

THE WOODSTOCK DISPATCH.

WOODSTOCK, N. B., SEPT. 2, 1896.

FOR MAYOR AND COUNCILLORS.

Before many months we will be called upon to elect a mayor and six councillors to run the affairs of the town for the year 1897. There should be a change in the mode of electing these officials. Hitherto it has been customary for some person to come out a day or two before the election as a candidate for the mayoralty. Councillors appear before the public with equally short notice. Last year, so indifferent were the people to town affairs, that it was by chance, there was a fight for seats in the council. We have had encounters between rival claimants for the mayor's chair, but these contests have been mainly personal, and questions of town policy have not figured, to any extent. It is the fashion to pitch into the councillors. If we elect a poor council board, the blame rests upon us, and upon no one else. We cannot shift it to other shoulders.

This coming election should excite more interest among ratepayers than formerly has been the case. And, it would be well for some of our best citizens to meet and nominate a man for Mayor. There is no apostolic succession in the mayoralty, and no occupant of the present, has the right to engage, for services rendered, that his mantle will fall upon any other man. There can be no trading in public offices, unless we are going in for a miniature Tammany Hall in Woodstock.

It would be in order, then, for our citizens to have a public meeting, and there discuss public affairs. The result of such a meeting would probably be the putting of a ticket into the field, made up of men, who will manage the affairs of the town with a due regard to economy, and the interests of the ratepayers.

For ratepayers to abuse the council, while they are too lazy to lift a finger, to change matters, is as childish, as it is contemptible.

POLITICS AND ALL THAT.

With the result of the recent bye-elections, in Queens and Sunbury and in North Grey, the land should have a rest for a brief period. A new government is in power. It won at the general elections, and has been most handsomely sustained in the bye-elections.

The inference seems to be, that the country desires to give the new ministers a fair show. Unless they are a most marvellous lot of men, they will make many mistakes, before five years are past. It becomes the duty of the Conservative opposition to watch carefully all legislation, and, in their undoubted right, thrust sore at the enemy, when any weak point in the government armour is found out. It is not the past, with which they have to do. It is with the present, and with the future. Both parties, during the election were prolific of promises, which no intelligent voter ever thought they had the least intention of performing. Patriotic Canadians are not sorry to see a French Canadian premier of the Dominion. It means much towards the unification of the two races which make up our population. To Mr. Laurier's credit, be it said, he seems to be quite free from intolerance and bigotry, and has set an example, which many Canadians of English extraction may follow with profit to themselves and to their country. The gentlemen who sit on the treasury benches, and their supporters in the house, are not in altogether a lovely position. They can no longer find fault; it is theirs to applaud and to defend. Running a government is not the soft snap that some people would have us believe it to be.

Young politicians of whatever political stripe would do well to study moderation, and, perhaps more studying and less talking of politics, would not be an unhealthy diversion. The Liberals are in power now. It is probable that whoever lives a quarter of a century will see them out again, and in again before the end of that period.

The master political mind of Canada ceased to work in this sphere, when Sir John Macdonald died. With him, we may safely conjecture died unduly long ascendancy of one political party. We will probably "turn the rascals out" every five years or so after this, whether they be Tory or Grit rascals.

No appetite? Then do not try to force food down; but use the most scientific means for restoring tone to the stomach. How? Why, by taking Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and in a surprisingly short time, your appetite will come again, and come to stay.

A New Way of Packing Butter

A new Australian method of packing butter consists in inclosing it in a box made of six sheets of ordinary glass, the corners being covered with gummed paper, and the whole enveloped in a layer of plaster of Paris a quarter of an inch thick. The plaster is protected by a covering of specially prepared paper. The cost of packing is about two cents per pound, and a saving of 25 per cent. in freight and packing is claimed, as compared with the usual method of carrying in refrigerators. The plaster being a poor conductor of heat, the inside temperature is unaffected by external changes. Butter made in Melbourne and packed in this way has been sent across the sea to Kimberley via Cape Town, and was found perfectly fresh when the case was opened.—St. Catharines Star.

FIVE DAYS OLD WEIGHS TEN POUNDS

Her Father is Past the Allotted Span of Life and Mother is Sixty.

