine large cellar under it, and is well constructed throughout. Mr. Woodman has splendid facilities in the new store for showing his fine stock of furniture, and will have a fine display for the holiday season.

# Furs. Furs. Furs.

We are in receipt of our second lot of Ladies' FUR RUEFS. First lot has been closed out. Why? Because of their Quality and Unequaled Values.

## WE SHINE

in Sable and Fox Ruffs. None better, and Prices Satisfactory. If you wish a Coon Jacket, Astrachan or Hkrainer, let us talk Jackets with you.

## GENTLEMEN!

We carry Coon, Call, Manchurian Lamb and Wombat Fur Coats. Also Fur Lined and Blizzard Proof Coats. Buy from us—you get, first Quality, Close Prices and will carry a smile that won't come off.

Send post-card for FUR CATALOGUE.

Port Williams House,  
CHASE, CAMPBELL & CO.

## Where to Buy Xmas Gifts IS THE Problem of the Season

The difficulty vanishes on paying a visit to my store where may be seen a splendid assortment in the following lines:

CUT GLASS articles from 75c to \$20.00.

SILVERWARE of every description, large & small articles.

STERLING SILVER in fancy & useful articles.

JEWELLERY of every description in solid gold, sterling silver and gold filled.

ALSO a large and choice variety of Xmas Novelties. An inspection solicited. No trouble to show goods.

R. H. TWEEDELL  
MAIN ST. WOLFVILLE.

Opposite Royal Hotel.

# XMAS

is almost here, are you prepared for it? Well we are. We have the very newest and most fashionable stock of

## LADIES' & MEN'S FURNISHINGS

In which you can select many acceptable and useful gifts. XMAS is coming nearer every hour. Wouldn't something like this please your particular lady friend.

**A Beautiful CHIFFON SILK STOCK** Boxed separately especially for Christmas gifts. We have them from 75c. to \$2.50

**UMBRELLAS** in Gold, Silver, Horn and Wood Handles from \$1.00 to \$5.00. Nothing could be more acceptable with Monogram engraved. We can have this done at short notice.

**HANDKERCHIEF BOXES** in 3, 6 and 12, the box itself being a fine example of the lithographer's skill.

**WAISTS SILK** from \$2.00 to \$7.50. Silk Tafeta Undershirts \$3.00, \$4.00, and \$5.00. Space won't allow us to tell you about all the useful things you may find here for Christmas. Call and inspect and be satisfied.

**Men's Furnishings** We laid in this line for newness of style and durability. HATS and CAPS, wear nothing but Haves.

**NECKWEAR** in all Colorings and Styles, boxed especially for Christmas trade. Shirts, Gloves, Umbrellas, Underwear, Hosiery, Smoking and Dressing Jackets.

We have everything in this line that is new and most acceptable for

## XMAS GIFTS.

Give us a call and be convinced that we can save you from 10 to 20 per cent on every Christmas article you buy from us.

J. S. HEALES

Opposite Post Office.

## We Have just added two important Agencies to our business, viz:

### (1) The Eureka Art Co.

Come in and see our proposition for enlarging any photo. in Crayon, Water Color, Etc. (including Glass and Handsome Frame) at a very small cost to customer. This work is first-class in every respect and we GUARANTEE SATISFACTION.

### (2) The Edison and Columbia Talking Machines.

These are the highest types of machines and there can be nothing more satisfactory for the family during the long winter nights. Prices \$5.00 to \$40.00. Anything not in stock will be ordered at once.

COME IN AND SEE US!

Rand's Drug Store.

TELEPHONE No. 10.

## Compulsory Education.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE WOLFVILLE ACADIAN:—Will you kindly insert in THE ACADIAN the following extracts from the 'Acts for Public Instruction' for the benefit of parents and guardians. The 'Town's Compulsory Attendance Act' having been adopted in this town it is the intention of the School commissioners to have the same carried into effect.

1. Every parent, guardian or person having charge of any child, residing in the town shall cause such child to attend some public or private school, approved by the board, at least one hundred and twenty days in each school year, except as exempted under the preceding provisions of this act.

12. Every parent, guardian or person having charge of any child in the town who fails to comply with the next two preceding sections, shall be liable to a penalty of not less than one dollar nor more than twenty dollars for the first offence, and for every second or subsequent offence to a penalty of one dollar and costs, for each school year that the law is not complied with.

