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VOTING CONTEST WAS EXCITING

Interesting Budget of New From Busy Centreville

The voting contest at G. E. Wilson's store excited much interest and was a good ad. for Mr. Wilson. Marguerite McKay, the little daughter of Robert McKay, led in the girls contest and got as prize a nice doll. Pearl Anderson, little daughter of William and Mrs. Anderson, Goods Corner, was second. George Beck with was announced winner of the first prize for boys—a nice sled. However there was a mistake made in counting the ballots and later Robert Tweedie was found to be the winner. Mr. Wilson generously gave a sled to each of both contestants were satisfied.

Another Christmas is past. The weather was delightfully fine, and while cold still was an ideal New Brunswick Christmas Day. We cannot help but wonder how our Carleton county boys at the front spent the day. We sincerely hope next Christmas will see them home once more. But not all can be expected. Some will have given up their lives for their King and country and to protect us who are at home.

Misses Doris Champion and Jessie Reid are home from Sackville. Miss Champion is a splendid violinist and her playing at the Methodist service Sunday morning was much enjoyed.

Miss Ronie Long, who has been home for some time, recovering from the effects of typhoid fever, expects to be able to take her school at Campbellton after the holidays.

The ice in the pond was in splendid shape for trotting Christmas afternoon. Later we will try to give a write up of the various speeders and colts owned here.

School teachers and students are home for the holidays. Among the teachers are Miss Gay, Miss Kathleen O'Hara and Miss Mamie Gallagher.

Miss Vera Brown, lecturer in history at McGill University, is spending the Christmas holidays with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Brown.

Severin Berg, known to everyone here as "Sunny Jim", is spending his Christmas at Samuel Gallagher's.

Miss Dorothy Clark is spending her vacation at home. She is taking a stenographer's course at Wolfville.

Little Gertrude Champion, daughter of the Rev. J. B. Champion, is ill of diphtheria.

The Baptists have a nice new church organ, something that was very much needed.

William Wiggins and wife spent Christmas with their daughter, Mrs. James Scott at Andover.

F. D. Tweedie, traveller for the Imperial Packing Co., Woodstock, was home for Christmas.

D. C. Sinclair, miller at Bristol, spent Christmas at Centreville.

Miss Purdes Reid is home from Normal school.

Amos and John Gregg, brothers, are both very sick.

TEACHERS' INSTITUTE

Met Last Week at Woodstock—Will Meet Next Year at Grand Falls

The Teachers' Institute for Carleton and Victoria counties met Thursday morning at the Fisher Memorial School building and concluded its sessions late on Friday afternoon. It was one of the most successful meetings yet held by that body, 145 school teachers being present, and much valuable information was brought out during the discussions. There were addresses by Dr. W. S. Carter, chief superintendent of education, Inspector F. B. Meagher, William McIntosh, J. F. McLean and others. The papers read by the different teachers were of a high class and the discussion that followed was most instructive. The trustees and ratepayers section was a grand success. Many trustees were present. Dr. Carter addressed this section, which was presided over by Inspector Meagher. An address by J. F. McLean, County Scott Act Inspector, on "District Consolidation," caused the principal discussion, and those present were nearly unanimous in the opinion that consolidation would be of great benefit to the country schools.

It was decided to hold next year's Institute at Grand Falls.

Lower Windsor

The Misses Jennie and Nellie Paget attended the Teachers' Institute at Woodstock last week.

Our school closed on Friday. Miss Murdoch intends teaching here next term.

Edward Craig is spending Christmas at home here.

Local teachers who are spending their vacation at home are Misses Jennie and Nellie Paget, Myrtle Hartley and B. Faye Hallett.

James Flanagan, of Andover is visiting friends in this place.

Mrs. Munzer Prosser and Mrs. Horace Meen were at Hartland one day last week.

Miss Mattie Fisher was visiting friends at Glasville on Thursday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Albright were callers at Hartland on Wednesday last.

Thomas and Douglas Hallett are busily engaged in getting their winter's wood.

Newburg Junction

Mrs. Charles Dickinson has returned from Eastport where she has been visiting her father the past three months.

