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Feb. 19-4.

### Harry Nash

Harry Nash, one of the best known citizens of Woodstock, died Friday morning after a long illness of heart trouble. Deceased was a son of the late Capt. Nash, an officer in the imperial army, and was born in Pokiok, York County. He came to Woodstock when a young man and was connected for many years with the Small & Fisher foundry concern, retiring from active work some few years ago. He is survived by his wife, who was a Miss Briggs, by three sisters, Mrs. Elgood, Mrs. B. H. Smith and Mrs. C. L. B. Miles, all of whom are now in Woodstock, and by two brothers, Ernest and Duppa, both in the Western States. Deceased was 62 years of age.

The funeral took place on Sunday at 3.00 p. m. The remains were taken to St. Luke's church where a service was conducted by the Rev. H. G. Alder, the choir singing the hymns "The Day Thou Gavest, Lord, is Ended," and "Now the Labourer's Work Is O'er." Interment was made in the Methodist cemetery.

### Frank J. Kelly.

Frank Joseph Kelly, eldest son of Mrs. Michael Kelly, died Sunday afternoon after several months illness, aged 48 years. Chief Kelly, of the police force, and Ambrose Kelly are brothers of deceased.

The funeral took place at 9 o'clock this morning from his home to St. Gertrude's church after which interment was made in the Catholic cemetery.

### Miss Hale.

Word was received last week of the death in Enderby, B. C., at the residence of her uncle, F. H. Hale, ex-M. P., of Miss Ivey Hale, daughter of the late George Hale of Grafton. Deceased was a trained nurse by profession. She was the last survivor of the family, her parents and sister having predeceased her. She was 33 years of age and had many friends in this town.

### John C. W. Flanders.

On Friday, Jan. 31, at his home at Long Island, Vic. Co., the death occurred of John C. W. Flanders, aged 34 years, youngest son of John O. and Elizabeth Flanders. Over a year before he had been taken ill with diabetes, but his condition had not seemed serious and his relatives entertained strong hopes of his recovery as he seemed to be improving until about two weeks before his death. He was then attacked by la grippe and though not confined to his bed, he gradually grew weaker and on Wednesday night, after several hours of intense suffering, he sank into an unconscious state from which he never rallied but peacefully breathed his last at ten o'clock Friday morning.

He was a young man of sterling qualities and by his kind and genial manner he had greatly endeared himself to all who knew him. In times of trouble he was always a ready sympathizer and helper and his many acts of kindness will be long remembered.

In his own family he was an affectionate son and brother and his loss is deeply felt in the home circle. He has left to mourn his early death a father, a mother, two brothers, Miles E. of Long Island, and James L. of Ottawa, and four sisters, Mrs. J. T. Bacon, of Boston, Mass., Mrs. Norman Wright, of Weaver, Vic. Co. Mrs. Wm. Sadler and Miss Gertrude both of Long Island. It was felt as a great comfort that all were able to be present at the funeral. During his illness kind friends did all in their power to lighten the burden for the afflicted ones.

The funeral was held on Sunday afternoon the service at the house being conducted by the Rev. T. D. Bell. The Oddfellows, of which he was an esteemed member, then took charge and a large procession followed their late brother to his last resting place at the N. B. cemetery at Linton Corner. A beautiful service was conducted at the grave by the members of the order, whose ranks were thus broken for the first time.

The relatives and friends have the heartfelt sympathy of all in their sad bereavement.

### A Clubbing Offer.

The Montreal Weekly Witness, Canada's cleanest and most reliable weekly and THE DISPATCH, both for \$1.50 per year.

### A Big Trade to Farmers.

If you think of buying a FARM and want a GOOD ONE, I am now in a position to give you the BEST VALUE for your money that has ever been offered before in Carleton Co. If you have the SLIGHTEST IDEA of buying a farm in the near future, DONT MISS THIS CHANGE. BEST LOCALITY, UP-TO-DATE BUILDINGS, LAND IN GOOD CONDITION, NEAR TO MARKET, NEAR TO SCHOOL, NEAR TO CHURCH.—See me or write me early as this Farm must be sold.

