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BATH NEEDS RIVER BRIDGE

People of West Side Cut Off for Weeks
—New Picture House

The people of the parish of Wicklow have been cut off from us due to the dangerous condition of the ice, which although still holding is slowly wearing away. For the past two weeks the ice has been unfit for heavy traffic, accommodating foot passengers only and these must pick their way. These combined causes have had a detrimental effect on business, which has been very evident.

Hanford R. Kingston, manager of J. Clark & Son, Woodstock branch, and formerly manager of the local branch of the same company, was in town on Tuesday, conferring with John Fulton, the newly appointed manager. Mr. Fulton is a resident of this town.

Rev. McLaren, Proprietor of McLaren's Theatre, Grand Falls, was in town Wednesday, superintending the installation of the new \$1,000 motion picture machine, recently acquired by Brennan & Gorman, who shall in the future screen pictures of a high standard. The doors of the Elite Theatre shall be opened to the public under the new management for the first time at 8 p.m. on Easter Monday.

Murray Hay, Woodstock, was a business caller in town on Wednesday. Miss Kathleen Hutchinson left on Saturday for Windsor, where she shall in future reside. Miss Hutchinson was one of the most popular members of the younger set and shall be greatly missed.

O. R. Estey and Mr. Colpitts of the firm of O. R. Estey, Woodstock, were in town last week, in connection with potato shipments. Mr. Estey, stated that the potato market was very dull at the present time, there being little demand for table stock. A considerable amount of seed stock is being loaded for export.

Messrs. Kenney and Ellis have opened up a garage in the Fulton building on Mechanic street, preparatory to the spring rush.

Dow Bros. of Woodstock have leased the Bath Garage, formerly occupied by Messrs. Phillips and Pringle, the Fredericton firm and shall carry on a general garage business.

The Riverside Garage on Main st., is also open for business. So that from the present outlook, car owners may feel assured that their demands for overhauling, etc., may be well attended to.

Hazen Flemming, Woodstock, was a caller in town on Wednesday.

Mrs. Caldwell is in town, the guest of her daughter, Mrs. H. W. Crain. Mrs. Gahagan, Presque Isle, and who for the past two weeks has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Mary Secord, Mechanic street, has returned to her home.

D. T. Day, Fort Fairfield, was in town during the latter part of last week.

PLEASANT VISIT WEST
Mrs. Gilbert Cronkite has just returned from a most enjoyable trip to the Pacific Coast, and while she enjoyed the balmy breezes of the Pacific and the green lawns of Vancouver all through the winter, she seems glad to be back in old New Brunswick again.

Mrs. Cronkite went to Vancouver early in January to visit her sisters, who reside there, and is very enthusiastic in her description of the beautiful scenery and wonderful climate of British Columbia. She says the grass on the lawns in Vancouver was green as summer, all winter. The lawns had been trimmed several times before she left Vancouver, about the 15th of March.

Mrs. Cronkite spent three weeks visiting another sister in Minnesota on her way East and also stopped off part of a day in Ottawa where she had the pleasure of seeing T. W. Caldwell, the representative of Victoria and Carleton, at work. She reports Mr. Caldwell as a very busy man, he being on several important committees, in addition to the regular routine work of a member.

Mrs. Cronkite also visited her daughters, who reside at Amqui, Que., on her way home.

**EASTER SERVICES AT THE
HARTLAND BAPTIST CHURCH**

Special Easter services will be held in the Hartland United Baptist church on Sunday next. In the morning the pastor will take for his subject "Risen With Christ" and in the evening the subject will be "The Hands of Christ." The choir will provide Easter music, and in the evening a number of special Easter selections will

be rendered. The following is a list of the Easter music that will be sung by a large chorus choir: "Crown Him, Margaret B. Garret; "In The Cross," E. D. Emerson; "Awake Thou Wintry Earth," C. H. Gabriel; "Glorious Conqueror," J. C. Williams; "Shine Forth," Dr. J. B. Jackson; "He Did Not Die in Vain," Grant Fuller; "Sing Hosanna," Holdor Lilleans.

VOICE FROM WEST AND GRAND FALLS

Editor Observer—Have just been reading The Observer, which is sent to me by my sister in Grand Falls and am awfully interested in the articles on the Grand Falls Development. The opinions which are in March 12 issue surely are of the right sentiment. No doubt many of the boys enticed away by the lure of bigger wages and abundance of work in Western Canada and the United States, only to find that it is just a way the promoters have of getting cheap labor, would have been satisfied and contented with their own province had the Falls been developed. As D. J. Collins states (I am well acquainted with him), the population will continue to decrease unless the power is developed for manufacturing purposes. Every one of the former N. B. and especially Grand Falls residents, will heartily endorse the good work and it will, no doubt, be the means of bringing many of the wanderers back home to stay and help in the work of making the province one of the most outstanding in the Dominion, in every way.

Hoping to be able to read in the next issue of actual work being done on the project, and being developed, not by any private concern, such as had the charter, but by the Government of N. B. Bruswick.

A former Grand Falls Citizen.

ARE YOU KNOWN?

A man in a Western city conducted an obscure little shop, where he devoted himself sharpening knives and razors. Because the building in which he was located was being torn down, he was located was being torn down, that in a new place his customers would never find him. The persons he practised wished to reach were the barbers. So he tried the plan of hiring a man to poke his head into the doorway of practically every barber shop in town and inquire: "Where is Smith, the razor sharpener, moved to—the one who used to be down in the Behemoth Building?"