Mrs. Eddie Dickinson has gone to spend Christmas with friends at Lubec.

A son arrived at Angus McCarron's on Dec. 17.

Mrs. Beecher McKinney is here from Calgary.

National Liquid Gall Cure, for horses, is all its name implies—and more. Ask your dealer for it.

NATIONAL SERVICE WEEK

Every Man in Canada Will Have a Card to Fill Out soon

National Service Week is drawing very near and the fact that the first week of the New Year bears that title is something in which everyone in Canada has an interest. The men are interested because it is obligatory upon each of them, between the ages of 16 and 65 years, to fill out one of the cards which the Government is sending to them through the Post Office authorities. The women are interested because their co-operation is being invited, in seeing that their men-folk attend to this important duty. The children are interested because their school teachers have explained to them the meaning of National Service and the way in which father and the big brothers at home have to reply to the various questions.

To write in the answers and return the card promptly is a good New Year's resolution for every man throughout the Dominion and it has the advantage of being easy of fulfillment. It only means a few minutes careful thought.

National Service means that we are to get into that frame of mind which will cause us to think of the needs of the country, to realize that the interests of the State have a greater claim on us than our self-interest. This applies to everyone, from the highest in the land to the lowest.

There are many ways of serving the nation besides going to the front. The man on the farm and the mechanic in a workshop may be serving the nation as usefully as the man in the trenches. Every man should be doing the work which represents his most efficient service to his country.

The war is teaching us, or should be teaching us, great lessons. Terrible as are its effects, those who have faith in Canadian manhood hope and believe that the nation will emerge from this experience a stronger and a better people. If the meaning of National Service is thoroughly grasped and properly understood, if the Government's call for information is responded to in the right spirit the coming year will be the banner year in Canada's history.

Glasville School

The closing exercises of the Glasville school was held on Thursday afternoon under the direction of the capable teacher, Miss A. Hazel Elliott.

There was a very good number of parents and friends of the pupils to participate in the proceedings. The program comprised choruses, songs recitations and dialogues in which the pupils acquitted themselves admirably. D. H. Lamont spoke of the work of the afternoon and congratulated teacher and scholars. Rev. James Colthoun also added a few words. Mrs. Lamont apologized for the absence of Mrs. E. MacKenzie who was unable to be present. Santa Claus distributed bags of candy and presents to the children from a Christmas tree. The proceedings concluded with the National Anthem.

Kerosene of the kind Belyea & Estabrooks sells will not smoke your lamp chimneys or cause that crust to form on the wicks. The John Palmer dravastating shoe packs, in 6 and 10 inch leg, at a very close margin of profit to cash buyers at the store of Belyea & Estabrooks.

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Look at the tongue, mother! If coated, your little one's stomach, liver and bowels need cleansing at once. When peevish, cross, listless, doesn't sleep, eat or act naturally, or is feverish, stomach sour, breath bad, has more throat diarrhoea, full of cold, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs" and in a few hours all the foul, constipated waste, undigested food and sour bile gently moves out of his little bowels without griping, and you have a well, playful child again. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which contains full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups.

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A NEW YEAR

Before another issue of The Observer goes forth a new year will have been ushered in. It is our sincere wish that it bring Peace and Plenty to every reader. We wish for peace in the broad sense that will include peace among nations—that the war may speedily end and that right may conquer.

From every visible sign there is no chance for doubt about there being Plenty for all who are willing to work. Let us, then, add to our other wishes one for strength and good health and a willingness to work.

The Observer has "pulled through" 1916 better than the first months of the year indicated. New conditions, wartime conditions, have upset ordinary routines. Some sources of business for the printer have been out of, but new ones have opened up—and so we continue existence.

The Observer cannot be boastful of its year's operations, but it is not at all blue and looks forward to the new year entirely convinced that a sustaining measure of success is in store.

The manager wishes to most heartily thank the many subscribers who have paid for another year during the month. Several hundred have done so, and a great many of them in remitting have added words of cheer and encouragement, which the editor, being human, finds comforting.

A score of correspondents—those busy workers who furnish district and village news items—have also been of one mind in wishing the editor and his readers a happy New Year. So crowded are our columns this week that the individual messages, intended for publication, are omitted, and this paragraph is acknowledgement of them.

