

NEWS FROM THE COUNTY.

WOODSTOCK, N. B., MAY 11, 1904.

Northampton.

Our roads to use an old expression are dry as a bone but a little rough. A large wash out down near the county line was sold last week by the supervisor. Burns Cluff bid in the job for \$50.00.

Gibson Bros. got in with their drive a week ago Saturday night. They are unable to saw just now owing to the high water in the river backing up the creek.

Large crews of men are engaged in rafting for Cluff Bros., Nix, and Gilman.

Prof. Trombly is teaching singing school in the old Kirk. It is well patronized by the young people.

Oliver and Robert Rolston, J. J. and Harry Rogers, David Rolston and many others went to Fredericton with lumber last week.

George Pentland is working as deck hand on the Aberdeen.

Miss Augie Clowes and Miss Clara Scott, Woodstock, spent Sunday at James Clowes'.

Our boys seem determined to keep up to date. Harry Clowes has just purchased a fine new piano box road wagon with rubber tires.

Miss Jessie Arbuckle, of Dumfries, spent a week with her aunt Mrs. Ives quite recently. James R. Patterson of Prince William has been on a visit to his old home here.

Silas and Samuel Haughan of Houlton spent Sunday with Alex. Ives.

J. J. Rogers has added a fine bath room to his new residence. It has the latest and most up to date appointments. Fewer Bros. did the work.

We regret to announce the serious illness of Mrs. Justus Gill, with a complication of diseases. Mrs. Britten her daughter from Bristol spent last week with her and Miss Allie returned home from Worcester Mass on Saturday. Drs. Hand and Rankin are both in attendance.

Mrs. Robert Monteith went to Fredericton last Monday to see the wife of Pte. Monteith of the Royal Regt. who is seriously ill.

Congratulations are extended to Mr. and Mrs. Warren Bull on the arrival of a new boy.

The sympathy of the community is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Brackett in the loss of their little boy last week of whooping cough. Mr. and Mrs. Brackett were just home from the States on a visit when the little one took sick and died. Mrs. Brackett was formerly Miss Lily Miller. The interment took place last Sunday.

Cabano, P. Q.

The quarantine has been removed and there are no cases of smallpox in town.

Driving operations have commenced, but the ice is still firm in the Lake.

School will commence in a few days Miss Porter from Bairdsville, N. B., will be the teacher.

Fred D. Boyer has accepted a position with the Aroostook Lumber Co. at Presque Isle, Me., and will enter on his new duties in a few days. His family will go to Florenceville, N. B. for the summer. On the eve of their departure a number of their friends met at their home and at the close of a pleasant evening spent in pit, whist, crokinole, music and song, Mr. W. Robinson read an address, expressing regret at their departure, and on behalf of their friends presented Mr. and Mrs. Boyer with a neat purse of money with instructions to buy suitable silver ware to be engraved, "From Cabano Friends." Mr. and Mrs. Boyer were taken completely by surprise. In reply Mr. Boyer feelingly thanked them for their expression of good will, which would always remain fresh in their minds.

Andrew Brebner the popular bookkeeper for D. Fraser and Son's took a short trip to Kincardine and when he returned he brought with him his bride. Mrs. Brebner who was Miss Matheson is well and favorably known in this town.

East Florenceville.

Harold Hunter son of Wilmot Hunter of this place died Sunday morning of appendicitis. He was sick only 3 days. The funeral was on Tuesday at 10 o'clock.

Wm. C. Crawford, photographer, of Hampton, has located in town for the summer, where he intends turning out nothing but first class work. He can be found in the hall over J. H. Jameson's store.

There will be an oyster supper at the Exchange Hotel Saturday night May 14th. Proceeds for repair of Baptist church.

H. W. Burnham has his automobile out for the summer. It keeps the horses in good tune.

Geo. Davis left for Canterbury Monday where he has charge of the station.

Centreville.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles White who have been in California for over a year have returned and are apparently in the best of health.

Percy Vandine who left this village some years ago and located in Massachusetts is making a short visit at the home of his father, Joseph Vandine. He will also attend to some business interests in Queens County before returning to his home.

Thos. MacKellie, agent of the New Brunswick branch of the Bible Society, has announced that he will address a public meeting here on Monday evening, May 23rd in the interests of the Society. A large attendance is respectfully requested. Those interested in the circulation of the bible may here find an opportunity to do something for the cause.

