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HONESTY PAYS.

A truly good man would say that he was honest from higher motives than worldly success, but if we can get our politicians to be honest because honesty is the best policy, the public will not stick at the motive which inspires them.

Although it may not be very apparent, a higher principle is gradually working into our political affairs.

Among some of our young politicians there is the impression that the great thing is to get elected and having been elected to get a front seat. How you get there does not matter. The thing is to get there.

These young aspirants to political glory make a mistake. Ability is very necessary for a successful politician, but a clean record is quite as useful for his success.

The public does not want to be robbed any more than the individual, and the public is beginning to demand that the guardians of its cash box shall be trustworthy.

There is a Sir Richard Cartwright boom just now. Conservative as well as Liberal papers are saying kind things about him. Sir Richard is clever—as clever as any man who sits in the commons, and in the happy and forcible use of the Queen's English, is unequalled, but his great glory is that he is an "honorable gentleman." The public knows that he is trustworthy, and that is why he is approved.

It may seem smart to have no scruples in political life, but it does not pay, and when a certain conduct doesn't pay, it is time to change it.

Money in Maple.

A writer in the Canadian Bookseller says: "In Canada we have the best hard maple in the world. The farmer in many districts spends part of his winter cutting it and selling it for firewood. He is quite happy if he realizes \$1 to \$3, or perhaps \$4 a cord. This is a sad waste of one of our greatest natural treasures. Much of it can be more profitably used in other ways. In the manufacture of wall paper, an industry constantly growing here and abroad, hundreds of thousands of rollers are used for printing the various patterns. These rollers are made of the very best hard maple, the very kind that Canada produces better than any other country in the world. In the rough they are 19½ to 23½ inches long. The end is 5 or 6 inches square, according to the size of roller required. Only the most perfect wood can be used. It is cut into these sizes. The ends are painted to prevent the wood drying faster with the grain than across it. It is then allowed to stand for three or four years. By this time it is thoroughly seasoned. This is all the labor put upon it. Good maple in this form, after being properly seasoned, brings 50 cents to 75 cents per rough block. A considerable quantity of maple blocks are similarly treated each year for use in awnings. These must be of first-class wood, but are not necessarily as perfect as the wall paper rollers."

**Houlton Items.**—We appreciate the fact that Woodstock turned out in force to help us celebrate Independence day. This we understand was in turn for aid given by Houlton friends on Jubilee day. The largest salmon ever taken in the Meduxnakeag was caught the other day by J. A. Browne about two miles below the mill dam. The largest salmon on record ever taken in these waters. Minnie, the young daughter of O. Sjobom, of New Sweden got her left leg broken in an awful way last week. The men were ready to drive to their work when she tried to climb into the back part of the wagon by stepping on the wheel just as the horses were started. Before the animals could be stopped the unfortunate girl's leg was crushed against the wagon body. Alfred Nickerson, formerly of Houlton, met with a sudden and terrible death a few days ago in Spokane, Wash'n. He was foreman of a crew of men engaged in removing the walls of several buildings destroyed by the recent fire and was standing with a workman under the flooring loaded with debris, when both saw the walls begin to tremble and tumbled out simultaneously. The workman being younger and more agile sprang out and escaped uninjured but Mr. Nickerson was crushed beneath the ruins and smothered before aid could reach him though ready hands tore away the ruins with the utmost haste and the fireman were almost instantly at the scene of the accident. It was nearly a half hour before the body could be removed, crushed almost beyond recognition, and the sad news was then conveyed to the bereaved family. It was a terrible blow to Mrs. Nickerson who was so well known in Houlton as Miss Belle Kinney and who has many relatives in this town.—Houlton Papers.

Baby Eczema and Scald Head.

Infants and young children are peculiarly subject to this terrible disorder, and if not promptly arrested it will eventually become chronic. Dr. Chase made a special study of Eczema and disease of the skin, and we can confidently recommend Dr. Chase's Ointment to cure all forms of Eczema. The first application soothes the irritation and puts a little sufferer to rest.

Wedding at Connell.

On Wednesday afternoon 7th inst. Connell was the scene of an interesting and happy event, when Harry A. Ross, of Middle Simonds, and Miss Minnie M. daughter of L. L. Mooers Esquire, of Connell, were united in marriage, at the residence of the bride's father. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. A. Ives; nearly one hundred guests were present to witness the tying of the nuptial knot. The spacious residence was filled to overflowing, the beautifully shaded lawn provided a cool retreat from the bright sun. At five p. m. in the shade of a large tree, immediately in front of the house, the happy young couple stood up to proclaim their solemn vows of love and constancy; it was a pleasing sight. The bride was dressed in cream lustre trimmed with cream lace and cream satin ribbon, she wore orange blossoms and a bridal veil. After the ceremony congratulations and good wishes were in order. The bridegroom received the hearty congratulations of all present on his good fortune. The bride received the cordial good wishes of the entire company; a bountiful wedding supper had been provided to which all were now invited. The most fastidious could not fail to be pleased, every delicacy procurable was provided. After the supper a number of the ladies favoured the company with vocal and instrumental music. Before the guests began to disperse ice cream was served, a most delightful treat at the close of a warm day.