The newsprint situation is still critical but The Observer announces that there will be no increase in price to Canadian subscribers. New methods of economy are being evolved and we promise that during 1917 The Observer will print more county news than any contemporary and charge no more for it.

THE WONDERFUL POWER OF ADVERTISING

The greatest and most successful advertising campaign ever carried out was that in England under the direction of Sir Hedley le Bas, and was for raising recruits for the army. Whole pages of all the British newspapers were taken and while the cost was enormous the results were amazing. Sir Hedley is a publicity expert and maintains that anything may be bought, sold, ac-

quired or attained by persistent advertising. He does business by a few brief general rules, which are:

You cannot create big sales in these days of fierce competition unless you advertise.

You must state in your advertisement nothing but the truth; not as it appears to the manufacturer, but as it can be demonstrated to the prospective buyer.

You must have the courage to take a sufficiently large space; for the larger the space, the greater the chance of success.

You must have the courage to give advertising a fair trial.

You must have judgment in selecting the right media through which to appeal to the public.

You must remember, in massing your advertisement, that the theory of successful warfare is an overwhelming attack at a given point.

Royalton Ripples

Perley Briggs and family spent Christmas with relatives in York county.

Harry Owens policeman at the German detention camp at Amherst, is home for Christmas holidays.

Miss Lucy Cummings and C. C. Shaw went to Woodstock on the 21st inst. to attend the Teachers' Institute.

Mr. Weade of York Co., is visiting relatives here.

Red Cross met with Mrs. Wilfred Crawford on the 21st.

Elisha Crawford made a business trip to Hartland recently.

Harry Burt and Mrs. Harry Weade are both on the way to recovery after their recent illness.

Herbert Buchanan has been threshing for the farmers, and Eddie Tompkins and Elisha Crawford with their crews are pressing hay.

Mrs. Ezra Cronkite has returned from Presque Isle after a pleasant visit.

Lower Brighton Notes

Our school closed Wednesday as our teacher attended the Institute in Woodstock.

Mrs. Beecher McKinney from the West is visiting her sister, Mrs. Alva Dow.

Richard Nixon has been confined to the house the last week with rheumatism.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Downey have moved to McAdam Junction.

Mrs. James McLary is quite poorly again having got a bad fall a few days ago.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Nixon and family took the evening express last night for Boston to visit friends in that city.

Edgar Bryant visited his parents at Bartlett's Mills, Charlotte county, last week.

Wallace Noble and Miss Aurilla Nixon went to Houlton last week to visit friends in that vicinity.

Mrs. Moses McCollum is improving very fast much to the joy of her friends.

Willie Nixon visited his brother at St. Stephen recently.

George Nixon is suffering from a relapse of rheumatic fever, being confined to his bed again.

THICK, GLOSSY HAIR FREE FROM DANDRUFF

Girl! Try it! Hair gets soft, fluffy and beautiful—Get a 25-cent bottle of Danderine.

If you care for heavy hair that glitters with beauty and is radiant with life, has an incomparable softness and is fluffy and lustrous, try Danderine. Just one application doubles the beauty of your hair, besides it immediately dissolves every particle of dandruff. You can not have nice heavy, healthy hair if you have dandruff. This destructive scurf robs the hair of its lustre, its strength and its very life, and if not overcome it produces a feverishness and itching of the scalp; the hair roots flail, loosen and die; then the hair falls out fast. Surely get a 25-cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any drug store and just try it.

Thomas O. Boyer

The death of Thomas O. Boyer occurred at his home on Saturday after several years of failing health. He was over 80 years of age and was born and lived most of his life at Victoria Corner where he worked at the tanning trade. He is survived by his wife and two sons, Russell, and Cecil. The funeral was held at Victoria on Sunday, conducted by Rev. N. Franchette.

Be Progressive—ADVERTISE

GOODBYE SALE!

Baird's Store will Close for good and all on Monday, Jan. 8

This no fake clearance sale. I'm going out of business and will close the store finally as above. There is a good \$3000 worth of goods on my shelves and I am determined to dispose of every cent's worth in the next ten days. But I realize that old prices must be rubbed out and new, amazing low prices put in their place.

