

NEWS FROM THE COUNTY.

WOODSTOCK, N. B., MAY 31, 1905

Northampton.

Tuesday the 23rd of May was a red letter day in the history of the old school house of Central Northampton. The day was fine and, although the breeze was somewhat cool, the large crowd assembled gave ample testimony to the fact that the old spot still occupies a warm spot in the hearts of old as well as the young. It will be remembered that last winter Miss Jennie Hemphill, the energetic teacher of the school, ably assisted by the young people of the place, raised considerable money at a concert for the purpose of getting a pole and flag for the school ground. The sum realized was augmented considerably by the proceeds of a basket social held at Robert Monteith's this spring. Mr. George Gibson was awarded the contract for getting the pole, and as a result the young men of the place raised a pole measuring fifty one feet above ground. The flag was procured from Eaton's and measures five feet by twelve. It is the intention of the committee to paint the lower part of the pole red and to place a number of rocks around the base containing within a flower bed. The gathering was called to order at four o'clock by the Chairman, Mr. Ellsmore Robinson. Miss Hemphill had a short and carefully selected programme made up in which the scholars of the school participated, shorter than it might have been by far, as a number of our local politicians were expected to be on hand to deliver orations. Something turned up at the last moment, however, to prevent all but Mr. J. K. Flemming, the genial financial critic of the local legislature, from attending. A platform had been erected on one side of the school house on which was placed an organ and to the inspiring strains of "Up With the Union Jack," rendered by Mrs. Harrison Rogers, Miss Hemphill raised the flag that "braved a thousand years the battle and the breeze," foot by foot, to the top of the pole. After a lengthy and spirited address by Mr. Flemming the singing of "God Save the King" by the assembly brought the ceremony to a close. The ladies had provided a bountiful supply of good things to eat, and to say the crowd did not do the delicious viands justice would be an exaggeration likely to be resented in a forcible manner. This day will long be remembered as one of the most enjoyable occasions for some time.

Waterville.

On account of the heavy rain on Friday last the Roll Call meeting in the Free Baptist church was postponed until Wednesday. Wm. Knox, of Houlton, spent Sunday, May 21st, with friends here. Miss Eva DeGrass left on Friday for Boston, Mass., where she intends spending the summer. The Evangelist, Beaty, who has been having such grand success in the upper part of the County, is expected here on Sunday June 4th. There will be three services on Sunday morning, afternoon and evening, and it is quite likely they will last over another Sunday. Edward Gray, who has been confined to his home for some months, was able to go for a drive on Friday. Mrs. Arthur DeGrass is able to be out again. Wm. Culberson is having some repairs put on his house. Fred Anderson, of Deerville, is in charge of the work. A number from here were in Woodstock and Houlton last week. Johnson W. Clark, of Jacksonville, was visiting friends here last week. George DeWitt, of Perth, spent Sunday at his home here.

Centreville.

A new side-walk has been laid on Maine Street from W. J. Webb's to George Brigg's and it is to be hoped that Centreville will have a side-walk soon and at the same time do something in the line of street cleaning as it adds very much to the appearance of the place to have the streets and walks well cared for. Notice has been received from the Chief Superintendent of Education that in order to keep pace with educational interests a new building will be required here, one fully up to the standard and meeting the requirement of the Board of Education. The present school building is not a very old one. It was built by Mr. Carvell of Lakeville about nineteen years ago and while the construction was perhaps fully up to the contract. The plan has proved very unsatisfactory in many ways but were especially as to size and the cross lighting. If the scheme for consolidation could now be worked out and the ready cash of Sir William McDonald could be reached there is little doubt that many here would consider it "Tainted Money." Much sympathy is felt for Mr. and Mrs. Howell's Corbett in the death of their only daughter of consumption. The funeral was a very large one Miss Corbett being a general favorite. Mr. G. W. White has been to Queen's County to visit relatives and friends. The warmer weather of the past few days has made a wonderful change in forest and field. The farming is now well advanced in all the earlier crops. The question of the location of the G. T. P. R.R. is agitating the minds of a great many of the people here and the dailies are eagerly scanned for latest information in regard to it. The idea of opening up a country for settlement in any thing near a direct line from Grand Falls to Chipman through the low soft wood lands or higher burnt land is farcial in the extreme.

Middle Simonds.

We are having beautiful weather now and everything is looking very pretty along the St. John river valley. The trees are leafing out fast. Mrs. Allison Shaw is very sick. She has been sick for about two weeks with pleurisy, but we think she is improving. Dr. McIntosh is in attendance.

The act of selling a barrel of Royal Household Flour

is a silent invitation by the grocer to his customer to come again.

Mrs. Aaron Shaw has been very poorly for some time. Mr. John P. Colwell is still very poorly. D. L. Parks' show was quite largely attended last Monday night and the programme seemed very interesting. We had singing school last Wednesday night, and we all enjoyed it, but I am afraid we cannot get enough scholars to have a school. Miss Ethel L. London, who has been at Caribou, Me., for the last seven months, was visiting friends in this place last week. She is now at her Uncle's in Mt. Pleasant. Glenn Colwell spent Sunday with his parents in this place. Mrs. Putman Shaw is back to her old home again. Rev. Hiram Raymond had meeting here last night. The Baptist Sunday School was quite largely attended last Sunday, twenty three being present.

