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A REAL HOLIDAY.

Woodstock has decided to have a celebration on the 22nd of June, the day set apart for honouring the Queen's Diamond Jubilee—or sixty years' reign. The committees who have the affair in hand are going ahead with a right royal will, and citizens are looking forward to a gala day, unsurpassed in the history of the town.

Would it not be well to make the day in question a real holiday, not a sham one? A sham holiday is one in which the stores are kept open and clerks instead of joining in the fun are busier than on ordinary days. We have had a good many such holidays in Woodstock.

The merchants do not show any particular loyalty or patriotism, if they welcome the holiday as an occasion for making money.

Across the border, when they go in for a time, they do it thoroughly, and we may well take a lesson from them. The correct thing would be for the merchants of Woodstock to close their stores on the 22nd of June. Restaurants and hotels would necessarily be kept open but other places of business might better be closed. Otherwise only a portion of the population enjoy the holiday.

If this is impossible and the town merchants cannot agree to close on the 22nd, we suggest that the proprietors do the work, and that the clerks be allowed a day off.

The members of the Board of Trade at their last meeting took up several important matters, among the number the desirability of having the river channel deepened by dredging. The Board resolved to ask an appropriation from parliament for the purpose, but they will be glad to learn from yesterday's proceedings at Ottawa, that their wish has been anticipated, no doubt through the kind offices of Hon. A. G. Blair. Hon. Mr. Tarte, Minister of Public Works, stated the vote asked for, \$16,000, for the St. John river was intended for dredging at the Oronto shoals and other points with the hope of making a channel ten feet deep between St. John and Fredericton, and four feet deep from Fredericton to Woodstock.—F'ton Herald.

A Nova Scotia exchange says:—"The rate-payers of Truro have voted \$7,500 to build a home for the poor, as a work of loyalty to Her Gracious Majesty Queen Victoria. The sum was voted in ten minutes at a meeting of citizens held there recently." No better way to commemorate the Queen's long reign.

When the town does begin the job of asphaltting the sidewalks, it had better buy out the whole island of Trinidad.

Bicycle Notes.

C. Richardson, by defeating Elliott (who rode a specially built wheel) last Thursday night, has gained for himself the proud honor of being hailed as the "Coasting King of Canada." His mount was a Cleveland, model 29 (that had been taken from the retail department, and not prepared in any way for the match), which he rode in preference to any other make, though he had a wheel offered him that had been specially built for this coasting competition, as he considered his Cleveland the easiest running wheel of them all, and the result of the competition justified his good opinion of the wheel.—Toronto Globe.

W. F. Dibblee & Son are agents for Cleveland wheels.

Fire on St. John St.

At two o'clock yesterday morning, the fire alarm sounded and the brigade were called to a house on St. John Street, unoccupied, and owned by Mr. W. S. Saunders. The roof was burned off before the fire was put out. Loss about \$100. It is thought the house was set a fire.

The best way to avoid scalp diseases, hair falling out, and premature baldness, is to use the best preventive known for that purpose—Hall's Hair Renewer.

When a man allows pain to get the mastery over him—when he is anxious to avoid it on all occasions, and is ever moaning over what is unavoidable, then he becomes an object of contempt rather than pity.

Let us take time to hear the Word of God. Its treasures will last when we shall have ceased to care for the war of political parties and rise the fall of stocks, or the petty happenings of the day.

PERSONAL EXPERIENCE.

Mr. H. Hindson, of Hindson Bros., Watford, Ont., says: "From personal experience I recommend Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills for nervousness and general weakness of the system, and can say without doubt they are the best medicine I ever used."

A little neglect may breed great mischief. For want of a nail the shoe was lost; for want of a shoe the horse was lost; and for want of a horse the rider was lost, being overtaken and slain by the enemy.

Personal

John Munro spent Sunday at home.

S. D. Durkee, Hartland, was in town on Thursday last.

Hugh Hay and Wife returned from Philadelphia last week.

Howard P. Wetmore, Halifax, spent the 24th in Woodstock.

Miss White, Centreville was in Woodstock last week visiting friends.

Miss Macdonald, Toronto, is visiting her sister Mrs. Glenville James.

Charles Wilkinson and family have moved from Centreville to Woodstock.

A. R. Slipp and B. C. Chalmers, Fredericton, spent Sunday in Woodstock.

Wm. Tompkins and Mr. Smalley, East Florenceville were in Woodstock last week.

Miss Minnie Shields, Houlton, spent Sunday with Miss Mabel Estey, Woodstock.

Miss Ida Clark, after spending the winter in Boston has returned to Woodstock.

