

HARTLAND and VICINITY.

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The Crops.

So very unfavorable has this unusual season been that the farmer's stock in trade has been gained at much more than the usual cost to him, and it is necessary that the prices be unusually high this year if he would keep from going behind. Fortunately the indications are for high prices in nearly all lines. Hay will be as high as it was last year if the present indications are of any account. Strange as it may seem the crop in Ontario was seriously damaged by the dry weather, and is said to be away below the average. In the southern districts of our own province, with reverse conditions, the farmers are still struggling to get their hay in out of the wet.

Therefore the marketable hay now in the barns is materially less than a normal crop, although in these upriver counties it is said there is more good hay than ever before. This will help the farmer to retrieve his losses in other ways.

Oats are ripening slowly, and will, it is hoped, come to a fair average crop as far as this section is concerned. Little can be said about the prices as yet.

Frost has kept off well, and would have given the beans a good chance to ripen, but they, as are all other crops, are late and the yield is doubtful.

Potatoes, the chief thing this year, are turning out very well. What rust there was did not seriously damage the crop, but unless the weather is favorable for digging all this week there will be heavy loss from rot. Many good sales have already been lost for lack of transportation facilities. Consequently the prices are dropping and no doubt will be much lower before they show an upward tendency. All who have facilities for doing so should store their potatoes, as prices will be higher later on and the railway will be able to supply cars as needed soon as the rush in grain hauling in the west is over.

The egg and butter crop seems to be falling off and prices are going up. It is rather early for a forecast of the prices for the poultry and dressed meats.

A Shining Industry.

J. K. Fleming's steam saw mill shut down for this year on Saturday. This is one of the chief industries of this locality and is deserving extended notice. The mill began sawing early in January and has continued in operation continually except when closed down for necessary repairs. Thirty men were given steady employment about the mill, and many more found work in supplying it with lumber. All together, for labor and lumber, Mr. Fleming has paid out this year \$60,000.

The cut has amounted to 1,500,000 feet of long lumber and 3,000,000 laths. Of the long lumber a great deal was hard wood dimensions which were shipped to Montreal where they enter into the construction of C. P. R. box cars. Most of the spruce and pine has been sent to the Boston market, but lately Mr. Fleming has tried the experiment of shipping to Ontario points with such success that he has contracted for 15 or 20 cars more, which he will buy from other mills. Ontario is an entirely new market for St. John River lumbermen, and the C. P. R. people, anxious to secure the long haul for their own road, quote especially favorable rates.

Besides the laths cut in his own mill Mr. Fleming has bought 4,000,000 from other manufacturers, making in all 7,000,000 which he has shipped. Most of this quantity has gone to points in the state of Ohio, where, despite the fact of the freight being 28 to 30 cents a hundred pounds, the returns are encouraging.

At the mill a great deal of hemlock has also been cut, many of the new potato houses along the line being built of the output.

Edward Kennedy, while working in the woodworking factory at Avondale on Thursday, got his hand caught in the buzz planer with the result that his fingers were mangled cruelly. The wound is not so serious but that the hand will likely be as good as ever after a few weeks.

Keith & Plummer have re-engaged Miss Branscombe for their millinery department, and the fall opening will be announced within a few days.

Miss Mabel Raymond has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Clinton Gray, at Caribou.

Keith & Plummer have two double waggons and two single waggons for sale at a bargain.

Mrs. Fred. M. Boyd, accompanied by her son Harry, left on Friday for a visit with her sisters in Bangor.

One car lime just arrived. For sale low by Keith & Plummer.

Charles Hurst and son Frank left for the Fredericton exhibition on Friday. Mr. Hurst exhibits about 100 fowls this year.

Miss Janet McMullin and her uncle, Frank

Bradly, have been visiting at Toronto and Ingersoll, Ontario.

Shingles, all grades, from \$1.10 to \$2.50, at Keith & Plummer's.

A carload of flour just unloaded. A good quality at \$5.50. The price speaks for itself and we guarantee the quality. Keith & Plummer.

Ladies' jackets, fall clothing and overcoats, camp blanketing, horse blankets. All new goods, which the moths have not touched. A full line of fall goods at prices that will lead you direct to our store. Keith & Plummer. (All kinds of produce bought and highest market prices paid.)

Woodbury C. Raymond and family, of Holtville, California, are visiting his brother, Councillor W. N. Raymond, at Middle Simonds.

Mrs. Smith Patterson returned to Bangor on Friday after visiting her sister, Mrs. Ziba Orser, and brother, C. H. Perkins.

J. C. Everett is agent for "City Dye Works," Fredericton. All articles of clothing left at his agency will be forwarded. Satisfactory work is promised and at reasonable prices. A simple way to save money. A half worn or stained garment can be made to appear as good as new.

