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An Interesting Note From Charles A. Munro, a Woodstock Gentleman.

The following extract from a letter received by THE DISPATCH on Monday from Charles A. Munro, of White Horse, Yukon Territory, will be of interest to Woodstock people. "I enclose the wrapper of a can of stringless beans put up in your town by the St. John Valley brand. You can tell them that they are for sale here in the Yukon and are all right."

I often see some Woodstock boys passing through here and by the way, Tom McRae and Miss Quigley, both of Woodstock were married here this morning. So long for this time." The well known label of the Woodstock Canning Factory was enclosed and was not much worse for its two trips across the continent.

The Coronation Contingent Returns and Brings Sergt. Hall.

The Coronation Contingent arrived home on Monday. The Carleton County men all say they were treated royally. They have no complaints to make. They were accompanied from England by Sergt. H. Hall of Jacksonville, who went from Carleton County with the second contingent to South Africa. When his corps came home he staid behind in South Africa and enlisted in Gat Howard's scouts. He was on the special police later and after that he struck up country and enlisted again and was given duties in the intelligence corps. He was captured by the Boers and after everything was taken from him, he was set adrift. He commandeered a horse and rode bareback for two days without food before he struck his column.

Brighton Engineers.

The Brighton Engineers are having a most successful annual training in their camp at East Florenceville. Major John R. Tompkins is in command, Lieut. W. W. Melville acts as adjutant and the only other officer is Lieut. A. C. Carr. The establishment calls for three more officers. There are about 75 non-commissioned officers and men.

The days routine is as follows:—Reveille, 6 a. m.; 1st drill, 6.30 a. m.; breakfast, 7.15 a. m.; 2nd drill, 8.30 to 10.30 a. m.; office 9 a. m.; dinner 12 m.; 3rd drill, 1.30 to 4 p. m.; rations, 5.30 p. m.; Tea 6 p. m.; retreat 6.30 1st post, 9.30 p. m.; last post 10.30 p. m.; lights out 10.15 p. m.

On Sunday morning at 10.30, a religious service was conducted on the ground by the Rev. E. W. Simonson, of Centreville. Beside the Brighton Engineers, who were drawn up in order, a large congregation of civilians took part in the service. Mr. Simonson spoke from the text "Nation shall rise against nation, and kingdom against kingdom."

A Pleasant Affair.

At the close of the meeting of the council last Friday evening His Worship Mayor Belyea entertained the members of the council, the town officials and several other gentlemen at his residence. They were cordially received by the Mayor and Mrs. Belyea and spent a delightful evening. A charming lunch was served in the dining room where over the coffee and havanas the time passed with flying feet. After the toast to the King and the national anthem other toasts were honoured and the response were happy. The affair was the most successful stag party given in Woodstock in many seasons.

Hospital Fund.

Dr. Sprague acknowledged the receipt of the following amounts for the Hospital Fund.

J. F. Harper, Jacksonville.....	\$ 1.00
Mrs. P. T. Kierstead, Treasurer of the Ladies' Auxiliary.....	440.45
James Sherrard, Bloomfield.....	10.00
Some little girls on Chapel St.....	1.00
Alexander Johnston, Lower Woodstock.....	5.00
Samuel J. Brown, River de Chute.....	2.00
Ruby Clark, Vera Simmons and May Grant, three little girls of Chapel St.....	2.55
R. V. Dimock.....	10.00

Lord Salisbury Resigns.

Lord Salisbury resigned the Premiership of Great Britain last Friday and on Saturday the King sent for the Hon. A. J. Balfour, first Lord of the treasury and government leader in the commons, who accepted the position. Although Lord Salisbury's resignation does not necessarily involve the reconstruction of the cabinet it is believed the occasion will be taken to make some changes.

Lord Kitchener in England.

Lord Kitchener arrived in London from South Africa at 12.48 on Saturday afternoon. He was greeted with an outburst of enthusiasm. He was driven almost immediately to Buckingham Palace where he was conducted into the presence of the king, who thanked him for his work in South Africa and presented him with the decoration of the new order of merit.

BIG DAYS IN WOODSTOCK.