Miss Laura Rolling of Hyda Park, Mass, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Clark.

George Clark, of Tenant, Davies & Clark, Fredericton spent Sunday and Monday in town.

James Porter, Andover, J. S. Stevens, Salmon River, registered at the Victoria on Monday.

F. S. Shaw, Principal of the Shaw Business College, Portland, Me., registered at the Carlisle last week.

Frank Haley, Lower Wakefield, received a serious kick on the knee from a horse a couple of weeks ago. He was able to be in town last Saturday but, he still experiences some pain and inconvenience.

Captain William Miller and his son, Gilbert M. Miller, Grafton, leave this week for Haverhill, Mass., where for the past seventeen seasons Capt. Miller has been running on a passenger steamer on the Merrimac.

J. Vanwart, Kingston Ont. Geo. McArthur, John O'Regan, T. C. Wallace, G. B. Volhaupler, D. K. Mollison, F. V. Loyd, R. G. Allin, St. John, Geo. Irvine, Caribou, Frank M. Howard, Mrs. E. R. Howard, W. H. McClary, W. H. Kelley, Andover, J. Drane, Chicago, J. F. Kirk, Sussex, J. S. Lawson, Amherst, Bert. Doyle, Houlton, Harry Faulkner, Mrs. Harry Faulkner, Geo. Faulkner, Crystal Me. S. Alward, Island Falls, C. M. Edwards, Hamilton Ont., Houlton Base Ball Club, Houlton, Miss Nellie Roy, Fredericton, V. B. Smith, Frank Carpenter, H. Eddlad, T. L. Dyer, Robt Wetmore, Houlton, are at the Aberdeen.

A. Isaacs, St. John, F. Haviland, F'ton, J. A. Chiquette, Montreal, J. W. Drinth, St. Stephen, W. A. Gibson, F'ton, Mrs. J. S. White, Houlton, A. G. Nicklin, Acton, Ont. T. P. Watson, Houlton, John Glyc, Montreal, G. R. Teed, St. Stephen, G. J. Hanes, St. Marys, O. Thibedeau, Montreal, F. L. Shaw, Portland Me, M. I. Spaulding, McAdam, Vaughan, Toronto, I. Ham, New York, James Robertson, Montreal, F. H. Estabrooks, St. John, A. Bettin, Toronto, S. S. Miller, Hartland, C. W. Currie, F'ton; John R. Tompkins, East Florenceville; Miss Hattie Beatty, Houlton; Miss Carrie Whemore, T. C. Brown, Middle Southampton; B. W. Morgan, Hartland; Wm. Balmain, A. A. Gundry, H. S. Wright, Town; Thos. McMurray, Yarmouth; A. Chesterlin, Boston; W. H. Horn, St. John; Miss MacDonnel, Toronto; D. G. Haine, Hamilton; J. C. Lombard, J. B. Crandell, C. W. Phillips, Houlton; F. H. Stevens, John B. Gough, Hartland; Miss Good, Miss Hughes, Jacksonville; J. M. McKay, R. J. Inardou, Montreal; H. C. Beatty, F. M. Baker, Toronto; Sydney H. Boutiller, Boston; A. R. Melrose, H. P. Kerr, J. H. Barber, J. I. Knight, St. John; Fred Stevens, Hartland; D. Fraser, B. C. Chalmers, Arthur Slipp, Fredericton; H. P. Wetmore, Halifax, N. S.; H. P. Hatherson, Houlton; Dennis McGaffigan, Florenceville, are at the Carlisle.

CAPTAIN SWEENEY, U. S. A., San Diego Cal., says: "Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy is the first medicine I have ever found that would do me any good." Price 50c.

Victoria Hospital.

The following appeal has been forwarded to this paper for publication:—

Everywhere throughout the Empire movements are on foot to commemorate the sixty year reign of our gracious Queen. The Victorian era has been the greatest in human history. In the field of discovery and invention, in the industrial arts generally, it has been an era of glorious triumphs. Our countrymen everywhere are proud of it. They are proud of what it has done in the name of humanity.

Our good Sovereign, recognizing the universal desire to celebrate the Approaching Jubilee anniversary, has expressed a wish that any popular memorial in this behalf may be of a humane character. She has particularly commended public hospitals, in which, with adequate medical skill, the life and health of any, even the humblest citizen in the land may be a watchful care.

The Victoria Hospital, Fredericton, founded 10 years in honor of Her Majesty's Golden Jubilee, has been ministering to the sick to the number of 110 persons annually. It has been the means of Salvation of many a life. More than one half of its patients have received Treatment Gratuitously. More than one-half of its free patients have come from places outside of Fredericton.

