

NEWS FROM THE COUNTY.

WOODSTOCK, N. B., JUNE 1, 1904.

Andover.

The presentation of the drama, "Valley Farm," in Beveridge's hall, on Tuesday evening, May 24th, drew a crowded house and everyone was well pleased with the performance. The general opinion was that the work of the company was far ahead of that of many of the professional troupes. The cast was well chosen and everyone did exceptionally well, carrying out their part to the satisfaction of all. The stage settings were excellent and in perfect keeping with the spirit of the play. The costumes were good and the acting was done in an easy and graceful manner. The players had been under the training of C. N. Forster, Fort Fairfield, and their work reflects great credit upon his ability in this line. The sum of \$50.00 was cleared. Following is the cast of characters: Harold Rutledge, a young New Yorker, FRED W. HOYT Perry Dean, a son of the soil, A. HERBERT BAIRD David Hildreth, a New York lawyer, HERMAN LARLEE Silas Holcomb, owner of the "Valley Farm," Azariah Keep, clock tinker, WM. M. VEZEY Jennings, servant in Rutledge mansion, LEARON HOPKINS Hetty Holcomb, a country flower transplanted to city soil, E. MAE WAITE Isabel Carney, niece of David Hildreth, B. PEARL WAITE Mrs. Rutledge, Harold's mother, I. LENA BAIRD Alvira Holcomb, sister of Silas, EVA B. CAMERON Lily Tucker, who never gossips, LAURA K. HOPKINS Verbena, hired girl at the farm, BESSIE LAWSON

An interesting game of ball was played between the Fort Fairfield and Andover teams on the 24th. At the end of the 9th and 10th innings the scores were even. In the 11th inning the visiting team gained one score, giving them the game. The Rev. Arthur Ross, of Woodstock, and the Rev. Jack Ross, of Doaktown, spent Victoria day in Andover. A large number of people from Fort Fairfield, Limestone, Caribou, Bairdsville and other places attended the play here on the 24th. Mrs. Archibald and Miss Harper, of McKenzie Corner, spent Sunday, May 22nd, in town, at the home of H. H. Tibbitts. C. U. Forster spent a few days at S. P. Waite's last week. Mr. and Mrs. Carter are spending a few days in Woodstock. Mrs. Baird is spending a few days in St. John. Miss Nellie Sadler arrived home last week after nearly two years absence. Mrs. Puddington, of St. John, and Mrs. and Miss Sadler, of Maple View, were visiting at Senator Baird's last week. Mrs. John Stewart returned from Boston on the 25th. Miss Myrtle Waite is spending a few weeks at Caribou, Maine. Edmund Miles is visiting in Andover.

Bristol.

Mrs. William Stapleford and her daughter Grace left on Wednesday last for Lowell, where they will reside. Rev. S. W. Bannison has been spending a few days with old friends in the village, and on Sunday morning preached in the Primitive Church to a good congregation. Dr. Somerville has moved into the Caldwell Hotel, and Manzer Caldwell has taken the house formerly occupied by the Doctor. Stanley Street now occupies the residence of the late Dr. Atkison. Harry Tompkins will move to East Florenceville this week. Arthur Grass and Miss Eva Jacques spent Sunday in Bristol, the guests of Mr. Harry Lipssett. H. N. Doucette, Knowlesville, was in Bristol on Sunday. A petition asking that the death sentence upon George Gee be commuted to imprisonment for life in Dorchester penitentiary, is being circulated through this parish and is being largely signed. M. Welsh has a crew at work rafting, and is sending rafts away every day now. George Davis, C. P. R. operator at Canterbury spent Sunday in Bristol. D. V. Boyer went to Woodstock on Tuesday to attend a meeting of the Carleton Co. Sunday School executive committee. G. A. Brittain & Son, who have one of the best equipped roller process wheat mills in the county, have recently added a feed crusher of the most modern type and it does excellent work. The mill produces a quality of flour equal to the best imported, and receives a large patronage from the surrounding districts.

West Glassville.

Frank Jones is visiting relatives in Glassville this week. Mrs. Allison Edwards and her daughter Flossie, of Lewiston, Maine, arrived here Monday to visit Mrs. Edward's parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Brewster. Rev. L. Gibson, Glassville, preached a very eloquent sermon to a large congregation in this place Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Jayes Lawson and her little daughter Ethelyn, and Miss Collins paid a flying visit to friends here Saturday. Allison Elkins left Monday for the bark woods. Charles Rogers spent Sunday with relatives here. He was accompanied by his granddaughter Miss Emma Jones teacher of the Foreston school.

Wicklow.

James McIsaac is at work with a number of teams, putting in the crop on A. F. Hale's farm. George Scovil and family have moved into Joseph Giberson's house and are working the farm. J. A. Parker is preparing to build a house this summer. Clarence Estey is suffering from an attack of rheumatism. Miss Nellie Estey is recovering from her recent illness. Charles Giberson is receiving congratulations on the arrival of a baby girl, and Burd Delong on the arrival of a boy. T. Harlan Estey who returned home from the west recently is attending the closing exercises at Mt. Allison College Sackville. We regret to write that Albert Hutchinson has very poor health at present.

East Florenceville.