Goods in all lines---Dry Goods, Ready-to-wear goods, Footwear, Groceries---everything in the store is offered to the public at actually

Less than Today's Wholesale Prices

An opportunity like this seldom comes to the people of this section and you will act wisely to hurry before the best bargains are gone.

All the low prices previously advertised still hold good, except in some cases where prices are marked even lower. Let the great saving be yours. Save real dollars here!

14 pounds Sugar for \$1.00

14 lbs Best Granulated Sugar for \$1.00 to everyone who buys Dry Goods, Clothing or Footwear to amount of \$5 or more.

5 gals Kerosene - 80c.

to those Who buy \$2 worth of other goods.

Come here for Flour and all Groceries, Footwear and all Dry Goods. Stock up for the New Year.

BAIRD'S

Local News and Personal Items

Mrs. Brewster spent Christmas Day in Woodstock.

Miss Laura Curtis is home today for a visit in Boston.

W. H. Sipprell spent Christmas at Southampton with his son, Arthur.

Major W. W. Melville has been quite seriously ill at the Fisher hospital.

Miss Clara Bishop of Cornwall is a guest of Miss Mattie Rideout.

G. E. Taylor of the Bank staff, spent the holidays at his home in Grand Falls.

Roy Wetmore of Montreal has been a guest at the home of Frank Hagerman.

Mrs. Robert Blackie was a Christmas guest at the home of C. E. Hayward.

Rev. and Mrs. J. D. Wetmore of Victoria were Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hagerman.

Mrs. Arthur Y. Dickinson spent the holidays at Fort Fairfield with her mother, Mrs. William Ames.

Mrs. and Mr. P. H. Bishop and little daughter, Glenna, of Cornwall have been guests at the home of Warren Rideout.

The river closed snug and tight on Dec. 26. It had frozen up a month ago but in the intervening mild spell the ice ran out again.

Several cases of pneumonia are reported. Among them are Mrs. G. C. Nevers, who is dangerously ill, and Mrs. A. A. Nevers.

Ernest DeWitt of St. Stephen is here, a guest of his father, George DeWitt. S. W. DeWitt, who has been over on the North Shore, is also home for the holidays.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Noddin died on Christmas Day of pneumonia. The funeral was held yesterday. The child's father is overseas at the front.

Teacher wanted for District No. 5, Peel, to start Jan. 8. Second class female teacher preferred. Apply, stating salary for term, to Edward Tompkins, Sticksney.

Yesterday the home of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Aiton was the scene of a happy event when their second daughter, Helen, became the bride of Bruce M. Berry of Montreal. Only immediate relatives of the family were present. The ceremony was performed by Rev. P. J. Trafton and after refreshments were served the happy young couple left on the south bound express for a honeymoon trip.

Harry L. Bearisto, a former resident of Fort Fairfield, died at the home of his daughter, in Lakeville, N. B., Dec. 20. He was 74 years of age. He came from Prince Edward Island. His wife Mrs. Jane Beckwith Bearisto, has been dead some six years. Mr. Bearisto went to Lakeville some two months ago on a visit with his daughter. He leaves two daughters, Lena of Lakeville, N. B. and Mrs. Clyde Grant of Lakeville, Conn.

Arthur McLaughlin of Houlton spent Christmas with his parents.

Miss Laura Curtis of Mount Allison Seminary teaching staff, is home for the holidays.

Q. M. Sergt. and Mrs. A. B. Curtis were Christmas guests at the home of Dr. Curtis.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry H. Gorman of Centerville were holiday guests of their parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. William Olive of Woodstock were guests of Mrs. Scott Sipprell on Monday.

Carey Dickinson is the owner of a Clydesdale colt which at nine months weighed 905 pounds.

Miss Jennie Boyer of Fort Fairfield, as a guest of her mother, Mrs. G. E. Boyer, during the holidays.

Miss Vera Carr who is attending Fredericton Business College is spending the holidays at her home.

Charles L. Smith of Woodstock and H. H. McCain of Florenceville have returned from a trip to the Canadian West.

