

Acadia College.

The next Session of Acadia College will open on Thursday, 6th of September. Matriculation Examinations will commence at 9 o'clock, a. m., on the 5th. Candidates for these examinations should be present at that time.

A public meeting will be held on Thursday evening, when the Matriculation Prizes will be awarded and addresses will be delivered.

A. W. SAWYER. Wolfville, Aug. 15, 1877.

STRAWBERRY PLANTS,

For Fall or Spring Planting, Sent by mail, prepaid, to any address on receipt of price. Secunda (very large) \$0.75 \$0.00 Triumpha Grande (do) 0.75 0.00 Wilson's Albany 0.60 0.00

TEA MEETING.

A Tea Meeting and Fancy Sale will be held at Short's Lake, Pleasant Valley, under the auspices of the Baptist Church of Brookfield and Forest Glen, for the purpose of enlarging their place of worship, on Thursday, Sept. 13th, 1877. A band is expected. There will be swings, ball, and croquet on the grounds. Also, a number of boats will be rowed on the lake.

NOTICE.

The Ladies connected with the Baptist Church and congregation of Upper Wilmot have decided to have a Tea Meeting on Thursday, the 6th of September, at Melvern Square. Proceeds to finish their new Parsonage. Public patronage respectfully solicited. Tea served at 2 P. M. Should the day be stormy it will be continued on the first fine day.

NOTICE.

The Ladies of Lower Aylesford Baptist Church, and congregation, purpose holding a Tea Meeting at the Parsonage Grounds, Kingston Village on Wednesday, the 12th of September next. Doors open at 2 P. M. Tickets 35 cts; children, 25 cts. The proceeds to go for the benefit of the Parsonage. Should the day be unfavorable, it will take place the next fine day following.

Dr. William Gray's Specific Medicine.

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Having struggled twenty years between life and death with ASTHMA, I experimented by compounding roots and herbs and inhaling the medicine. I fortunately discovered a sure cure for ASTHMA and CATARRH. Wanted to relieve any case of Asthma instantly, so the patient can lie down to sleep. By mail, \$1.00 per box. Address D. LANGELL, Apple Creek, Ohio. For sale by Druggists.

"WOOLANDS," WILMOT,

Private School. THIS property, familiarly known as "DR. BAYARD PLACE," the most delightfully situated in the Annapolis Valley, will be fitted, Sept. 3rd, for the reception of a few lads, under the direction of W. M. McVICAR, A. M., for some years Principal of Liverpool Academy. Charges reasonable.

THE RIVULET.

AS the compiler of this collection of Hymns and Songs will leave for England in a few weeks, the remaining stock will be sold at \$6.00 per hundred, post free. Address, Rev. J. BROWN, Milton, Queens Co. After August 1st, care of Mr. Selden, 71 Granville St. P. O. Orders payable at Halifax. August 1.

NOTICE.

THE next session of the Newton Theological Institution will commence on Tuesday, September 11th, 1877. ALVAH HOVEY. Aug. 8. 2ins.

MAIL CONTRACT.

TENDERS ADDRESSED TO THE Postmaster-General will be received at Ottawa until Friday, the 7th September, for the conveyance of Her Majesty's Mails three times per week each way, between Hopewell and Sunnybrae, and twice per week each way between Sunnybrae & Kerowgare.

Under a proposed contract, for four years, from the 1st October next. Printed notices containing further information as to the conditions of the contract may be seen, and forms of tender obtained at the Post Offices at Hopewell, Sunnybrae and Kerowgare, or at the office of the subscriber. F. M. PASSOW, Post Office Inspector. Post Office Inspector's Office, Halifax, 27th July, 1877. Aug. 8. 3f.

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TENDERS ADDRESSED TO THE Postmaster-General will be received at Ottawa, until noon on Friday, the 7th September, for the conveyance of Her Majesty's Mails, twice per week each way, between Churchville & New Glasgow.

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A new volume of intense interest from the pen of L. B. BROCKETT, M. D., giving a graphic description of the countries, peoples, races, and religions of the regions now involved in war, unfolding the causes which have led to the conflict, and the vital, commercial, political and religious interests that threaten to involve all the great nations of Europe in it, etc. Illustrated with spirited engravings. Agents wanted. Send for descriptive circular and terms, to JOHN KILLAM, SENR., Lawrencetown, Annapolis Co. Aug. 8. 1m. Yarmouth, N. S.

NOTICE.

