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IF YOU PATRONIZE The Everyday Bargain Store YOU LEARN TO SAVE MONEY

Appreciating the patronage of
our many customers during
the past year

We Wish All A Very
Happy New Year

and many Prosperous Years
to follow

A. W. PHILLIPS

BRISTOL N. B.

OVERCOATS FOR MEN and BOYS

Ulsters and Blacks with Fur Collars. Some New, some "carried over." Special prices now on all to clear.

UNDERWEAR

for the whole family. A large quantity of Stanfield's and Hewson's "carried over." You can save a lot of money on these.

Sweaters, Mackinaws, All-wool Pants,
Winter Caps, Gums, Packs

and all other winter goods in abundance, with prices away below to-day's markets, as all the goods were contracted for months ago.

Butter, Eggs, Poultry

Don't forget that we PAY MORE for these than any of our competitors in either cash or trade. You can easily prove this by calling us up on either phone at our expense.

S. W. SMITH

The Cash Store

N. B. Phone 3-2

EAST FLORENCEVILLE, N. B.

Farmers' Phone 18-2

BRISTOL LAD MARRIES IN ENGLAND

Breezy Budget of Personal Items From Neighboring Village

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Darkis have gone to Foreston to spend the winter.

H. N. Banks is home from Wapske for the holidays.

Miss Basha Giberson of Hodgdon, Me., is spending the holidays with her parents.

W. B. Somerville arrived home from McGill College on Friday.

Miss Lillian Murray has gone to Aroostook Jct. for a few days.

A Red Cross Tea was held on Thursday afternoon by the teachers and pupils of the school in the school-house in aid of the Halifax Fund. The nice sum of \$20 was cleared.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Merritt and child of Fort Fairfield are visiting Mr. Merritt's mother, Mrs. James Bell.

Miss Hattie McLean is visiting her sister, Mrs. Geo. Caldwell. Miss McLean recently graduated from the Fisher Memorial Hospital at Woodstock.

Samuel Rogers has purchased Andrew Bell's house.

Mrs. Huntley DeGrass of Waterville spent a few days with Mrs. Stanley Lockhart this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Neville Jensen spent last week in Ha. and.

Mrs. Harry Jones has gone to Pine Cliffs, N. C., where she will remain for some time.

David Gulliver, our popular school-teacher, left on Friday for his home in Norton, and we are sorry to hear he is not to teach the following term.

Dr. M. E. Commins of Bath spent three days here this week vaccinating the people.

Mrs. Ena L. Brittain and son, Willie are spending the Christmas holidays at their home here.

Miss Hepsey Giberson, who has been teaching school in Rosedale, arrived home on Saturday. After Christmas Miss Giberson is going west to resume teaching there.

Charles Dyer is recovering from the smallpox.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Street of Upper Kent spent Wednesday in Bristol.

Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Banks spent the week-end in Esdraelon. Mrs. Bank's mother, Mrs. McIntosh, is seriously ill with typhoid fever.

Roy Estabrooks went to Boston on Thursday with potato cars.

Miss Helen Somerville fell one day this week and sprained her wrist.

Mrs. Theodore Rogers has received word from her son, Pte. Raymond Estabrooks, who enlisted with the 26th Batt. that he has been united in marriage with Miss Jessie Pointing of England, formerly of Bristol. The friends

of this young couple will wish them much happiness and a safe return to New Brunswick.

George Street of Perth is visiting his aunt, Mrs. S. C. Street. Marcus Mead of Houlton, is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Barton Rogers.

Mr. and Mrs. Tinley Rogers of Juniper are visiting relatives in Bristol.

Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Drier are moving into Samuel Roger's house.

Mrs. L. A. White of Centreville is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Davis.

Reginald Brittain of Bath is spending his Christmas at his home here.

Mrs. Ernest Dyer spent a few days in Hartland this week.

Mrs. Matthew Caldwell went to Mattawamkeag, Me., on Thursday to visit her daughter, Mrs. Barry Tweedie.

FRANK GOODWIN DIED BRAVELY

The following letter has been received by Mrs. Harvey Goodwin:

Somewhere in France,
Nov. 28, 1917.

