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Death of Miss Hopkins.

Beatrice Carlisle, only daughter of John S. Hopkins, of Aroostook Jct., died from typhoid at her aunts, Mrs. Albert Brewer, on Saturday 6th inst., age 17 years.

Miss Hopkins who was spending the winter in Woodstock was born in Albert County. She spent the earlier part of her life in Chicago, after which in St. John and Woodstock. She attended the school at Upper Woodstock and later Wolfville Academy.

On Monday Mr. Raymond conducted services at the house from which the body was taken by the up express to her late home at Aroostook. Interment to be made at Andover.

Miss Hopkins while in Woodstock made many friends, who regret the passing so early in life of a gentle girlish companion, loving and sympathetic to old and young, an earnest Christian, one gone but not forgotten.—Com.

Carleton Co. Hay for Cuba.

The steamship "Talisman", plying between St. John, Havana, and a Mexican port, left St. John last week with 550 tons of Carleton county pressed hay for Cuba. This shipment comprises about sixty carloads. It is the largest shipment ever made from St. John for that port; and as hay is in great demand in Havana there is a possibility of a permanent market. Of course these up river hay-producing counties will share the benefit. The Talisman will, on the return trip, bring a cargo of sisal grass, used for the manufacture of rope and binder twine. This cargo will be sufficient to load about fifty or sixty cars and is destined for Welland, Ont.

Social Events.

Mrs. Fred McLean gave a bridge party of five tables last Thursday evening in honor of Mrs. J. W. Harland (Beeda, Eng.). Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Belyea won the 1st prizes and Mr. and Mrs. A. Bailey won the 2nd prizes. The guests were: Mrs. Harland, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. E. Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Belyea, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. W. Winslow, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Skillen, Hon. W. P. and Mrs. Jones, Dr. T. S. and Mrs. Sprague, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Mair, Mrs. G. Newham, Williamson Fisher, Clarence Sprague.

Mrs. L. A. Phillips, and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. E. Phillips gave a drive to Mr. Gibson's lumber camp at Lakeside in honor of Mrs. J. W. Harland and Miss Dorothy Harland (Leeds, Eng.). In addition to those mentioned were present:—Mr. and Mrs. J. Rankin Brown, Mrs. Loggie Ross, Miss Nichols, Captain Bull, E. K. Connell, M. Munroe. The party were entertained at supper at the camp. These ladies were the first to visit the camp this winter and were most hospitably received.

A number of ladies drove to Houlton last Monday. The party included:—Mr. and Mrs. A. Bailey, Mrs. L. A. Phillips, Mrs. J. W. Harland (Leeds, Eng.), Mrs. Geo. E. Phillips, Mrs. Fred McLean, Miss Dorothy Harland, (Leeds, Eng.), Miss Nichols and Miss Campbell.

Field And Garden Seeds.

The Season for the purchase of Field and Garden Seeds now being at hand, we are led to think of the importance of buying only those seeds which are pure and of strong germinating powers. The farmer who buys the best seed obtainable does a service, first to himself; second, to his neighbors; third, to his country. On the other hand, the man buying poor seed injures himself, his neighbor and his country; himself by raising a small crop of inferior quality; his neighbor by maintaining in his own fields a nuisance in the shape of weeds, the seeds of which, at harvest time, will be blown into the adjoining fields; his country by diminishing to the extent of its own ability its producing power for the best products. In this connection we believe that the passing of the Seed Control Act of 1905 by the Dominion Government as been a large benefit to the farmers of our country, as it has undoubtedly prevented unscrupulous dealers from selling the very poorest seeds. For the above reasons the proprietors of York and Kent Brands of Timothy have been especially careful to buy only the best seeds procurable. We have seen a report of a qualified expert, which says that in the samples analyzed York and Kent Timothys do not contain a single weed seed named in the Control Act of 1905. Therefore, if the farmers of this county wish to protect their own, their neighbor and country's interest, they will insist on getting York and Kent Timothy Seeds.

English Children.

