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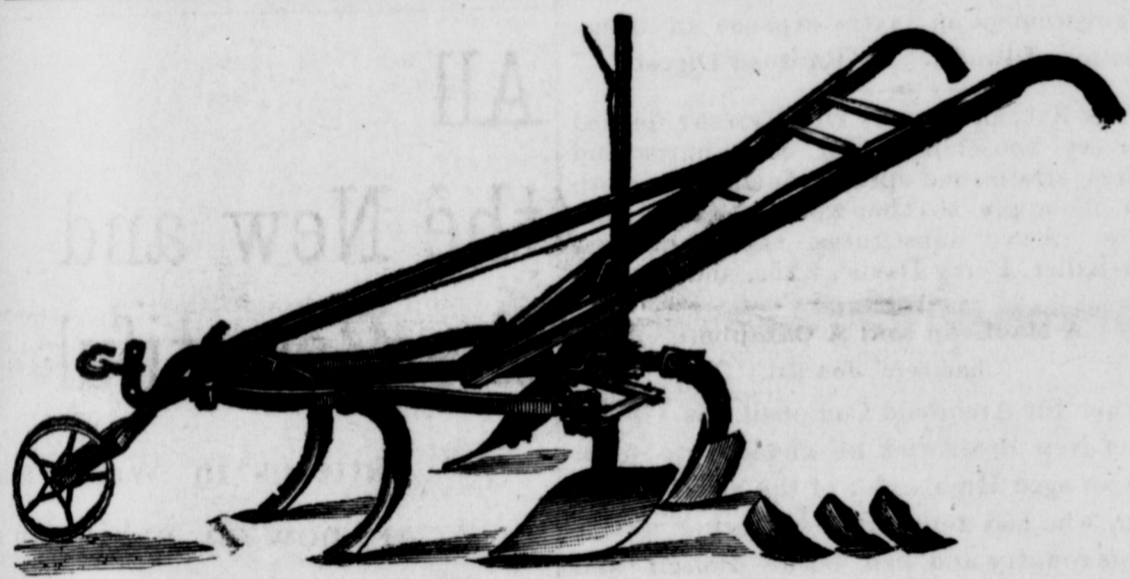
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May 22, 1901.

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LOUIS E. YOUNG, Woodstock.

OPENING HARTLAND BRIDGE.

The Formal Opening on July 4th.—All the Members of The Government Expect to be Present.

The formal opening of the Hartland Bridge will take place on Thursday, July 4th. All the members of the provincial Government and his guests representing politics and the press will be present. On the arrival in Hartland of the North bound express a procession headed by one or two bands will move from the station, through the village, over to Victoria and back. All persons are invited to join the procession. On the return addresses by the visitors will be made from a platform erected at the East end of the bridge. On the same day the Baptists will hold a tea meeting in the basement of their church, where all strangers can find something to eat. It is expected that this will be a big day and large crowds will probably pour in from all parts of the County. If excursion rates can be arranged on the C. P. R., a forenoon's field sports will be provided.

Sunday School Convention.

The Wicklow and Simonds Parish Convention met in the Florenceville Baptist church, June 14th. The staff of parish workers was smaller than usual owing to a number of denominational gatherings meeting at that very date, Baptist, Free Baptist and Reformed Baptist. Then the absence of Bro. Lucas on account of illness, the first in ten years, was felt, as much benefit was expected from his visit. However, Vice President Fiske was on hand and with his close touch of S. S. work aided by the hearty efforts of Revs. Horseman, Findlay and Allen with lay brethren and sisters the convention, so unpromising at first, was by no means a failure. Eight schools sent encouraging reports, five of the schools evergreen and represented every denomination in the parish except Episcopal. A brief report of Glassville convention of the day previous was given by Bro. Fiske; also information on S. S. progress along certain lines of primary and intermediate needs as seen by many workers in Sunday schools and recognized by Sunday school editors and their taking steps to supply those needs.

A paper by D. W. Hamilton "The Bible and Assyrian Monoliths," was much appreciated, an address by Rev. Mr. Horseman on "The Bible as a Teacher and Educator," also one by Rev. Mr. Findlay on "Home Teachers and Scholars." The three parts combined to produce success in the Sunday school. After closing remarks by Rev. Fiske and collection \$1.09 the convention adjourned to meet at Wicklow Free Baptist church 3rd Tuesday in September by invitation of the Union school there. A profitable session though small in numbers.

We were reminded by Rev. Fiske that the date of the County Convention at Hartland is changed to the 2nd Tuesday in August instead of the 3rd Tuesday in order to benefit the many day school teachers who would attend.