The Citizens are Putting up Money for the Biggest Affair in the History of the Town.

At a meeting of the citizens in the council chamber on Monday night it was decided to declare two days of large and joyous amusement next month. The days decided on are Wednesday and Thursday, the 13th and 14th of August. Gallagher Bros. promise two of the best days races ever seen in town, offering \$1200.00 in purses. A polymorphian parade will be held in the morning and in the evening an extensive display of fire works and an illuminated parade on the river. Several bands will furnish music. The programmes for the two days have not yet been completed but they promise to be of a most attractive character.

The following committees have been appointed:—

Com. on Collections.—B. E. Manzer, Dr. W. N. Hazal, G. E. Balmain.

Com. on Fireworks.—Julius T Garden, Arthur Bailey, Donald Munro.

Com. on Excursions.—H. P. Baird, J. T. Allen Dibblee, F. B. Carvell.

Com. on Sports.—R. V. Dimock, B. M. Macleod, J. S. Creighton, Dr. Manzer, E. K. Connell, J. C. Hartley, A. W. Fields, J. Fewer, E. R. Teed, Jno J. Tattersall.

Com. on Music.—Dr. E. S. Kirkpatrick, Dr. G. B. Manzer, Joseph Donovan, Chas. McKinney, Will Balmain.

Reception Committee.—Mayor Belyea, W. B. Nicholson, W. W. Hay, Jno Connor, Jno A. Lindsay, R. B. Jones, Wm. S. Saunders, F. B. Carvell, Geo. A. White, William Fisher, Chas. L. Smith, Col. Vince, H. E. Burt, A. E. Jones, W. Duppa Smith, Dr. Rankin, Dr. Sprague, Dr. Kierstead, Dr. Baker, Dr. Prescott, H. A. Connell, J. N. W. Winslow, Stephen B. Appleby, M. P. P., Wm. Dibblee, P. M., W. P. Jones, Geo. W. Gibson.

All the committees are requested to meet in the council chamber this evening at nine o'clock.

Funeral of the Rev. John Murray.

An exceeding large concourse of people attended the funeral of the late Rev. John Murray at Johnville last Wednesday morning. The church was draped in mourning and two thick rows of evergreens had been set up between the church and the grave, between which the funeral procession marched. There were present His Lordship Bishop Casey, the Rev. W. F. Chapman, Woodstock, the Rev. F. L. Carney, Fredericton, the Rev. F. Bradley, Florenceville, the Rev. M. Murphy, Debec, and the Rev. A. Poirier, St. John.

At nine o'clock solemn mass of Requiem was sung, the Rev. W. F. Chapman celebrant. At the end of the service the Bishop gave the final absolution.

Afterwards His Lordship preached an eloquent sermon from the text, "You have not chosen me but I have chosen you." His subject was the institution of the priesthood. He paid a well earned "tribute to the character of Father Murray. He spoke of the excellent manner in which deceased discharged the duties of his sacred office at Memramcook, the North Shore, Woodstock and Johnville. "We are here," he continued, "to offer this mass for the repose of his soul and to do honor to the memory of a faithful priest. Cherish his memory as one who devoted a zealous life to the priesthood, and in your prayers to the throne of the Almighty remember your beloved pastor, whose body is here today."

The pall bearers were John Donnelly, P. Bradley and K. Brophy from Woodstock and John Kelly, Hugh McGuire and Peter McLaughlan, of Johnville.

As the procession left the church the choir sang "Jerusalem my Happy Home." On the way to the grave the Bishop and the priests sang the Psalms prescribed by the ritual.

On all sides were heard, the warmest expressions of esteem and affection for the departed priest. A number of people went from a distance to pay a tribute of respect to his memory. From Woodstock there went, beside the three pall bearers, John Thompson, Francis Kelly, Thomas McCafferty, John Regan, Charles Appleby and I. E. Sheargreen. H. H. McCain, M. P. P., and Mrs. McCain from Florenceville, and J. C. Manzer from Andover were also present. Miss Daisy Hughes presided at the organ and Miss Chapman and Thomas McCafferty assisted in the choir.

Small Pox.

