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YOU LEARN TO SAVE MONEY

WALL PAPERS!

Spring—Spring! What magic is in the words. How we long for it! Well, my new stock of wall paper is here, the first harbinger of Spring! A beautiful assortment with elegant borderings. Right from the start the prices are marked low and you can come right now and buy at bargain prices from the brand new assortment. You will enjoy looking over the great variety of handsome patterns. Bring a friend and spend an hour in our wall paper department.

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and all other winter goods in abundance, with prices away below today's markets, as all the goods were contracted for months ago.

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Ulsters and Blacks with Fur Collars. Some New, some "carried over." Special prices now on all to clear.

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These will be much higher this year, but I Carried a large stock over from last year, and these will be sold cheap to early CASH BUYERS.

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THE HOUSE OF GOOD VALUE

CONTEST INTERESTS CENTREVILLE FOLK

Friends of Miss Burpee Seem Determined That She Shall Win

Speaking of trains reminds us that as The Observer well said last week, "we are going back to old stage coach days" as far as mails are concerned. Just think nowadays of getting mail from St. John 36 hours old! The war could end, there might be a big political upheaval, a big battle take place, or a variety of interesting and important features. We up river people will know nothing about it for 36 hours unless some kind friend telephones or telegraphs the news. Business men will be very much inconvenienced. The suggestion of The Observer that an express train be run on the Valley to leave after the arrival of the C.P.R., in the morning is good. With an express on the Valley the passenger traffic would increase wonderfully. The carrying of the mails would be put on expenses. An accommodation running from Fredericton to Centreville up one day and down the next would be able to clear up the freight.

Shippers here cannot get cars. The Carleton county farmers have well answered the call for greater production. We have a big surplus of hay to be shipped to Prince Edward Island, Nova Scotia and American points. We have potatoes also. All we want is cars to move our products, and cars are wanting, not altogether on account of scarcity, but because the present motive power on the Valley cannot handle the traffic. Some of the influential men should bring this matter to the attention of our Federal member, the Minister of Public Works, Hon. F. B. Carvell. Can't we see something doing if he gets after it?

This certainly is an old-time winter. The storm last Tuesday was a terror, lots of snow and wind to blow. All roads were blocked but with the modern snowplows the people can soon make a good track. Quite different from years ago before the advent of the snow plough, when teams had to do all the breaking and shovels played a big part. All trains were delayed and some were cancelled. Passengers from St. John Tuesday night did not reach Woodstock until 4 p.m. Wednesday.

Corporal Travers of the 65th Battery, Woodstock, came up Saturday night and took Rev. H. F. Rigby's services Sunday evening. Mr. Travers was formerly the Episcopal minister here and his friends were glad to see him back again.

Don Scholey came over from Mars Hill Sunday and spent Monday home as the stores are now closed every Monday on the American side. Mrs. Jack McKenzie came home with her brother from Mars Hill, where she has been visiting since Christmas.

Miss Laura Burpee is getting busy in The Observer contest and when she gets busy there is always something doing. Miss Burpee is an awful worker and has a great many friends in this section who are going to see that she gets the Ford.

Mrs. Shaw left for her home at Temple Tuesday morning, taking with her Jack, the baby son of her brother, Harry Simonson, who also went to Temple for some time Wednesday.

Miss Faye Burtt is at Bridgewater helping to care for Mrs. J. C. Burtt. Mrs. Burtt is improving and was able to sit up for a short time Saturday.

The farmers are rushing in their wheat to the mill here. The mill is running full capacity every day.

Rev. S. Johnston is holding special meeting this week in the Cogswell Settlement school house.

Mrs. Fogg, who has been visiting with her brother Charles Cliff, left for her home in Boston on Friday.

Mr. McElroy, principal of the Bridgewater school, spent Sunday with his friend, David Burtt.

Miss Pearl Akerly, domestic science teacher at Woodstock, spent Sunday with friends here.

Miss McLean of Amherst has been visiting Mrs. John Gilland. She left for home Monday.

Our Valley train has made regular trips all week but has been late with one exception.

George Wilkinson and Frank McKenzie left Thursday for Boston.

Water is getting scarce and the electric lights now go out at 11 p.m.

Save Food

In a time needing food economy many people are not getting all the nourishment they might from their food.
It is not how much you eat, but how much you assimilate, that does you good.

The addition of a small teaspoonful of Bovril to the diet as a peptogenic before meals leads to more thorough digestion and assimilation and thus saves food, for you need less.

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RAY PLUMMER VISITS EDINBURGH

The following letter was written to Mr. and Mrs. Amasa Plummer by their son, who left the service of the Bank of Montreal at Halifax and enlisted with a siege battery:

Witley Camp, Dec. 30.

Dear Folks: This is Sunday. Was up at 6.30 this morning and was out to roll-call and came back. Had breakfast and went to church, then to dinner and so have come back to the Y.M.C.A. to write some letters. I might say I have received no word from you as yet, but expect to soon, as I understand there is some Canadian mail in at present, but we have not received it as yet.

Well I have certainly had a lovely time on my pass. I don't think it could have been nicer. We left here on Friday real early in the morning, had a special train to take us to Edinburgh. Arrived there about 11 o'clock that night and put up at Overseas Club. They had a nice supper awaiting us and we thoroughly enjoyed it as we had no regular meals all day. Then I had a bath and a good night's rest. Next morning we went sightseeing. Saw everything worth while and then took in a nice play in the afternoon. It was one of most interesting I ever saw. Then in the evening we met some very nice ladies and went to the carnival. Had a feed and went home to bed. Sunday morning we went to church and just walked around in the afternoon and part of the evening. Then at 10 o'clock took a train for London. Travelled all night and arrived there about 9 next morning and had some time finding our way around. We took an underground train and arrived at the Strand and found a very nice hotel and had a wash and clean-up and something to eat and found two more of our boys there, so we were not alone. We visited quite a few of the places of interest—Westminster Abbey, Parliament, Tower of London, Buckingham Palace, Royal Horse Guards, etc. Found several boys down at the Bank of Montreal that I knew in Halifax, so had our supper with them and went to the theatre. It was sort of a musical affair with chorus. It was fine. Then we had a lunch and went home to bed and woke up next morning about 10 o'clock had our breakfast in bed. Just travelled around in the afternoon and had our Christmas dinner about 7 o'clock. It lasted about three hours and we certainly enjoyed it, turkey and everything. Then we had next day around the city and arrived back in camp that night, and it was certainly hard to come back here after our good time. We have been back now four days and doing a lot of route marching which will soon toughen us up.

It is misting out now, but we are having good weather most of the time. I do hope that I get a letter before long and I suppose you all had a lovely time Christmas. Wish I could have been there. We expect to start a course in musketry to-morrow and don't know how long it will last; for a few weeks I suppose. Then we will be sent away for a course in siege artillery. Yesterday afternoon we had a half holiday, so five of us went to Gilford that is about seven miles away and is a place of about seventy-five thousand. We had quite a pleasant little time.

Well guess I must close for this time and will write soon again.

Lovingly, Raymond.

Belyea & Estabrooks are quoting extra low prices on horse-blankets. Have a look at them.

BUSINESS BOOMING WITH THE OBSERVER

Increased Subscription Price Meets Favor And Improved Paper is Promised

Two weeks ago The Observer announced that its subscription price would after Feb. 15 be $1 a year, and that subscriptions would until that time be accepted at 75 cents only when two years were paid for at once. The result of the announcement is most encouraging—a scores of new subscribers have been received in that time, while many have cheerfully paid their dollar-a-year.

