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Given Away

To get new regular customers and to induce all to buy for cash, we offer Free Gifts to those who buy for spot Cash according to the amount of total purchases between

Nov. 7 and Dec. 24, 1912

To those who buy \$100.00 worth
between Nov. 7 and Dec. 24 we will give a Handsome Dinner Set, 97 pieces, worth \$10.00.

To those who buy \$75.00 worth
a dainty China Tea Set, 42 pieces, worth \$7.50.

To those who buy \$50. worth
a fine Ladies' Gold-filled Watch, 7 jewel movement, or a Gent's Nickel case Watch, 15 jewel movement.

To those who buy \$25. worth
a handsome Gold Bracelet or an Ormolu Gold-plated Clock worth \$2.50.

To those who purchase \$15. worth
Half-dozen Rogers Teaspoons, Silver, worth \$1.50

To those who purchase \$10. worth
we will have a variety of Gifts, each worth \$1.00 to select from.

All the above will soon be on exhibition at our store. This offer will not include cash paid for Sugar, Molasses, Flour, Butter or Eggs.

Our stock is always full and complete—never more so than NOW. Watch for our ads each week in The Observer. They will save you money.

The DAYLIGHT

J. Baird, Hartland, N. B.
Opposite the Bridge

ONE CARLOAD
Superior Gasoline and Kerosene
Just Landed.

Our stock of **FUR GOODS**, which is probably the largest and best in the county, is now complete.

The wonderful variety and exceptional values of our mammoth stock of

READY-MADE CLOTHING

will surprise anyone from a distance or who is not familiar with our prices.

C. M. Sherwood, Ltd.

Centreville, N. B.

THE NORDLAND GIRLS.

First of the Baraca's Entertainment Course a Real Treat.

The entertainment given by "The Nordland Girls" in the Foresters' Hall under the auspices of the United Baptist church was the richest musical and histrionic event that it has been the privilege of a Hartland audience to listen to for years. It is really doubtful if ever there was given here by a company of artists a program so thoroughly refined and classic. It is equally doubtful if a company of entertainers, of any class, ever won the same appreciation. We like never to use the superlative but feel it unjust in this case to refrain. So far as the individual numbers of the program were concerned it is impossible to say there was a "best". The readings were quaint selections delightfully given; the soprano has a voice of unusual sweetness, splendidly controlled; the violinist and the cellist are real artists. That there was organ instead of piano accompaniment was a matter for regret. The violoncello has a voice for richness and sympathy unlike anything on sea or land but its timbre is grotesquely approached by the organ and its true sweetness was dulled.

That buildings are built that will not admit a piano, or that pianos are constructed so that they cannot be put into any building, is a matter for regret. Hartland should have a public hall with a piano in it.

The next of the series of entertainments will be an evening with Pitt Parker, the celebrated cartoonist, artist and lecturer. This promises to be of unusual merit, and, although entirely different from the event of Thursday evening, no less interesting.

That Hartland is given the splendid opportunity to enjoy the course, is largely due to the efforts of Rev. S. W. Schuman. As usual, in Hartland, there are those who criticise his activities, but there are more who are grateful.

The toning upward of the local taste for amusements that will result from this course is sure to be marked; and regeneration is needed. There are in the village, and nearby, those who will be satisfied with no lower class of entertainment, even as there are those whose desire will never go above rag-time and con-shows.

The Observer has never felt more keenly alive to any progressive movement and urges the support of all, for the undertaking is fraught with some hazard from a financial standpoint. The course is not for money-making, but for creating higher ideals in amusement, for preventing cerebral atrophy and mental starvation.

PIANO CONTEST POSTPONED.

Season Too Easy, Roads Too Bad for Canvassers—Will Begin First of the Year.

Confronted on Monday with more work than it seems possible to accomplish, the manager of The Observer could see no prospect of sparing the time necessary to carry on the Piano Contest or any work outside the regular office routine. This is the "busy season" in the newspaper offices, and the prospect is for a continued rush until after the Christmas holidays.

Not being able to give it the time its success would demand and considering the bad roads candidates would have to travel, we reluctantly let the Contest stand aside until January, when, more fully prepared than we are at present, and with the Christmas rush past, the work will be carried on with vigor.

Half-a-dozen candidates have been nominated and have already done good work, enough work to show us it is going to take a lot of time on our part. These candidates are asked to wait until the contest opens again. The votes they have will stand to their credit just the same. In fact, after the holidays the work will go along in precisely the same manner as has already been outlined.

Agricultural School at Woodstock.

Premier Fleming, the board of school trustees and the executors of the Fisher estate were in conference at Woodstock on Friday discussing the plans of an agricultural college, a school of domestic science and manual training.

Mr. Fleming said it was the intention of the government to establish two agricultural colleges in this province, one at Sussex and one at Woodstock, providing the executors of the Fisher estate would be willing to erect such a building, containing also the domestic science and manual training branches of the public school.

The government would bear the whole expense of the maintenance of the institution, the school trustees to have charge of the departments connected with the schools.

The executors and trustees were favorably disposed toward the scheme. Another meeting is to be held when architects and a representative of the Ontario College, with provincial representatives, will be present and endeavor to get facts and data necessary to determine the probable cost of the work.

From present indications the building will be on Chapel street, near Hedley Moore's residence, and will probably cost in the vicinity of \$75,000.

For Cash

this store as formerly gives a most liberal discount. Do not forget that produce is as good as cash. Bring to us your butter and Eggs—we pay top prices and allow our discount besides.

Our Horse Blankets Were Late in Arriving
but we have a good line at reasonable prices.

A Few Sheepskin Coats, good material and well made to go at low prices.

BELYEA BROS.

Successors to A. S. Estabrooks, Coldstream, N. B.

New Fall Coats

for Ladies, Misses, and Children

We have just received a very choice selection, hardly two alike. The styles are the very latest and both the cloths and the coloring is strictly up-to-date. These are all extra well made for people of good taste and prices have been marked low in consideration of an off year among the farmers.

A new and exclusive range of many styles of

SWEATERS

for Men and Women is open for your inspection. They are of many colors, bright or subdued, of pure wool and worth more than we are asking for them.

Men's Overcoats and Heavy Winter Underwear

in a wide range of extra-special values. We have considered the crop condition of the year and don't expect to make as much money as we might in a good year. But in spite of the price of spuds you can afford to go warmly clad this winter by trading here.

Two Big Specials:

To close out at once we offer

40 Ladies' Waists, All-over Lace Ecrú Tint, worth \$3.50 For 2.50 each

20 Ladies' Underskirts, Colored Silk, no two alike for \$2.50 to \$3.75

100 pair Cotton Blankets, Gray, Tan, and White, the large size, at \$1.15 per pair.

Mrs. C. A. PHILLIPS
BRISTOL

Ladies'
\$3.93
Children's

COATS

In a large variety of heavy cloths of latest style and moderate price.

Fall and Winter Goods for Every Member of the Family.

Game Licenses and all Hunters' Supplies. Marriage licenses and Wedding Rings. Seasonable Fall Goods including Men's Heavy Shoes, Pants, Overalls, Gloves, Gum Rubbers, etc. Come Here for Pure, Fresh Groceries, of which we keep a full line.

Remember that having two stores to buy for I am able to carry a larger range of goods at less cost, therefore can serve you better and save you money. Highest prices paid for produce in exchange for goods.

S. W. SMITH

General Merchant--Two Stores
Mount Pleasant - East Florenceville.

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