A party of children, aged from two to sixteen years, from the Middlemore Home will be coming to Canada during the month of May. Parties desiring to apply for either boys or girls from this party should apply at once to FRANK A. GEROW, Middlemore Home, Fairview Station, Halifax, N. S.

Report Upon Woodstock Water Sent in Feby 12th, 1909.

McGill University, Montreal, Laboratory of Hygiene, March 5th, 1909.

CHEMICAL EXAMINATION: PARTS PER 100,000.

Total Solids	10.3
Volatile Solids	3.7
Fixed Solids	6.6
Free Ammonia	.0035
Albuminoid Ammonia	.0101
Chlorine	.15
Phosphates	Trace
Sulphates	Marked trace
Nitrates	Faint trace
Nitrites	Nil
Calcium & Magnesium	Traces of both
Oxyden Absorbed	.29

BACTERIOLOGICAL EXAMINATION:
The average number of colonies per cc. on agar at 37° was 28; the average number per cc. on gelation was 129, 10 liquefying.

SPECIAL EXAMINATION:

No typical representatives of the intestinal group of organisms were found; this includes the Colon, Typhoid group, Klein's bacillus, Streptococci and Pathogenic cocci.

The organisms present consisted of,

- The bacillus albus,
- The bacillus subtilis,
- The bacillus auranticus,
- The bacillus ochraceus,
- The micrococcus roseus.

OPINION: This water is a typical surface water and characteristic of the River St. John in its purer forms. There is no direct evidence of sewage pollution and the results of the examination simply point out that ordinary surface drainage takes place into the river. Although these results are to a certain extent satisfactory, in the sense that they do not show the presence of dangerous organisms, still, too much stress ought not to be laid upon the examination of this one sample. Seeing that surface drainage has access to the river it is necessary, to my mind, to make close investigation as to what possible pollution might reach it. This entails of course a personal examination. It is quite possible that this water receives periodic additions of an undesirable nature, which would only be shown on examination at corresponding times. This, in a way, is the most troublesome kind of pollution, for unless you catch it at the right moment, one is apt to miss it entirely, and so get a sense of false security by the results of one or two examinations taken while the water is more or less free from these chance contaminations.

T. A. STARKEY, M. D., D. P. H. (Lond.)
Prof. Hyg., Fell. Royal San. Inst., etc.

Rev. Joseph Noble.

Rev. Joseph Noble, known throughout New Brunswick as "Father" Noble, died Thursday morning at the residence of his nephew, Theodore McKinney, in Chapel street, at the age of ninety-three years and seven months. He was able to take his place in the pulpit until about one year ago. He was a charter member of the Free Baptist church in this town and the oldest Baptist minister probably in America.

Father Noble was the son of Benjamin Noble of Lower Brighton, and grandson of Rev. Seth Noble, whose forefathers came from England and settled in the United States, but Seth went to Mangerville, N. B., in 1774, as a Congregationalist minister, and his descendants are numerous in New Brunswick and Maine. Father Noble was born in Lower Brighton, this county, on August 4th, 1815. On Oct. 24, 1836, he married Miss Florine McGraw, a native of this county. His wife died 21 years ago last October. There were nine children, William Albert of Blaine, Me.; Sarah Jane, who married Mr. Vesey, died in 1862; George A. B. of Butte, Montana; Ann Amelia, wife of Collin Wood Roscoe of Wolfville, N. S.; Benjamin Holden and Ida Florence, who died in infancy; Rev. Joseph Nehemiah of Houlton; Benj. Addington of New York, and Mrs. Richard Currie of Bath, N. B. One brother and two sisters survive, David Noble of Blaine and Mrs. Robert Robertson and Mrs. Eliza McKinney of Lower Brighton. H. G. Noble of Woodstock is a nephew.

The remains were interred in the Methodist cemetery. The pall bearers were: Theodore McKinney, George Currie, David Noble and H. G. Noble.

