

NEWS FROM THE COUNTY.

WOODSTOCK, N. B., JAN. 11, 1905.

Cabano, Que.

1905—It comes hard yet to write it; just as it did a year ago to place a 4 instead of 3 after the 190. Yet New Year's day has come and gone and we are forced to admit that we are another year nearer old age. New Year, Quebec's great festival day passed quietly—very quietly on account of its falling on Sunday. News—that is news that will interest the reading public is scarce with us this winter. We might we suppose descend to personalities as has been the habit of certain correspondents from this place (not in THE DISPATCH) and get up quite a string, but we have no petty spite to gratify, we are at peace with the world and we love our fellow townspeople and ourselves—especially ourselves. The weather so far has been very mild here and the snow crop light and our hopes are high for a pleasant winter.

Mr. W. Fraser of New Zealand has moved into the "White House" the summer residence of Archie Fraser.

Donald Fraser, sr., spent New Year's day in town the guest of his nephew.

Miss Mae King who was visiting her sister, Mrs. V. P. Jackson, returned to her home in Woodstock to spend Christmas.

Frank Miller head filer in D. Fraser & Sons mills left on Saturday 31st to visit his parents in Northampton and other relatives in Maine and Massachusetts.

On Christmas eve a Christmas tree was held at the residence of St. Geo. Gray and a card party at Frank Dickenson's both of which were highly enjoyed by all present. Mrs. Dickenson also held a New Year's tree on New Year's eve and W. H. Robinson a watch meeting party.

The Misses Ethel and Cora Ritchie have returned to their respective positions after spending New Year's in their home at Edmondston.

Frank Murry who is clerking for Silas Teed has returned from a holiday trip.

The shingle mill (Fraser's) shut down on December 29th, and when work is resumed which will be about February 15th the machines will all be installed in the fine new mill which is rapidly nearing completion under the direction of Jas. Cocker. This mill when finished will be one of the finest if not the finest of its kind in Canada. It will contain twelve machines and all the latest improvements in cut up rigging on the second floor; while the first floor will contain the engine room, electric light plant, a first-class machine shop with all modern machinery for heavy mill work; a carpenter's workshop with full equipment of machinery and a planing room with clappboard planer, board planer, matcher, and surfacer. We are also informed that the company intend putting in a full equipment of modern machinery for manufacturing box wood. D. Fraser & Sons are to be congratulated on their marked success in becoming in so few years one of the leading powers in the lumber world. They are popular with not only the business men but also with the working men of two provinces, as they employ more men, pay better wages and use their employees generally far better than any other large firm in their localities.

Our popular and efficient teacher Miss Burt is spending her holidays at her home, Burt's Corner, York County.

Mr. Jas. Boyd and Harry Boyd spent their holidays at their home in Stanley, N. B.

St. Geo. Gray has the scaling on the Seignury. Jas. Howlett, of Bardsville, has the same job on the Horton river and Pat McLean on Squattick.

V. P. Jackson has gone to Squattick Lake to take charge of D. Fraser & Sons warehouse there.

J. A. McLean is looking much better than he did in the summer and we hope by spring to see him his old self again. Jack is the right man in the right place.

A. W. Brebner, the popular and genial office manager for D. Fraser & Sons, is looking well this winter, out-door exercise seems to agree with him.

Lindsay Magoon is still managing the store and we hope to see him remain there.

All the mills have shut down for the holidays but some of them only for a few days.

We have been creditably informed that inside of two years Cabano will be able to boast of one of the largest pulp mills in Canada. We have now a good system of water works and a long distance and local telephone. Now give us a pulp mill a better electric light system, street cars and a few other things and we will be in it big letters; and yet some people think we are away back in the woods.

Argyle.

Miss Jessie Wilson of this vicinity is home from Houlton visiting her parents.

Edward White is home spending a few days.

Charles Wilson has returned home from visiting his daughter in Millinocket.

Mr. Olys Hughes spent Christmas in Argyle with friends.

Miss Katharine Skinner is home from school spending her holidays.

Arthur Jordan was home from the woods for a few days.

On Christmas eve a Sunday school Christmas tree was held in the Union church of this place. Music was furnished by Miss Lena Skinner. The Rev. C. Frank Rideout sang a base solo most acceptably.

Centreville.

R. W. Balloch is in town again and is looking very well indeed.

Mr. Ingersoll who keeps the fish and meat market in the Cheney building has moved his family here and taken a rent from F. P. McKenzie. He is having a very good business.

The daughter of Matthew Crone who was operated on for appendicitis is improving rapidly.

The heavy storms of last week cut down the amount of business generally very much and there is scarcely any teaming on the



road. The rain of Saturday afternoon and evening settled the snow considerably and will prove a great blessing to the farmers and mill owners who operate their mills by water, as the streams had got very low and many of the wells had gone dry.

Mr. Daniel Watson, of Clearview, is reported very low and very little hopes are entertained for his recovery.

The revival meetings are still continued at Lakeville by Mr. Beatty and much good is being done.

