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**MUST GET A GAIT ON.**

The last meeting of the Board of Trade was the most successful, as far as attendance is concerned and general interest in the proceedings, of any regular monthly meeting yet held. There is an unanimity of feeling among the business men of Woodstock that something must be done.

The fact is that we have hitherto harped altogether too much on "competition." It is "competition" that tells. "Competition" is the life of trade. This has been the song, we have ceaselessly sung day and night, and we have forgotten the meaning of the word "co-operation."

Now, business competition is necessary, though the lengths to which it is carried would be utterly opposed to christian methods, if we really intended to use christianity for anything excepting a cloak. But as we are christians, in name only, and do not care for the spirit of its founder, it doesn't matter.

Then, from the business standpoint. It is in the interest of every resident of Woodstock that the town should grow. If it grows we will be better off; if it stagnates we will all be poorer.

A good strong company whose object would be to buy country produce of all kinds, giving a good cash price will mean thousands of dollars to the town and thousands of dollars to the farmers. It will necessitate the establishment of cold storage, it will mean close attention to the best markets, it will mean that the farmer must give his best energy, his best labor, and his best product.

The company is not yet hatched but it is in the shell and when the time comes the bird to do the necessary crowing will be on hand.

We must get a gait on, or else take a back seat, and Woodstock does not propose to adopt the latter course.

**OUR LOCAL PARLIAMENT.**

The local legislature will meet on the 10th of this month.

Members will gather from the north, from the south, from the east and from the west of the province, and after deliberating a few weeks, they will draw their \$300. and mileage—and come home. Well! the laborer is worthy of his hire.

Our provincial government appears to be getting on the right track at last. They are in for aiding the farming industry. That is right. Make the farmer prosperous, and we will all grow fat, and die full of riches and great honor.

If we could only devise some means of lessening the cost of our provincial legislature, it would be an excellent scheme. Three intelligent, patriotic, thoughtful members go to Fredericton from Carleton county. Why do they not form themselves into a reform committee, and thus earn undying fame? They are not greatly indebted to the government. Cabinet offices have not been flung vacant at their heads.

Now, let them start a new party, the party of economy. Let them go in for cutting down expenses, and make our local parliament a model,—which it most certainly, is not now.

Maine is a large state. It has more than twice the population of New Brunswick. The state under the American system of government, has more power than the province under our system. Yet, the Maine legislature meets only once every two years. THE DISPATCH is not altogether in favor of biennial sessions of any body. But if we do not go in for biennial sessions we might at least copy Maine's methods in other ways. We might economize in other respects.

Our province is too small to stand the expense it is put to in being run. Its credit is good, but, if its credit should fail, what? Many a business man had excellent credit. It has failed suddenly. What has become of him? Go, ask the winds, or anybody else.

Our \$9000 a year governor will be on deck. It is for attending such functions as the opening of the new bridge he is paid \$9000. Goldwin Smith says, if the premier had a rubber stamp, in place of a governor it would be better and cheaper. Oh! a very great institution is our local government.

Anyway it will meet, it will pass a number of new acts, and another book of statutes will appear. The New Brunswick statutes are already fearfully and wonderfully made, and each year piles up more.

All we can ask of the legislature during its session this is year that it will do as little harm as possible.

"Are you sure you married me for myself alone?" Hicks: "Of course. Having your mother to live with us was not strictly an idea of mine."

**MUST MOVE ON.**

Woodstock Will Not be Behind in The Race.

Largely Attended Meeting of the Board of Trade. Much Interest in the Proposed Produce Company.—Address by Prominent Business Men.

Woodstock's Board of Trade is sometimes called names. But that doesn't hurt it. It goes on just the same.

The meeting on the evening of the 25th ult was the largest monthly meeting ever held by the board, the attendance being about twenty-five, all members in good standing. Three new members were added: A. D. Holyoke, The Maritime Pure Food Co., and J. S. Eagles.

At a previous meeting a special committee had been appointed to suggest means for improving the business of the town. They reported in favor of the forming of a company to handle agricultural produce and also in favor of the establishment of a pulp mill. The first proposition was that which received the most attention.

