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NEWS FROM THE COUNTY.

CANTERBURY STATION, N. B.

Henry W. Carr went to St. John Wednesday. Mrs. William Jarvis, Skiff Lake, is very ill. A large number from this section intend taking advantage of the cheap rate to St. John Monday. William Collicott Sr. one of the oldest residents of this parish died Thursday. The funeral was held yesterday under the management of the Orange order of which deceased was a member for many years having been present at Woodstock on that memorable day in 47.

LAKEVILLE.

We are having some very catching harvest weather at present, just a fine day now and again. Wilson and White are now putting the finishing touches on the inside of their new store which when done will be a credit to Lakeville. Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Carvell and Mrs. I. S. Carvell have gone to Boston intending to make a short visit. The school will be opened next month, the scholars are preparing for the new school-house.

EAST FLORENCEVILLE.

Our esteemed and aged neighbor Mr. Edmund Tompkins was seriously injured last week by falling off his double wagon when coming in from his back farm. On a steep down grade one wheel came off, the shock threw Mr. Tompkins from his seat between wheels, the hind wheel passing over his body and inflicting many internal injuries. The family has the sympathy of the entire community for many fears are entertained of his recovery.

There is much illness in our village. Mrs. Watts Tompkins had an attack of chronic dyspepsia very serious in its effect. We are glad to report is now convalescent.

Major Hartley who has not been well since his return from school of Equitation in St. John has been very ill indeed not being able to leave his bed for several days. Drs. say his illness will be of a lingering type as he got such a shaking up at school.

Miss Laura Tompkins who had sustained a severe injury of the knee we are glad to see is now able to come out with the aid of a crutch.

Mrs. Gertie Baily has a young daughter born last evening.

Our Museum is still a great attraction many have called to examine curios and all the public in general are invited to see some fine specimens of Amethysts Crystals and water Diamonds procured in Car. County. There has been many new specimens added to the already large number this summer.

The harvest is nearly all gathered many have had such an abundance that have not barn room and large stacks of grain is to be seen outside of which is working almost day and night to secure the harvest.

The Milliners from Centreville, Glassville, Bristol and Florenceville will go to St. John to attend the opening on the 20, 21, and 22nd after which the Ladies may call for fall and winter Millinery.

The meetings in connection with the Plebiscite question is well represented. Our Minister and Temperance men are working nobly. We hope that all the young men of our community and elsewhere will go to the poles and cast a vote for Prohibition.

If the women could vote on this question no doubt but it would be successful. May all men cast their votes on the right side and they shall find favor with God and their wives mothers and sisters.

RICHMOND.

The members of Richmond L. O. F. No. 109 intend giving a Farmers' Supper in their hall at Richmond Corner on Tuesday evening September 27th. Admission and supper 40cts. Children under 12 years of age 20cts. Proceeds go towards finishing their hall.

We invite you all both weak and small Come to the feast that night And there you will get the strength you need For the prohibition plebiscite.

MEDUCTIC.

An error in last week's issue referring to an approaching marriage, said Thursday instead of Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward of Newport, spent Saturday with Dr. and Mrs. David Porter of Hartland have been visiting relatives in this vicinity.

The Baptists intend to hold a harvest supper on their grounds above the bridge on the 28th, inst. with an entertainment in the church in the evening.

On Thursday evening the church at Springfield was filled to listen to a temperance lecture in the interest of the plebiscite by A. E. Pearson of Meductic followed by a short and interesting address by the Rev. W. H. Sherwood. Music and recitations were sandwiched in making a pleasant evening's program.

On Friday evening a public meeting was held in the F. B. Church at Meductic. At eight o'clock, the chair was taken by A. E. Pearson. The meeting was opened by prayer and a short address by the Rev. W. H. Sherwood, after which W. L. McFarlane of Nashwaakasis, being introduced, gave a strong, forcible temperance lecture. The people here are beginning to become interested in the prohibition question.