East Florenceville.

Miss Grace Tompkins went to Summerfield Saturday for a few days visit. Geo. Fraser returned to Caribou last week after a short visit in town. Miss Mabel Gallupe was visiting in Woodstock last week. Chalmer Hartley was in St. John first of last week. Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Osgood of Houlton, were in town over Sunday. The Town Base Ball team played the Centreville nine last Wednesday afternoon at Centreville and were beaten. A return game will be played here the 12th July Celebration day.

Wicklow.

On Empire Day a flag raising was held at the Wicklow school. Excellent addresses in line with the subject were delivered. The programme, which follows, was very interesting and instructive. Miss Helen Estabrooks presided at the organ. Much thanks is due Mr. Leonard Drost for his work on the flag-pole, and Rev. L. A. Fenwick for his valuable services as chairman. The teacher, Miss Mabel Estabrooks directed the pupils in their recitations. Mr. Charles Giberson's phonograph added greatly to the entertainment of the afternoon. All expressed pleasure and appreciation of the whole, and after a delicious luncheon, provided by the Wicklow ladies, went home thinking no doubt "We're something more than jingo."

The following interesting programme was gone through:
Chorus—Before All Lands in East or West.
Addresses—Rev. J. H. A. Anderson, B. H. Smith, M. P. P., and H. H. McCain.
Patriotic Song—Up With the Standard.
Hosting of Flag—Ward and Nellie Estey, Frances Giberson and Herbert Drost.
Recitation—True Born Canadians, Raymon Giberson.
Essay—My Native Land, Canada, Nellie Estey.
Recitation—My Choice of Lands, Alice Giberson.
Song and Flag Drill, The Red, White and Blue, School.
Recitation—God Bless Our Broad Dominion, Gladys Estey.
Recitation—Canada, Land of the Maple Tree, Lina Fulton.
Essay—Canada, My Home, Frances Giberson.
Recitation—Our Homes, Laura Drost.
Song—My Native Land.
Essay—Canada from Many Standpoints, Helen Estabrooks.
Recitation—A Spelling Lesson, Lulu Sparks.
Recitation—A Tarrytown Romance, Ward Estey.
Recitation—God Preserve Our Native Land, Nellie Estey.
Recitation—Upon the Heights at Queenston, Ramsford Drost.
Intermission—Phonographic Selections and Refreshments.
Recitation—The Maple Leaf Forever, Helen Giberson.
Recitation—The Funny Mandarin, Leon Estey.
Recitation—My Own Canadian Home, Frances Giberson.
Recitation—The Land for Me, Philip Drier.
Recitation—My Opinion, Ferne Drost.
Patriotic Recitation—The Flag of Old England, Helen Estabrooks.
Song—May God Preserve Thee, Canada, God Save the King.

Central Southampton.

A large number of visitors were present Empire Day and listened with much interest to the program rendered by the school under the teacher Mr. Caverhill. Mr. John Farnham an highly esteemed citizen of Upper Southampton died at his home last Monday after a lingering illness age 24 years. The funeral service was held in the F. B. Church of this place; Rev. Mr. Rutledge assisted by Rev. J. Gravinor conducted the service. A large number took advantage of the excursion to Fredericton. Mr. G. A. Grant and Mr. Richard Cronkhite were fishing last week. The little son of Mr. Abraham Cronkhite fell on a piece of glass, cutting himself very bad, severing an arter. Dr. Turner was called and rendered surgical aid. What might have been a bad accident occurred last Friday. When Mrs. Lenentine and Miss Farnham of Upper Southampton were driving in this place their horse be-

came frightened and threw them out of the carriage Miss Farnham was slightly injured. Chipman Philips, of Phillips & Phillips, Woodstock, passed through here this morning buying potatoes. Mr. F. C. Brown has gone to Fredericton to attend a meeting of the Valuator. Dr. Grant, Superintendent of the St. John General Hospital, was called home Saturday on account of the illness of his father H. C. Grant.

Meductic.

Saunders Young, Miss Myrtle Young and Miss Etta Franklin attended the Carleton County Sunday School Convention in Debec last week. Dr. W. L. Turner, Ashleigh Turner, H. F. Grosvenor, Miss Eva French and Miss Beatrice Tompkins visited Fredericton last week. Miss May Mallory of Perth was the guest of her friend, Mrs. I. W. Marsten, last Friday. Mrs. Louisbury of Springfield York Co., and Mrs. Burden of Hawkshaw spent last Thursday with Mrs. Geo. Olt.

VICTORIA DAY SPORTS.

On the Links.