Vancouver, B. C.

The other day a party consisting of Dr. and Mrs. Drier, Alfred and Mrs. Currie, Mrs. Kilbourne, Mrs. Ford of Mount Pleasant, Miss Andrews, of St. Andrews, N. B., A. R. Currie and Mrs. John Leighton of Woodstock, N. B., rowed across Burrard Inlet to the mouth of Lynn Creek where the afternoon was spent in a manner befitting the occasion. After several interesting photographs were taken by Mr. A. R. Currie the party did justice to a sumptuous repast served by the ladies. As the golden rays of sunset mellowed the landscape they drifted merrily homeward with the outgoing tide. All enjoyed the afternoons outing and hope soon to have another equally pleasant.

Contract for the Jail.

Michael Kelly, the well known Woodstock contractor has secured the contract for the new jail at \$12,500. Mr. Kelly is a contractor with a reputation for doing honest and careful work. It is very gratifying to see the contract given to a man who lives in the County.

He who will not do right because of his fear of what men will think must have forgotten that "we ought to obey God rather than man."

He who boasts that he does not care what other people think of him must have forgotten the admonition, "Let not your good be evil spoken of."

Lady (to departing servant): "What shall I say in your reference?"
Servant: "Just that I stood it for six months with you, mum—that'll do for me."

JUNE WEDDINGS.

Gibson-Hay.

At the residence of the bride's father, Walter Hay, Broadway, this evening at 8 o'clock, Mr. George W. Gibson and Miss Jennie V. Hay will be united in marriage. The ceremony will be performed by the Rev. H. D. Marr. The bride has been the recipient of many handsome presents including an oak case containing a dozen each of sterling silver table spoons, dessert spoons, tea spoons and a dozen steel knives with ivory handles. Mr. and Mrs. Gibson will take up their residence in Mr. Gibson's house on Elm street.

Noble-Snow.

This evening at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. Harry G. Noble of the firm of Noble & Trafton and Miss Sarah Snow, eldest daughter of Charles Snow, will be united in marriage by Rev. J. W. Clarke. Mr. and Mrs. Noble will take up their residence in the Boyer house on Broadway.

Hinton-Atkinson.

The residence of Mr. John Atkinson, Richmond, was the scene of a very pretty event on Wednesday last, when his youngest daughter Mabel was united in marriage to Mr. Arthur Hinton, of Houlton, Maine, at five o'clock. The bride entered the parlor on the arm of her father. She was gowned in white silk trimmed with white chiffon and applique, and wore the usual bridal veil. She carried a bouquet of white roses. She was attended by Alice Howard of Panoslow, who wore blue silk, and carried a bouquet of pink roses. The groom was supported by L. F. Atkinson, brother of the bride. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Stebbings of Debec, after which refreshments were served. The presents were numerous and costly, showing the esteem in which the young couple were held. Mr. and Mrs. Hinton left for their future home in Houlton followed by the good wishes of their many friends.

Mott-Smith.

A very pretty wedding took place at Upper Woodstock last Friday afternoon when Miss Edna M. Smith, daughter of D. W. Smith and Walter F. Mott were united in marriage. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. A. Cahill. There were present about 70 guests, including Mr. and Mrs. Harry H. Mott and son, Miss Ella Mott, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Lockhart, St. John, and Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Smith, East Florenceville.

The bride was dressed in mauve silk grenadine with white embroidered chiffon and applique trimmings, and carried a bouquet of pink and white carnations. The house was prettily decorated with flowers, evergreens and ferns.

The bride received many beautiful presents including a handsome brooch from the groom; a dining room sideboard from the bride's father; a secretary from her mother; a beautiful centretable from Mrs. J. B. Mott; a silver tea-service from Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Mott, and Dr. and Mrs. Mott; a silver coffee pot from Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Smith; a silver cheese dish from Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Smith; a silver cake basket from Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Smith; a handsome gardiniere from Mr. and Mrs. Coleman Shaw; besides many other handsome presents.

Denton-Smith.

The home of Sidney Smith, Upper Wicklow, was the scene of a pleasant social event last Wednesday when his daughter Josephine was united in marriage with Beverly Denton, of Maine. The bride was dressed in dotted white muslin trimmed with white ribbon and wore a sprig of orange blossoms in her hair. The bridesmaid was attired in pink silk. After the ceremony a wedding dinner was served. The bride was the recipient of many handsome presents.

Methodist Conference.