Mrs. Mary Kearney who died at Oakland the 27th inst., was buried in the Baptist burying grounds here Sunday. H. I. Smith and J. Golden two popular commercial men of St. John spent Sunday at the Exchange. Miss Kate Jameson and Miss Belle Goddard, of St. John, drove to Victoria Corner and Houlton last week taking an enjoyable four days trip. Miss Mildred Jameson returned last week from a visit to Victoria and Richmond. Miss Gladys Semple is visiting her sister at River de Chute, Mrs. D. B. Baird. Mrs. J. A. Kilpatrick returned last week from a two weeks visit to her old home at Cambridge. B. F. Smith, M. P. P., has started his new warehouse at the station. It will be 40x200 feet and will have a drive way through the middle instead of platform outside. Our new photographer is getting about all the work he can do. Geo. Davis, of Canterbury, spent Sunday in town. Miss Estella Dalling, of Woodstock, was the guest of Miss Kate Jameson Saturday and Sunday. Miss Marion R. Tompkins has gone to Fredericton to resume her studies in Manual Training.

Kirkland.

Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan McDougall from Amity, Me., have been visiting friends in this vicinity. We had a serious fire in this place on the 24th inst. Three barns, a hog house, and blacksmith shop with all their contents were consumed on the estate of the late David Slater which is now occupied by Thomas Slater, sr., who is caring for four of his son's orphan children. Some of the things burned were, one bull, two turkeys a lot of hens, twelve young pigs, two old hogs, about three hundred bushels of oats, hay, straw all kinds of farm machinery, over one hundred pounds of wool, ten dollars worth of grass seed, a covered carriage and other things too numerous to mention. The house of Mrs. Margaret Palmer of North Lake was burned on the 24th. Most of its contents was saved, the barn being very close to the house was also burned. Mrs. Palmer is a very old lady, over eighty, still she is talking of having her another house built. Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Russell paid a visit to their daughter Mrs. Daniel Graham the other day. Mrs. Herb Clark, her little daughter and also Mrs. Lewis from Forest City passed through this place recently going to visit friends in Houlton. Meta Slater returned home from St. John.

The Ills Of Childhood.

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The Hostler—Say, the horses won't eat that hay. The Hustler—Well, tie it up in packages and advertise it as a new breakfast food. "Well, I guess old Slyman is beginning to make his pile." "Why do you think so?" "He's going around blowing about how much happier a man is when he's poor." "Young Spenderly has been flying high since the death of his millionaire uncle." "Yes, he has found it smooth sailing since he came into his heirship."—Town Topics. Sarcastic Father—Julia, that young man Smiley has been here three nights in succession, and it has been nearly midnight when he left. Hadn't you better invite him to bring his trunk and make his home with us? Innocent Daughter—Oh, papa! May I? It is just what he wanted, but he was too bashful to ask me. He'll be delighted when I tell him this evening.—Tit-Bite.

Tit for Tat.

Mr. A was a millionaire. He was fifty. He met Miss B. Miss B. was a milliner. She was twenty. Mr. A. fell in love with Miss B. He asked her to marry him. They were married. In ten years Mr. A. was sixty. Mrs. A. was then thirty. Mr. A. was still in love with his wife. But he had found out that she was not in love with him, that she never had been in love with him, and that she never would be in love with him. He brooded over this. And he died from a broken heart. But he left her all his money. Mrs. A. was a millionairess. She was forty. She met Mr. C. Mr. C. was a musician. He was twenty-five. Mrs. A. fell in love with Mr. C. He asked her to marry him. They were married. In ten years Mrs. C. was fifty. Mr. C. was then thirty-five. Mrs. C. was still in love with her husband. But she had found out that he was not in love with her, that he never was in love with her, and that he never would be in love with her. She brooded over this. And she died of a broken heart. But she left him all her money.

Rules for Long Life are Set.

These rules for prolonging life have been laid down before the Royal College of Physicians, London, by Dr. Herman Weber: Moderation in eating, drinking and physical indulgence. Pure air, out of the house and within. Keep every vital organ in constant working order. Regular exercise every day in all weathers. Sleep only from six to seven hours, going to bed early and rising early. Daily baths, warm one day, cold the next. Regular work and mental occupation. Cultivate placidity, cheerfulness, hopefulness. Control passions and nervous fear. Strengthen the will in carrying out what ever is useful. Check the craving for stimulants and anodynes.

Scottish Humor.

A wealthy Scotch ironmaster called on a country squire and was ushered into the library. He had never seen such a room before, and was much impressed by the handsome cases and the array of well bound volumes that filled the shelves. The next time he went to Glasgow he made a point of calling at a well known bookseller's, when the following conversation is reported to have taken place: "I want you to get me a library." "Very well, Mr. —; I'll be pleased to supply you with books. Can you give me any list of such books as you'd like?" "Ye ken mair about buiks than I do, so you can choose them yourself." "Then you leave the selection entirely to me? Would you like them bound in Russia or Morocco?" "Can ye no' get them bound in Glasco?"

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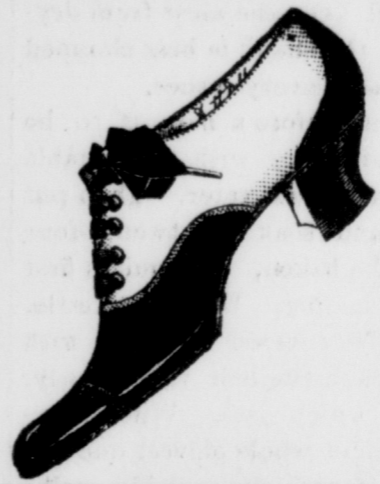
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W. R. DEMERCHANT.

County Council Meeting.

The regular June Meeting of the County Council of the Municipality of Carleton will be held at the Court House on Tuesday the 21st day of June next at 10 o'clock in the forenoon. Dated this thirty first day of May A. D. 1904. J. C. HARTLEY, Secretary-Treasurer Municipality of Carleton.

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