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☞ Goods are getting scarcer and scarcer—prices steadily going up—many lines practically wiped out—importation almost at a standstill.

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☞ Our ample stock of general Dry Goods, Clothing, Boots and Shoes enables us to give low prices and satisfaction.

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it is the TRAINED man who leads. This school makes a specialty of training young men and women to fill responsible, good paying positions. Prepare yourself for one of them by taking a course at the

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Fredericton, N. B.
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They're the best line we ever had. There'll be no need of going or sending out of town for this line for the prices are right.

I also have a fine line of

Heavy Shoes for the Mud

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Vitriol, Grass Seed Flour and Sugar

If you do not buy these at once and from me you will lose money as they are all going higher. Vitriol will soon be unobtainable. Better call at once for this, or phone your order. Farmers' and N. B.

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(INCORPORATED 1851)

ASSETS - - - - \$3,213,438.25

DIBBLEE & AUGHERTON, Agents

Woodstock, N. B.

Royal Hotel

A Home Away from Home
Main Street, South Side of Bridge
Livery in Connection

HARTLAND, N. B.

A. W. CLARK, Prop.

Tenders for Church

The undersigned will receive, up to July 20, 1916, tenders for the construction of a church at Hartland from plans and according to a form of agreement which may be seen at the residence of Harry Large.

The lowest nor any tender not necessarily accepted.

REV. N. FRANCHETTE, Rector

INCORPORATION IS ENDORSED

At the Town Hall on Monday evening there was a representative meeting of the ratepayers to consider the matter of incorporation. On motion E. J. McCollom was called to the chair and A. D. Colwell was elected secretary.

A copy of the bye laws of the town of Grand Falls was at the disposal of the meeting as a model on which to build the corporate structure.

To bring the matter properly before the meeting M. L. Hayward moved, seconded by W. D. Keith, that this meeting proceed with the matter of the incorporation of the town.

Frank Hagerman spoke strongly in favor of the motion, claiming it would be a great benefit to the place and make our town what it ought to be—one of the best on the St. John river.

Frank A. Aiton suggested getting into action with incorporation in view. W. D. Keith read a letter from J. M. Keefe, town clerk of Grand Falls, favoring the incorporation project. Mr. Keith was not in favor of saddling a large tax on the people, but thought incorporation would be a benefit in more ways than one. Rowdism, which is now rampant, could be subdued under the new regime, our streets and sidewalks would benefit by having our taxes spent for our own use. He was strongly in favor of the scheme.

Dr. Curtis said one benefit would be the reduction of the cost of collecting the taxes. They would be embodied in one bill and one man would collect them, whereas now it is done in four operations.

M. L. Hayward instanced the work that is being done on our streets this year as an example of what would be done under incorporation, when we spent our money in our own way. Peddlers and others who compete with our merchants would be compelled to pay a license fee towards the upkeep of the town.

A. L. Baird favored the project. L. E. McFarland could not see much benefit without a lot of expenditure.

The vote being taken the motion was carried unanimously. R. W. Cameron moved, seconded by Frank Hagerman, that the present boundaries of the present school district be the boundaries of the incorporated town. This was carried. It would comprise an area of about four square miles.

On motion of M. L. Hayward, seconded by F. A. Aiton, a committee composed of W. D. Keith, R. W. Cameron, A. L. Baird, Frank Hagerman, Dr. Curtis and A. D. Colwell was appointed to secure signatures to a petition to the legislature for incorporation. Carried.

A. W. Kyle moved, seconded by Howard Adams, that the meeting adjourn for two weeks, when it would again convene to hear the report of the canvassing committee.

Dr. Curtis moved an amendment, seconded by C. E. Allen, that the meeting adjourn to meet at the call of the committee. This carried.

The canvassing committee will get to work at once.

Annual School Meeting

The annual school meeting was held at the school house on Monday, with a fair attendance. E. C. Morgan was elected a trustee in the place of J. T. G. Carr who retires. A. L. Baird was appointed auditor.

The meeting authorized the

trustees to raise \$2200 more this year than last year for the purpose of opening a new department, making four rooms. This extra money will be used to make the necessary repairs and pay the salary of an extra teacher. The repairs will be started at once.

It was decided to place the tuition fee to non-residents at \$15 instead of \$8.50 as at present. This would only cover the cost.

A resolution was passed authorizing a petition to the government to pass legislation to prohibit non-residents of the parish from coming to the school and getting the benefits without paying tuition fees.

The year's business showed a balance on hand of \$330, with a delinquent list of about \$200.

Dr. Elizabeth Secord Passes Away

Dr. Elizabeth C. Secord, the first duly qualified and registered practising lady physician in New Brunswick, if not in all Canada, passed away at her home, Farmerston, Tuesday evening at the age of 72 years. Dr. Secord had been in failing health for some years, but her indomitable spirit and vigorous constitution stood her in good stead and the inroads of disease true to the life principles of the sufferer, were resisted to the last.

