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Everything for sale there at big reductions. Clothing, Dry Goods, Boots and Shoes, Rubbers, Shoe-packs, Overshoes, Notions, Toys, Groceries, Fruits, Nuts and Christmas Candy. Come in time and you will be attended to promptly.

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The Bargain Store

of M. SYERS, BATH

LIEUT. GEO. BOYER FLIES GREAT MACHINE

Writes Home of a Wonderful
New Air Craft

Flight Lieutenant George A. Boyer is a Hartland boy, only son of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Boyer. He offered his services to the King in Oct. 1917, and joined the Royal Air Force, as a motor driver. He made good at this and his natural quickness and steady nerve won the attention of officers in the flying service and he was transferred to that section. Last winter he went to Texas with the other Canadians and while practising there he suffered three crashes. The third one proved quite disastrous, for when after 24 hours he recovered consciousness it was to realize he had a leg broken below the knee and his hip injured. He was in hospital for four months and it was feared his flying nerve might have departed. His Captain told him if he desired to remain in the flying section he would have to submit to a severe test for nerve. He readily agreed, and was told to climb to as high an altitude as high as his machine would take him, then to throw out all controls and plunge aimlessly through the air until he reached 500 feet from the ground then to right his machine and land safely. Lieut. Boyer performed this feat and is still in the service. Last August at Toronto he was one of five chosen from among fifty candidates to take the office of Flight Lieutenant and Instructor. Shortly afterwards he visited his parents here, and soon after returning to Toronto he was sent overseas.

The following is the latest letter received by Mrs. Boyer from her son:

Hounslow Heath,
Middlesex, Eng.
Sept. 23, 1918

Dear Mother: Arrived safe in camp after a long and tedious journey. We were kept on board the boat 4 days, just outside of London. I am at one of the best camps in England. It is small, in fact very small, but it is a scout squadron and the fastest machines in the world are here in this camp. I was flying a new machine today, a machine that has just come out. They call it a snipe. It has a spread of wings only 12 feet from tip to tip, but it is all motor; a nine cylinder rotary

motor, 200 horse power, with a speed of 200 miles per hour and a wonderful machine to fly. I am not sorry now that I did not stay in Canada as instructor, because I am flying machines that will get Huns if any will. They will climb at an angle of 45 degrees, at 90 miles per hour, and will go absolutely straight up 500 feet. They are a wonderful machine and I am proud to be able to fly one of them. They carry 2 guns that shoot 1,000 shots per minute. We had 18 boats in our convoy



coming over, but did not sight any submarines, or have any excitement whatever. Am feeling fine. Give my regards to all my friends.
Good bye with love.
From George.

Our Boys are Returning

On Tuesday Privates Clifford Thornton and Beecher Hovey returned from the war, both in very good health considering all the hardships they had been through. Pte. Thornton enlisted three years ago in the 115th and has had long service in the trenches. He was wounded and gassed and lately has been convalescing in England. He was warmly welcomed home by a host of friends, and particularly by his widowed mother, Mrs. J. L. Thornton. Pte. Hovey was recently wounded. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hovey of East Brighton.

The Misses May, who came here from Bath a few weeks ago have opened dressmaking rooms in Hagerman Block, over F. F. Plumer's store. They are prepared to do dressmaking and ladies' tailoring in first class manner and patronage is solicited.

FIRST SETTLERS AT NEW DENMARK DIE

Usual Budget of News Items from
Grand Falls

Edward Abilgaard, one of the oldest and best known settlers of New Denmark, died Nov. 30, after a few weeks illness from dropsy. Mr. Abilgaard was post master and J.P. for a number of years and in that way was well known all over the country. He was twice married; his first wife died about ten years ago. A widow, who was Mrs. Johansen before her marriage to Mr. Abilgaard, survives. There was no children. Mr. Abilgaard was 82 years of age. He came among the first settlers to New Denmark about 47 years ago. He was buried beside his first wife in his own garden.

Mr. Sorensen of Salmonhurst, died very suddenly on Dec. 1. He had been to church and came home feeling all right. A short time after his return some of the family went into the room where he was and found him dead. He was Mrs. A. J. Jensen's father and highly respected by all who know him. Much sympathy is felt for the bereaved family.

Larida Bertelsen and family of Blue Bell have gone to Portland for the winter.

Dr. S. S. King, who has spent the summer here with Dr. Chapman, went to his home in Hampton last week, where he will practice his profession.

Mr. Martin of Lewiston, Me., was visiting friends in town last week.

Mrs. Robert Lynch of Caribou was the guest at Allen McLaughlin's a few days last week, returning home Friday. Miss Mary Louise McLaughlin went to Caribou with her aunt for a short visit.

Mrs. A. McLaughlin who is still in the hospital does not seem to improve very fast.

Mrs. B. A. Puddington and Mrs. C. Curless were in Hamilton this week.

Little Miss Margaret McLaren is visiting in St. John.

Miss Ada Rothman of Cabano is visiting her sister, Mrs. Simkevitz.

J. A. McKendry is having his big wood pile sawed into stove lengths.

THE TOWN ELECTION

During the week a memorial has been going the rounds and freely signed by rate-payers asking Dr. Curtis to accept nomination as mayor. It is quite likely that if he accepts he will be elected by acclamation and the town could not choose as its chief officer a man of more even-tempered judgment or one who would carry to the officer more dignity and wisdom.

An effort is being made to arrange a slate of aldermen that will be so generally satisfactory that an election will be avoided. The names of four Liberals and four Conservatives that have been spoken of will, if decided upon, put a stop to the foolish contention that party politics may control town affairs.

The work of the new council will not be easy and there will at the outset be many complications to disentangle, in changing from the old to the new order of things.

Lieut. Wooten Not Dead

The Observer is happy to report that a cable was received Tuesday morning by Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Wooten of Andover from their son, Flight Lieut. George Wooten that he was convalescing at the base hospital, thus contradicting the message which was received some time ago stating his death.

Produce Prices

Potatoes.....	\$ 2.50
Pressed hay.....	17.00
Butter.....	40
Eggs.....	48
B. W. Meal.....	6.00
Beans.....	8.00
Oats.....	.85
Chickens.....	18-20c
Fowls.....	16-18c
Dressed pork.....	18-20c

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Lieut. Phillips, M. C. Killed in Action

It is with great regret that we record the death of Lieutenant Eugene Somerville Phillips, of Craibrook, who has been officially reported as killed in action. The sad news, coming as it did when the atmosphere was full of the armistice enthusiasm, was a great blow to the parents of the deceased officer, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Phillips, who had looked forward to the home coming of their boy.

The news seemed to be additionally sad owing to the fact that it was generally thought that the deceased who had been recuperating after his illness caused by a wound received in August, was still in Blighy.

The deceased young officer was the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Phillips, of this city. He was born in Clear View, N. B., on February 29th, 1886 and was therefore almost 23 years of age. He came west with his parents in 1911. He entered the employ of the C. P. R. as a freight clerk and 18 months later he was appointed agent at the Wytheville depot. In 1915 he entered Columbian College, New



Westminster, where he matriculated. While here he heard the call of his country, and he enlisted, March 1916, in the 100th Western Universities Battalion, with which he went overseas. While at camp he acted as training instructor, and after he went overseas to France, he held the position of bombing officer in the 43rd Battalion.

Lieutenant Phillips was at the front for 11 months, when on August 12th of this year he received a bullet wound in the right shoulder. After being in the hospital for a few weeks, he took a trip through Scotland and Ireland by the courtesy of the Red Cross Society.

Upon his return to active work, he again went into action, receiving his fatal wound on November 1st. Lieut. Phillips had the honor of earning the Military Cross in April of this year.

The London Gazette, of Sept. 20th, says: "This officer displayed great dash, courage and enterprise in patrol duty on four different nights, securing valuable information and harassing and inflicting casualties on the enemy, and has been awarded the Military Cross. On one night he pushed forward with a small patrol about 700 yards in the bright moonlight engaged an enemy, wounding party in mass, with Lewis gun fire and killed six or eight and wounded others. Pressing forward he was engaged by three enemy machine guns one of which he silenced with bombs and withdrew without casualties."

