

HARTLAND and VICINITY.

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At a circuit meeting of the Baptist churches on Monday evening, S. M. Boyer, W. D. Keith, L. E. McFarland, Judson Currie and Edmund C. Morgan were appointed a committee to engage a successor to Rev. A. F. Baker whose incumbency terminates on March 1st. W. D. Keith is corresponding secretary of the committee. They have at present no particular minister in view. It was practically decided to shorten the circuit by cutting off Pembroke church. Heretofore the pastor had been compelled to cover more territory than he could easily give attention to. The circuit will, if this arrangement is completed, include Upper and Lower Brighton beside Hartland.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Humphrey Taylor are entertaining their parents, Mrs. H. B. Taylor and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh C. Hunter of East Florenceville at dinner today.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Rideout are spending a week or two with their son, Rev. A. A. Rideout, at Fredericton.

On Thursday Edward Alexander left for the Pacific Coast where he expects to spend the winter. He has been given six months leave of absence and will spend most of the time in the west. He expects to take Christmas dinner at Calgary. Arnold McFarland, who went from here several years ago, is doing well near Calgary. The two have planned to make Christmas calls on Dr. and Mrs. Estey and Holland Birmingham, former Hartland people. After reaching the coast Mr. Alexander will visit in Oregon where he has sisters living and afterwards will go to Southern California, where he expects to meet Amasa Plummer and W. N. Raymond who recently went from here. Returning Mr. Alexander will come by the Salt Lake route and call on friends in Colorado.

Linden F. Shaw, who at one time ran a little store here, has done well in California. He arrived at Holtville less than half a dozen years ago with very few dollars in his pocket, went farming on the reclaimed land and lately sold out for \$10,000. Mr. Shaw is a son of the late Frank Shaw of Simonds.

Odbur Shaw of Middle Simonds lost a driving horse valued at \$200 last week.

Inspector F. B. Meagher paid the high school an official visit last week.

Mrs. A. W. Hay of Woodstock was the guest of her sister-in-law, Mrs. E. Alexander last week.

Last week Edmund Shaw of Victoria Corner and Miss Georgia Bell, well known in Hartland, were united in the bonds of holy wedlock.

Sam F. Fong spent last week with his friends in Sackville.

The most elaborate and most beautiful calendar yet received is from J. T. G. Carr, while one advertising the Nova Scotia Fire Ins. Co., of which Hagerman and Baird are agents, is perhaps the most useful.

Harry Hayward, who since his graduation from the U. N. B. last June has been employed with the Crown Land Dept. at Ottawa, is spending his Christmas holidays with his parents, Jarvis N. and Mrs. Hayward at Ashland.

Robert L. Simms and George N. Belyea of the U. N. B. are spending their holidays at their respective homes, South Knowlesville and Rockland.

It is not likely that the Cross Creek Lath Co., will operate this season. Solomon McFarlane will cut laths in the mill on the Little Presque Isle but will hold shipment until there is greater demand. He has installed a shingle machine and will cut a good many shingles through the winter. He is

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also getting out long lumber which will be sawn for shipment at McEroy's mill at Waterville.

At many places along the river on Monday it was easily possible to cross in a boat.

T. T. Hammond with his family arrived from Cabano on Saturday to spend the holidays with his father-in-law, D. H. Keswick.

On Monday evening next their will be a special meeting of Hartland L. O. L. No. 41 for the transaction of special business.

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ben Irving on Saturday morning, Dec. 21st.

F. A. Jewett, principal of the Kingston Consolidated School, and Leon H. Jewett, who is taking a theological and arts course at Mount Allison, are spending their holidays at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jewett, Waterville.

Misses Inez Bradley and Janet McMullin taking advantage of the cheap rates, visited Woodstock on Saturday.

Rev. and Mrs. T. S. Van Wart went to Houlton on Saturday to spend the holidays with their daughter, Mrs. Alfred Knox. They will return tomorrow. Mr. VanWart expects his son I. S. G. VanWart, a prominent business man of Calgary, to arrive in a few days to visit him.

Misses Espy Craig and Lizzie Boon came from Normal school to spend the holidays.

H. N. Boyer, in spite of bad weather, has got his new weighing scales completed and ready for business.

Dr. Goodwin who about twenty years ago practiced in Hartland, died at Halifax the other day. He had risen to a high position among the medical fraternity, and was a professor in the Halifax medical college.

The Reformed Baptist Sunday School, as has been customary for many years, will give a concert on New Year's evening.

The merchants say that considering the condition of the roads the Holiday trade has been all that could have been desired. It can scarcely be said that the recent fire is responsible for a very great loss. The merchants in the rural districts have been getting a good big trade owing to the fact that the bad roads compelled their neighbors to patronize home industry.