Just received at CARR'S—course and fine salt, also rock salt. Salt your horses and cattle. How insipid your own victuals would taste without salt!

A. L. Baird who has conducted a general store here for a number of years is closing out his stock, and expects to have the goods so reduced that he can lock the doors for good after next week. Mr. Baird is noncommittal as to his future course.

The funeral of Mrs. John Perry was held at Upper Knoxford church on Tuesday. She died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ladner, at Mars Hill. A son, Leonard, lives at Knoxford, and another son, Edward, lives in Utah. She was the widow of Rev. John Perry and lived in Hartland for several years.

J. H. Barnett is among the latest to join the colors, he having enlisted last week with the 9th Siege Battery. Mr. Barnett is the youngest son of Postmaster Barnett and is a graduate of the U. N. B. He taught the village school for a year and has been principal of the Florenceville and Salisbury schools.

The death of Mrs. Ella R. Balloch took place suddenly at the residence of her son-in-law, G. L. White, M. P. P., Centerville. She was the widow of William Balloch, some time high sheriff of Carleton. She took a prominent part in all good work and charitable enterprises and was highly esteemed. Her death cast a gloom over the community, in all the activities of which—religious, patriotic, charitable and social—her willing and cheerful initiative will be greatly missed. Among the many beautiful floral tributes which testified to the esteem in which she was held by family and friends were crosses from St. James parish church and the Red Cross. The service for the dead was taken by the priest-in-charge, assisted by the choir of St. James' church. Interment was made in the churchyard. Mrs. Balloch leaves to mourn her loss one daughter, Mrs. G. L. White, of Centerville.

Knoxford Notes

C. C. Shaw of Royalton is retiring from a years work in our school. He was earnestly urged to remain and liberal offers made him. Miss Dora Shaw of Pembroke succeeds him.

Our native teachers are home for vacation. Miss Eva Trafford having put in several terms in Lindsay and Miss Margaret Margison of '16 just completing her first term with the school at River de Chute. Miss Alma Harper will spend her holidays at her home in Jacksonville but returns to Upper Knoxford in January.

Two student-teachers are at home from Fredericton for the Christmas holidays: Miss Annie J. Carlisle and Miss Ina Wolverton. Miss Julia Hawkins of Mouth Keswick, a cousin of Miss Carlisle's, came up to visit her cousins here.

T. C. Cain and wife spent Christmas week-end in St. John with relatives.

The friends of Miss Annie Longstaff sincerely wish that the sea of matrimony upon which she embarked at high noon on Christmas will be less rough than the weather of her bridal day. Charles Brown of Upper Kent was the other principal and parson Rigby of Centerville tied the knot.

Conspicuous at the bride's home in the presence of about sixty relatives and friends. Her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Robinson Longstaff, will greatly miss her society and helpful ministrations and the community also sustains a loss.

New telephones were put in last week for Milford Cox, William Orchard and Claude McGrath.

Mrs. Robert Slipp was a Christmas guest of her mother, Mrs. Emma Trafford; and David Boone and wife of South Tilley and William Cole and wife of Arthur-ette, after visiting relatives in Royalton, called on the three Jones families on Monday.

Christmas Among the Churches

Christmas Eve being a Sunday evening this year all the church services had special reference to the glad occasion. In each of the village churches there was special music and fitting sermons.

On Christmas Day there was Church of England service and celebration of Holy Communion at 11. The rector spoke appropriately for the season of glad tidings of great joy. The collection taken, amounting to \$15, was presented to the rector as a Christmas gift. The children of the Sunday school were invited to the hall in the afternoon when there was presentation of gifts to each scholar and teacher. A box of goods for this purpose was sent by the Church of England Institute in St. John, and was supplemented by gifts from Rev. and Mrs. Franchette and others. The youngsters were made very happy.

John Bradley Dead

John Bradley, one of the oldest residents of the village, died at his home here on Tuesday after a brief illness of pneumonia. The funeral was held yesterday afternoon at the Primitive Baptist church. Mr. Bradley was 80 years of age and lived here all his life. His wife died several years ago, but he is survived by one son, Charles, and two daughters—Mrs. T. B. Thistle of Centerville and Mrs. A. W. Porter of London, Ont. Mrs. Stephen McMullin is a sister and Allen, Henry and Frank Bradley are brothers. The deceased was always an upright man and held in high respect.

