

PROVINCIAL NEWS

WOODSTOCK, Nov. 30.—Never in the history of this county has there been such a snow blockade, in a small way, during November, as this present season. Evidently the beautiful is here "for keeps," although the customary January thaw prophet is around with his prophecy, varied by producing the event a month earlier than usual. The thaw may come, but appearances are against it just now. The streets about town are just nicely covered for good sleighing, but throughout the country there is more snow than usual, and it is unevenly and unsafely distributed. Between Woodstock and Houlton the roads are so drifted that it is necessary to take to the fields, and even then the travelling is like midwinter instead of November. Along the up-country roads the same state of affairs occurs, the like having never been experienced during the month of November. And yet, how terribly indignant we become at innocent Mr. Kipling, who made Canada the subject of a beautiful poem entitled "Our Lady of the Snows." If the Englishman in Canada of the Montreal Star should visit Carleton county about now he might perhaps find his mosscoats and fur coat quite suitable, though in a peaceful community like this he might possibly find it safe to pawn his revolver and bowie knife.

MILLTOWN, N. B., Nov. 28.—An accident occurred on the C. P. R. at Milltown which nearly cost the brains of a man his life. The shunting engine was pushing three freight cars, made up of two Armour refrigerators and one freight belonging to the C. P. R., when the first car jumped the track, ran along the road bed for some distance, and then rolled over the embankment into Patrick Donohue's field. The trucks were torn from the car and the undergearing badly broken. The car was left on its side without much damage to the wood work. The brakeman, who was standing on the top of the car at the time, showed great presence of mind by hanging on the wheel at the top until the car began to tip, then jumping, he escaped with a few bruises on his leg and a sprained ankle.

H. F. Eaton of Calais purchased last week a fine moose shot at Tomahawk farm, near the coast of Maine, a brown bull moose and a calf. It is said to be the largest one ever shot in these parts, weighing about 300 pounds. Its antlers measured 58 inches from tip to tip, heading the Maine record by two inches. James Lamb and family spent the day and partook of Thanksgiving dinner with his sister, Mrs. Henry McAllister.

George Barber shot a fine deer today about a distance from town. The young people of the Congregationalist church held a very enjoyable social of their vestry Tuesday evening. The Ladies' Aid of the same church will have a supper and social Thursday evening, Dec. 5.

Fred O'Brien of St. Stephen has moved his family to the Church house on Elm street, Milltown. Quite a number of people enjoyed a very pleasant dinner at the new restaurant at the corner of the street, which has fallen sufficient to make sleighing.

CAMPBELLTON, N. B., Nov. 28.—The Caledonian society of Restigouche held its regular anniversary meeting at the Strathcona hotel this evening for the purpose of installing the following officers for the ensuing year: President, Archibald McKenzie, ex-M. P.; vice-president, D. R. Laird; chaplain, Rev. A. F. Carr; treasurer, James McLaughlin; secretary, P. E. Education, by C. H. Elliott and Mr. Zeile; medicine, by Dr. Welling; morals, by Rev. Bacon Hillock; religion, by Rev. Mr. Jennings; Temperance, by the Rev. Mr. Gregg; Jurisprudence, by Thomas Lawson, M. P.; Miss Cole presided at the organ. The attendance was large.

On Friday evening the Methodist parsonage was taken possession of by the citizens of Andover and Paris, and a very pleasant society was held, Benjamin Kilburn acting as chairman. Frederick Hoy presiding at the piano. The following programme was given: Violin duet by Miss Kilburn and Miss Baxter, song by Miss Carrie Kilburn, violin solo by Miss Baxter, recitation by Miss Dyerist, piano duet by Miss Kilburn and Fred Hoy, solo by Miss Carrie Kilburn, and a piano solo by Frederick Hoy, and song by Miss Baxter. Great addresses were given by Senator Baird, James E. Porter, S. P. Walte, Rev. Mr. Campbell, Mr. Vesie and Rev. Mr. Gregg from Tracy Mills, after which refreshments were served. Rev. Mr. Gregg responded to Our Host in a very felicitous manner. A silver collection was taken up, amounting to \$32.70. While the luncheon was being served the gramophone performed its part.

was made lieutenant colonel surgeon. He was principal medical officer at the Duke during the visit of the Duke and Duchess of York, a few weeks ago. Surgeon Major J. W. Bridges of the 71st regiment has been discharging Dr. McLeann's duties at the military school during the latter's illness.

The St. Andrew's Society celebrated the day with much eat. This afternoon the society's pipers drove about the city and the shriek of pipes reminded all citizens that the anniversary of Scotia's patron had come again. The annual dinner was held tonight at the Queen hotel and was a brilliant and successful function. President Oswald Crockett had Senator Ellis on his right and R. D. Wilton, M. P., on his left. About 100 guests were present, including Rev. Fr. Carney, Mayor Crockett, Chancellor Harrison, the faculty of the university and prominent business and professional men.