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Woodstock, N.B.

## THE REFORM SOCIETY

Arrange a Meeting Between the Six Candidates—Both Parties Sign for Themselves and for their Parties.

The Executive Committee of the Reform Society arranged a meeting in the council chamber of the town hall Monday morning between the Liberal and Opposition parties for the purpose of procuring the signatures of the six candidates to the resolution which was adopted at the Reform Society's convention on the 11th inst. The candidates of both parties acquiesced to this proposition, and the resolution with their signatures appears now as follows:

Resolved, That this Convention presents to the electors, and to the leaders and candidates of the political parties the following resolution for their signatures:

We, the undersigned, for ourselves and for the political parties, or organization we represent.

(Signed)

WENDELL P. JONES.  
HARRY P. CARVELL.  
GEORGE W. UPHAM.  
J. K. FLEMING.  
B. F. SMITH.  
DONALD MUNRO.

Dated Woodstock, Feb. 17th 1908.  
Agree to act in the approaching election of members to represent the County of Carleton in the House of Assembly in the Province of New Brunswick, according to the provisions of "The Election Act", and "The Controverted Elections Act" of the Province of New Brunswick, and that we will use our influence to prevent bribery and corruption during such election in the County of Carleton, and we severally agree that we will not, personally aid in any bribery and corruption at such election and we further assert that neither directly or indirectly have we accepted or contributed, nor will we either directly or indirectly accept, subscribe, pay or contribute any funds to be used for corrupt purposes in the conduct of such election.

Further, RESOLVED that we the members of this convention pledge our support to the resolution laid before the Convention.

Further, RESOLVED, That this resolution be an agreement binding upon each political party, upon the condition that it is signed by the candidates and by, at least, twenty men, representing each party, who shall be named by the leaders of the opposite political party.

And still further RESOLVED, That in case of either political party failing to accept the above resolution this Convention agrees to support that party or those candidates who will pledge themselves unconditionally to the above resolution.

It was then agreed that twenty other names representative of the leaders of both parties would be furnished, who would also be agreeable to sign the above resolution. On motion it was decided to raise the sum of one thousand dollars \$500 to be equally raised by each party to be placed under the control of a committee of five comprising one liberal and one conservative and one treasurer, secretary and president of the reform society for the purpose of prosecuting any violation of the Elections Act and the Controverted Elections Act in the County Election.

### Hartland to Have Building Boom.

Indications now point to activity in building at Hartland the coming season. Keith & Plummer, Horace R. Nixon and Franklin Clark are planning on putting up a brick block which may eclipse anything in its line along the river. The buildings will have a concrete basement on which three stories of brick will be built. The total frontage on the street will be about 140 feet and the buildings will extend back 80 or 100 feet.

Keith & Plummer will have two stores in the north end on the site of their old buildings, Mr. Clark will have one of 30 foot front next below, and Mr. Nixon plans on two. The upper stories will be finished into offices and dwellings. The building will be erected at a cost of about \$50,000 and will in itself give accommodation for the business and population of a fair sized village.

T. J. Hurley has bought from Dr. MacIntosh what was formerly the J. H. Dickinson property near the bridge. Calvin Jones, the former tenant, has removed from the village and Mr. Hurley has moved into the house and is making extensive improvements in it. The shop now occupied by J. C. Everett, Esq., is included in this property and Mr. Hurley intends rebuilding there, increasing the shop to four times its present size. He intends going into business again.

### Mrs. Elizabeth Raymond.

At her home at Middle Simonds the death took place on Thursday of Mrs. Elizabeth Raymond, after a long illness subsequent to an attack of paralysis early in September. Mrs. Raymond was a daughter of the late Thomas Shaw of Simonds, and was 78 years of age. Her husband, David Raymond, died years ago and was well known in his generation. He was a brother to Hiram and the late John Raymond of Simonds. One son, Rainsford, a helpless invalid, is the sole surviving member of the family.

