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Dept. Public Works

"The policy of every man in business, and who must live by the public, should be to let the public hear of him. His best speaking-trumpet is the Newspaper advertisement. In a populous community, and a rapid age like this, every trader must make himself heard and known, otherwise he will fall behind the progress of his neighbors.

The Gleaner.

"In no department of business is there probably so much money wasted as in advertising, and in no department are good judgment and experience more requisite. Twenty-five years' experience has clearly demonstrated the superior advantages and economy of Newspaper advertising over all other mediums offered for that purpose.

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Professional Cards

G. D. CARTER,
Dentist.
EXTRACTION AND PROSTHETIC DENTISTRY A SPECIALTY.
SATISFACTION GUARANTEED.
DENTAL ROOMS OVER F. J. MCAUSLAND'S JEWELRY STORE, 250 QUEEN STREET, FREDERICTON.
Fredericton, July 17th, 1888.

FRED ST. JOHN BLISS,
Barrister, Notary, Etc.
OFFICE:
QUEEN STREET, OPPOSITE POST OFFICE.
Fredericton, May 5th, 1888—1yr

DR. H. D. CURRIE,
Surgeon Dentist,
164 QUEEN STREET, FREDERICTON.
Fredericton, Oct 6th, 1887

WILLIAM WILSON,
SECRETARY-TREASURER, YORK,
Barrister and Attorney-at-Law
CONVEYANCER, &C.
OFFICE: QUEEN STREET, FREDERICTON OPPOSITE POST OFFICE.
ACCOUNTS COLLECTED, LOANS NEGOTIATED.
Fredericton, Oct 6th, 1887

GEO. F. GREGORY,
(OF LATE FIRM OF GREGORY & BLAIR,)
Barrister and Attorney-at-Law
NOTARY PUBLIC.
OFFICE: NEXT BELOW QUEEN HOTEL, LATELY OCCUPIED BY GREGORY & BLAIR.
Fredericton, Oct 6th, 1887

B. H. TORRENS, D. M. D.
Dentist,
FISHER'S BUILDING,
Queen Street, Fredericton.
Fredericton, Oct 6th, 1887

DR. CROCKET,
OFFICE AND RESIDENCE,
CARLETON STREET.
Fredericton, Oct 6th, 1887

F. J. SEERY, M. D., C. M.
LICENTIATE OF THE ROYAL COLLEGE OF PHYSICIANS OF EDINBURGH;
LICENTIATE OF THE ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS OF EDINBURGH;
LICENTIATE OF THE FACULTY OF PHYSICIANS AND SURGEONS OF GLASGOW.
SPECIAL CERTIFICATE IN MIDWIFERY.
OFFICE: FISHER'S BUILDING, COR. PHŒNIX SQUARE.
RESIDENCE, 109 BRUNSWICK STREET.
Fredericton, Oct 6th, 1887

GREGORY & GREGORY,
Barristers and Notaries.
OFFICES: CARLETON ST., FREDERICTON
ALBERT J. GREGORY, FRANK B. GREGORY, Registrar of Probates.
Fredericton, Oct 6th, 1887

C. E. DUFFY,
Barristers and Attorney-at-Law
Notary Public, Etc.
SECY-TREASURER OF SUNBURY
ACCOUNTS COLLECTED, AND MONEY TO LOAN ON REAL ESTATE SECURITY.
Offices: West Side of Carleton Street, Second Door from Queen.
Fredericton, Nov 1st, 1887.

Livery Stables

BARKER HOUSE STABLES.
COACHES AND CARRIAGES
Furnished with all Possible Despatch.
HORSES BOARDED AT MODERATE TERMS
JOHN B. ORR, - Proprietor.
Fredericton, Oct 6th, 1887

GEORGE I. GUNTER,
HACK AND LIVERY STABLE,
Queen Street,
OPPOSITE CITY HALL.
COACH ORDERS PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO.
Telephone Communication.
Fredericton, Oct 6th, 1887

Auctioneers

E. H. ALLEN
AUCTIONEER AND
COMMISSION MERCHANT,
REGENT STREET NEXT TO CAPITAL OFFICE
Goods of all descriptions received and Sold on Commission. Quick Sales and Prompt Returns Guaranteed.
Fredericton, Oct 6th, 1887