The final draft of the station committee places the Woodstock district as follows:—
Woodstock—J. C. Berrie.
Canterbury—Geo. A. Ross.
Jacksonville—James Crisp.
Hartland—H. C. Rice.
Richmond—T. Stebbings.
Centreville—W. H. Sparzo.
Florenceville—Thomas Allen.
Lindsay—J. Heaney.
Andover—J. C. Gregg.
Upper Kent—To be sent.
Rev. H. D. Marr has been transferred to Biddeford, P. E. I., and Rev. H. E. Thomas from Lindsay to Campbellton.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our sincere thanks to the many friends and neighbours who so kindly assisted us during the illness and death of our daughter, Carrie. To the members of the Andover Presbyterian choir for the singing so beautifully rendered at the service.

MR. AND MRS. B. H. BAIRD.

AN INDUSTRIOUS CRIMINAL.

Steals Bicycles, Breaks Jail and Sets Out To Make a Police Court Record for Himself.

Carleton County has had the distinction of turning out some very able and distinguished men but now it has thrust upon it the undesirable distinction of being responsible for a young celebrity in paths of crime named Charles Kinney. Charlie is the sixteen year old youth who stole a bicycle at Bath some weeks ago, for which indiscretion he was spending a few weeks guilty at Upper Woodstock, the guest of the county. Concluding that sedentary habits were not conducive to good health the young man decided to take a trip to the United States. He is a very slight youth and he attempted to crawl through the bars of his cell one afternoon but found, as his room-mate afterwards said, that he had eaten too much dinner. On Friday afternoon, while his room-mate was out of the cell, he set to work at a couch in the room and succeeded in extracting from its interior a piece of wood with which he pried out a bolt holding one of the window bars and removing the bar slid to the ground on a rope he had made from the bed quilts. He walked into town, called at Duncan Johnston's livery stable, gave his name as Harten, of Upper Woodstock, and hired a horse and carriage to attend the funeral of his aunt in Houlton. This was between five and six o'clock on Friday afternoon. The jailer set out at once to find him and the latest report of him is that he is on the Calais road. He spent Friday night at the house of Mr. Slipp on the Calais road about two miles south of Houlton.

Beside the bicycle he stole at Bath, Kinney also got away with one at Fredericton this year. He is a pretty shrewd lad as will appear by a story told about him. While he was flying with the bicycle taken at Bath, he stopped at the residence of a farmer who is nearly blind. He asked the farmer if he could pay his taxes today. The farmer said he was saving money for them and he had only eighty-five cents. Kinney said, that is just the amount of your road tax and your school tax is \$1.25. The farmer said he had cleaned the school house in the spring for which his school tax was to be remitted. The boy said that was all right, he would take the eighty-five cents for the road tax and the other would be all right. The farmer was just about to shell out the eighty-five cents when his wife came along and stopped the operation. Kinney is a slight little boy of sixteen, with an innocent, almost seraphic expression on his face and a high squeaky voice in his mouth. When he was before the police magistrate some weeks ago he professed great penitence for his misdemeanor and when it was suggested that he be sent to a reformatory he said "Yes sir, I'd like to go to a reformatory, where I could learn something."

LATER.—Kinney was captured on the Danforth Road about twenty five miles from Houlton on Sunday by Sheriff Smith. He was brought to Houlton and Mr. Johnson went over and recovered his horse and carriage. Deputy Sheriff Herb Jones also went to Houlton to get the boy to return to Woodstock, but the young man says he won't do it. He thinks the United States climate is better than ours. Since leaving Woodstock he stole a ring from a young lady, at a house where he stopped over night.

A Tiger's Bite.

I have more than once heard of a man defending himself from the onslaught of a lion or tiger, by thrusting his rifle barrel down his throat in the last resort. Poor Major Sanbach, of the artillery, came to his death in Somaliland a few years ago in attempting to thus hold off a lioness, which nevertheless managed to inflict on his hand and arm bites which proved fatal. A curious story of the same kind comes from the Khandwa district of northern India.

Mr. Bailey, also an artillery officer, was charged by a wounded tiger which he was following up. He missed it with his first barrel, and the second failed to go off. The tiger sprang, and Mr. Bailey jumped to one side, thrusting out his rifle to keep the brute off. The tiger, it is stated, seized the barrels and drove his teeth through them, and being unable to withdraw them, was shot by Captain Harrison, Mr. Bailey's companion.

In his death struggle the tiger dragged the rifle from the owner's hands, and the jar caused by the stock striking the ground broke off two teeth which were embedded in the steel. This story is said to be absolutely true; but with the profoundest respect for the strength of the tiger's jaws and teeth, I venture to think it wants explanation.—London 'Sketch.'