Lieutenant Phillips was a fine type of young man and was unusually respected and beloved. He possessed a fine physique and was a splendid all round athlete. He was unselfish, kindly, and considerate of others, and was every inch a Christian gentleman. He looked forward on his return to completing his studies and entering the medical profession. His demise will be a great sorrow to a large circle of friends.

The sympathy of the entire community goes out to the bereaved parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Phillips, to the deceased's brother, Lieut. Sperry Phillips, a returned wounded officer, and to the deceased's sister, Mrs. T. C. Phillips.

Queens Message to Women of the Empire

Ottawa, Dec. 5.—The following message from Her Majesty, The Queen, to the women of the empire has been received by His Excellency, the Governor General:

A few months ago at the height of our anxiety and strain I sent a message in the name of the women of our lands to our men fighting for us across the seas. Now in an hour of thankfulness and hope I should like to give a message to the women of the empire.

During the war they have been given the high privilege of service; they have risen to the great opportunity and have proven

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their courage, steadfastness and ability.

I have been allowed to watch and appreciate their work in many parts of the country and my heart is full of admiration and gratitude for what I have seen.

I earnestly trust that, though the thrill and glamor of war is over, the spirit of self-sacrifice and helpfulness, which it has kindled, will not wane in the coming days. A new era has dawned upon the world bringing with it many difficulties, fresh responsibilities and serious problems to be faced.

Parliament has secured for the whole country greater opportunities of more thorough and varied education, but it will depend upon the parents whether these opportunities are used to the full.

We all rejoice that plans are afoot for bringing to an end the existence of such bad and crowded housing as makes home life almost impossible.

Today, more than ever, the empire needs her daughters, for in the large world of public and industrial work, women are daily taking a more important place. As we have been united in all our work whether in head or hands, in a reality of suffering and service during the war, let us go on working together with the same unity of purpose of the resettlement and reconstruction of our country.

(Signed) MARY R.

His Day.

"I presume you had a great time Christmas, Willie?"

"No. I didn't have so much fun Christmas day, but I did the day after."

"Were you sick on Christmas?"

"Nope. But you see the day after Christmas you had to go to work and I got a chance to play with all my toys then."



A Good Business Man.

A commercial traveler had taken a large order in Scotland for a consignment of hardware and canvassed to press upon the canny Scottish manager who had given him the order a Christmas gift of a box of Havana cigars.

"Naw," he replied. "Don't try to bribe a man. I cudna tak them and I am a member of the kirk."

"But will you not accept them as a Christmas present?"

"I cudna," said the Scot.

"Well, then," said the traveler, "suppose I sell you the cigars for a merely nominal sum—say, sixpence?"

"Weel, in that case," replied the Scot, "since you press me, and, not liking to refuse an offer weel meant, I think I'll be taking two boxes."



A Christmas Wish.

Though the weather's very cold Here's a warm wish very old May your Christmas day be merry Very-very-very.



A Necessity.

"Good will among men is a prime necessity of reasonable living."—Arnold Bennett.



Rheumatic Pains

Are relieved in a few days by taking 30 drops of Mother Seigel's Syrup after meals and on retiring. It dissolves the lime and acid accumulation in the muscles and joints so these deposits can be expelled, thus relieving pain and soreness. Seigel's Syrup, also known as "Extract of Roots," contains no opium or other strong drugs to kill or mask the pain of rheumatism or lumbago, it removes the cause. 50c. a bottle at druggists.

GIFTS for EVERYONE



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3 lbs Mixed Nuts 90c with other goods only.

SPECIAL

3 lbs CHOICE SEEDED RAISINS 55c with other goods only.

TOYS

From the mechanical to the toy that has to be pulled, consisting of everything to make the young people enjoy Xmas to the fullest extent.

Iron Toys	15c to .50
Banks	25 to 2.50
Mechanical Toys	50 to 3.00
Cannons	25 to 1.00
Tin Toys	25 to .50
Sad Irons	25 to .50
Tree Ornaments	15 to .50
Artificial Snow	10 pkt.
Candles	25 box
Candle Holders	25 doz.
Holly	15 to .25
Watches	8 to 2.00
Pistols	19 to 1.00
Guns	50 to 2.50
Blocks	25 to .50
Trains	15 to 2.50
Checker Boards	15 to .50
Games	10 to .50
Dolls	15 to 6.00
Paints	10 to .35
Dishes (sets)	15 to 1.50

BABY GOODS

We are prepared for customers who have a little friend for whom they wish to select gifts.

Bibs	15c to .50
Bootees	15 to .50
Bonnets	75 to 2.50
Mittens	20 to .50
Overalls	50 to 1.50
Coatees	75 to 2.00
Shoes	50 to 1.00

CANDY & NUTS

Our Candy supply will be limited this season, but what we are short in Candy we will make up in Nuts, all of which will be offered at remarkably low prices. Our Peanuts are roasted by ourselves:

Walnuts per pound	35c
Filberts " "	30c
Almonds " "	38c
Peanuts " "	30c
Walnuts, shelled "	1.00
Filberts, shelled "	70c
Citron, Lemon and Orange Peel	40c

FANCY GOODS

We have procured from the manufacturers a large assortment of these goods which we offer you at popular prices, representing the very latest Xmas styles. The line includes Handkerchiefs, Collars, Leather Goods, Tea Aprons, Ties, Scarfs and Boudoir Caps.

Service Flags, Pins

These make very acceptable gifts. We offer a number of different sizes and qualities.

Prices 25c to \$1.50

STATIONERY

You will have to see this line to appreciate the values.

Papeteries	15c to 1.50
Tablets	12 to .35
Envelopes	10 to .20
Pencils	01 to .15
Crayons	02 to .10
Paper Napkins	10c doz
Crepe Paper	15 roll
Bells	15c to 50c
Wreaths	15c to 50c

FUR GOODS

These are all high class Goods and are exceptional values.

Mens' Raccoon Coats	\$225
Mens' Wombat Coats	65
Women's Rat. Coats	165
Women's Wallaby Coats	50
Alaska Sable Muff	70
Robes	\$18-30

Guessing Contest

We are running the following Guessing Contests, which no doubt will prove interesting to all our customers, owing to the valuable prizes. Get Circular giving full particulars.

Doll Value	No. 1	\$6.00
Sled Value	No. 2	4.50
Candy and Nuts, 5 lbs. value	No. 3	\$1.75
Casserole, (nickle plated) value \$3.50	No. 4	
Grand Prize		value \$10 in Gold

VICTOR TALKING MACHINES AND RECORDS

Will there be a Victor in your home this Xmas? Nothing could be more appreciated. Sold on easy terms if desired. Prices \$34.00 up Records 90c up

BOOKS

From the linen for the children to the more expensive books of fiction for the older ones. Prices 5c to \$1.50

KNITTED GOODS

Consisting of both the plain knitted and brushed wool Sweaters, Caps and Scarfs, etc., in popular colors.

We offer FREE to our customers with the compliments of the season, a limited number of very pretty CALENDARS for 1919. Be sure and ask for yours.

We will be pleased to hold till Xmas any goods you may select, when a 10% desposit is made of time of purchase.

G. E. WILSON

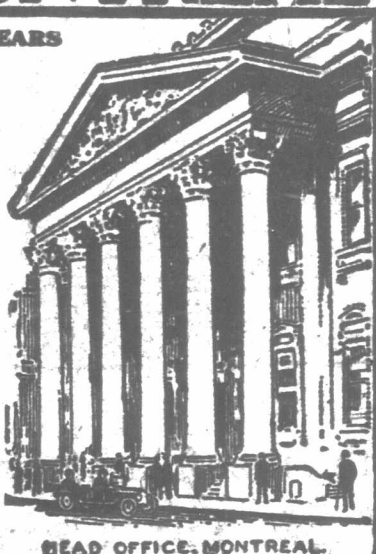
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Hartland 20 years Ago

The following clipping from The Sentinel's "20 years ago" column will be read with much interest by Hartland readers. It is a Hartland correspondent who writes to The Sentinel, Dec. 1, 1898:

The Sentinel's recent editorial "About Hartland" was timely and certainly was a right spirit. A wholesome rivalry between neighboring towns produces a healthy growth, but when that rivalry partakes of the saloon and slum spirit and consists in club and mud throwing, the time so spent is no credit to either. Hartland seems confident that its future will be one of prosperity and developments, but in our growth, we certainly do not wish to see Woodstock go back, and if one half of the things told of by a correspondent in the last issue of "Advertiser" be true, and we hope they are, then your progressive town must certainly boom in the next twelve months.