H. G. C. WETMORE
AUCTIONEER, &c.
Has taken a Store on the Upper Side of
PHŒNIX SQUARE,
Next to L. P. LaForest, Tin Smith, where he is prepared to receive Furniture and Goods of all kinds for Auction or Private Sale. He will also give attention to Auction Sales of every description.
Terms moderate, Returns prompt. All business confidential.
Fredericton, July 5, 1888

Insurance

The North American
LIFE ASSURANCE CO'Y,
OF TORONTO
HON. ALEX. MACKENZIE PRES'T.
Guaranteed Capital, - - $300,000.00
Full Government Deposit.
New business for 1886 over - - $2,500,000.00
THE various popular plans of the "NORTH AMERICAN," embracing Life, Return Premium, Endowment, Tontess, Semi-Tontess, and Commercial Plan, have proved so acceptable to the insuring public, that the Company can to-day present a showing unequalled by any other home Company at the same period of its existence, and its reverse-ive record and sound financial standing, coupled with its prompt and satisfactory settlement of death claims are the recommendations which this Company offers for public patronage.
The Company's rates are according to their various plans so arranged as to suit the convenience of all, as by the commercial plan insurance is given at the actual cost, while by the endowment and tontens the attractive investment feature is combined with insurance.
All information given and applications received by
C. E. DUFFY,
Agent, Fredericton
Oct. 29, 1887—w tw—1yr.

THE ATLAS
FIRE
ASSURANCE CO'Y,
Of London, Eng.
Established in the Year 1808.
CAPITAL, - - $6,000,000.00
Risks against loss or damage or by fire taken on all kinds of insurable property in both town and country at the lowest rates and losses adjusted in the most prompt and liberal manner. Unsurpassed security given to policy holders by this Old and Reliable English Company.
C. E. DUFFY, Agent.
Fredericton, Oct 6th, 1887

Undertaking

JACKSON ADAMS,
Principal Undertaker,
COUNTY COURT HOUSE SQUARE
(OPP. QUEEN HOTEL)
FREDERICTON, - - - - N. B.
Fredericton, Oct 6th, 1887

Hotels

BARKER HOUSE,
QUEEN STREET, - - - FREDERICTON.
NEWLY REFITTED, AND NOW ONE OF THE LEADING HOTELS OF THE MARITIME PROVINCES.
SAMPLE ROOM AND LIVERY STABLE.
Modern Improvements constantly being made.
F. B. COLEMAN, - Proprietor.
Fredericton, Oct 6th, 1887

QUEEN HOTEL
FREDERICTON-N.B.
J. A. EDWARDS, - Proprietor.
FINE SAMPLE ROOMS IN CONNECTION.
—ALSO,—
A FIRST-CLASS LIVERY STABLE.
Fredericton, Oct 6th, 1887

New Advertisements

WEST END
SAWMILL AND LUMBER
YARD
SEASON 1887.
THE Subscriber, intending to pay greater attention to the RETAIL LUMBER BUSINESS than for the last few seasons, begs to inform the public generally that besides the usual stocks of SPRUCE, PINE, and HEMLOCK LUMBER on hand or sawn to order, will keep constantly on hand
DRY SPRUCE FLOORING AND SHEATHING,
PINE SHEATHING, DRY HEMLOCK
SPRUCE AND PINE BOARDS, AND PLANK PLANED ON ONE SIDE.
Also intends to keep LATHS and PICKETS constantly on hand.
and all sorts of CEDAR SHINGLES well and Smoothly Sawn and Very Carefully Assorted.
Office on QUEEN STREET, directly opposite mill
R. A. ESTEY.
Fredericton, Oct 6th, 1887

IMPORTANT.
WATCHES, CLOCKS
AND
JEWELLERY,
MARKED DOWN TO SUIT ALL.
GOODS ALL NEW.
A FINE LINE OF
SILK CHAINS
AT
F. J. McCAUSLAND'S
Fredericton, Dec. 15th, 1887

G. W. DYKEMAN & CO.
AGENTS,
DOMINION
ORGAN
—AND—
PIANOS,
Sewing Machines
OFFICE: QUEEN STREET,
Next Door Below E. B. Everett
Fredericton, April 26th, 1888.

New Advertisements

BELDING, PAUL & CO.
On the End of the Spool.

LADIES, LADIES.
Spool Silk
THAT BEARS OUR NAME,
BELDING, PAUL & CO.
On the End of the Spool is Superior to all Others.
Ask for It. Ask for It.
BELDING, PAUL & CO.
ON THE END OF THE SPOOL.

