

Local News and Personal Items

Harry Boyd is visiting in Fredericton.

James Lipssett of St. Thomas was in Hartland on Tuesday.

Vancouver suffered a million dollar fire on Saturday.

J. W. Lawson of South Knowlesville was here on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Potts are enjoying a visit on the north shore.

Miss Grace Tompkins was a passenger from Florenceville on Saturday's train.

M. L. Hayward, Linden Shaw and Geo. F. Burt were in Woodstock on Saturday.

Mrs. George White of Woodland, Me., has been visiting her brother, Allen Waters at Upper Brighton.

G. H. Harrison of Woodstock has accepted the position of principal of the Chatham grammar school.

A. S. Estabrooks has for sale the mare formerly owned by Rev. A. F. Baker; also waggons, sleigh and harness.

Walter Shaw, the energetic representative of the Baird Co., Woodstock, was doing business here on Thursday.

Engine 1260, in the cab of which Engineer Weeks was taken to McAdam on Monday in a badly damaged condition.

C. H. Taylor has for sale 2 second-hand carriages, 2 express waggons and a Cadillac automobile. Bargains all around.

Miss Dora Hayward came down from Edmundston on Saturday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hayward at Rockland.

While in jail charged with obtaining money under false pretenses a Carleton county man was last week appointed provincial constable by the Fleming government.

The weather has been none to favorable for haying. Throughout the county there were many fields of hay cut and subject to the heavy rains of the first part of the week.

Rev. M. H. Manuel, Presbyterian, of Florenceville, and Rev. Percy A. Fitzpatrick, Methodist, exchanged appointments on Sunday. Mr. Manuel preaching at Hartland in the evening.

C. H. Taylor's is headquarters for up-to-date house furniture, parlor suits, bedroom suits, dining room suits, beds, springs, mattresses, rockers, kitchen and dining chairs.

An American wag after spending a year in New Brunswick wrote home that here there were but two seasons—winter and July. Were he here now he might report but one season.

J. W. Doucett after spending the winter and first part of the summer in Mulga, Alabama, where C. W. Horst, a former townman is located, returned to Carleton county a few days ago.

Mrs. Perry H. Bishop of Coronation is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Rideout, Somerville. She is accompanied by her friend, Mrs. Jamieson of Fort Fairfield and her little daughter.

R. B. Owens who returned a week ago from a trip to the west says that he was in Regina on the day of the Saskatchewan elections and had the pleasure of casting a vote for the winners, being qualified to vote as a property-holder.

James Carr of Woodstock was in Hartland on Saturday.

Awful hay weather and still worse for the potato crop.

Miss Mattie McCollum has returned from a visit at Amherst.

In one night recently Basil Goodine of Kingsclear netted 25 salmon.

Butter parchment for one-pound prints at low prices. Observer office.

Mrs. E. M. Sipprell of St. John is a guest at the home of W. H. Sipprell, Somerville.

Frank A. McCollum of the Bank of Montreal, is spending his vacation here.

It is reported that the Dunbar machine shops will be removed in the near future.

Eggs are bringing 13 cents per dozen at the stores and butter fetches 20 cents.

G. E. Perkins, Bristol, and George Adams, Esdraelon, were in Hartland on Monday.

There will be Church of England service in Burt's hall next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

S. C. DeLong, T. E. Akerly and G. I. Higgins of St. John were at the Exchange this week.

Arthur Estabrooks has decided to close out the balance of his high grade Kerosene at 20 cts. per gallon.

D. W. Foster and Ralph Caldwell went a few days ago to the south branch of the Miramichi and got 350 trout.

Now is the time to secure both work and dress pants at Arthur Estabrooks' at a bargain as this cheap sale is nearing the end.

Miss Mamie Brown of Ashland who has been home on a vacation returned on Friday to the hospital at Palmer, Mass., where she is a nurse.

School assessments lists having blanks for 50 names, 5 cents each, at the Observer office. They will be sent postpaid on receipt of price.

Miss Annie E. Rush, Fredericton, Miss Mary Giberson, Perth, R. L. Perry, Houlton and G. F. Smith Florenceville, were at the Exchange on Sunday.