Scarcely any barber was able to answer the question. Whereupon the inquirer, followed his instructions, asked: "Wh-a-t! You dont know where he is? Why, he's the best razor sharpener in the country; but I dont live here and wasn't sure where to find him. I heard about him from a barber in Chicago; seems to me he has moved to the Hicks Building, but I dont know where that is."

From then on, after learning there was in their midst a razor sharpener whose fame had been spread clear to Chicago, every barber in town made it his business to know where that man was located.

Moral
If a man or a business wants to be heard of, it must advertise.

It is a true saying that "you do not exist to the man who never heard of you."

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH

GOOD FRIDAY—Is it nothing to you, all ye that pass by? Service 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m.

EASTER DAY—Holy Communion 8 a.m.

Choral Celebration and sermon 11 a.m.

Evensong and sermon 7.30.

Subject: "Have ye received the Holy Ghost since ye believed?"

Special and appropriate music at these services.

The Rector will also preach at Windsor Union Church at 3 p.m.

OBSERVER ADS BRING RESULTS

Town Topics

Tid-bits on the Tip of Everybodys Tongue

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Free

CELLOPHANE

The transparent wrapper found on Mot's Chocolate boxes is called cellophane—one of the most interesting scientific discoveries of recent years. A French chemist, Branderberger, invented it in 1903. It is not only transparent, it is stronger than paper, bacteria proof, waterproof, and impenetrable. Hence

its great protecting power. Strangely enough, it is exactly the same in composition as artificial silk, being in sheet form and generally undyed instead of thread form like the silk.

A British Columbia paper recently contained this classified adv.: For Sale—Baker's Shop, Good Trade, Excellent over; owner has been in it for seven-teen years.

TARIFF REDUCTIONS HELP TO FARMERS

But There is Grave Danger of Ruining Many Canadian Industries and Thus Killing the Home Market

In its issue of Friday morning the Telegraph-Journal published a symposium of the opinions of leading business men throughout the province as regards the tariff reduction. The Observer is pleased to give herewith the opinions of some leading men in its territory.

H. H. HATFIELD

Hartland, April 11—My opinion is that there should be no duty on chemicals entering into the manufacture of commercial fertilizer, but that the duty on manufactured fertilizer should stand. The point is this, that farmers, agricultural societies and others are able to complete the manufacture of commercial fertilizer from the raw materials at a very great saving over anything they may import in the way of the completed goods.

At present there is no sales tax on fertilizer materials. Should adequate reduction of the sales tax and that all sales tax should be placed upon the manufacturer only and thus save the services of armies of officials who eat up most of the revenue that comes from the small handler of manufactured goods.

Industries and business are so over-taxed there is little or no encouragement for further investment of capital and money is being hoarded and not available for industrial enterprises.

So far as the duty on farm machinery is concerned it seems to me that from time to time duties have been reduced until I understand that farm implements are being imported under practically the lowest tariff of any manufactured goods. Some further reduction may be made but there are millions invested in the manufacture of agricultural implements and the thousands employed are to be considered because these people make the home market for our potatoes and other agricultural products.

A farmer might say, "Yes, give us free machinery; but there are many angles from which this question may be viewed and all concerned must be considered. Chemicals used in the making of insecticides and other spraying materials should also be admitted free and made free of sales tax. Regarding Government assistance to agriculture, I regard the present expenditure unwise in that what the country needs is a market."

The farmers will raise the goods in any quantity. This is the business. The trouble is, where we are going to sell our goods or what is the inducement to plant heavy or any particular crop when no market is in sight. Reciprocity with Cuba and West Indies would benefit wonderfully. We must import their products and they must have our potatoes, hay, butter, oats, flour and products of the forest.

A greater part of agricultural appropriation should be devoted to investigating markets—and possibly to bonusing manufacturers of farm grown materials.

GUY G. PORTER

Perth, April 11—I feel strongly that free fertilizer, abolition of sales tax and substantial reduction or abolition of the duties on agricultural implements would stimulate production in agricultural Canada. It would reduce the cost of production on all products of the soil which enters so largely into the high cost of living. It would allow Canada to complete more favorably on farm products in the markets of the world. It would lend heart to Canadian farmers both East and West and go far towards stopping the exodus of young men and women from the rural districts. It would create a new era of prosperity in the nine agricultural provinces which would be favorably reflected in all lines of business throughout Canada.

C. E. GALLAGHER

Bath, N. B., April 11—Chemical fertilizers are absolutely necessary under the present farming methods and placing it on the free list would enable the dealers to supply the farmers at correspondingly lower prices. Farm machinery prices are extremely high and the abolition of the sales tax and the reduction of the duty would undoubtedly result in material benefit to our farmers who are the backbone of our country and at present in need of every possible encouragement and assistance.

B. F. SMITH

East Florenceville, April 11—Our farmers for the last few years have been using the chemicals instead of the mixed fertilizers. The only chemical on which there is or has been any duty is acid phosphate. This would amount to about 50 cents per ton. I would strongly recommend the removal of the duty on this ingredient. I think we should encourage the use of chemicals and do our own mixing for many reasons which are obvious. Nothing would, in my judgment, do more to relieve all classes of a general burden than the abolition of the sales tax. The question of tariff is a large one. We should only maintain a duty on farming implements and other necessities sufficient to encourage the manufacture of these in Canada. No doubt there are many instances where a revision downward can be made without endangering our industrial life.

Members of Holy Trinity congregation are reminded that the annual Easter meeting will be held at The Observer office on Monday evening, at 7 o'clock sharp. All members, both male and female, should be present.