

Letter from Rev. F. A. Currier.

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that town of Needles to the said lot number four.

Sworn before me, this day &c.
I shall now proceed to take these three indictments in their order and state what I did say regarding these matters. First of all, in reference to the road. At the time Wm. Everett bought his farm, I had never seen the new road up into the Whatsan Valley and Wm. Everett knew I had never seen it for I told him so. All the information I gave him, regarding the road, was to read to him a statement from a letter which had been sent to me by the Secretary of the Company from which he bought his land, bearing date Sept. 1st, 1908, which statement reads: "The latest news from the Valley is that by actual survey the new road strikes in at Lot 6 within a mile from the landing."

Signed E. A. PATTERSON, Sec.
I told Wm. Everett that the new road would likely be longer probably a mile and a half as it would not be straight. The distance following all the curves of the road is one mile, forty-two chains and 40 feet to farm No 5, which farm Wm. Everett was buying. Compare this with the sworn statement of William Everett that it was more than two miles and you can readily see who was the nearer to the truth.

The second indictment I deny in toto. I never made such statement to Wm. Everett or to any one else. I can tell him what I did say and also tell him where both he and myself were sitting when I said it, or rather when I read it, for it was from a letter sent to me by Mr. C. B. McAllister, Managing Director of the Company. We were both sitting on the lounge in Dr. Baker's office, he sitting at my right hand. I wrote to Mr. McAllister requesting him to send me a description of the farm and also of the improvements made on it. In reply Mr. McAllister sent me the statements which I read to Wm. Everett that day and which I here publish. "I now have lot number 4 open. There are six acres cleared on it, and a neat little cottage all plastered. He has 16 trees doing well and a garden."

Signed C. B. McALLISTER.
I have this letter in my possession and any one who wishes to see it can do so.

I never told Wm. Everett or any other person that there were six acres cleared and ploughed on farm 4. He dug that up out of the fertile depths of a benighted imagination. I told him the farm would have to be ploughed before he could plant it with potatoes and the parties who went out to plant it went prepared to plough it.

How far off from the truth was Mr. McAllister when he wrote that there were six acres cleared? Just two thirtieths of an acre. What an unpardonable sin for a man to state there were six acres cleared when in reality there were but five and eleven-thirtieths. Just half a day's work for one man short of what he stated.

Wm. Everett in his indictment states that there was no land cleared on farm 4. At least that is what I understand he means in his ambiguous indictment. He didn't dig that up out of the fertile depths of a benighted imagination, he went down deeper than that to root up that infamous statement. If any person wants to know whether there is any land cleared on farm 4, let him write to any one of the following persons and I have no doubt they will be pleased to answer any enquiries:—Charles Clements, Mr. Freeman (teacher), Mr. Freeman (merchant), Dr. Heaton, Mr. Hereford, Mr. Heaton, Geo. Payne (postmaster), Mr. Badum, Mr. Spiller, Mr. Batke, all of whom live at Needles or in the Whatsan Valley. Not one of these parties so far as I know would have any motive in misrepresentation. Lorenzo Baker, Red Deer, Alberta has been over this farm again and again. Write him. Dr. Baker of Woodstock has looked it over carefully and I having spent more than two hours on this particular farm on Sept. 28th of this present year. Dr. Baker is a reliable person who would have no purpose in misrepresenting the amount of land cleared on farm 4. Ask him.

Most Sincerely Yours,
F. ALLISON CURRIER.
(to be continued)

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Local Topics

H. C. Burt spent Monday in Centreville. WM LEE has sold his truck team. He left for the west on Saturday.

LADIE'S Fur lined and Astrachan Coats at a great reduction, at Manzer's.

C. L. SYPPER, of the Singer Sewing Machine Co., has purchased the residence of Murray Saunders, on St. John street.

THE County Council are calling for tenders for a concrete cellar floor for the new court house. See advt. in this issue.

LADIE'S Cloth Coat's in Black and mixed Tweeds, regular price \$10.00, \$12.00, and \$15.00, now only \$6.00, \$7.00 and \$8.00, at Manzer's.

THE old-fashioned tartan shawls are seen on the streets again after an absence of many years. They are worn by the Scotch ladies who are spending their vacation in Woodstock.

ALLAN DOREY underwent an operation for appendicitis last week. Dr. Rankin performed the operation, assisted by Drs. Grant and Sprague. Miss Hazel Welch has charge of the case. The patient is doing well.

ELIJAH F. SHAW has been appointed a justice of the peace and stipendiary magistrate for the County of Carleton, to reside and hold court in the Parish of Kent, with civil jurisdiction, in place of J. W. Farley, resigned.

Miss Currie, Miss Waters, Mrs. Tracy and Mr. Jones, of Lakeville, Miss V. E. Gibson of Hartland, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McWade of Williamstown, Shepard Burt and son, David, of Centreville, were at the Turner House on Monday.

