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## Farm and Building Lots For Sale.

The subscriber offers for sale his farm in Middleton, consisting of 25 acres of land including three acres of orchard three of intervals and 18 acres of woodland and pasture. The house is in good repair and is furnished. The barn contains 10 to 15 tons of hay. Everything will be sold. Possession given at once.  
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## FROM OUR REPORTERS.

News Items from the Surrounding Villages Gathered by Our Correspondents.

### Albany.

The crops are all gathered in. The crop of roots, as a whole, was excellent.

Charles Whitman put in 1,400 bu. of roots. 12 turnips filled a barrel, and four together weighed 60 lbs. N. P. Whitman had 600 bu., Edwin C. Merry about 800 bu. potatoes, turnips etc. Other farmers had from 250 to 400 bushels. This vegetable crop is opportune as it will help out the short crop of hay.

Mrs. Charles Oakes has returned from Massachusetts, after a stay of about two months.

Mr. L. R. Fair, architect, and family, observed Thanksgiving on Saturday last, by providing a bounteous repast for invited guests. All report a very pleasant time.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Whitman and Mrs. Edw. Oakes expect to return to their homes on Wednesday next. We will miss them much.

Rev. W. H. Warren and Rev. M. W. Brown, the former on behalf of temperance reform, and the latter on behalf of the Forward Movement, were calling on the people here recently. Mr. Warren spoke eloquently on his subject, to an attentive audience.

### Bloomington.

Miss Mabel Conant is making a two weeks visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Conant.

Mrs. Lizzie Armstrong is visiting friends in Nietaux.

On Wednesday last, the stork visited the homes of Mr. Arthur Bruce and Mr. Charles Trask, leaving a small son at each.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Neily, of Torbrook, spent the week end with Bloomington friends.

Mr. Blake Armstrong spent Sunday as the guest of J. H. Annie, Nietaux Falls.

On Saturday evening, Mrs. Fred Layte entertained a party of friends very pleasantly.

Arthur Bruce and Leander Kendall have returned from their trip to Mass.

On Thursday evening a number of friends gave Mr. Geo. Conant a pleasant birthday surprise. An enjoyable evening was spent by all present.

Mrs. Farker Vidito recently celebrated her 93rd birthday. Though nearing the century mark, she still maintains all her faculties, and is wonderfully active and vigorous.

Miss Vivian Annis and brother, Robie, were guests at D. B. Armstrong's recently.

L. M. Armstrong is suffering from an attack of pleurisy and congestion.

### East Dalhousie.

Miss M. I. Wilson left on Saturday

### For Courage.

King Edward is to create a new order of merit for persons risking their lives to save persons in danger in mines

or quarries of the Empire. There will be a silver and a bronze medal, bearing the effigy of His Majesty and containing the words "For Courage".

Mr. E. S. Starratt and bride, of Springfield, spent Sunday with Mrs. V. L. Wilson.

Mrs. Scott, of Halifax, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Edson Rood.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Taylor are visiting relatives in New Ross.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Quigley are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Taylor. Messrs. Edward Long and Wm. Whiddin each succeeded in capturing a fine specimen of moose last week.

Mrs. Charles Russel, of New Ross, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Long.

Mrs. John McGowan is recovering from her severe illness.

Mr. H. S. Taylor spent a few days last week in the village.

Mr. Walter Quigley has been suffering from a severe attack of quinsy.

### Greenwood.

Mr. H. D. Woodbury and Miss Louise Woodbury of Kingston Village, spent an afternoon last week visiting at Mrs. Israel Bank's.

Mrs. Small and daughter, Dorothy spent Friday the 1st, visiting at Mrs. George Phinney's in S. Farmington.

Mr. and Mrs. James W. Felch spent a day last week with Mr. W. G. Spiny.

Miss Mabel Banks spent Saturday and Sunday the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Howard Neely Kingston Village, Mr. and Mrs. Smith (nee Blanche Ewing) of Massachusetts, spent Thursday visiting Mrs. Smith's sister, Mrs. Martha Rawson So. Greenwood.

The annual Methodist Donation Party will be held at Mr. Charles Magee's on the evening of Wednesday Nov. 20th. Supper will begin at 7 o'clock. A literary and musical programme is being prepared. A good time is expected.

Mr. James Phinney of Farmington, has purchased the property recently owned by Robt. McMaster.

### Prince Albert.

A merry jingle of wedding bells in the air.

Miss Elma Thorne is visiting relatives here.

Miss Hiltz, of Canaan, is the guest of Miss Eva Andrews.

Our farmers report a good crop of apples, potatoes, and turnips.

Mr. L. R. Margeson, of Middleton, was the guest of his cousin, John W. Clark, on Wednesday.