One of the latest little strangers to arrive in town is Mina Ruth Gillivray, who came last Wednesday. She is now five days old and weighs about ten pounds. Her parents reside in a little frame cottage at 30 Regent street. The father, William Gillivray, who is employed at the crematory, has reached the allotted span of three score and ten years of life, and the mother was 60 years of age last July.

The World's young man called at the cottage to see little Mina Ruth last night. Mr. Gillivray was out, but Mrs. Gillivray, who is not yet able to be up, called out that if he was a married man he could come in. The scribe pleaded guilty and was allowed to enter. On a neat little bed, covered with spotless white clothes, little Mina Ruth lay beside her mother. The child is very pretty and the mother has evidently, in her day been a very handsome woman. Her hair is now almost white, but she bears her age well and is one of those kindly souls, eminently fitted by nature to be the real mother. She told the reporter that the bit of humanity beside her was her 21st child, but only seven of them are now living.

Mrs. Gillivray was formerly a Mrs. Newman and came with her first husband from Cheltenham, Eng., over 20 years ago. She had 18 children by her first husband, whom she married when she was only 15 years of age. He has been dead a good many years. Mrs. Newman married Mr. Gillivray five years ago, and since then little Mina Ruth is her third child. The first a charming little girl, now three years and eight months old, is, owing to her old-fashioned ways a marvel to the neighbors, and is such a pet with everyone that the mother is in constant dread that someone will take the child from her. A little boy, born to Mr. and Mrs. Gillivray a couple of years ago, died a few days after birth.

Mrs. Gillivray is an active member of Berkeley-street Methodist Church and places the most entire trust in the will of Divine Providence. She says it is God's will that she should have brought so many children into the world, and she thanks Him frequently for the blessing.

Two years ago Mrs. Gillivray's hair, which had hardly a streak of grey in it, turning white in a week. It was at the time her son, who was 29 years of age, died suddenly in Blackwood, Dakota, just as he was on the eve of coming home to see her, after a separation of many years. Her eldest son living is now 37 years old.

Little Mina Ruth is getting along nicely, but the mother is not so well as she would wish. As Mr. Gillivray was expected home at any moment, The World young man left, after a short interview, but before going he received a hearty invitation, to call again and bring his wife and baby with him.—Toronto World.

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Canada's Big Apple Crop.

The apple crop of Canada will be at the very least 3,000,000 barrels, of which we could spare 1,500,000 barrels for export; but we fear it will not be possible to ship that quantity, as everything points to a great scarcity of freight room from now right up to the close of navigation. It is true that the crop is fully ten days earlier than usual; but in order to export our compliment it would be necessary to send forward 1,000,000 barrels from this port, which exporters say could not be done. Besides, it must be remembered that the largest quantity ever shipped from all the Atlantic ports combined in any one season was only about 1,500,000 barrels. But, of course, if extra tonnage could be attracted to this port in the shape of tramp vessels, a much larger quantity could be shipped. Canada has had large crops of apples before, but never such an unusually heavy one as at present, all varieties vying with each other for the palm of greatest plenty. The crop in some sections is so superabundant that it is feared the fruit will not be large enough for export, as only the finest apples should be packed for the English market. Consequently the fruit in these districts will have to be used for the home trade. A number of young orchards in Ontario are bearing for the first time this season, and have a liberal hang of apples. Both red and green varieties of fall and winter stock are equally prolific, and a low range of prices must be expected, as the United States has an immense surplus to compete with our own in the British markets.—Montreal Trade Bulletin.

A dose of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral taken in time has prevented many a fit of sickness and saved numerous lives. This proves the necessity of keeping this incomparable medicine where it can be readily reached at all hours of the day and night.

I have little belief of true vocations being destroyed by contact with the world. I don't mean the contact with sin and evil, but that contact with the world which consists of such intercourse as is natural and necessary. Many boys seem to have a vocation, in whom it is but appearance. They go to school, and the appearance fades away, and then people say, "They have lost their vocation," when, in truth, they never had one.—Cardinal Manning.

When I look upon the tombs of the great, every movement of envy dies in me; when I read the epitaphs of the beautiful, every inordinate desire goes out; when I meet with the grief of parents upon a tombstone, my heart melts with compassion; when I see the tombs of the parents themselves, I consider the vanity of grieving for those whom we must quickly follow.—Thomas Hardy.