The number of applications for relief in the Hospital has been increasing so that its enlargement has become an absolute necessity. The Board of Trustees have accordingly undertaken the construction of an addition to the building by which its capability will be more than doubled; and in order to defray the cost of the new building and provide a much needed endowment fund for the enlarged work of maintenance, a subscription list has been successfully opened.

This will afford to the friends of the afflicted, to the patriotic and public-spirited everywhere throughout the province, an opportunity to assist a worthy object, while doing honor to a worthy occasion.

The General Committee, appointed by the citizens of Fredericton to promote the Hospital Memorial Fund, has elected His Worship Mayor Van Wart as permanent chairman, with Hon. A. F. Randolph (President of the Hospital Directors) as chairman of the General Subscription Committee, and W. T. Whitehead as treasurer. Either of these gentlemen will receive and gratefully acknowledge contributions to the fund. They will appreciate it, and it will expedite their labors, if all contributors will tender their aid without solicitation.

(Signed)

WESLEY VANWART,
Chairman Gen. Com.
A. F. RANDOLPH,
President Board Directors.

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The great pain cure. Used externally cures rheumatism, swellings, sprains, bruises, stiffness, pain and soreness of every description. Internally used it cures croup, colds, sore throat, hoarseness, asthma, bronchitis, quinsy, etc. Price 25c., all druggists.

1877.

NOTICE.

1897.

To my many esteemed customers who, during the past twenty years have given me a generous portion of their patronage, and to the public in general, I desire to announce that after the 1st day of June, 1897, I will close my books and thereafter will do only a strictly cash business. When goods are taken on approbation the money will be refunded on return of goods. The amount of money I will thus be enabled to save in the management of my store will be given to my customers in the way of Reduced Prices, and in premiums on purchases. As heretofore I will give a beautiful piece of German Furniture with every purchase of \$25. I desire to request that my customers will not ask me to break my cash rule as it is only by making the rule inexorable that I can effect the saving that will enable me to sell at almost wholesale prices. I warmly thank my patrons of the past and respectfully ask a continuance of the patronage that will in the future be even more beneficial to them than it has been.

Yours faithfully,

Main Street, Woodstock.

B. B. MANZER.

GRENADIER
AND BUTCHER

A Military Bandsman of 50 Year's Standing and a Young Butcher Experience the Marvellous Curative Powers of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

A NEWSPAPER INVESTIGATION.

In the Case of Mr. Henry Pye Diabetes Had Brought on Paralysis—Two Doctors said Wm. Wade was Dying of Bright's Disease.

Dodd's Kidney Pills
Cured Them.

Each of them tells an interesting story to a newspaper Reporter—Mr. Pye played in the Marine Band at the Duke of Wellington's funeral—In the Royal Grenadiers' Band for 20 years—He had given up hope when Dodd's Kidney Pills cured him—Wm. Wade, after being sick for years with Bright's Disease and his life despaired of, tests the power of Dodd's Kidney Pills and is now in good health.

From Mail and Empire.

The reputation which Dodd's Kidney Pills enjoy today must have been built upon a broad foundation of sure curative qualities. To verify this view, a Mail and Empire representative yesterday investigated two wonderful cures that have been much talked of in the East End of the city, and the results of the enquiry are worth recording.

The first man interviewed was Mr. Henry Pye, 115 Pape ave. He is a genial, happy, prosperous-looking man of sixty-five years, and was very pleased to see anyone who wished to talk about Dodd's Kidney Pills. "Why shouldn't I talk about Dodd's Kidney Pills?" asked Mr. Pye. "In the first place, they saved my life—no doubt about that—and in the second place, if it hadn't been for them, I couldn't have kept my situation. A neighbor of mine, Mrs. Farrell, she's a great Methodist, was cured by them, and she calls them God's Kidney Pills."

"But you want to hear my story. I'm a bandsman, you know. By trade I'm a shoemaker, but six years ago I laid away my last, and since then have given all my time to music. I've been a member of the Royal Grenadiers' band for twenty years. It's just fifty years ago last month since I joined the Marine Band in England. I played at the Duke of Wellington's funeral, in 1852.

"For thirty-five years I have lived in Toronto.

"In the winter I play at the rinks. Two years ago the first night was very cold, and I got chilled through. That was the beginning of my sickness. Last summer, when the Grenadiers went to Berlin, I could hardly get through the day. The next morning I got up feeling pretty well. But after breakfast I was taken with frightful pains in my back. I had to send for a doctor. He gave me morphine, and pronounced it a very bad case of diabetes. It was a week I lost forty pounds of flesh. I would drink so much water that I would go out and vomit it. But I would come in with just as great a thirst as ever. I must have drank gallons of it a day."

