

COMPTON CENTRE.

This forms an important station of the G. T. R., from which Compton village is one mile distant, going eastward. It is the centre of a district settled over sixty years ago, though less thickly than at present, not a few of the pioneers being of the loyalist stock, assisted by British and Canadian immigrants. The neighborhood for miles around the station can boast of excellent land, a considerable amount of bush, being well supplied also with springs and streams; the latter are utilized for the purpose of mills at different points, Mr. Geo. Reynolds carrying on a flour mill at Hillhurst on the Coaticook river, and the Messrs. Gale their large spring-bed manufactory, etc., further west on this stream, at Waterville. The principal business of Compton has for a long time been the cattle, to which outter and other farm products may now be added. Its reputation for fancy cattle has for years stood high—horses too receiving great attention, the best breeds for farm purposes of all kinds being well represented at the different leading establishments. In the village there are three churches—the Anglican, served by the Rev. Mr. Barker; the Wesleyan Methodist, Rev. Mr. Kendall; Roman Catholic, Rev. J. E. Choquette. General stores: Messrs. Craig Bros., M. M. Knowlton, J. B. St. Laurent. Doctors: Thos. LaRue and R. A. D. King. Two blacksmiths' shops, one carriage-maker's and one tinsmith's; C. R. Clarke and Colin Hardin, blacksmiths; M. Demers, carriage-maker; W. Monroe, tinsmith; Mr. Todd, harness maker and proprietor of Temperance Hotel; Dan Saltry, builder and contractor. The Ladies College, a large, handsome brick edifice, on a commanding, attractive site, is under the management of the Protestant Episcopal (or Anglican) church, the principal teachers being Misses Prince, Moss and Annesley; music teacher, Miss Aldrich. There is also a district and select school, head teacher Miss Rugg. The French school is under the care of Rev. Mr. Choquette. The Mayor of the village this year is Mr. C. H. Hackett; councillors, Messrs. S. J. Pomroy, Geo. B. Bean, Wm. R. Thwintes, Jas. A. Cochrane, Henry Draper and J. A. Dufort; secretary, treasurer, C. T. Farnsworth. Some of the first farms in the Dominion encircle the town and distinguish the township. The Hon. Mr. Cochrane's stock farm includes 1400 acres all in a block, and mainly consisting of a fertile ridge, famous for its stock and crops to this date. S. G. Pomroy's farm lies mainly in the village and vicinity, and is noted also for extent, fertility and production of superior stock and crops. His strength and skill have been mainly devoted to horses and in improving the breeds, as well as introducing new sorts well suited to our climate.

Prominent among the successful agriculturists in Compton and vicinity are the following: M. Blossom, G. F. Spafford, L. P. Spafford, John McCarthy, B. F. Hitchcock, B. Hitchcock, Mrs. McClary, C. H. Crossen, M. P. Aldrick, E. W. Judah, Mrs. Geo. Hartwell, Edwin Howard, F. S. Stimson, F. W. Brewster, S. Broderick, J. C. Smith, P. K. Lindsay, G. W. Merrill, William J. McVernon, P. Drake, D. Halliday, Albert Blossom, M. Armstrong, Adam Merrill, Isaac Watson, Jeremiah Cronin, J. Blais, M. Sherman, M. Hadlock, G. Carr, Ira Carr, A. Carr, W. Carr, T. Leavitt, Walter Parsons, P. Ryan, J. Pender, W. Paige, Amos Hartwell, Quartus Bliss, A. O. Kellam.

EATON.

A most attractive village in the township of Eaton, five miles east of the C. P. R. "short line."

Congregational Church, Rev Mr Skinner
pastor
Downing Benj, retired
Draper C. M., physician and dentist
French J. L., civil service
Hall L. K., merchant
Hodge D. W., carriage maker
Lake Samuel Jr., mill owner
Lake Alvin, mill owner
Leberveau Moses, merchant, postmaster
Leberveau Steward, bailiff
Leberveau John, carpenter
Marks Jos., gentleman

McCormick Jas., merchant
Nutt Walter, bailiff
Olson Martin, harness maker
Osgoode Chas., harness maker
Osgoode Louis, harness maker
Osgoode Henry, civil service
Pleard John, tanner
Skinner Rev., pastor Congregational Church
Stone Hollis, shoemaker
Taylor O. A., hotel keeper
Warby David, cabinet maker
Winslow Ovet, blacksmith
Winslow Henry, wagon maker

EAST ANGUS.

A village in the municipality of Westbury, near the marble quarries. Mails daily.

Angus Wm & Co., merchants
Alexander Dr W., physician
Barlow Finlay, blacksmith
Brien L. R., merchant
Goulette Antoine, blacksmith

Grant Geo., carpenter and joiner
Lafare Alphonse, trader
Woodron Jas P., postmaster, sec.-treas. of
municipality of Westbury
Wilson Jas F., manager for Wm Angus & Co

 The Celebrated COOK'S FRIEND Baking Powder is unequalled for good value.