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Educational Matters

From the annual "School Report" published by the Provincial Government, we take the report of Inspector Meagher for the County of Carleton.

Aberdeen: Consolidation is needed more in Aberbeen than in any other parish of Carleton County. Ic contains thirtsen districts, eight of which are on the poor list, and in which, as matters now stand, an efficient and continuous school service can only with great difficulty be maintained. Central schools could be operated at For-

eston, Argyle, Glassville and other places, and the advantages of graded schools would thus be afforded to a large number of children.

A school house will shortly be erected in Northfield, the present building having been condemned. Hyloplates and a flag have been provided in Ruther Glen.

Brighton: All the schools of this parish were in operation during the year.

A hyloplate blackboard and a flag have

A hyloplate mackoosid and a hag have been provided in Cloverdale. At the close of the long term Mr. Josiah Barnett was succeeded by Miss Lula M. Murray, B. A., in the Principalship of the Superior school at Hartland. The Inter-mediate and the Primary departments are respectively conducted by Miss Ciara B. Shannon and Miss Sarah M. Barnett. A school garden is operated in connection with this school.

Kent: The graded school in Bath has been conducted with much success by Miss L. B. Jones. An effort is being made to establish a superior school in this district. It will no doubt be successful, if money be voted at a special meeting for the erection of a suitable school house, the building now in use not being up to the requirements of a superior school, and the location also being undesirab'e.

The following improvements have been made in other districts of this parish:

Upper Kent, new furniture and outhouse; Holmesville, house painted; De Merchant, house painted; Egypt, flag and new outbuilding.

Northampton: The school in South Newbridge was closed last term.

A teacher's desk and new outhouses have

The taxable property valuation of each of the districts in question being only a little more than three thousand dollars, it is hard to expect much from them in the way of effi-cient school support. They should be com-bined with Lower Woodstock, No 1.

A terrestial globe and other school apparatus have been provided in Bedell. The house in No. 2 has been painted and maps have been added.

Mr. Burton C Kinney is still the Principal of the graded school in Benton, and Mr. Charles S. Ingraham has succeeded Mr. Marcus L. Jewett as Principal of the graded school in Upper Woodstock

Town of Woodstock: A bandsome concrete structure erected at a cost of over \$30,000 now stands on the site of the old Broadway school house, destroyed by fire on the 11 h ion and moved here from Buffalo, N. Y. and of July, 1908 A detailed description of the new building is not necessary here, but its large, siry and well lighted rooms, modern sanitary arrangements, and fine assembly hall are worthy of special mention. While the house was in course of erection, temporary school rooms had to be provided for the Broadway pupils, and the efficiency of the departments concerned was in consequence somewhat hampered. It was also found necessary to discontinue the Manual Training department for one year, but though there is no longer any necessity for its discontinuance the manual work has not yet been resumed.

The school gardens, which are two in number, have given interesting work to the pu

The Grammar School Grades (IX., X. and XI.) are conducted by C. D. Richards, B. A. and Miss Julia Neales, Mr. Richards being the Principal.

A Grand Duke's Horrible Act.

(London Daily Express.)

Society in St. Perersburg is much agitated by the story of a rash act said to have been committed by Grand Dake Nicholas, the Tsar kineman, who commands the troops in the Russian capital. At a recent military review, Grand Duke Nich las noticed an officer whose uniform was dirty and even torn, Additions to the school furniture have and who presented a generally dilapidated been made in South and Eest Newbridge. appearance. The Grand Duke walked quickly up to the offender and publicly rebuked him in the presence of his regimen". The Peel: The school in Oskland still con- officer Lieut. M rkeff, stopped forward and tinues to be operated in an unsatisfactory shouled a most insulting word at the Grand duke. The grand duke quick as lightening drew his sword and sisshed at the insubordinate officer, otting off his right hand at one stroke. The fainting officer was removed to the nearest military hospital, and the review prcceeded as though nothing had happened. R chmond: The school in Knowlton was Subsequently, for the sake of appearances, closed during both terms of the year. This an investigation was made into the case by a military commission composed of high officers who deciden that the grand duke had done lack of care the house and other property of right n qu-iling open resistance to his auth the district are becoming badly dilapidated. Fority by force.

whom she had resided in Woodstock but had disappeared with her trunk containing a considerable portion of her worldly wealth, including a valuable gold watch. In company with the marshal she visited a Milltown residence where the missing articles were discovered. No arrest was made as the man of the house was sick and it was thought his better half was responsible for the carrying off of the young lady's property.

A Quiet Wedding

A very quiet wedding occurred at the home of the bride in this villiage on Thursday afernoon, Feb. 10th, at 2 o'clock, when Mrs. Margaret Stephenson was united in marriage to James T Hurd, Rev. Wm Poyseor, of Crystal Falls, officiated. As the wedding was to occur in the Lenten season, Bishop Williams of the Episcopal Church gave special dispensation.