Victoria School Report

The results of the Victoria school examination arranged in order are as follows:

Grade V—Kathleen Albright 91, Charles Kearney 86, Mildred Cook 83, Hope Somers 82, William Somers, 69.

Grade IVa—Sadie Haywood 73, Isreal Boyer 64, Alexander Hood 60.

Grade IVb—Basil Hoyt 90, Frankie Boyer 83, Madeline Oliver 77, Mary Birmingham 77, Arthur Kearney 72, Sadie Cook 69.

Grade III—John Albright 88, George Cook 83, Charles York 75.

Grade II—Roy Haywood 91, Harry Albright 91, Robert Hood 82, Rita Fraser 75, Neta York 63.

Grade I—Donald Hoyt 90, Hughie Bradley 85, Frankie Albright 80.

The number of pupils enrolled is 32. Average for term 23. Percentage of enrolled pupils 74. Ruby Page, Teacher.

Kilburn Notes

Joseph Witherly of Fort Fairfield was a recent guest of his daughter, Mrs. Thomas Vanblin.

Miss Vivian Fowler left on the 20th for Woodstock to attend the Institute, before going to her home in Hampton. Miss Fowler, who has had charge of the day school the past three terms, made many friends during her residence here who regret her departure.

Miss Millicent Inman of the News office Perth, was the guest of relatives here for the week-end.

Miss Hazel Everett, the popular clerk at F. V. Bishop's store left on Saturday for Everett to spend a short vacation at her home there.

Quite a number of the Kilburn folk attended the concert at Lower Kincardine last Thursday evening.

Mrs. M. L. F. Carvell, representative of the Canada Life Insurance Co., recently visited Mrs. James Stewart.

Stanley Inman, who taught in the Birch Ridge school last term, is spending the holidays with his parents Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Inman.

Mr. and Thomas Vandine and Roy Grant were guests of relatives at Fort Fairfield on Christmas day.

Gunner Fred Kilburn, of the 65th Field Battery, Woodstock spent Christmas at his home here.

On Friday evening a number of friends gathered at the home of J. W. Grants the occasion

being a surprise party for Mrs. Grant. During the evening she was presented with a very nice parlor table and a willow rocking chair. Mrs. Edward Cox made the presentation in her usual genial manner asking Mrs. Grant to accept the gifts from a few friends and members of the Baptist church as a small token of their esteem and of their appreciation of her good work as church organist and Superintendent of the Sunday School; expressing the wish that she would spend many happy hours by the table in the "old arm chair". Mrs. Grant, to whom the whole affair was a genuine surprise, replied briefly, thanking them most heartily for their remembrance of her, saying that she would always prize the gifts very highly not for themselves alone but also for the kindly thought and goodwill which they represented. After an enjoyable evening lunch was served and the guests departed leaving with Mrs. Grant their best wishes for a Merry Christmas.

Miss Myrtle Witherly of Arthurette was a guest at T. D. Vanblin's and F. A. Grant's part of last week.

Mrs. R. H. Inman returned on Wednesday from Maplehurst after a short visit with her daughter Mrs. Burns Lockhart.

J. Wiley Grant who has a position with Van Buren Lumber Co., near Edmundston spent Christmas with friends at Greenfield.

The John Palmer drawing shoe packs in 6 and 10 inch legs, at a very close margin of profit to cash buyers at the store of Belvea & Esstbrooks.

Meeting of County Council

The Regular Semi-Annual Meeting of the County Council of the Municipality of Carleton will be held at the Court House on Tuesday, the 16th Day of January next, at Eleven A. M.

Dated the Twelfth Day of December, A. D. 1916.

J. C. HARTLEY,
Secretary-Treasurer Municipality of Carleton.

Tenders for Wood

Notice is hereby given that Tenders will be received up to Saturday, Jan. 13, 1917, for all cards hardwood for furnace, delivered in Hartland school house.