Culture indefatigably tries, not to make what each raw person may like the rule to which he fashions himself, but to draw ever nearer to a sense of what is indeed beautiful, graceful and becoming, and to get the raw persons to like that. Its ideal of human perfection is an inward spiritual activity, having for its characters increased sweetness, increased light, increased sympathy. Matthew Arnold.

A Millionaire Painter.

The late Sir John Millais' fortune is estimated at \$1,000,000, which is a rather large amount of money for an artist to accumulate in the pursuit of his profession. Not all of his wealth was accumulated in this way, but he is said to have had a larger income from his work than any other artist in Great Britain. In his earlier career his inspiration came from his enthusiasm for his profession, and he did his best work under that influence, but with his marriage to Mrs. Ruskin there came a deterioration in his work. He began to paint for money rather than for art, and his pre-Raphaelite pictures gave place to portraits of people who were able to pay good prices for them.

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Notice of Sale.

To Samuel A. Britton, of the Town of Woodstock, in the County of Carleton, in the Province of New Brunswick, shoemaker, Mary Britton, his wife, and all others whom it may concern:—

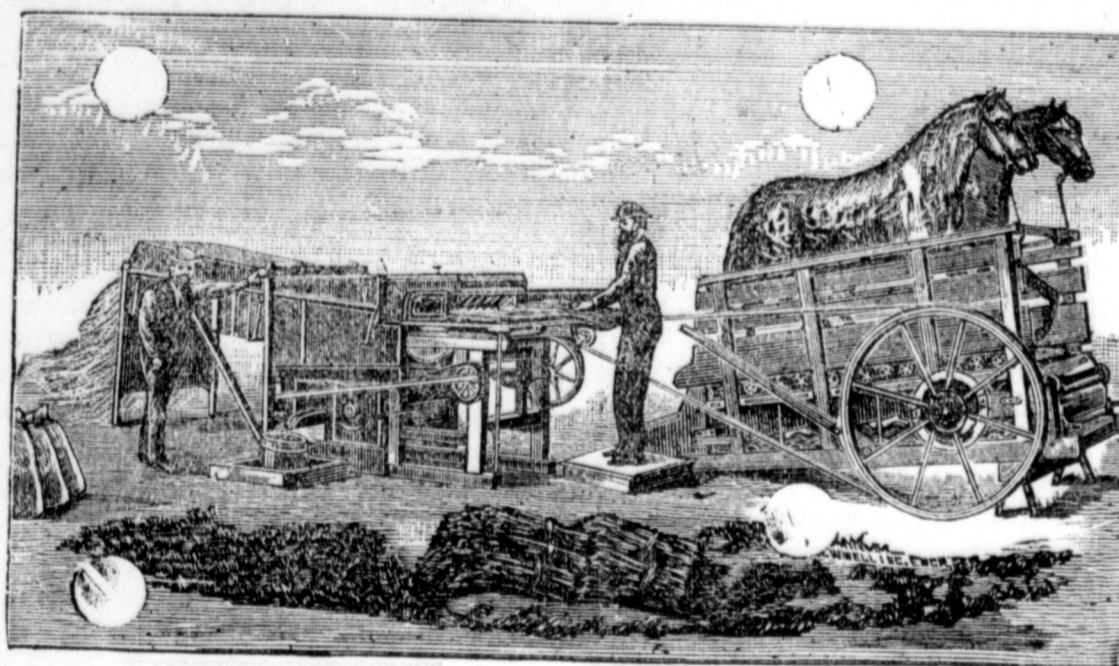
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that under and by virtue of a Power of Sale contained in a certain Indenture of Mortgage bearing date the first day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one, duly registered in Book D. No. 3 of Records of said Carleton County on pages 769, 770, 771 and 772 the fourth day of April A. D. 1892, and made between the said Samuel A. Britton of the one part and Charles Bailey shoemaker, of the other part, which said Indenture of Mortgage was duly assigned to me the undersigned, Forrester McLean of the Town of Woodstock aforesaid dealer in meat, by Indenture of Assignment bearing date the first day of April A. D. 1892, duly registered in said Book D. No. 3 of said Records on pages 776 and 777 the seventh day of April A. D. 1892: There will for the purpose of satisfying the money secured by said Indenture of Mortgage and the said Assignment thereof, default having been made in the payment of the same be sold at Public Auction in front of the office of Josiah R. Murphy, Barrister-at-Law, on Queen street in the Town of Woodstock in the County of Carleton, on SATURDAY the TWELFTH day of SEPTEMBER next at the hour of two of the clock in the afternoon, the lands and premises mentioned and described in said Indenture of Mortgage and the said Assignment thereof as follows:—  
"All that certain piece or parcel of land situate lying and being in the Town of Woodstock fronting on Chapel street beginning at the south west corner of lot number fourteen (14) running westerly along Chapel street forty (40) feet thence northerly one hundred (100) feet thence easterly forty (40) feet to the north west corner of lot number fourteen (14) thence northerly one hundred (100) feet to the place of beginning, being lot number sixteen (16) as surveyed by H. M. G. Garden one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven (1857) together with all and singular the rights and appurtenances thereon the privileges and appurtenances to the same belonging or in any manner appertaining.  
Dated the third day of August A. D. 1896.  
JOSIAH R. MURPHY, FORESTOR MCLEAN, Assignee.  
Solicitor.

