

HARTLAND and VICINITY.

Hartland office in charge of Fred. H. Stevens, at EVERETT'S AGENCY, where orders for Advertising, Printing and Items for publication may be left.

The schools reopened on Monday with Miss Bessie Phillips of Pombroke in charge of the primary grades in place of Miss Inez Bradley, resigned. Other schools in the vicinity and their teachers are: Rockland, Hartley Boyer of Hartland; Victoria Corner, Miss Estey of Florenceville; Somerville, Miss Jennie Pagett of Windsor; Avondale, Miss Ella Davis of Waterville; Simonds, Miss Barker of Bath; Peel, Miss Belyea of Gagetown; Waterville, Miss Bell of Bristol. Rockland district No. 5 has not engaged a teacher.

Miss Tillie Shaw of Middle Simonds, who taught last term at Rowena, Victoria Co., is now at home and does not intend to teach until March.

Harold Bowser, who is employed in Scovil Bros.' clothing store, St. John, spent New Year's with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Bowser, Victoria.

Miss Pearl Raymond, Simonds, has gone to Normal school to work first class papers.

Mrs. H. E. Gardiner, who was here to attend the wedding of her brother, Wendell Kimball, returned to Fort Fairfield on Friday.

Mrs. Farnham of Fort Fairfield has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Bradford Palmer, Waterville.

Miss Lillian Burt of Fredericton has been visiting Mrs. J. Fred Boyer at Victoria.

Mrs. T. D. Stokoo, of Waterville, has been ill of sciatica.

Reed Chase is closing out his business—cigars, fruit, soft drinks, etc. Miss Janet MacMullin has rented the store and will move into it as soon as Mr. Chase has disposed of his stock.

S. S. Miller drove to Florenceville and Centreville on Friday.

W. R. Gillen is convinced that it pays to advertise in the DISPATCH, as he is getting rabbits by the score in answer to his advertisement. The price paid is 12 cents per pair.

Charles Bull of Woodstock was the guest of his uncle, G. F. Neales, Somerville, last week.

Miss Pauline Rideout, Peel, has been the guest of her cousins, Eva and Pearl Rideout, Somerville.

On New Year's Day Mrs. H. M. Stevens, Somerville, made a party in honour of her granddaughter, Miss Echel Stevens of Houlton, who is visiting her. The guests were Mattie, Eva, Pearl and Pauline Rideout and Robina Sipprell.

H. N. Boyer was in St. John on business last week.

Mrs. M. L. Hayward entertained her Sunday school class of young boys on Thursday evening.

Miss Dora Hayward of Rockland was visiting her grandparents, Sheriff and Mrs. Hayward, Woodstock, last week.

Mrs. David Aiton of Riley Brook has been quite ill.

Mrs. S. R. Hayden and two little girls of Riley Brook have been visiting Hartland friends.

Miss Lindsay, clerk in the post office at Perth, has been visiting her home at Lakeville. Upon her return to Perth she was accompanied by her mother.

Zebadee Sloat of Centreville has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. M. S. Sutton, Andover.

Hartland L. O. L. No. 41 has elected officers as follows: H D Keswick, W M; A G Baker, D M; A W Rideout, chap; F A Aiton, Sec; Roy W Cameron, Treas; T B Thistle, D of C; A A Belyea, lect; W P Mac-

Mullin, E A Hallett, Frank Belyea, E C Morgan, John F Murdock, committee.

On Monday evening of last week there was a meeting of the United Baptist choir at which a committee was elected as follows: A F Murdoch, chairman; D H Nixon and E C Morgan. The organists are Misses Janet McMullin and Inez Bradley. This is numerically the strongest choir in the village having a total membership of twenty. They meet for practice on Tuesday evenings after the close of the young people's prayer meeting.

Misses Helen Raymond, Marion Green and Mrs. Oaber Shaw were in Woodstock last week attending the Adventist conference.

Miss Maude Henderson of Woodstock was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. S. S. Miller, last week.

Ziba Orser has decided to go out of the hardware business and is advertising his stock in trade for sale.

There was service in the Catholic chapel at Newburg on New Year's Day.

Harry Gillen and Bertram Rideout spent New Years in Presque Isle.

Numerous sleighing parties were out on New Year's. Coy Cameron, Frank Day, Garnett Birmingham, and Misses Mabelle Curtis, Inez Bradley and Helen Alexander drove to Woodstock, and Frank Aiton and Miss Janet MacMullin drove to Florenceville.

