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NEWS FROM THE COUNTY.

NOTICE TO CORRESPONDENTS.

Correspondents must send their names with
each week's contribution, or their matter will
not be printed. The names will not be published,
but The Dispatch must know who is ac-
countable for everything that is inserted in its
columns.

RICHMOND CORNER.

Mr. George Tracy is still confined to the
house. Dr. Rankin is attending him.
Rev. J. E. Flewelling made a short visit
to Richmond this week.

A sled load of the young people of Speer-
ville and Debec spent a pleasant evening at
Andrew McIntyre's on Friday, returning in
the "wee sma hours."

Mrs. W. McIntyre and Mrs. Thomas Mc-
Intyre spent the day with Mrs. McIntyre's
daughter, Mrs. Lombard, at Houlton, on
Friday.

Mrs. Thomas Campbell is a little better.
Mrs. Estey is confined to the house with a
ame ankle.

Mr. Clifford Campbell was at home with a
cold last week.

MIDDLE SOUTHAMPTON.

Last week we had about two feet of snow,
now we have not any. The ice started Sun-
day carrying away a great quantity of logs
which was hung up here. If there had been
more teams put on the lumber might have
all been banked.

There was quite an excitement here on
Saturday evening when it was learned that
N. W. Brown had his horse in the river.
The water was about five feet deep and the
horse was nearly chilled before he could get
help to get it out.

Dr. Campbell, dentist, was laid up at the

KICK A DOG

Kick a dog and he bites you.
He bites you and you kick him.
The more you kick the more
he bites and the more he bites
the more you kick. Each
makes the other worse.

A thin body makes thin
blood. Thin blood makes a
thin body. Each makes the
other worse. If there is going
to be a change the help must
come from outside.

Scott's Emulsion is the right
help. It breaks up such a
combination. First it sets the
stomach right. Then it en-
riches the blood. That
strengthens the body and it
begins to grow new flesh.

A strong body makes rich
blood and rich blood makes a
strong body. Each makes the
other better. This is the way
Scott's Emulsion puts the thin
body on its feet. Now it can
get along by itself. No need
of medicine.



This picture represents
the Trade Mark of Scott's
Emulsion and is on the
wrapper of every bottle.

Send for free sample.
SCOTT & BOWNE,
TORONTO CANADA
Soc. and dr. all druggists.

Central House for over a week with a very
bad cold, but Friday he was able to start for
his own home.

Examination Wednesday. The teacher
Headly Maxon has prepared quite a program.
F. C. Brown has quite an assortment of
goods for Santa Claus.

Rev. J. J. Barnes closed his meetings at
Campbell Settlement last Wednesday. About
twenty were baptised and united with the
church.

Melbourn Stairs, of Campbell Settlement,
who has been very low with congestion we
are glad to learn is recovering. Dr. Rankin
was in attendance.

EAST FLORENCEVILLE.

The ice in the river here ran out on Sun-
day, the 15th inst.

Mrs. D. Semple was visiting at Mars Hill,
last week.

Last week was a good one for the produce
buyers here. Hay and oats were more than
hustled in.

The stores here are well filled with Xmas
goods, and are already doing a hustling
business.

H. H. McCain now runs his hay press day
and night, giving employment to about 32
men.

The Comedy Co. have everything all ready
for their big play, which comes off next Tues-
day night, Xmas Eve.

To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All
druggists refund the money if it fails to cure.
E. W. Grove's signature on each box. 25c.

SOUTH AFRICA.

Efforts on a Bigger Scale Required to
Finish the war Soon.

London, Dec. 16. — The correspondent of
the Times at Pretoria says the recent British
successes occurred opportunely at a moment
when the Boers are showing signs of discon-
tent with life on commando, but the British
instead of congratulating themselves ought to
put forth further efforts on a bigger scale.
It is necessary to keep up the pace in diminu-
tion of the enemy's numbers, which is only
possible by the development of the block-
house system, placing the blockhouses nearer
each other than was at first considered suffi-
cient. This means more men, and if the
home supply of mounted men is not inex-
haustible the government should not delay to
send infantry to man the blockhouses,
which would compensate to some extent for
the insufficiency of mounted troops.