Mrs. Marsten and Miss Beatrice Marsten intend visiting St. John during this week.

Miss Maggie Rogers left for Bangor on Thursday.

The Rev. Mr. Clements (Methodist) of Benton holds services in the F. B. Church on Sunday, October 2nd, at 3 o'clock.

In the evening of the same day the Rev. A. H. Williams (Free Baptist) will give his farewell sermon.

Miss Lella Wiggins, who has resigned the school above the bridge, leaves this week for the neighboring republic.

H. T. Marsten has returned from his trip to Toronto, Niagara and Montreal.

Mrs. Fred Moore and her daughter, Mrs. Grant visited Meductic last week.

BATH.

On Wednesday last Bath sent to the St. John exhibition, its quota of representatives, to the number of about sixteen.

The recent fine weather has been a great boon to the farmers of this locality, who with very few exceptions have succeeded in "gathering in the sheaves."

Dr. Commins, wife and child, went to Montreal on Tuesday, 20th for a short vacation. They will return on the 27th.

Dr. McManus, wife and child, of Washburn, Maine, came to Bath last week and went to St. John with the excursionists from this place.

Matrimony seems to be in the wind in a certain quarter of Canaan, and now there is a faint suspicion of a rumor going around to the effect that Miss Mary daughter of Roger McElroy, of Canaan, will be married next week to a Mr. McGrath of Mauderville, York County.

T. C. Bohan, who, with his wife are visiting at Thomas Bohan's, is, we are sorry to say, confined to the house with a severe attack of pleurisy. We hope however that his illness will be of short duration.

Arthur Evans, of Garden Bros. was in town last week on business. So also was Arthur McKenzie of Ganong Bros., St. Stephen.

The plebiscite campaign does not appear to have over excited our worthy citizens and we venture to predict a very small vote; those voting being in favor of the scheme.

The travelling public are beginning to appreciate the endeavours of Gilbert Giberson to accommodate them, and he is already making quite a snug capital out of his coach and from the trains.

Percy Cass, has sold out his blacksmith business and intends leaving with his wife and family to labor for some other community. Wherever he goes he will make many friends and an agreeable citizen. We are sorry to lose Percy, but we assure him and his good wife that it will be a long time before the community will forget them for their many good qualities.

BIGGAR RIDGE

The farmers are rapidly getting through with their harvesting. Apple paring and oyster suppers seem to be the order of the day.

Miss Keziah Hayden has returned home from Bristol and Florenceville where she has been visiting friends and relatives.

Mrs. R. Barker, Boston, Mass. who has been visiting her sisters Mrs. Harvey Biggar, and Mrs. J. Huggard, is now visiting her aunt, Mrs. T. Emery of Williamstown.

Mrs. Hiram Biggar is quite sick.

Rev. A. Giberson preached the funeral sermon of Samuel A. Bell Sunday Sept. 6th, in the new church.

Mr. Harvey B. Biggar is running a thrashing machine for Asa K. Bell.

Our peddler, Ralph Estabrooks still continues his weekly trips and carries lots of candy.

Miss Gussie Biggar is visiting her sister Mrs. Gilbert Hatheway at Florenceville.

Rumor has it that we shall soon hear "wedding bells" whoa fan.

FORT FAIRFIELD.

During the fine weather of the past week the farmers have made good progress with their grain and digging potatoes sold on Saturday from 90 cts to 1 dollar and a large quantity were shipped.

The matrimonial fever in this town is developing at a lively rate of speed. Rupert Ervin arrived home with his bride, nee Miss Hattie Richardson, from Philadelphia last week. On Tuesday evening they gave a reception at the home of Mrs. Jane Ervin. A large number of invited guests were present including relatives from Andover. The Band was in attendance and played on the lawn.