The Observer's purpose in its Auto Contest is to increase its circulation. Already having a larger circulation than any other paper in the county, it confidently expects to increase its list by upward of 1000 new subscribers. There will be no profit in this alone. Those subscriptions are all taken at a loss. But the manager is determined to get out so thoroughly good, newsy, wholesome a newspaper that 100 per cent of the subscribers will stay with it year after year. The active young contestants for the prizes will end their labors in a few weeks, but the work of the editor-manager shall have only commenced—to so improve the paper in every way that its new circle of readers will become permanent friends. The accomplishment of this work is the only possible way in which The Observer can come out even on this expensive circulation campaign.

Advertisers will readily see that The Observer, covering the Carleton-Victoria field more thoroughly than any other paper, affords the very best means of reaching the money-spenders of this large and wealthy district. Of course advertising space costs more in The Observer than in any other local paper, but we can prove it is worth twice as much.

Advertising contracts are being made now on a basis of 10 cents per inch. There will be a 50 per cent increase in effect Feb. 15 and thereafter.

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TRAIN ARRANGEMENT

People north of Woodstock have put in four days of comparative isolation and are already becoming accustomed to it. The most common inconvenience from the withdrawal of direct train connection from St. John is in the delay of papers. St. John morning papers are received here 36 hours old. The evening papers reach here on the afternoon following publication. Montreal evening papers are now the latest available.

The inconvenience to passengers is great, and involves staying overnight at Woodstock or McAdam on the way to St. John. The C. P. R. management declares no remedy will be submitted.

It seems not to much to ask the St. Stephen—Woodstock express be run through to Aroostook, when the local mixed trains would be free to hand freight exclusively, This would give Carleton and Victoria direct service to and from St. John.

Bristol Brevities

Joel Hartley is visiting his sister, Mrs. Jud Shea in Grafton.

Neville Jenson spent Friday in Hartland.

Miss Neta McCormick is visiting her aunt, Mrs. George Chapman, in Upper Woodstock.

Gordon Tracy spent the week-end in Hartland.

The many friends of Mrs. Walter Tompkins are sorry to hear of her illness.

Miss Jennie Giberson, our contestant in The Observer Voting Contest, we see is still holding her own in second place. She has the support of a large number of friends and we are confident that Jennie will finish the contest as winner of the Ford Touring Car, as she has a large territory to canvas yet. We are looking forward to this week for her name to be at the head of the list of contestants.

A reception is being held at the home of Mrs. David Brooks on Tuesday evening in honor of her son, Charles Brooks, who has returned from England. He goes to Fredericton on Friday to enter the hospital there for treatment.

Mrs. Slipp of Fort Fairfield is the guest of her sister, Mrs. James Bell.

The quarantine has been lifted from the houses of Charles Dyer and Ransford Lovely.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Tweedie of Upper Wicklow spent Sunday the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Caldwell.

East Florenceville News

The U.B. W.M.U. met at the home of Mrs. B. F. Smith on January 10, to observe Crusade Day. The were nearly all present, and enrolled five new members, making 22 members in all. A good program was carried out. Some of the numbers were a paper on "Twelve Reasons why I attend the Missionary Society." by Mrs. L. A. Simonson, which surely should encouragem any others to attend. Another paper on "Seven Reasons why I should belong to the Missionary Society," by Mrs. B. J. Bell, was also very helpful. An address was given on "The jubilee year and how to attain the goal" by Mrs. E. C. Jenkins, special mention being made of the great need of more Faith and Prayer. This address should arouse and inspire every woman of our church to do her part in this great work. The society presented Mrs. Jenkins with a tea set as a small token of appreciation of her good work while she has been among us. The President, Mrs. W. W. Melville made the presentation, and a very fitting reply was made by Mrs. Jenkins. A public supper was held in the evening from which $54 was raised.

SUFFERING FROM COLD

If you shiver in frosty weather, if you have cold hands and feet, if colds are stubborn and frequent, then your blood may be thin and impoverished.

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has been correcting this condition for nearly fifty years. It possesses rare powers for creating natural body-warmth, for charging summer blood with winter richness and strengthening both throat and lungs.

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MISS LAURA BURPEE TAKES LEAD

Miss Sipprelle Follows Close In Observer Contest and Miss Giberson Third —A Good Week's Work

Standing of Contestants

Miss Laura Burpee,	Centreville,	405,500
Miss Elsa Sipprell,	Hartland,	401,000
Miss Jennie Giberson,	Bristol,	362,000
Miss Eva Crandlemire,	Hartland,	228,500

Today makes a general shuffle in the positions of contestants, and out of the shake up Miss Laura Burpee, of Centreville, emerges as the new leader in the contest.

"One swallow does not make a summer, of course, and the fact that Miss Burpee is ahead today if not conclusive evidence that she will be the winner of the Ford Touring car less than four weeks hence. Her achievement in raising herself from fourth to first position in one week, however, is very impressive evidence of her ability to obtain votes, and in view of her meteoric rise within the past week, there can be no doubt that Miss Burpee throughout the remaining few weeks of the contest will continue to be a head worker, and a dangerous contender, at least, for the Ford touring car which will be awarded to the lady who secures the highest number of votes. Each of the three other aspirants for the Observer's big prize has Miss Burpee to thank for finding herself just one notch lower in the vote standing than she was last week. The friends of Miss Elsa Sipprelle of Hartland, will be disappointed, no doubt, at finding their favorite displaced from first place. While not entirely satisfactory, of course, Miss Sipprelle's position is not at all discouraging, and those who know Hartland's leading contestant feel assured that she will keep the Centreville and Bristol representatives very busily engaged every minute from now until the end of the contest. Miss Sipprelle has a big host of friends many of whom are deeply interested in her success in The Observer contest, and she is assured of strong support.

Miss Jennie Giberson of Bristol although in a relatively lower position this week, is in reality nearer the leader than she was last week is ample proof that she can keep the pace that is being set in the contest. No contestant, it is safe to say, has more friends than Miss Giberson, and none has a greater number of staunch supporters, determined to see their favorite capture first prize in the contest.

No one probably will envy Miss Eva Crandlemire of Hartland in the position she occupies this week, as she now stands fourth, and appears to be considerably out-distanced by her three competitors. Whether or not Miss Crandlemire will feel as depressed over her lot this week, as some people will think she ought to feel, The Observer cannot say. It is not likely that she is. For this is not time she has been at the foot of the list, nor is she the only one who has been there. Miss Crandlemire knows that she does not necessarily have to remain at the bottom, and as she is a determined worker, with a large number of dependable friends whose active support can be counted upon, there is abundant assurance that she will be heard from again.

Miss Sipprelle came in contact to wish her success and will watch her progress in the contest with great interest.

George Lawson of Caribou spent Sunday in town, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. Lee Bedell.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Waugh are spending a few weeks in Montreal.

Norris Bedell, who has been visiting friends in Andover and vicinity for a few weeks left Monday for Missoula, Mont.

ANDOVER LOCALS

Miss Edith McKenzie of St. Stephen is spending the remainder of the winter with Mr. and Mrs. James Tibbitts.

County Council has been in session during the past week.

The ladies of the Women's Institute were entertained Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Walter Gillett.

Mrs. Isaac MacDonald, who has been visiting Mrs. W. H. Bates and Mrs. N. J. Wooton has returned to her home in Philadelphia.

Norris Bedell spent a few days of last week with friends in Woodstock.

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Bedell entertained a number of friends Friday evening in honor of Norris Bedell of Missoula, Mont.

January Court is being held this week. Judge Carleton is presiding.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Reid who have been visiting Mrs. Tibbitts and Miss Frances Tibbitts, have returned to their home in Calgary.

