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Death of Mrs. Francis Good.

Mrs. Good, relict of the late Francis Good, died at her home in Jacksontown on Sunday afternoon. She had been ill for some months and no hope was entertained of her recovery. She leaves two sons, Major W. C. Good and Charles Good, and one daughter wife of the Rev. Mr. Thomas, of Campbellton, as well as a number of brothers and sisters. Mrs. Good was a Miss Corbett of Jacksontown. She was a woman of very fine character and most highly esteemed by all who had the pleasure of knowing her. The bereaved family have the sincere sympathy of the entire community. The funeral took place yesterday afternoon.

Death of Dr. David J. W. Wiley.

Dr. David J. W. Wiley died at his home in Tillamook, Oregon, on Friday October 21st of neuralgia of the heart at the age of 62 years. He was born in Fredericton in 1843, was a graduate of the University of Vermont and of the medical school of Harvard University. He practised 27 years at Florenceville in this county where he made many friends by his skill and his kindly and generous nature. He left Florenceville in 1889 and went to practise in the State of Maine. In 1892 he went to Tillamook Oregon where he practised till the time of his death. He leaves a widow, one daughter, Mrs. Thomas A. McCain of Florenceville and three sons Robert, James O. and Percy J. who are living in the west.

An Oregon paper says of Dr. Wiley "He had been for two terms mayor of Tillamook City and lived a conspicuously upright and useful life. As a physician he was successful beyond the average, and though a man of positive opinions and outspoken character he was almost universally beloved. At the time of his death he was ruling elder of the Presbyterian church and a mason."

Drowning Accident.

John Quigley a man about 50 years of age was drowned in the river here last Friday about noon. He was crossing the Medax-nakeag by the railway bridge when his hat blew off. He followed it down along the shore to a point near the woodworking factory when he took off his coat and walked in to get it, and was unable to get back to shore.

A party at once began to drag the river for the body which was not recovered till Sunday. The deceased leaves three sons and three daughters. He had at one time been a resident of Woodstock but for the last few years has been living in Aroostook County.

At a coroners inquest held on Monday morning the jury brought in a verdict of accidental drowning.

Accident Resulting In Death.

A terrible accident happened at St. Andrews on Tuesday of last week which resulted in the death of Mary Louise Stairs, aged 5½ years, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Stairs. The little girl was playing in the yard near where some rubbish was being burned. She got too near the blaze and her cloths caught fire and she was terribly burned before it could be put out. Her mother brought the little girl to the hospital at Woodstock on Tuesday night in the hope that something might be done to save her but nothing could be done. She died on Wednesday morning. The funeral was held on Friday afternoon. The remains were interred in the Kirk cemetery, Northampton. The service was conducted by the Rev. F. Allison Currier. Mr. Stairs who was working in Montreal arrived in Woodstock on Thursday's express.

Bengough.

It is safe to say Bengough's dramatic work is not one whit behind his skill with a pencil. He is best known as a cartoonist, and his sketches of local incidents are sure to take his audience by storm next Friday night in the opera house; but his impersonation of character, his reproduction of the eccentricities and affectations of singers and speakers to the very life will certainly create a deep impression of Bengough's originality and versatility as an actor. There is a rare treat in store for all who intend hearing this prince of dramatists next Friday evening. Seats for sale now at Graham's. Prices 50, 35 and 25 cents.

Shooting By Lawyers.

Two cases of accurate marksmanship by attorneys at law have been noted recently. On October 3 Earl Camp, a young lawyer of Dublin, Ga., killed the superintendent of the Laurens county chain gang in self-defense, while on October 9 Hugh N. Swain, of Houston, Tex., shot C. W. Jones, secretary of the Houston Fire and Marine Insurance Company—in the back of the head, we regret to say.

GREAT LIBERAL VICTORY.

Lauriers Majority Larger Than Ever—Mr. Carvell Defeats Mr. Hale In Carleton County.