Thursday last Mr. Chadbourne Perry and Miss Estella McDougall were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents at Lower Village. Miss E. Louise Perry was bridesmaid and Varney Pearce acted as best man. The happy young couple left in the noon train for a short trip to Boston. A large number of sympathizing friends were at the station to see them off.

The Ft. Fairfield chorus is working hard to prepare for the Festival as the time is steadily drawing near. Mr. Arthur Heyde, who is Mr. Chapman's assistant director, was here and conducted the rehearsal Thursday evening last. He expressed himself as much pleased with our chorus.

The date of the festival at Bangor is Oct. 6, 7, and 8th, there will be 1000 voices in the chorus. Hiram Stevens Maxim, inventor of the great Maxim gun paid the Fort a visit last week. While here he was the guest of his nephews, the Messrs Stevens of the Stevens Lumber Company. Mr. Maxim delivered a lecture on his guns etc. to a large and interested audience one evening while here.

Chas Hopkins of Arcostook Junction, who has been book-keeper for Hopkins Bros. for the past year bade farewell to his friends in town Saturday last and has left for Montreal where he will attend McGill College.

Harold Perley of Andover was in town last Saturday. He goes to Fredericton this week to attend the University.

Mr. Chapman will himself conduct the chorus rehearsal next Thursday evening.

I. D. Harry Seaborn left on Thursday last for Searsport, Me., where he will be married to one of our milliners, Miss Mame Roulston.

Overfeeding Prevents Laying.

No flock of hens will lay if they are fed three times a day. It is true that for awhile the heavy feeding will induce production, but the hens will gradually accumulate fat until they will cease work altogether. The objection to the noon meal is that the hens will become accustomed to receiving their food, running after the attendant for more whenever he appears, taking no interest in scratching or seeking any portion of their subsistence and will always appear hungry.

Foraging is the natural occupation of all birds of the domestic kind, and when deprived of their liberty, they should be supplied with litter in which to scratch during the day for small grains or seeds. Whenever the hens are loafing in the yards and do not scratch, withhold all food until they find that they must work.

Subscribe for THE DISPATCH.

Signs of a Good Cow.

One or two signs will denote a good cow, Prof. Hecker says, as well as twenty; in a poor cow the thigh runs down straight, so there is no space between the thigh and the udder on one side and the tail on the other. There should be plenty of daylight between the udder and the tail. One of the best ways to tell what kind of a cow you have is her temperament. A good dairy type has a sharp spine, strongly developed nervous system, and sharp hip bones. A good cow has a large, wedge-shaped stomach, for she must have a large and powerful digestive system to use up her food quickly and make the best returns for it.

I hope," said Newpop, "that if the Spaniards bombard New York they will do so in the daytime." "So that you can dodge?" "No; so they will not wake the baby."

"What are you going to do with that blossom?" "I am going to give it to the man I love tonight." "Tonight? Nonsense! Why not give it to me now?"

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He, at dinner—May I assist you to the cheese, Miss Gorton? Miss Gorton—Thanks, no I am very comfortable where I am; but you may assist the cheese to me if you will.

Mother—I gave each of you boys an orange. Charlie, you said you wouldn't eat yours until after dinner. And you, Jack, did the same. Have you deceived me? Charlie—No mother; we didn't eat our own oranges. I ate Jack's and he ate mine.

"My dear," said Mrs. Wederly, "what is the difference between idealism and realism?" "Idealism," replied Wederly, "is what we experience during our engagement." "Yes, said she, "and realism?" "Oh," he replied, "that's what we are up against now."

He—And am I really and truly the first man you ever kissed? She—Why of course you are, stupid. He—Stupid! Why do you call me that? She—Because you are not original. At least a dozen men have asked me the very same question.

New excuse.—Mrs. Ontume—How do you account for this hair on your coat? Ontume—It must have come from the barber's boy brushing it. Mrs. Ontume—But he wouldn't put on a woman's long hair. Ontume—Yes, he would; I didn't give him a tip.

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