The Round Table Literary Club was entertained by Mrs. Walter Gillett at her home last Thursday evening. The following officers were elected for this year: Mrs. H. L. Alcorn, pres., Mrs. H. A. Baird, 1st vice pres., Mrs. Ivan River, 2nd vice pres., Miss Isabel Thomas, sec. treas. The next meeting of the club will be with Mrs. James E. Porter.

Miss Elsa Sipprelle, of Hartland, one of the charming competitors for the Ford car, which The Observer is giving away, spent the week-end in Perth and Andover, where her pleasing and aggressive canvass secured her many votes. Those with whom

Grand Falls Happenings

Emmerson Hennigar went to Plaster Rock on business Monday.

Mrs. J. R. Price is spending a few days in town with her daughter, Mrs. G. P. Fraser.

Donald Howard, one of our returned soldier boys, of Aroostook Jct. spent Sunday in town.

Harry Soucie and Arthur McCluskey went to Woodstock Monday to be examined for military service.

J. M. Keefe made a business trip to Andover this week.

Geo. Clark of Limestone was in town Saturday.

Herbert Matherin was in Woodstock a few days last week.

Elden Kirkpatrick went to Cobalt, Ont., for a short visit.

Mrs. C. A. Kirkpatrick was called to Florenceville last week on account of the illness of her father.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Pirie and Miss Alice Pirie were in St. John a few days, returning home Tuesday.

Tom Murray of the Royal Aviation Corps is visiting his home here this week.

Mrs. M. B. Alexander of Bear River, N. S., who has been visiting relatives here for about three months, went to Houlton Wednesday. From there she will go to her home in N. S.

About 25 friends and neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. Wilfrid Price met at their home Monday night and enjoyed a very pleasant evening with music, dancing and games. The occasion being the 15th anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Price's marriage. Some of those who were at the ceremony 15 years ago, were with them on Monday evening. J. J. Sirois on behalf of the company gathered, presented Mrs. Price with an elegant dinner set, after which refreshments were served. In the small hours of the morning, the party, after the singing of "They are Jolly Good Fellows," and the National Anthem, departed for their home wishing, Mr. and Mrs. Price many more happy anniversaries. It was a perfect night and all enjoyed the drive of about three miles to their several homes

Mrs. Harold Leighton of Limestone was visiting friends in town this week.

Chas. Pirie of Fort Fairfield was a recent visitor at the Minto.

Mrs. R. P. Donald was taken to the hospital at Woodstock on Monday. Mrs. Donald has been ill for some weeks.

The body of P. Govin was brought down from St. Basil Monday and taken to his home out on F.

Alfred Thornton Dead

One of the oldest and best known men of the county passed away yesterday noon when death claimed Alfred Thornton, who, had he survived until Sunday next would have been 87 years of age. He had been very feeble for a long time and bedridden for several weeks. Mr. Thornton was born in York county and came to Hartland with his family in 1837. For many years he conducted the Exchange Hotel and became widely known all along the river.

Mr. Thornton first wife died 13 years ago, and there survive nine children: W. F. Thornton of Hartland and Manzer of Calgary; Mrs. Willard Thornton, Mrs. Fred Hartt, Mrs. H. E. Foster of Bangor, Mrs. Solomon McFarlane of Fredericton, Mrs. F. M. Boyd, Woodstock, Mrs. D. T. Day, Bath and Mrs. A. L. Baird, Hartland. Joseph Thornton, who died here a few years ago was a son. A few years ago the deceased married Mrs. Tedford of Nova Scotia, who survives.

Funeral service tomorrow at 2 p.m. at the Reformed Baptist Church.

Annual Meeting

The Annual Meeting of the Farmers' Telephone Company, Limited, will be held in the Town Hall at Hartland, N. B., at 2 p.m. on Thursday, Feb. 7, 1918.

E. C. MORGAN, Sec. Treas.

Dr. G. F. Clarke

DENTIST

Special attention given to children's teeth. N. B. Phone 162-21.

WOODSTOCK, N. B.

Windsor Hotel For Sale

Good business, good equipment, good stabling. One of the best money makers in Hartland.

C. A. CRAIG Prop.

EXTRA

Star Theatre

HARTLAND

The Fire of the Halifax Disaster will be shown together with the 2nd episode of the big serial—the Secret of the Submarine—

Florenceville, Fri. Jan. 25
Hartland, Sat. Jan. 26

NOTICE—All theatres have been compelled to increase admission owing to the large expense and increase in all picture supplies. In order to give the public such pictures as they are now looking for we have been compelled to raise the admission to 15 cents for children and 20 cents for adults. This takes effect at Florenceville, Jan. 25 and Hartland Jan. 26.

COMING

THE

Battle of Vimy Ridge

The big patriotic war feature, the picture that has broken all records wherever shown. So fine is the photographic work in thit wonderful war feature that you may be able to see your own boys. Portion of the proceeds go toward patriotic funds.

Florenceville, Tue., Feb. 5
Centreville, Wed., Feb. 6
Hartland, Thurs., Feb. 7

A Fight A ainst the High Cost of Living

Having made a tremendous success of my Christmas Sale, I will show my appreciation to the buying public by offering greater values than ever in

Ready-to-Wear Clothing
Boots, Shoes, Rubbers
Groceries, Provisions, etc.

Special values can be obtained in Sweaters—

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BATH, N. B.

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For Horses, Cattle, Sheep, Hogs, and especially for breeding animals no tonic-food is so good as NATIONAL. It may cost more than some, but it is better than any.

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Telegraph Poles Railway Ties Pressed Straw

Of the above I want 3000 cedar poles in various lengths. Of ties I want 10,000, cedar, hemlock and tamarac, at any point on the C.P.R. or Valley Railway from Woodstock north. For further information write, or call on Farmers' Telephone, 27-2.

A. A. RIDEOUT

Hartland, N. B.

W. G. BRIGGS

who early a year ago purchased the J. D. Giberson

Woodworking Factory

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Is now in a position to offer to his customers

House Finish of all required design

Four kinds of Inside Doors, raised panels and the beautiful two panel Douglas Fir Door the natural appearance of which no designer or grainer can equal. Ballisters and Newell Posts always on hand. We can also supply Cedar Siding which is taking the place of steel, being cheaper and in many respects superior.

Those wanting Hardwood Flooring should not wait. It is very scarce and I have a limited quantity to offer at $4.50 per 100 feet for No. 1 and $3.60 for No. 2, while it lasts. Lumber kiln-dried.

I wish to extend my thanks and best wishes to all those who patronized me during my first year of factory experience, and assure all that I am in better position than ever to offer good service.

W. G. BRIGGS

Telephones: N. B. 35-3; Consolidated 18-15.

To Safeguard Future of New Brunswick's Forest

In every part of Canada, timber lands are rising in value. Some farmers' woodlots in Ontario have jumped several hundred per cent during the past five years. Public timber lands in Quebec have advanced from an average of $111 a square mile to $440 during twelve years. This condition is due to the growing exhaustion of the forests and a realization that the country will require wood materials on an increasing scale after the war. In Ontario, of course, the scarcity of fuel is responsible for the popularity of woodlots.

New Brunswick possesses 7,500,000 acres of public owned timber lands, most of which is unfit for agriculture and therefore can give profits only if kept under timber crops.

None of the natural resources is so easily killed as a forest for fifty years past, New Brunswick's forests have been running down hill because of fire and extravagant cutting.

It is not proposed to create a modern Forest Service through which the Provincial Government can make sure that the public forests are kept free from fire and operated on a business-like basis. For this purpose, it is expected that legislation will be introduced at the coming session, giving the Government foresters wide authority to reduce the timber waste and make certain that New Brunswick gets the maximum benefits from the great resource placed in her charge.

TAKES OFF DANDRUFF, HAIR STOPS FALLING

Save your Hair! Get a small bottle of Danderine right now—Also stops itching scalp.