One successful investment in Real Estate of times produces more actual wealth than a life time of toil, worry and sacrifice but use your judgment in buying.

J. E. McCollum is recovering from a bad case of blood-poisoning in his foot, which arose from an injury received while assisting in salvage work at the Commercial hotel fire.

Visiting cards, either ladies' or gentlemen's, the season's correct styles, with name in engraved style lettering, 50 for 50 cents postpaid; 100 for 75 cents. Observer Office, Hartland, N. B.

By a mixing of Twelfth of July reports the Observer last week stated that N. W. Brown spoke at Mount Pleasant. This was an error. He addressed the audience at Plaster Rock on that day.

One hundred good quality white envelopes printed with name, address, etc., in the corner and sent postpaid for 50 cents. Observer Office, Hartland, N. B. Notepaper same price.

A. L. Baird is offering at half price a lot of slightly soiled waists for ladies. These are real bargains. Until July 31 he is also offering other ladies' goods at big discounts. Read his ad. on the first page.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Murray of New York have been visiting at the home of T. L. Letson, Victoria.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Scott of Fredericton were guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Foster at Middle Simonds last week.

On Tuesday Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Whitehouse of Knowlesville returned from a trip to Boston and other Massachusetts towns and to Nova Scotia.

Ralph Sprague, Miss Alice Sprague, of Woodstock, and their cousin, Miss Cabot of Boston were guests of Miss Edna Sipprell, Somerville, on Sunday.

John M. Kelly, an evangelist from Kennebunkport, Me., lectured in Burt's hall on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, promulgating the Adventist doctrine.

Mrs. D. E. Morgan, accompanied by her little grand daughter, Mabel, left on Thursday for a month's visit with her daughter, Mrs. J. Sterling King, at Halifax.

Harvey T. Reid, Rhodes scholar for Acadia this year, expects to sail from Montreal on Sept. 20 on one of the Allan line steamers, to begin his studies at Oxford University.

A freight train arrived at Hartland from the south yesterday consisting of two engines and 50 box cars. The traffic is much heavier than it has ever been at this time of the year.

R. B. Owens and family desire to extend their extreme thanks, to all those who kindly assisted in saving their effects, and particularly the firemen at the recent fire.

Myrtle E. Carle has bought the fruit and ice cream business at East Florenceville from H. J. Smith at the old Stand formerly owned by Grace M. Tompkins. Store open every evening.

Colwell-Flood

A very pretty wedding took place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Colwell when their eldest daughter, Helen May, was united in marriage to Johnnie J. Flood. The bride was given away by her father and was neatly gowned in white silk and carried a bouquet of pink and white roses. Miss Mary Colwell, sister of the bride, acted as bridesmaid. She wore blue silk trimmed with lace. Harry McManus of St. John was best man. After the ceremony the happy couple drove to the bride's home where a dainty breakfast was served. The bride received many handsome presents. The groom's present to the bride was a handsome gold watch and chain and to the bridesmaid he gave a signet ring and to the best man a set of gold cuff links. The brides traveling suit was steel gray with hat to match. The happy couple left for St. John, N. B.

Favors Repeal of Reciprocity Act.

NEW YORK, July 23.—A Washington despatch says President Taft now favors the repeal of the Canadian reciprocity act. He has written to the Senate finance committee a letter stating that in view of Canada's failure to accept the policy of closer trade relations the legislation now standing on the American statute books might as well be repealed. At present the United States is in the position of making a standing offer to Canada, the benefits of which may be realized at any time the Dominion enacts reciprocity concessions. The Senate has already voted to repeal the reciprocity act, an amendment for that purpose having been attached to the steel bill. Because the members of the house, (which is Democratic), led by Representative Oscar W. Underwood, are still devoted to reciprocity, that with all other Senate amendments was disagreed to, and the steel bill remains in conference.

Youthful Hunters Catch Salmon.

Two youngsters, aged seven and nine, respectively, a week ago saw two large salmon in a pool on the Canaan River. They attacked them and after a hard struggle, they landed them, much to their delight. The same two lads last winter set traps for fur-bearing animals and succeeded in netting over one hundred dollars during the season. They are a precocious pair of lads.

Armond.