Small pox was a thing of the past in Woodstock early last week, and now the disease has been cleaned up in Grafton as well. The last house a ross the river has been disinfected and the quarantine removed. Dr. Sprague, relieved of his duties, is back at his regular practise again, a disinfected man. His office hours are the same as of yore, and his skill is, if anything, greater.

Butter Paper, printed and unprinted, in one and two pound wrappers, at this office.

Clark-Soule.

The Freeport, Me., Sentinel of July 11th, has the following account of the wedding of a Carleton County gentleman:—

So fair the scene when hearts agree,
When vows are breathed and pledges given
So sweet are weddings, can it be
That there are none in heaven?

In the presence of several hundred friends and relatives of the contracting parties, a very beautiful and impressive marriage service was solemnized by Rev. George Merriam in the Baptist church on Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, when Miss Brenda L. Soule, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Soule of Freeport, and Dr. Eugene Botsford Clark, second son of Mr. and Mrs. Ludlow B. Clark of Centreville, New Brunswick, were made man and wife.

The altar and organ were almost completely hidden from view by the great mass of greenery and bloom, several hundred roses forming the beautiful color scheme, against a solid background of green, and while a huge daisy bell was suspended above from gracefully draped ropes of green and white. Miss Stockbridge presided at the organ and to the strains of the bridal march from "Lohengrin" the young couple entered the church, preceded by the ushers, Messrs. Randall, Cushing, Mitchell and Merriam, and a tiny, golden-haired fairy, in the person of Miss Marguerite Grant, dressed in white and carrying a basket almost as big as herself, from which she scattered roses adown the aisle and directly in the path of the bridal pair.

The bride, who was very sweet and lovely in her dainty robe of white silk mull and sheer white veil, is one of the most popular young women in this town and possesses a host of loving friends, young and old. She is a graduate of Freeport High school. Dr. Clark is a graduate of Bowdoin Medical college, 1901, and is now settled at Bryant's Pond, where he is meeting with fine success in his chosen life work.

A brief reception followed the ceremony on Wednesday, when punch and light refreshments were served, after which Dr. and Mrs. Clark left for their new home amidst a shower of rose leaves.

The high regard in which this young pair are held was further evidenced by many and choice gifts, comprising silver, cut glass, dainty house linen and home furnishings of every description.

MAKING A RAILROAD.

Hon. John Costigan is Here--Tells of Company of Which He is President.

Hon. John Costigan, president of the Quebec & New Brunswick Railway, is at the Dufferin. In conversation with The Telegraph Hon. Mr. Costigan said the road would run from Chaudiere Junction in Quebec, and would connect at Connor's Station on the St. Francis river with a branch of the Temiscouata Railroad. This would make the shortest practical line between the west and the Atlantic sea-board through Canadian territory. The Dominion government has subsidized 45 miles of the road from Chaudiere Junction, east, and 18 miles from Connor's Station up the St. Francis river toward Chaudiere. There is also a subsidy from the New Brunswick government, and the company confidently expects to get a land subsidy from Quebec.

A general meeting of the company was held in Quebec June 20 when five directors were chosen, three from Quebec and two representing New Brunswick. The Quebec directors are Hon. Geo. F. Carroll, Hon. A. Turgeon and Hugh J. Gregory, while Mr. Costigan and J. E. Cuchrane, of Edmundston represent this province. At a directors' meeting subsequently, Mr. Costigan was elected president and Mr. Turgeon secretary-treasurer.

Work of construction is now going on between Connor's Station and the mouth of the St. Francis river and it is intended to complete this short section early in October and make a substantial commencement upon the next section up the St. Francis river.—The Telegraph.

A Narrow Escape.

BOBBY WHITE one of the most indefatigable town officials, while digging in a trench about seven feet deep on Main street one day last week came within an ace of passing in his checks. The side of the trench caved in. Bobby saw the slide coming and tried to run to the other end of the trench but the falling earth and rocks caught him and embedded him up to his waist. Frank W. Byer with his usual alacrity rushed to the assistance of the entombed man and dug him up, in an incredibly short space of time. Fortunately Mr. White was not seriously injured, but it was a narrow escape.

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