Another despatch from the same cor-
respondent says of 800 Boers collected north
of Bethel under Piet Viljoen only two com-
mandos of a hundred men each remain in the
neighborhood. The rest, including Viljoen,
have gone to the northeast, toward the Dela-
goa railway line. There is no reason to doubt
that Acting President Schalkburger and the
Boer government officials have crossed the
line north, after addressing a large meeting
near Carolina, at which he told the burghers
they must be steadfast, as foreign interven-
tion was certain before long. Schalkburger
seems to have decided that the country north
of Delagoa railway line was more attractive
than the high veldt where the British columns
are hustling the Boers incessantly. It is prob-
ably now in the neighborhood of Pilgrim's
Rest where some 400 Boers have settled for
the summer.

Commandant General Botha is still south
of Ermelo, with three commandos. Piet
Viljoen is the leading spirit among the Boers
in eastern Transvaal. After Botha had been
busy encouraging burghers with tales of the
withdrawal of British troops and of Boer
success in Cape Colony Viljoen's defeat by
Bruce Hamilton should materially increase
the discontent which is very rife among Boers
in these districts.

Great Storm in Maine.

The storm all over the State of Maine on
Sunday was the worst in five years. The
rivers are at freshest height and railway traffic
is practically suspended. From Augusta
comes the information that on Sunday morn-
ing the Kennebec commenced to rise and
crept up a foot an hour until it reached a
height never reached since 1896. On the
Maine Central near that city there are seven
land slides within two miles, one of them
covering the track for 30 feet with mud five
feet deep.

The Androscoggin river rose and carried
away 2,000,000 feet of logs from Rumford
Falls.

The Third Contingent.

Ottawa, Dec. 15. — (Special) — The dominion
government has received a wire from the war
office accepting their offer of two additional
squadrons of Canadian mounted rifles. This
will make a contingent of about 900 instead
of 600 men. The war office has asked that
all horses that the troopships will accommo-
date be sent. This will be done. The minister
of militia has also cabled the war office asking
if a field hospital of five medical men, 43
officers and men would be accepted. It will
be a couple of days likely before he will
receive a reply.

The following order was given out to the
press:

"In consequence of accommodation being
available on the transport, two additional
squadrons of mounted rifles will be raised
for service in South Africa. Recruiting will
be commenced as soon as practicable. The
dates and the quotas to be raised at the
different recruiting centres will be notified
later."

"It is understood Senator Snowball will
be appointed Lieutenant Governor of New
Brunswick before the close of the present
year, and that the vacancy in the Senate
representation will be met by the appoint-
ment of Robert Thomson, of St. John."

Stonebroke— "Do you think your father
would object to my marrying you?" Heiress
—"I don't know. If he's anything like me
he would."

Suggestion Promptly Adopted.— Canvass-
er— "Don't let me disurb you, sir—" Busy
Merchant— "I won't. Williams, show the
gentleman out."

Bass—"Willis calls his wife Birdie," Fogg
—"Making game of her? I see."

The Strongest Kind of Test.— "Are you
sure he loves her?" Sure? Why, man alive,
he lets her beat him at golf!"

Special Bargains

—IN—

HANDSOME CHINA

Suitable for Xmas Gifts, at

L. A. VANWART'S.

The entire stock must be sold at
once, and great reductions will be
made for the Christmas trade.

Also, a handsome SLEIGH, almost
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We also have

Nickel and Graniteware, Hand Sleds,
and some Little Wash Tubs, Boards,
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nice Xmas Present. Come in and see
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It is made by the richest Canadian concern now
engaged in making pianos and they can therefore
afford to employ only the highest class of work-
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I can sell you the very best instrument on the
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and I will have pleasure in showing you the beau-
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—IN—

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Note Paper**

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which will be opened Dec. 1st.

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**Band Christmas and New Years Nights.
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Comfortable spectators' rooms, heated, have been built this year—
Everyone can see and be comfortable.

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Good order and courteous attention.

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