Mr. Stephenson the principal of our school came up to Florenceville on Saturday but owing to the severity of the storm did not arrive in the village till Sunday.

Miss McLeod arrived here on Sunday from her home in Jacksonville and will make her home with Mrs. B. B. Estabrooks during this term.

Mr. D. L. Parks billed for an entertainment in Sherwood's Opera House on Saturday evening but the heavy storm prevented any one from attending.

Bristol.

School re-opened on Monday with a good enrollment in each department. The teachers are Miss Evangeline Kinney and Miss Maude Hartley.

Miss Jennie Somerville continues in charge of the Rutherglen school and Miss Alice Giberson takes the school at East Coldstream.

Mrs. A. J. McLean and Miss Annie McLean spent a few days in Avondale and Woodstock last week.

A quiet wedding took place at the residence of Mr. Lewis Lockhart on Wednesday, when his son Charles Lockhart jr. was married to Miss Effie Shaw eldest daughter of Mr. Weyman Shaw of Windsor. The ceremony was performed by Rev. D. E. Brooks.

Miss Viva Davis daughter of Mr. John Davis, and Mr. Harley Watson of Woodstock were married by the Rev. A. H. Hayward at Florenceville on Wednesday last.

Ambers Giberson went to Woodstock on Monday to attend the meeting of the County Council. He was accompanied by his daughter Miss Ellen Giberson and Miss Lizzie Rogers.

Ezekiel Secord now has the contract for carrying the mail from the post office to the train and return.

Rev. A. H. Hayward preached in the Baptist church on Sunday evening.

Kirkland.

Mrs. Samuel Nicholson is very ill of pneumonia.

George, the little son of Mrs. Maggie Mushroo, is very ill.

Michael Fitzgerald is ill and is consulting the doctor at Debec.

Miss Lillie Slater has gone to Boston to visit friends.

Mrs. Robert Greer has been very ill.

The Women's Foreign Missionary Society held their last monthly meeting at the residence of Mrs. Thompson Graham. About twenty ladies were present.

Miss Evelyn Nicholson is visiting friends in Maxwell.

Ernest Kennedy is attending business school in St. John.

Perley Dykeman has been visiting his parents for a week.

Wicklow.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Olmstead spent New Year's with Mrs. Olmstead's father Mr. McCready Jacksonville.

Miss Lizzie Turney Plymouth who has been visiting relatives here returned home on Saturday.

Our school reopened Monday with a fairly good attendance Miss Mabel Estabrooks is again in charge.

Miss Mary Tweedie is attending school at Florenceville.

On Wednesday evening last a number of friends of Miss Marian Estey met at her home and presented her with an address and a handsome gold bracelet on behalf of the congregation of the Methodist Church, where she has been organist for several years. She left on Tuesday for Mount Allison where she intends taking a course in music.

After spending a few days at home Barrie Tweedie returned to Tobique where he has been cooking for a lumber concern.

Miss Luella Hutchinson has returned home from Perth where she has been visiting her cousin Miss Carrie Armstrong.

The Hutchinson boys are doing quite a business pressing hay in this vicinity.

A public school meeting was held here on Dec. 24th for the purpose of considering the advisability of joining Florenceville in the building and establishing of a consolidated central school. A vote was taken but the majority were against it, the chief objection being the distance which is seven miles. Dr. Ross, Rev. J. H. Anderson and B. F. Smith M. P. P. were present in the interest of the centralized school. Inspector Meagher and Mr. Brittain were unable to attend.

East Florenceville.

The Baptist sewing circle met at B. F. Smith's last Wednesday afternoon.

Crain Bros. have moved their store across the street in the old Burnham store.

Miss Georgia Tompkins who has been sick about a year died last Friday morning. The funeral sermon was preached by Rev. A. Giberson in the Baptist church and was largely attended. The remains were buried in the Baptist burying ground.

School did not commence here until Wednesday on account of Mr. Straight the teacher being storm stayed.

Mrs. Dole and child returned from St. John last week.

Miss Mildred Jameson is visiting friends in Fredericton.

P. A. Hayward of Woodstock was visiting friends in town last week.

Mrs. D. B. Baird, of River de Chute was in town Monday.

Miss Jennie Darkis returned to Fredericton last week to resume her studies in the Normal school.

The teachers who have been spending their holidays at home returned to their schools Monday morning.

Jacksonville.

Our village was almost blockaded on Wednesday last by the first heavy snow storm, which was followed by another on Saturday which turned to hail and rain leaving the roads in bad condition for travelling.

Mrs. Herbert Harper gave tea to a number of the young folk on Friday. Among those present were Mrs. Judkin's, of Houlton, and Miss Bull, of Bull's Creek, who was the guest at Mr. C. Tilley's for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Baird, who spent New Year's at Mr. James Watson's, returned to Bardsville on Friday.

Mr. George Tilley and the Rev. Henry Goffrey have returned to their college studies.

The day schools have reopened and the same teachers have resumed their duties for another term. Some new scholars are enrolled and a large attendance is looked for.