BELDING, PAUL & CO.
On the End of the Spool.

Aug. 25th, 1888.
JUST RECEIVED.
60 Quintal Medium Codfish;
20 Bbls. Canso Herring;
80 Half Bbls do.;
400 boxes Smoked Herring;
50 bags Rice;
25 half bags Rice;
40 cases Orlando Jones's Rice Starch, (1 lb. Cantons);
FOR SALE LOW BY
JAS. HODGE
Fredericton, Aug. 25th, 1888.

1888.
Spring Goods.
WM. JENNINGS
Merchant Tailor,
Is now showing the
Latest Styles in
English, Scotch and Canadian Suitings,
FANCY WORSTEDS for SPRING OVERCOATS.
FANCY VESTINGS AND TROWSERINGS.
WILLIAM JENNINGS
CORR. QUEEN ST., AND WILMOT'S ALLEY
Fredericton, March 10th, 1887.

JUST RECEIVED.
Cox's Gelatine;
Harvest Moon Flour;
Star Flour. Codfish.
EXPECTED DAILY:
CORNMEAL!
Per "Ella J."
One Car Load of
New Mess and Clear Pork.
A. F. RANDOLPH & SON.
Fredericton, Aug. 15.

SEWING MACHINES
CLEANED
AND REPAIRED.
Furniture Repaired.
Jobbing in Carpentry
Attended to by
W. S. HIMELMAN
192 GEORGE STREET
All work guaranteed so far as possible. All orders left at above address will receive prompt attention.
Fredericton, Oct 10th, 1887

WE WANT
POTATOES.
WE HANDLED 60,000 BUSHELS POTATOES LAST SPRING.
And made money for our Shippers. Having decided to sell in small lots from Store, to get outside prices, we want a few more good shippers Write us and ship to
HATHEWAY & CO.
General Commission Merchants,
22 CENTRAL WHARF BOSTON, MASS
Members Chambers of Commerce, Established 183
Boston, Oct 6th, 1887

NEW GOODS.
The Subscriber is constantly receiving New Goods, comprising
Boots, Shoes, Hats, Trunks,
VALISES, &C.
These Goods are marked at least 10 per cent. lower than any similar goods in this city. Small expenses and close personal attention to business enables me to do this. Please call and examine.
Respectfully yours,
D. LUCY.
N. B.—Custom Shoemakers wanted.
Fredericton, Aug. 8th, 1888.

PARIS GREEN.
ONE BARREL
PURE WEST INDIA LIME JUICE
Enos' Fruit Salt,
Citrate of Magnesia.
JUST RECEIVED BY
JOHN M. WILEY, 196 Queen St
Fredericton, June 28th, 1888.

REMOVAL!
J. W. Tabor begs leave to notify his Customers and the Public generally, that he intends to enlarge his place of Business on the Corner of King and Westmorland Streets, and for the present will be found in the Corner Store of the
HOGG BUILDING,
Corner Queen and Westmorland Streets,
where he will continue Business until his former place is ready for occupancy.
J. W. TABOR.
Fredericton, May 31.

TOBACCO
—AT—
G. T. WHELPLEY'S
Lily, Solace, Myrtle Navy, Briar, Rough and Ready, Pace's Twist, Pilot, Index, Myrtle Navy Fine Cut, Beaver, Jubilee, Napoleon, No. 1 Crown.
TRY THE "LILY" SMOKING TOBACCO.
G. T. WHELPLEY,
310 QUEEN ST., - - FREDERICTON.
Fredericton, Aug. 2, 1888.

PARIS GREEN.
Just received a fresh supply of Pure Paris Green.
ALSO:
LAND PLASTER,
VERY FINE.
Suitable to mix with Paris Green.
W. E. Miller & Co.
155 and 159 QUEEN STREET.
Fredericton, June 28, 1888.

FROM THE COUNTRY.

News from the Districts About Us

As Reported by Our Active Correspondents.

Accidents, Personal Intelligence, and Things in General.

GRAND MANAN.

A Few Interesting Notes from a Beautiful Isle of the Sea—Fredericton Visitors on the Island.