J. D. Palmer and Frank T. Bixby, of St. John, were here on Friday.

Mrs. H. D. Keswick and Miss Bertie McAdam left on Friday for a visit with friends at Douglas, York Co.

Miss Ethyl Barker, of Four Falls, has been the guest of Mrs. A. A. Belyea, at Rockland.

Carvell Craig, who has been at Millinocket all summer, came home on Wednesday with a badly crushed finger, the result of an accident in the paper mill. He will be laid up for some time.

A tooth flew out of a saw and struck Ray Miller, an employee in Sayer's mill, such a blow in the breast that he was knocked over and quite seriously injured. The physician said his escape from death was a narrow one, but the piece of metal lodged against the breast bone and thus did not penetrate any vital part.

H. E. Gardiner has severed his connection with the barber business and removed to Fort Fairfield.

Miss Laura Baird accompanied the Misses Gray to Los Angeles. She has been suffering a depleted condition of health and goes west in the hope that the change may benefit her. Miss Mildred Armstrong of Andover is visiting her sister, Miss Ethel, and other friends in Hartland.

Rev. and Mrs. J. N. Barnes were visitors in the village last week.

The present outlook is that the old councillors in the parishes of Brighton, Peel, Simonds, Wakefield, and Wilmot will be returned without opposition. However the names of Russel Ross of Peel and G. W. White of Wilmot have been spoken of as possible candidates.

James Irving of Mount Pleasant was a visitor in town on Saturday.

Tilley Boyd, formerly a resident of Hartland, was here on Saturday on his way from Plaster Rock to Fredericton, where his family now resides.

Alexander Henderson of Woodstock was the guest of his daughter, Mrs. S. S. Miller, last week.

Mrs. ABRAM GEROW of Yarmouth, Me. was visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. Joseph McGee, Somerville, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Campbell of St. John are guests of his parents Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Campbell.

George S. MacLauchlan was a passenger on Saturday's express for Millville. Before his return he will visit the Fredericton exhibition.

After a few days at his home at Somerville, H. M. Stevens returned on Saturday to Millinocket, Me.

The members of the Reformed Baptist Sunday school held their annual picnic on the flat on Thursday. A shower came up about lunch time but on the whole it was a pleasant occasion.

Miss Peacock arrived on Monday from Murray's Corner, Albert County, and will remain in the employ of C. Humphrey Taylor for the next year.

C. Humphrey Taylor has about completed the rebuilding of the Watson building he recently purchased. T. J. Hurley and George McLaughlin have rented the two tenements upstairs and Keith & Plummer and Thomas Latson have rented the stores, which are large and well lighted.

Miss Bull, Woodstock, was the guest of Mrs. P. Graham over Sunday.

Ernest DeWitt, of DeWitt Bros., came up from St. John on Friday and returned Monday.

In the United Baptist church on Sunday evening Rev. W. Burton Morgan preached a very acceptable sermon from John iv:35. There was a large congregation in attendance and a special male quartette in addition to the usual choir. Mr. Morgan will on Thursday take his departure for Kingston, Ont., there to continue his studies. He will go by way of the North Shore and expects to put in a week's big game hunting on the Gaspé coast.

On Sunday afternoon, Archie, the nine year old son of Charles Stevens, Somerville, fell from a scaffold to the floor of the barn and suffered a very bad fracture of the thigh-bone. The little fellow was attended by Dr. MacIntosh.

Mrs. W. A. Hayward, Woodstock, was visiting her daughter, Mrs. I. B. Curtis last week.

One day last week, at the residence of Cecil Boyer, Miss May Derrah and Charles Foster were united in marriage. The ceremony was performed by Rev. A. F. Baker.

At the meeting of the Canadian Medical Association at Montreal last week Dr. D. W. Ross of Florenceville was elected vice-president for New Brunswick.

Eggs are quite scarce and the price on Monday at Hartland was 20 cents for strictly fresh stock. Butter in rolls or tubs brings 20c. There is no new grain in the market yet. Old oats are worth 50 to 60 cents. J. T. G. Carr pays 28 cents for washed wool. Hay, loose, brings \$8. Potatoes 80c.

At Newport, Hants County, N. S., on September 12, C. Frank Rideout was ordained a minister of the Baptist church. Mr. Rideout is a son of W. C. Rideout of Middle Simonds.

Dorian Gray and family, of Bridgewater, were guests of G. G. Gray and Stephen McMullen last week.

THE DISPATCH correspondent knows of one man who says that had the whole month of September been fine it would have been only sufficient good weather to enable him to get his haying done. He has 150 acres of meadow.

Hartland Monument Works.

