

SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Our Readers are Asked to Contribute Items to This Column.

Mr. Stanley Keays is visiting in town this week. Mrs. Martha Demeau was visiting here last week. Mrs. H. G. Millican is visiting her parents at Nappan this week. Miss Enid Corbett returned to her home at Petit Rocher, last week. Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Dennison of Moncton were in town last week. Mrs. A. E. Alexander is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Farrar at Toronto. Rev. T. S. and Mrs. Roy are visiting here, the guests of Mrs. Jas. Evans. Miss Troop, milliner for Miss Henderson, left for her home on Thursday. Mr. F. W. Campbell spent the weekend here, leaving for St. John Monday. Mr. James McLean is home from Peterboro for the Christmas vacation. Miss Hazel P. Lingley left on Monday to spend New Years at Fredericton. Miss M. B. Dickson of Montreal, spent Christmas at her home in Broadlands. Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Hope left on Friday morning for their home in Chatham. Mrs. James Farrell and daughter, Molly, were visiting Mrs. John A. McKenzie last week. Thos. Malcolm, Esq., returned on Saturday morning from a trip to Montreal and Ottawa. Mr. James Mann of Oak Bay, and his two sons, Percy and Arthur, spent last Wednesday in town. Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Mackay and family of Bathurst, were the guests of Mrs. Thos. Malcolm last week. Miss Hayes, St. Leonards, is having a most enjoyable visit with friends in Campbellton, Charlo and Bathurst. Miss N. T. Smith, niece of Sir Thos. Watson, Hamilton, Bermuda, is the guest of Miss Maude F. Duncan. Messrs. E. S. Weldon and L. R. Sharpe of Acadia College, Wolfville, N. S., spent Christmas day in town. Mr. and Mrs. Edward Mann and son Eddie, spent last Wednesday visiting Mrs. John A. McKenzie and Mrs. Wm. Harvey. Many friends of Mrs. David Sansom will regret to learn that she is seriously ill. Mr. and Mrs. Bell of Taymouth, her parents, are visiting her. Mr. St. Clair Jellet of Vancouver, spent Christmas at his old home here. It is six years since Mr. Jellet was home, and he sees a wonderful change in Campbellton.

BATHURST

(From Gloucester Northern Light) Mr. Stanley Keays of Campbellton is spending a few days in Bathurst this week. Mr. Thaddeus J. Hubert of the Fredericton High School staff, who was principal of the Bathurst Grammar School last year, arrived in town Thursday to spend a few days with friends. Mr. John O'Sullivan, son of Mr. Thos. O'Sullivan, one of Bathurst's old boys is home from the west on a vacation trip of a month. Miss Elodie Bonneau of Moncton, arrived on Monday to visit her sister, Mrs. H. A. Melanson. Miss Bonneau has just returned from a lengthy visit to British Columbia and the Canadian West, visiting most of the principal cities. Mr. and Mrs. S. Howard Cox, returned on Sunday's Limited from Halifax, where they spent Christmas. Miss Opal Culligan and Miss Janie Culligan of Jacquet River were in town on Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Burbridge and children spent Christmas at Mrs. Burbridge's home in Pokeshaw. Misses Josephine and M. Estelle Rive of Caracquet were in town last week.

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B. A. MOWAT,

PHONE, 23.

GENERAL STORE

POTATO EMBARGO

HURTS N. B. FARMERS

Growers Have Little Faith in Getting Fair Inspection on Boundary

Woodstock, N. B., Dec. 28th.—Farmers and shippers in this county place very little faith in the inspection clause contained in the embargo on potatoes. If an inspector is placed at Vanceboro dealers will hardly risk a shipment of five or six cars with a prospect of whole, or part, being refused admission. That big efforts were made to keep the Canadian potatoes out, were indicated by the number of petitions that were presented at the conference in Washington, one having 27,000 names.

A careful estimate shows 48,000 barrels in Lakeville and vicinity, in this county, and this covers only a very small area of the potato-raising section.

It is said that there are about 4,000,000 bushels of potatoes in Carleton and Victoria counties at the present time, and the prospect of marketing them is not very bright owing to the abundant crop in Ontario. One shipper is quoted as predicting that the price will drop to forty cents a barrel.

Orders for hundreds of tons of fertilizer have been cancelled. Farmers ordered heavily in anticipation of planting big crops and shipping to the American market next season.

It is felt here that the whole scheme of shutting out the Canadian potatoes was hatched in Houlton. One thing is considered certain that if "powdery scab" exists in New Brunswick, it will also be found in Maine.

GAME WARDEN MEETS WITH FOUL PLAY

Body Found at the Bottom of Lake With Four Wounds in Head

Edmundston, N. B., Dec. 27.—The mysterious disappearance of Game Warden Paul Cloutier, of Notre Dame Du Lac, Temiscouata, is at last explained.