Herman Carpenter of St. John was visiting his aunt, Mrs. Aaron Shaw, Middle Simonds, a few days ago.

After having been closed down on account of the open weather Sayre's mill began again to cut laths on Friday.

Miss Marion Lindsay, Woodstock, was the guest of her cousins, the Misses Alexander a few days ago.

On New Year Mr. and Mrs. P. Graham entertained Mrs. Graham's father, George F. Smith, her sister Miss Lou Smith, and Misses Jessie and Katherine Dennison, Mae Clarke and Blanche Dibblee of Woodstock and Mr. Doddwell of Amherst.

Miss Winnie Nevers was the guest of Miss Tillie Shaw at Middle Simonds a few days ago.

Miss Georgia Phillips of Jacksonville was the guest of Miss Helen Bowser at Victoria and Miss Sadie Barnett, Hartland, last week.

Miss Lulu VanWart returned from Boston last week.

R. D. Ross, St. Stephen, was here last week.

Miss Georgia Craig, who has been visiting her cousins, Misses Espey Elthea Craig, returned to St. John on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Manuel, who were married on Christmas Day, left on Friday for Lower Queensbury, and after spending a few days there they will go to Vancouver to make their home.

Mrs. Albert Plummer returned on Friday from a visit to St. John.

Miss Mamie Carey has gone to Fredericton to take charge of the primary department of the school there.

Miss Edna Hagerman has returned from her visit to Bangor.

Misses Ethel Simms and Ella Shaw were visiting at T. G. Simms' and George O. Britton's last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Benham were in Fredericton last week.

Miss Mabel Belyea accompanied by Charlie Estabrooks of Bristol spent Christmas at her home in Ashland.

Mrs. George M. DeWitt, Mr. John DeWitt and Mrs. Hayden, of Hartland, and Miss Edith Lipsett, of Charleston, Col., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest DeWitt, says the Fairville correspondent of the Globe.

The Debating club have in view the holding of a mock trial and a committee has been appointed to work the matter up. Further particulars will be announced later.

Col. D. McL. Vince, Woodstock, was in town on Monday.

D. W. Matheson, Woodstock, was in Hartland on Monday.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Percy York, Victoria, on Sunday morning.

Miss Glendora Thornton of Bangor is spending a few weeks with here relatives here.

The river, closing on Saturday, Jan 4th, broke all records for late closing. On Dec. 29, 1895, the ice ran out and a boat crossed on Jan 1st; but it had during December frozen over and there was good crossing for the Christmas trade.

The Womens Mission Society of the United Baptist church have decided to drop the giving of monthly suppers for the winter months. Instead they will meet the first Wednesday in every month at the parsonage.

Last Wednesday the first meeting under the new arrangement was held. It was in the nature of a surprise for the hostess, Mrs. Baker, for each member brought something good to eat.

George Boone went to the woods on the Restigouch again on Monday and took four teams.

Josiah Barnett was visiting in Andover last week.

Rev. H. C. Rice who for two years was pastor of the Methodist flock is now in charge of the church at Newcastle. On New Year's his parishioners made him a unique gift by

having a telephone put in the parsonage with the rent paid a year in advance.

On Friday evening the Debating Club threshed out the resolution that "the army and navy has done more to build up the empire than the statesmen." The judges were Messrs J. T. Garr, C. H. Taylor and Dr. Curtis who by a vote of two to one decided the negative side offered the best argument.

Miss Damie Kennedy who for a year has been teaching school in British Columbia returned home last week. She will not teach this winter.

Mrs. Walter Christie and daughter Thelma of Maysville, Presque Isle, were visiting Mrs. W. H. Sipprell, Somerville, last week.

Last week several flocks of wild geese were seen going southward. It is rare the geese are seen at this time of the year.

A few weeks ago Guy McCollon, the veteran lumberman who lives with his daughter, Mrs. J. F. Murdock, Maple St., met a painful accident. A heavy block of wood fell on his foot crushing one of the toes. The wound, owing to lack of vitality in the extremity, did not heal and amputation was found necessary.

Dr. Curtis, assisted by Dr. Rankin of Woodstock, performed the operation on Wednesday, taking the member off well up into the foot where there was a livelier circulation; and since then the old gentleman is doing well as could be hoped for.

I. S. G. VanWart a prominent citizen of Calgary has been visiting his father, Rev. T. S. VanWart.

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