

## News of Hartland and Vicinity

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## Drugs and Diligence.

A business that has developed rapidly, and, we believe, on solid foundation, is that of The Estey & Curtis Company, Limited, of which concern S. S. Miller is the leading stockholder and general manager. Nine years ago when Mr. Miller took charge of the business the premises occupied was one small apartment in Taylor's brick block. More room had soon to be secured and from time to time additional space has been engaged so that now the retail department is doubled in size and the two stories above and the basement beneath are utilized and still the company is rather crowded for room.

Mr. Miller has shown much enterprise and rare business ability in his management of the business. Perceiving an opening for a wholesale trade he, with characteristic enthusiasm, entered the field. This branch of the business is now a very important one. Beside the ordinary lines of drugs, medicines, and sundries, the firm also manufactures a strong line of their own proprietary goods, prominent among which is the well known Imperial Cough Syrup and the harmless but effective Imperial Headache Capsules. Then another line equalling in importance all the others is fancy goods, small wares, stationery, etc. The firm's field for wholesale trade covers the western portion of the province from York County north and a part of Quebec. Mr. W. H. Drake is the travelling salesman and is kept constantly on the road. At the headquarters at Hartland there are employed beside Mr. Miller, Roy Cameron, chief clerk, Handy F. Nevers in the wholesale department, a stenographer, and several young women in the wholesale department.

There is not a more up-to-date or better stocked drug store in the province outside of the cities than this and beside all the lines usually carried in similar businesses this concern offers in its retail department books, magazines, school supplies, etc. A glance at Estey & Curtis' advertisement elsewhere on this page will reward the reader with a few important pointers on still another branch of the trade.

Frank Aiton, who entered the company's employ about eight years ago, has temporarily severed his connection with them so that he might achieve greater efficiency as a dispensing chemist by taking a course at the Ontario College of Pharmacy at Toronto.

## We'll Keep the Bridge.

In last week's Press a writer from Hawkshaw takes exception to a recent writer's claim that the Hartland bridge tolls should be abolished. He says the people got what they asked for and should be willing to stand by their bargain. But, concludes the writer, if the payment of the trifling tolls has become so burdensome a matter, and patrons of the bridge are so heartily sick of it, then he has a proposal to make, which is this: "When the ice runs out in the spring, cut her loose and we will catch her, put her up, and have a first-class toll bridge and no-kicking."

It might be properly suggested to this writer from Hawkshaw that if the people of that vicinity want a toll bridge they might display the same pluck and enterprise shown by the people here and build one. They would then, while enjoying the convenience, be able to appreciate all that a toll bridge means.

The people here are not tired of the bridge even if the tolls are felt to be an insufferable burden. No, Mr. Hawkshaw, we'll "keep the bridge" as zealously as brave Horatius did. "We need it in our business."

## The Markets.

Hay, loose, \$5.50, pressed, \$7.  
Oats, 36c.  
Potatoes \$1.00 to \$1.10.  
Buckwheat, 40c.  
Buckwheat Meal, \$2.00.  
Butter in tubs, rolls, or prints, 20c. to 21c.  
Eggs, 20c. to 22c.  
Beans, \$2.00 to \$2.25.  
Dressed Pork, 7 1/2.  
Dressed Beef, 4c. to 5c.  
Hides, 8c. to 9c.  
Tallow, 5c.  
Lard, 12c.  
Hod, hvd, dry, 16 inch, \$3.50.

## Special Discounts

In all lines to reduce stock. Come to our store and get the best grades of STAPLE GOODS at from 10 to 30 per cent. off the regular value. New goods arriving daily.

J. T. G. CARR,

Hartland Departmental Store.

## LOCALS.

Mrs. Arthur L. Baird has been quite ill.

T. R. Blaine was in St. John a few days last week.

J. T. A. Dibblee, of Woodstock, was here on Saturday.

Mrs. E. B. DeWitt, of St. John, has been visiting friends here.

Miss Clara Matheson spent a few days in Woodstock last week.

The ice ran out of the Becaguimac during the thaw of last week.

On February 9th at 2 30 a. m. the moon will be totally eclipsed.

Hezekiah Baker, of Victoria Corner, is reported quite seriously ill.

Miss Dent, of Woodstock, has been the guest of Miss Abbie Nevers.

Plan to attend the O. of E. entertainment in Burt's hall on February 12th.

E. W. Henry, representing Vassie & Co., Ltd., St. John, was here on Sunday.

Mrs. Boone, of Hartland, is now cook at the Hotel Perth, says the Victoria County News.

There has been good skating on the river and almost anywhere since the "genuine January thaw."

Every Saturday night there is an interesting race in the roller rink which attracts many spectators.

Back-water flooded Flemming's mill last week so that it was necessary to shut down for a day or two.

In consequence of the roads being spoiled by the rains of last week hauling is almost entirely suspended.

