

NEWS FROM THE COUNTY.

WOODSTOCK, N. B., JULY 6, 1904.

Skiff Lake.

Mrs. A. D. Annette of Saco, Maine, is visiting her mother Mrs. Samuel McIntyre. Miss Fannie Cunningham left for St. John on Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. George Robinson of Woodstock were the guests of Mrs. James McMullin last week.

Miss Margaret McMullin spent last week at her home accompanied by her friend Miss Anna McCue of Houlton.

Misses Katie and Eva McMullin entertained a number of young people on Tuesday evening. Music and games were the order of the evening and about half past ten ice cream and cake was served. All present report a good time.

Mrs. James McMullin and daughter Kate accompanied by their friend Mrs. William English of Presque Isle left Saturday for St. Stephen where they will spend a few days with Mrs. A. T. Murbie.

The residence of Mr. and Mrs. David Cropley, Posterville, was the scene of a very happy occasion on Wednesday, June 22nd, where Rev. C. Flemington united in marriage their only daughter, Alma I., to Fred H. McMullin of this place, in the presence of about 150 invited guests. The bride was becomingly attired in white organdie with trimmings of lace and ribbon and carried a bouquet of lilies of the valley. Miss Margaret McMullin, sister of the groom who officiated as bridesmaid wore a dress of white muslin. Lohengrin's wedding march was beautifully rendered by Miss Maude McMullin. Numerous and costly were the bride's presents. After the ceremony luncheon was served and all enjoyed the evening in a merry dance.

Andover.

Mrs. A. E. Kupkey has gone to Truro, N. S., on a visit to her sister, Mrs. Bruce. Mrs. T. H. Manzer is on a visit to Woodstock.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry McCain, of Florenceville, were in town last week for a few days. Miss Currie, of Hartland, is visiting her friend, Miss Millie Armstrong.

Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Sadler have gone to St. John. They will spend several days at Beulah Camp.

Mrs. Duncan Reid who spent the past six months in Kingsclear has returned to Andover.

Mrs. Samuel Estabrooks, of Rockland, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. Bridgess.

The W. C. T. U. of Perth were "at home" to a number of their friends last Thursday evening. Mrs. Brewer and Miss Bean received the guests, addresses were made by Rev. R. W. Dimmings, Senator Baird, and J. F. Tweeddale, M. P. P. A pleasing programme was carried out and refreshments served.

A. Wallace Perley, of Spokane, Wash., is on a visit here to his old home.

Miss Louise Burpee of Gibson is visiting her friend, Miss Laura Hopkins. Miss Alice Manzer is on a visit to her old home.

Bath.

Harry Giberson of this place was united in marriage to Miss Christina Darrah of Glassville at her father's residence the 29th ult. by Rev. J. D. Wetmore. They drove to their home in Bath July 1st and were warmly welcomed by a good old fashioned charivari.

The Methodist church was dedicated for worship July 3rd. The day was fine and cool and good congregations were in attendance at the three services. Rev. J. C. Berrie, J. B. Young and W. H. Smith were in attendance at the morning service. Rev. J. C. Berrie preached both morning and afternoon and in the evening Rev. E. C. Turner filled the pulpit. The collections in all amounted to \$107.00. The church is neat, commodious and well furnished. The pulpit and furniture are of solid black walnut the gift of Geo. Raymond, of Boston and were made in Woodstock by the A. Henderson Furniture Co. of Woodstock.

A crew of men are at work extending the water-works to the southern limit of the corporation.

The sidewalk has also been begun and the work is progressing rapidly.

C. H. Phillips, traveller for the Satin Gloss Polish Co., of Portland, Me., was in town over Sunday visiting his family.

Wicklow.

Mrs. J. R. Ferguson, of Roxbury, Mass., Mr. and Mrs. Harper of Jacksonville, N. B., and Miss Addie Olmstead, of Grafton, are visiting relatives of this place.

A large number of people attended the dedication of the Methodist church at Bath on Sunday.

Miss Nellie B. Harmon and Miss Marion R. Tompkins are guests of Miss Marion T. Estey.

Mrs. Fraser McCain, of Portland, Me., has been spending the last few weeks with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hutchinson. Miss Agnes White returned home from Waltham on Thursday.

The Wicklow band is about to be reorganized for the summer, as many of the boys have returned from the West.

Miss Nettie Vail and Miss Myrtle Fowler have been visiting Mrs. George Squires.

Debec.

Miss Gertrude Henderson is visiting her aunt Mrs. Robert Kirkpatrick.

Mrs. A. H. Henderson accompanied by her daughters Retta and Ethel and son Clarence arrived in our village Saturday.

Harry Benn is visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Benn being called home on account of the serious illness of his brother Ernest.

A strawberry weighing one ounce is in exhibition at the post office. The berry was grown in Mr. Harro's garden.

At the close of the Sunday School in our village Sunday July 3rd. Mrs. Dickinson in behalf of the school presented Mrs. Stibbings with an address accompanied by a dress suit.

CASE AS A TOKEN OF ESTEEM BEFORE LEAVING OUR MIDST.