A word now to my fellow citizens of this pushing, hustling village. Gentleman you have made a good start but it is only a start, there should be a united effort of all our people to bring industries here; unless we can bring labor and give employment to the masses, then there is little prospect for future development; unless you get factories and industries to employ the bone and sinew of the country our village will soon be at a standstill. I would respectfully ask what has become of our board of trade? It came to life with great promises of future service, but for months we have heard nothing from it. Where are you board of trade? Industries are being established all around us and why are you not making an effort to bring some of them here? Wist ye not that you should be about your business. What has become of the corporation scheme, is it dead? We sincerely hope not; an incorporated town is then in position to do business and to look after its interests as it cannot possibly do otherwise.

Political Saints

The local opposition organ rises to remark: "Politicians are more apt to pull down the pulpit than the pulpit is to lift up the politicians. War has helped many movements to a speedy triumph. Now is a good time for the pulpit to consolidate its gains, to keep the politicians out of pulpits, and

THAT NIGHT COUGH

Could anything be more trying or more exhausting? Peps will end it! The Pine vapor breathed down their passages when a Peps is dissolved in the mouth relieves the irritation, soothes the inflamed place and stops the cough.

Mr. John Doussart of Little Current, Ont., says: "I was troubled with an irritating cough that kept me awake at night. Nothing I took gave me relief until I used Peps. This wonderful breathable remedy, however, has entirely rid me of the cough."

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pastors off political platforms.*** All history teaches the truth that reaction is the inevitable consequence of attempts to bring about a premature reign of the saints."

There are many who will be inclined to agree with the sentiments expressed by our contemporary. The province of New Brunswick has had some costly experience with politicians who posed as saints or pretended to be in league with angels. Among the number might be mentioned Elder J. Kidd Flemming, Deacon B. Frank Smith, Rev. J. B. Daggett, Rev. W. B. Tennant and Elder J. A. Murray. They did not succeed in pulling down the pulpit, but they did manage to pull down a lot of graft in connection with the Valley Railway, the timber lands and patriotic potatoes. They also provided a lot of work for royal commissions and the end is not yet. Happily for the province the "reaction" came and on February 24th 1917 the "reign of the saints" in this province came to inglorious end. When the church comes to consolidate its gains it should not only keep the politicians out of politics and potato parsons off political platform, but it should keep political fakirs out of the Sabbath schools and prayer meetings as well.—Fredericton Mail.

Woman Stenographer Charged with Stealing \$52,000

Houlton, Me., Nov. 27.—Miss Mary A. Conlogue, stenographer for Frank P. Clark, a produce dealer, brought here by a State detective after being detained at Boston, was arraigned in the Municipal Court today, charged with the larceny of a \$52,000 check; and with attempting to obtain money by false pretenses by attempting to cash a check for \$2,200. Both checks belonged to Mr. Clark, the larger one having been sent from a Boston bank for deposit here. No money was obtained on either, though an attempt was made at Boston on October 10, it was alleged, by means of a power of attorney which she held, but which had been withdrawn by Mr. Clark.

Miss Conlogue pleaded not guilty, but probable cause was adjudged and she furnished \$2,000 bail for her appearance before the grand jury.

END STOMACH TROUBLE. GASES OR DYSPEPSIA

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

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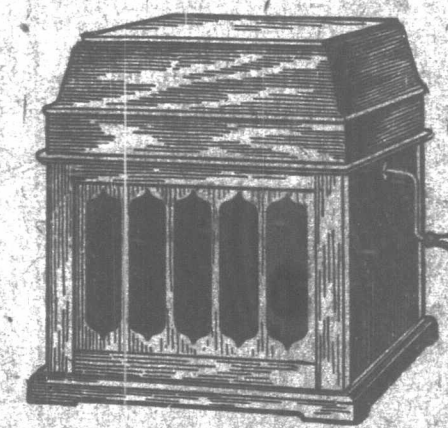
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Garage Business For Sale

I am offering for sale my Garage and Business complete with Bowser Gasoline Pump, latest make of Air Pump, Forge, Anvil and all tools necessary for a mechanic to go to work. Also a Ford car for outside service. I have had two very successful years with this business and my only reason for selling is that I need to devote my whole time to the produce business. This is a snap for a capable young man wanting a Garage.

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Notice of Election

Notice is hereby given that on Saturday the 4th day of January A. D. 1919 I will hold a poll for the election of a Mayor and eight Councillors for the town of Hartland in the County of Carleton the place of said polling shall be at the house in said town of Hartland, and the polling will open at ten o'clock in the morning and close at four, p.m.

Nominations for mayor and alderman will be received by me up to Tuesday the 31st day of December A. D. 1918 at five p.m. No person who is not regularly nominated as the law directs, shall be a candidate.

Polling will only take place in the event of more than one candidate being duly nominated for mayor, or more than eight candidates for alderman.

Dated this 20th day of November, A. D. 1918.

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November 22nd, 1918

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DISTRICT MEETING METHODIST CHURCH

The regular quarterly district meeting of Woodstock district of the Methodist church was held at Hartland on Tuesday. The ministers in attendance were Rev. F. C. Flemington, Andover, Rev. F. A. Wightman, Florenceville, E. C. Turner of Debec, S. Howard, Woodstock, H. Harrison, Jacksonton, and the local pastor, T. Spencer Crisp. After the usual routine business the meeting took up the new legislation enacted at the recent general conference at London, Ont., especially the resolution to raise this year a missionary fund of \$1,000,000. In the evening a public meeting was held at which the speakers were Rev. F. A. Wightman, H. Harrison, and E. C. Turner.

AT THE STAR TONIGHT

The Kaiser took the flu and flew into Hartland, so its perfectly safe to come tonight, Dec. 12, and see the Dominion Picture Co. present a big two-reel drama "The Ghost," accompanied by a Tannhauser production and a Comic Comedy. On Saturday, Dec. 14, the 13th episode of "A Diamond from the Skies," the biggest and the best serial ever shown in this town; also a two-reel drama entitled City of Darkness—one of the good ones. All at The Star tonight and Saturday night.

Watch this space for our Big Christmas Program.

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Waterville Warblings

Rev. Dr. Steele preached in the Methodist church Sunday afternoon, and was listened to with much interest.

Rev. C. N. Barton, the new pastor of the U. B. church, began his work here the first Sunday in December.

Mrs. Vinal McClary, of Bloomfield spent Sunday with Mrs. Judson Kearney.

Mr. and Mrs. Hallie Gray are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son.

Mrs. Rex York spent several days last week, with her parents, W. J. and Mrs. Davis.

Ray DeGrasse spent a few days in Bristol recently.

Mrs. T. D. Stokoe entertained the Ladies' Missionary society in connection with the Methodist church last Wednesday afternoon and evening. An enjoyable time was spent.

The Red Cross Society met at the home of Mrs. Edgar Carpenter on Tuesday afternoon. Luncheon was served during the afternoon.

Lower Windsor

Lilian Viditto has gone to spend the winter with her aunt, Mrs. Clarence Laskey of Bannock.

Mrs. Freeman and family have been spending a few days with her father, Cushio Shaw of Mainstream.

Lance Corporal R. J. Glass of Lower Windsor has returned from the war and made glad the hearts of his parents and friends. He is the son of Mrs. Benjamin Stockford of Lower Windsor, and left here with the 140th Battalion.

Miss Violet Foster is visiting at Peel.

Russel Paget is building an auto shed.

Our day school has reopened with a large attendance.

Mrs. Douglas Hallet is spending the winter at Victoria.

Sanford Hallet has his house nearly completed, which will make a great improvement in the place.