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Henry Bishop, postmaster, has returned from a visit to Boston. The many friends of George Gilbert are glad to see him about again after his recent illness. People generally are regretting the departure of John Barry, photographer, who has about concluded a very successful business visit to Bathurst. Mr. Barry, besides giving general satisfaction in his work, has made a number of his friends.

ran by the W. C. T. U. will be opened in the Deshler Richard building on Monday evening next. The Richibucto Amateur Dramatic Club will present the drama Because I Love You in the Temperance hall on Dec. 7th.

Geo. Jardine and Mrs. Jardine of Kouchibouguac spent the Thanksgiving holiday at Sackville. Rev. D. Fraser preached a Thanksgiving sermon at St. Andrew's Free Presbyterian church at Releton on Thursday morning. The collection amounted to sixty dollars.

Rev. Mr. Baker held a Thanksgiving service in the Methodist church on Thursday evening. Clifford Atkinson of Kouchibouguac, one of the leading residents of the northern end of the county, is recovering from a serious illness and is expected to meet his family season opens on Monday.

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and to report at a meeting to be held in the course of a week or more. In the presence of his father and mother, grandmothers, grandfathers and great grandmothers Hazel Freese, the infant daughter of Mrs. and Mrs. Fred P. Tingley, was baptized yesterday by Rev. Dr. Sprague.

FATHER HAPPY! SON RECLAIMED!

Went in the meshes of dread disease. All symptoms of Rheumatism, Gout, Sciatica, Neuralgia, Rheumatoid Arthritis, etc., cured. A cure that never fails.

"My son was so bad with rheumatism that we thought he would die, so great were his sufferings. We tried many remedies but they all failed, and not until we procured South American Rheumatic Cure was there a sign of relief. Three bottles of this grand medicine made a new man of him."—Wm. H. Winslow, St. John, N. B. It believes in six hours.

SOLD BY M. V. PADDOCK. CHATHAM NEWS. Business has been very lively in Chatham this week. Snow to the depth of several inches fell on Monday, and many people from the country took advantage of the first sleigh-drive of the season, to dispose of Thanksgiving turkeys.

All the business places were closed on Thursday, and the services in St. Andrew's, St. Luke's and St. John's churches were well attended. Mr. Sampson, who has been engaged in the lumbering business near Dalhousie for the last ten years, is preparing, it is said, to build a saw and shingle mill in Chatham, opposite Middle Island.

"The Bachelors' Thanksgiving Ball" in Masonic Hall on Thursday evening, was thinly attended, though invitations to it were sent to St. John, Halifax, Moncton, Bathurst, etc. The hall was prettily decorated for the occasion, and those who were there enjoyed the evening.

H. Price Webber has engaged the Masonic Hall for Christmas week. Monday afternoon's tide was the highest in 52 years. Little damage was done, but all the wharves, excepting J. B. Snowball's, were covered. H. K. Marsland is a welcome visitor to Chatham.

The ball in the hall on Friday evening last week was well attended, and was a success in every way. The Northern Star Dramatic Club, a society composed of young ladies belonging to Bathurst, gave an entertainment in the Masonic Hall on Thursday evening, which was a genuine and pleasing surprise to the large and appreciative audience who filled the hall.

SUSSEX, Nov. 28.—Thanksgiving day was not observed by the business men here, all the stores and offices being open and business continuing as usual. The ministers of the different churches held a union service at the Free Presbyterian church at 11 a. m., the sermon being preached by Rev. A. M. Hubble of the Reformed Episcopal church. In the evening the ladies of the Methodist church held a "Thanksgiving" supper, which was very largely attended.

THE MARKETS.

Revised Every Monday for the Semi-Weekly Sun.

Table of market prices for various commodities including Canadian beef, pork, mutton, and various oils and fats.

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Don't think our Vapo-Cresolene is something new, for it isn't. For more than twenty years it has been extensively used for all forms of bronchial and throat trouble.

Dr. Ballington Booth said of it, years ago, that "No family where there are young children should be without Vapo-Cresolene." You breathe in the vapor, it goes all through the bronchial tubes, soothing, healing, curing. It's pleasant, safe, economical.

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Advertisement for Carter's Little Liver Pills, featuring the text 'ABSOLUTE SECURITY' and 'Genuine Carter's Little Liver Pills'.

Advertisement for 'HERE'S A HEART POINTER' with a portrait of a man and text describing a cure for heart ailments.

Large advertisement for 'Tropin' eye medicine, featuring a portrait of a man and the text 'Was V... largely in the eye, the body... then I A'.

Advertisement for 'CASTORIA For Infants and Children' with a portrait of a child.

Advertisement for 'Over Trial of Lambert for Murder' with text detailing a legal case.

Advertisement for 'Cook's Cotton Boot Compound' with text describing the product's benefits for boots.