Notice of Sale.

To Aaron Nevers of the Parish of Richmond in the County of Carleton and Province of New Brunswick, farmer, Alvaretta C. Nevers his wife, Elizabeth E. Potter of the same place, widow of Benson Potter late of the same place, farmer, and all others whom it may concern:—

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that under and by virtue of a Power of Sale contained in a certain Indenture of Mortgage bearing date the sixteenth day of August in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty three, duly registered in Book B. No. 3 of the Records of said Carleton County on pages 59 and 60 the sixteenth day of August A. D. 1883, and made between Richard Potter late of the Parish of Richmond, aforesaid, farmer, since deceased, and Alvaretta C. Potter his wife (now Alvaretta C. Nevers) of the one part, and the undersigned Thomas Buckley of Hodgdon in the State of Maine, one of the United States of America, farmer, of the other part:—There will for the purpose of satisfying the moneys secured by the said Indenture of Mortgage, default having been made in the payment of the same, be sold at Public Auction in front of the office of Josiah R. Murphy, Barrister-at-Law, on Queen street in the Town of Woodstock in the County of Carleton, aforesaid, on Monday the 21st day of SEPTEMBER next at the hour of two of the clock in the afternoon the lands and premises mentioned and described in said Indenture of Mortgage as follows:—  
ALL that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the Parish of Richmond aforesaid known as Lot number eight, Beginning at a post placed at the south eastern angle of Lot No. five granted to John Marshall in Tier Seven South Richmond thence running by the magnet of the year 1836, South seventeen degrees West twenty-five chains, thence North eighty-seven degrees and thirty minutes, West forty chains, thence North seventeen degrees, East twenty-five chains, and thence South eighty-seven degrees and thirty minutes, East forty chains to the place of beginning containing one hundred acres, more or less, reserving two rods along the reserved road so called and being same conveyed by Elizabeth Potter to said Richard Potter by deed dated 12th July last:—Also ALL that certain other piece or parcel of land situate in said Parish of Richmond described as follows:—To Wit, Beginning at a post standing in the north-easterly angle of Lot number ten in the Seventh Tier South Richmond, thence running by the magnet of 1856, North eighty-seven degrees and thirty minutes, West forty chains, thence North seventeen degrees, East thirteen chains and twenty-five links, thence South eighty-seven degrees and thirty minutes, East forty chains to a post, and thence South seventeen degrees, West thirteen chains and twenty-five links to the place of beginning, containing fifty acres more or less, deeded to said Richard Potter by Elizabeth E. Potter and others 12th of July last, the first described lot being subject to a mortgage for the maintenance of the said Elizabeth Potter, together with ALL and singular the buildings, improvements, privileges and appurtenances to the said premises belonging or in any wise appertaining.  
Dated this tenth day of August, A. D. 1896.  
THOMAS BUCKLEY, Mortgagee.  
JOSIAH R. MURPHY, Solicitor for Mortgagee.

What the People Say.



Lindsay, N. B., March 5, 1895.

Messrs. Small & Fisher, Woodstock:  
Dear Sirs,—As you asked us for our opinion of your celebrated Little Giant Thresher, we can say that we believe it to be one of the best Machines that is in use in this County today, as it will do everything it is recommended to do.