"But could you still get round all right?"

"Well, no. My right leg began to be paralyzed, and at times my foot would swing about as if I had no control of it. I was living on Grant street then, but as I couldn't walk, I thought I might as well ride a bit farther, and came out here to get the country air."

"I have been accustomed to play in the band at the Exhibition, and last year, as the Exhibition time drew near, I was anxious to stick it out for that engagement, thinking it would be my last. I was beginning to feel the paralysis in my fingers, so that I could scarcely work the keys. My friends, too, thought it was all up with me.

"During the Exhibition I stayed with my

daughter, who lives in Parkdale. I was getting worse every day. My son-in-law said he had heard of several women in Parkdale who had been cured of kidney disease by using Dodd's Kidney Pills. So he got a box for me, and I started taking them. Before two days I began to feel better. I took that box and ten others. By that time I felt so well that I stopped taking them, except occasionally. My health is now first-rate, but I still take the pills, off and on.

"Last winter I played sixty nights at the rink without the least inconvenience. Yesterday I walked ten miles. Last summer I could no more have done that than fly. Really, I feel myself getting stronger every day. I can run up the four flights of stairs to the band practice-room easier than I could crawl up them last summer. I'm just about my healthy weight, and fit as a fiddle."

"I tell you Dodd's Kidney Pills are all right. I've started a dozen people taking them since I was cured. My daughter, who has been sick and doctoring for a long time, has begun to take the Tablets, and she says they help her as nothing else has done."

William Wade, the nineteen-year-old son of Mr. Henry Wade, the well-known East End butcher, 940 Queen street east, was another who it was reported had been marvellously cured. When seen by a Mail and Empire representative, he was in the act of hoisting a hundred-and-forty pound quarter of beef to his shoulder and carrying it into the shop.

"Are you the boy that was thought to be dying of Bright's disease a year and a half ago, and had been given up by two doctors?" asked the newspaper man.

"I am, and it was a pretty close shave I had."

"Well, you don't look much of an infant or invalid now."

"You saw what I was doing. Well, I was as good as a corpse a year and a half ago. It'd just take a minute to tell you about it."

"Six years ago I had an attack of diptheria. I was just over it when I went hunting, and got a relapse. Kidney trouble set in. It would come back every spring and fall for three or four weeks. Of course, the attacks became more severe, and in the intervals I was of little use to myself or anyone else."

"A year ago last fall I got so bad that two doctors were attending me daily. It was Bright's disease, they said. They said, too, that if I got over that attack I would not be able to work for six years. Before long they gave me up altogether, and said my death was but a matter of a few weeks. It was then that some one brought me a box of Dodd's Kidney Pills. I took fifteen boxes and was cured."

"I continued to take the pills occasionally, especially after heavy lifting. Now I can do a heavy day's work and feel first-rate after it. I recommend Dodd's Kidney Pills to everyone that I know has kidney trouble."

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NOTICE.

The imported Percheron Stallion "Preferee" will make the season of 1897 at the Victoria Hotel stables, Woodstock.

G. ALLAN BULL.

NOTICE.

All persons are hereby cautioned against harbouring or trusting Joseph Tompkins of the Parish of Wakefield, and Nancy, a woman living with him, on the account of the Parish of Wakefield, as that parish will not be responsible for any of their debts.

JOHN HARPER,
N. K. SHAW,
Overseers of the Poor for the Parish of Wakefield.

March 16.

Town Treasurer's
NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that I have this day received the ASSESSMENT ROLL for 1897 of the Town of Woodstock, and that all persons assessed in the said Town shall be entitled to a

Reduction or Discount of 5 Per Cent.

on the amount assessed against them respectively, upon the payment of their respective rates to the Town Treasurer any time on or before the 25th day of June next.

Dated at Woodstock the 19th day of May, 1897.
W. FISHER,
Town Treasurer and Collector and Receiver of Town Taxes.

HOUSEKEEPERS'
JUBILEE.

The opening of the New Bakery is a Jubilee for the housekeepers of Woodstock; it means no more standing over hot stoves in hot weather, for the VICTORIA BAKERY is the only one in town that can supply you with first-class home cooking. All who have used our Bread buy again, and our CAKE and PASTRY can't be beat. Leave your order before Friday for BROWN BREAD and BEANS.

Ask for Ryder's Cream Roll none other is genuine. Call and select and have the goods delivered. Cooking for weddings, picnic and fishing parties a specialty.

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Transient Boarders will find comfortable quarters here.

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