The trustees of Good's Corner school district are in need of a teacher to take charge of this school for the remainder of the term. The teacher in charge at the time the school house was damaged by lightning has engaged in another district.

Arbour day usually so full of interest had a genuine surprise for us this year. It is said that not even the scholars were taken in the confidence of Principal Worrell as to the extensive improvements to be made on the school premises. Everything was done under the personal supervision of the teacher, and whatever may have been said in the past as to the untidy state of the school grounds, that avenue of discussion is effectually "bottled up" for the present at least.

S. W. Burt has purchased the interest of Judson C. Burt of Bridgewater Centre in the Exchange Hotel here and will it is said make some improvements.

Perry Fitzgerald is remodelling his building on Main street. The shoe shop will be removed to the second flat. The ground flat will be arranged so as to give W. F. Dibblee & Son more room for their fast increasing trade.

Farming may be said to have commenced in real earnest this morning, though some have already planted their potatoes, and some wheat has been sown.

Glassville.

N. R. Colter, post office inspector, was in the village last week and duly appointed James Miller post master for this place. The appointment is most satisfactory.

Mr. McDougal, Woodstock agent for the Magnet Cream Separator, was in the village on Friday and set up a machine for Robert McIntosh.

Rev. Mr. Gibson, graduate of Pine Hill Theological Seminary, Halifax, was duly licensed and ordained to the gospel ministry and appointed to the pastorate here for the term of one year by the Presbytery on Thursday evening of last week.

Rev. C. F. Rideout is spending the week at his home.

Miss Maud McIntosh who has been going to school at Bristol this term is home for a few days.

Middle Simonds.

Thomas Underhill of this place who has been sick for nearly a year died at his home last Monday night, May 2nd. The funeral which was largely attended was in the Baptist church on Wednesday afternoon. Rev. W. H. Smith preached and was assisted in the service by Rev. J. A. Woodworth. The service at the grave was conducted by Hipwell L. O. L., No. 51, of which Mr. Underhill was a member.

The Misses Maud and Lillian Christian who spent the winter in Bermuda arrived home last week looking well.

Rev. J. A. Woodworth and family who have been living in Woodstock have moved into the Kelly house.

Bristol.

Mrs. W. Stapleford is visiting friends at Centreville.

Mrs. (Dr.) E. H. Freeze has gone on a visit to her former home at Shediac.

Mrs. C. W. Brittain has returned from spending a few days at Woodstock.

Mrs. Maria J. Atkinson, widow of the late Dr. James G. Atkinson, died on Tuesday night after an illness of some weeks. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. J. H. Anderson. One son, Robert B. Atkinson, and one daughter, Mrs. Sankey Rogers, are left to mourn their loss.

Erlon Brooker's house, about three miles from Bristol, was burned one day last week. The family were away from home at the time, and the house and contents were completely destroyed.

A. W. Phillips is spending a few days at home.

C. A. Phillips has gone on a business trip to St. John.

Arbor day was observed as usual, on Friday, by the village schools.

Charles Tinker, C. P. R. agent, leaves on Tuesday for the St. Louis Exposition.

The Egypt Sunday school was reorganized on Sunday by D. V. Boyer, parish president, with a good attendance.

C. R. Lockhart has got his drive down the big Shiktehawk, and has the logs safely boomed above his mill. M. Welsh has a crew at work getting his logs out of the big Shiktehawk, and will begin rafting in a few days.

Othneil Merritt has gone to Rossland, British Columbia.

Joseph Jones, who was well known here, and a brother of D. S. Jones, died at the Victoria hospital, Fredericton, on Wednesday last. He had been in poor health for some time, and went from here to the hospital about a fortnight before his death. His remains were taken to Wolfville, N. S., where his family reside, for burial.

The remains of Teddie G. Rickards, whose death occurred at Bangor of typhoid fever were brought here on Friday and taken to Gordonsville for burial. He was 16 years of age, and was a grand son of Israel Craig, of Gordonsville.

West Glassville.

Mrs. Thomas Alcorn returned to her home in Portland last week. Mr. Joseph Doherty, Mrs. Alcorn's father, was quite improved in health before her departure.

Norman Craig of Gordonsville was in this place last week taking orders for fruit and arbor trees, vines etc, with good success.