Milton Hallet has gone in the woods to work for Rankine Chute.

Mrs. Benjamin Stockford and son, Lance Corporal R. J. Glass, spent Sunday with Mrs. George Robinson of Windsor.

John Foster is busy in hauling his winter's wood.

Glassville News

Miss Kathleen McBrine spent a few days in Windsor, the guest of Mrs. W. C. Forrest.

Mrs. George Banks of Bristol is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Edward Scott.

Miss Viola Owen of Argyle spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Owen.

John MacIntosh, who has been ill for a few days is recovering.

Miss Alice Gillmor spent a few days this week with Miss Annie Lamont.

John Hovey of Argyle spent Sunday the guest of Miss Viola Owen.

Phyllis Banks of Bristol is the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. Wm. MacIntosh.

Eldon Reid has taken a position in Halifax for the winter.

Mrs. Sandy MacIntosh spent a



"Peace on Earth, Good Will to Men" was the first Christmas message. But it has been four years since there was peace on earth, but now, this Christmas peace is dawning. Therefore let us be Merry and Glad. For 22 Christmases this Store has been the favorite shopping place for Christmas buyers. As usual our stock is so large and varied that no description can do it justice. We invite you to come in and see it. Come early so that we can have more time for your special needs.

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Dec. 13**



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10 a.m.
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few days in Kenneth last week, the guest of her daughter Mrs. Kenneth MacIntosh.

Miss Fern McBrine of East Glassville spent a few days this week with her cousin Miss Kathleen Miller.

Miss Ollie MacIntosh spent Thursday in Bristol the guest of her sister Mrs. S. N. Banks.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. MacIntosh spent Sunday in West Glassville at Robert Ronalds.

Miss Violet Gillett of Andover is visiting Annie Lamont.

Mrs. Arthur MacIntosh spent Monday in Florenceville.

Alex Owen spent Friday in Argyle.

Frank Hatfield of Coldstream was calling here one day last week.

Children Must be Protected

The children must be safeguarded, for, if they do survive the frequent coughs and colds, it is often with the lungs so weakened that they become chronic sufferers from bronchitis or consumption. Being composed of simple ingredients of undoubted value, Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine is admirably suited as a treatment for children. It is pleasant to the taste. So much so that children delight to

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Nothing better for a Christmas gift than a Victrola. If you already have one add to the Christmas cheer by buying new records.

I Wish one and all a Merry Christmas
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Local News and Personal Items

Fine roads for the Christmas trade.

Premier Gasoline for sale at Carr's.

The town stores will be opened each week night until Christmas.

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Auction sale: On Saturday at 3 p.m. at the end of the bridge, a nice driving mare.

Miss Grace Everett of Jacksonville was a week-end guest of Miss Ruth Boyer.

H. N. Boyer is making a marked improvement in his place of business by putting in a new glass front.

Jacob VanWart, one of Woodstock's oldest and most highly respected business men, died on Friday, aged 85 years.

Feed Corn Meal, Granulated Corn Meal, Oat Meal, Whole Cracked Corn, Vim, Shorts, Middlings and Tilson's Feed, at Carr's.

The Primitive Baptist Quarterly meeting will convene with the church at Hartfield, York county, the first Saturday in January, 1919.

S. W. Smith, East Florenceville, is buying poultry and paying higher prices than other buyers. Call him up if you have any to sell.

Cromwell A. Trafton, formerly of Hartland, has bought the Geo. Everett farm at Kilbuck, and he and Mrs. Trafton will in future reside there.

On Tuesday evening Sheriff Foster received a telegram conveying the sad news of the death of his sister Maude at New Bedford, Mass. She is well remembered here and visited here two years ago. She married Harry Perkins and leaves besides her husband one young daughter. Mrs. Perkins was ill only one day of influenza. The Sheriff left for New Bedford last evening.

The death of Charles Stockford took place on Nov. 30th, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Geo. Ellis of Bannock, Car. Co. He was 79 years of age; he leaves to mourn the loss of a loving husband and father, his wife, three sons and one daughter. The funeral took place on Dec. 2nd, conducted by Delbert Belyea, sermon by Rev. P. J. Quigg. Interment in the Bannock cemetery. Much sympathy is felt for the family in their bereavement.

Harvey Jones of Cloverdale spent Sunday in town.

Glass Bros. expects to turn on the juice from their electric plant in a day or two.

Albert Palmer of Waterville was a pleasant caller at The Observer office on Saturday.

Miss Sara Jensen spent the week-end with friends at Florenceville.

For sale, pure wheat flour from Carleton county wheat. At F. F. Plumer's.

You can still get furniture at discounted prices at Carr's. Get his prices before buying.

Interesting articles concerning Hartland bridge will be a feature of The Observer next week.

Pulp wood wanted in any quantity and highest prices paid by S. W. Smith, East Florenceville.

There will be a concert in the Orange Hall, Victoria Corner on Dec. 18th 1918. Proceeds for patriotic purposes.

Lost—a gold-filled hunting case watch. Finder will please return to Huntley DeGrasse, Waterville, or leave at The Observer office.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Bowser returned on Tuesday from a visit of more than a year with their daughter, Mrs. A. G. McFarland of Saskatoon.

F. Hagerman & son are installing a new battery storage plant and can now handle battery work equal to any plant in Canada. Bring your work along.

On Tuesday, Dec. 17, there will be a meeting of ministers, the finance committee and home mission committee of Dist. No. 2 of the United Baptist church, in the church at Hartland. The regular quarterly meeting was not held on account of the epidemic and this meeting is for the purpose of carrying on routine business that would have come under the quarterly session. Meeting opens at 10 a.m.

On Friday afternoon fire entirely destroyed the barn of Harry Belyea at Ashland; also a threshing engine owned by Hill Bros. The fire started from the kerosene engine used as motive power for the threshing, the crank shaft breaking and the engine going to pieces generally, setting fire to the fuel oil. Mr. Belyea lost his entire crop of hay and about 350 bushels of oats. The horses and cattle were saved. The loss to Hill Bros. was about \$1000.

On Monday fire destroyed the fine school house at Coldstream. It was recently rebuilt and was of modern design, and accommodated the children of two districts.

The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Institute will be held at the Armory on Monday, Dec. 16. The roll call will be responded to by a Christmas quotation.

Mrs. H. H. Hatfield is very ill of pneumonia. Dr. Rankin was called today in consultation with Dr. Macintosh. Relatives have been summoned to her bedside.

A. B. Lovely, collector of poor and county taxes in the parish of Peel, serves notice that all taxes not paid by Dec. 16 will be collected by law. Pay up now and save trouble and costs.

Wanted—A first or second class teacher to begin teaching first of the year. Please apply, stating salary, to Miles E. Flanders, secretary to school trustees, Maple View, Victoria Co., N. B.

Miss Kelsie Crabb entertained a number of friends very pleasantly at her home on Friday evening. Music and games were indulged in, after which a dainty buffet lunch was served.

