

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 The names will not be published, but The Dispatch must know who is accountable for everything that is inserted in its columns.

Kirkland.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Gibson and two children, from Grafton, have been visiting friends in this vicinity.
Mrs. Lilly Colter and son have arrived from Boston to visit Mrs. Colter's parents.
A young son arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Denning recently.
Mr. and Mrs. McIntosh are being congratulated upon the arrival of a son in their home.
Mrs. Jane Davidson is staying in Houlton for a time.
Charles McNally is erecting a new ell to his house.
James Davidson and his daughter, Mrs. James Muir, were in this place recently.

East Florenceville.

The corporation drive stopped here over Sunday.
Harry Stiles and Gordon Tompkins who are working on the telephone line at Tilley, Victoria county, spent Sunday here.
At the school meeting Saturday, S. M. Carle was elected trustee at the retirement of Benj. McIsaac.
Road work commenced here last Friday, with C. T. Boyer road master.
Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hartley, of Woodstock, spent a few days in town here last week.
The Comedy Company have bought a new iron fence to be put up on the front of the grave yard.

Bristol.

Miss Edith Dow of Dow Settlement, York Co., is visiting at Rev. L. A. Lockhart's.
Parker Rogers of Bangor, is visiting relatives in the village.
J. C. Hartley, Woodstock, was in Bristol on Saturday.
Road work in this district began on Monday, under the direction of Commissioner John Rogers.
The school meeting was held on Saturday and was largely attended. John Farley was chosen chairman. D. V. Boyer was elected trustee to fill the vacancy caused by the retirement of Charles Meed, and J. J. Hayward, auditor. The sum of \$800 was voted for school purposes for next year.
Miss Maria Hotham and Eden Waugh were married on Wednesday last at the home of the bride's father, Leonard Hotham, Bristol, by Rev. D. E. Brooks.

Gregg Settlement.

At the annual school meeting on Saturday last, Sewell Trafford was elected trustee in place of George West who retired. The ratepayers intend clapboarding and painting the building next year.
Miss Mary Ritchie leaves for Boston, this week. She has a lucrative position at Nantasket Beach.
The Misses Iva and Glenna Cronkhite and their brother Harvey, attended the reception given to Mr. and Mrs. Pitcher at Mars Hill, on Thursday last.
Misses Coralie and Madeline Branscombe made a very pleasant visit to Lakeville last week.
Miss Lulu Cronkhite has charge of Miss Fowler's school this week, while the latter is away taking photographs of school groups in this parish.
Mr. Wm. Thomas of Easton, was in this place a few days recently.
Mr. Sydney Lloyd is busy hauling hay to the station.
Mr. Frank Gregg of Perth, was the guest of his sister Mrs. Geo. West, a few days last week. He attended the reception at Mars Hill on Thursday.
Mr. Louis Carvell spent Sunday in this settlement, the guest of E. S. Branscombe.
A number of the school children and Miss Fowler went to Knoxford, Friday, to attend the flag raising there. They returned greatly pleased with entertainment they received from Miss Jacques and her scholars.

Temple.

The recent rains have been a great benefit to the crops.
Gilman Bros., of Pokiok, have been making great improvements on the road with their road machine.
Great excitement was caused last week by a moose swimming across the river at this place.
Miss Mabel Patterson spent several days of last week in Southampton, visiting friends.
A number of people from Temple attended the pie sale and dance held at Allandale, Wednesday evening, June 17th.
Miss Katie Mack is visiting her cousin, Miss Mame McCallister.
Mrs. Alonzo Lutwick of Dow Settlement, has been visiting her parents of this place.
The school of this place is preparing for an examination which is to be held Monday, June 29th.
W. K. and J. H. Flemming of Woodstock, spent two days in Temple recently.
Mrs. John McAllister who has been visiting relatives at Skiff Lake, has returned home.
Miss Gertie Gallagher of Dorrigton Hill, called on friends here last week.

A Misnomer.

A very pompous woman attempted to leave a car while it was in motion, and the little conductor detained her with the usual,—"Wait until the c-a-a-r stops, leddy!"
"Don't address me as 'lady, sir!'" she said haughtily.
"I beg your pardon, Ma'am, but we are all liable to mek mistakes," was the immediate reply.—July Lippincott's.