ANDREW DE W. BARRS,  
Chairman School Commissioners,  
Dec. 7th '04

## Is Your Doctor Bill Large?

Best way to keep it small is not to call the doctor, but use Nervine instead. For minor ailments like colds, coughs, chills, headache and stomach trouble Nervine is just as good as any doctor. It breaks up a cold in one night, cures soreness in the chest, and for neuralgia, toothache and rheumatism you can't get anything half so good as Nervine. The fame of Nervine for cramps, colic, and pain in the stomach extends far and wide. Good for everything a liniment can be good for and costs but 25c. for a large bottle.

## A Creditable Nova Scotia Industry

W. J. C. Redding of the firm of W. H. Redding & Sons, of Yarmouth, manufacturers of fine boots and shoes, was in town over Sunday. He had just returned from Halifax, where he had been in the interests of his firm, and reported a good business in that city. The firm is composed of the father and four sons, all practical men, and is carrying on a business that is a credit to the province. They employ about eighty hands, including skilled labor from the big shoe towns of Massachusetts, and their work is equal to any put on the market. We had the pleasure of inspecting their large range of samples, which certainly demonstrates that there is no need for our merchants sending to the Upper Provinces or the U. S. for fine goods in this line. Their goods are all good-year, well-tanned, and are made in all the most fashionable and up-to-date lasts. Their two leading lines are the 'Premier' for men, and the 'Princess' for women. These with their other makes are handled in Wolfville by Mr. C. H. Borden. It is a pleasure for us to say a good word for any industry having its home in Nova Scotia.

## A Halifax Merchant's Opinion of Amos.

I would not be without Amos's Essence of God Liver Oil for fifty times its value in money. I find that it is the only medicine that will cut the phlegm and loosen my cough immediately; all other medicines that I have tried only hardened it, and I was nearly racked to pieces. My wife thinks that AMOS'S ESSENCE is a wonderful tonic; she thinks there is no remedy like it.

Yours truly,

## How Nova Scotians Lose On Apples Sent Abroad.

NEW YORK, December 5.—The Journal of Commerce says: 'The produce trade, export and domestic, of this city is much wrought up just now regarding the cable quotations for American apples in the English market. George A. Coppan, of Boston, who receives quotations by cables to whose attention the matter was brought, insists that a coterie in England has systematically banded together for several years past to get the product of apple growers of the United States and Canada for little or nothing. Mr. Coppan says they resort to different tactics each year to accomplish this purpose, and this year fortunately for them, they had fairly good crops of apples in Europe to harp on and which they magnified to such an extent that it made many growers in this country feel as if they were going to get little or nothing for their fruit. Mr. Coppan declares that these particular dealers have agents in Boston, Toronto and Nova Scotia, and he continues: 'They consist of fruit merchants in Liverpool especially, where the worst of them hold forth, but are in Glasgow, London, Manchester and other markets. They advertise freely through the papers here as receivers of apples on the other side. They put their consignments into the fruit auctioneers' hands for realization, and here is where the injurious work comes in.' The fruit auctioneers are fair, Mr. Coppan thinks, but these persons on the other side. Mr. Coppan avers, manage at the auctions to secure the most desirable lots and resell the apples at private sale at high prices, while they return to the shipper on this side, Mr. Coppan avers, account sales based on the auctioneers' returns.

## An Aid to Mothers.

In thousands of cases it has been proved that Baby's Own Tablets is the very best thing for children suffering from colic, constipation, diarrhoea, simple fevers, colds and teething trouble. The Tablets are guaranteed to contain no opiate or harmful drugs, and may be given with equal safety to the tender, new born babe, or the well grown child. Mrs. Joel Anderson, Shanley, Ont., is one of the mothers who have proved the value of this medicine, and says:—'I have used Baby's Own Tablets with the very best results. They are easy to give little ones, and I have never known them to fail to benefit.'

Every mother should keep the Tablets in the house. In an emergency they may save a precious little life. Sold by all druggists or mailed at 25 cents a box by writing The Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

## Just a few short weeks and then CHRISTMAS.

No matter who else may be unprepared for the festive season customers will find us ready with one of the finest stocks of

## Staple and Fancy GROCERIES

Ever shown in this county. Our store will be headquarters for everything needed to meet the requirements of patrons. One of our specialties is

## New and Seasonable FRUITS

including Raisins in bulk and package, Currants in bulk and package, Choice Table Raisins, Grapes, Oranges, Lemons, Dates and Figs.