### Mrs. Charles Swim.

At half past ten on Friday forenoon the death occurred of Mrs. Charles Swim at her home at Rockland. She was about 50 years of age and had been ill for eighteen days of pneumonia. All the best available medical skill could not prevail against the disease. Besides her husband there are left one married son, John, and two daughters, Mrs. B. E. Stockford and Mrs. Ed. Greer. The funeral was held on Sunday.

## The Market.

Produce is steady in all lines and last week there was a great turnover in hay, oats, etc. But the thaw that set in on Friday put a stop to activities.

In all papers we read of railroads all over the country curtailing expenses on account of scarcity of freight. At the present time this branch of the C. P. R. is hard put to carry away the products of our fertile soil for which farmers are getting good prices. One is set to wondering if the St. John Valley is not the best place on the continent for even going straight ahead prosperity in a quiet unassuming way. Potato rot cannot entirely bankrupt the community, frosts never entirely destroy, nor does blight, draught, or flood, effect the country in such way that the farmer has nothing to haul to market and keep business moving.

This week prices range like this:  
Hay, pressed..... \$8.50 to \$10.50  
Oats..... .40  
Potatoes..... 1.25 to 1.35  
Butter..... .25 to .24  
Eggs..... .25  
Dressed pork..... .07 to .08  
Dressed beef..... .06 to .07

Farmers will make the mistake of their lifetime if they do not take advantage of the present offering for potatoes. This statement is founded upon the fact that within a month the Montreal and Toronto markets will be glutted with local stock which is being held now until danger of freezing is over. Beef is in big demand with prices firm.

### Another Weather Prophecy.

Inspired, perhaps, by the spring-like weather of Friday and the soft weather following a new prophet has been heard from. This one says there will be little more rough weather and that the last part of the winter will be mild like the first. He predicts a general spring break-up about the second week in March, and the ice will run out of the St. John river before April 1st. By that time the snow will be gone and conditions will be such that farmers will be able to plough and sow by the middle of April. But nothing will be gained by so doing as the latter half of the month and the whole of May will be cold and backward.

The prophet who gives the foregoing is an old man, a keen observer, and says he bases his predictions on the nature of the weather of other years. For instance in 1881, the year Dame Shipton's ancient prophecy declared "the world unto an end should come," the winter was much like this; in February mild weather set in and continued until April. Again in 1902 the weather conditions were identical with that so far this year; while rain began on March 16, on the 23rd the ice started and on March 25th the river was entirely free from it. That was only six years ago and it is easy to recall that that spring many farmers had to seed twice, while numerous housewives, taking time by the forelock, had their winter stoves taken down in April only to have them put up again in May.

Other indications of a mild winter all through are shown, and notable among them is the fact that crows have been everyday visitors, wild geese have been seen every month, while the usual winter birds that come down from the frozen north have not deemed it worth while to make the journey. Who has seen a flock of snow birds? The grosbeak has visited us occasionally but not in the hungry, shivering flocks that hovered round the buildings last winter.

While prophecies may fail it is no doubt the sincere wish of DISPATCH readers that spring in all its glory may show up bright and early and emerge into a summer a little more salubrious than the last.

### Bankrupt Sale at Florenceville

S. W. Smith and Tompkins Bros' slaughter sale of H. P. Gillespie's bankrupt stock is progressing fine. They tell us the sales have amounted to over one hundred dollars a day since it started. Very cold weather and bad roads had a bad effect too. The sale is to continue until Feb. 22. The stock consists of a fine line of staple dry goods, ready made clothing, heavy pants, jackets, reefers for men and boys, underwear, hose, Hewson tweeds, stationary, groceries, hardware, crockery ware, shoe packs, boots, shoes, rubbers, medicines, etc. etc, and all is being offered at less than cost. There is also a fine large line of mouldings and glass for picture framing, these are being sold at one half price. All the stock is new and in first class condition as Mr. Gillespie has only been in business about one year. The surrounding country has been filled with hand bills naming some very attractive prices. Mrs. H. P. Gillespie, Miss Grace Tompkins, and Mr. Gardiner are employed as clerks. Smith and Tompkins are hustlers. See their hand bills, and call and get the pick.

**A Snap--20 Florida Orange for 25 cts. at H. G. NOBLE'S Grocery.**