A. Henderson was most enthusiastic in the matter. He was ready to do his share. Farmers had met him and expressed their appreciation of the idea.

Jas. Carr was equally sure that the company would be a good thing. He was willing to put his shoulder to the wheel and help it along.

J. T. A. Dibblee, M. P. P., fully agreed with the two former speakers. Something must be done to aid the trade of Woodstock. The farmer must be educated to raise the best produce. Then there would be no difficulty.

H. P. Baird likewise endorsed the scheme. Everything must be arranged so that the proposed investor would know just what he was going into. Such a company would be of vast advantage he thought to the local dealer.

Wm. Dibblee thought the company must not be on too small a scale. It must be sufficiently large to have agents in the markets, and to pay a good cash price for all good produce. Such a concern rightly conducted would be the salvation of Woodstock.

The report was unanimously accepted, and the committee, being yet at work, will have more to say. Coun. Henderson ventured the suggestion that this time next year a first class company would be a fact.

The secretary was instructed to gather all all necessary information as to markets, etc., and to write to D. W. Campbell of the Beaver line who is much interested in the development of this province.

During the evening it came out that maple blocks have come from Ontario and are shipped by the Beaver line from St. John to England. Mr. Campbell has offered to send a sample of these blocks, which it is thought could be made here, and the secretary was asked to write to him in the matter.

Messrs. F. B. Greene and T. C. L. Ketchum (secretary) were appointed a committee to write to the St. John Board of Trade regarding a memorial they are talking of sending to parliament asking that the date of canning be stamped on all canned goods.

**NO MATTER.**

No matter how obstinate the cough, how severe the cold, NORWAY PINE SYRUP will cure and cure quickly. No other remedy equals it in curative power over throat and lung troubles.

**How People Walk.**

Obstinacy is indicated by the slow, heavy and a flat-footed style of walking, miserliness may be suspected from short, nervous and anxious footsteps.

Turned-in toes generally characterize the absent-minded, and a stoop the studious and deeply reflective, whose thoughts are anywhere rather than with themselves.

Sly, cunning people walk with a noiseless, even and stealthy tread, resembling that of a cat. A proud person generally takes even steps, holds the figure upright and the head a little back, and turns the toes well out.

A gay and volatile person trips lightly and easily in sympathy with his or her nature. Character is shown by all sorts of oddities in gait, but for grace and elegance no civilian's walk will bear comparison with that of the man who has received military training.

No two people walk exactly alike, and the student of character finds as much to interest him in the way people walk as in any peculiarity they may have of feature. Quick steps denote agitation; slow steps, either long or short, suggests a gentle or contemplative turn of mind.

**WILL YOU TRY?**

Will you try to get rid of constipation if we tell you how? The remedy is BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS. It puts the stomach, liver and bowels in PERFECT ORDER. We prove what we print: "I think there is no equal to B. B. B. for constipation," says MRS. THOMAS TAMBLYN, Oshawa, Ont. "It cured both my husband and myself after using only five bottles in all."

**It Is Time**

To turn over a new leaf!

THE BEST

**New Year's Resolution**

FOR ALL

**Weak and Nervous Men:**

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**Domestic Hints.**

Your housekeepers will do well to always do their own marketing, and to invariably pay cash as they go.

It is useless to fret over troubles. Fretting will never remove them, and it only weakens our energy and mars our life.

To prevent bad sores apply with a feather the white of an egg beaten with two teaspoonfuls of spirits of wine. Keep well cooked.

Drunkenness, thriftlessness, wastefulness and gambling make far more paupers than all the deaths, accidents and other real misfortunes.

When a knife has been used to cut onions, wipe it with a damp cloth and rub it briskly with coarse salt; the objectionable smell will then entirely disappear.

Recent experiments to discover the best fire resisting materials for the construction of doors are said to have proved that wood covered with tin is better than solid iron.