Owing to the illness of Miss Berrie, Mrs. Harper supplied as organist at the evening service on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Harper, after spending a week in our village, returned to their future home in Oxford, N. S. Mrs. Harper was formerly Miss Hanington of St. John, and has many friends and relatives in this vicinity who extend to them congratulations for a pleasant and prosperous future in their new home.

The funeral of Mrs. Edward Loomer took place on Saturday at 3 p. m. Service at the house was conducted by Rev. H. Kearney who gave a very sympathetic talk from Ecclesiastes 7:2. Mr. Cahill followed with a few well spoken remarks after which the remains were removed for burial in the Jacksonville cemetery. For nearly a year the deceased had been on a bed of sickness with gangrene which resulted in the removal of part of the foot. Through the skilful treatment by the doctor this was healed but the patient caught a heavy cold causing her death on Thursday last. She bore her very painful and lingering illness with great patience, at all times receiving her many friends with a cheerful and impressive greeting. All but one of the children, who are somewhat scattered were present, Mrs. W. Shipp, of Bedell Settlement, Mrs. G. Mills, of Dorchester, Mass., Mr. L. Loomer, of Washburn, and Mrs. L. Mallory, of Attleboro, who was unable to attend. The community extends its sympathy to the children in their bereavement and to the husband in the loss of a dear companion.

Mr. Charles Wheeler left on Monday afternoon for Fredericton to attend the funeral of his mother at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Barker.

Richmond.

Willie Teed is home from Rothsay for the holidays.

Miss Irene Purrington is visiting in Houlton.

Garnet Campbell is working on the hay press.

The Christmas Tree festival in connection with St. John's Church Sunday School was held on Monday evening Jan. 2nd and drew a large crowd. After the recitations, dialogues, etc. the tree was unloaded of its presents for the children. The Rector presided the superintendent, Mr. Henry Jamieson, with a Teacher's Bible as a small token of esteem from the parents of the Sunday School Scholars.

Mrs. Springer is very ill with cancer. Mrs. George Hall is in poor health.

Mrs. James Martin had a stroke of paralysis last week but is somewhat better.

Neductic.

Saunders Young has returned from Fort Fairfield, Maine, where he has been at work during the past six months.

Miss Elizabeth Gibson, of Woodstock spent Christmas with her sister Mrs. P. S. Marston.

Mr. and Mrs. McCanna of Houlton spent Christmas with Mrs. McCanna's parents Mr. and Mrs. T. Edwards.

Clarence Higgins of Fort Fairfield, Maine, spent last week with friends here.

Mr. Hendry teacher of the public school spent his holidays at Florenceville.

Miss Lucy Marston is visiting friends in Woodstock.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Gerow spent Christmas and New Year at the Barony.

Miss Katie Girdwood is visiting her sister Mrs. Nelson Marston.

Miss Vona Dow visited relatives at Rich-

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L. A. VANWART.

mond last week.

Mrs. W. W. Gibson spent Christmas with her daughter Mrs. P. S. Marston.

Mrs. Dr. Turner and family spent a few days of last week with relatives at Southampton.

Andover News.

On Monday Senator and Mrs. Baird entertained their friends at an afternoon tea, when fifty ladies and gentlemen enjoyed the good fellowship and genial hospitality of their thoughtful entertainers. Mrs. F. D. Sadler, assisted by Miss Pearl Waite and Miss Bessie Curry, served tea. In the evening Miss Laura Baird was to have given a fancy dress ball in honor of her brother Fred who is home on his vacation, but the invitations had to be cancelled on account of the illness of her brother, who has an attack of la grippe.

The death of John Nicholson, an old resident of Andover, occurred on Friday afternoon, Jan. 6th, at the residence of his nephew, James Scott, with whom he lived for the last two years. Mr. Nicholson was in the 73rd year of his age, a quiet, retiring, industrious man, and was never married. He acquired a fine property in Andover which is now owned by his nephew. The remains will be taken to Bardsville for interment in the Episcopal burying ground. The Rev. Mr. Bedell, rector of Trinity church, Andover, will officiate at the funeral. Miss Helen Perley left on Friday for Sackville, where she will take a special course in elocution.

Fred Baird and Gilbert Peat, students at McGill, have returned to their studies.

Miss Gertrude Tibbits is at Fredericton visiting her aunt, Miss Frances Tibbits.

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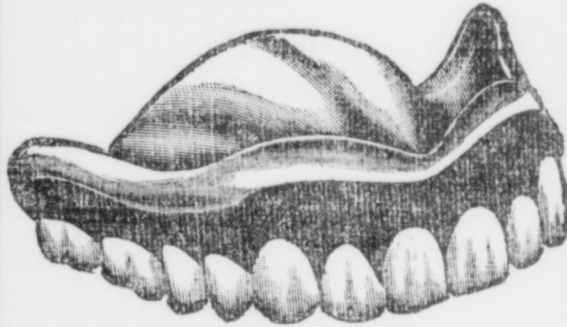
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