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WOLFVILLE, N. S., APR. 15, 1904.

Gleanings by Acadia News Gatherers.

The steamer Brunswick made her first call for the season at this port on Wednesday.

The April term of the County Council will be held in the Court House at Kentville on Tuesday, April 26th.

No need to send out of town for your fishing rods, casts, flies, etc., as Rand's have just put in a fine line. Goods and prices both right.

HELPER WANTED—At Haystead's Carriage Blacksmith Shop, Wolfville, in connection with Borden's Carriage Shop. Apply at once.

On Sunday next the pulpit of St. Andrew's church will be occupied by Rev. George MacMillan, of Kentville, who exchanges with the pastor, Rev. Dr. Dill.

The tea and apron sale held at Port Williams on Easter Tuesday, April 5th, by the ladies of St. John's church, was a great success, \$75 net being realized.

The annual Easter meeting of St. John's Church, Cornwallis, re-elected J. Rufus Starr and Henry Brown as warden and Wm. Smith and J. Rufus Starr delegates to the Synod.

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The Rev. T. C. Mellor was formally inducted as Rector of St. John's parish, Cornwallis, on Wednesday evening, April 6th, by the Ven. Archdeacon Kaulback, of Truro. The sermon was preached by the Rev. Canon Brock of Kentville.

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WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY, March Thirtieth and Thirty-first.

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Don't forget the meeting of the Board of Trade next Tuesday evening. Every loyal citizen should be present.

The death of Hon. W. B. Vail, a former Provincial Secretary of Nova Scotia, and at one time Minister of Militia in the MacKenzie government, occurred at his home at Dover, England, on Saturday last.

On THE ACADIAN'S first page this week will be found a very pretty sonnet on "Grand Pre" from the pen of Mr Edward Blackadder. The writer was formerly a frequent contributor to our columns and his writings were always read with interest, particularly by his many warm friends in this vicinity. It will therefore be with pleasure that our readers learn that it is Mr Blackadder's intention to publish in the near future another volume of his latest poems. This book will be sold at \$1.00, and will be issued as soon as he obtains 500 subscribers at that price. Any of our readers who wish to become subscribers may send their names to THE ACADIAN.

Our readers will note that the rate of taxation in Wolfville this year is a considerable increase over last year, or in fact any year in the history of the town. This may be accounted for in a number of ways. The particular cause of increase in the sewerage tax, which is made up to include the last year as well as this year. This, we understand, was held to be necessary, as the rate was arranged too late to go in last year's tax. The school rate has been advanced from 49c last year to 53c this year. This was done in consequence of the need of another department being added to our schools in order to provide for the increased attendance. While these services have been advanced the general town tax has been decreased from \$1.00 to 93c. Still, the total has been increased from \$1.49 last year to \$1.84 for the present year. Considering all things, however, our taxes cannot be said to be excessive and are yet considerably less than many of the other towns of Nova Scotia.

The regular Mothers' Meeting in connection with the local W. C. T. U. was held in the vestry of the Methodist church on the afternoon of Thursday, April 7th. The meeting was conducted by the Supt., Mrs. Trotter. After the singing of a hymn the leader read appropriate selected passages of Scripture containing the teaching of Christ concerning the treatment of children, and after a short, intelligent exposition of the same, Mrs. Jones led in prayer. An article recently published in a Toronto weekly, entitled "The Child," was read and discussed at some length. The aim of the writer was to show how different the child is from the adult and thus should not be measured by adult standards. The points of difference were noted in the discussion: First, the physical differences were dwelt upon; second, those that partake of the nature of mind and relate to the child's ability to govern his actions; third, the child as a thinking being. The interchange of thought and experience between the mothers present was mutually helpful, and all felt at the close of the meeting that the hour had been well and profitably spent.

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**BIRTHS.**  
ELLIOTT—At Wolfville, April 8th, to Mr and Mrs G. Ernest Elliott, a daughter.

**DIED.**  
AVERY.—At the residence of Mrs Mary F. Bower, Grand Pre, April 13th, Louisa Crane Avery, daughter of the late Samuel Crane Avery, and niece of the late James F. Avery, M. D., of Halifax.