About two weeks ago Cloutier was reported drowned, and a party of divers was sent from Quebec and after ten days work they found a canoe and some clothes, which were identified as belonging to the man who had so suddenly disappeared.

The government was not satisfied with this investigation, and the minister of lands and forests, Hon. Charles Devlin, ordered another party of divers to be sent to continue the search. Last night the body was found in the bottom of Lake Squattek.

The report that Cloutier has been the victim of foul play is verified by the fact that the victim bore four bullet wounds in the forehead.

STUDIO RE-OPENING

Miss DeCrevont wishes to announce individual lessons in voice culture and pianoforte will be resumed on Jan. 6th, Classes the following week. Studio, Cameron Building, Water St.

The stork paid a visit on Monday to the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Ellis, and left a baby girl to gladden their hearts. We offer our congratulations.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Williams who spent Christmas here, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Pepper, returned to St. John on Monday's Limited.

Mr. Ethelbert McLean, accompanied by his friend, Mr. R. Laing of McGill University, Montreal, arrived here Saturday and left on Monday on a trip to the camps of the Bathurst Lumber Co.

MANY IMPROVEMENTS AT DALHOUSIE IN 1913

Good Christmas Trade, And General Conditions Are Much Improved

Dalhousie, N.B., Dec. 30th.—Christmas trade this year was fairly good considering the scarcity of money and heavy snow storm that prevailed on Christmas eve. Never in the history of the place did the stores look so well, and this was a good deal due to the fact that they were better lighted.

The year which is just closing was a lucky one for the Shiretown of Restigouche Co. During 1913, great improvements were made in the west end of the town, such as the rebuilding of the Sydney Lumber Co. mill, on a more permanent basis, the erection of the new Power House, the additions made to the already large establishment of A. & R. Loggie, Ltd., enlargement of business premises owned by L. P. Lavoie, the building of the "Star" theatre and the large and modern addition to the Queen Hotel. In the east end of the town the new breakwater of one thousand feet in length was completed. This great work which protects the inside harbour from easterly gales and serves as a wharf for large and small craft is also used as a promenade for pleasure seekers. Considerable improvements have been made to the convent. Louis J. LeBlanc's large addition to his property gives the town an up-to-date hair dressing apartment. The Royal Hotel which has changed hands has been thoroughly renovated and will fill a long felt want in the business portion of the town. An up-to-date gent's furnishing store was opened during the year by Mr. Wm. McNeill, formerly of Dorchester, N. B., and Mr. Charles Vermette who purchased Capt. Godin's property, built a modern bakery. Mr. Wm. Gallop added to his garage.

An important change made during the year with one of our concerns was that of the Dalhousie Mercantile Co. Ltd. Recent improvements made to their property which is the old stand occupied for nearly half a century, by Mr. George Haddow, Ex-M.P. make one of the finest retail stores in the county.

An Athletic Association was formed here during the year which adds very much to the amusement of our growing population of young men. The greatest improvement to the town, outside of our water system, which has given such splendid satisfaction, was the installation during the year 1913 of our electric light plant. In the opinion of experts Dalhousie, has one of the best electric light plants that can be had, and a cheap plant at that, and it is to be hoped that the ratepayers of the shiretown will not force the town council to starve a well begun enterprise.

A very enjoyable sleigh drive which terminated in a surprise party at the home of Mrs. Frank Barbarie, was given on Friday evening last by the "Younger Set". Among those present were Misses Alice Harquail, Gerie McKay, Eva Barbarie, Marguerite Sheehan, Audrey Troy, Helena Harquail, Lisa Wallace, Alma LeBlanc, Edith Stewart, Stella McKenzie, Margaret Baldwin and Messrs James Gilker, (Vancouver), Gordon Stewart, (Toronto), Harry Banning (Montreal) Herbert Hocquard, D. G. Stewart, Wm. Watt, Murray McKay, Gregory McKenzie, Gidion Baldwin, Andrew Wallace, Allie LeBlanc, Kenneth McKenzie, George LaBilios, Alexander Wallace and Arthur Legere.

The Misses Alice and Helena Harquail are entertaining a few of their young friends at a whist party this evening.

Mrs. Anderson and her daughter, Miss Kate Anderson of Campbellton, spent Xmas in town the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Haddow.

Mrs. Wm. McKean and little daughter, Amy, are spending a few days in town the guest of Mrs. McKean's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Barbarie.

Mr. Fred Burr, Manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia spent Christmas in Chatham, with his mother, Mrs. Katherine Burr.

Miss Etta Coleman left on Friday for Jacquet River to visit friends.

Among those in town on Tuesday to attend the funeral of the late Mrs. Wm. Montgomery were, James Reid, M.P.P., Charlo; Hon. Allan Ritchie, New Carlisle; R. H. Montgomery, Miles Montgomery, New Richmond; Harry O'Leary, Richibucto; Evan Price, Superintendent I. C. R., Campbellton; Claud Brown, Loggieville; John Moffat, Tide Head.

