

**PERSONAL NEWS.**

A S Estabrooks spent Thursday in Woodstock.

Chas Vanwart Woodstock was in Hartland, Wednesday.

D H Keswick returned to the woods on Thursday.

J W Bohan, Bath was in the village one day this week.

R L Phillips, Fredericton, was in Hartland this week.

Gordon McAdam returned from Fredericton Monday.

Mrs Thos Corbett wife of the evangelist, is in the village.

Miss Amy Welsh, of Glassville is visiting her friends in Hartland.

Randolph Raymond lately returned from the west is stopping in town.

D E Currie leaves the village today. He leaves many friends who will regret his departure.

A G Baker and wife spent a couple of weeks in Aroostook Co, returning home on Tuesday.

R J Hurst, the popular traveller for the Maritime Wrapper Co was in Hartland on Wednesday.

Stephen Doucette, Woodstock, was in Hartland Wednesday, he registered at the Riverside.

J N Golding, jr. representing the old firm of J & A McMillan stopped over Sunday at the Commercial Hotel.

Arnold Porter, H E Blakeslee and A A Rideout were in attendance at the County Lodge, L O A Woodstock, on Tuesday.

**NOT SO FUNNY.**

In a Pullman car on a English railway recently, says an exchange, a waggish young man, noticing an elderly gentleman trying to put on a light dust-coat went to his assistance. While thus engaged the young man observed a good-sized whiskey-flask protruding from one of the old gentleman's pockets, and thought it a good opportunity for a joke. Having helped the stranger on with his coat, therefore, he pulled out the flask and said:

'Will you take a drink?'

The old man did not recognise the bottle, and drawing himself up, remarked rather severely:

'No, sir: I never drink.'

'It won't hurt you,' insisted the wag; 'it's the best.'

'Young man,' said the old gentleman speaking loud enough for all in the carriage to hear, 'if you persist in drinking whiskey you will be a ruined man at forty. It is the curse of the land. When I was a boy my mother died, and the last thing she did was to call me to her bedside, and say 'John, promise me that you will never touch a drop of liquor.'

'Oh, well, in that case,' said the joker 'I must drink it myself,' whereupon, suiting the action to the words, he pulled out the cork and took a good drink. A moment later he dropped the bottle with an exclamation which certainly did not sound like a blessing, and yelled, 'Ugh! ugh! My mouth's all raw!'

Then it was that the old gentleman discovered his loss, and to the amusement of the other passengers, said:

'Ah, young man, you will be careful before you take another man's property again. I am Doctor——, and that bottle contained some quinine and iron for one of my patients.'

The young man got out at the next station.

**POKIOK.**

Edward Gillin arrived home from the woods last week, made a brief stay of two days and went to County Line to work for D W Gray.

The Misses Wallace of Fredericton spent last week with their uncle Granville Nevers.

Ab Orser who spent a week with his uncle Chas Gillin returned home on Monday much improved in health.

Burton Morgan passed through here on his way to New Burg Jct.

Mr McGee is hauling bark and logs to Pokiok siding.

**WEST SIDE NOTES.**

As the West Side is a growing and prosperous section of Carleton Co, we consider that it should be regularly represented in your Roundabout column and if this is printed we will take it for granted you are of the same opinion, and we will write again.

Severe colds have been trumps here for some time. Henry K York is at present laid up with a cold. Mrs S T Sipprell is fast recovering from a severe sickness.

Ruel W Shaw had a sericus siege with Congestion, but he is on his horse again.

This has been a season of accidents for West Siders. Mrs R W Shaw is just done nursing a broken arm, while R A Rideout is about to discard a cane which he has been obliged to use for some time on account of an injured ankle.

Several citizens of the West Side are talking of going to the Pacific Coast in the spring. Is this a symptom of Klondike fever?

Say! we wonder if every section of the country is possessed of so many Krokinole kranks as is the West Side? For our part we wrefere Whist, for it is 'Such a lovely Game.'

Miss Bertie DeWitt was calling on friends in Somerville last Monday.

J Alec Lowrey, who formerly held down the position of clerk in Bowser's store at Victoria, was in the town last week renewing old acquaintances. Alec is now located in Houlton.

The 'Victoria Short Notice Band' made a trip to Pembroke on Wednesday evening.

Mr Crouse of East Washburn, Me, is visiting in the village. He is the guest of J W Boyer Esq.

Charles E Gallupe, of Somerville, has returned from Smyrna where he has been employed for some months.

H P Birmingham has a new driving horse. Right here I want to say that West Side can show a better lot of driving horses than any other country section in two counties.

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**The Baby Boy Covered with Eczema and Cured by Dr. Chase.**

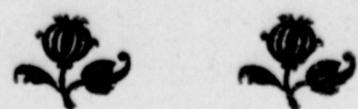
Mrs Jas Brown of Molesworth, Ont., tells how her boy (eight months old) was cured of torturing Eczema. Mothers whose children are afflicted can write her regarding the great cure, Dr Chase's Ointment. Her child was afflicted from birth and three boxes of Dr Chase's Ointment cured him.

**New Firm!**

W. B. Harmon wishes to thank his numerous friends and customers who have so liberally patronized his Wagon and Blacksmith Shop for the past 30 years and desire to inform the public that he has associated his son, Eugene, in the business. A fair share of patronage is solicited for the new firm, which after this date will be known as

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Peel, Jan. 1, 1898.

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