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## Fall Goods

have commenced to arrive

## Our Dress Goods

are the newest in the Market

**Sweater** for **Men**  
**Coats** for **Women**  
**Boys**  
**Girls**

**Ladies' and Misses' Fall and Winter Coats**

## SHOES

For Ladies we have the High Tan in Button and Lace; also Box Calf in Black.  
For Men we have working Shoes that we can Recommend.

Also a large stock of Fine Shoes in Patent, Tan and Box Calf.

Try our 35c. TEA. You can't beat it.

## THE DAYLIGHT

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Opposite the Bridge

Massey-Harris and McCormick Repairs for Sale

## The Hunting Season

is at hand and you should get some of our **KYNOCH** Ammunition as it is the best value in the market

**Lightning Fruit Jars, Fruit Jar Rings, Parowax, Vinegar and Spices for Preserving.**

Special Prices on Men's Neglige Shirts and Ladies' Waists.

1 Ladies' Fur Coat, size 35, marked \$30 will be sold for \$15.

We have opened up a lot of

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We pay top prices for Butter, Eggs, and All Produce.

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Successors to A. S. Estabrooks, Coldstream, N. B.

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**Plans and MATERIALS at lowest Prices**

Doors, Sashes, Mouldings, Stair Finish, Hardwood, Spruce and Pine Flooring, Verandah Posts, solid or built, Rail, Flooring and Ballusters, Clapboards and Siding

Ask to see Sketches of Verandahs and Porch Fronts

We handle the very best grade of Roofing.

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**YOUNG MEN**

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We prepare young men for positions with the Railways, and young women for positions with the Commercial Telegraph Companies. We guarantee to secure positions for all our graduates. The C.P.R. pays from \$5. to \$150. a month for its operators. We are turning out young men and women who are getting these salaries. Let us tell you about it. Only \$50. for a course. Fall term begins September 3rd. Call or write, C.P.R. SCHOOL OF TELEGRAPHY, 13 Mill Street, St. John, N. B. M. B. Innis, Manager.

### Bad Condition of Roads Causes Annoying Mishap.

Louis Taylor of East Florenceville went through an experience late last Sunday evening that he does not care to have repeated, and, to prevent it, is likely to vote for a new government when opportunity again offers. He was returning from Woodstock when, near the so-called Birmingham hills, two miles below Hartland, his horse fell into a washout that occurred a number of weeks ago and which has since remained a menace to life and property. The night was very dark and very rainy. He could not see, although the road at that point is unsafe even in daylight. He had no light and when he found his horse did not rise he felt himself in a predicament. This was intensely annoying for he had with him in the carriage a young woman whose opinion he highly valued. Leaving this plucky lady to watch the horse, which didn't need watching, he went in search of light and aid. Both were found but it was at once seen that the horse was badly "cast" and ropes and blocks were requisitioned to extricate it. This proved futile, the only result being that the poor beast went further over the bank and was left for dead. To end the misery of the poor beast Mr. Taylor said he would have knocked the horse in the head had he had an implement to do the deed with. All retired to the shelter of a nearby house. When the morning dawned Mr. Taylor went to view the remains, and was surprised to find the horse gone. He was more surprised, when, after a brief search, he found it peacefully grazing beside the railway track quite unconcerned. With all the delay there was real damage to neither horse or vehicle and Mr. Taylor was able to hitch up and proceed on his way.

### Florenceville.

The funeral service of Manzer Milbury, the young victim of the Stickney shooting accident, was held at East Florenceville. Much sympathy is felt for the parties concerned. The parents of the boy who did the shooting are strangers in the county having come from England a short time ago, so it is sad for them as well as the relatives of the dead boy. So agitated is the lad who did the shooting that it is feared he will end his own life.

Rev. A. F. Newcombe spoke in the Baptist church last evening in interest of the Canadian Bible Society.

Andrew D. McCain has returned from a second trip to Montreal, in the interest of the potato and other produce business. He says the large crop in Ontario and Quebec and P. E. Island has glutted the market.

The Baptist Ladies' Auxiliary met at the home of Mrs. W. L. McCain yesterday.

Fred Ross, son of Stephen Ross, of this village, has gone to take the engineering course at the U.N.B.

J. R. H. Simms, barrister at Bath, is in the village. He has lately returned from Winnipeg, where he has spent the summer in the real estate business.

Superintendent Jackson has a crew at work on the faulty pier of the river highway bridge. It may be recalled that new steel superstructure was placed two years ago on the old piers and one of these piers like the tower of Pisa, had a leaning aspect, but the steel was placed in it, and now it is necessary to add additional safeguard, for the pier was plainly tottering over.

William Armstrong, of Lakeville, made a large shipment of

lambs from the station here. It is said that owing to the cold wet season the sheep industry has suffered, with the result that the lambs are generally below the average weight.

### OFF TO OXFORD.

Harvey Reid, Rhodes Scholar, Started Yesterday.

Harvey T. Reid, who captured the Rhodes scholarship at Acadia University, left yesterday for Montreal where he will embark on the Allan liner "Tunisian" for England to begin his course at Trinity College, Oxford. He will visit London for ten days before entering college, having accepted the invitation of Frank Smith, the Rhodes scholar from Mt. Allison, to visit friends of his. Many people, not only those of Hartland, but a host of friends throughout the province wish Mr. Reid bon voyage and look to him for reports of excellent progress in the pursuit of learning.



"In This Year of Our Lord."

Somewhere about a hundred years ago this country experienced a "year of no summer." There was frost and snow every month, there were no crops, fledgelings perished in the nest. It was a dire year. Its like has not been recorded before or since. The season of 1881, when, according to Mother Shipton's ancient prophecy, "The world unto an end should come," was like unto the earlier year, but, of course much less severe.

Rain fell throughout the summer of 1907: there were frequent cloud-bursts interspersed with brief periods of glaring sunshine. Haying was difficult and many farmers did not finish until September. Potatoes, which promised to have been abundant, rotted in the ground and early frost made impossible the digging of hundreds of acres.

Then came the summer of 1912, wet, dismal, neuralgic. The month of May was cold and wet. June was hopelessly cloudy and cool and although rainy the total fall was not above the average. The first ten days of July were oppressively hot with an absence of bright blue sky. This was followed by copious rains that were general until September came in. This month the weather has been fair with a tendency to easy tears. On the whole the season has been discouraging to farmers and to those engaged in any kind of outdoor work. The crops are as near a failure as this province has ever known, yet there is an abundance withal. The prospect might be much worse, and is incomparably worse in many other parts.

This article, it may be added, is not published because of its news value, but as a record which readers will do well to keep, although most readers will need no reminder.

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FOR AD NEXT WEEK

IF YOU DO NOT BUY FROM US WE  
ARE BOTH LOSING MONEY, AND IT  
IS OUR INTENTION TO PUT YOU IN  
THE WAY OF SAVING MONEY IN  
FALL AND WINTER

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CHILDREN'S

OUTSIDE OR UNDERWEAR

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**Aug. 1 to Sept. 1.**

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Corset Covers, House Dresses  
Underskirts, Dress Skirts,  
Night Dresses, Dust Coats,  
Boys' Cotton Suits and Rompers  
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Large quantity and best quality at the lowest prices.

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Repair work neatly done. Satisfaction  
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