Mr. Thos. Craig of Upper Charlo, who has been confined to his home for several weeks through illness, was in town today.

Mr. McIntyre, Superintendent of schools in Winnipeg, is in town this week the guest of his friends.

Dr. H. E. Mann has returned to town after an absence of four weeks and is now ready to attend to town patients.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Smallwood and son of Moncton, spent the Christmas holidays with friends in town.

HORSE NOTES

(From Gloucester Northern Light) The ice speedway has been the scene of many exciting brushes during the past week. On Christmas day there was a match between Major Wilkes and Hal L. for two out of three half mile heats. Hal L. won the first heat in 1-11, Major Wilkes the second in 1-0 1/2, and Hal L. the third in 1-10 1/2. A good crowd viewed the

JANUARY CLEARANCE SALE

The event that brings Hundreds of dollars in savings on seasonable winter merchandise to the people of this community begins SATURDAY. THE ANNUAL JANUARY CLEARANCE SALE. The long looked forward to event is now at hand. A sweeping Clearance carrying all our Winter Goods before it.

Sale Begins SATURDAY JAN., 3rd and Ends JANUARY, 31st Here Are The Reason You Should Not Fail To Attend

Profits have been lost sight of entirely in the repricing of these Goods which are now going at a fraction of their former cost. Every lot of Winter Goods is included under this heading.

- 20 per cent Discount off our entire stock of Furs
30 " " " " " " Ladies' & Children's Cloth Coats
25 " " " " " " of Skirts
20 " " " " " " of Dresses
7 dozen Ladies' Sateen Underskirts reg. \$1.25 to 1.50 clearing at .98
10 " " " " " " and Children's Wool and Cashmere Hose reg. 25c clearing at .18
8 " " " " " " Seamless Cashmere Hose reg 35c clearing at .27
15 " " " " " " Cashmere Hose seamless feet reg. 50c sale " .37
4 " " " " " " and Children's Sweater Coats reg. \$1.25 up to 1.75 clearing at .88
6 " " " " " " Underwear reg. 25c sale .18
15 " " " " " " Underwear reg. .35 for .25, .50 for .35, .75 for .59, \$1.00 for .79 1.25 for .98
3 " " " " " " Flannelette Night Gowns reg \$1.00 for .75, \$1.25 for .98
5 " " " " " " and Children's Wool Caps reg. .50 sale .37
15 " " " " " " Handkerchiefs reg. 5c each sale 7 for .25

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LADIES' OUTFITTERS

match and the interest was keen. On New Year day there is to be on the ice speedway, a Free for all, open to the Maritime Provinces, for a purse of \$1,000, and a Three Year Old Class for a purse of \$400.00. Entries close to-day. There is no doubt there will be keen competition in both classes.

MISSION INDIAN

ARRESTED MONDAY

Isaac Isaacs of the Indian Reserve is Charged With Shooting Officer

As a sequel to the shooting of Officer Wm. Savoie, a report of which appears elsewhere in this issue, Isaac Isaacs, an Indian resident on the Mission Reservation, is now under arrest, and will come up for trial in New Carlisle.

Word of the occurrence having been forwarded to Quebec, two detectives were detailed to make the arrest. When it was known by Isaacs that the officers were after him, he warned them to keep away or he would shoot. They waited Saturday and Sunday for a favorable opportunity to arrest Isaacs, keeping close watch on the house. Word was sent to Campbellton and Chief Hughes went over to the Reservation on Monday, and quietly arrested Isaacs in another Indian's house. He was then handed over to the Dominion Officers, and lodged in custody. He will be brought up for trial shortly in New Carlisle. The injured officer, Wm. Savoie, is now at his home and will not be able to report for duty for some time.

SERVICES HELD ON CHRISTMAS DAY

Appropriate services were held in the churches Christmas day. Midnight mass was celebrated in the church of Our Lady of the Snows, and public worship was observed in St. Andrew's Presbyterian, and Christ church, Anglican, at 11 a.m. A concert with Christmas tree was conducted in the school room of the Baptist church. In connection with the concert held in the Baptist Sunday school room prizes were delivered for attendance, proficiency and memory work during the past year. The first prize, a gold eagle, was won by Muriel Stevens; second, a half sovereign, to Winifred Delaney; third a half sovereign, to Avis Miller; fourth, a gold dollar, Vera LeBlanc; fifth, a gold dollar, Elsie LeBlanc; sixth, a gold dollar, Bernice Miller. These girls recited the books of the Bible, the commandments, Beatitudes, 61st Psalm and 14th Chapter of John's gospel.

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E. A. LeGALLAIS, Manager