

NEWS FROM THE COUNTY.

WOODSTOCK, N. B., JUNE 26, 1907.

Centreville.

Prospects of a good hay crop are very satisfactory to the farmers though it is said that he cutting will be nearly three weeks late this season.

Commissioner Read is having the road work done and the complaint is general that the amount of money to be expended will not be sufficient to make the roads in even fair condition.

Emmerson Crouse is making good progress with his dwelling house and expects to be in a position to move to the village in the early autumn.

Fruit growers say that the indications are that a plentiful crop will be gathered this fall if conditions continue favorable.

The Rev. Mr. Beatty commenced his pastorate with the churches at Bridgewater Centre and Boundary Line last Sunday as reported by the "Mars Hill View."

Some of the residents of Blaine, Me. complain that large quantities of whiskey are sent from Boston to that town by express to persons who not only injure themselves but likewise injure others by inducing them to indulge in its use.

The Baptist Association will be held in Woodstock. The delegation from Centreville will not be large.

The heavy wind and rain storm of last week did a large amount of damage in many places, more especially to barns and out-buildings.

The soldiery who will be in training for the next two weeks started for Sussex on Monday.

Bath.

Major Jno. R. Tomkins was through this part of Carleton County on Saturday enlisting volunteers for military drill and he seems to have been very successful for by this evening's express a large contingent leave here to join the special which will leave for Sussex this evening from Florenceville.

The warm weather and frequent showers have caused the crop conditions to be very hopeful.

Very many people from here will attend Tara's Hall, Johnsville, to see the drama "Kathleen Mavourneen." A number of amateurs of that place will have parts in the drama.

John Barnett, Esq., postmaster at Hartland was a caller in town on Saturday last, it being 22 years since Mr. Barnett whose duties at Hartland are very exacting has been at Bath. He saw very great improvements in this place.

The First District of the United Baptist church meets in the church here this week on Wednesday and Thursday when a large attendance of outside visitors is expected. This First District embraces all of the United Baptist churches of Madawaska and Victoria Counties and the Parishes of Kent and Wicklow in Carleton County.

Mrs. Ellen Simms, of Knowlesville, is visiting her son, J. R. H. Simms of this place.

The Rev. L. A. Fenwick arrived home from St. Thomas on Friday last where he was attending the meetings of the Canadian Order of Foresters.

The highways have been repaired by Superintendent of Roads, Wm. Brennan and we hope to see him having some sidewalk built for those that do not or cannot use the highways and who are residents of the village and tax payers.

It is rumoured that C. E. Gallagher and Sons intend building a potato house in this place this season.

Malcolm Lovely, of Cabano, made his family here a visit last week.

Miss Johanna Gallagher who has been attending the Provincial Normal School the past term arrived home on Thursday last. Miss Gallagher worked first class papers at the closing examinations having previously passed the preliminary for that class.

Andover.

Rev. R. W. and Mrs. Demmings and young son and Mrs. Duncan Reid are visiting relatives in Fredericton and vicinity for several weeks.

T. F. Allan and wife of Bangor have arrived to spend the summer and are warmly welcomed by their many friends.

Miss Gertrude Tibbitts is visiting friends on the Tobique this week.

Last Thursday the Fort Fairfield baseball team played a game here with the A. B. C's. The visiting team won with a score of 11 to 10. Saturday our boys went to Hartland for a game and played, winning by their score, 14-11.

The members of the Presbyterian choir drove to the home of Robert Ervin on Wednesday last and enjoyed a picnic tea.

Miss Mary Stewart returned home from Halifax Ladies College on Friday.

Saturday afternoon Mrs. A. E. Kupkey

gave a pleasant lawn party to the young friends of little Miss Lottie Cameron, in honor of her birthday.

Miss Fenwick and Miss Annie Stewart, Lower Perth, Miss Anna Boynton, Skowhegan, Me., and Miss Laura Hopkins were visiting at the home of S. P. Waite Thursday.

The soldier boys left for camp at Sussex on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Beveridge spent a few days with their daughters at Fort Fairfield last week.

Miss Iva Baxter has returned home from Fredericton for the summer vacation.

Richmond.

Miss Annie Hay and her brother Willie have been quite ill with measles but both are better.

Arthur Duff, jr. is sick with measles. Mrs. Kilburn and her daughter Mrs. Drier of Vancouver, B. C. are visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Thomas McIntyre, who spent the winter in Dover, N. H., returned on Monday. Her daughter, Mrs. W. P. Simmons, and two grandchildren came with her to spend the summer.

Mrs. D. Parks is visiting her son Herbert. Mrs. Lombard and son of Searsport, Me., spent a week with her mother, Mrs. W. H. McIntyre.