Thin, brittle, colorless and scraggy hair is mute evidence of a neglected scalp, of dandruff—that awful scurf.

There is nothing so destructive to the hair as dandruff. It robs the hair of its lustre, its strength and its very life; eventually producing a feverishness and itching of the scalp, which if not remedied causes the hair roots to shrink, loosen and die—then the hair falls out fast. A little Danderine tonight—now—any time—will surely save your hair.

Get a small bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any drug store. You surely can have beautiful hair and lots of it if you will just try a little Danderine. Save your hair! Try it!

Mrs. Augusta Lewis

On January 5 the home of John S. Lewis of Canterbury was made sad by the death of his beloved mother, Mrs. Augusta Lewis, in her 83rd year. The health of deceased had been failing for some time, yet the end came very suddenly, and as a severe shock to all. Mrs. Lewis at an early age embraced the Christian faith, becoming a member of the Baptist church at Grant's Crossing. Through the vicissitudes of her life she remained a faithful follower of Christ, coming down to the close of her earthly pilgrimage "like as a shock of corn cometh ripe in his season." She leaves to mourn their loss, four sons, one brother, a number of loving grandchildren and a wide circle of friends. Funeral service was in charge of Rev. A. Hatfield; interment in the old family lot near her home.

LISTEN TO THIS! SAYS CORNS LIFT RIGHT OUT NOW

You reckless men and women who are pestered with corns and who have at least once a week invited an awful death from lockjaw or blood poison are now told by a Cincinnati authority to use a drug called freezone, which the moment a few drops are applied to any corn, the soreness is relieved and soon the entire corn, root and all, lifts out with the fingers.

It is a sticky ether compound which dries the moment it is applied and simply shrivels the corn without inflaming or even irritating the surrounding tissue or skin. It is claimed that a quarter of an ounce of freezone will cost very little at any of the drug stores, but is sufficient to rid one's feet of every hard or soft corn or callus.

You are further warned that cutting a corn is a suicidal habit.

END STOMACH TROUBLE, GASES OR DYSPEPSIA

"Pape's Diapepsin" makes sick, sour, gassy stomachs surely feel fine in five minutes.

If what you just ate is souring on your stomach or lies like a lump of lead, or you belch gas and eructate sour, undigested food, or have a feeling of dizziness, heartburn, fullness, nausea, bad taste in mouth and stomach-headache, you can get relief in five minutes by neutralizing acidity. Put an end to such stomach distress now by getting a large fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin from any drug store. You realize in five minutes how needless it is to suffer from indigestion, dyspepsia or any stom-
[illegible] fermentation

Aroostook to Raise Less Potatoes

Much less fertilizer is being sold now throughout Aroostook county than usual at this season. Many farmers claim that they will plant a far smaller acreage of potatoes than usual, and, although many of them, when spring comes, will partly change their minds again, they will no doubt in general plant less formerly. With the scarcity and high price and the terrible prices fertilizer, a farmer is not at all sure of landing right side up when he jumps into potatoes too heavily. —Fort Fairfield Review.

Less Sugar for Candy

Preliminary steps have been taken to curtail the use of cane sugar in the manufacture of candies. Manufacturers have been informed of the necessity for saving such sugar and are now endeavouring to adjust their business to the requirement of the situation.

The money spent for candy in the United States and Canada in the past year is double the amount of money needed to keep Belgium supplied with food for a year.

Bran and Shorts for Farmers

As a result of the Order in Council placing mill feed stuffs under embargo for export, except under license from the Food Controller, no less than 6,640 tons of brans and shorts intended for the United States have been diverted for the use of Canadian farmers.

10 CENT "CASCARETS" FOR LIVER AND BOWELS

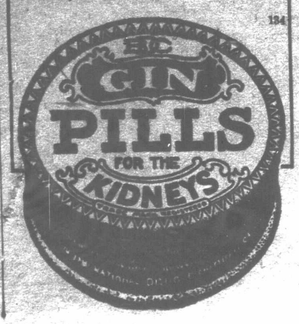
Cure Sick Headache, Constipation, Biliousness, Sour Stomach, Bad Breath—Candy Cathartic.

No odds how bad your liver, stomach or bowels; how much your head aches, how miserable you are from constipation, indigestion, biliousness and sluggish bowels—you always get relief with Cascarets. They immediately cleanse and regulate the stomach, remove the sour, fermenting food and foul gases; take the excess bile from the liver and carry off the constipated waste matter and poison from the intestines and bowels. A 10-cent box from your druggist will keep your liver and bowels clean; stomach sweet and head clear for months. They work while you sleep.

Binder Twine Available

An ample supply of binder twine for Canadian requirements next year at reasonable prices has been ensured, as the result of an agreement reached between the United States Food Administration and the Mexican sisal growers of Yucatan.

IF you are a martyr to Pains in the Back, Urinary or Bladder Troubles, Brick Dust Deposits, Painful Urination, Swollen Joints or any of the various symptoms of Kidney Trouble, take



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Council Council

The Carleton County Council met in the Court House, Tuesday, 15th inst., at 11 o'clock. The Secretary-Treasurer stated that the councillors had filled their oaths and qualifications.

Aberdeen—D. Lamont, Chalmers Derrah.

Brighton—Fred Smith, W. D. Keith.

Northampton—H. A. Phillips, Arthur Gibson.

Peel—E. W. Melville, Frank Tompkins.

Richmond—Ezra Flemming, Wilmot Watson.

Simonds—John Perry, Odbur Shaw.

Wilmot—Harry Carvell, Wilmot Anderson.

Wicklow—Carey Estey, Rennie Tracey.

Kent—Stephen Kinney, Gladstone W. Perry.

Woodstock Parish—Robert Moxon, Charles Clark.

Wakefield—Albert G. Bell, Robert Bell.

Woodstock Town—H. D. Stevens, James W. Gallagher, A. S. Benn.

Warden Tracey—I wish to extend to you the greetings of the New Year. On behalf of the old councillors and also extend greetings to the new members. I thank each member of the board for the kindness and courtesy extended to me during my term of office. The world at large is not enjoying prosperity. We here are indeed a fortunate people. We are thankful that Canada is doing her share in the world war. We in Carleton county should be proud to know that our own boys are making a glorious name for themselves in France. The Halifax disaster was near home. In the formation of Union Government politics have been laid aside and it should be so at this time.

Coun. Carvell, seconded by Coun. James Gallagher, nominated Coun. Flemming of Richmond as Warden, and he was unanimously elected. He was escorted to the chair by Coun. Tompkins.

The new warden could scarcely find words to express his appreciation of the honor done him in placing him in this important office. He also felt it was an honor to the parish of Richmond. The personnel of the board has changed somewhat—we have several new faces. The old faces will be missed. All those who have left us have worthy successors. I feel that I can rely on your friendship and support when required. The great war could is still hanging over us. We have no enemy invading British soil, but we must realize that much hard fighting is yet to be done. I feel that with the bull dog determination we are going to win this war. Events of world wide importance are happening. In our own land we are fortunate. I regret the death of our Lieut.-Governor and I trust his successor will long enjoy the honor conferred upon him. Heavy demands will no doubt be made upon the county but I feel you will meet the demands nobly and cheerfully as you did last year. I will do the best I can to fill the position you have honored me with.

Coun. H. D. Stevens, seconded by Coun. Carvell, moved the following resolution, which was carried unanimously:

Woodstock, N. B.,
Jan. 15, 1918.

Whereas by the recent campaign in the county in the interest of the Victory Bond Loan, whereby nearly one million dollars was subscribed by the residents, which involved a lot of hard work by the parties having the matter in hand. The splendid results were largely due to the business management of E. W. Mair of Woodstock and his staff of canvassers. Mr. Mair having organized the county at his own personal expense.