The presents were numerous and costly as follows:—W. L. Drier Esq., the bride's grandfather, \$100 in cash; Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Boyer, gold candle sticks; Miss Alice Boyer, hand mirror; Mr. and Mrs. J. Lipsett, gold decorated water set; Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Fleming, bronze parlor lamp with shade; Mr. and Mrs. W. Webster Ross, fancy fruit dish; Mr. and Mrs. Cook Wheeler, pair vases and sofa pillow; Mr. and Mrs. Allen Shaw, silver butter knife and sugar shell; Mr. and Mrs. W. Stickney, pair vases; Master Oscar and Miss Lottie Shaw, pair vases; Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Ingrham, silver butter knife and sugar shell; the Misses McGaffigan, chamber set; Mr. and Mrs. Dr. Ross, ½ doz. silver knives and forks; Miss Cordelia Ross, porridge set; Mr. and Mrs. Russell R. Ross, decorated cheese dish; Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Shaw, condiment set; Mr. and Mrs. Wilmot Rideout, landscape with plush frame; Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Shaw, gold decorated berry set; Mr. and Mrs. John McCormack, gold decorated glass set; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Melville, fancy glass berry set; Mr. Harry Shaw, set Mrs. Potts sad irons; Mr. and Mrs. Chas Flannagan, lamp; Miss Eva Flannagan, glass water pitcher; Miss Bell Nicholson, gilt pitcher; Miss C. Stickney, china cake plate; Miss Nettie Nicholson, glass cake plate; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Nicholson, silver berry spoon gold bowl; Mr. Albion and Miss Edna Foster, jewel case and card receiver; Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Melville, set Mrs. Potts' sad iron; Mr. Handford and Miss Jennie Shaw, cane seated rocker; Miss Ethel Ebbett, chair tidy; Miss Eveline Ebbett, stand cover; Mr. Weldon Melville, decorated tea set; Mrs. E. DeWitt, pair towels; Mr. and Mrs. Phillips Shaw, linen table covers; Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Ross, bed spread and linen table cloth; Mrs. W. L. Drier, napkins; Mrs. L. L. Mooers, table linen; Mrs. Elizabeth Raymond, linen table cover.

Washburn's Circus.

Washburn's Circus gave two performances in town on Friday last. In the morning they paraded the street and although the procession was not as long nor the attractions so varied as in some larger shows, it was a very good exhibition. The hippopotamus was the best thing of the kind ever seen in town, and was a show in itself. There was a very fine large elephant, which recalled the days of Jumbo. The performance in the afternoon was fairly attended, but the audience was not nearly so large as generally patronize a circus. In some measure this may be accounted for by the fact that there have been several big days, which have been more or less of a drain on the visitors' purses. Those who attended the afternoon saw a very creditable performance. The trapeze work was good, many of the features being entirely new. A capital thing was the acrobatic performance on the tusks of the big elephant. Some wild west riding was also good, and the lassoing well worth seeing. The show was very free from any objectionable features. A serious accident occurred towards the close of the performance. While Ida Murphy one of the woman, was riding in the bride chase followed by three men on horseback, her horse stumbled and threw her heavily, her foot catching in the stirrups. In a moment one of the other horses were mixed in the down fall, and the young woman was carried from the ring. It was a first thought that she was seriously injured, but later reports said the hurt was not serious. Dr. Sprague happened to be near and rendered professional service. The evening performance was cut rather short and many who attended expressed disappointment. Taking it for all the circus was as good as such things generally.

Hartland's Meeting.

The annual meeting of the ratepayers of the village of Hartland was held last week.

"HE WHO STANDS IN HIS OWN LIGHT HOLDS EVER IN HIS POCKET A POVERTY-STRICKEN PURSE."

We don't mean to say you'll grow rich or poor by buying or not buying from us, but we do say, and say it with as much emphasis as printers' ink can put it, that you are doing yourself an injustice, that you are actually standing in your own light by refusing to see whether we can or can't do better by you than "the other."

COOL GOODS.

Straw Hats, of every shape and price. Balbriggan Underwear and Hosiery. Cool Coats, Vests and Pants. Boys' Clothing at Cost to Close.

In our Custom Tailoring Department

We are turning out more work this year than ever before, and we are receiving letters from all parts of the country commending the excellence of the workmanship and durability of the cloths we sell.

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I am instructed by J. B. Cooper to sell at Public Auction,

ON SATURDAY, JULY 17, At 3 o'clock, p. m.

1 Plow,	1 Spring Tooth Harrow,
2 Sets of Harness,	1 Road Cart,
1 Light Harness,	Pair Bob Sleds,
1 Long Sled,	1 Box Stove,
1 Bedstead, etc.,	2 Mares (unless otherwise disposed of).