In a rhetoric flight the editor of the Ashland, Me., Gazette, eulogizes the Northern Maine climate and speaks of the Aroostook river, unburdened with ice, "flowing serenely on its way to the sea." We would remind the Gazette man that ere that peacefully meandering brooklet reaches the sea its serenity gets a few jolts and its identity becomes rather jumbled by contact with a real river on this side of the boundary line.

THE DISPATCH acknowledges the receipt of a handsome set of blotters from Estey & Curtis Co.

Last week Deputy Sheriff Foster took Kenneth Shaw, a young man 20 years old, son of Moses Shaw, Lower Wakefield, to the Provincial Hospital.

There will be a meeting of the Debating Club on Friday evening Jan. 3rd. The subject for discussion will be "Resolved that the army and navy has done more to build up the Empire than the statesmen." Scott T. Sipprell is leader of the affirmative side and Frank Gardiner of the negative.

Miss Edna Hagerman is spending the holidays with her cousin W. G. Tinker at Bangor.

Miss Alice Boyer arrived from Mount Allison Seminary on Saturday and is spending her vacation with her mother, Mrs. S. R. Boyer, at Victoria. She was accompanied by a friend, Miss Berth Bigney, who is also a Mount Allison student, and a classmate of Miss Helen Bowser, with whom she is visiting. Miss Bigney's home is in Brattleboro, Vermont.

The people of Hartland have fairly good reason to hope that within a year a fine new governmental building will grace the village.

Douglas M. Brown, principal of the school at Glassville, Carleton county, arrived in the city last evening and will go to his home in St. Martins today.—Sat. Telegraph.

Councillors Allen Bradley and C. J. Connelly, interviewed with the regard to the building of a new court house, say they are of the opinion that when a new court house is really needed it should be built in town, contiguous to the gaol and record building; but both emphatically expressed themselves in disfavour of a new building at the present time. Other councillors have expressed themselves similarly.

J. K. Flemming, M. P. P., and Mayor Munro of Woodstock, addressed a fairly well attended meeting of the electors at Havelock, a settlement back of Lower Brighton, on Friday evening.

Miss Clara Turner, teacher of domestic science in the Hampton Consolidated School, will leave Friday for home at Centerville, Car. Co., where she will spend her vacation.—Hampton Cors.

Speaking of the mince meat made by a well known St. John butcher. The Daily Globe says: "They have sent the Globe a good supply of that useful and toothsome compound." Possibly the editor wrote "toothsome" and the compositor, not caring for mince pie, took the advantage and changed the word to one expressing his own opinion of the stuff.

"What are we going to do?" writes a cor-

respondent of the Aroostook Republican. "Taxes will be advertised, if not paid by the 20th, and we can't get any money for hay or potatoes. A regular famine for money just now." It is not nearly so bad as that in Carleton Co.

There was special Christmas music in the Baptist church on Sunday evening and the pastor Rev. A. F. Baker, preached an excellent sermon "The Angel's Message." Today a Christmas praise service was held in the church. On Sunday afternoon eight candidates were given the right hand of fellowship at the church at Brighton.

A special collection was taken at the last session of the United Baptist Sunday School on Sunday last and the proceeds are for the poor of the village. This school had its largest attendance since union was affected—103 being there.

A Christmas tree and concert will be held tonight in the lower United Baptist church. Admission free.

Last Wednesday five cars of a special northbound freight in charge of Conductor Britton were derailed at a point near Perth. Traffic was very little delayed.

J. F. Murdock came from Restigouche to spend Christmas at home.

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SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Tender for Mills Point Wharf," will be received at this office until Friday, January 10, 1908, inclusively, for the construction of a wharf at Mills Point, Northumberland County, N. B., according to a plan and specification to be seen at the offices of E. T. P. Shewan, Esq., Resident Engineer, St. John, N. B.; Geoffrey Stead, Esq., Resident Engineer, Chatham, N. B., on application to the Postmaster at Hardwicke, N. B., and at the Department of Public Works, Ottawa.

Tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed form supplied, and signed with the actual signatures of tenderers. An accepted cheque on a chartered bank, payable to the order of the Honourable the Minister of Public Works, for twenty-two hundred dollars (\$2,200.00), must accompany each tender. The cheque will be forfeited if the person tendering declines the contract or fail to complete the work contracted for, and will be returned in case of non-acceptance of tender.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By Order,
FRED GELINAS,
Secretary.

Department of Public Works.

Ottawa, December 11, 1907.
Newspapers will not be paid for this advertisement if they insert it without authority from the Department.

Meeting of County Council.

The regular semi annual meeting of the County Council of the Municipality of Carleton, will be held at the Court House, on TUESDAY the FOURTEENTH day of January next, at TEN of the clock in the forenoon.

Dated this TWENTYETH day of December, A D., 1907.

J. C. HARTLEY,
Secretary-Treasurer
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