Therefore resolved that this Council place itself on record expressing our appreciation of Mr. Mair's service in such a patriotic and worthy a cause.

Further resolved that a copy of this resolution be sent to Mr. Mair, signed by the Warden and Secretary.

The secy-treas. read the minutes of the June session.

Adjourned to 1.30 p.m.

AFTERNOON SESSION

Coun. Gallagher, of a special committee on the Houlton road, said he went over the road with the Minister of Public Works and the road engineer and they said they would start operations in the spring and build a permanent road.

The Warden appointed Couns. Clark, Watson and Gallagher to carry on the work in connection with the Houlton road.

STANDING COMMITTEE

Building—Couns. Stevens, Robert Bell and Clark.

Accounts—Couns. Melville, J. Perry and Derrah.

Finance—Couns. Carvell, Tracey and Keith.

The Warden read the following communication:

Fredericton, N. B.,
January 4, 1918.

Dear Sir:

At a meeting of the Mayors of the cities and towns and wardens of the municipalities, called by His Honor, The Lieutenant-Governor, and held at the city of Fredericton on the 30th day of March, 1916, it was resolved th t such amount as may be required by the "Canadian Patriotic Fund" to support the needy wives and children of the soldiers enlisted, should be assessed upon the several cities, towns and municipalities of the Province for the year 1917 and every year thereafter, during the continuance of the present war.

In consequence of the above resolution, an Act was passed, being Act 6, George V., Chapter 8 (1918) providing for the mode of assessment and collection of the several amounts to each city, town and municipality.

The Municipality of Carleton County is assessed for the amount of $38,652.49 for the year 1918, and that amount has been confirmed by Order-in-Council at a meeting of the Government held at Fredericton on the 3rd day of January, 1918, and you are required to assess and collect the same as provided for in the said Act.

And Whereas it is the intention to have the said Act amended by promoting inter alia that the amounts assessed and collected for the said Fund be paid into the Provincial Secretary-Treasurer of "The Canadian Patriotic Fund" as heretofore, you will therefore please forward the above amount to the Provincial Secretary-Treasurer at Fredericton.

I herewith attach copy of the said Order-in-Council.

Yours truly,
M. B. DIXON,
Clerk.

Coun. Carvell—I feel we can make the assessment for patriotic purposes in one year same as in last year.

Coun. Melville also favored voting whole amount in one year.

Coun. Smith changed his mind since last year and on account of present war conditions he favored raising the whole amount in one year.

Coun. A. G. Bell moved that the whole amount for patriotic grant be raised by taxation same manner as last year. Seconded by Coun. Anderson and Moxon.

Coun. John Perry—As near as I can remember last year the poll tax was $3.50 total. Very little fault was found and there were very few dissenting voices.

Coun. Watson—As I understood it $1.50 was amount added to ordinary poll tax.

Coun. Tompkins—The system worked out last year very satisfactorily. It may be that a head tax imposed on young men from 18 to 21 would be a good idea.

Coun. Lamont—Said no complaints were made to poll tax except from a few very old men. It don't seem hardly fair to impose tax on these very old people.

Coun. Phillips heard very little kick over tax in his parish. Strongly favored letting it stand as it is.

Coun. Anderson was doubtly about paying whole amount in one year, but as things are now favored the motion.

Coun. G. Perry the war may go on for many years but in spite of requests made to me I will vote for assessing the whole amount in one year.

The motion carried.

A communication was read from Leslie Wade asking to be appointed a pound keeper. On motion the letter was handed the concellors from parish of Woodstock to take proper action.

The chairman of the Board of Health summitted the following report:

Hartland, N. B.,
January 12, 1918.

To The Warden and Councillors of the Municipality of Carleton:

Gentlemen:

I beg to submit the annual report of Local Board of Health, District No. 10, for the year ending December 31st, 1917.

During the first nine months of the year there was a less number than usual of contagious diseases in the district three or four cases of diphtheira and one or two of typhoid fever with no deaths reported.

On October 31 smallpox was reported at Bristol. Four different persons at four difierent times came to three different places in the district from Fort Fairfield, Me., and developed the disease. Six others contracted the disease from them, making ten cases in all. Two of the cases came to their home and remained there, and did not spead the disease, but the other two cases seemed to have travelled pretty widely in the northern part of the county. Two of the cases developed in a lumber camp on Little Clearwater, on the Miramichi. Owing to the extremely bad roads, and the great distances the cases were apart, and the large nhmber of persons exposed to the contagion it took a lot of work and time and expense to stop it. However at the present time there is only one in quarantine, and I think this will be the last.

I have sent a circular lettr, a copy of which I enclose, to every school district in the county call the attention of the trustees to the law in regard to the vaccination of school children. Bills and receipts for the expenditures are enclosed, also the financial statement. The Board requests that an appropriation of five hundred dollars be made for 1918.

Respectfully submitted
I. B. CURTIS,
Chairman

The report was received and recommendation carried out on motion of Coun. Melville, seconded by Coun. Keith.

Coun. Melville expressed an opinion that Dr. Curtis charges very reasonable. No county official makes lower charges and give such good satisfaction.

Couns. Keith and Tompkins were of the same opinion.

Council adjourned till Wednesday at 1.30.

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Suggestions that may save Much Suffering

Marysville, Pa.—"For twelve years I suffered with terrible cramps. I would have to stay in bed several days every month. I tried all kinds of remedies and was treated by doctors, but my trouble continued until one day I read about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and what it had done for others. I tried it and now I am never troubled with cramps and feel like a different woman. I cannot praise Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound too highly and I am recommending it to my friends who suffer as I did."—Mrs. GEORGE R. NAYLOR, Box 72, Marysville, Pa.

Young women who are troubled with painful or irregular periods, backache, headache, dragging-down sensations, fainting spells or indigestion should take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Thousands have been restored to health by this root and herb remedy.

Write for free and helpful advice to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential), Lynn, Mass. Only women open and read such letters.

New Brunswick Potato Growers' Annual Convention and Potato Show

Open to all Potato Growers' in the Province of New Brunswick at Woodstock, Januaay 23-24, 1918. $600.00 given away in prizes.

PRIZE LIST

Final Scoring of Entries in Summer Potato Growing Contest.

Class, Variety Group. Prizes—1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th								
1. Five Acres of Any Variety of Green Mountain Group (1 bushel)	$50	$40	$30	$25	$20	$15	$10	$5
2. Two Acres of Irish Cobblers (1 bushel)	30	25	20	15	12	9	7	5
3. Seed Plot of 500 Hills (Exhibit of Ten Individual Hills)	30	25	20	15	12	9	7	5

WINTER POTATO SHOW

1. Green Mountain Group (½ bushel)	10	8	6	5	4	3	2	1
2. Irish Cobbler Group (½ bushel)	10	8	6	5	4	3	2	1
3. Any Other White Variety (½ bushel)	4	3	2	1				
4. Any Rose Variety (½ bushel)	4	3	2	1				
5. Any Red Variety (½ bushel)	4	3	2	1				
6. Any Dark Variety (½ bushel)	4	3	2	1				
7. Collection (4 or more varieties and not less than 18 potatoes of each variety included)	5	4	3	2	1			

This is your Convention and you cannot afford to stay away. Come with your problems and ideas.

The program will include discussions by able authorities on cultivation, fertilizers, varieties, good seed, potato diseases, grading, marketing, market prices and other important subjects.

The public is cordially invited to attend.

Reduced fares on all railways; ask for standard certificate which, when signed by the Secretary, will entitle you to a reduced or free return fare.

For the prize list, program and full particulars, write to the Secretary.

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G. C. CUNNINGHAM, Secretary, Fredericton, N. B.