Confirmation services will be held at the Parish church July 5th; at Kirkland, the 6th and the new church at Oakville will be consecrated July 7th in the morning and confirmation in the afternoon.

Mrs. Ernest Turney spent a few days with her sister, Mrs. G. Campbell, recently.

Future of Suez Canal.

At the recent annual meeting of the Suez Canal Company, Prince Auguste von Arenberg, who is president, predicted that the canal had nothing to fear from any projected competition. He said the company held the monopoly of the Suez Isthmus route and any competitive canal, like the proposed German waterway, would have to pass through the Valley of the Jordan, where the engineering obstacles were insurmountable. The Prince further declared that the Suez Canal had nothing to fear from the completion of the Panama Canal, as little American tonnage passed through the former. Besides he believed that every new trade route to the Far East would only serve to augment the traffic through the Suez Canal. The "all-red" fast line by way of Canada, projected for British Imperial interests, may interfere considerably with passenger and mail traffic via the Suez route, even though it is not to be regarded as a freight carrying line.—Insurance & Finance Chronicle.

The Poor Consumer.

Governor Cummins of Iowa in a speech on Reciprocity before the Pittsburg Board of Trade characterized the placing of duties upon many things as an American habit and said:

"I stand just as firmly and as persistently for a reduction in some of the duties in order that the home buyer may be protected, as I do for reciprocal arrangements that will enlarge our sales abroad.

I am for tariff revision and for tariff reduction as a measure of justice to the buyers of protected commodities. It seems to me, that we have gone mad in our zeal for the seller and have abandoned the buyer to the tender mercy of monopoly, combination and greed.

"The people have borne excessive tariff with marvellous patience, but they will not bear it in silence, and little by little they are coming nearer to their own. Their way is beset by many difficulties, but they will be overcome and it will not be long before a Congress will convene that will be as swift to give them the relief to which they are entitled as the Congresses of the last few years have been resolute in denying."

The Late Mr. Petrarch.

There is constant danger in a great pulsating centre of civilization like New York of becoming too parochial in outlook. Catholicity of mind is always to be commended, and it must be particularly cultivated in a swirling city consumed with its own affairs, says The New York American.

Not long ago William Heineman, the publisher, of London, issued a new edition of one of Petrarch's works, which received admiring comment abroad and was noted approvingly in some of the columns of the New York press.

Shortly afterward the London publisher received a letter addressed to Mr. Petrarch, with directions that it be forwarded. Mr. Heineman opened it and read an illuminating letter from a New York firm. It announced that it conducted a clipping agency, and that its staff was peculiarly alert in collecting comment concerning the progress of new men of genius, and that as Mr. Petrarch was beginning to receive favorable mention an occasional envelope of clippings could be sent to him at a moderate price.

Petrarch was a modest man, and when he died, before the caravels of Columbus set out on discovery, he little dreamed that five centuries later a clipping bureau in the metropolis of a new world would be attracted by his fame.

The Bristol People Against Beer.

One day recently a committee from the Bristol W. C. T. U. called on Wm. McIntosh of that place and presented him with the following petition which has been circulated throughout Bristol and vicinity.

Believing that the manufacture and sale of beer is directly opposed to the principles of christianity, morality and good citizenship, and causes great harm and distress in any community where sold. We the undersigned residents of Bristol and vicinity respectfully ask you to retire from the business:

Mr. and Mrs C W Brittain, Mr and Mr Geo Caldwell, Mr and Mrs A J McLean, Mr and Mrs A W Philips, Mr and Mrs John Farley, Mr and Mrs O R Merritt, Mr and Mrs Ernest Sewell, Mr and Mrs D V Boyer, Mrs Cynthia Noble, Mrs Belle F DeLong, Mrs I N Boyer, Mr and Mrs D E Brooks, Mrs Scot Darkis, Mrs John Meed, Mrs Harry Lipsett, A Maude Hartley, Mabel M Belyea, Mr and Mrs H S Gardiner, Blanchard Philips, Mrs James A Beil, Mrs Sida Giberson, Mr and Mrs A F Crandall, Nelson O Rogers, Mr and Mrs Ambers Giberson, Stanley Lockhart, Fred Guggey, Gaynell E Long, Mr and Mrs Samuel Giberson, John W Rogers, Thomas Pierce, L A Fenwick, J H A Anderson, Mr and Mrs G W Banks, Thomas Darkis, Mrs O S Boyer, Mr and Mrs John McKenzie, Mr and Mrs Wm Porter, Mrs C Armstrong, Mrs E Lois Gregg, S E Estabrook, Mr and Mrs Sanky Rogers, E A Grant, William White, Mr and Mrs Theodore Rogers, Alice M Giberson, Lydia A Lockhart, J D Giberson, Mr and Mrs Barton Rogers, Mr and Mrs G W Somerville, H D Curtis, Mr and Mrs G H Boyer, Mr and Mrs S J Rogers, Lewis Lockhart, Wayman Shaw, Frank Brooks, Mr and Mrs Edward Drier, C R Lockhart, Mr and Mrs Lewellyn Lockhart, Joseph Brooks, Alberta Curtis, Howard Jacques, Mr and Mrs G A Brittain, Mrs Charles Tinker, C J Estabrook, Edward Dyer, Mrs Robert Dyer, Mrs Charles Dyer, Mr and Mrs Tize Dyer, Mrs David Bell, Jas F Boyer, Bert Dyer, J W Banks, Lina E Boyer, Burton Boyer, Mr and Mrs Anson Boyer, Ella K Tompkins, Mrs W B Tompkins, Mr and Mrs A G Estabrook, Manzer W Caldwell, Mr and Mrs David Jones, Beckwith Jones, Charlie Merritt, Guy Stickney, Mr and Mrs H M Tompkins, David M Bell, Dan B Jones, Edmund Derrah, Vinal Derrah, James Loyd, Israel Craig, Mr and Mrs D W Rogers, Mr and Mrs J W Curtis, Joseph Prior, Mrs Rainsford Lovely, Mr and Mrs William Atkins, Mr and Mrs George Lovely, Lorne Curtis, Minnie Barker, Mr and Mrs Aaron Green, Norman Craig, Mr and Mrs Andrew Bell, Mr and Mrs Henry Lovely, Mr and Mrs John Briggs, Mrs W Bridges, Wm Jones, Mr and Mrs William Bell, Mrs Elizabeth Bell, Mrs Emery Hotam, Jennie E Farley, Lizzie V Rogers, Mr and Mrs S K Farley, Mrs Caroline Staten, Howard Parker, Mrs G Davis, Mrs Geo H Tompkins, C A Philips, Hope Crandall.

KEEP THE CHILDREN WELL.

Stomach and bowel troubles kill thousands of little ones every year during the hot weather months. Diarrhoea, dysentery and cholera infantum often come without warning, and if prompt aid is not at hand the child may be beyond help in a few hours. If you want to keep your children healthy, rosy and full of life during the hot weather give them an occasional dose of **Babys Own Tablets**. This medicine prevents illness by cleansing the stomach and bowels, and cures summer complaints when they come unexpectedly. Every mother should keep these Tablets in the home at all times. Mrs Robt. Currie, Loring, Ont., says:—"Babys Own Tablets are the best medicine I know of for bowel troubles." Sold by all medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Bathing in the Dead Sea.

(From the Detroit 'Free Press.')

"No sooner has one plunged into the water than one is whipped off one's feet and goes bobbing helplessly about like a wretched cork," says the Rev. Haskett Smith of bathing in the Dead Sea. "In the effort to regain one's footing and to get back to shore one's feet and shins are barked by the jagged stones and pebbles, and when at length one does emerge from its treacherous bosom, with the lower limbs bleeding and torn, one becomes aware of a horrible tingling and burning sensation in the eyes, ears, nostrils, mouth and almost every pore of the skin from the brine and bitumen which have penetrated everywhere. Unless great care is taken the bather in the Dead Sea is liable to an eruption which breaks out all over his body and which is commonly known as the "Dead Sea rash." The best antidote to this is to hurry across as quickly as possible to the River Jordan and take a second plunge therein. The soft and muddy waters of that sacred but dirty stream will effectually remove the salt that has encrusted the body.

Cancer's Chief Foe Its Victim.

The death of Professor Poiries of France was a great loss to the ranks of surgery. He was the country's most famous cancer expert.

FREE. FREE. FREE.

GET A DINNER SET FREE.

—AT THE—

NEW DRY GOODS STORE  
JAS. S. McMANUS.

The pattern we give is a Flower and a Scroll design of rare beauty, richly interwoven with Gold Tracing. In fact it is one of the most beautiful patterns ever imported from the famous Staffordshire Potteries. You can get it piece by piece—get any piece you want according to the amount of your purchase. These goods will be displayed in the corner window on **Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week.** All information given in the store.

JAS. S. McMANUS,

Agent for the Pictorial Review Patterns.