DURING the eight years in which I have been engaged in teaching music I have received a number of invitations to teach in different localities in this Province, I take this method of informing them that at present I am at leisure. Those wishing my services will please inform me at once, as I wish to commence in September. Having a general knowledge of music, thorough bass, and harmony, I shall endeavour in the future as in the past to keep up my reputation as a first-class teacher of music. NORMAN H. PHINNEY, Lawrencetown, Annapolis Co. Aug. 8-11

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HORTON COLLEGIATE ACADEMY,

WOLFVILLE, N. S. THE next Term begins on Tuesday, September 4th. Applications for rooms should be made without delay. For further information apply to the Principal, J. F. TUFTS. August 1. 2m.

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JOYFUL NEWS For the Afflicted.

PARKER'S COVE, N. S., March 1st, 1877. DEAR SIR, I should have written to you before but owing to sickness and business I have been prevented from doing so. I feel it my duty to send you the following information from gratitude to you and for the benefit of those suffering as I was. I have been greatly afflicted with dyspepsia and biliousness for about 25 years, tried doctors but got no cure. About 5 years ago I tried a few bottles of your Life of Man Bitters and No. 1 Invigorating Syrup, from which I obtained great relief up to the present for which I feel very thankful to God and to you, and would recommend your medicines to all suffering with the same complaints as dyspepsia and the like.

Since you was at my house, Thomas Rice was taken very ill with a dreadful sore throat, bordering on diphtheria, we used your Acadian Liniment and Nerve Ointment freely from which he obtained great relief. Others in our neighborhood are using your medicines and the result is good. Wishing you great success. I remain yours, Rev. H. ACHILLES, Middleton, N. S. July 4.

\$5 to \$20

per day at home. Samples worth \$1 free. STINSON & Co., Portland, Maine. March 8. 1yr.

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SUMMER ARRANGEMENT, Commencing Monday, May 7, 1877.

HALIFAX TO ST. JOHN.

Table with columns: STATIONS, Express daily, Pass. and Frt. daily, Pass. and Frt. only, Freight daily. Rows include Halifax, St. Bedford, Windsor, Mt. Uplacke, Ellershouse, Newport, Windsor, Hantsport, Wolfville, Kentville, Berwick, Aylesford, Wilmot, Middleton, Lawtown, Paradise, Bridgetown, Roundhill, Annapolis, St. John by steamer.

ST. JOHN TO HALIFAX.

Table with columns: STATIONS, Passengers and Freight daily, Pass. and Frt. only, Express daily. Rows include St. John by steamer, Annapolis, Roundhill, Bridgetown, Paradise, Lawtown, Middleton, Wilmot, Aylesford, Berwick, Kentville, Wolfville, Hantsport, Windsor, Newport, Ellershouse, Mt. Uplacke, Windsor, St. Bedford, Halifax.

N. B.—Express Trains run daily; and when signalled, or when there are Passengers to set down, they will stop at all Stations. Steamer "Empress" leaves St. John every MONDAY, WEDNESDAY and FRIDAY, at 8 a.m., for Annapolis; and returns every TUESDAY, THURSDAY, and SATURDAY, on the arrival of the 8:00 a.m. Express Train from Halifax. Intercolonial Railway. Trains leave Windsor Junction daily at 9 a.m., 2:30 p.m., 6:12 p.m., and 7:15 p.m., for Truro, Pictou, Moncton, Quebec, Montreal, and all places West. International Steamers leave St. John every MONDAY, WEDNESDAY and FRIDAY, at 8 a.m., for Eastport, Portland and Boston. European and North American Railway Trains leave St. John at 8:45 a.m. daily for Bangor, Portland, Boston, and all parts of the United States and Canada. Through tickets at reduced fares by above routes to all parts in the United States and Canada, may be obtained at the Company's Office, 126 Hollis St., Halifax, at North Street Depot, and the principal Stations on the Railway. P. LINES, Manager. Kentville, 2nd July, 1877. July 18.

SOAP, SOAP.

Just received per rail: 200 boxes XX Brown Soap, 100 " Ivory Bar. In Store: 100 Boxes Queen's Laundry, 30 " Blue Mottled, "English," 200 " Toilet Soap. R. N. BECKWITH, Head Commercial Wharf.

TEA, TEA.

CHESTS Choice Congou TEA. R. N. BECKWITH.

MOLASSES.

Puns Choice TRINIDAD. R. N. BECKWITH.

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