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NEWS FROM THE COUNTY.

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RED RAPIDS.

Funeral has been cast over the entire neighborhood by the death of Mr. Robinson Merrithew, a highly respected citizen who was found dead in camp at Tronsters Lake. Much sympathy is shown for his bereaved wife and family. Miss Merrithew has returned home on account of the death of her father.

Mr. Merrithew has left here for New Hampshire. Crawford has left for his son's camp at Albert. Merithew who was called home on account of his father's death, has again returned to his home at Tobique.

The home of Ed. Suthery has been gladdened by the advent of another son. Mrs. B. Kiburn have been calling on E. Merithew. Mrs. Murton of Presque Isle paid a flying visit to her place. Vernon has returned from the woods with a fine lot of furs.

THREE BROOKS.

W. Tweedie of Wicklow and Albert Armstrong of Perth called here this week en route for the haul off the yards for G. W. Upham. C. Edgar is doing quite a business, lumbering this winter.

The hunters have been taking advantage of the late season. The number of peddlers is increasing.

FORT FAIRFIELD.

W. Burns visited Caribou last Sunday. J. Coughy of Perth, N. B. was in town Friday last week. All the stores began closing at 6 p. m. on Saturday. The drug stores are closing on Monday. Morse of Seattle, Wash. is visiting here.

W. Trafton attended the banquet to Hon. F. G. H. on Thursday evening. Deputy H. C. R. Rev. Harry Hudson, Presque Isle, installed the officers of Court Fairfield No. 1279, I. O. F. last Thursday evening.

Blanche Hall returned to St. Catherine's, Caribou, Thursday, after spending the Christmas vacation here with her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Hall.

Clifford Martin and E. W. Burns have returned to their studies at the University of Maine, depending the holiday vacation here. James Carr who has been seriously ill from complications of diseases is improving. Work on the new bridge is being pushed rapidly. Bridges below and above the bridge now are the only means of crossing the river.

CENTREVILLE.

Funeral of the late Mrs. George White was held at her home on Friday afternoon last, where a concourse of people gathered to show the esteem in which deceased was held. The Rev. J. E. Flewelling conducted the services. J. Simble and Fred Gibson of Stanley attended the funeral.

W. Wilkinson and Miss Scholey have returned after a short visit at Blaine. Horace Sloat of Marysville preached in the Baptist church to a large congregation on Sunday last.

Mr. Spargo's son Stanley is very ill. No hope entertained of his recovery.

H. F. Parlee returned to her home at Caribou on Monday.

Mr. Parlee was alarmed by the cry of fire on Sunday night. The residence of C. R. Cliff caught fire. It resulted from the burning out of a stove. The house was quite badly damaged with the loss of the furniture.

Horace Sloat preached for Mr. Spargo in the Methodist church on Sunday afternoon last. James Simonson continues to be very ill.

NORTHAMPTON.

Maria Rogers has returned home from Caribou, Me., where she has been visiting for some time.

Hattie Shea and Miss Annie Rogers left Caribou on Saturday the former to resume her duties at the Normal school and the latter to attend the exams for a first class license.

William Ives has gone to Prince William, winter. Miss Fannie Ives has returned from that place to teach the school at home.

Aremonta Welts and Miss Chrissie Garofalo of Caribou, Me., who have been visiting Annie Monteith left for home last Wednesday.

Oliver Rolston is in very poor health and is being entertained by her friends. He will have to go to the hospital to be operated on.

Mrs. Fred Estey, of Ashland, Me., is on a visit to her mother, Mrs. Rolston.

Chas. P. Bull who was confined to the house some months a few years ago with a frozen foot, is again suffering from the effects of the injury to that member. It will probably be some time before he is about again.

Mrs. G. Allan Bull passed away recently after a long illness. The remains, followed by a large number of friends were interred at Sharp's burial ground.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Rogers have had a recent addition to their family, a boy—congratulations.

RICHMOND.

Mrs. J. E. Flewelling spent New Year's week with her parents.

Miss Kate Hay is spending a few days with her aunt Mrs. Hugh Hay.

Miss Alice McIntyre is staying a week with her aunt Mrs. Warren Bull, Grafton.

Mrs. Chester Lombard, Houlton, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William McIntyre.

Mrs. John Toms, who has been quite ill is recovering.

The yearly week of prayer was held last week at McKenzie Corner, on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, at Richmond Corner, on Thursday and Debec on Friday.

Miss Annie McIntyre has taken charge of the Plymouth school.

Miss Nora McIntyre has resumed her charge at McKenzie Corner.

Miss Irene Campbell has returned to Fredericton.

Miss Kathleen McIntyre has taken charge of the Bull's Creek school.

Miss Annie Hay spent last week with her grandmother, Mrs. T. Campbell.

Miss Mary McKee spent a week with her sister, Mrs. Thomas Campbell.

Mr. McDonald a student of the U. N. B. spent part of his vacation with Arthur Duff.

Miss Antonette Hall has taken charge of the school at the Red Bridge.

SISSON RIDGE.

Mrs. Joseph Gough of Upper Sisson Ridge has been quite sick, but is reported better now.

B. Beveridge of Andover passed through here yesterday for his camps on Three Brooks.

G. Trafton passed through here for Andover this morning.

J. Wark has been laid up with broken ribs, but is able to be out again.

Dr. and Mrs. Asa Marston came out of the woods on Sunday and returned Thursday.