Samuel L. Coulthard, blacksmith, one day last week, was struck in the wrist by a small sharp piece of steel. It was impossible to locate the steel until the X Ray was used. This showed the piece of steel had entered the lining of the bone, and it was easily cut down on and removed.

There is no secret process in the manufacture of Carpenter-Morton Roofing. It is made from long fibre wool felt treated with Genuine Natural Asphalt. It is free from Coal Tar, Candle Tar or residual products of any kind. This roofing is fully guaranteed by the manufacturers. Ask Clarke & Johnston to see samples.

THERE is a persistent rumor in circulation to the effect that the C. P. R. authorities have passed an appropriation of \$65,000 for the erection of a new station house in Woodstock on the site of the old station at the foot of St. Gertrude's street, and that Aroostook will not figure to any extent as a divisional point, as it has been found that the bridges north of Woodstock will not permit of the passage of heavy freight engines.

ARDEN HALE, one of our oldest settlers, died last Friday. He was the son of Dennis Hale, who was born in Ireland. Mr. Hale was born in Woodstock, N. B., in 1838 coming to Caribou when but three months old. The family first settled on Eton grant afterwards moving to the place where he has lived for thirty-five years, and where his declining years were spent. He was a hard working farmer, and realized considerable wealth by the appreciation of real estate. He married a Miss McDonald of Washburn, by whom he had twelve children, three of whom are dead.—Aroostook Republican.

OWNERS of dogs are warned to be on the look-out for sneak thieves; for determined efforts to obtain dogs are being made by certain parties whose methods are barbarous as well as dishonest. Within the past week a collie dog owned by a family at the lower end of town has been spirited away. The first time returning without its collar, after an absence of several hours. The second time coming home with its neck cut and its ear almost severed. The dog had been tethered by a piece of hay wire which on its return was still around its neck. The poor animal in its fierce struggle for freedom had well nigh killed itself.—Com.

Bowling.

On Friday evening a match was played between the Clerks and the Bankers with the following result:

CLERKS.				
Tompkins.....	92	83	101	276
Dent.....	83	84	84	251
Lingley.....	81	78	67	226
Steel.....	74	75	74	223
Hay.....	109	86	88	283
Total.....				1259

BANKERS.				
Hooper.....	81	92	76	249
Arundel.....	87	63	93	243
Boutillier.....	70	70	65	205
McKenna.....	77	97	106	280
Sprague.....	87	86	90	263
Total.....				1240

On Monday a game was rolled between the Clerks and a picked team. The score put on by the clerks is one of the best that has been made since the alleys opened.

PICKED TEAM.				
McLachlan.....	88	73	93	254
McKenna.....	84	83	92	259
Arundel.....	76	80	89	245
Denn.....	94	82	80	256
McManus.....	92	84	89	264
Total.....				1278

CLERKS.				
Tompkins.....	89	81	83	253
Dent.....	80	86	101	267
Lingley.....	62	92	108	262
Steel.....	77	98	87	262
Hay.....	80	105	111	296
Total.....				1370

GAITORS
—AND—
LEGGINGS.

We have just received our new
Gaitors for

Ladies,
Misses and
Children.

They are better finished than usual and they fit perfectly.

All different lengths.

The price is right.

GIBSON & ROSS
The Cash Shoe Store.

Death at Burt's Corner.

The death occurred on Sunday morning at the home of his daughter, Mrs. John Wilson at Burt's Corner, of Mr. Thomas S. Griffiths, one of the oldest and highly respected residents of the Keswick district. Deceased who was aged 81 years is survived by five sons, Benjamin, of Woodstock, and William, James, Thomas and Alfred of Keswick, and one daughter, Mrs. John Wilson, with whom he resided. The funeral took place on Tuesday afternoon at 2 30 o'clock.—Fredericton Gleaner.

The Market.

The price for all kinds of produce except potatoes, is high, and very little coming in for shipment.

Hay, loose.....	\$10.00
Oats.....	.40
Potatoes.....	.65
Pork.....	9 and 10
Butter.....	.22

DISFIGURING, TORTURING
SKIN TROUBLE.

Cannot be Cured by Salves and Ointments—The Blood Must be Purified.

A blemished skin irritating sores, pimples, eczema, salt rheum and other skin disorders are all signals of distress, telling that your blood is impure or weak. You cannot cure eczema and other sick troubles with ointments and outward applications. These things may give temporary relief, but cannot cure, because the trouble is rooted in the blood and can only be removed by purifying and enriching the blood. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills speedily cure skin troubles because they enrich, purify and build up the impoverished blood that caused the trouble. As they feed and cleanse the blood the skin grows fair, the bloom of health returns and new strength is found. No other medicine has ever had such wonderful results in curing all diseases due to bad blood. Miss Elizabeth Gillis, Kensington, P. E. I., says:—"Words can hardly express how grateful I feel for what Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have done for me. For seven years before I began their use I was troubled with salt rheum. My hands and arms were nearly always a mass of torturing cracks and sores. I tried several doctors and spent a great deal of money without getting any benefit. Indeed my hands seemed to be getting worse all the time. Finally my brother persuaded me to give Dr. Williams' Pink Pills a trial and I am happy to say they have completely cured me. I used in all seven boxes, and I would not be without them in a case of this kind if they cost five dollars a box instead of fifty cents. I hope my experience will be of benefit to some other sufferer from skin trouble."