CASTALIA, Grand Manan, Aug. 25.—Vacation being over, your correspondent hastens to send you a few inklings from this beautiful isle of the sea. Our hotels are doing a pretty good business just now. The cool summer is not a favorable one for the sea shore hotels. Our hotels are being pretty well patronized notwithstanding the cool weather. The summer here has been as uncommonly cool one, so say the older inhabitants. As you are aware perhaps, Grand Manan is becoming a favorite summer resort for American pleasure seekers, many of whom say that if the place were better known and more ample hotel accommodation provided, there would be a much larger number here during the hot weather than there ever has been. Its refreshing sea breezes, splendid roads, superior to any in the province, its picturesque shores, and its genial and accommodating hotel keepers, all subserve to make the island a most desirable resort for all pleasure loving persons. The scenery in some parts of the island is truly grand, consequently it is a favorite field for artists, a goodly number of whom spend a few weeks each summer here very pleasantly and profitably. Why is it none of the pleasure seekers of Fredericton do not find their way down here? Is it because they are not aware of its many attractions? It seems to me if they came once they would be sure to come again. All strangers whom I have met here seem delighted with the island. During the spring and early summer the villages here are free from those pests that infest the communities along the noble St. John—namely, mosquitoes. At present the island is easy of access, there being a steamer which makes, during the summer, three trips per week from and to the island. Every Monday it goes to St. John and returns on Tuesday; goes to St. Andrews and St. Stephen on Wednesday and returns on Thursday, and on Saturday it connects with the American steamer at Eastport, thus affording an opportunity to persons who wish to go to St. John or Fredericton on Saturday, if they wish.

The Rev. Mr. Payson and family, of your city, spent several weeks with us this summer. Our people enjoyed their visit very much and hope they will find it convenient to come this way again. I hope he will not forget to tell our good Methodist people of Fredericton that we are about to build a church, and need all the outside help we can get; say who may feel disposed, and some I hope will contribute towards the worthy object named, may hand their donations to him or send it to the circuit steward, C. T. McCutchean. The smallest favors gratefully accepted.

Our present minister is A. C. Dennis, A. B., who is giving general satisfaction. Our F. C. Baptist friends are to hold their district meeting at Seal Cove this week. There is quite a large attendance from the main land, I am not aware at this writing how many there are from Fredericton and vicinity. The Rev. Mr. Downey is among visitors here.

Line fish have been quite scarce here this season. Consequently only a limited quantity have been taken, and prices are very good. Herring are becoming quite plentiful and the fishermen are anticipating a successful season's work. We hope their brightest hopes in that case will be realized.

The Salvation Army still hold its forts here. Two new officers arrived here in last Tuesday's boat. Two more are expected here to day.

Our schools have all re-opened with a fair attendance. One of the teachers in the North Head school is a Miss Clark from Fredericton.

We had a very heavy rain on Wednesday last. It was so rough in the bay that our staunch little steamer, the Flushing had its cabin windows broken by the tossing billows. Sea sickness was very prevalent that day.

Our farmers find haying a very tedious business this season. There is considerable hay yet to be got here.

Rained again last night. Beautiful weather to-day.

Raspberries are an abundant crop this year. Blueberries are quite plentiful too.

Crops are looking very well, especially potatoes.

More anon.

SHEFFIELD.

How the Crops Will Turn Out—A Beautiful Flower Garden—Hogg's Factory.

SHEFFIELD, Aug. 24. When the sun shines, Sheffield looks beautiful now.

The hay harvest has been greatly retarded by the unusually long spell of damp, dark weather. Some of our farmers have only just commenced their haying. If this kind of weather should continue much longer, the loss will be great, as hay is our principal crop. The corn crop is not going to be so good as some other years. It requires hot weather. All other crops, turnips not excepted, which at one time threatened to be a failure, are looking very promising. The fruit crop is excellent.

Mr. Hogg has been making improvements on his corn factory. One of the latest is a windmill for pumping water for various uses in the factory. He is doing a good business in putting up blueberries. We hope this firm will continue to prosper, as it circulates a great amount of money over this part of the country.

The Rev. Mr. Barker, pastor of the congregational church, is away on his vacation.

Sheffield can boast of a number of fine flower and vegetable gardens this year. One of the largest is at the Academy, the residence of Rev. Mr. Maggs, Methodist Minister. The pansies in this garden are very rare as regards size, shape, and colors. They are said to be the finest strain of pansy ever seen in this pansy growing district. The seed was bought of W. Atter Burpee & Co., Philadelphia, and is known in his catalogue of 1888 as "Burpee's Defiance." In this same garden are some most beautiful specimens of asters, phlox, marigolds, petunias, and stocks from seed bought of the same firm. Mr. Maggs speaks highly of W. Atter Burpee's flower seeds generally, and believes there are no better in the market. The lovers of good flowers would do well to remember this next spring.