Dr. Secord has an extensive family and personal connection in different parts of the province and news of her death brings a sense of sorrow and of regret that the life work of this great hearted woman is finished. Dr. Secord was formerly Miss Smith, a daughter of late D. Smith, Blissville, and taught school before her marriage to the late John Secord, of Norton. Left a widow in early middle age she conceived the idea of becoming a doctor and studied at Keekuk Mich., in Dublin University and in the leading London hospitals. In the face of somewhat bitter opposition she was registered as a certified physician in New Brunswick in June, 1883, and since that time up to the last few months she has practised the profession she loved. She practised first at Fredericton Junction, then at Norton, later removing to Farmerston and wherever she went she made devoted friends, bringing as well the gift of healing to many an ailing one. She kept in step with the advance of medical science, always possessed the courage of her convictions and commanded the respect of fellow practitioners. She was an earnest Christian worker, being prominently identified with the old Free Baptist church and later with the United Baptists and the Women's Missionary Society. The great sorrow of her life was the death of her only son soon after he had completed a brilliant college course, but she did not allow this to interfere with the great purpose of her life, which was to bring health to the ailing and comfort the distressed in soul.

Dr. Secord is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Henry Hartt and Miss Olive M. Smith, of Carleton county, and two brothers, Daniel E. and William Dell, of Blissville. Mrs. L. R. Webb and Mrs. Luther B. Smith, of the west side, are nieces. Stanley K. Smith, city editor of The Daily Telegraph, is a nephew of the deceased.—Times

How to Live Long

Many ailments find their beginning in a torpid, sluggish condition of liver, kidneys and bowels. As a matter of fact you can add years to the length of your life as well as comfort and happiness by using Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills to keep these organs regular and active.

65TH BATT. PICNIC

The 65th Battery's Field Day which was to have taken place at Connell Park Woodstock on Monday, was held in the Armoury on account of rain. Considering the conditions under which it was held the affair was a great success, netting nearly \$400, which will more than equip the 65th Battery's Bugle Band with drums and bugles. Numerous articles of every description were donated by the merchants and private individuals of Woodstock, which were sold or auctioned.

The following members of the 65th Battery were winners of articles varying from a bag of flour to a 25-mile ride in a Briscoe automobile, McLeod, Kidney, Bingham, Morrell, McKay, Estabrooks, Durea, Corey, and Done-more. The private individuals to win prizes were Owen Kelley, H. T. Stevens, H. B. Durost, D. F. DeWitt, C. J. Jones, J. Rankin Brown.

Daniel Y. Campbell of Lakeville, (65th Battery) held the distinction of winning the 25-mile automobile drive for four people in one of the new Briscoe cars, which was donated by Phillips, Estey & Co. The prize was awarded for a lifting competition which was judged by Dr. McLean and Logie Ross. Mr. Campbell succeeded in lifting a rear wheel of the Briscoe car when loaded with thirteen of Woodstock's finest young ladies, or a total of about 1500 lbs., in addition to the weight of the car. A couple of the other Battery men had made the lift with 10 of the young ladies. Mr. Campbell in a very patriotic manner, immediately offered his prize for sale by auction for the benefit of the Battery as did many of the buyers and winners of the various articles. Mr. Campbell in this way netted the Battery \$16. Mr. Stairs of Lower Southampton was the buyer. After the sale the Briscoe agents were allowed to make a demonstration in the Armoury of their irreversible steering gear, which permitted their car to run in a circle minus the driver. The car carried three young ladies in the tonneau, who rode quite confidently in their handsome self-guided car. The Briscoe is manufactured by the Canadian Briscoe Motor Co., Brockville, Ont., which is affiliated with the Carriage Factories Limited.

Captain John H. Evans, Lieut. J. C. Barrie and Sergt. Dorey were in charge at the Armoury, and deserve a great deal of credit for bringing the day to a successful conclusion.

F. P. Stockwell, factory superintendent of the Canadian Briscoe Motor Co., was in Hartland last week and interested large crowds by letting his car drive itself, going about a narrow circle, exactly in the same track, as many as 50 times without any person in the car.

Prize-Winners in Grand Falls School

The school closed last week for the summer vacation. The advanced department closed on Tuesday at noon, as the principal, J. K. Higgins, attended the provincial institute in St. John. The closing exercises were held Tuesday morning. The trustees' prize for general standing was won by Frank Burgess of Grade VIII. In the other departments the closing exercises were held on Tuesday afternoon, and were well attended. In Miss Fraser's department, prizes were awarded to Bernice McLaughlin and Elizabeth Barker; in Miss Burgess' department, to Beatrice McCormack Emma Martin; in Miss McCluskey's department, to Eva Powers, Lena Powers and Rose Wood. In the primary departments, the children were given a treat of ice cream.—Telegraph.