Nuts of all kinds. Watch for future adv. and our big Window display of O. B. Chocolates W. T. STEPHENS McKenna Building.

# OVERSHOES

for Men—low and high out. for Women—button, buckle and strap.

Also Misses and Children's do. New styles in the best makes at the

People's Shoe Store,  
N. M. SINCLAIR.

## FOR EVERY MAN!

Who purchases within Thirty days a Suit of Clothes or an Overcoat and pays Cash for what he gets we'll make

A Pair of Good Trousers For you

FREE

A pair of Good Trousers well made and Perfectly Fitting. Take your pick of anything in stock under \$6 a pair.

WOLFVILLE CLOTHING CO.

10 cts. a copy. \$1.00 a year.

# MCCLURE'S MAGAZINE

is 'the cleanest, most stimulating, meatiest general magazine for the family,' says one of the million who read it every month. It is without question

'The Best at any Price'

Great features are promised for next year—six or more wholesome interesting short stories in every number, continued stories, beautiful pictures in colors, and articles by such famous writers as Ida M. Tarbell, Lincoln Steffens, Ray Stannard Baker, John La Farge, William Allen White and Charles Wagner. Get all of it right into your home by taking advantage of this

**SPECIAL OFFER**  
Send \$1.00 before January 31, 1905, for a subscription for the year 1905 and we will send you from the November and December numbers of 1904—fourteen months for \$1.00 or the price of twelve. Address: MCCLURE'S, 48-50 East 23rd Street, New York City. Write for agents' term.

## DENTISTRY.

Dr. A. J. McKenna  
Graduate of Philadelphia Dental College  
Office in McKenna Block, Wolfville.  
Telephone No. 43.  
GAS ADMINISTERED.

## Acadia Seminary

Souvenir Calendar For 1905.  
Will be ready for distribution about

December 12, 1904.

The calendar, consisting of twelve streets bound in attractive covers, will contain fine half-tone plates of the Seminary Interior and Grounds. A unique gift for

Christmas & New Year's  
Price 30 cents.  
For sale at the stores or it may be had of the Principal  
H. T. DeWolfe.

## ROBSON'S Photos

Make Excellent XMAS PRESENTS.

GEO. A. JOHNSON'S TONSORIAL PARLOR.  
Main St. Wolfville  
Under Mr. Robson's Studio.

WHEN you buy a suit of clothes here you get VALUE.

We give no premiums. We can sell our clothes without any inducement of that sort. We have a large new stock of high-grade goods. We can make you a suit that

FITS & LOOKS WELL  
at prices ranging from \$15.00 to \$25.00. Our patterns are very handsome. We would appreciate a call from YOU  
I. S. BOATES & Co.

THE ACADIAN  
WOLFVILLE, N. S.  
Messages by Acadia  
A lot of fine sleigh  
Massey-Harris store  
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THE ACADIAN.

WOLFVILLE, N. S., DEC. 9, 1904.

News by Acadian News Gatherers.

A lot of fine sleighs for sale at the Massey-Harris store, Wolfville.

Dr. D. J. Munro has purchased the dental practise of Dr. H. Lawrence.

Just received,—good popping corn at 15c lb. Parker's Pharmacy.

Miss Helen Keeler, of Ottawa, is visiting in town, the guest of Mrs. Portia Starr.

The 'Browning Club' will meet at the home of Mrs. Trotter, on Monday evening, Dec. 12th.

Mr. J. H. Tabor left on Saturday last for New York, on a business trip. He expects to be away ten days.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbie and family have moved into the dwelling over Mr. Herbie's store, for the winter.

New perfumes—in bulk from 25c to \$1.50 each,—in bottles from 10c to \$5.00 each, for Xmas. At Parker's Pharmacy.

Mrs. A. Sherwood, of New York, arrived in town on Saturday last on a visit to her mother, Mrs. T. E. Sherwood.

We have just put in a stock of art drawing and mounting boards, in assorted colors, which will be very useful in doing work for the Christmas season.