The farmers on the French and Maquapit lakes have already shipped a great quantity of green produce, such as potatoes, peas, beans, corn, cucumbers, and tomatoes. Messrs. Samuel Randall, Amos Thompson and John Hargroves are our principal tomato growers. The farmers of Scotch Town also have been doing a good stroke of business in the same line.

NASHWAAK.

Bridges in Wrecked Condition—Farmers Will Have to Ford the River if they are not Repaired.

NASHWAAK, Aug. 28.—The late rains have raised the water in the Nashwaak sufficient for driving, which operation commenced on Thursday last.

The Tay bridge is next to impassable. The flooring is rotten and worn through in several places, large enough to admit a horse's leg. Will those appointed for that business please see to having it repaired? Otherwise, teams will be obliged to ford the stream.

Other parties complain of small bridges between this place and St. Mary's being greatly out of repair.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Brown, of Gibson, were up here last week, visiting their friends. Mrs. Brown intends staying here till after the tea meeting on the 29th inst. Mr. Brown returned home yesterday.

Mr. Wm. Stewart is building a new frame barn. He raised it yesterday, and intends having it finished in time to put his grain in.

LOWER CANTERBURY.

A Big Budget From an Untiring Correspondent.

LOWER CANTERBURY, Aug. 27. McTague Bros., of Allendale Settlement, lost a cow and steer last week very mysteriously.

Miss Yerxa, of Fredericton, is spending a few weeks of the summer at her uncle's, Mr. D. R. Griffin.

The many friends of Mr. Joseph Parent had the pleasure of welcoming him back to Shogomoc last week.

Mumps are very prevalent in this part of the country at present.

There was a large garden party at Mr. Oldham's, Southampton, on Saturday afternoon, 25th. The weather being fine, a large number attended, among whom were W. C. Watson and family, of Canterbury.

Mr. Moses Hillman sold a very fine horse one day last week. The price is private but we presume satisfactory to Mr. Hillman.

The weather the past week has been very wet. Only one hay day for some time.

Crops are looking fine, the oat crop especially.

Mr. James Ritchie has been moving a barn and otherwise improving his place.

Mr. D. P. Gillman, commissioner of roads, informed us that he was going to sell the piece of road above Shogomoc again, as the parties who bid it in before, had made no move towards making it as agreed.

VANCEBORO.

A Big Republican Meeting on Saturday—Speech by Hon. Lewis Barker.

VANCEBORO, Aug. 28.—Saturday, the 25th, was kept as a holiday by the people of our town. The numerous Republicans were early astir, determined to carry out successfully the first skirmish of the coming battle. The morning train brought the Woodstock base ball team, and a game was at once begun between them and the Vanceboro Blues, resulting in a victory for the latter. In the afternoon a game was played with the Forest City team, this time the Vanceboro boys being beaten.

Shortly after 4 o'clock the Hon. Lewis Barker, of Bangor, mounted the stand erected in the open air, and was introduced by our respected townsman, Mr. Holbrook. For about three-quarters of an hour Mr. Barker swayed the assembled multitude. He referred in eloquent terms to the grand old flag waving above him, and to the men, whose names were inscribed thereon. Next appealing to American pride of country he spoke of his extensive travels, having passed beyond each of its four sides, that side bounded by the snowy regions of British America as well as the others. Prominence was given to the fishery question, the cruel treatment shown the hardy fishermen, from whom in time of war the navy must be manned. When the American flag was pulled down an insult was offered that should not be allowed to pass by. He expressed it as his opinion that had James G. Blaine been in the presidential chair war would not have been declared against Canada for the simple reason that under his administration the Canadian Government would not dare to do such an act. The treaty recently made was an injustice to the Americans, and could not be tolerated. It was the extreme of injustice to compel American fishermen to pay $150 to land for the purpose of burying a dead sailor. The remainder of the speech was devoted to the tariff, and in exposing the inconsistency of the Democrats. His peroration was very eloquent, and was received with loud applause. He predicted that the next president will be a man who went bravely into the civil war and not one who hired a substitute to take his place.