R. W. CAMERON, Sec.

Notice of Meeting

The Annual Meeting of The Farmers' Telephone Company, Limited, will be held in Burr's Hall, Hartland, on Monday, Jan. 15, at 2 p. m.

E. C. MORGAN, Sec.

MAN WANTED!

Blacksmith wanted at once, for Horseshoeing and Car Repairing.

Autos For Sale!

Splendid values in second-hand Cars and 1917 new Fords. Place your order quick if you want a car for next summer.

S. T. SIPPRELL

Did You Forget Somebody?

or did you fail to get in on account of bad roads; or were you unable to leave home at Christmas and so missed making the present you intended? Well, you still have a chance!

We have yet some useful and ornamental articles that would be acceptable as a present and

New Year's Day is an Appropriate Time To Give!

And say—you have been making presents to relatives and friends, what about yourself? Whether lady or gentleman, if you have not got one buy yourself a

FUR COAT

Nothing so good to have on for a long, cold drive. It may save doctor's bills; it may save your life! We have them at prices to suit all. Also—

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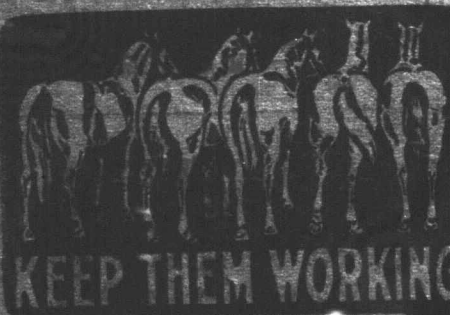
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3. Where do you live? Province.	4. Name of city, town, village or Post Office.
5. Street.	6. In what country was your father born?
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13. Of your sight?	14. Of your hearing?
15. What are you working at for a living?	16. When do you work for?
17. Have you a trade or profession?	18. Are you working now?
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ANDOVER LOCALS

Master George Bedell of St. John arrived in town Saturday afternoon to visit Mr. and Mrs. James Tibbitts.
 Albert Fitzherbert of Fort Fairfield was in town Wednesday.
 Miss Mary Henderson of St. Stephen is a guest of her sister, Mrs. H. L. Alcorn for a time.
 Rev. C. Flemington had his Christmas sermon in Andover

Sunday at eleven o'clock, Kilburn at three o'clock and Upper Kent at seven thirty o'clock. A good attendance was present at each service.

Fred Kilburn of the 65th Field Artillery now in Woodstock is spending a few days at his home in Kilburn.

Mrs. H. B. Murphy and Donald Wiley were at Fort Fairfield for a short time Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Waugh spent Wednesday with friends at Fort Fairfield.

Mrs. Charles Everett who has been visiting relatives in Dover and Fort Fairfield, Maine, for the past month, returned home last Wednesday.

Miss Emma Wootton who is taking a course of stenography and type writing in the Business College at Fredericton is spending a few days at her home in Andover.

Mrs. Charles Luce is receiving congratulations upon the birth of a baby girl, born Dec. 18.

Mrs. Myra Merritt spent Friday and Saturday with relatives at Fort Fairfield.

Miss Kathleen Beveridge who has a fine position in St. John with the N. B. Telephone Co., is spending the Christmas holiday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Beveridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dinsmore of Houlton are guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Magill and Mrs. Mary Wiley.

Miss Violet Gillett is spending the holiday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Gillett.

Senator George T. Baird still remains in a very critical state of health. Small hopes are held for his recovery.

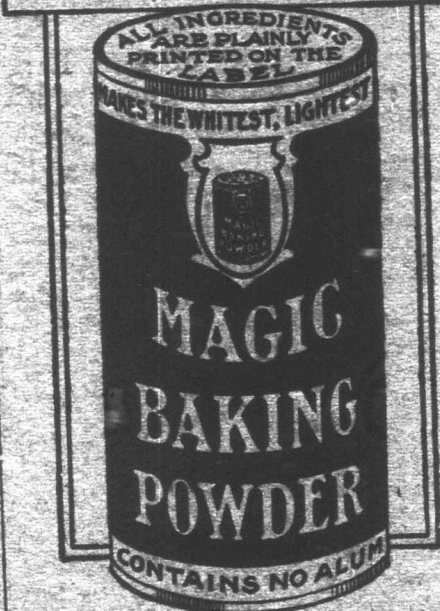
Dr. A. F. McIntosh is spending a few days with friends in Fredericton.