The N. S. F. G. A. is in annual session at Windsor this week, with a good attendance of representative fruit-growers.

Money to Loan on Mortgages of Real Estate. Apply to E. S. Crawley, Solicitor, Wolfville, N. S.

The Town Council met on Wednesday evening and transacted the usual monthly program of business. We regret that our want of space prevents a full report this week.

The recital to be given by the teachers of Acadia Seminary in College Hall next Friday evening will be one of the best entertainments of the season. Don't miss it.

The Wolfville merchants are preparing to put out an announcement of special interest to buyers of Christmas goods. It will pay all to look out for it and read it carefully.

Maltese Cross Rubbers are made in a variety of lasts to fit any shoe. Consequently they will wear longer than any Rubber on the market. C. H. Borden is agent in Wolfville for these Rubbers.

Attention is directed to a communication regarding the work of the Tabernacle Society, which appears in another column. The work being done is an important one and deserving of every encouragement.

Dr. Edwin Dickey, who has been in poor health for some months past, and who was compelled a few weeks ago to go to the Victoria General Hospital, Halifax, for treatment, is slowly regaining his health and hopes to be able to get out again in a short time. He will probably then take a trip to the West Indies for the winter.

Among the successful contestants in connection with the Wolfville Fair 'Contest of the International Schools' System is E. W. Simonsen, of Yarmouth, formerly of Wolfville. The prize was \$50.00 in cash. Mr. R. F. Simonsen, the company's representative for the western counties, reports 13 winning students in this section and a total of 569 winners in all. Mr. E. W. Simonsen has sold his Biograph and Concert Outfit and has accepted a good position in Yarmouth.

The special sale advertised last week in the A. J. Woodman store has been postponed through pressure of other business until a later date. Meanwhile the clearance sale of Ready Made Clothing will be continued as usual. We are giving greater bargains as the stock reduces. We call special attention to about fifty suits for boys from 12 to 16 yrs. of age. These will be cleared out at about half price. Everything in this line sold now regardless of cost.

J. D. CHAMBERS.

The Skoda sailed on Monday and is now on her way across the Atlantic. She was towed out by the steamer 'Brunswick' and tug 'Minnie K.' The morning was a most delightful one, and a goodly number assembled on the wharf to see the barquentine take her departure. As the graceful vessel with her tall spars glided out of the harbor the sight was a very pretty one, and will not soon be forgotten by spectators. We wish the Skoda a speedy and safe voyage.

Fire Insurance effected in first class offices. Policies cover damage caused by lightning whether or not fire occurs. Apply to E. S. Crawley, Agent, Wolfville, N. S.

The Wolfville Clothing Company last August published an advertisement in this paper containing a coupon good for five dollars in the purchase of a suit or overcoat. The response was so remarkable that the firm has decided to stir up the Christmas trade with a still more attractive offer which will be found in its advertisement on page two. Every purchaser of a suit or overcoat will be given a custom made pair of 'trousers' without extra cost and he may pick the material, within a generous limit himself. Such an offer made by such a reputable firm should attract the attention of every man who wants to save money. It is unnecessary to mention that the Wolfville Clothing Co. guarantees the fit and finish of everything it makes.

Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, etc.

Holiday Goods

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Holiday Prices.

Neckwear: 18c, 25c, 35c, 50c, 60c.

Silk Mufflers: 60c, 85c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50.

Fancy Vests, Dressing Gowns, Smoking Jackets, Gloves, Umbrellas, Hosiery, Handkerchiefs, Suspenders, Belts, Pyjamas, Night Shirts.

An immense stock of Fancy Slippers, Mens' and Womens' wear, prices 50c to \$3.00.

MENS FINE SHOES & SLIPPERS

'Crawford' - American, 'James Means' - Canadian, 'Slator' - Canadian, 'Invictus' - Canadian

Largest stock in the County.

OVERSHOES of all kinds and descriptions.

We are right in line for all kinds of Christmas presents, everything being useful as well as ornamental.

C. H. BORDEN,

WOLFVILLE.

Sudden Death.

Dr. Harold Lawrence, who left some weeks ago for the west, has decided not to return to Wolfville. He has purchased a practice at Spokane, Wash., and will locate in that city.