The only guests present were Mr. and Mes Lease Stephenson and son Lomuel, of Marin

The bride has lived here about ten years and during that time has made many friends and is a favorite in the seciety circles of this

and nearby places. Mr. Hurd is the president of the Oatona-gon Lumber & Cedar Co. He has been interested in this company since its organizatook the actual management about one year sgo and since that time has become very popular and endeared himself to all who have been fortunate enough to make his acquaintance.

Mr. and Mrs. Hurd left on the afternoon train for Chicago and from there will travel through the east and will be absent about two weeks and on their return will make their home at the residence of the bride on Houghton st. -Outonagon Hersld, Feb 12. James T Hurd, president of flurd Bro., lumber dealers in the Prodential building, the new Mrs. Hurd who became such last Toursday, and Mr. Hurds children and grandchildren, had a luncheon at the Statler Hotel yesterday, at which the bridegroom's family met the bride.

They filled a pretty good sized table, too. Beside the newly wedded couple there were present Miss Ada Stoddart, Mrs. Harrie Rowley and the six sons and daughter of Mr Hurd, with their wives and children .- Buifala Evening News.

Among the many presents received by the bride was a handsome silver tray and silver tes service from Mr. Hurd's family .- Frederic on Gleaner please copy.

NOTICE.

Application will be made at the next session of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of New Brunswick to obtain legislation to authorize the Town of Woodstock to borrow \$10,000 to be expended in building permanent streets along such lines as the Council may determine by either purchasing a road building plant or otherwise.

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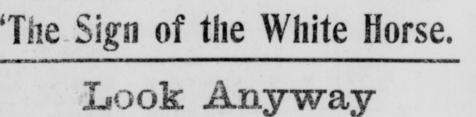
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been made. A hardwaod floor has been provided in Grafton.

manner. The boundaries of Oakland and Landsdowne were revised in February last, and a substantial increase was in consequence made in the taxable property valuation of of the former district.

Furniture and a new floor have been added in Bannon, and other improvements have been made. Hyloplates have been provided in Mt. Pleasant.

is a small and weak district and the resident children, who are very few in number, at-tend the school at Union Corner. Through

Additions: Debec, maps, terrestrial globe, and new outhouses; Green Road, map of Maritime Provinces and Dictionary; Lime-

stone, hyloplates and other apparatus. Simonds: There are only five districts in this parish. The school in St. Thomas was closed last term, but the remaining schools were operated continously during the year.

A school garden is also operated under the Principal.

There has been a complete change in the personnel of the teaching staff of the Consolidated School in Fiorenceville. After a long period of faithful and effective work as Principrl, F. C. Squires, B. A., resigned at the close of the long term and was succeeded by M. R. Tuttle, A. B. The remaining teachers are, Mr. George Wheeler, Miss Annie F. Wetmore and Miss Margery Flewelling. Miss Wetmore and Miss Flewel-ling have also charge of the Manual Training and Domestic Science departments respect-

ively. Wakefield: There are no poor districts in this parish and nearly all its school are operated continuously.

The Superior School in Jacksonville is conducted by Miss Leora Harmon.

The following additions have been made during the year: Victoria Corner, hyloplate blackboards; Somerville, slat blackboards; Rosedale, dictionary and maps; Silverdale

Wilmet: I learn with regret that Mr. Lewis H. Baldwin has resigned the principalship of the Superior School at Centreville, which he filled with general sat sfaction to all concerned. A substantial and serviceable house has been erected in this district at a cost of over six thousand dollars. It w l be

ready for occupancy this term. A Map of the World and a Dictionary have been added in Wilmot, and blackboarde and maps in Bloomfield. New furniture has been provided at Good's

Corner.

Wicklow: The schools of this parish are as a rule operated continuously and with one or two exceptions, they are well equipped. New furniture has been provided in River

de Chute and chemical apparatus in Coge-well. The room in Upper Knoxford has been painted.

Woodstock: The schools in Norton and Springfield are being operated with a fair de-net of regularity but the equipment is very corive and it is often found necessary to loy untrained teachers.

Recovered Her Effects.

A young lady in m Woods ock on Monday sought the aid of Marshal Crossman, Calais, to discover the whereabons of a family with Dated this twelfth day of Febru J. C. HARTLEY, Town Clerk.

NOTICE.

All persons having bills against the Town of Woodstock must present the same at the regular Monday evening meeting of the Town Council in order to have them paid during that month. Bills presented on Friday evening will in future lie over until he following month to give the audit committee and opportunity to examine the same. By order of Town Council.

J. C. HARTLEY, Town Clerk.

Woodstock, Feb. 12, 1910

NOTICE.

Application will be made at the next session of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of New Brunswick to obtain legislation authorizing the adoption of the survey and plans of the Town of Woodstock made under the direction of the Town Council.

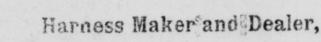
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