A public supper was next given to all who wished to avail themselves of Republican hospitality.

When the shades of evening fell on the town, the houses of the principal citizens presented a gay appearance. A magnificent torch light procession paraded the streets of the town. In spite of the strong party feeling the best of order prevailed.

Rev. Mr. Walker has returned from attending camp meeting in Aroostook Co., and proceeds to-night to attend similar meetings in the west.

Among the passengers on the Yankee this morning was Louis McKenzie from Fredericton, bound for Boston.

The annual Sunday School picnic was held on Thursday last. The cold weather prevented many from venturing out.

UPPER HAYNESVILLE.

The Crops—Preparing for the District Meeting—Personal Intelligence.

UPPER HAYNESVILLE, Aug. 23. The weather has been very cold for the time of year. There have been some fine days to help the men in their haying. Some have finished and others expect to in a few days if the weather permits. It gives promise of good weather to-day.

The crops are looking very well and shows signs of soon being ready for the harvest

Some of the sick are able to be about again. Mr. Carvell's baby is still very sick.

Upper Haynesville is quite a resort for visitors.

Mrs. and Mrs. Murray Jones have returned home, taking with them his youngest sister.

The Misses Wallace, three in number, are here visiting their sisters Mrs. W. Whitan and Mrs G. Veysey. They hail from Jerusalem.

The people of this place are beginning to prepare for the district meeting to be held in this place, commencing on the third Wednesday in September and lasting three days. A large crowd and a good time are expected. A business meeting has been held in order to arrange matters so as to be in readiness.

Dr. and Mrs. Dan, of Presque Isle, have been here on a short visit to their friends. The doctor formerly practised in this place.

The drovers have been around and have taken away the early lambs.

Mr. Simeon Clark lost a valuable colt the other night.

Sunday night "sings" have made their appearance again. They are beneficial in one way but non-beneficial in another. For instance, when a young man becomes so bewildered by the music that, on going home, he does not know it and goes right by, not only to to find, on coming to himself, that he is deserted by his companion-in-arms, but a good way from home, the effect is bad. Finger-boards and electric lights would be a good thing as the brightest moonlight is insufficient to show the home stretch in a race of this kind. The young race.

MOUTH OF KESWICK.

Its All On Account of St. Swithens—Personal—Illustrative Lecture.

MOUTH OF KESWICK, Aug. 25. The haymakers have found this week no improvement on last, and, as the rain continues from day to day, many are beginning to have their faith in St. Swithin's adage strengthened, and to hope that there is better weather in store for them soon, now that the forty days are over.

Rev. Wm. Downey, president of the Free Baptist conference, has gone to Grand Manan to attend a meeting of the executive committee of that body.

Mrs. Wm. Downey and daughter have returned from a two weeks visit to Nova Scotia.

Mr. George Downey and family are visiting at his father's.

The Rev. H. Bool will deliver his interesting and instructive lecture on the "Pirim's Progress" in the Baptist church this evening.

CANTERBURY STATION.

A Budget of Items that Will Interest all Classes of Readers.

CANTERBURY STATION, Aug. 28. We have not been heard from for some time, but please do us the justice to believe that we are not so drowned in the intoxication of present good company as to forget our dear friend, THE GLEANER.

We agree with the lady who said, "we are having precarious weather indeed."

The Rescue Dust paid a visit to our village, and we are pleased to add to the almost universal approbation our hearty commendation of them. The temperance sentiment was at a very low ebb but they have created quite an awakening, and now it is the fireside talk. They evince no disposition to force any one to join their society, but conduct their meeting on a common sense basis. They organized a lodge here with forty-six charter members, and resuscitated one at Dead Creek, with the following officers: James K. Fleming, Select Councillor; Fannie McMullin, Vice-Councillor, David McKay, Past Councillor; Mary McMullin, Recording Secretary; Thomas Jarvis, Assistant R. S.; Hannah Darling, Financial Secretary; Caroline McMullin, Treasurer; Davd Jamieson, Herald; Thomas Gillespie, D. Herald; Willie Jarvis, Guard; Robert Gillespie, Sentinel.

We think that the Scott Act must have gone to Niagara on a vacation. Like Mordecai, setting in the king's gate, liquor continues to be a great annoyance to all.

The social given at Dorrington hall in aid of the Free Baptist church was a financial success.