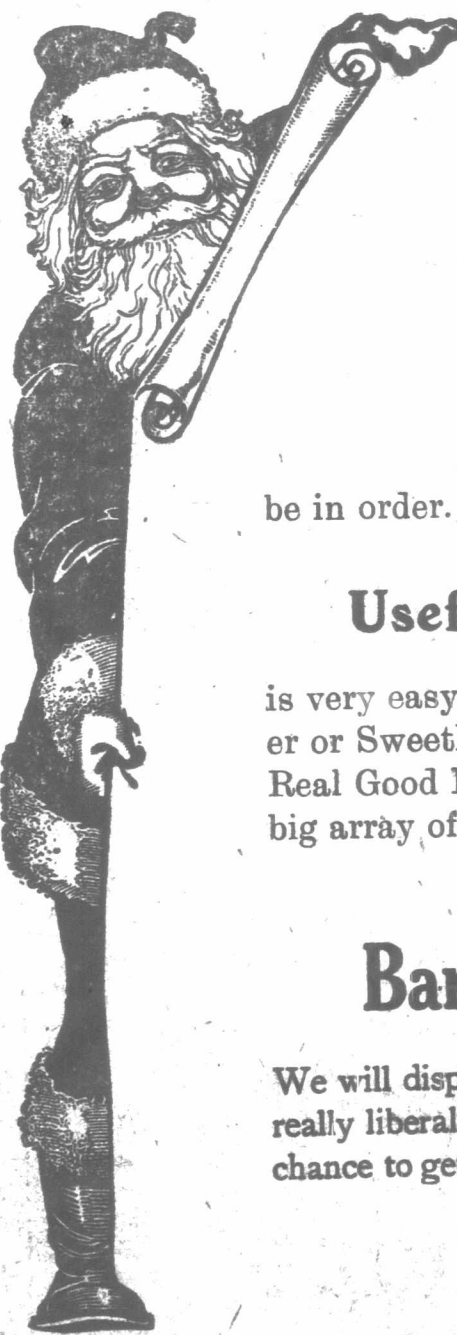
Miss Marguerite McCaffrey, daughter of T. L. McCaffrey of the Customs staff at Woodstock, attempting to extinguish a slight fire in her home on Monday, was so injured that she died soon after being admitted to the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hatfield are convalescing from influenza, which they contracted on their recent visit in Boston. Miss Fannie Larlee of Perth and Miss Hazel McCormick were the nurses in charge.

The Methodist appointment on the Hartland-Lindsay circuit for Sunday are: Hartland, preaching service at 10.30, Sunday school 2.30 p.m., Lindsay at 3 p.m. and Bellville at 7.30 p.m. T. Spencer Crisp, pastor.

A. Y. Dickinson, buyer for Bohan Bros., with office in the former Observer building, is paying highest market prices for hay, oats, potatoes, pork, chickens, fowl, geese, turkeys, etc. See him.

On Friday Nov. 29 death entered the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Lawrence, and claimed their infant child of eight weeks. The funeral was held in the Primitive Baptist church at Wilnot. The services were conducted by Rev. J. M. Mallory assisted by Revs. C. N. Barton and Earl Giberson. Much sympathy is felt for the bereaved family.



Practical Gifts For Men

This is the year when practical Christmas gifts will be in order. At this store the selection of

Useful Gifts for Men and Boys

is very easy. Nothing more acceptable for Father, Brother or Sweetheart than a Tie, Gloves, Arm Bands, Garters, Real Good Buttons, Hose, Suspenders, Cap, Sweater—a big array of articles, all of which are as pleasing as useful.

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Sage and Onions
Sardines
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Perth Locals

Mrs. Herbert Smith, who has been in the Woodstock Hospital for some time returned home last week and her many friends regret to learn that her conditions does not improve as they had hoped it might.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert McDougall of Three Brooks were guests of Mr. McDougall's sister, Mrs. A. M. Bird, a few days last week.

Rev. L. A. Fenwick returned to his home in Jacksonville on Friday after spending a few days with Mrs. Fenwick at the home of his father-in-law, J. B. Stewart.

The S. C. A. met at the home of Mrs. Ralph Estabrook on Friday night. Mr. Estabrook held the lucky ticket for the handsome hand made centre piece, donated by Mrs. Edward Armstrong.

Ward Baker of Medford was a business caller in town on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Johnston are receiving congratulations on the arrival of an heir at their home on Friday.

We extend deepest sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Wooten of Andover, in the death of their son, Geo., who recently died of wounds.

Geo. Anderson and son James of the Colony were in town on Saturday.

Miss Larlee of Wapaki came down on Friday and spent the week-end with Miss Dorothy Green.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. McLaughlin and Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Cox of Kibberville were in town during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Bishop of River de Choix were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Ritchie on Sunday.

Mrs. Abigail Larlee, widow of the late Charles Larlee, entered into rest on Saturday night, after several months of suffering from cancer of the stomach. Although not unexpected, her death came as a great shock to her many friends. Mrs. Larlee was before her marriage, a Miss Craig, daughter of the late Geo. Craig. The deceased leaves to mourn the loss of a kind loving mother, three children, Garfield S. Larlee, station agent at Bath, Mrs. Eva Gatchell of Lunenburg and Miss Louise, all of whom were present at the time of her death, besides an aged mother, two brothers, C. C. Craig and Frank, in Craig, and one sister Mrs. M. Green, besides a large circle of other relatives and friends. In the death of Mrs. Larlee, the community loses a good neighbor and kind friend. The bereaved ones have the sympathy of all in their great sorrow. The funeral took place from the home of her brother, C. C. Craig, on Monday to the U. B. church. Further particulars of funeral will be published in next issue.

The infant child of the late Mrs. Amanda Michaud and Geo. Michaud died at the home of its grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Hanford Lovely, on Tuesday, after a few days illness.

It is reported that H. K. Donaghey and family who have been aiding and doing business here for a few years has given over the business to S. Wright of Hillandale and will in the course of a few days move across the border. Although very loath to leave these kind friends and neighbors move from our midst, we will gladly welcome Mr. Wright and his mother.

Plaster Rock Items

Church of England service was held in the Orange Hall on Sunday.

Ray Lewis has gone to Fredericton to work on the railway.

Eber Ingraham is moving into the house he has purchased in main street.

David Louvine arrived home on Monday from the front. He is looking fine.

Ronald Giberson is working in the Fraser store.

Mrs. Brook Witherly has arrived home from Caribou where she has been visiting.

Mrs. William Keith has returned home to Birch Ridge.

The Telephone Co. have removed into their new offices at the A. W. Turner building.

Bertha Muckler is assisting at Bent's store over the Christmas rush. Eileen Tatlock had an oyster stew

party at her home on Thursday last. Those present were the Misses Myrtle and Winifred Wright, Dorothy and Bertha Muckler, Jean Stickle, Verna Jacques, Lilian Bowser, and Miss Ryder and James Giberson, Murray Giberson, John Duffy, Ronald Giberson, Frank Lewis, Alex. Brown. A good time was spent and the party broke up in the early hours of the morning.

Frank Lewis arrived home from the front last Wednesday.

The Presbyterian Sunday school are busy practising for their annual Christmas concert.

Bert Inman and Allen Nealis returned to Riley Brook on Monday.

James Giberson was away last week visiting friends at Arthurette.

The Fraser Co. are now busy shipping away lumber as there are more cars available.

On Monday night at the Fraser office there was a meeting of the committee for the returned Soldiers entertainments. It was very well attended and quite a lot of business was gone into.

The Baptist Sunday school are very busy practising for their annual Christmas concert.

Alex. Brown has returned to his home at Wapske from the front.

Murchie Turner is up here on business in the insurance line.

Andover News Notes

St. Agnes Guild of Trinity church held their regular monthly meeting at the home of Miss Ross Hoyt Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Spike of Carleton Place spent Sunday with Mrs. Ida Spike.

Mason Johnson of Fort Fairfield, formerly of Perth, was in the village during the week on business.

Rev. Mr. Kincholy of Nova Scotia taken the pastorate of the Baptist church for the remaining winter months.

Boy Cronk of Cliffordvale, buyer for Hatfield & Scott, was in town Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac McDonald left Wednesday for New York.

Master Roderick Johnson of Salmon River spent Wednesday at Mrs. W. A. Gillett's.

A memorial service was held Wednesday in the Grammar School for Flight Lieut. George Wootten and Pte. Marshall Stevens. After singing "Nearer my God to Thee" an address was given by E. H. Hoyt, after which a shield was unveiled in memory of the two brave men who so willingly gave their life for their country. The service was closed with the singing of the National Anthem.

Miss Emma Wootten returned home Wednesday to remain the winter.

Fred Lane of St. John was in town on business Friday.

Mrs. C. M. Rideout has gone to Four Falls to spend a few days with her mother, Mrs. Barker.

Miss Carrie Lappage has gone to Aroostook Junction on professional business.

Miss Rankin is able to take charge of her school again.