Elected President.

Rev. J. C. Berrie, of the Jacksonville circuit, has been elected president of the Methodist conference of New Brunswick and P. E. I.

Rev. J. C. Berrie, was born in England, and received his early training for a business life. Soon after he was received into the ministry he came to this country, where he has had some important charges, including his present circuit, to which he has been recalled after twenty years, Milltown, Fairville, Sussex and Hillsboro. He was preacher for the Theological Union at the Mt. Allison convocation. Mr. Berrie is a good theologian, an earnest and devoted pastor, and a successful evangelist, and a popular preacher and lecturer. He has a saving sense of humor and, as he admitted yesterday, dearly loves a good story or a good joke.

A True Automobile.

J. A. Queen, provincial manager of the Canada Life Insurance Co., has purchased a handsome automobile of the Rambler pattern. The machine arrived yesterday and made its debut in the afternoon. When it lived up to all automobile traditions by running into and smashing B. Vanwart's express wagon on Main Street in remarkably good style. There were potatoes in the wagon. People are still picking them up.—St. John Sun, 21st.

The Worst Kind of Gambling.

(Canadian Sportsman.)

On Tuesday the big brokerage firm of A. E. Ames & Co. closed its doors and as the firm admits with seven millions of dollars liabilities a good many depositors are wretchedly anxious about their money. The class of business done by Ames & Co. has had much to do with the wild mad speculation that has had so large a number of our citizens in its grasp within the past year. Talk about injury being done this community by holding a race meeting conducted by gentlemen for two weeks in the spring and one week in the autumn. There has been more citizens of Toronto ruined within the past six months and more misery caused by the wild carnival of reckless speculation of which Ames & Co. were the high priests and chief promoters than the Canadian turf is responsible for in the fifty years in its history. Some of the chief operators associated with the firm in their efforts to grasp everything that they thought would serve their financial interests have been outspoken in their denunciation of those who bet a few dollars on a horse race. Verily they deserve to be well scorched on the toasting fork they always had ready for those who didn't sing their tunes.

To Wash Fine Laces.

The woman who values the appearance of her lace should wash it at home. She will find the following recipe a valuable one for her purpose, both of lace and finely embroidered cambric: immerse the article that requires cleaning in warm water and suds of white soap to which a little borax has been added in the proportion of two teaspoonfuls to a gallon of water. Dab the lace gently, but do not rub it, as this is liable to tear the fabric and to pull the stitches apart. When the lace or fabric is thoroughly clean, rinse it in very much diluted blue water in the case of cambric, or in water that has been colored with coffee essence if a cream or dark shade is desired for the lace. Stretch the lace or cambric tightly, right side upward, over a sheet of glass, or wind it round a broad glass bottle. The former is the best plan for a collar; the latter for flounces and edgings of lace. Pull the fabric carefully into shape as you arrange it on the glass. When dry the raised work of the lace or embroidery will be seen to stand out distinctly, and the texture will have a delicate gloss.

The Wife's Stratagem.

The other evening, as a muscular person was passing a house, a lady who stood at the gate called out to him, "Sir, I appeal to you for protection!"
"What's the matter?" he asked, as he stopped short.
"There's a man in the house and he would not go out of doors when I ordered him to."
"He wouldn't, eh? We'll see about that."
Thereupon the man gave the woman his coat to hold and sailed into the house. He found a man at the supper table, and took him by the neck and remarked, "Nice style of brute you are, eh? Come out of this, or I'll break every bone in your body."
The man fought, and it was not until a chair had been broken and the table upset, that he was hauled out of doors by the legs and given a fling through the gates.
"Now, then, you brass faced old tramp, you move on, or I'll finish you!"
"Tramp! tramp!" shouted the victim, as he got up. "I'm no tramp! I own this property and live in this house!"
"You do?"
"Yes, and that's my wife holding your coat."
"Thunder!" whispered the muscular man, as he gazed from one to the other, and realized that it was the wife's method of finishing a row she had been having with her husband. And then he made a grab for his coat and disappeared into darkness.

To Cure a Cold in a Day.

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

PERSONAL.

