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#### Social Events.

Mrs H N Torrop gave a delightful whist party on Thursday afternoon. There were seven tables. The prizes were won by Miss Ratchford (Amherst) and Mrs. George Balmain. After the game, dainty refreshments were served. The guests included, Mrs J T Allan Dibble, Mrs George E Balmain, Mrs G A White, Mrs T C L Ketchum, Mrs J A F Garden, Mrs A D Holyoke, Mrs Lee Raymond, Mrs Charles Peabody, Mrs George Mitchell, Mrs Allison Connell, Mrs George Anderson, Mrs C D Jordan, Mrs W S Skillen, Mrs Godfrey Newnham, Mrs G H Harrison, J R Brown, Mrs. W. Dickenson, Mrs G L Holyoke, Mrs W M McCunn, Mrs G B Manzer, Mrs B H Smith, Mrs E W Mair, Hester Hume, Misses Currie, Ratchford (Amhesf), Nan Dibblee, Marguerite Smith, Mary Wright.

Invitations are out for a Domino Ball to be given in the Hayden-Gibson Theatre on Monday evening Feb. 15th by Mr and Mrs George E Phillips.

Miss Lou Smith will entertain her friends at Whist on Wednesday afternoon.

On Saturday evening the members of the graduating class of the High School with a few friends were entertained at the home of Miss Fannie Raymond. Those present were Misses Persis Sherwood, Faye Plummer, Madeline Smith, Alice Sprague, Josephine Matthews, Genevieve Brophy, Nora Raymond and Fannie Raymond; and Messrs R Allingham, G Baker, D Manzer, N Ray mond, R Perkins, E Berry and D Winslow.

Miss Helen Foster was hostess at a five o'clock tea on Wednesday afternoon. Bea trice Williams assisted. Those present were The Misses Madeline Connell, Ratchford (Amherst), Margaret Dibbie, Gertrude Conneil, Nan Dibblee, L McVey, (St. Stephen), A McVey (St Stephen), Ida Hayden, Helen McLean, C Boyer, Nan Graham, Minnie Collins Margaret Smith, Mary Wright, Helen Dibblee, Helen Bull, Trixie Augherton, Molly Cody. May Street, Alice Dennison, I Nichols, Faye Camber, Georgie Balmain, Helen Watson Harriet Gabel, Edith Dalling, Elsie Everett, Edith Everett, Georgie Allan, Beatrice Williams, Nita Wallace, Mabel Glidden, Marion Winslow.

#### Death of Howe Campbell.

The death on Thursday forenoon of Howe Campbell cast a gloom over Hartland and vicinity as he was very well known, a friend of all, and had been ill but a few days. He was the only child of the late Samuel Campbell and was born at Upper Brighton about forty-two years ago. He married Miss Ad die Burke some fifteen years ago, and beside his wife, three children, the oldest about thirteen, are left to mourn his sudden taking away. All his lifetime Mr. Campbell had been identified with milling and lumber enterprises, as had his father before him. His lath mill at Upper Brighton is in operation, he having started it running only a short time ago. He has also been for some time employed with Hon. J. K. Flemming as manager of his mill at Salmon River and last winter, manager of one at Debec. Next Monday he was to have taken charge of Flemming's mill at Hartland. Mr. Campbell was taken with a severe cold about a week before his death, but kept around until Sunday when Dr. Curtis, who was called paonounced it a bad case of pneumonia and said at once that little could be done for him He had never been a man of rugged constitution. The funeral on Saturday was largely attended, the services being held in the United Baptist church at Upper Brighton. Rev. E C. Jenkins preached the sermon.

Miss Lizzie Burke, sister-in-law of Mr Campbell, arrived on Friday's train from Lewistor, Me., to attend the funeral and to remain awhile with her sister.

#### Woodstock Market.

Hay, loose, \$7.00. Straw, \$3.00. Potatoes, \$1.20. Oats, .50. Butter .22. Hides, 08. Eggs, .33.

#### Canadian Club.

A Drummond Night by the Canadian Club in the K. P. Hall, on Thursday, 11th Feb, at 8 P. M. Chief Speakers-Rev G. D. Ireland and C. D. Richards.

Every member of the club has the privi ledge of inviting his friends, both ladies and gentlemen, to come and enjoy the evening with the Club.

By order of the Executive T. C. L. KETCHUM.

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#### Town Council.

At the meeting of the town council on Friday evening last, a committee appointed by the temperance people of the town, composed of the Rev. R. G. Fulton, C. L. Smith and Whit Slipp, was heard. At a previous meeting of the council, a Scott Act committee was appointed by Mayor Thorne consisting of Coun. Fawcett, Dugan and Fisher. This evidently did not meet with the wishes of the temperance people, who wanted the council as a body to compose the committee, with Mayor Thorne as chairman.

The Rev. Mr. Fulton asked the Mayor and Council if they would not reconsider the motion, and appoint the remaining members of the council on the Scott Act committee. He was of the opinion that the act was not being enforced as strictly as it should be. He thought the Inspector and the Marshall were doing the best they could under the circum-

Mayor Thorne in reply said that shortly after he was elected, he was waited upon by a number of the temperance people of the town, and asked to appoint a Scott Act committee with Coun. Fawcett as chairman and he acceded to their wishes in the matter. If the members of the council saw fit to reconsider the motion he would be satisfied. In spector Lindsay had received \$50 a short time ago to assist him in his work, and if he needed more all he had to do was to ask for it. His duty was clear.