Friends in Andover and vicinity were deeply grieved this week to hear of the death of Flight Lieut. George Wootten. Lieut. Wootten left the Bank of Montreal and enlisted in the Royal Air Force and had seen six months active service in France. Two months ago he was promoted to Leader of Flight A in the 80th Batt. On October 30 he received gunshot wounds in the right thigh. It was hoped that the wounds would not be serious but blood poisoning set in and the young hero has paid the supreme sacrifice. The deceased was twenty-three years old and leaves a mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Wootten of Andover and three sisters, Emma, Francis and Isabel. Much sympathy is extended to the mourning family.

The sewing circle of the Baptist church was reorganized Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Frank Henderson, where the members were delightfully entertained to a chicken supper.

The Woman's Institute met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. A. Gillett.

Charles Letousky is rejoicing over the arrival of a baby girl.

George Taylor and Edward Sloat of Aroostook Junction were in town Wednesday.

Miss T. W. Aiton spent the past few days at her home in Hartland.

Rev. C. Flemington was in St. John during the week attending the annual convention of the New Brunswick Temperance Alliance.

Miss Helen Spike spent Sunday in Carleton Place.

Miss Violet Gillett left Monday for Florenceville and Glassville to spend a few days with Miss Annie Lamont.

Bishop Richardson has returned to Fredericton after holding a very successful mission. The men's meet-

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ing Sunday afternoon was well attended and the collection taken in the evening was used for the purpose of purchasing a Victory Bond for the support of the missions in the North West.

The Woman's Auxiliary met Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Benjamin Beveridge.

Why All Should Laugh.
There are days when forgiveness comes naturally to a man, when he is ready to pardon all, and cast aside his bitterness as a cloak and stand free. There are times again when the lightest touch of adversity is as a wound to the death. It is well not to be too cast down nor to take oneself too seriously, for moods, fortunately, do not last beyond a few hours. To be able to laugh, to see the humorous possibilities in one's own conduct, for, after all, tears and laughter are at their source not so widely separated—to let others laugh with one and even at one; this is true working-day philosophy. There would be no bitterness in the world if all men could laugh occasionally at themselves. Our enemies are human as ourselves. Bitterness is a weakness of soul. The healthy soul will stand free of it.

Library for Every School.
In the past we have thought relatively too much about teaching people how to read and not enough about getting them to read after they learn how. To develop "the reading habit" in each pupil should be one of the chief aims of every teacher. Train any child so he likes to read, so he is a real book lover, and he will educate himself even if he never goes to school another day. Moreover, if a school has a good library it should aid greatly in educating the older people whose school days are over, but whose learning days should never be over. "The true university of these days is a collection of books," cannot be too often repeated.

Thought He Was Neglected.
Billy Boy was the only child at the table, consequently the only one with a bib. As he looked and saw all the others with napkins in their laps he asked "Why can't I have one of those big bibs to keep my knees warm, too?"

Good for Some Love Letters.
A letter written with a solution of iodine of starch in water is perfectly legible for a few days. It is not properly speaking, in the "invisible" category—at all events, for a while. But writing thus made has the advantage that after a week or two it fades out and vanishes forever, leaving no evidence that can be used against its author.

IF YOUR CHILD IS CROSS, FEVERISH, CONSTIPATED

Look, Mother! If tongue is coated, cleanse little bowels with "California Syrup of Figs."

Mother can rest easy after giving "California Syrup of Figs," because in a few hours all the clogged-up waste sour bile and fermenting food gently moves out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. Sick children needn't be coaxed to take this harmless "fruit laxative." Millions of mothers keep it handy because they know its action on the stomach, liver and bowels is prompt and sure. Ask your druggist for a bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which contains directions for babies, children, of all ages and for grown-ups.

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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 scourge. 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 dislodge 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!

Men to Work on Farm Wanted

I wish to hire two married men to move on my large farm in Northampton and work for me with other men under a yearly contract. The crew usually numbers five with extra men in harvest time.

Houses will be furnished and a steady job given.

LOUIS E. YOUNG,
Nov. 18, 1918 Woodstock, N. B.

TAX NOTICE

To Delinquent Rate-payers in Brighton parish:

On all Parish, County and Road taxes that are not paid on or before the 10th day of December next, COST will be added for collection. Date, Nov. 25, 1918.
C. J. CONNOLLY,
Collector

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Work horse weighing 1400. Good for working in the woods. Price low. Two serviceable purebred Oxford Down rams at a bargain for immediate sale. Also fine 8-year-old driving mare; can be driven by a woman.

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The Department of Agriculture wishes to publish a more complete list of farms for sale during the coming winter. All persons having improved farms for sale, are requested to communicate with the Superintendent of Immigration, 108 Prince William street, St. John, N. B.

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One or two cars of stock hay, also one or two cars of Oat hay. In quoting quote your lowest price, with freight allowed to Seymour, Conn. Terms cash.

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The Battery is a very important part of your car, and in order to get the maximum satisfaction out of your car next season, it is necessary to have your battery properly taken care of during the winter months.

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Call in person or write, or call my either phone,



The Evergreen Girl

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VERY early about the middle of November a small girl appeared near the door of the Thomas cottage which bore the legend, "The Evergreen Shop."

Every year during the Christmas season Ruth Thomas made hundreds of evergreen wreaths, which she sold for Christmas decorations.

This was why the people of Briery called her the evergreen girl.

The day before Christmas Ruth sat in her little shop finishing the last wreath she would make that season.

"There!" she said, deftly twisting a sprig of bright red berries among the evergreen stems, "that finishes Helen Stanwood's order, and thank goodness it's done in time. Oh, dear!" she sighed, laying the wreath aside. "I do wish I could spend one Christmas time enjoying myself as others do. Why, there has not been anyone here over the holidays since I can remember, and I have not been to a Christmas party in years—not since the time I went over to Dolly Blair's with Dane."

A warm color suddenly glowed in the girl's cheeks and there was a soft light in her brown eyes as she thought of that memorable night.

Dane Stanwood had taken her to that party. Once during the evening he caught her as she was standing under the mistletoe bough, and the sudden roar of a high-power automobile broke in upon Ruth's musings, and she looked out in time to see a long blue roadster flash past the gate.

The car belonged to Dane Stanwood. Shortly after the Christmas party at Dolly Blair's Dane had gone West to become a mining engineer. He had written a few lines to Ruth and then the letters had stopped coming, and she had not heard from him for nearly four years. Then, just a month ago,

he had suddenly appeared in Briery with the blue racing car. Soon it was rumored that he had made a fortune in the mines.

The second week after his return Stanwood bought the old Blair mansion and gave the information that he intended to move into his new home before Christmas. Next he announced that preparations were under way for a party which he was giving Christmas eve.

The evergreen girl had been surprised and a little bit hurt, because Dane had not even called. She had thought it strange, too, at first, that she did not receive an invitation to the party, for she knew nearly every one in Briery was going.

But when Ruth was told the party was to be given in honor of Stanwood's fiancée, she understood why she had not been invited.

"That is why Helen Stanwood didn't mention the party when she ordered these wreaths," Ruth thought, as she began tying them together. "Of course, I would not go anyway now. My, but they will have to hurry if they hang all these wreaths before eight o'clock."

The evergreen girl was so busy getting the Stanwood order ready that she did not notice that the blue roadster had returned and stopped by the gate. Neither did she observe the broad-shouldered young man who was striding up the path.

"There!" Helen now, after the wreaths, Ruth thought, and she ran to the door. Dane was standing in the porch.

"Why, Dane!" she exclaimed, drawing back in confusion. "How you startled me. I thought it was your sister, and—"

"Helen has gone to Balford to meet a friend who is to spend the holidays with us," said the young man, "so she sent me after the wreaths." He smiled down at the girl. "This is the evergreen shop, isn't it?"

"Yes," said Ruth, forcing a smile in return.

"And you are the evergreen girl?"

"I believe they call me that," she answered.

"Well," said Stanwood, "I told me to be sure and fetch you back with me when I returned."

"Back with you!" echoed Ruth. "Really!—I can't go. There is so much to do here, and—"

"Booh!" laughed Dane. "Of course you will go back with me. Fact is, you'll have to." He waved his hand as Ruth started to speak. "No excuses now, for I won't listen to 'em. You see," Stanwood went on, "I and my friend were supposed to help get things ready for the party tonight, but she telephoned just as I was leaving the house that the train on which her friend was to arrive is very late. She may not get back until nine o'clock, and the party begins at eight. I told her I could never get things ready in time for the decorating isn't half done. Then she happened to think of you, and I said right off that you would be just the one to help us out. You're not going to disappoint us, are you?" very anxiously.

