

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 The names will not be published, but The Dispatch must know who is accountable for everything that is inserted in its columns.

Florenceville.

Mrs. John Danks of Fort Fairfield is visiting friends here.  
Miss Annie Gray has returned from Maine.  
Mrs. Harriett McCain went to Kilbuck on Friday to visit her son J. Fraser McCain.  
B. Maddox is recovering from his illness.  
Mr. Gillespie is getting better.

Lakeville.

Rev. E. C. Turner exchanged pulpits with Rev. Geo. Ayers, Hartland, on Sunday last. The latter gentleman preached in the Methodist Church Sunday evening, and made an eloquent appeal for the support of missions. At the close of his discourse a goodly sum was collected and subscribed which goes towards the Bicentennial movement.

This community mourns the death of one of our most popular young men, Robert W. Lindsay, who died on the 17th inst. The deceased has been in failing health for some time.

Miss Bertha Carvell leaves this week for Boston, after spending a short vacation in her native village.

John S. MacBride, Easton, spent a few days recently with friends in this village.

Miss Mary Fowler has returned home after an extended visit among friends in Prince Edward Island and St. John. She will immediately resume the teaching of her class in music.

Miss Isabel Lindsay has returned after a lengthy visit with her brother at Lindsay.

The latest social function was the marriage of Miss Ed. Tracy to R. N. F. Jones, which occurred at the bride's home on Wednesday 21st. Those who were fortunate enough to be invited guests were treated to all the good things of a well stored farm house, nor did the liberal minded groom forget the young crowd who assembled to serenade him and his bride, but sent them away with pockets filled, and puffing "pink of perfection" cigars to the uttermost.

Bristol.

Miss Emeline Phillips is visiting friends in St. John and Sussex.

Mrs. G. A. Brittain, and Miss Lorena Brittain spent several days in Woodstock last week. Miss Brittain has been undergoing treatment at the hospital.

Rev. D. E. Brooks spent last week holding services at Caribou and vicinity.

The C. P. R. bridge crew is at work repairing the Big Shuktehawk bridge.

Most all the young men have left for the lumber woods to spend a few months.

Mr. Partlow Watson, Woodstock, was in Bristol on Monday.

Mrs. M. Caldwell entertained a number of her friends on Saturday evening, oysters and other refreshments were served, games and amusements helped to pass a most enjoyable evening.

Some snow fell on Monday, the first of the season.

East Florenceville.

William Gallupe, jr., has moved in the front part of Mrs. Stiles house.

LeBaron Moores, of Connell, has rented Wilnot Hunter's house.

The Foresters held their annual supper in Jameson's Hall last Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mackay, of Calais, are visiting Mrs. MacKay's relatives in town.

Mrs. B. F. Smith and Miss Eva, returned from St. John Friday.

William Hopkins and Miss Nellie Tompkins, both of this place, were married last Friday.

S. M. Carle is pushing his new building up rapidly.

The East Florenceville Comedy Co. intend putting on a good play in Burnham's Opera House Xmas Eve.

Bath.

The work on the new Highway bridge over the Monquart is being pushed along as rapidly as possible but the management experience great difficulty in securing men as the wages are good on the Maine side this season as well as here on our Canadian side, and many of the men have gone to the lumber woods, and large crews pass this place en

route every day.

The hay buyers have as yet not begun the moving of hay to the market, but most of them have their hay-presses busy at work pressing so as to be ready to move the hay to the Railway Stations, and thus to the market. Prices are not expected to be as good as last year.

The crew of C. P. R. Bridge Builders have part of the staging and temporary structure in place and soon they will begin to remove the old wooden bridge over the Monquart stream, and replace the same with a steel superstructure the material for which is now on the ground here.

Dr. M. E. Cummins has his new house nearly ready for occupation, and same with Eber Kearney who will have his house near the ferry ready to move into by the time winter begins. The new Methodist church is now being finished inside the outside having been completed some days ago and painted.

W. W. Melville returned from Boston on Friday last after having enjoyed a holiday very pleasantly.

Rev. W. H. Smith, B. A., the pastor of the Florenceville group of Baptist churches, preached in the Free Baptist church in this town on Sabbath at 11 a. m.

Mrs. (Dr.) M. E. Cummins with two children are at present spending a few weeks her parents and friends at Montreal.

The saw mill of Ziba Giberson and Whitfield Giberson which they purchased from Bohan Bros. last spring will be run in the future by Whitfield Giberson he having bought out the share of his partner.

The Crain Bros. of this place have concluded to erect their saw mill at Kilfoil instead of this place. Their mill consists of the engine and machinery that was formerly in the Miller mill at Hartland, N. B.

