

THE DISPATCH.

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NEWS FROM THE COUNTY.

Kilburn.

Forty-three hens at Riverview Farm, Kilburn, have in the last seven weeks laid ninety-nine dozen of eggs. In addition to this ten of the above mentioned hens have hatched chickens or engaged in the process of hatching. Some poets have not been able to make them lay profitable, but these hens seem determined to make their lays a source of gain.

Kirkland.

Mrs. Sam Barbour has arrived here from Lawrence, Mass. James McGuire and family wish to thank the friends who were so kind to them during the illness and death of their wife and mother.

John W. Nicholson wishes to thank the friends who were so kind during his recent bereavement.

Young's Cove Road.

The thermometer stood at 6° below freezing this morning and the ground was frozen quite hard, and when one stood on the shore of the Grand Lake and saw the spray freeze where it fell on the bushes it reminded one more of the near approach of winter instead of the departure.

The steamer May Queen makes her regular trips, and handles quite a large quantity of freight.

An industry that has grown quite extensively is the manufacture of hoops for lime and fish barrels. The farmers in the late fall, cut the young gray birch, and in the winter they split the poles, and then shave them, putting them up in bunches of one hundred and sometimes one hundred and twenty-five. There was a large quantity of hoops manufactured in this section this last winter.

Everette Wasson, who teaches in Mill Cove school, has had a very severe attack of La Grippe which has caused him to be confined to the house for over a week.

Messrs D. and C. H. Mott have erected a page wire fence on their farm which is a splendid improvement to the place.

Diphtheria is quite prevalent here and Dr. T. J. O. Earle is trying his best to prevent the spread, and he thinks he has it under control.

Miss Stella Wiggins is suffering with abscesses in her ears.

Arbor Day will soon be here, and the teacher in the different schools throughout the country should make it a special point, to set out trees and shrubs, and try and have the school grounds as artistic as possible. They should teach the school, the great necessity of having the school grounds beautiful, for it greatly aids education. Flowers should be grown, and every thing done to make the school grounds as picturesque as possible. The teachers and scholars should look with pride to the coming of Arbor Day, which I am sorry to say is often held too lightly in the minds of the people in general.

The Basket social and concert which was held on Friday evening the 22nd inst, proved a success, although the night was dark and wet. The nice sum of \$25.00 was realized which will go toward Mill Cove school house.

Everett Wasson who was the means of getting it up deserves great credit for the way in which he is trying to aid in the progress of the school, of which he is teacher.

April 29

Union Corner

Mrs. Joseph Atkinson, who has been sick some time with consumption died last Thursday morning. She leaves a husband, two daughters and two sons. Her maiden name was Millar, a native of Springhill, N. S.

E. W. Crawford and John Marshall are around shearing sheep.

Willie Martin is away stream driving, it is reported he is going to the Canadian West with his Uncle George Martin about the 5th of May.

J. R. Barton was down to Kirkland at the funeral of Mrs. Maguire last Wednesday.

Mrs. Taylor, a nurse from Houlton, is caring for Mrs. W. I. Gildard at present.

North Richmond.

Mr. James Smith, the oldest resident in this part of the parish, died Friday the 22nd at the home of his son, Thomas. Mr. Smith was in his 98th years. He was an honest upright man much respected by his neighbours. He leaves a family of five children, Hugh, of Houlton, James in the West and Thomas at home, Mrs. M. M. McGrath, of Bloomfield and Eliza at home. The remains were interred in the Catholic cemetery at Woodstock.

On Monday the 11th, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Connors, aged 1 year and 8 months, was so badly burned that she died in a few hours. Mrs. Connors had left the room for a few moments and when she returned the child was in flames. Mrs. Connors was alone at the time but she put out the fire, badly burning her own hands in doing so. Dr. Griffin was called but the child was past all help. The heart felt sympathy of the community is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Connors in their terrible bereavement.

Chester.

April left us for 1910 in clouds, snow and electrical display. The last day of the month was remarkable in this way.

The weather promised to be colder this week, no doubt similar to the latter part of last.

Grass is very fresh in appearance and growing rapidly despite the snow of Saturday. Some blades at least five inches in length have been noted.

Mrs. C. B. Wheeler was called to Fort Fairfield last week by the illness of her son-in-law, Mr. J. Farser McCain.

Miss Marion T. Estey spent a day recently with her friend, Miss Marion Estabrooks.

The "Union Sabbath School" is well organized and doing good work under the superintendence of Mr. C. B. Wheeler.

Several from this vicinity drove to Florenceville Sunday afternoon to attend United Baptist service conducted by Rev. J. D. Wetmore.

The W. M. A. S., will meet on Thursday, May 12, at the home of Mrs. Otis Shaw.

Lower Brighton.

Looking about these beautiful spring mornings I notice the snogester in the tree top, warbling it song so gayly and the green tender shoots beneath my feet that in a few weeks will rob this earth with a beautiful emerald gown, reminds the correspondent that the time has come to awake.