Master Burton Cochrane is on the sick list, with a cold.

Mr. John McNelly returned to Malden, Mass., some two weeks ago.

## THE HAGUE.

Fifteen Different Things Accomplished by the Peace Conference.

It has become somewhat customary for the newspapers to make fun of the Hague Conference, but a review of what was done, shows that their work was not in vain.

(1) The conference has established the inviolability of neutral territory and the right of asylum in that territory for prisoners of war.

(2) It has prohibited belligerents from establishing wireless telegraph stations in neutral territory.

(3) It has prohibited belligerent ships of war either to revictual in neutral ports, except to complete their normal supplies, or to take fuel except in order to reach the nearest port of their own country.

(4) It has provided that henceforth hostilities may not begin without a previous declaration of war or an ultimatum with a conditional declaration.

(5) It has directed that a state of war must be notified without delay, to the neutral Powers, and may be given by wire.

(6) It has revived the three declarations of 1899, which had lapsed five years thereafter, namely, prohibitions to drop projectiles from balloons, to diffuse deleterious gases, or to use expanding bullets.

(7) It has approved regulations which require indemnification by any belligerent who violates any of the laws of war.

(8) It has provided a definite period of grace to be allowed to belligerent merchantmen in an enemy's ports at the outbreak of hostilities.

(9) It has prohibited the use of mines for the purpose of restricting commercial navigation, and the use of floating mines, except those so constructed as to become innocuous within an hour after having passed beyond human control, and also the use of innocuous mines which do not become innocuous after they have broken their moorings.

(10) It has prohibited the bombardment of undefended places.

(11) It has insisted upon the inviolability of fishing boats and of the postal service.

(12) It has ratified the humanitarian recommendations of the Geneva Red Cross convention of 1906, and has added others.

(13) It has provided for the humane treatment of captured crews.

(14) It has established an international prize court, in which unlimited right of appeal is given in cases where neutrals are concerned.

(15) It has agreed that one nation shall not attempt forcibly to collect a debt claimed by its citizens from the government of another nation unless there shall be first an offer by the creditor country to submit the question of the indebtedness to arbitration.

### First Authentic Reports from Karatagh are Horrifying.

MANY VILLAGES DESTROYED—CORRESPONDENT WITH RELIEF EXPEDITION SENDS REPORT OF AWFUL SLAUGHTER IN RUSSIA TURKISTAN.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 10.—The first direct reports from the scene of the great earthquake at Karatagh, Russia Turkistan, about three weeks ago, reached this city to day from a correspondent who accompanied the relief expedition sent in from Samarkand. Telegraphing under date of November 9, this correspondent says:

"The town of Karatagh was completely destroyed. The victims number 4,000 in Karatagh and about 10,000 in the adjoining district Denauk. All the villages in the vicinity were wrecked. It is possible that there are hundreds more dead in these villages, but investigation is only now determining the approximate number."

### Mt. Allison vs. Acadia.

The final game in the Intercollegiate League series for the King Richardson Cup took place in Sackville, on Nov. 9th, and ended with a score of 8-0 in Mt. Allison's favor. The day was ideal for football and a large crowd attended. Acadia's fifteen were much heavier but the Mt. Allison men showed more snap, and were always on the ball. Faulker Acadia's full back played the game for the visitors. Five minutes after the whistle McKay scored for Mt. Allison and it was over.

by Llewelyn. Mt. Allison controlled the scrim and healed repeatedly. The score stood 5-0 at the end of the half. Much scrimaging took place in second half and when on Acadia's five yard line, McSweeney bucked through and scored which was not converted. The game was hard and fast but not rough. In the evening a reception was given the Acadia boys at the Ladies College.

Sackville, Nov. 11th, '07. D.

### The Coming Session.

APPLICATIONS FOR FOUR NEW BANKS AND THREE INSURANCE COMPANIES.

Ottawa, Nov. 11.—Notice has already been given of 67 Bills for the approaching session of Parliament, so the private legislation will be considerable. Among the notices are applications for four new banks, one in Edmonton, one in Montreal, one in Winnipeg, and one in Vancouver. There are three fire insurance companies. Five of these are from Toronto, one from Winnipeg, one from Minto, Manitoba, one from Parry Sound and one from Tecumseh.

The Merchants National Bank of Portland, O. has suspended the payment.

A collision on the C. P. Ry., at St. Clete, Ont., on Nov. 13 resulted in the death of Fireman Daniel Mooney and the wrecking of a locomotive and 14 cars.

## Wanted.

Man and wife to work on farm. Man must be temperate, all-around farmer; wife, neat, economical, good cook. State wages expected.  
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