We notice by a Spokane newspaper that he has passed the state dental board, being one of seven out of a class of twenty-one who were successful in doing so. We are sorry to lose Dr. Lawrence from Wolfville, but wish him success in his new home.

Mrs. Lawrence is probably remain in Wolfville for a year at least.

Miss Margaret Higgins, of Astoria, Oregon, arrived on Monday evening and will spend the winter at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. W. J. Higgins, of this town. Her father, Mr. James E. Higgins, cashier of the National Bank of Astoria, accompanied her to St. Louis, where they spent nearly two weeks visiting the fair. Miss Higgins, since attending Acadia Seminary a few years ago, has spent three years at the Leland Stanford University, Ca., and has completed the Junior year at that institution.

The death of Mr. Judah L. Bishop, of this town, occurred at his home on University Avenue yesterday afternoon at about 2 o'clock. Mr. Bishop had been in poor health for some time, and fell a victim to that dread disease consumption. The deceased was well known in this vicinity, having spent most of his life here. He was for some years principal of the Wolfville schools, and has taught with success in different parts of the province. In his younger days he spent several years in the west. He was of a genial disposition and had many friends. We regret that our space will not admit of a more extended mention this week. Mr. Bishop leaves a widow and several small children who have the sympathy of all.

The engagement of Miss Maude Borden, second daughter of Sir Frederick Borden, to Mr. Lionel Macoun of Ottawa, is announced.

BIRTHS.

GARRISON.—On Gasperau Mountain, Nov. 30th, to Mr. and Mrs. Martin Garrison, a son.

DAVIS.—On Gasperau Mountain, Dec. 3rd, to Mr. and Mrs. George Davis, a son.

HARRIS.—At Hortonville, Dec. 4th, to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Harris, a son.

CADWELL.—At Lower Wolfville, Nov. 8th, to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cadwell, a son.

LOCKHART.—At Avonport, Nov. 18th, to Mr. and Mrs. David Lockhart, a son.

MARRIED.

FARRELL.—BORDEN.—At the Baptist church, Fort Williams, Wednesday, Dec. 7th, by Rev. D. E. Hart, Dr. S. Farrell, Supgt. of the Hospital at Rat Portage, Manitoba, and Naomi, daughter of Mr. Sydney Borden, Fort Williams.

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Hortonville Items.

The pupils of Miss Lila Madeline Lockhart intend giving a recital on Thursday evening, the 15th inst., in Acadia Villa Hall. They will be assisted by Miss Adria Coalfield and other musical talent. The program will consist of orchestra, piano, violin, and vocal selections and will commence at a quarter to eight sharp. Admission 15 cents. The proceeds will be divided equally between the Presbyterian and Methodist churches of the community.

The Mission Band will hold their annual Christmas Entertainment and Sale on Monday evening, Dec. 12th, in the basement of the Methodist church.

The usual fall social event at Acadia Villa School came off last week when a right pleasant evening was spent in the library, music room and the new convalescent room. Over forty young ladies had been invited so that nearly one hundred participated in the evening's festivities. Games of various kinds such as Bagatelle, Finch, Pit, Carroms, &c., were enjoyed for a time; then light refreshments were served by Mrs. and Miss Patterson and the evening closed with an excellent program of vocal and instrumental music continuing very nearly to midnight.

Mrs. John Sturk returned home on Monday last from Manitoba, having been absent a little over two years. Mr. Sturk has charge of a church while pursuing his college studies at Winnipeg.

Miss Belle Sheffield, a former music teacher at Acadia Villa School, was the guest of Miss Patterson at 'The Cottage' a few days last week and was present at the school party.

Miss Lockhart remained over Sunday, also, the guest of Miss Patterson, and assisted the Methodist choir. Her violin solos at both services were simply charming and greatly enjoyed by all.

Miss Edith Curry returned home from Montreal a few weeks ago, and will rest at her home during the winter.

The Methodist and Presbyterian choirs will unite for the Christmas services in both churches. They are now holding weekly practices and we shall expect a rich musical treat.

Mr. Ritchie, section foreman on the railway, has moved his family here from Annapolis, and is occupying the house near the wharf.

The 'Acadia Villa Gazette' will appear next week in a new dress and will no doubt be a credit to the school. Two numbers are issued each year and can be obtained from 'The Editors' at 15 cents a copy. They are generally worth reading.

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