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A most astonishing cure of rheumatism and eczema has been reported here, and Mrs. Ray is enthusiastic in telling her many friends how cure was effected.

Rheumatism and eczema frequently go together, and in this case caused the most keen distress imaginable. All the swelling and puffiness resulting from many years of rheumatism have disappeared, and there is not a pain or an ache left.

Mr. G. H. Ray, R.R. No. 1, Kincardine, Ont., writes: "Mrs. Ray has been using your Kidney-Liver Pills. She was very bad with rheumatism and eczema and had had that fearful itch for twenty-seven years. It was simply terrible what she suffered. I persuaded her to try $1.00 worth of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. She is now on the last box, and let me tell you she scarcely knows herself, she is so free from both these diseases. All the swelling and puffiness caused by the rheumatism has gone away, and she has gone down in weight 18½ pounds. She never has an ache nor pain, biliousness nor sick headache all these months. She often says herself 'How glad I am that I know what to do instead of paying doctors so much to make me worse.'"

There is only one way that the poisons in the blood can be cleaned away and the cause of pains and aches removed, and that is by the healthful action of the kidneys, liver and bowels. Because Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills act directly and specifically on these organs and insure their activity they remove the cause of rheumatism and other dreadfully painful and fatal diseases. One pill a dose, 25 cents a box, all dealers or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto.

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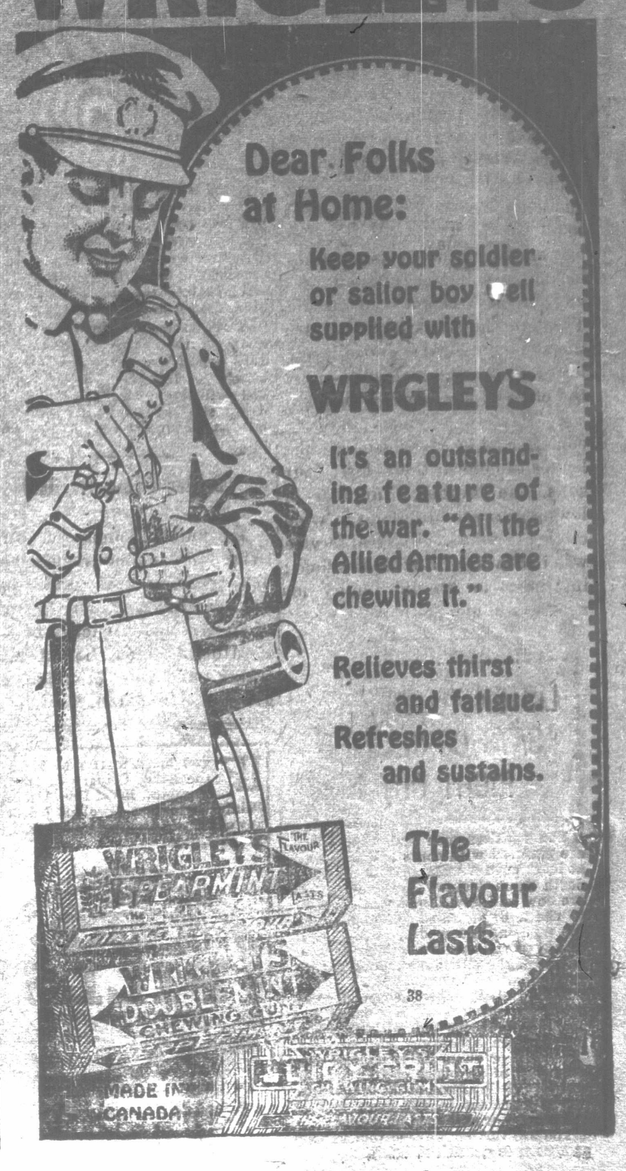

Local News and Personal Items

C. A. McBride is no longer authorized to collect or receive subscriptions for The Observer or any contestant.

Misses Kelsie Crabb and Beatrice Tompkins visited Florenceville on Saturday.

There will be Church of England service in Burtt's hall on Sunday at 11 and 7.30.

Mrs. Fred Hartt and Mrs. H. E. Foster of Bangor are here, called by the illness of their father Alfred Thornton.

Rev. W. B. Crowell, formerly pastor of the Windsor group of Baptist churches, has accepted a call to Hodgdon, Me.

C. T. Black of Lindsay was here on Saturday. He is agent for the Ford car in the southern half of Carleton Co.

On Tuesday Mrs. G. W. Boyer and Miss Annie Davis went to Millinocket for an extended visit with Mr. and Mrs. George Davis.

Mrs. P. H. Bishop and little daughter came from Coronation on Monday for a visit with her father, Warren Rideout at Somerville.

Today potatoes bring $3.00, turnips 50, oats 90, dressed pork 20-22, eggs and butter 33 to 35, chickens 18, buckwheat meal $5.00, pressed hay $9.55

Wanted—A second class female teacher for School District No. 14, (Carlisle), Parish of Brighton. Apply to undersigned, stating salary. B. B. Shaw, Carlisle, N. B.

Service will be held in the Methodist church on Sunday Jan. 27 at 10.30 a. m, when the pastor, Rev. G. S. Helps, B. A., will preach. A cordial invitation is given to all.

A new directory for the Farmers Telephone Company has just been printed at The Observer office. The company now has nearly 800 subscribers and is giving its patrons a splendid service.

Sergt. W. F. Armstrong, who won a medal for gallantry on the field of battle, a son of ex-Deputy Sheriff Armstrong of Lakeville, and who was badly wounded in the leg, has nearly recovered and will leave England for the trenches in a short time.

A few days ago Miss Bessie Barter, who with her mother is staying at Coldstream, went to the creek to get a pail of water. The ice broke and she went into the stream, narrowly escaping drowning. As the day was one of the coldest this winter she will not want to repeat her experience.

On Friday evening Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Rideout very pleasantly entertained a number of Hartland people at their home at Upper Brighton. Those present were Misses Sadie Currie, Annie Davis, Laura Howard, Lide Reed, Emma Cogswell and Marion Stevens; Howard Adams, C. S. Baker, C. D. Dickson and Milo McMullin.

Counter Check Books in all forms and size at the prevailing market prices may be quickly procured through The Observer office. Let us know your wants. We supply some of the largest firms in the province with these goods, as well as with office stationery and supplies of every description.

Mrs. M. I. F. Carvell left this morning for Woodstock, where she will join her sister, Mrs. A. D. Houden, and daughter Glenna, of De War Lake, Sask. They will proceed to Presque Isle, where a reunion of the family of J. Rulofson Fowler will be held at the home of J. Fenwick Fowler.—Gleaner.

Wanted—dry hard wood at once. Estey & Curtis Co., Ltd.

David Shaw of Middle Simonds has sold his farm to Henry Ginson of Somerville.

Dr. E. R. McClintock, Centreville dentist, was here on professional service on Friday.

Walter Billings assistant to the C. P. agent, has been spending a few days in St. John. Arthur King of Woodstock has been relieving him.

On Sunday evening Rev. George Kincaid will preach in the United Baptist church. He will also have service at Lower Brighton Sunday forenoon.

At the Rectory on Tuesday afternoon, by Rev. N. Franchette, Frank N. Grant of Hartland and Miss Florence L. Cosseboom of St. Stephen were united in marriage.

On Monday evening the members of The Voyager's Class of the R. B. Sunday school met at the home of their president, Miss Dorothy Tratton and all had a very pleasant time.

Mrs. Clara Billings wishes to thank all the ladies who became members of the Women's Institute on her side during the contest also all who helped, especially Mrs. C. E. Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Hagerman were guests last week of their sister, Mrs. J. A. Parker at Chester. Their stay was prolonged several days on account of the severe blockade.