In this disease he had so much celebrity among fashionable folk that, according to the New York Times, it used often to be said jokingly that no one was up-to-date unless he had undergone an operation at his hands. We read in this paper of his work, and his own sad end:

The irony of fate is exemplified in his case. There is a difference of opinion in medical circles as to what caused his death, and the two physicians who treated him last are accused of having made a wrong diagnosis. A friend declares that Poirier died of cancer, which he knew for years past had marked him for its victim, and tells a touching story. During recent years Poirier had given special attention to cancer cases, and it was owing to his works on the subject, and his representations before the Academy of Medicine of the need of special effort to combat the dread disease, that the Cancer Research Fund was opened in France, the first subscription received being 10,000 francs from Dr. Baron Henri de Rothschild.

Poirier did not devote all his time to wealthy clients. Many poor sufferers from cancers were treated by him for nothing. One woman on whom he had previously operated without a fee, and who had shown her gratitude by sending flowers, went to see her benefactor one day last January in fear of a fresh cancerous growth. Poirier carefully examined her, and said:

"It's nothing. It will be some years before you may need a fresh operation, which, by the way, I shall not be able to perform."

"Why, doctor, do you refuse to treat me?"

"Why, doctor, do you refuse to treat me?"

"No, my poor child, but I shall not be there to do it. I also have a cancer, and it will be more rapid than yours."

If the story be true—and it is vouched for by a close friend—Poirier maintained before the world to the last a mask of cheerful insouciance.

Good for the Printer.

The "Columbus Penitentiary News," for many years a famous and flourishing daily paper published by convicts, has suspended publication for the very good reason that there is not left in that big penal institution a single man who can handle type.

Bankers are there in plenty. More than twenty, and more on the way. Several convict banks might be operated, with men to spare.

Enough lawyers are there to take care of an enormous amount of legal business.

Doctors, brokers and other "eminently respectable citizens" are not lacking.

Business men, farmers, mechanics and representatives of almost every other department of industrial activity are common there.

But there is not one printer.

The fact throws new light on a character that has long been commonly misjudged.

The printer does not "pi" his spiritual and moral form.—The Philistine.

Let me live in a house by the side of the road

Where the race of men go by—  
The men who are good, and the men who are bad,

As good and as bad as I.  
I would not sit in the scorn's seat,  
Or hurl the cynic's ban;

Let me live in a house by the side of the road

And be a friend to man.

—Sam Walter Foss.

A CHANCE FOR THE BOYS.

The Superintendent of one of the largest corporations in Canada, head office Montreal, offers to employ all the MALE STENOGRAPHERS who are graduated from

Fredericton Business College

You may enter at any time as we will have NO SUMMER VACATION this year. We could have placed many more graduates during the past year had we had them. Write for catalogue. Address,

W. J. OSBORNE, Principal,  
Fredericton, N. B.



Know-How Workmen

Insure Economy.

No loss of time in experimenting if the workmen know their business. No waste of material if they know how to figure. No loss from unreasonable repairs. The way to do the best plumbing is to have men who know how to do the work.

FEWER BROS.

Connell Street,  
Woodstock.

123 Acres \$1,800.

35 acres of this land is in rich tillage, cutting 50 tons of hay; 300 apple trees; pasture for 15 cows, watered by never failing spring; abundance of wood and timber for home use, and some to sell. 1 1/2-story house of 8 rooms with piazza, neatly painted; bath 4x46, clap-boarded walls and nice dry cellar; woodshed and carriage house; abundant supply of pure well water; only 1 1/2 miles from stores, school, etc., near neighbors. The owner has other business and to make quick sale price is reduced to only \$1,800; \$1,000 down. Shown by A. B. Rice, 20 Hammond Street, Bangor, Maine. For picture of house see No. 6205, page 8 "Strouts List 18, copy mailed free by E. A. Strout Co., Augusta, Maine.

MARRIED.

WILCOX-WHITE.—At the Reformed Baptist Parsonage, Orange Hall, Woodstock, N. B., June 22nd, by Rev. S. A. Baker, Martin A. Wilcox of Masardis, Me., and Miss Mabel White of Belfast, Me.

(Arroostook Co. papers please copy.)  
WELCH-CAPEN.—At the Baptist Parsonage, June 19, Centreville, N. B., Bernard H. Welch to Vesta L. Capen, both of Bridgewater, Me.

STARKEY-NEVERS.—At Hartland, on the 18th June, by Rev. C. T. Phillips, Millicent A. Nevers, of Hartland, and Archibald Starkey of Houlton, Me.

LUNN-VINCENT.—At Woodstock, 19th June, by the Rev. Dr. Kienstead, Handford Lunn of Summerfield, Car. Co. to Miss Emma Vincent of St. John.—Gleaner please copy.

For uniform good quality Snow White Flour has never been excelled.