Haley Bros. who are operating a last plant at Esdraelon will move their industry to Bath.

Meductic.

Monday October 26th witnessed the first snow storm.

Walter Dickinson who has been home for a few days returned to his work on Monday.

D. J. Dow and Homer Kimball are having success in snaring foxes.

A number of young people spent Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hazen Scott. A very pleasant time was enjoyed and all vote Mr. and Mrs. Scott excellent host and hostess.

H. V. Grosvenor made a short trip to Fredericton last week.

Improving the Fairs and Institutes in New Brunswick.

The Toronto Weekly Sun says:—Encouraging reports are coming to Live Stock Commissioner Hodson at Ottawa in regard to the progress in the various Provinces of the movement for the improvement of the Farmer's Institute and agricultural fair systems. In a recent letter Dan Drummond sends the following notes concerning his work in New Brunswick. "At Sussex, according to arrangement, I acted as judge of all the cattle classes. The show there is very strong in dairy cattle; in fact one of the strongest to be found in any of the provinces, both in quantity and in quality. In the pure breeds we had two herds of Jerseys, three of Guernseys, three of Ayrshires, one of Holsteins, and a very strong competition in best five Grade milch cows. I followed the same course as last year and gave reasons for my decisions in nearly all classes. Apparently the exhibitors knew better what would be required this year, as the exhibits were of a more uniform nature as to type. Leaving Sussex, I came to Edmundston and commenced the Institute meetings. So far we have had six meetings, with an attendance nearly double that of last year. Four in the French districts were well attended, 46, 70, 150, 60 being present, respectively. At the other two in the Danish settlements 60 and 30 persons were present, respectively, a good percentage of a total of about 100 families in the whole settlement."

The twenty-fifth annual session of the Carleton County Teachers' Institute will convene in the Opera House on Thursday and Friday, December 17th and 18th. An exceptionally interesting programme is being prepared for the occasion.

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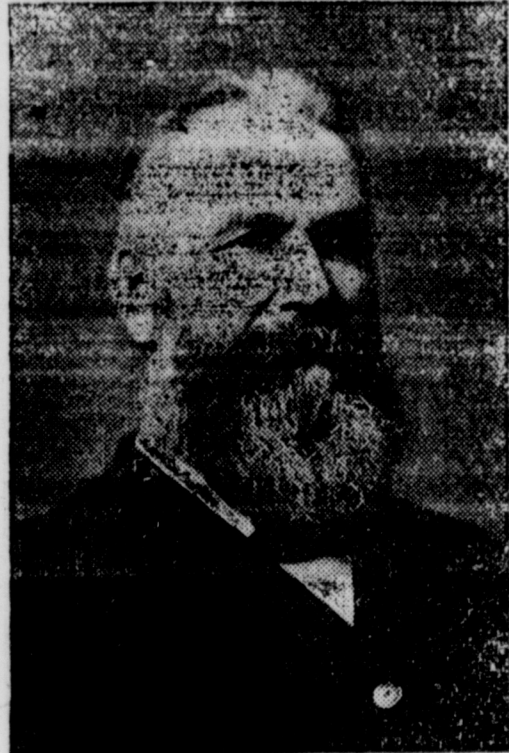
DEATH OF ANANIAS MCFARLAN.

An Old and Respected Resident of Woodstock Dies Suddenly.

Ananias McFarlan, one the of most respected citizens of Woodstock, died suddenly of heart disease at his residence on Broadway, on Wednesday afternoon, October 21st.

Mr. McFarlan was born at St. Andrews, the eldest son of Archibald and Elizabeth McFarlane, on June 19, 1831, and was thus in his 74th year. He was educated at the St. Andrews high school, after which he served an apprenticeship to a tanner there.

Early in life he began work with the St. Andrews and Quebec Railway, afterwards working with the New Brunswick and Canada Railway, and he assisted in the building



of the first mile of the present New Brunswick Railway from St. Andrews. Later he was in the employ of this road as engineer of a mill at Barter Dam, where lumber was sawn for use on the road.

It is over 47 years ago that he first began to run over the road as engineer of a locomotive, running out of St. Andrews, at first only as far as Barber Dam, later to Canterbury Station, then to Richmond Station and later to Woodstock. He was a locomotive engineer on this line from that time down to within a few weeks of his death.

He was a prominent and valuable member of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, and served the Order well in the adjustment of many knotty questions with the railway company.

For many years Mr. McFarlan lived in St. Andrews; he lived a few years in St. Stephen, and moved to Woodstock in the fall of 1870, and has resided here since.