Coun. Fisher then moved that the council reconsider the former motion. The motion was not seconded.

Couns. Dugan and Fawcett were not at the meeting on Friday, and it was rumored that they would not again sit at the Board. If this report is true, the council should lose no time in getting men to fill their places.

The Mayor and Councillors who have been elected by the ratepayers are aware of their responsibilities and duties and should not allow any delegation to instruct them as to what they should do in regard to Scott Act matters or any other questions that may come up for their settlement, especially when the statement is made that if they did not do such and such a thing, there would be some pretty hard things said at the temperance meeting to be held on Sunday evening, Feb.

### BABY'S OWN TABLETS

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#### Bristol.

The W. C. T. U. held a Gospel Temper ance meeting in the Baptist church on Sun day evening. Mrs. A. W. Phillips presided. Rev. D. E. Brooks gave an interesting Temperance address followed by Rev. Chas. Orser who spoke for a few minutes on the subject. Miss Pearl Darkis gave a recitation at the opening of the meeting.

The Union expect to hold a Frances Willard memorial service on Wednesday evening Feb. 17.

It is expected that Rev. Thos. Pierce will give an address. The program will also contain readings and papers on the Life and Influence of Miss Willard. Special music will be furnished by the choir.

The Union feels very much encouraged at the recent decision of the judges which makes the sale of Lager beer an offense against the Scott Act. We hope the officers of the law to-gether with the people will see to it, that the law is regidly enforced in all parts of the county.

The Temperance party is becoming a force and is making itself felt in the government of our province, if they will but stand together, teach, agitate and work together, the day will soon come when neither political party will dare temporize with them, when a Premier will be glad to accede to their just demands for he will know that in their hands is power.

### DIED.

Nicholson.—At Kirkland, on Feb. 2nd, of hemmorhage of the brain, Elizabeth, beloved wife of William Nicholson' in the 59th year of her age, leaving a husband two daughters and many other relatives to mourn their loss.

#### Temperance Matters.

To the Editor of The Dispatch :

In certain circles quite a hue-and-cry is being raised in connection with town Scott act natters. And if everything is not as the ultra-temperance people would have it, who is to blame for it? The elections are but a few weeks past; why was it the loud critics in these matters did not put up a ticket? Why was it they did not at least secure for the asking, three or four seats at the council board that were going begging? If conditions be as bad as that great champion of purity and morai reform, Ald. Fawcett, stated in his asinine speech at the town meeting where were the men to back him up on election day? Can it be that the good temperance people desire to get under cover themselves and then clamor for some one else to puil the chestnuts, which sometimes get red hot. out of the fire for them? It looks like it. Their position is, in the words of a certain rattlebrain, "too ridiculous for anything."

SUNNY JIM-

#### Railway Accident.

Yours truly.

Sunday evening the derailment of a double-header train between Campbell's crossing and Peel tank, about two miles north of Hartland, was the cause of much excitement until it was learned that no one was injured. About nine o'clock a doubleheader from the north and another from the south met here. The down train on are rival was found to have a car with a broken break-beam dragging under it. This damage was attended to, and at the time it was not thought that teis had been the cause of any trouble. Later, when the north-bound train was derailed it was seen that the crippled car had spread the rails for a long distance. It had been off the metals and, being in the middle of the train, the strain of the cars before and after it had lifted it back in place again. When the up train reached the place the two engines, in charge of Drivers Crabb and Fisher, passed over safely but the fourteen cars next following dropped between the rails and tore the track up for a considerable distance. When the accident was reported to the Woodstock office it was just in time to eatch the McAdam auxiliary train that had been at work near Woodstock clearing a slight derailment. Therefore within a short time the wrecking train was at the scene and by eleven o'clock on Monday morning the track was ready for the usual traffic. The derailed train consisted of twenty empty potato cars and a van, drawn by two engines. The train was in charge of Conductor Lewis. Some have remarked that there have been an unusual number of accidents on the railway this winter. That is so; but the number of trains running has been almost double that in ordinary winters, which may account for the increase without there being any lack of vigilance or caution on the part of those in charge of them.

#### Lower Brighton.

As I have not seen any items from this quarter very recently, I did not think a few would come amiss.

Mrs. Bradford Palmer is spending the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Wallace Birm-

Miss Florence Chase, of Peel, is spending a few weeks with her aunt, Mrs. Judd Mc-

A number of our young ladies are taking music lessons this winter, at Hartland, from Miss Blanche Kelley and Miss Clara Mathe-

Little Willie Dow, who a few days ago suffered the amputation of an arm from Tubercular trouble is doing as well as can be

Mrs. R. C. Nixon and daughter, Margaret, have returned from a very pleasant visit with friends and relatives in Woodstock.

Messrs Fraser Richardson and Thomas Abbot, who have been seriously ill, we are pleased to say are convalescing.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Nixon, and son, Mrs. Ada Brown drove to Waterville on Saturday, where they were the guests of

Mrs. Leonard Brooks. Miss Jennie Lewis, Esstport' Me, is visiting friends and relatives here and at New-

Tilley Richardson, who was operated on at the Carleton County Hospital, for appendicitis a few days ago, has so far recovered as to

be removed to his home in this place. Mr. R. F. Nixon, C. P. R. brakeman is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs R. C. Nixon.

#### A Clubbing Offer.

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