

**Local News**  
AND OTHER MATTERS.

The woodworking factory has been running most of the week.

Rev. W. E. Smith will preach in the Reformed Baptist church tomorrow evening at 7 o'clock.

There has at last come fairly good "going" and as a consequence there is more hauling going on.

The Band gave an open air concert in front of Keswick's store on Thursday evening. The air was soft and balmy and the music was real pleasant.

Since the snow there has been a good deal of pleasure driving. Thursday evening a small party drove up and spent the evening with Miss Harmon at Peel.

The St. John Gazette, while as a daily, is on its eleventh volume, purposes getting out a twice-a-week edition at \$1.00 a year. The first issue will appear Jan. 15th.

It is rumored that wolves are around. Some men employed by David Gibson, Northampton, report having found three deer with their throats cut and badly mangled. They claim that this can only be accounted for by the presence of wolves.

All those who subscribed to the Reading Room Fund are requested to hand in the amounts stated to the secretary, Geo. H. Campbell. The Reading Room is fairly well patronized, but not so much as had early closing gone into effect, so says the secretary, who should know.

W. E. Thistle has just received a new stock of the celebrated B. Laurance spectacles, in gold steel and alloy frames. Mr. Thistle, who has just taken a graduate course on optics, can guarantee those suffering from impaired vision as perfect a fit as can be obtained in the county.

Richardson, Porter & Co. and Estey & Curtis handed new advertisements in too late for this issue. The former wish to state that they are thankful for the generous patronage extended to them in their first season, and wishing all their patrons a Happy New Year ask for a continuance of custom.

Keith & Plummer are offering the balance of their fur goods at greatly reduced prices, and has many real bargains. The lamp will be given away on January 22nd. Every person making cash purchases to the amount of \$1.00 will be entitled to guess the number of cents in the jar. The first correct guess will capture the lamp, which is a beautiful one.

Our popular jeweller G F Smith spent Christmas in Woodstock.

Bert Wiley came from Mc Gill last week and is spending his holidays at home. . . Mrs D Fiske of Florenceville returned home yesterday after a pleasant visit to friends in this city and Marysville. . . Mr and Mrs Fred Boyer, of Victoria Corner, Carleton Co, are spending the Christmas season here with Mrs Boyer's parents, Dr and Mrs McLeod.—Fredericton Reporter.

**PERSONAL NEWS.**

S S Miller drove to Woodstock on Sunday.

W R Gillen went to St Stephen on Thursday.

D H Keswick, went to the woods on Tuesday.

Walter Jackson of Fredericton, was in Hartland last week.

Miss Bessie and David Aiton spent Christmas with relatives in St John.

Miss Blanche Kelly went to Fredricton on Wednesday to spend a few days.

W E Thistle and Miss Etta Thistle spent some days in Glassville this week.

Miss Nettie Beirsto of Lakeville has been stopping with friends in the village.

John F Murdoch came from the woods and spent Christmas with his family at Ashland.

Miss Susie and Wille McNally of Benton are spending Christmas holidays with friends in Hartland.

Rev J B Daggett returned on Thursday from Burt's Corner, York Co, where he spent the Holidays.

Miss Lella Wiggins of Meductic and Miss Hipwell of Woodstock were the guests of Mrs Donald Matheson this week.

Miss Eva Cluff has finished her engagement with C Humphrey Taylor and has gone to Lewiston, Me where her parents live.

R McClellan of Caribou, has been stopping a few days at the Commercial. He was formerly a resident of Bloomfield, and is well known in these parts.

Ed Alexander returned from Montreal to spend Christmas with his family. On Monday he, accompanied by his sister-in-law, Miss Robin Hay, went back, and are expected to return today.

Miss Annie Shaw of Hartland N B is visiting friends in town. . . Mrs J A Beveridge of Andover was visiting friends in Fort Fairfield during the past week. . . Miss Minnie Tompkins of Florenceville came Wednesday to spend two or three weeks here and at Presque Isle, whither she went Saturday. . . Miss Abbie Nevers expects to spend Christmas at her home in Rockland, N B, after which she will return here to remain several weeks.—Northern Leader

Among those who spent Christmas in Hartland were: T J Carter and family of Andover, with G R Burt; George Gray of Presque Isle, with his parents; Miss Bella Smith of Woodstock, with Miss Eva Cluff at C Humphrey Taylor's; Miss Eva Snow of Rosedale, the guest of her cousin, Miss Blaeche Kelly; Guy R Balloch, Centreville, with friends; Andrew Aiton, trackmaster on the C P R below Woodstock, with his family.

**HEAD A MASS OF SCABS**

**COULDN'T GO NEAR THE STOVE.**

**Treated by Different Doctors.**

**CURED BY DR. CHASE.**

The most intractable and distressing skin diseases which defy all manner of treatment—even the best medical skill—are readily cured by Dr. Chase's Ointment. MRS. JOS. QUERIN, hotelkeeper's wife, at Ethel, Ont., was troubled with Eczema of the Head and Face for about 9 years, and was so bad at times she could not go near the hot stove to do her cooking. Her head was one mass of scabs, and although she treated with doctors it kept getting worse. On hearing of Dr. Chase's Ointment, she got some, and was delighted to find the first application do her good. She used two more boxes of the Ointment, is now free from disease, can do her own cooking, and would not begrudge \$200 for the good it has done her.

Price 60 cents a box, at all Dealers, or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Toronto, Ont.

**Xmas Presents!**

At the Drug Store, see what we have before Purchasing. . . Elsewhere. . .

Estey & Curtis, - Druggists.

**HARTLAND TIN SHOP,**

**D. E. GURRIE, Proprietor**

and Agent for all the Manufactures of the well-known

**SMALL & FISHER CO., LTD**

The No. 21 Plow is the Best in Canada won Medal and Diploma at Chicago World's Fair. It is made with Steel Beam, Coulter and Landside, Mouldboard finest of American Soft Centre Crucible Steel, harder than flint, clean in any soil.

Full Line of Repairs for Small & Fisher's Machinery.

MILK PAILS, CREAMERS, BUTTER TUBS, ALL KINDS TINWARE

REPAIRING PROMPTLY DONE