C. A. Nelson has arranged another stove in the Star Theatre, which is now very comfortably heated. Pictures of the Halifax disaster are soon to be shown, as well as the Battle of Vimy Ridge. See ad.

Farm Wanted: To rent or buy. Must be handy to school and railroad in Carleton or Victoria counties. State full particulars and terms in first letter. A. Farmer, 72 Leinster street, St. John, N. B.

A. D. McCain, of East Florenceville, was recently elected president of the Sentinel Publishing Co., Ltd., in succession to Hon. Frank B. Carvell, resigned, owing to his position in the Dominion Government. Miss Isabel K. Watts, secretary treasurer, and Sylvester L. Lynott, manager.

J. E. Sayre of St. John was here today on business connected with his lumber mill here. Under the former arrangement of trains Mr. Sayre was able to make the trip from St. John in one day. On this occasion he had to spend two nights on the road and was away from St. John Tuesday to Friday.

In a recent issue of the London, Eng., Times, there is a list from Sir D. Haig, containing the names of those mentioned for gallant service on the western front. Among the list is that of Temporary Lieut. Col. A. N. Vince, D. S. O., of the King's Liverpool Regiment, son of the late Col. D. McLeod Vince, of Woodstock.

J. T. G. Carr wishes it understood that all his goods were not in the store recently damaged by fire. His warehouses situated some distance from the fire, and contents were uninjured. In these were a surplus stock of Shelf Groceries, Flour, Oatmeal Corn Meal, Oat and Wheat Middlings, Rice, Beans, Granulated and Brown Sugar, Furniture consisting of Steel Bedsteads, Springs, Mattresses, Cots, Chairs, Clothing and some Dry Goods. These are now on sale. The goods injured by water will be offered at big reductions as soon as the broken windows are replaced.

Mrs. Charles Rolston of Aroostook Jct. is a guest of Mrs. Charles Gillin.

Mrs. T. S. VanWart came from Houlton on Tuesday and was a guest of Mrs. C. H. Taylor.

Owing to scarcity of cars shippers are experiencing great difficulty in moving produce. Potatoes today bring $3; hay, pressed, $9.25; oats 90 cents.

Someone left a quilt at the post office for a donation to the Halifax sufferers. The committee have not the name of the donor who will kindly call at the post office and reveal his or her identity.

The Epworth League will meet in The Methodist Church, Hartland, on Wed. Jan. 30 at 7.30. The subject being "Founders of Canada," presented by Mrs. W. Kerr and Miss Anna Murdock. All are welcome.

The next regular meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held at the home of Mrs. Henry Bradley on Thursday, Jan. 31, at 2.30. The subject for the program will be Scientific Temperance, led by Mrs. Guy McGinley, the Superintendent. A full attendance is solicited.

On Feb. 13 Pastor P. J. Trafton of the Reformed Baptist church will commence a series of special services. He will be assisted by Rev. W. E. Smith of Monroetown, Penn. Mr. Smith was for a year pastor of the Methodist church here and will be wormly welcomed by those who remember him. His wife is a Hartland girl—formerly Miss Alberta Tracy.

A very successful contest for new members for the Hartland Womens Institute was recently held, culminating on last Monday evening, when the leaders Mrs. Frank Kelly and Mrs. Clara Billings brought in fifty names, most of whom were present at that meeting. A straw ride in the near future for the whole membership will be the reward of the winning side.

On Monday Robert Ray of Somerville died at his home after a long period of failing health. He was 86 years of age and leaves a wife and two daughters, Mrs. Henry Ginson of Somerville and Mrs. Everett Nichols of Lowell. Mr. Ginson was born at Bangor but lived a great part of his life in Nova Scotia, coming here to live near his daughter a few years ago. He was in good health and remarkably vigorous up to last fall and was very regular in his attendance at the Methodist church of which he was a member. The funeral was held at his home yesterday, conducted by Rev. G. S. Helps.

On Monday, Jan. 21 the C.S.E.T for boys held its weekly meeting. After the opening devotional service, Clyde Rideout conducted the Bible discussion, and then C. D. Dickson gave a practical talk on the "Three C's Campaign", which is a part of the C.S.E.T. program. "The Three C's" are clean speech, clean sport, clean habits, and Mr. Dickson forcible showed how essential these are to true manhood. In the business period, which followed, the boys voted from their funds the cost of a basket-ball outfit, as the prospects are now bright for securing the use of a hall for the game. All boys between the ages of 13 and 20, who are ready to follow out the program in full, of which sports are only a part, are invited to join the Hartland C.S.E.T.

Florenceville Facts

Richard Wheeler, who has been quite ill, is able to be about once more.

Mrs. Robert Hume is ill, suffering from bronchitis and heart-trouble.

Mrs. W. L. McCain spent Saturday with friends at Bath.

Miss Muriel McDonald has been the guest of Mrs. W. L. McCain for a few days.

School reopened for the winter term Jan 7 in charge of Principal A. D. Jonah. Assistants: Miss Lamont and Miss Perley. A number of quarterly pupils are in attendance.

Household Goods For Sale

One parlor stove, some home-made rugs and bedding, a number of pieces of furniture and small things, also 1 pung, 1 wagon and some farm machinery, and some things on the farm. I will have three days' sale next week—Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, Jan. 28, 29, 30. Mrs. Howard Young, Summerfield, P. O. address, Bath, Route 1.

Lower Brighton

Arthur Richardson, having been called out by the Military Service Act, went to St. John to don the khaki.

The United Baptists had their prayer-meeting last week at the home of Wallie Birmingham.

Willie Dickinson of Blackie, Alberta, is visiting friends in this place.

Mrs. W. Dow has returned home after spending a week with her son, Earl Dow, at Houlton.

Mrs. Mary Ann Brown has been confined to her bed for some time.

Miss Aurilia Gibson has charge of our school again this term. She is well liked by both parents and pupils.

Harry Nixon and Carl Bryant were in the draft that was called to go to St. John from Woodstock last week.

Spurgeon Brown has been called here by the illness of his mother, Mrs. Mary Ann Brown.

Rev. E. C. Jenkins Called to Wider Field

Rev. E. C. Jenkins, pastor of the Baptist church, has accepted an appointment under the Home Mission Board as General Evangelist for the province of N. B. The family move to Wolfville, N. S., this week. Mr. Jenkins begins work the first of February.

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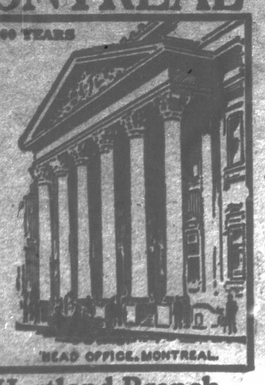

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Cheap Sale!

OF

Goods Damaged by Water

During the recent cold spell waterpipes over my store burst and flooded my stock. The BOOTS AND SHOES were not themselves damaged, hardly in the least, but the boxes containing them were crushed and soiled, and things were generally mussed up. Hence it is necessary to dispose of these goods at a big sacrifice.

Ridiculously Low Prices Now Prevail

The Cheap Sale covers every pair of Men's Women's and Children's Shoes in the Store, and the reduced prices are plainly marked.

Not one pair of these shoes is so badly damaged but that wearing quality and appearance is all right.

Of course there has been a scramble for these Bargains. They are going fast. We want to spread the news among a wider circle of our friends, hence this announcement. We suggest you come early, because these great values go quick!

H. R. NIXON

Specialist in Fine Footwear

We carry in stock or can supply at Short notice everything in

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that may be required. Blacksmith's, Builders' Hardware, Shelf Hardware, Paints, Oils, Kerosene, Coal, Household Necessities, all Farmers' Requirements—anything from a needle to an anchor.