J. Woodside Loane, Ashland, was in town last week.
Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Creighton left on Friday last for a short holiday trip.
Mr. J. Arch Hale, of Upper Wicklow, was in Woodstock on Monday on business.
Miss Elizabeth Bull, who has been visiting in Sussex, returned home on Saturday.
Miss Effie Kinney of Fort Fairfield, spent a few days of last week with Miss Annie Allen.
Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Davis of Yarmouth, spent Sunday in town, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Allan.
Mrs. Wm. McCollough and two children, Calais, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. James Peabody, Lower Woodstock.
Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bennisson, of Waltham, Mass., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Bull, Northampton.
Mrs. Willard L. Carr and children and Mrs. A. D. Holyoke leave this week for Rexton, Kent County, for a visit.
Mr. and Mrs. Chas. P. Clare and Miss Clare, left on Saturday last for Grand Falls, where they will visit Mrs. Glenn.
Mrs. Remington Ward and her son, Hartley, arrived Wednesday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hall's, at Rose Hill.
Miss Stella Hallett of Millville, who returned from New York City on Friday, spent a few days in town the guest of Mrs. George W. Gibson.
Mr. Griffiths, book-keeper for Messrs J. D. Dickinson & Sons, left on Monday evening for Boston, where he will figure in a very pleasant event this week.
The Misses Estey, of Northampton, left on Saturday for a trip to Boston, Providence, New York and other United States cities. They will be away about a month.
Mrs. Thomas, wife of the Rev. Mr. Thomas, pastor of the Methodist church at Campbellton, with her young daughter, is visiting her mother Mrs. Francis Good and her brother Major Good, of Jacksonville.

AFTER OTHER HELP FAILED.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills Restore a Young Lady to Full Health and Strength.

Doctors and nurses recommend Dr. Williams' Pink Pills because they have seen their wonderful power to make new, rich, red blood, and to cure all diseases due to poor blood or weak nerves. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are not a common medicine. They do not purge and weaken. They contain no poisonous drugs. They are safe, sure, simple, stimulating and scientific. That is why these pills should be taken by all who are weak, bloodless, nerveless and sickly. Here is a bit of very positive proof of the wonderful power to conquer disease which Dr. Williams' Pink Pills possess: Miss Esther E. Lewis, Lynn, N. S., says: "At the age of sixteen my health failed me completely. At that time I was attacked by la grippe, which was followed by measles, from the after effects of which I was left in a deplorable condition. I became very pale, suffered from headaches, dizziness and want of appetite. I tried several medicines, but they did me no good; on the contrary I was growing weaker and finally became so bad that I would take spells of unconsciousness lasting from fifteen minutes to an hour at a time, and I had become so weak that I could hardly move about. At this stage I was advised to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and I have good reason to bless the day I began their use. I had only taken them a few weeks when I began to recover and under their continued use for some time longer I fully regained my former good health. I will be glad if my experience will be of benefit to some other poor sufferer."
When buying the pills see that the full name "Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People" is printed on the wrapper around each box. Sold by all dealers or sent by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 by writing the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

A SPECIAL jubilee service was held in the Reformed Baptist church, St. John, on Thursday evening to commemorate the paying off of the debt of \$600. Rev. Miles Trafton conducted the service. After the devotional exercises Rev. Mr. Trafton gave a brief history of the church. At the time of its establishment there were only 40 members. Now its membership is 180. Three ministers previous to himself had labored in the church, Rev. Mr. Kinghorn, Rev. Mr. McDonald and Rev. Mr. Baker. The debt, amounting to \$600, was paid off on the 20th of March last. Rev. Joseph Bullock contributed \$300, and the members of the congregation the balance. At the meeting the pastor asked for \$50 to cover all pressing needs and a collection was taken up amounting to \$27.50.—St. John Globe.

Mistress: "That was a very nice letter of Patrick's offering you marriage, Mary. What shall I say in reply for you?"
Mary: "Tell him, mum, if you please, that when I get my wages raised next month, mum, I'll begin to save up for the wedding things."

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"I am afraid, madam," said a gentleman who was looking for apartments, "that the house is too near the station to be pleasant."
"It is a little noisy," assented the landlady, "but from the front verandah one has such a fine view of people who miss the trains," she added with an air of triumph.