BORN—to the wife of Guy Kimball, Armond, on July 18, a son.
Misses Odessa and Minnie McAfee are spending a week at their home here.
Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Estabrooks of Bristol spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Foster of Lower Windsor.

Confessed She Poisoned Six Children.

Last winter the papers published the sensational story of the death of six children in Prince Edward Island that had occurred so close together as to cause suspicion. The mother of the children, Mrs. McGee, was suspected as having something to do with their death while temporarily deranged. She has now confessed that she caused the death of all of them by the administration of a drink made by soaking sulphur matches in sweetened water. The jury brought in a verdict of guilty of the charge of murder with a strong recommendation to mercy. It is still thought the woman was out of her mind.

Minnie McGee, convicted of the murder of her five children, was sentenced today to be hanged on Oct. 10, in Georgetown jail. The prisoner, when she heard the sentence, cried: "Hanged; hanged; hanged; hanged; Hang me now and be done with it!" When taken out of the court on her return to jail she grew very violent, tearing her hat off and other garments. It was some time before the jail officials could quiet her.

Among the Reformed Baptists.

Rev. F. J. Trafton has received a call to become pastor of the Hartland circuit. He will take up the work there at once. He expects to help in evangelist work occasionally.

Rev. H. S. Dow has resigned as pastor of the Hartland circuit. He will preach at Caribou, Me., on Sunday 21st inst.

Rev. J. H. Cove will settle in his old home at Woodstock. He will do Evangelistic and supply work during the year.

Rev. H. C. Archer having resigned as Editor of the Highway, on account of the work connected with it being too much for him in addition to his pastoral duties. Rev. S. A. Baker has been appointed Editor to take effect Sept. 1st.

Cured at St. Annes.

Miss Bridget Flynn, daughter of Peter Flynn, St. Margarets was one of the pilgrims, crossed the other day at St. Anne de Beaupre. She had been suffering from a sore arm for several years, and for the last year and a half was compelled by orders of an American doctor to have the ailing member strapped to her body. It was perfectly useless as far as work was concerned and caused the young lady much pain and untold anxiety. She could not move her arm after unstrapping before going to the shrine of St. Anne. Today she can move her arm about without pain, button her clothes and do light work. Her shoulder, which had been affected, is also better. She attributes her cure to prayer and the intercession of the good saint.—Chatham World.

A Bad Accident.

Vaughn Trafton, a lad aged 12 years, son of Riley Trafton of East Florenceville, fell from the bridge at that place on Thursday afternoon, July 11th, on a ledge of rock. A compound fracture of the skull and other injuries was the result. The distance that he fell is said to be 48ft. Drs. Brown, Ross and Peppers held a consultation and decided an operation was the only hope, and accordingly Dr. Brown, assisted by the others, operated on him that evening. Several pieces of bone were removed, but as the brain was uninjured it is hoped recovery will speedily ensue. The lad did not recover consciousness until the following day.



Resenting It.
Ex-Servant—So you won't give me a character (with deep scorn), you—you lady!
Monty—You're not, are you, mother?
—Punch.

Looking Ahead.
Village Policeman (who has locked up his quarrelsome wife)—There! I shall have a little peace now! But how about tomorrow when I let her out?—Fliegende Blätter.

Peace Hath Her Victories.
She—No, I can never marry you, but we can always be friends.
He—Well, that is one of the advantages of not getting married.—Puck.

The Hudson Bay Instinct!

Nature marks some spots on the earth's surface as destined to be great cities. The Hudson's Bay Company which at one time owned a large portion of Western Canada, with instinct born of untrammelled commercial necessity, many years ago selected those places as trading posts for its great domains. Among the places chosen were

Winnipeg, Calgary, Edmonton, Vancouver and FORT GEORGE.

The first four now have rail transportation, and are numbered among the Greatest Cities of Western Canada. Property that could have been purchased before the railroad arrived at from \$200 to \$400 per lot is now worth from \$5,000 to half a million dollars per lot.

Fort George

the remaining Hudson's Bay post, will in a few months also have rail transportation—one railroad forging ahead from the East and West, and another to make a junction point at Fort George, coming from the south.

This former trading post is even now a metropolitan little City—three Banks, Churches, Stores, and in a few days will have a daily paper.

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