"Well, perhaps I can go for a little while," said Ruth. "I do dearly love to trim that Christmas tree."

"Of course, I won't stay to the party," she thought as she hurried upstairs after a wrap, "so I won't see Dane's sweetheart, for of course she is the one Helen is to meet at the train. And I really ought to help Dane and his sister out, for they have been such good customers."

Dane ushered Ruth into the big double parlors of his new home, where the Christmas tree had been placed.

"Do you suppose," he asked, pointing to a small pile of evergreen at the end of the room, "we'll be able to hang all these wreaths and then decorate the tree before eight o'clock?"

The evergreen girl gave a merry little laugh.

"I am sure we can if we work fast," she answered. "I am used to this work, you know, and with your help it won't take long."

"How long have you been the evergreen girl?" Dane asked, as he and Ruth were trimming a chandelier.

"This is my third season," Ruth replied. "I found that there was a big demand for wreaths and hural trimmings during the Christmas holidays, so three years ago I opened an evergreen shop. I love to do this kind of work, and although the season is a short one, my little shop pays well."

The evergreen girl might have added that, more than this, the rush of work just at Christmas time helped her to forget the dull ache in her heart which was always so hard to bear during the holidays. She said nothing of this, though, but asked, instead:

"Tell me, Dane, how you have spent Christmas while you have been away. Have you been where there was much merry-making?"

"For the past three years," said Stanwood, "I've celebrated Christmas by working from dawn till dark. This is the first enjoyable Christmas eve I have known since I left Briery."

"It has been a very pleasant evening for me, too," said Ruth, "and I have enjoyed it ever so much. Now we'll trim the Christmas tree, and then

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At half-past seven Dane surveyed the big double parlors with satisfaction. With the help of the evergreen girl he had finished the decorations and everything was in readiness for the guests.

"The rooms look at Dolly Blair's Christmas tree—even the mistletoe bough," said Dane. "Don't you remember how that one hung right over our heads, as this one does now?"

The evergreen girl was silent. "Had you forgotten, Ruth?" he persisted.

"No," softly, "I had not forgotten." "You never thought I had forgotten, did you, dear?"

"But you never wrote, Dane."

"Because for a long time I was miles from a railroad or post office and could not send any mail. But I've thought of that night, though, and all these years I've been planning to have a Christmas party as much like that one as I could, only this one tonight will be for you."

"But isn't the friend who is coming with Helen your fiancée?" faltered Ruth.

"Not exactly," laughed Dane. "That friend is Harry North, Helen's fiancé. The girl I expect to marry is here, now, and, by Jove! I've caught her again standing under the mistletoe bough."

When Christmas Singe. It is a song, It is a smile, It is that long Dream "Afterwhile," That season sweet When in us rise Our hearts to meet The splendid skies With love and faith Of better things— When Christmas sings, When Christmas sings!

The Greatest Quality. The Christmas message tells us of God's fatherhood. It is no cold heart that waits us when we turn to gratitude and prayer. God has always loved us; he loves us still. Every true Christmas thought and gift is an expression of that divine love which has made our own love possible. Every claim upon our mercy and our generosity is a call to become like Christ. All the enduring qualities of the human spirit were present at the manger: "But the greatest of these is love."

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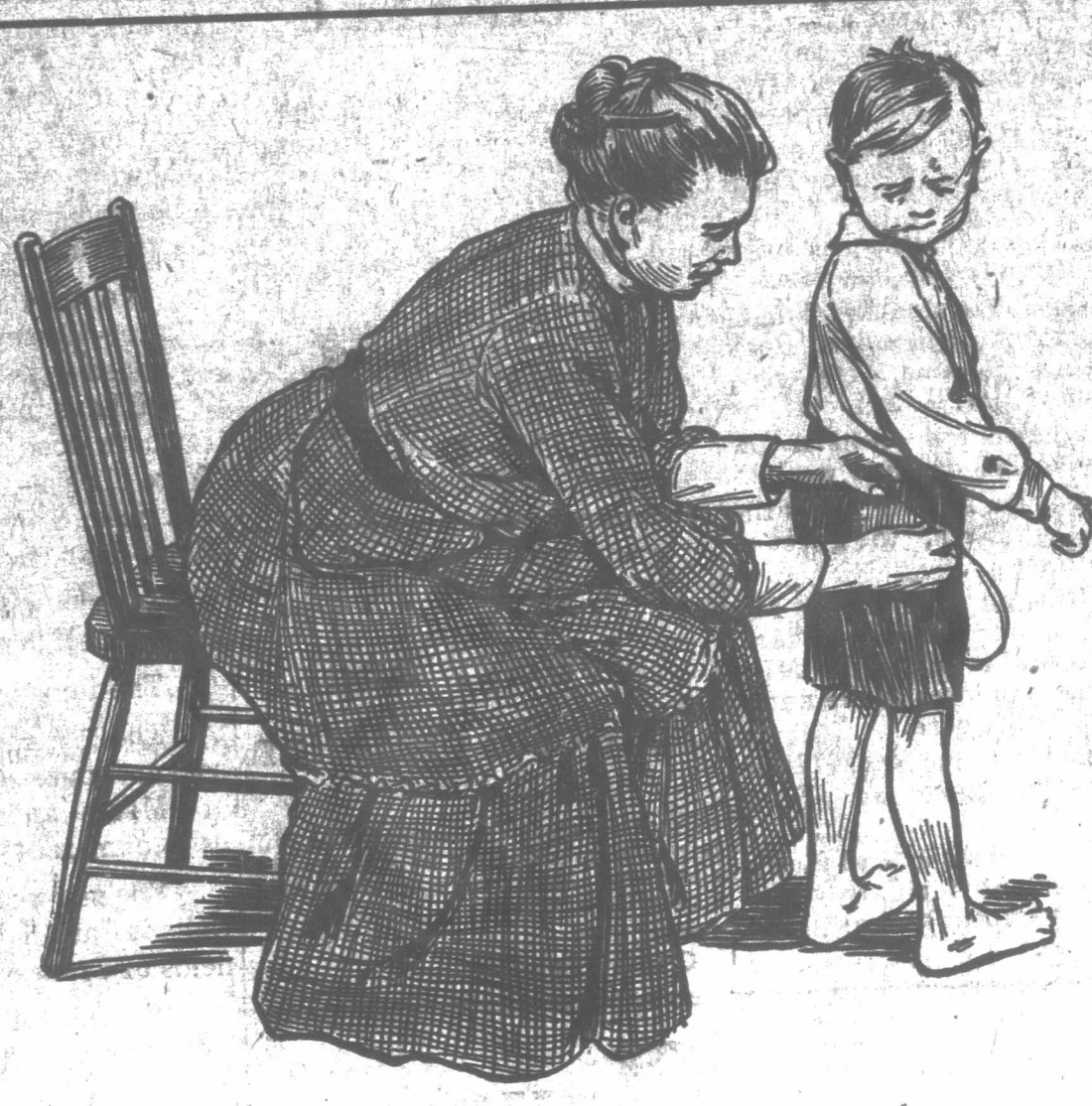
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A Stitch in Time

THERE is a homely old proverb which tells us that "a stitch in time saves nine."

If the man who said it first had been thinking of health, he would probably have said that a stitch in time saves nine hundred and ninety-nine, so important is it to repair those first tissues that become impaired by ill-health.

This is no new doctrine. It is as old as man. Unfortunately to paraphrase another proverb, we too frequently put off until to-morrow what we ought to do to-day.

Failing to repair the first tissues that need repair, allowing the malady to continue unchecked, other tissues become impaired, for all parts of the body are sympathetic.

The trouble spreads. And—then comes the rent. Nervous disorders may show themselves in various ways, such as sleeplessness, headaches, neuralgic pains, nervous prostration and exhaustion, while later developments take the form of paralysis, locomotor ataxia, or some form of helplessness.