Never since the golf club was organized, some seven years ago, has there been as much interest manifested in the ancient and royal game, as this year. Although several of the players were out of town seeking other pleasures on the 24th, there has never been a local match played in which so many members took part. Two teams captained by the Rev. Geo. D. Ireland and Clarence Sprague played a 27 hole contest with the following score:
Rev G D Ireland..... 0 C Sprague..... 10
Dr Sprague..... 3 J S Creighton..... 0
R N Loans..... 0 Hon W P Jones..... 0
J N Jones..... 0 W Sprague..... 7
W R Jones..... 2 Geo Mitchell..... 0
G E Phillips..... 0 A F Garden..... 5
A C Calder..... 5 Dr Kirkpatrick..... 0
Hugh Bruce..... 5 Wm Dibblee..... 0
G E Balmain..... 17 W Dickinson..... 0
Total..... 32..... 28

The Woodstock Golf club can boast of having among its members two of the youngest and probably the best golfers in New Brunswick. Clarence Sprague, son of Dr. T. F. Sprague has played the course in 39 and several times in 40, while W. R. Jones, son of Solicitor General Jones, played three rounds on Saturday last making a score of 43 for each round. Neither of these young men have yet reached their nineteenth year.

The Rifle.

The members of the Rifle Club celebrated the day on the range with a match between teams captained by E. S. Kirkpatrick and G. A. Keith. The following are the scores:
200 500 600 Total
Capt Kirkpatrick... 23 23 23 69
T L Fewer..... 24 18 17 59
G A White..... 24 17 22 63
Jos Fewer..... 14 18 13 45
B M Colpitts..... 27 17 17 61
C J Tabor..... 9 5 5 19
W Dickinson..... 24 27 22 73
J S McManus..... 21 17 22 60
C Comben..... 25 14 20 59
Total..... 503

Capt G A Keith... 30 28 23 81
J F Davidson... 18 21 25 65
T A Lindsay... 25 26 15 66
Wm Balmain... 28 14 5 47
J S Creighton... 20 13 12 45
W B Belyea... 19 12 7 38
W S Skillen... 28 18 16 57
P S Marsten... 16 18 20 54
Total..... 453

Base Ball.

The game of base ball in the park between the Colts and the Mysteries was an exciting contest and was witnessed by a good crowd of rooters. Following is the result:
MYSTERIES. COLTS.
H McKinley Catcher L Milmore
J Long Pitcher R McLaughlan
W Lister 1st b F McRae
W Dalling 2nd b W Courtney
J Pickle 3rd b S Pickle
S Pickle ss F McLean
F Buck c f G McLaughlan
A Glidden lf H Drysdale
C Hull rf A L Woodrow
The score by innings.
Mysteries..... 0 0 1 0 7 0 0 2-10
Colts..... 0 1 1 3 0 0 0 1 3-9
F. Sullivan refereed in a satisfactory manner.

RACING SUMMARY.

FOUR-YEAR-OLDS.
Tackhammer, E McLean..... 1 1 1
Don, De Hand..... 2 2 2
Leroy Wickes, A J Way..... 3 3 4
Barry Almater, Gallagher Bros..... 4 4 3
Bob, A William..... 5 5 5
Time—1.28, 1.27, 1.21.
Plumber, Jos Fewer..... 1 1 1
Bob D, E Colwell..... 2 2 2
Bird, Ezra Briggs..... 3 3 3
Time—1.27 1.26.
2.40 CLASS.
Brown Dick, Ira McAfee..... 1 1 1
Lady May, John Gentle..... 2 2 2
Time—1.20, 1.21.
W. B. Belyea, starter; J. T. A. Dibblee, W. B. Nicholson, H. B. Ingraham, judges; B. B. Manzer and H. E. Gallagher, timers.

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Hartford, May 9th, 1905. 3i-1 mo.

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3rd. One modernly equiped Hotel for sale. Let me tell you about this.

J. W. ASTLE,

General Insurance Agent, Queen St., Woodstock. May 3, 3 m.

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 TWENTIETH day of JUNE next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated this Thirtieth day of May, A. D., 1905.

J. C. HARTLEY, Secretary-Treasurer.

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NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

The Carleton Creamery Co. have leased their business buildings and appliances to Mr J E Tilley for the present season and until Jan 1st 1906 and the business will be carried on under the firm name of Tilley & Dow. The factory is now running, being in charge of Mr L S Crawford of Sussex, N B, who is a competent man, having had a valuable experience in the business. The proprietors hope to see all former patrons of the factory ready to supply us with milk and cream and hope to do business with many new patrons during the coming season. TILLEY & DOW.

Intercolonial Railway.

TENDER FOR WHARF.

Sealed Tenders, addressed to the undersigned, and marked on the outside "Tender for Creosoted Pile Wharf," will be received up to and including

TUESDAY, THE 13TH JUNE, 1905,

for the construction of a Creosoted Pile Wharf at Picrou, N. S.

Plans and specification may be seen at the Station Master's office at Picrou, N. S., and at the Chief Engineer's Office, Moncton, N. B., where forms of tender may be obtained. All the conditions of the specification must be complied with.

Railway Office, Moncton, N. B., 26th May, 1905. D. POTTINGER, General Manager.