Some early settlers have remarked on the extreme rise of water in the Chicktehauk this spring, as it was never known to reach such a height before. This was very fortunate for Charles Lockhart of Bristol, who annually drives his lumber to his mill on this stream. The crew made a quick run this year, considering the amount of lumber, having been only about a week at the work.

Archie Darrah has gone to Wicklow where he will work this summer with James Tweedie.

Burton and Frank Boyer, Bristol, spent part of last week in this place, clearing up some land on their farm.

Miss Louisa and Jim King of Lakeville were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Ronald recently.

James Darrah cut his foot quite seriously last week.

A number of people from this place attended the ordination in the Presbyterian church at Glassville Thursday evening.

Mrs. John Black has been spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. Thomas Doherty.

Norman Craig, Guy Stickney and John Darrah, of Gordonsville spent Sunday in this place.

Miss Eliza Wilson, teacher of Knowlsville school, spent Sunday at her home here.

Miss Kate MacLachlan, who has been assistant clerk in Belle F. DeLong's dry goods store at Bristol, since September, returned home last week.

Harry Giberson of Bath and Charles Wilson of Glassville spent Sunday here.

Middle Southampton.

We are having very warm summer days at present and the farmers have begun work on their farms planting and sowing seed.

Mrs. Fox, widow of Frederic Fox, has had a paralytic stroke. We are glad to learn that there is a slight improvement in her condition since yesterday.

On May the 7th in the evening Miss Palmer held a pie social which was a grand success. The sum of twenty-three dollars was realized which will be expended for a flag and pole as well as other school necessities.

The many friends of Alfred Schriver were glad to see him once again in our midst.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Tabor with their son Claud, visited Mr. Tabor's brother E. F. Tabor, Friday and Saturday of last week.

J. J. Barnes held service in the Free Baptist church last Sunday evening. He preached an able sermon.

Lakeville.

There were many queries during the time of extreme low water last winter as to whether the water would raise sufficient to flow over the dam. Since the freshest the old time roar of falling water lulls the weary labourer to rest as of yore and added to this is the busy hum of Carvell's sawmill, running night and day. They will be obliged to run nights for several weeks longer judging from the pile of unsawed lumber still in the pond.

Ward Barker and family have moved to Lakeville. At present they are living with Mrs. Barker's brother, Thomas Corbett.

Wm. Wilson is digging a cellar preparatory to building a new residence.

Jack MacBride, Easton, was in the village this week and on returning took with him a very fine pacer which he bought from Rev. E. C. Turner.

John Bowes and Mrs. Bowes who came up from St. John to attend the funeral of the late Mrs. Beairto, are to remain with the family for a short time.

Gerald Beairto who has been in Amherst for some time hastened home on receipt of the sad news of his mother's death and will remain in the village a month after which he will return to Amherst where he is learning to be a machinist.

The many friends of Mrs. John White, who with her husband rented Chas. Tracey's sr., farm last year and who went to Montreal some time ago to be treated for cancer, will be sorry to learn that she is gradually failing. Pulmonary Tuberculosis has set in.

Mrs. James Page, Long Settlement; and little son Harry are visiting Mrs. C. King this week.

F. B. and Mrs. Carvell were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Carvell, Sunday.

Miss Rhoda Carvell was able to be out driving on Sunday. She will go to Saranac Lake for the benefit of her health in a short time.

Miss Louise McGee spent Sunday at her home in Brighton.

Harry Stilwell of the Stillwell Comedy Co. was in the village this week. It is reported his company are to play at the Orange Hall Friday and Saturday of this week.

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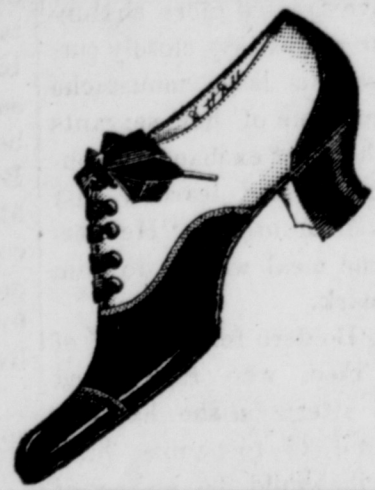
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Notice is hereby given that the assessment list
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allowed on all taxes paid on or before the 1st day
of June next.
H. W. BOURNE, Town Treasurer,
Woodstock N. B., April 25 1904.