Rev. T. Stibbings preached his farewell sermon Sunday July 3rd. He leaves this week for his new field Tryan P. E. I. Rev. J. King will assume the pastorate of the Methodist churches in Richmond.

Kirkland.

Mrs. Belle Walker, of St. John, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Hugh McCluskey.

George Bustard, of Monument Settlement, has Mr. Estey the carpenter engaged building a veranda around his house.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Graham and infant daughter were visiting relatives in this place recently.

Mrs. J. W. Fowler and three children are visiting relatives at Point Ellagarde, Quebec.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Furse from Union Corner, are visiting relatives in this vicinity. Charles Boone from North Lake has been visiting his sisters in this vicinity.

For Town and City People.

A member of the City Improvement Society handed the following sensible advices to the Hamilton Times:

Don't throw anything into the street. Garbage cans and barrels are always near at hand.

Don't throw away banana skins. They are slippery. Give them to a horse. Horses like them.

Don't forget that orange skins and water melon rinds are easiest cared for when thrown into a garbage can.

Don't tear up waste paper and scatter it about the street. Your mother can use it for lighting her fire.

Don't fill the ash-barrel too full. Ashes are easily scattered by the faintest breeze.

Don't use ash-barrels for bonfires. Bonfires make extra work for the sweepers and cartmen; they injure the pavement; the barrels cost somebody money.

Don't throw water into the street on frosty days.

Don't scatter the sandheaps in front of buildings being erected.

Don't throw anything into the sewers.

Don't prevent water in gutters from flowing into the sewers.

Don't touch the fire hydrants. If the hydrants get out of repair, the damage, in case of fire, might be serious.

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The Effects of Fasting.

Every living body requires a quantity of food that is commensurate with the tissues it consumes in the performance of its functions. When nourishment is withheld, the body is forced to subsist on its own tissues. The fat is first appropriated, then the muscles and other structures. The emaciation and loss of strength are so rapid that life has rarely been maintained longer than ten days, when neither food nor drink was taken. If, however, an abundance of water is drunk, the wasting is greatly retarded and life can be supported for a much longer time, provided that the body be kept at complete rest. Thus restricted, fasting is often made a valuable adjunct to other measures in the treatment of disease. A limitation of the diet is more frequently resorted to than an entire withdrawal of nourishment.

Restriction of diet is often valuable also as a means of preventing illness. Most persons not employed in manual labor eat more than is required for their support. Overeating seldom yields an increase of nutrition. The excess of food, on the contrary, imposes a burden upon the liver, kidneys and other organs whose office it is to free the blood of effete matter. When this burden becomes excessive, illness is induced. Headache, loss of appetite, lassitude and all other symptoms come only assembled under the term "biliousness" are the usual manifestations of it. The accumulation of poisons is further favored by neglect of drink, when too little water is taken into the system to maintain the secretions and carry off the waste.

The waste products which result from an overindulgence in meat are more acutely poisonous than those from vegetables. They belong to the uric acid group of poisonous substances, which are regarded as particularly active in the production of gout, rheumatism and neuralgia. Or if the quantity of animal food taken be so excessive and remain so long in the intestines as to undergo decomposition through the action of bacteria, ptomain-poisoning is produced, and it may be so severe as to be distinguished with difficulty from typhoid fever.

In the less severe cases relief is promptly secured by abstaining from meat for a few days, hastening the removal of the toxic matter by the drinking of as much pure water as the stomach will tolerate, or by means of a laxative mineral water. Muscular exercise and bathing are also advantageous for prevention.

Then the Grocer Smiled.

A woman walked into a grocer's shop lately in an Ayrshire village with her sleeves turned up and a queer look in her eyes. With a sniff she banged a piece of yellow substance on the counter, and said:

'Dis is the sape that dis the washin' o' it-self; the sape that makes every washin' day a kin' o' glorified feast; the sape that gets a' the linen white as snow an' as sweet as a hazel nut, and lets the delighted housewife play wi' the wans; an' here I've been scrubbin' three mortal hours wi' that lump an' got nae mair lather out o' it than I could get out o' a brick.'

The grocer calmly remarked: 'I beg your pardon but this isn't soap. Your little boy was here yesterday for half a pound of both cheese and soap; that's the cheese!'

'The cheese!' exclaimed the woman; 'then that accounts for the ither thing.'

'What other thing?'

'I lay wauken the hale nicht winnerin' whit made the Welsh rabbit we had fur oor supper taste sae queer.' -Edinburgh 'Scotsman.'

Too Busy to Ask for a Raise.

(Leslie's Weekly.)

A year ago, a manufacturer hired a boy. For months there was nothing noticeable about the boy except that he never took his eyes off the machine he was running. A few weeks ago the manufacturer looked up from his work to see the boy standing beside his desk.

"What do you want?" he asked. "Want me pay raised." "What are you getting?" "Tree dollars a week." "Well, how much do you think you are worth?"

"Four dollars."

"You think so, do you?"

"Yessir, an' I've been t'inkin' so fer t'ree weeks, but I've been so blamed busy I haven't had time to speak to you about it."

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