**CASTORIA.**  
Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Atteridge*

Art Association will meet in the Seminary tomorrow afternoon at half past three. Subject of Lecture: Rome.—The Forum, Colosseum, Pantheon, St. Peter's. Art treasures of the Vatican, Development of Mosaics in the churches of Rome.

A Cornwallis correspondent to the Herald, says that Clement Dickie has sold his share of the property of his father, the late Hugh L. Dickie, at Upper Canada, to his brother Robert, of that place.

Former residents of that section of Kings County will hear with regret that the old red post office, which has stood for so many years that it has become one of the landmarks and guiding posts of the county, is to yield to the march of progress, and be pulled down, to be replaced by a new building on another site. The little office, which was only a part of the larger building, has never to any extent, put on the appearance of the modern post office. Shingles tacked to the walls, held the letters and papers, and the children coming from school, during "closed" hours could stand on tiptoe at the windows and answer for themselves the question of "any mail for us?" For three generations the red post office has been a general meeting place for the residents of Upper Canada, and returned travellers never felt quite at home until a visit had been paid there. Perhaps if the walls could speak, interesting histories of plots and counterplots might be revealed, and light might be thrown on deeds now shrouded in mystery, but its secrets are its own, and will remain untold. The old building has many friends who will be truly sorry to know that it is shortly to pass out of existence.

This Saturday (16th inst.) Parker's Pharmacy is serving free sodas to everyone, to celebrate the opening of their soda season, and to test the quality of soda made by the Drastic Carbonating Machine.

The reception given by the Acadia Athenaeum Society in College Hall last Friday evening was a most successful and enjoyable affair. A large number of invitations were issued for the occasion, and most of those favored with an invitation were present. The hall was prettily arranged and presented a very tasty appearance. The guests were received by Mr C. P. Charlton, president of the Society, and Mr R. W. Hibbert, chairman of executive committee. A program of "topics" was arranged and successfully carried out, and the evening passed very pleasantly. Excellent music was furnished by Ward's Orchestra, of Halifax. Many of the costumes of the ladies present were decidedly pretty.

Mr William Regan is making a number of changes and improvements in his building on Main street. A false front is being put on with plate-glass windows in the most modern style. Mr Regan has probably the best equipped harness shop in the Valley. Last winter the interior of the shop was fitted up in the most convenient and attractive style, and with the improvement he is now making his place of business will be a decided credit to the town.

The New Brunswick Government last week decided to give a grant to the St. John's Exhibition Association for this year, and at a meeting of that Association on the 9th inst. it was finally arranged to hold Canada's International Exhibition at St. John, N. B. from the 17th to the 24th Sept. next. The prize list will offer \$12,000 and will be issued in May. Inquiries for space, privileges, &c., and all information should be addressed to the Secretary, Exhibition Association, St. John, N. B.

The quarterly meeting of the Wolfville Board of Trade will be held in Temperance Hall on Tuesday evening next at 8 o'clock. Several important subjects will be discussed, and a full attendance is desired. Among the subjects to come up for consideration are, "The Roads," "Steamship and Mail Service between Parrsboro and Wolfville," "The desirability of allowing the Dominion Express Co. the same terms as the Canadian Express Co.," "Free express delivery," and other topics of interest to the citizens of the town.

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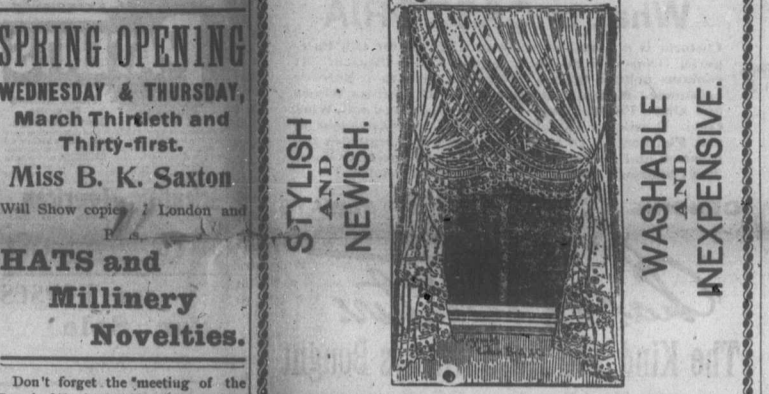
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