There was a merry load of young folks drove to Plaster Rock New Years to spend the evening.

The sewing circle met today (Thursday), at Mrs. H. Sisson's. A fine time was reported.

It has been quite cold lately, but the roads are in good condition.

A number of loaded teams passed through this place this week with supplies for the camp.

Mrs. A. Tingley and Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Copp left on New Years for Albert.

KINTORE.

Miss Nettie Corey returned Tuesday to Millville after spending two months with relatives here.

G. K. Gendall who was hurt while working in the woods is improving.

Messrs. John and Willie Milne left Thursday for Rumford Falls, Me.

Mrs. Geo. Barclay is spending a few weeks with her mother Mrs. Mavor of Lower Kintore.

Her ill health requiring medical assistance she will here be near the Doctor.

I. Stephenson is confined to the house with a lame arm.

J. Milne came home last week and returned again Tuesday to Temisconata.

A number of young people recently spent a very enjoyable evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Innes.

The guests after having amused themselves with various games, and having a good time generally, were treated to coffee and cake after which they left for home well pleased with the evening spent.

Miss Larsen of Bairdville returned Saturday to commence school Monday. Miss Larsen has charge of this school last term and is well liked both by parents and scholars.

J. C. Corey is able to be out again after his recent illness.

The annual congregational meeting of the Presbyterian church will meet in the church here Wednesday the 17th.

John Gendall is busy with his threshing machine and new hay press.

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JEWETT'S CORNER.

W. B. JEWETT.

St. John's Greeting.

The Woodstock detachment passed through the city last night and the men must have been gratified at the grand reception they were given in loyal old St. John. It was a surprise to the most sanguine to see the thousands who thronged the depot to meet the train and cheer the boys on their way to the wars. No wonder that St. John turned out en masse to give our own boys a send off, and it was expected that there would be a good gathering to cheer the Woodstock soldiers, but certainly no one was prepared to witness the excitement and enthusiasm which prevailed. The contingent arrived shortly before 10 o'clock by special train of engine, van, car for horses and car for the men. They were transferred to the outgoing train which leaves at 10.10 standard. A big crowd of people had gathered at the depot and every minute the throng increased. Flags were in great abundance and many of the crowd wore badges.

Up at the Neptune Club headquarters on Charlotte street the members and some friends assembled at 10 o'clock and each bearing a flag and headed by the Artillery Band, they marched to the depot. They attracted a large crowd which added greatly to the crush in the station. With the advent of the band and the Neptune boys the enthusiasm doubled, cheering was incessant, crushing became awful and the scene rivalled that presented on any former farewelling of our soldiers. Some of the Woodstock men had left their car and were shouldered by enthusiasts and carried through the struggling crowd. Mayor Sears was on hand and worked his way through to the car, outside of which he met Capt. Good, who was in command of the contingent, and bade him welcome and goodnight.

God Save the Queen was sung, His Worship leading. Officers of the local militia shook hands with Capt. Good and the men and many of the citizens also took opportunity to wish the men success and safe return. The Scotch company of the Boys' Brigade, under command of Sergt. Major Buchanan, were on hand and added to the hearty reception. With good humored crushing and crowding, music by the band when they could find a clear place on which they could stand unmolested, and cheering and singing of patriotic songs, the minutes passed and then the train pulled slowly out. Just then the Neptune Club burnt a quantity of red fire which made the scene most picturesque. The band struck up Auld Lang Syne and cheers and last farewells were given for the Woodstock contingent.

There were 20 men in the detachment—18 non-commissioned officers and men, one officer and one orderly room clerk. They had 13 horses with them.

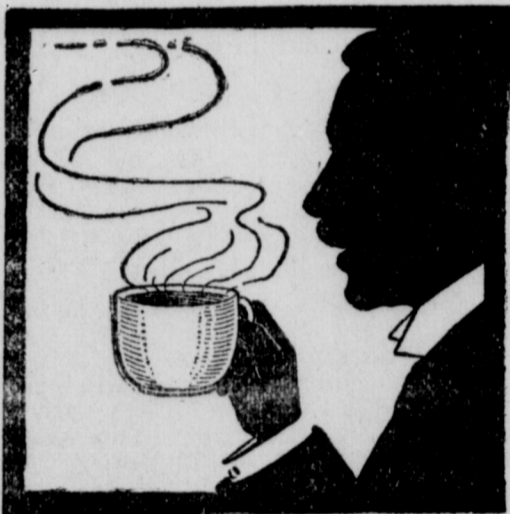
One of the most enthusiastic spectators was Rev. W. O. Raymond, of St. Mary's church. The Rev. clergyman was proud of the occasion, for in 1874 he was in command of the Woodstock battery.

On the way back from the depot the Neptunes reformed and headed by Mayor Sears marched back to their rooms. There some patriotic songs were sung, his worship was bade welcome by President J. I. Robinson and responded briefly.—St. John Telegraph.

NOTICE.

All persons indebted to the estate of the late Alexander Kearney of Northampton in the County of Carleton, are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned, or Louis E. Young, solicitor. All persons having lawful claims against the said estate are requested to present them duly attested, within three months.

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