Paul J. Shaw, of Batte, Mont., was here the other day on his way to Victoria Corner to visit his father, E. M. Shaw.

The back portion of the village was flooded with water during the late thaw, so that in some cases it entered the dwellings.

Miss Kate Phillips returned last week from Limestone, Me., but goes back again this week to assist in a surgical operation.

The Reformed Baptist special meetings still continue. On Sunday Rev. Mr. Smith from Calais assisted the pastor in the work.

The monthly missionary supper given by the ladies of the lower Baptist church will be held at the home of Mrs. George Davis this evening.

The next union prayer service will be held in the Methodist church on Friday evening at 7.30. Rev. O. E. Steeves will lead. All are cordially invited.

Mrs. Osmond Fraser, of Windsor, who has been here some time undergoing surgical treatment by Dr. MacIntosh, has recovered so as to be able to be removed home.

There has not been so good skating on the river for years. On Sunday a number of young boys from Woodstock skated to Hartland and said the ice was good all the way.

Saunders Young, of Meductic, was the guest of Mrs. W. T. Hunter and Mrs. Rupert Long, of Peel, last week. On Sunday he addressed and reviewed the work of the Baptist Sunday school here.

There is at the present a poor outlook for getting a summer's supply of ice. However D. E. Morgan, the local ice-man, is confident of being able to secure good solid ice two feet thick before the winter is over.

A fine sheet of ice back of the Commercial hotel is utilized by the band boys as an open air rink. No admission fee is charged but a collection will be taken for the benefit of the band, which played for the skaters on Friday evening.

Tomorrow (Thursday) evening there will be a meeting in the Methodist church in the interest of the Canadian Bible Society, to which the public is invited. Besides local clergymen Rev. J. C. Bernie, of Jacksonville, will address the audience.

Harold, two year old son of Herbert Jones fell down stairs the other day and was quite seriously injured. No bones were broken, but the child sustained a bad cut on the face and numerous severe bruises. Dr. Curtis attended the case.

D. Perry Fitzgerald, of Glassville, has bought the stock and tools of the late George F. Kay, harness-maker of this town. The goods were sold by tender. There is now no one engaged in harness-making here and the opening is a good one.

Rev. George Ayers, formerly pastor of the Hartland Methodist church, now a divinity student at Mount Allison, has received a call from the Centreville church for the next year and has accepted, conditional upon the will of the General Conference.

Rev. Messrs. A. A. Rideout, J. B. Daggett and A. J. Prosser have been holding a series of revival services in the Waterloo Street Baptist church in St. John. These ministers are well known to Hartland people having been residents of the place.

Joshua Corkery, of Woodstock, was here on business last week. He came up on Tuesday's express, which was late, and was unable to get through his work in time to catch the return train, and, under the existing arrangement of trains, he was compelled to remain here until 4.38 the next afternoon.

In a weather diary begun January 1st the daily records are interesting in that the weather has been so radically different from the ordinary winters. Only five days were recorded as cold, and all the others as particularly mild. It has rained on six of the 31 days and there has been an unusually light snowfall and no high winds.

## Rev. Clarence McKinnon Opposes Basis of Union.

WINNIPEG, Jan. 26.—Rev. Clarence McKinnon, of Westminster Presbyterian church, is the first Winnipeg divine to publicly take exception to the basis of organic union as arranged by the joint committees from the Methodist, Presbyterian and Congregational denominations of Canada.

The article on revelation as drawn up by the committee reads as follows:

"We believe that God is revealed in part in nature, in history and in the heart of man; that he has made gracious and clear revelations of Himself to men of God, who spoke as they were moved by the Holy Spirit; and that Jesus Christ, the word made flesh, is the brightness of the Father's glory and the express image of His person. We gratefully receive the Holy Scriptures of the Old Testament and New Testament given by inspiration to be the faithful record of God's gracious revelations and the sure witness to Christ, as the word of God, the only infallible rule of faith and life."

Beginning at "We gratefully," Mr. McKinnon would revise it to read:

"We gratefully receive as the word of God the Holy Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments, given by inspiration, to be the faithful record of God's gracious revelation and a sure witness to Christ, who is the only infallible rule of faith and life."

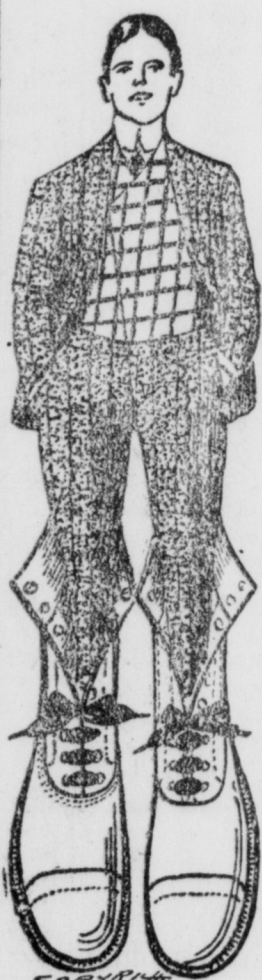
Mr. McKinnon contends that Christ alone is to be taken as an infallible rule for life and conduct, and the Bible is to be considered infallible only in so far as it reflects the teachings of Christ.