The schools re-opened the first Monday in August with the same staff of teachers in all, except at California, where Mr. James K. Flemming takes charge instead of Miss Currie. Mr. Flemming is a thorough, painstaking teacher, and one who takes a great interest in his work. He teaches his pupils to think and work for themselves so that their studies will not cease when their school days end.

Rev. Mr. Coffin (Presbyterian) occupied the pulpit in the Methodist church last Sunday.

Rev. Mr. Warneford, sr., preached an earnest and impressive sermon to a large auditory.

Mr. Amos Dickinson and Miss Levinia Wright have just entered that partnership which is limited by the life of one of the contracting parties. Their numerous friends wish them a long, happy and prosperous wedded life as they journey across time's ever changing sea.

A number of our popular young friends planned a boating party for last Thursday to be held on the placid waters of Skiff Lake, and at an early hour a large concourse of friends might have been seen wending their way to Mr. McMullin's store, the place of rendezvous. After social greetings the boats were manned and all were soon floating over the tranquil waters of our Saratoga. At Bartlet's Cove it was decided to land, and as the wind began blowing quite a gale, the timid felt relieved as they stepped once more on terra firma. Here, seated amid an amphitheatre of hills, clothed in all the beauty of their summer grandeur, where the eye could view the ever rolling waters of Skiff Lake, whose surges broke in magnificent desolation at our feet, we partook of a feast tempting enough to entice the appetite of the most fastidious. After some time spent in social converse, reconnoitering parties were despatched in search of blueberries, which were found to be very plentiful. At five we meet on the shore again where refreshments were served. The boats were again lowered and, after a very pleasant hour or two on the water, all returned home declaring it to be the most delightful day of the season.

It has pleased a just God to remove from our midst by death, the beloved wife of the Rev. Mr. C. Warneford, aged 26. Although we feel unwilling to intrude on the sacred privacy of grief until its first pangs have in some measure subsided, we participate so sincerely in the affliction of the bereaved husband and relatives that we cannot refrain from enrolling on the pages of our memory the name of our dear young friend, and yet so weak and ineffectual is all human consolation, that we scarcely know how to express the deep sense we have of the heavy stroke with which the family has been submerged. It is a sad bereavement but we doubt not from a strong faith in Him who doeth all things well, that the mourning friends will be sustained and comforted, and we most affectionately commit them to Him who alone can give comfort to those who mourn.

God, in the dispensation of his Providence, has taken to that brighter world above Mrs. Ira Dow, who died in the 32nd year of her age. She leaves a sorrowing husband, three children, an aged father and mother to mourn the loss of a kind and faithful wife, and an indulgent mother and affectionate daughter, but while we bow in humble submission to Divine Will, we are again admonished to be ever ready for death's summons that may come to us as suddenly as it did to her. The funeral was very largely attended, and the service was conducted by Rev. S. Young. On the casket were several wreaths of beautiful flowers the gifts of friends.

Many complain of the hay crop being light but the young man which found himself beneath a fair sized load thinks differently.

FOREST CITY.

A Big Budget of Interesting Items from a Newsy Section.

FOREST CITY, Aug. 28. The weather has been very dull with more or less rain for the past three weeks. It seemed to be almost impossible for some few to finish haying. The prospect is still unfavorable.

C. H. Vose and wife returned on Saturday last from a trip to St. John, Halifax, Eastport, Robinston, Calais and St. Stephen. Mr. Vose was much pleased with the country through which he passed, and speaks highly of the city of Halifax.

This week several of our citizens are off to Bangor to attend the fair.

The Baptist House, which has been under repairs for the last two months, is now completed and will be dedicated on Thursday, the 30th inst. Rev. Mr. Harrington, the pastor, deserves much credit for the energetic way in which he has pushed it through to completion. It is a neat little church, and the improvements on the grounds are going to add greatly to the appearance of our village, especially on the New Brunswick side. Mr. Harrington is popular among his own flock, and in fact with all societies.

Our village has now two churches, one on each side of the river; two fine school buildings, one on each side of the river; and four stores, two on each side of the American line, the river here, or rather the lake, being the dividing line.

Base ball games seem to be a part of the summer's programme.

On Friday last the Forest City boys played the Orient boys at Orient, Me., and held their own, the scores being equal. On Saturday they went to Vanceboro and defeated the Vanceboro boys. Although the writer does not take any