These Pills are sold by all medicine dealers or will be sent by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 by The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

No Pleasing Him.

Blox—"I met Growells yesterday. He strikes me as being rather pessimistic."

Knox—"That's what he is. Why Growells wouldn't be satisfied if elected coroner in a dead town."

Burglary at Perth.

Some time during Sunday morning. A large warehouse on Main street, Perth, N. B., owned by Balmain Bros., of Woodstock, and occupied by Marsetn Bros. & Gilman, agents for agricultural implements and fur goods, was entered and several fur lined coats stolen.

Mr. Marsten, one of the members of the firm, left the warehouse on Saturday afternoon at 5 o'clock and did not have occasion to return that day. Yesterday morning he was passing the warehouse when he noticed the lock on the door had been tampered with and on investigation found the door open. Upon entering the warehouse he found evidence of nocturnal visitors. On looking over the stock he missed two coats and he at once got out on the case.

Three tramps were held and questioned but soon proved an alibi. There is no clue to the perpetrators of the robbery.

A Charming Picture.

Charming, indeed, is the beautiful picture entitled "The Soul's Awakening" given with the Family Herald and Weekly Star, of Montreal, this season. It is difficult to find words to do the picture justice. It is an inspiration to look at. There is a beautiful lesson in this sweet picture, and every home would be the better of a copy adorning its walls. This picture is 19x24 inches ready for framing and is absolutely free to all who subscribe to that great family and farm paper, the subscription price of which is only one dollar a year. A dollar could not be better spent. Either picture or paper alone is worth more. The Family Herald should be kept busy entering new subscribers this season.

A clergyman writes: "Preventives, those little Canady Cold Cure Tablets are working wonders in my parish." Preventives surely will check a cold, or the Grippe, in a very few hours. And Preventives are so safe and harmless. No Quinine, nothing harsh nor sickening. Fine for feverish restless children. Box of 48 at 25c. Sold by All Dealers.

Destructive Fire.

W. W. Boyer, of the International Boundary, about six miles from Perth who is very well known here, was a heavy loser by fire on Saturday night when his saloon, one of the largest and best equipped in the province, was burned to the ground as was also a new barn. In the barn Mr. Boyer had 100 bushel of oats, four tons of hay and some expensive implements. Two valuable horses, however, were saved. In the saloon were several slot machines, a pool table, a cash register, an electric pump, as well as bar mirrors, fixtures and a large stock of liquors, including a quantity of goods received on Saturday, which had not even been unpacked—all of which were destroyed. The fire was discovered about midnight. It started in the barn but as to its cause Mr. Boyer is ignorant. From the bar room the flame spread to the barn, which was speedily consumed and great difficulty was experienced in saving Mr. Boyer's residence near by. Mr. Boyer estimates the damage done at \$10,000. He had very little insurance.

The Ten Commandments of the
Business World.

First—Thou shalt not wait for something to turn up, but thou shalt pull off thy coat and go to work that thou mayst prosper in thy affairs and make the word "failure" spell "success."

Second—Thou shalt not be content to go about thy business looking like a bum, for thou shouldst know that thy personal appearance is better than a letter of recommendation.

Third—Thou shalt not try to make excuses, nor shalt thou say to those who chide thee, "I didn't think."

Fourth—Thou shalt not wait to be told what thou shalt do, nor in what manner thou shalt do it, for thus may thy days be long in the job which fortune hath given thee.

Fifth—Thou shalt not fail to maintain thine own integrity, nor shalt thou be guilty of anything that will lessen thy good respect for thyself.

Sixth—Thou shalt not covet the other fellow's job, nor his salary, nor the position that he hath gained by his own hard labor.

Seventh—Thou shalt not fail to live within thy income, nor shalt thou contract any debts when thou canst not see thy way clear to pay them.

Eighth—Thou shalt not be afraid to blow thine own horn, for he who faileth to blow his own horn at the proper occasion findeth nobody standing ready to blow it for him.

Ninth—Thou shalt not hesitate to say "No" when thou meanest "No," nor shalt thou fail to remember that there are times when it is unsafe to bind thyself by a hasty judgment.

Tenth—Thou shalt give every man a square deal. This is the last and great commandment, and there is no other like unto it. Upon this commandment hang all the law and the profits of the business world.



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