

## 20 Per Cent. Reductin.

As intimated last week

We find that we have too many **SKATES** and **HAND SLEDS**. These goods we will sell at 20 per cent. less than the regular marked prices.

We would call your attention to our stock of **Cross Cut Saws**, at **\$1.00, \$1.20, \$1.65, \$4.00**, each complete with Handles.

We also take pride in our display of **Optical Goods**. We have a nice assortment of **Solid Gold and Gold Filled Bows**, both in **Spectacles and Eyeglasses**, and our prices on them are away down fine. Just think! A **Solid Gold Bow** for **\$2.85**.

**WE GUARANTEE PERFECT VISION.**

# SHAW & DIBBLEE, HARDWARE, STOVES AND TINWARE.

## Local News.

AND OTHER MATTERS

Jack Knight was in the village this week.

Try "Lion Brand," the fine Ceylon Tea, for sale at Carr's.—tf.

J. E. Gunter is a candidate for the office of Mayor in Fredericton.

A large number of McCallum's men came out of the woods on Thursday.

Shaw & Dibblee are putting in an acetylen lighting patent for illuminating their store.

The ADVERTISER has learned that Allan W. Rileout is soon to be gazetted a justice of the peace.

William Ross, an old resident of Simonds is very ill. For some years he has been totally blind.

Miss Violet Beveridge, daughter of A J Beveridge of Andover, arrived home from Winnipeg yesterday.

Application will be made to the Legislature for the incorporation of the Tobique Narrows Pulp & Manufacturing company.

The bridge from the river ice to the shore has been in a shaky condition, but is now repaired and considered quite safe.

Any person having any number of 3 cent stamps on hand may exchange them at the post office for stamps of any other denomination.

C. Humphry Taylor, A. S. Estey, and Charles McCormack formed a delegation to Fredericton to wait on the Government on matters in connection with the bridge. Their object was attained. Fred H. Stevens accompanied the delegation.

An official of the Intercolonial states that when the present fiscal year ends in June next, a substantial surplus will be shown as a result of operations on the Government road during the present year.

McDonald's All-Star Minstrel Co. will give an entertainment in the Foresters' Hall on Tuesday evening. This company is composed of 15 young men of Fredericton, and is a good clean show.

Miss Inez Bradley entertained a number of her young friends one evening last week. About thirty-five were present. Games were played and refreshments served, and a general good time was enjoyed by all.

A sad circumstance is that of the death of Mr. and Mrs. Albion Mills of Benton. The two deaths occurred only an hour and a quarter apart, and were caused by lagrippe. Mrs. Geo. Murray of Benton is also ill of lagrippe.

The following strong men are named as forming the government's ticket in York: Alex. Gibson, jr., F. P. Thompson, W. T. Whitehead and John Campbell. The latter is a cousin to the late Hon. James Mitchell.

The ADVERTISER is requested to announce a special meeting of the County Council, to be held at the Court House on Thursday, Feb. 2, at 1 o'clock. This is to appoint a secretary-treasurer for the balance of the year in place of the deceased R. K. Jones.

F. H. Hale, M. P., and Rev. C. T. Phillips of Woodstock who have been spending a week in Mr. Hale's lumber camps on the Tobique, returned home on Tuesday. Mr. Hale informs the ADVERTISER that they have 18 inches of snow and work in the woods is progressing favorably, but the cut will not be more than a two-thirds that of last season. He has hope of seeing the lumber market brighter.

Besides its interesting regular serial contributions the N. B. Magazine contains a biographical sketch of Governor Thos. Carleton, by W. F. Ganong, Ph. D.; "An Historic Sport" by J. F. Herbin, B. A., and others. This most worthy publication is keeping up its excellent standard and it should be read and preserved by every Canadian, especially those in the Maritime provinces.

At the regular meeting of Court Waloostock No. 103 the following officers were installed by P. H. C. R. Kinghorn: Dr. I. B. Curtis, J. R.; G. M. Shaw, V. C. R.; C. E. Morgan, R. S.; A. S. Estabrooks, F. S.; G. B. Nixon, Treas.; L. E. McFarland, Chap.; D. W. Brooks, S. W.; A. S. Estey, J. W.; A. A. Belyea, S. B.; J. Lupin, J. B.; Dr. A. S. Estey, C. D. H. C. R.; I. B. Curtis and A. S. Estey, Court Physicians.

Rev. Mr. Blakeney preached in the Baptist church Sunday afternoon. Rev. Joseph Noble preached in the Free Baptist church on Sunday morning. Tomorrow Rev. J. B. Daggett will preach in the Free Baptist church at 7 o'clock, and at the same hour Rev. G. B. Trafton will preach in the Reformed Baptist church. Rev. A. H. Hayward will also preach in the evening in the Baptist church, being unable to attend in the morning.

Mr. G. A. Keith, the enterprising photographer of Woodstock, appears to be doing his best to please his customers in giving them the best that he can procure. Mr. Keith has engaged Mr. R. E. Clark of Calais, Me., who is one of the best photographers of the day, and a young man of great ability and talent. As Mr. Clark will be here only for a few weeks those wishing to take advantage of Mr. Clark's talent will have to make an engagement at an early date. Mr. Keith has also added a beautiful new background and a number of other choice accessories to his already well equipped studio.—at. t. f.

The only place where you can buy optical goods in Hartland at reasonable prices is at Shaw & Dibblee's. Just fancy solid gold bows at \$2.85. Gold filled, ten year guarantee \$1.00. Dirty talk or running down poor peddlars or Jew opticians do not sell spectacles. Prices and ability tell every time. When you want spectacles go where you will get the best served and at cheapest prices.

The public will be interested in knowing that the publishers of that popular weekly paper, the Family Herald and Weekly Star, of Montreal, have arranged for a further supply of their famous premium picture, "Thin Red Line." All who became subscribers during January, and February can depend on getting a copy, also renewal subscribers. We believe the publishers of the Family Herald and Weekly Star intend the "Thin Red Line" to be the first of a series of these famous pictures, and Canadians who secure a copy this year will be fortunate, as they will be able to get the entire set. In a few weeks the entire edition of "Thin Red Line" will be disposed of and no more can be had at any figure. This is a hint for those who have not yet secured it. It is given free with a year's subscription (one dollar) to that great paper, the Family Herald and Weekly Star, Montreal.

There was on Tuesday a rumour to the effect that A. J. Beveridge, M. P. for Victoria is opposed to the Hartland Bridge movement. It is not so. Interviewed by the ADVERTISER Mr. Beveridge says: "I hope no inhabitant of Hartland will think I would oppose in the Legislature any act to provide a bridge for the people there. A village that has grown so rapidly—by the enterprise of its inhabitants—ought by every means be assisted by the government; and I for one will assist any measure brought forward for that purpose, and consider I am only doing my duty by them."