Dear Mrs. Goodwin:—You have undoubtedly been notified of the death of your gallant son, who departed this life on Nov. 6. He was buried on the field where a cross has been erected to his memory. He was a good brave soldier and in every way a credit to his loved ones. He died nobly doing his duty, and that in the cause of justice and right. What nobler and could one desire? What manner of death could have brighter prospects for the future? By laying down his life for others your gallant son has made the supreme sacrifice of love and his reward will be proportionately great. Please accept my sincerest condolences.

Very sincerely yours
Capt. R. C. MacGillivray
26th Bn. Canadians
B.E.F.

Carleton-Victoria Clear But Smallpox Increasing Elsewhere

While there is no further spread of the disease in Carleton county the cases of smallpox reported in the province of New Brunswick now are more numerous than at any time since the outbreak. Fifty-four cases are reported by the provincial board of health. The majority are secondary. The North Shore, which had very few cases early in the outbreak, is now badly infected, particularly Northumberland and Kent.

The State of Maine is in a serious condition. It is reported that at Caribou three cases resulted fatally, but this is not confirmed. Thirteen cases occurred at Presque Isle and ten at Fort Fairfield since the health authorities made what was thought to be a successful effort to get control. Sixty-seven cases exist in Eastport. So far no cases have been reported from the islands of Charlotte county.

Victoria county is now reported to be practically clear of the disease. One case exists in York county at Burt's Corner.

To Make Woodstock "Dry"

R. W. Demmings of Aroostook Junction, inspector under the Prohibition Act, was in town all week and was very active. He made some seizures of liquor and has fined a couple of others who had intoxicating liquor in their possession. It is his intention to make Woodstock "bone dry."

Be Progressive—ADVERTISE!

NEWSY ITEMS FROM BUSY CENTREVILLE

Death of an Old Resident—Prosperous Farmer Makes Things Pleasant

The usual Christmas crowd was around all day Saturday and Monday and the stores had an excellent trade. Much interest was taken in the contest at Sherwood's Ltd. and the venture was a great success for the firm. Mrs. Joseph Anderson was the winner of the first prize, an expensive set of furs. George Beckwith won second prize, a handsome buffet. Miss Rilla Trafford got third prize, a quarter oak leather seat, rocking chair. Mrs. S. Morrithe was a close fourth and will receive a prize equal in value to the chair.

Punch boards for chocolates and cigars are now scattered all over the country and a lot of good money is wasted on them. Still money must be spent foolishly and always will be and the punch board is as nearly harmless a form of gambling as can be found.

Rev. H. F. Rigby is improving slowly and is not yet able to be up. He was kindly remembered by his friends and received a large number of Christmas gifts, among them a nice electric reading lamp.

Miss Vera Brown is home from McGill for the holidays. The school teachers and normalites are all home for the holidays.

T. C. Cain, Knoxford, has moved into his new bungalow which is nearly completed. He has the best equipped farm house in this section of country, in fact there are only few town houses that can compare with it. The house is large and roomy with a lighted basement. Mr. Cain has an electric lighting plant with 50 or 60 lights in the house and barn. He also has a compressed air water system and can throw water all over his buildings. Mr. Cain is a progressive farmer and also believes in having some comfort in this life.

Miss Molly Cody went to Woodstock to spend Christmas; also J. C. Stevens and wife.

Miss Winnie Dickinson of Woodstock is visiting Mrs. John Gilland.

Miss McDonald of Portland, Me., is visiting Dr. and Mrs. Peppers.

Miss Dorothy Clark is home from St. John for the holidays.

John Gregg, one of our older residents, died early Friday morning and was buried Saturday afternoon. The service was held at the house and was conducted by Rev. J. B. Champion. Mr. Gregg has been sick for a long time and had been in bed for over a year. He was a patient sufferer and always had a pleasant word for his visitors.

This is the first Christmas for 20 or more years that your correspondent can remember when there has been no horse-trot on the pond or flat. What is the matter with the sports? One reason is that good horses have not been raised here the last few years. No one seems to have the pluck to bring in a good stallion. Another reason is that there seems to be a lack of a leading spirit. Dr. Brown for years took active interest in the sport, but the last few years he seems to be too busy to look after the details of a race. F. D. Tweedie later took an active interest in the sport but he is now located in Woodstock and is entirely out of the horse business. We sincerely hope some one will rise up and show the boys that there is still left some sporting blood in this section of the country. Centreville could always draw a large crowd for a horse race.