The election was a complete victory for the liberal party. In the election of 1901 there were 133 liberals returned and 80 conservatives, giving the liberals a majority of 53. In the new house the liberal majority will be somewhere between 60 and 70.

The results to date, by provinces, are as follows:—

	Con.	Lib.	To be held.
Quebec	11	53	1
Ontario	48	38	6
Manitoba	3	6	1
The Territories	1	8	2
New Brunswick	6	7	0
Nova Scotia	0	18	0
P. E. Island	3	1	0
British Columbia	0	4	3
	72	135	7

The result in New Brunswick is as follows:—

Carleton, Carvell, Liberal.
Charlotte, Ganong, Conservative.
Gloucester, Turgeon, Liberal.
Kent, Leblanc, Liberal.
Kings-Albert, Fowler, Conservative.
Northumberland, Loggie, Liberal.
Restigouche, Reid, Liberal.
St. John City, Dr. Daniel, Conservative.
St. John City and County, Stockton, Conservative.
Sunbury Queens, Wilmot, Conservative.
Victoria-Madawaska, Hon. John Costigan, Liberal.
Westmorland, Hon. H. R. Emmerson, Liberal.
York, Crockett, Conservative.

For Carleton we give below the result by polling places, for this election as well as for the election of 1900.

	1900.		1904.	
	HALE	CARVELL	HALE	CARVELL
Woodstock Town	406	252	370	379
" North	45	50	53	35
" South	180	124	164	139
Simons	100	66	97	65
Wilmot	231	220	200	241
Richmond, Debec	109	133	88	152
Corner	87	115	75	95
Wakefield, Victoria	48	89	55	69
Wakefield, Jacksonville	133	132	100	131
Wicklow Front	117	118	92	110
" Tracy Mills	128	119	106	125
Brighton, Rockland	167	154	137	143
" Hartland	131	165	114	163
Kent, Johnville	23	148	26	148
" Bath	283	201	248	233
Northampton	156	132	113	177
Peel	181	85	158	119
Aberdeen, Glassville	121	94	137	80
" Beaufort	57	49	58	33
Non Residents	13	11		
	2703	2446	2391	2642

It is too bad that in the general sweep in Nova Scotia Mr. R. L. Borden, the leader of the Conservative party, should have been defeated. Under our party system a government needs a strong opposition and an opposition needs a leader. Mr. Borden is a gentleman with a clean record, and if not, a successful, was at least a dignified leader. Liberals and Conservatives all have to admit that it is much easier for a politician to keep a clean record in opposition than in power.

There is a reasonable suspicion that politics in Canada is not getting any cleaner than it has been, and possibly, maybe, perhaps, its getting a d—sight worse. There was a day in Carleton County when to purchase a vote was looked upon as a terrible thing; and a man who sold his vote was beneath contempt.

Bribery and corruption is rampant here today and neither party can say its hands are clean. At the most conservative estimate over \$30,000 was spent in this campaign in Carleton County, which is over \$6.00 each for every voter in the county. Each party spent all the money it could get. It is only natural to think the government party had the largest wad.

Where will this rottenness end? Democratic government has hardly justified itself. Manhood suffrage is a good thing, but dog-hood suffrage, skunkhood suffrage, these are not good. And what better than a dog or a skunk is the man who sells his vote? If \$25 was the average price paid for votes in this county, then about 1200 of the free and independent electors of Carleton County took money on election day.

The late George Gee and the unfortunate Thomas Cammack are not the worst enemies of our supposed civilization. There are meaner men than the murderer. The poor men are not the first to sell their votes. I have been informed on good authority that in more than one case a rich man has sold his own vote and that of three or four sons at a price near \$100.

An old lady was noticed by the vicar to always bow her head when the name Satan was mentioned. He asked her the reason for this strange habit of hers, and she replied: "Well, politeness costs nothing, and you never know."

Town Council.