Yours truly,  
T. C. & A. L. STRONG.

Mactaquacy, York Co., N.B., April 29, 1895.

Messrs. Small & Fisher, Woodstock:  
Gentlemen,—Having used one of your Threshing Machines for a number of years, I can say that it did the work to my entire satisfaction. It is not only easy on horses, but does not waste any grain and cleans well, and always took the lead wherever I worked. I threshed 10,000 a year for 4 years and it did not cost me fifty cents for repairs.

Yours truly,  
WM. GRAHAM.

Scotch Settlement,  
Tracey's Mills, N. B.

Small & Fisher, Woodstock:

Dear Sirs,—I think that the Little Giant Thresher and Sowing Machine is the best that is put out. I had a share in one in 1894 and earned about \$500 with her.

Yours truly,  
G. W. STILES.

Connell, N. B., April 1, 1895.

Small & Fisher, Woodstock:

Gentlemen,—I have had considerable experience with Threshing Machines and consider yours to be the best I ever used. I have threshed as high as four hundred bushels in one day, and I think she can't be beat for grinding clover seed; I have ground four hundred pounds in one day with her. I have run her two years and haven't paid a cent for repairs, and is well liked wherever she has worked.

Yours respectfully,  
GEO. F. HOLMES.

Woodstock, N. B., May 23, 1895.

Messrs. Small & Fisher:

Dear Sirs,—Your letter asking how I liked the Little Giant Machine bought from you last fall duly to hand, and I would say in reply that I like it fine. It is the steadiest running machine I ever saw. Having threshed for the last 12 years, running your make of machines all that time, but never knew how superior they were until I unfortunately had to run an imported machine last fall for a few weeks; during that time I was turned out of four barns; was never allowed to finish a job with it; finished three with your new machine and one with the old one (10 years old). I will back your latest style Thresher against any machine I know of, imported or otherwise, for fast threshing, grain saving and cleaning. For grinding clover, all I can say is, she is a Daisy, have ground 300

lbs. in 10 hours in first class shape.

SAMUEL T. CRAIG.

Springfield, March 22, 1895.

Small & Fisher, Woodstock:

DEAR SIRS,—I can truly say that there are no Machines in our section of the country that gives the general satisfaction that yours do. I have run one for seven years and it hasn't cost me anything for repairs; she does good work and lots of it. I consider your machine the best in the market, and I can recommend it to anyone as a first class machine; she cleans well and is very easy on the horses.

Yours truly,  
J. H. PICKLE,  
Bloomfield, N. B. Feb. 20, 1895.

Small & Fisher, Woodstock:

GENTLEMEN,—About twelve years ago I purchased one of your Little Giant Threshers and Drag Saw Wood Cutters, and find that they have given entire satisfaction. I have much pleasure in recommending them to the public as first class machinery in every respect.

Yours truly,  
ALEX. MOIR,  
Whitney, Northesk, N. B. Mar. 1, 1895.

Small & Fisher, Woodstock:

DEAR SIRS,—I have been using your Thresher for six years, and it has given perfect satisfaction. I consider your Machine the best in the Maritime Provinces, as it is so easy on the horses, cleans well and feeds very easily. I can recommend it to the public as being first class.

Yours truly,  
DAVID WHITNEY,  
Johnville, N. B., March 2, 1895.

Small & Fisher, Woodstock:

Dear Sirs,—I have for the past ten years been threshing for the public, and for the past three years I have used the Small & Fisher Little Giant Threshing Machine with perfect satisfaction, and I today consider it the best in the market, for fast threshing and good work. I have threshed in three days 900 bushels of oats and did not work over 8 hours per day, and I have threshed 60 bushels in one hour, and in Jim Watson's barn in Hainesville, I have threshed in half a day 225 bushels of oats, and at Mr. John Boyd's I have threshed in 1 hour and 20 minutes 121 bushels of oats. I consider the machine long lasting and easy on horses.

THOS F. SULLIVAN,  
North Tay, N. B., March 11th, 1896.

Small & Fisher, Woodstock:

Sirs,—We have run one of your Threshers for the past five years, and it gives good satisfaction both in threshing and cleaning, and in that time have not lost an hour for breakage. We are also well satisfied with the Wood Cutter.

Yours respectfully,  
DAVID DELUCRY.

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