Miss Ruth Matheson of Mt. Allison College, also her brother, Cecil Matheson, of the U. N. B., are spending a week or two at their home in Andover.

Sergeant Ross Flemington of St. John is spending a day or two in town the guest of his parents, Rev. and Mrs. G. Flemington.

Mrs. J. E. Stewart, Mrs. Donna Wiley and little daughter, Donna Stebbins, left Andover Monday

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for Boston to spend a week or two with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. William Magill of Presque Isle are guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Magill and Mrs. Mary Wiley for the Christmas season.

Carl Flemington of Fredericton is spending a day or two in town with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. Flemington.

Paul Bedell of the 65 Field Artillery of Woodstock is the guest of his parents, D. R. and Mrs. Bedell.

William Matheson spent Christmas Day with his family in Andover.

A baby girl was born at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Ritchie on Monday, Dec. 18.

Bristol News

William Banks returned this week from the west where he has been for the past year.

George Brittain is home from St. Thomas college for the holidays.

Mrs. H. D. Street went to Upper Kent on Saturday.

Albert Brittain of the staff of the Bank of Nova Scotia at St. Andrews spent Christmas at his home here.

Miss Ethel Bell Amherst, N. S., is home on her vacation.

Wallace Somerville, who has been attending college at Boston, is for two weeks a guest of his

parents, Doctor and Mrs. G. W. Somerville.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Merritt and child Fort Fairfield are guests of Mr. Merritt's mother, Mrs. James Bell.

Mrs. O. S. Boyer returned on Saturday from Vancouver.

Stanley Gilmour C. P. R. assistant, went to Fredericton on Saturday.

Miss Frances Street and Neville Jensen spent Monday in Hartland.

Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Banks and children spent Christmas at Esdracelon.

Nell McLean is a guest of his sister, Mrs. George Caldwell.

Miss Minnie Perkins is visiting at Houlton.

Miss Thelma Dyer and Miss Inez Dyer are visiting friends at Hartland.

Miss Hepsy Giberson came home on Saturday from Fredericton where she has been attending normal at school.

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GRAND FALLS LOCALS

Dr. Boone of Presque Isle was called to town Saturday night on account of the very serious illness of Mrs. B. A. Puddington. Mrs. Puddington is a little better but expects to have to go to Montreal to be operated on this week.

Mrs. James Wright and Miss Monica Martin went to Limestone to spend Christmas with friends there.

Henry Morris and Mr. Doody of Limestone were visiting friends in town this week.

Miss Leitha White, R. home from Sackville for the holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pirie of Vancouver arrived in town Wednesday and are guests at the Minto.

Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Kirkpatrick were in St. John a few days last week, returning home Saturday.

Reginald Carruthers of The Klitties is home for Christmas.

Miss Sadie MacLaren came up from St. John Saturday to spend Christmas with her brother, Rex MacLaren.

Len Akerley of St. Leonards is the guest of sister, Mrs. F. J. McCluskey, for the holidays.

Mrs. Theresa May of New York is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Kelly.

G. M. Taylor presented his clerks each with a Christmas barrel of flour.

J. L. White entertained his employees at a supper at the Carless on Christmas eve.

Clarence Estabrooks who has been in Moncton and other towns working for the Dominion Bridge Co., came home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Myshraff and children of Van Buren were in town Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Dixon are spending a few weeks with relatives in St. John and vicinity.

Mrs. Loggie and son of Chatham are guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Donald.

Mr. and Mrs. Graham of Cloverdale are guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. White.

John Hennigar made a business trip to Amherst last week.

Miss Louisa Hay of Griswold, Maine, is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Estabrooks.

There was an entertainment for the children in the Presbyterian church Tuesday night. The children and grownups enjoyed it very much.

Miss Ethel Mookler of Caribou is home for the holiday time.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Leighton of Limestone were in town, Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Price.

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