He was made a Mason in Sussex Lodge, No. 7, St. Stephen, on April 7th, 1870, and he was Past Master of that lodge and an honorary member of it at the time of his death. He joined Woodstock lodge over 20 years ago, was charter member of Woodstock Royal Arch Chapter and occupied the First Principals chair in the Chapter for many years. He was still an honoured member of all these organizations at the time of his death.

Mr. McFarlan was a prominent Presbyterian and filled a large place in the life of St. Paul's church here. He was choir master for many years, was a trustee for 26 years, was an elder for 13 years, and was superintendent of the Sunday school for a long time. At the time of his death he was an elder and superintendent of the Sunday school.

He married Miss Mary E. Gilmor, eldest daughter of Adoniram Gilmor, of St. George, who survives. Two children were born, one daughter the wife of Donald Munro and one son who is deceased.

Mr. McFarlan was one of the most highly respected and esteemed citizens of Woodstock and his family have the sincere sympathy of the entire community in their bereavement. His familiar figure will be missed from the street, from the church and from the lodge.

The funeral took place on Friday afternoon. The Rev. G. D. Ireland conducted a service at the residence making a short address which was rather an appreciation of the exemplary life of his friend and elder than a sermon.

The funeral was under the auspices of Woodstock lodge, officers and members to the number of over fifty being present in full regalia. At the grave the beautiful funeral service of the Masonic order was rendered by Past Master John McLaughlan.

The pall bearers were Messrs. A. Henderson, Robert Ross, Robert Caldwell, Harry Currie, John McInluch and George Gabel.

Music at the house was rendered by a male quartette made up of Messrs George Mitchell, H. B. Loggie, Prof. Reid, and H. Lockwood.

Light on a Dark Subject

"I see by the newspapers," says Smith, "that the whale that swallowed Jonah was recently killed in the Mediterranean, and in its stomach they found, written on parchment, the diary that Jonah kept during the three days—"

"You can't make me believe any of that stuff," interrupts Brown. "In the first place, how could Jonah see to write his diary?"

"Why," says Smith, "don't you suppose the whale had pains in his stomach?"—November Lippincott's.



The Sleeve.

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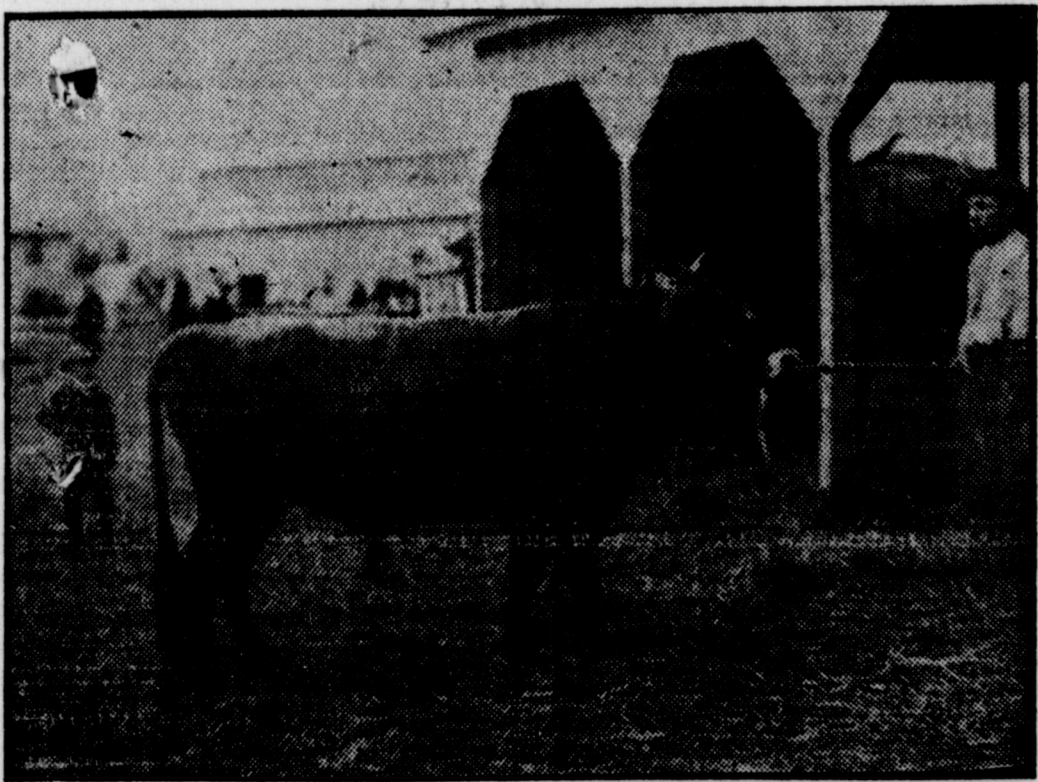
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