Full Stock at all times

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SATURDAY, JANUARY 26 to SATURDAY, FEBRURY 16

One of our Biggest Sale Events of the entire year. A sale so wide in its scope that people for miles around look eagerly forward to it.

In the January Clearance Sales this year, through our co-operation with the manufacturers and alertness in taking advantage of the market many months before the advance in prices went into effect, we are in a position to offer merchandise that is, in most instances, at less than today's wholesale cost.

Read each item carefully—make out your shopping list—then prepare to join the throngs of thrifty shoppers who will crowd this Busy Store during the next 21 days.

Grocery Specials

5 cakes Surprise, Gold, P. & G. Naptha or Ivory Soaps	32c
6 cakes Lennox Soaps	31c
6 pkts Cow Brand Soda	25c
6 lbs Gillett's Bulk Soda	24c
5 lbs Graham Flour	31c
5 lbs Purity Rolled Oats	31c

Grocery Specials

WILSON'S PURE EXTRACTS

1 oz Bottle Lemon or Vanilla	8c
2 oz Bottle Lemon or Vanilla	16c

MIXTURE

1 oz Bottle Lemon or Vanilla	6c
2 oz Bottle Lemon or Vanilla	12c

RED ROSE TEA

Reg. 55c	Now 49c
Reg. 60c	Now 54c
Reg. 65c	Now 59c

Corsets

Are in this sale, and they are the same good models which women have pronounced "the ideal" for appearance, construction and comfort. Come take your choice now during the Clearance Sales special prices.

Reg.	50c	Now 39c
	75c	" 61c
	1.00	" 79c
	1.25	" 99c
	1.50	" 1.21
	1.60	" 1.31
	1.75	" 1.39
	2.00	" 1.69
	2.50	" 1.99
	2.25	" 1.79
	3.00	" 2.49

A few broken lots that we are not reordering on at

Half Price.

Brassiers

will be sold at same reduced prices as our regular stock corsets.

Embroideries and Laces, Discounted 20 per cent.

Web Goods and Cottons, Discounted 10 per cent.

Suits & Skirts

At Much Less Than Regular Price

We will soon be receiving some new lines of Spring Goods. We need the space to display them so to secure it we must get rid of the remaining goods at once.

1 only Black, Size 40
Reg. $15. Now $11.29

1 only Navy, Size 38
Reg. $20. Now $15.29

1 only Navy, Size 38
Reg. $15. Now $11.29

1 only Navy, Size 42
Reg. $15. Now $11.29

1 only Copen. Size 18
Reg. $20. Now $15

Navy Skirts, Reg. $4.50 Now $3.49

Millinery

During this sale we will offer all of our Trimmed Hats at HALF PRICE. All Untrimmed and Trimmings at a

Discount of 25 per cent

Waists

Ridiculously low priced, Materials alone worth more than the price quoted in some instances, and the styles are decidedly new and attractive.

Reg. $1.00	Now 79c
1.25	now 99c
1.35	now 1.09
1.50	now 1.29
1.75	now 1.39
2.00	now 1.59
2.25	now 1.84
2.85	now 2.26
3.75	now 3.01
5.00	now 3.99

Wall Paper

We have received our Spring Stock, and we can certainly show you a most complete line of dainty patterns for every room in the house, and at prices that will surprise you, for they are very reasonable. During this sale we will allow a

Discount of 25 per cent

Rubbers

Our stock is now most complete and it will mean money in your pocket to anticipate your Spring wants now. We have the "Maltese Cross" brand.

Men's Gum Rubbers

Reg. $5.25	Now $3.99
5.00	now 3.74
4.25	now 3.39
4.00	now 3.19
3.50	now 2.79
2.75	now 2.29
2.50	now 2.09

Boy's Gum Rubbers

2.25	now 1.89
2.00	now 1.64
1.75	now 1.39

Men's Felt Rubbers

3.50	now 2.69
3.25	now 2.34

Men's Overshoes

2.50	now 2.01
1.75	now 1.39

All other Rubbers at

10 per cent Discount

Shoes—20%

For Men, Women and Children. Fashion's approved styles for Dress, Work and School wear are here in a great assortment of dependable leathers scientifically built—on lines to conform to the feet, assuring ease and comfort. Our Lines of Bell, Amherst and Humphrey Shoes is worthy of your attention. During this sale we are allowing a Discount from our regular prices

of 20 per cent

Sweaters

Much Reduced In Price

The wise boys know this is Sweater buying time—for FUTURE NEEDS. It is a foregone conclusion that next year Sweaters are going to take on unprecedented prices, and qualities will not be as good as these are—that is a certainty. So if you value money invest it now as we offer our entire stock at

20 per cent Discount

Caps

Not very many left to choose from but during this sale we mean to clean them all up, so will allow a

Discount of 25 per cent

Cap Special

A special lot of Children's Caps ranging in price from 50c up to $1.50 these we offer you at 35c each.

Felt Shoes

We have not many of these left, but on what are left we will allow a Discount of 20 per cent.

Ladies Coats

With drastic reductions in prices. Now is the time to buy that extra coat that you have been longing for all Winter. Prices are so low, while styles are so attractive and qualities so high that it is a wise investment to purchase now at this sale.

Reg. 10.00	Now $7.49
12.00	now 8.79
14.00	now 10.79
13.50	now 10.29
15.00	now 11.79
17.00	now 13.79
20.00	now 15.49
23.00	now 18.29
24.00	now 19.29
25.00	now 19.99
30.00	now 23.00

A few left-overs prices ranging from $9.00 to $15.00 your choice at $4.50

Mens Coats

These represent some exceptional bargains.

Wombat Reg. $65.00	Now 49.00
Black Cloth with Fur Collor Reg. 24.00	Now 19.19

Cloth Coats

Reg. $14.00	Now $11.29
15.00	now 12.89
16.50	now 13.59
18.00	now 14.79
19.50	now 15.99
20.00	now 16.59

Mackinaws

$7.50	now 6.79
8.00	now 7.29
10.00	now 7.99
10.50	now 8.49
11.00	now 8.89
11.50	now 9.19

China Glassware and Crockery, Discounted 20 per cent.

Men's Work and Fancy Shirts, Discounted 20 per cent.

Underwear

Our stock is much too large therefore we must reduce it hence these slashed prices.

Men's

Stanfield's Red Label
Reg. $2.00 Now $1.69
Blue Label
2.25 now 1.94
No. 125
1.25 now 1.19

Fleeced
90c now 69c
1.00 now 79c
50c now 41c

Ladies
3.00 now 2.49
90c now 69c
75c now 59c
65c now 49c
45c now 39c
35c now 29c

Childrens
60c now 49c
55c now 44c
50c now 39c
45c now 34c
40c now 29c

Buttons

We carry the largest stock in this vicinity, and it comprises the latest in trimming buttons. These we offer at

20 per cent Discount

SPECIALS

Pink Outing	Reg. 20c	Now	15c
White Outing	18c	now	13c
	20c	now	15c
	22c	now	17c
	26c	now	21c
	28c	now	23c

White Night Gown Cloth
Reg. 18c now 15c

Shoe Special

A few pairs of men's and Ladies Shoes at Half Price

Specials will be given only when other goods are purchased. No goods charged at these prices.
Highest Prices Paid for Produce of all kinds.

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SPECIALS

Purity Rolled Oats

20 lb. sack	$1.30
40 lb. sack	2.55
80 lb. sack	5.00
90 lb. Bbl.	5.50
180 lb. Bbl.	10.75

White Cups and Saucers, Regular price 90c ½ doz., Now 65c ½ doz.

Feed Special

Middlings	per cwt $2.65
Bran	per cwt 2.10