A medical contemporary condemns the use of so called rice-powder for the face, on the ground of its injurious effect on the skin. Some of the rice-powders are alleged to be no longer composed of rice, but of chalk, white lead, starch, and alabaster in varying proportions.

The tendency in men's ties is to wear bows very much smaller than last season, cardinal and maroon, with a black stripe, being a new development. The more pronounced or heavy stripes are not liked. The exclusive public in London and Paris insist on having the stripes straight down the tie.

**PAIN—WRACK.**

No Station in Life is Proof Against Rheumatism—All Come Under the Ban—South American Rheumatic Cure Cures All.

"Chas. Cotton, of Ganaouque, has been employed by the Rathbun Company for nearly twenty years as engineer, and from the nature of the employment was subjected to severe attacks of rheumatism. He tried many remedies with scarcely any benefit. South American Rheumatic Cure was recommended to him. He found almost instant relief and the first bottle effected a cure.—Sold by Garden Bros.

If we had our way, most of us would choose a new set of circumstances and would afterwards repent bitterly. God doeth better for His sons, disarming and illuminating the things which were against us, so that they become our protection—the storm on the surface hiding the eternal calm below.

**T. B. THISTLE, MERCHANT TAILOR,**

Has opened with a fine stock, in

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All kinds of Custom Tailoring done. Latest Styles. Good fit guaranteed.

**NOTICE OF SALE.**

To Walter J. Doucett, of the Parish of Aberdeen, in the County of Carleton and Province of New Brunswick, farmer, and Mary Doucett, his wife, and all others whom it may concern.

TAKE NOTICE that there will be sold at Public Auction in front of the Post Office in the Town of Woodstock in the County of Carleton, on MONDAY, the TWENTY-EIGHTH day of FEBRUARY next, at the hour of three of the clock in the afternoon, the following lands and premises namely:—All that certain piece, parcel and lot of land, situated in the Parish of Brighton in the County of Carleton in the Province of New Brunswick aforesaid, Bounded and described as follows:—Beginning at a Post standing at the North-Western angle of lot number fifty-nine, in range Four, in Windsor, on the easterly side of a reserved road; thence, by the magnet of the year A. D. 1851 South seventy-three degrees East, one hundred chains, to the westerly side of another reserved road; thence along the same North seventeen degrees East ten chains; thence North seventy-three degrees West one hundred chains to the easterly side of the reserved road first aforesaid; And from thence along the place of beginning containing One Hundred acres more or less, and distinguished as Lot number Sixty in Range Four in Windsor Settlement, together with all buildings and improvements thereon.

The above sale will be held under and by virtue of a Power of Sale contained in a certain Indenture of Mortgage bearing date the twenty-eighth day of December A. D. 1881 and made between the said Walter J. Doucett, and said Mary Doucett, of the one part, and William Lindsay, late of the Town of Woodstock in said County of Carleton, Merchant, deceased, of the other part, which said Mortgage is Registered in the Office of the Registrar of Deeds for said County of Carleton in Book O number three of Records on pages 544 and 545, default having been made in the payment of the moneys thereby secured.

Dated this Fifth day of January, A. D. 1898.  
ALEXANDER LINDSAY,  
JOHN A. LINDSAY,  
Executors of last Will and Testament of late William Lindsay.

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We can supply you with the well-known Hussey Pattern which always proves satisfactory, or if you wish for a Steel Plow, we can furnish you with the \$21 which is proving itself to be the Best Steel Plow in Canada,

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Woodstock, N. B.

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New Canadian History for use in schools.

**W. H. EVERETT,** Woodstock

**FALL OF 1897.**

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Sleighs and Pungs Repaired and Painted at Short Notice and at Lowest Prices.

We have several SECOND HAND CARRIAGES which will be sold away down to make room for SLEIGHS.

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For favors is no more than right. Therefore, we thank our many customers for their patronage during the past year, and solicit a continuance of the same in future, and we trust through honest dealing and our very low prices for cash or produce only, to gain many more. Wishing all a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

We are yours,

**C. M. SHERWOOD & BRO.**

WOODSTOCK.