The funeral took place on Saturday. A service was held in the United Baptist church at which the following ministers were in attendance: Revs. Dr. McLeod, J. J. Vanwart, C. T. Phillips, L. A. Fenwick, F. S. Todd and J. C. Bleakney. Short addresses were made eulogistic of the life and character of the deceased, of his devotion to the cause of Christ and the church, and of his encouragement and help to the young ministers in the work.

In this town, where he was perhaps, best known, he was held in the highest respect by all denomination, as a christian gentleman and worthy citizen.

BORN.

SHARP.—In Woodstock, March 2nd, to the wife of Charles Sharp, a daughter.

Gilland-Matheson.

At eleven o'clock this forenoon the wedding of Miss Clara Matheson and Mr. Eugene M. Gilland was solemnized at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. W. D. Keith. The wedding was a quiet affair, only the near relatives and a few friends being present. The ceremony was performed by Rev. George Ayers, of Centreville, formerly pastor of the Methodist church here of which the bride is a member. The bride was becomingly dressed in a suit of Saxe-blue silk with a filet-net and souches braid; Saxe-blue hat with blue plumes, and carried a flower bouquet of bride's roses and lilies of the valley. She entered the room in which the ceremony was performed on the arm of her brother, D. W. Matheson, of Woodstock; and both bride and groom were unsupported. Mrs. J. T. G. Carr presided at the piano, playing Mendelssohn's Wedding March. The house was nicely decorated with an arch of evergreens and banking of ferns and palms. After the ceremony a dainty luncheon was served, the tables being beautifully decorated with jonquils. There were a number of presents, among them being beautiful cut glass and silver.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilland took the express for East Florenceville where they go directly to their home. The good wishes of many friends are with them.

The bride has been held in the highest esteem in Hartland and has been popular with all. Especially in the church choir, will she be missed, as she for a long time has been leading soprano, and often presided at the organ. Not only will she be missed from the church choir, but the village in general sincerely regrets her going away. The groom, a young man of excellent repute, is the possessor of a profitable business at Florenceville, and the wish of the friends of both is long life and happiness.

Cronkrite's Camp.

Green Brook, March 4th. I think if I remember rightly I promised to let you know how we were getting along when we commenced hauling, but I neglected it, and now that we are nearly done I will wake up and tell you how we are progressing.

We are situated now near the mouth of the creek, and only a short distance from the main road. We have a new camp consisting of two rooms, a sleeping room which is provided with a number of berths, some of them being very unique in style. The Boss's berth especially shows some artistic workmanship and consequently, it is very proud of it and refuses to have it made a receptacle for shoe-packs, coats, mittens, etc. The other apartment is a well furnished cook room. Abraham Cronkrite still provides the good things in his efficient manner. The men all agree that he is hard to beat as a cook. We have twelve pairs of horses hauling and it would be hard to find better teams. They haul from sixteen to twenty-three logs. John Fox still drives the leading team, "The Grays," but when his mind wanders to "Caverhill," he is apt to pile on the small logs which causes Abner's angry passions to rise but with his pair of boys he can handle all the logs Johnnie leaves. Franklin Bros., Hiram Schriver, Alfred Stairs have good teams and they have found nothing yet they cannot handle. Thomas Stairs doesn't like to be behind but he believes in the virtue of a cold water bath and is teaching one of his horses to swim. "Uncle Justus," likes to be first to the landing and in consequence doesn't eat any breakfast. "Amasa's boy," has a smart team and can haul logs with the best of them.

The landings are kept in a first class condition by Frank Ingraham and Charles Cronkrite. Charles works as hard as ever, the only thing daunting him being the mention of "ghosts" or "grave-yards." He expects to resume his study of botany in the early spring.

The teams are loaded and the yards are shovelled by a capable crew. We are certain that they can compete with any crew in the woods at present. One of them thinks that the smell of spruce boughs and a good nap in the sun are more necessary for health than soap and water.

We have two road monkeys and to see them hustle around you would at once say that they could fill higher positions. We expect to finish about the middle of the month and we will have twelve hundred thousand of lumber. Any one wishing to see good lumber teams, and every thing run in first class condition, would do well to give us a call.

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