A. S. Perkins and Son, the skilled granite cutters, have become thoroughly established in their new premises. They have installed the only polishing wheel in Carleton Co. and are able to turn out work that is vastly superior to any that is all done by hand. A most beautiful piece of work which they now have in hand is a monument for the late Dr. Wiley of Andover. They are also cutting a handsome \$200 monument for S. A. Perkins of Centreville which he will erect in memory of his wife and daughter, who died last November. Other fine work being turned out are monuments ordered by Geo. H. Everett, Fort Fairfield for his parents buried at Jacksonville, for the Gilmour family at Esdraelon for Theodore Cain of Knoxford, Thomas Kelly of Woodstock, and for the late Jonathan Bridges of Aroostock Junction.

Messers Perkins are true artists in their line and it is doubtful if their work is equaled by any granite cutters in the province. The elder partner has had 45 years experience and assisted with the magnificent granite work on the New York and Chicago post office.

For fine artistic work at prices and terms alike agreeable, The DISPATCH recommends the Hartland Monument Works to those contemplating getting such work done. The finest kinds of granite, both local and imported is used; and the finest grave stones in this county are from the Hartland Monument Works.

BORN.

ESTEY.—At Bloomfield, Sept. 10th, to the wife of Wm. A. Estey, a daughter.

WRIGHT.—At Mohall, North Dakota, September 11th, 1907, to Dr. and Mrs. G. A. Wright, a daughter.

MARRIED.

CULLINS-JEWEL.—At the Reformed Baptist parsonage, Woodstock, N. B., Sept. 11th, by the Rev. S. A. Baker, Beecher Cullins and Miss Winnifred Jewel, both of Monticello, Me.

GALLAGHER-CUNNINGHAM.—At St. Joseph's church, Newburg, Sept. 17th, by the Rev. Father Bradley, Frank Gallagher, son of George Gallagher, and Miss Ellen Cunningham, all of Newburg.

DIED.

SPEER.—At Speerville, very suddenly of heart failure, on Wednesday August 28th, at the age of 65 years, Joseph Speer, leaving a widow and five children.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that there will be sold at Public Auction in front of the office of Allison B. Connell, on Main Street, in the Town of Woodstock, in the County of Carleton, on Friday, the Fourth day of October, A. D. 1907, at the hour of Eleven of the clock in the forenoon. All the real estate, mill privilege, mills and machinery, situate in the Parish of Wicklow, in the said County of Carleton, which were owned by James N. Sloat, of said Wicklow, Miller, in his lifetime. The above sale will be held under and by virtue of a Power of Sale contained in a certain Indenture of Mortgage executed by the said James N. Sloat in his lifetime in favor of the late Lewis P. Fisher. Dated this 17th day of September, A. D. 1907. W. J. OWENS. One of the Executors of Last Will and Testament of James N. Sloat, deceased. Sept. 18-31.

It is important that persons placing FIRE INSURANCE

should select strong and reliable companies. This being the case it would be impossible perhaps to find four stronger and more reliable companies represented in Carleton County in one office than the following companies for whom the undersigned is agent, namely: CALEDONIAN, the Oldest Scottish Fire Office NORWICH UNION, Established in 1797. ATLAS, Founded in the reign of King George III and the QUEEN. I shall be pleased to see intending insurers.

LOUIS E. YOUNG, Woodstock, N. B.

THE GEO. W. GIBSON CO. LIMITED.

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The Latest Novelties in Woolens that are found in the markets of the old country.

We want several Coat, Trousers and Vest Makers. We want good help and will pay good money.

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Are you looking for a nice Farm, one that will give you pleasure to work. One that will give you large profits on your labor? Pleasantly located, model farm buildings, with all conveniences for making work easy. If you want something you will be satisfied with, write me today for particulars regarding it.

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Undertaking.

Since the fire that ruined my building I have been quartered in the Murdock Building, Cor. Main and Maple Streets, and am now well equipped for business with a full line of Caskets, etc. Hearse and Funeral Attendance at any time.

House Furniture at very low prices.

G. C. WATSON, Hartland.

NOTICE.

To the Electors of the Parish of Wilmot:

Upon the request of many of the Parish I have consented to be a candidate at the forthcoming election for Councillor of said Parish.

THOS. G. WHITE.

NOTICE.

This is to certify that I forbid all persons trusting or harboring my wife Rachael, on my account. As she has left my bed and board I will not pay any debts of her contracting.

ASA DAVENPORT, Fielding, Car. Co., N. B.

Sept. 18, 4i.

Farm For Sale.

A farm containing 112 acres, known as the old Connolly place, in Jacksonstown on the main road. For further particulars apply to **GEORGE C. WATSON, Jacksonsville.** Sept. 11, 4i.

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Commence in the centre of the following diagram and read 200 different ways to find out who in Hartland will sell you the BEST GOODS at the LOWEST PRICES.

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PONY FOR SALE.

Grey-roan Indian Pony mare weighing about 700 pounds, well broken to the saddle, young, sound, safe and fearless of all objects on the road. Price very low. **DR. F. M. PERRY, Houlton, Maine.**