The question of buying and selling corwood in the town of Woodstock was taken up at the meeting of the town council on Monday evening last.

Coun. Stevens said the matter should be looked into seriously and something done to put the law in force.

His Worship thought an inspector should be appointed to take charge of the matter.

Coun. Gallagher was of the opinion that an office should be provided for the inspector so that any one buying wood could find him.

Coun. Dibblee said the poor people of the town were the chief sufferers in this matter, and he would agree to the appointment of an inspector.

Coun. Stevens moved that John Donnelly be appointed inspector. Seconded by Coun. Dibblee the motion was carried.

The inspector's fee will be seven cents per load, the price of inspection to be added to the cost of the wood.

Woodstock Market.

The only change in prices this week is in pork which has fallen.

Hay per ton, \$6.00.
Oats per bus, 35 cents.
Potatoes per bbl, 85 cents.
Turnips per bbl, 50 cents.
Carrots per bbl, 75 cents.
Beets per bbl, \$1.00.
Beef per cwt, \$5.00.
Pork heavy per cwt, \$4.75.
Pork light per cwt, \$5.00.
Chickens per lb, 85 cents to 10 cents.
Turkeys per lb, 18 cents.
Geese per lb, 9 cents.
Ducks, per lb, 10 cents.
Lambs each, \$2.50 to \$3.00.
Buckwheat meal per cwt, \$1.75.
Beans, yellow eye, per bus, \$3.00.
Squash per cwt, \$2.00.
Cabbages per cwt, \$5.00.
Butter per lb, 16 cents to 17 cents.
Eggs per dozen, 24 cents.
Hard wood per cord, \$4.00.

The Fire Alarm.

In consequence of confusion occasioned by the ringing of the Fire Alarm, the following is published for the information of the citizens. When an alarm of fire is received at the Town Hall, the bell will be rung rapidly for about three minutes, after which the bell will be struck, to correspond with the number of the Box from which the alarm came. Should the number be 23, the bell will strike 2 then a pause and strike 3, which will mean that Box 23 has been rung in. Boxes are placed as follows:—

- No. 3 Town Hall.
- " 5 Pumping Station.
- " 13 Connell Street—A Brown's.
- " 14 Elm Street—J. C. Gibson's.
- " 15 Main Street—D. Munro's.
- " 21 Broadway—Moore's house.
- " 22 Connell's Foundry.
- " 23 Main and King Sts—Nicholson's.
- " 24 Broadway—McCafferty's house.
- " 25 Dickinson's Tannery.
- " 26 Lower Corner Engine house.

Justice Cozens-Hardy on Preaching.

When presiding at a Methodist Free Church meeting during September, Lord Justice Cozens Hardy delivered himself of some interesting dicta on the subject of preaching. He said that preachers, like lawyers, were of three kinds—those you could not listen to, those you could listen to, and those you could not help but listen to; which last named class comprised but few members. His lordship quoted a learned judge of assize who, when asked his opinion about the length of sermons, said "they should be no longer than twenty minutes with a tendency to mercy."

Not His Fault.

Giles Jackson, the celebrated negro lawyer of Richmond, in defending one of his clients in the police court, began to read from the code, says the Virginia Law Register. The police justice seemed to suspect that Mr. Jackson was reading something which was not there, and interrupted the lawyer, saying "Mr. Jackson, I never heard of any such law as that." "Well," said the lawyer, "is you gwine to hold my client responsible for the ignorance of this court?"

Medical Wisdom.

Young Physician—Doctor, what shall I do when I can't tell what is the matter with a patient?

Experienced Practitioner—It depends entirely on the man. If he is poor, give him dyspepsia tablets and charge three dollars. If he is rich, perform an operation for appendicitis and charge three thousand.

Plan was Born to be Ruled.

Little Willie: "I say, pa, I'll be very glad when I get old enough to do as I please."
Pa: "Naturally, my son; and when you reach that age it's probable you'll get married and not do it."