Notes at 6% to the right parties taken—long time on bob sleds.

W. W. HAY, Auctioneer.

The secretary's financial report showed the expenditure for the year to have been \$1112.90; the income was \$1126.25, leaving a balance on hand of \$113.35. For the office of commissioner for the ensuing year were nominated, D. H. Keswick and C. H. Taylor. The vote resulted in Taylor's election by a vote of 37 to 18. Mr. Taylor was immediately sworn in by John Barnett, J. P. The village was assessed \$400 for the ensuing year. John T. G. Carr was elected auditor. The secretary was voted \$50 for his services during the past year.

BEWARE! DOGS.

**Owners Must Pay the License or Dogs will be Electrocutted.**  
The town council hath spoken. Until the 27th of August, owners of dogs will have an opportunity to pay the license. All dogs on which payment is not then made will go by speedy transit to the happy hunting ground. At Friday evening's meeting of the council this was announced and Coun. Henderson showed the members a sample of the tag that will be put on every dog's collar. A dog without a collar and without a tag will be hunted and persecuted and death will be his portion.

Oh! dog without a tag,  
You'll do well to get a jag,  
And in town no longer lag,  
For they'll put you in a bag,  
And to the river drag,  
At the tail of some old nag,  
And in the cold, cold water you will sa-a-g.

The poetical editor says this jubilee hymn will be sung at daylight on the 27th of August by 999 dogs in Woodstock. The 1000th dog will have a tag.

Parish street commissioner Lenihan wants the poor house property to pay for road work, but the council claims that the parish owes them a pretty little account which it would do well to satisfy first.

MARRIED.

**MATHESON-HAY.**—At the residence of the bride's brother, A. Wilmot Hay, Lower Woodstock, June 16th, by Rev. H. Harrison, B. A., Donald W. Matheson, of Hartland, Carleton Co., to Mary Louisa Hay, of Lower Woodstock.

**WILBUR-PARKER.**—At Woodstock, July 7th, by Ven. Archdeacon Neales, James H. Wilbur, jr., and Louise Estelle, youngest daughter of Charles Parker, all of Woodstock, N. B.

**MCLENNNEY-SOMERVILLE.**—At the Baptist Parsonage, Florenceville, July 7th, by Rev. A. H. Hayward, Mr. John F. McLennney, of Argyle, Aberdeen, to Miss Lucy A., daughter of Thomas Somerville Esq., Biggar Ridge.

**THOMPSON-JENKINS.**—At Perth, June 24th, by Rev. H. G. Grant, M. A., Ernest A. Thompson, of Burlington, Maine, to Mabel J. Jenkins, Foster Cove, Tobique.

**JARVIS-MURRAY.**—At the residence of the bride's father, George Murray, July 7th, by Rev. H. Harrison, B. A., W. F. D. Jarvis to Janet S. Murray all of Benton, N. B.

DIED.

**KINNEY.**—At Spragus Mills, Aroostook, Co. Me., July 4th, of consumption, Annie M., aged 23 years, daughter of James S. and the late Lavina Kinney of Oromocto. Her end was peace.

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IN 100 YEARS

Your children and your grand children will thank you for having bought one of our Woodstock Souvenirs of the Diamond Jubilee. This is a Sterling Silver Spoon, bearing on the handle in enamel the British Coat of Arms with the inscription "Victoria, Queen and Empress" and the dates "1837-1897." The bowl of the spoon bears in relief a picture of Woodstock taken from a position a little below the Grafton end of the bridge. This picture is so clear that one can distinguish the principal churches north of the Meduxnakeag, the Post Office, Queen Street Station, and other buildings. Beside souvenir spoons we also have Three Kinds of Jubilee Brooches, Flag Pins, Etc., Etc.

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E. M. CAMPBELL, Woodstock.

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Cash down will buy a first class Dominion Piano, new, or will sell on time at 7% interest with good approved note. Can be seen at Elmwood Cottage, A. McLean's residence, Woodstock. For further particulars address  
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10x12 Mounts \$7 per dozen.  
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The above prices will be strictly adhered to. A customer is entitled to two sittings, and 25 cents extra for every additional sitting.  
Deposit of \$1 must be made at time of sitting.  
E. M. CAMPBELL,  
B. R. WATSON,  
Photographers.  
Woodstock, N. B., June 25, 1897.

Dark Year For Russia.

London, July 10.—The Daily Mail's correspondent at St. Petersburg says:

"The harvest prospects in Central and South Russia are getting worse and worse. Continuous rains and destroying hay crops, while the exceptional poor beat crop in Podolien (Podolia) has practically ruined the sugar industry. The crops in some of the Baltic provinces also have suffered heavily from rains; and a significant sign of the gravity of the situation is the fact that an unusually severe censorship is exercised over the news concerning it. There is every likelihood that the present will be one of the darkest years in Russian history."

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