## Delicate From Birth.

In three words—"delicate from birth"—is expressed a world of anxieties suffered by mothers whose babies have had a start in life. For babies who are ailing, peevish, cross and unable to digest their food Baby's Own Tablets are invaluable. They act almost like magic, and change cross, peevish children into smiling, happy babies. Mrs. J. W. Munroe, Sinalure, N. W. T., says:—"I have used Baby's Own Tablets for two years and would not like to be without them. They have changed our weak, sickly baby into a fat, healthy little girl. I can warmly recommend the Tablets to other mothers." And mothers have a guarantee that the Tablets contain no poisonous "soothing" stuff, or harmful drug. They are absolutely safe and always do good. Sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box by writing the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

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for a while and you'll realize why it is that all our customers are well pleased.

Not an easy matter to satisfy all ages and both sexes, but our

## FOOTWEAR

does it. The material style, the shape, the workmanship and the finish ensure strength, comfort, durability and satisfaction. Nothing so good sold elsewhere so cheaply.

## WALLACE GIBSON,

Corner Main and Queen Streets,  
Woodstock, N. B.

## WHEN YOU NEED TINWARE

Don't forget Hartland's Tin Store. A full line of Ready-Made Goods in Tin, Stamped and Granite Iron Ware, at prices not undersold by any in the trade.

Repairing and Plumbing  
Promptly Done in the  
Best Manner

James Montgomery,  
HARTLAND.

## Beef Cattle Wanted.

I want to buy your Beef Cattle and for prime stock will pay you the highest cash prices the markets will allow. If you have any call, or write me how many and when you want to dispose of them.

## Hartland Farmers' Exchange,

C. HUMPHREY TAYLOR, Prop.

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They will fool you. There are many reasons why it is unsafe to buy from the travelling fakir.

1st. If you find after a few days use the glasses hurt your eyes, you cannot exchange them.

2nd. If you lose or break the lenses you cannot get them duplicated.

3rd. You pay the peddler more than you pay the regular dealer and get no practical guarantee.

These are only three of the many reasons, but they should appeal to every spectacle user.

## BUY FROM US.

Buy from us and you get the strongest guarantee that if we fail to fit you it costs you nothing. We are willing to exchange the lenses when they do not fit. If you lose your glasses we always have a record to refer to and can at any time furnish duplicates. We haven't a dissatisfied patron. We examine and test eyes free and supply any style of lens or bows at prices and terms to suit.

## Estey &amp; Curtis Co., Ltd,

Wholesale and Retail Druggists,

HARTLAND, N. B.

The Ladies of the Church of  
England will give a

## Novel Entertainment

IN BURTT'S HALL,

## MONDAY EVENING,

February 12, 1906,

for the benefit of the church.

The most attractive features of the  
program will be a

Mock Auction,  
Music,  
Readings, etc.

and a very enjoyable evening may be  
expected. All are invited.

Admission 25 Cents.

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A great chance to earn a home, either on Main St., Broadway, Chaple, St. or Connell St. My terms are easy, drop in and see me, J. W. ASTLE, Gen. Ins. and Real Estate Agt., Queen St. Woodstock, N. B.

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FEBRUARY AND MARCH.

Call or write for full lists. A  
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give a few items here.

## EXTENSION TABLES

2 Elm, Golden Finish, Square, extends 6 feet, 5 legs,.....	\$ 7.00	\$ 5.50
1 Oak, Dark Finish, Round, 6 feet, 5 legs, Finely Carved,.....	10.75	7.00
1 Im. Oak, Dark Finish, Square, 8 feet,.....	10.00	8.00

## COUCHES

1 Good Covering, with Fringe,.....	6.50	4.50
1 Velour Covering, with Fringe ..	7.00	5.50
1 Rug Covering, Brown Shadals, Spring Edge, Very Wide,.....	17.00	14.00

## CENTRE TABLES

1 Birch, Beautiful Mahogany Finish 4 Legs, with Shelf,.....	8.00	6.50
1 Birch, Light Finish, Shelf .....	3.30	2.50
2 Im. Oak, Dark, Round,.....	5.50	4.00

Above Prices Net Cash.

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QUEEN STREET.

FOR SALE.

One pure bred guernsey bull also some good heifers. All registered. W. R. McCREADY, Jacksonville, N. B. Nov. 15th, 11.

## WANTED

Lady holding Diploma wishes situation as book-keeper in store or office. Address for three weeks Box 62, Monticello, Maine.