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Nerve Food becomes important. We do not say that it is the only means of preventing the rent, but we do say that many years of experience have proved its value as a repairer of wasted nerve tissues that have become weakened by overwork, anxiety, or other causes.

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Centreville, N. B.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL ITEMS

Word was received on Monday morning of the death on Sunday, at the home of his parents in Chatham, of Willard T. Baldwin, after a protracted illness. For a period of two years prior to 1915, Mr. Baldwin was manager of the branch of the Bank of Nova Scotia here and by his genial nature and accommodating business manner won for himself a large circle of friends. He was transferred from here to the branch in Toronto. Leaving the service on patriotic scruples he joined the C.E.F. and qualified for a lieutenant but was adjudged unfit for overseas service on account of illness, which despite the intervention of the best medical skill he succumbed to. His many friends in this vicinity extend most heart felt sympathy to the relatives in the loss they have incurred by his early passing. A beautiful wreath from the business men of Centreville was despatched to Chatham as a last token of love and respect.

Harley White and Margaret White of Aroostook Jct., came down on Wednesday for a few days visit with relatives.

R. J. Clark left on Friday for a business trip to Edmundston.

Mrs. J. W. Williams and daughter Irene of Blaine, spent last week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. West.

Miss Bertie West of Blaine is spending a vacation with her parents here.

Mrs. F. P. K. McKenzie left on Thursday for Fredericton to visit her husband who is ill in the Military Hospital there.

Mr. and Mrs. John Trafford of Robinson, were visitors in town on Wednesday.

Santa Claus has a good early start this season. All the stores have been looking their best in their Christmas garb for over a week and the young people and children have their usual opportunity to go in and grin at the joys. Christmas trade promises to be very brisk in spite of the handicap of the necessarily advanced prices. The various toys, etc., present just as catchy and nifty an appearance as though "Made in Germany".

Miss Edna Anderson is occupying her former position in Wilson's Store during the holiday shopping season.

Rev. H. F. Rigby left on Thursday for Georgetown for a week's visit with his brother, G. P. Rigby, previous to his departure for Florida where he proposes spending the winter months. The Episcopal church will be closed temporarily during his absence, as he expects to return to resume his duties as priest on June 1 next.

Mr. and Mrs. Miles Birmingham visited their daughter, Mrs. Eldon Estey, on Friday.

The farmers are very happy these days in the exchange of their hay for good coin of the realm to the tune of \$19 and \$20 per ton. Even the poor animals Christmas dinner will come high this year.

Mrs. S. T. Gallagher returned on Tuesday after a pleasant fortnight in Fredericton with friends.

S. W. Burt and the Misses Faye and Daisy Burt spent Sunday at Hillcrest Farm, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Cain.

Miss Vera Sloot is spending her vacation with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sloot.

Aroostook Junction

Randolph Dennings has returned from a short visit at Chipman.

Mrs. H. Jones spent a few days of last week at Presque Isle, the guest of her mother, Mrs. Michaud.

The Red Cross Society met at the home of Mrs. Claude Tabor on Wednesday.

Mrs. Thomas Smith spent a few days at Presque Isle last week.

Mrs. C. M. Marsten and daughter Margaret of Plaster Rock spent a few days here last week the guest of Mrs. H. S. Sloot.

H. Hetherington spent a few days on the Tobique last week.

Miss Alberta McIver spent the week-end at Perth, the guest of Julia Firlotte.

Mrs. Rideout of Presque Isle is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Monteith, who is quite ill. Miss LePage of Andover is the nurse in charge of the case.

Mrs. London and son Harold spent the week-end at Woodstock.

Woodford Giberson and family left on Thursday for Jersey City where they expect to make their future home.

Our well known friends, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Grantham and family were callers in Perth on Monday.

Cards of Thanks

We the sons and daughters of the late Mrs. G. Fred Plummer wish to thank our friends at Fort Fairfield, Hartland and Waterville for the kindly sympathy and thoughtfulness in the time of our sorrow.

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C. Ashton Plummer
Jedediah Plummer
Robert Plummer
Mrs. F. W. Foster
Mrs. Albert Plummer

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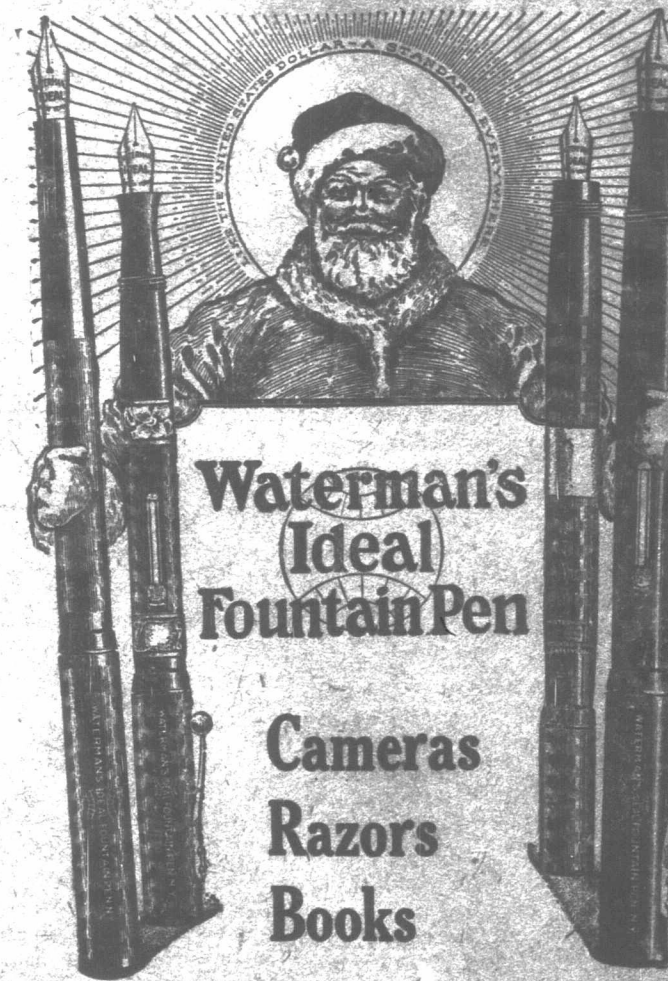
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Branch Stores at Woodstock and Edmundston

The Cat is Out of the Bag

The Readers of the Centreville Observer have probably been wondering whether or not we are still doing business in the same place, so we thought it advisable to introduce ourselves anew to our Customers and Friends through our local paper, just to show that our heart is still in the right place, and that we have in stock and for sale one of the most complete stocks of HARDWARE to be found in this section of the country. In the STOVE LINE we have never confined ourselves to the one make, and we believe in following out the idea we are able to give prospective purchasers a better chance to procure what we believe to be better value for their money.

We handle McClarys, Findlay Bros. Clair Bros. and the Gurney-Massey lines in Ranges and Heaters. The Ranges are all equipped with Duplex Grates, which saves both time and expense if you have to change from wood to coal and vice versa. Heaters for both wood and coal. A complete line of Enamelled and Tin Ware always in stock. Handled of many styles for the boys and girls, Sleighs for the Babies, Trunks and Traveling Bags, Horse Blankets, Halters, Collars and Harnesses.

International, National and Royal Purple Stock Foods, Remedies and Calf Meal.

The famous Simonds and Disston Cross Cut and Machine Saws.

The "Meco Kerosene Engines" unexcelled for the price and sold on approval.

Myers and Beatty Pumps and Fittings and many other articles to numerous to mention.

You see we are still in the front line trenches and like our Gallant Canadian Boys who fought, bled and died on the battlefields of France, we purpose to remain indefinitely.

We would remind our customers not to forget to ask for their 1919 calendars around Christmas time.

DeLong & Clarke

New Stock of Horses FOR SALE

One three year old fast pacing colt by Red Paint. First dam by Brown Dick. Second dam by Dufferin.
One two year old bay colt by Muster Hill, a beauty.
One brood mare with foal weighing 1300 lbs.
One dark brown gelding weighing 1400 lbs.

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