Mr. and Mrs. William McGee have gone to Houlton to live. They go to their new home with best wishes from their old neighbours. Mrs. Richard Nixon visited friends in

Woodstock last week.

Little Miss Julia Birmingham was at home to her little friends April 22nd. The afternoon was pleasantly spent in games. After tea a treat of candy and nuts was passed around.

Mr. and Mrs. Judd McGee are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son.

The ladies monthly missionary meeting met at the home of Mr. James McLeary. A good meeting was reported in the afternoon. Forty sat down to tea. The weekly prayer meeting was held at Mr. McCleary's.

Rev. E. L. Steves made some interesting remarks, the meeting was both helpful and spirited. The singing more than ordinary. Meeting closed with singing, "When the roll is called up yonder."

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nixon are receiving congratulations also its a baby girl.

House cleaning and wood sawing seems to be the order of the day. But Wallie capped the climax when the machine was drawn from his yard, it left behind about seventy cords slabbed and ranked.

Low Shoe Sale

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Season 1910.

Copain, 55

Copain is now 8 years old and has been in this country over 4 years and last year proved very sure. His colts are very saleable, some selling as high as \$300 and \$325.

He will make the season of 1910 as follows: Leave Centreville every Monday morning for Boundary Line, Harry Peterson's stable, returning same evening. Leave Thursday noon for Edner Reid's, Knoxford. Leaves Reid's Wednesday noon for Centreville. Leave Thursday noon for Wm. Beckems, Bloomfield Corner, returning Friday evening. Balance of time at Centreville in Thomas G. White's stable, N. B. Telephone No. 15-11. Terms Leap \$7.00 cash, Season \$10.00, Warrent \$15.00, \$3.00 to be paid at first service. For further information telephone the above number, or write groom, HORACE McLEAN.

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FARM BARGAINS.

Here are a few of the Farm Bargains I have on my list. If you don't see anything here that suits you, let me know. I have lots of others. If you are interested in any of these properties write to me or telephone to me at once, and I will arrange to have you look them over.

No. 10—Richmond.

150 Acres at Watson Settlement, in the Parish of Richmond, eight miles from Woodstock, and five miles from Houlton. 90 acres under excellent cultivation; balance in Spruce Hemlock and Hardwood. Good Dwelling. Two large Barns, Sheds, Granary and other buildings. One mile to School and Church. Mail delivered at door. This property is so situated that it has the advantage of both the Canadian and American markets. There is enough hardwood on the property to pay for it. This is one of the best farms in Carleton County. Absolutely free from Stone. Price, including Horses, Cattle, and all Machinery, \$4000. The machinery is all new and consists of Potato Digger, Seeder, Mowing Machines, Rakes, Ploughs, Cultivators, Harrows, Wagons, Sleds, and every essential farming implement.

No. 14—Richmond.

150 Acres. 70 acres under excellent state of Cultivation; 80 acres in timber and forest tree. Small Dwelling. Two good Barns. Located in the Parish of Richmond, on the South Bank of the Meduxakeag Stream. More than enough good Spruce and Hemlock on the property to pay for it. Price, \$2500.

No. 21—Debec.

140 Acres, 80 acres under excellent state of cultivation. Located one mile from Debec Junction. Excellent market. Good hardwood. Good Orchard of 75 bearing trees. Good Dwelling with Ell and large shed. Three good barns. Hog House. Good cellar under house; will hold 900 barrels of potatoes. Water in house, and good spring and brook for pasture purposes. 2 Horses, 2 Cows, 2 Pigs, Poultry; Mowing Machine, Rake, Potato Digger, Ploughs, Harrows, Cultivators, Horse Hoe, Potato Sprayer, and all necessary machinery: Double farm wagon, Two Driving Wagons, Express Wagon and Sheep Cart combined, New Pump, New Double Harness, New Single Harness, 75 Bushels Seed Grain, Seed Potatoes, Straw and Hay. Everything goes at \$2700, for quick sale. If you want this property, don't delay.

No. 22—Wakefield.

140 Acres at Jacksonville, in the Parish of Wakefield. 110 acres under first class Cultivation; 15 acres Hardwood. Good Pasturage. Very rich soil. Fine dwelling (24x30), with Ell (24x20) and Shed (20x50). Frost proof Cellar under wholehouse. Furnace, Water pipes in house. Large Barn (45x80), Barn (30x40). Granary, Hog House, Hen House, Machine Shed. The large Barn is clapboarded and painted. This is a fine property. Only short distance from Churches and School. Easy haul to market. Price, \$4200.

No. 23—Richmond.

180 Acres at Richmond. 150 acres under Cultivation; 15 acres in Pasture; 2 acres in Orchard. Balance in Timber and Hardwood. 45 acres ploughed, ready for crop. Soil is deep clay loam. Land is all well fenced. Good water for pasture purposes. New house, not quite finished. Good Cellar. will easily hold 1000 barrels of potatoes. Two large Barns, Large Shed, Granary, Wagon House and Hen House. Only two miles from Houlton and three miles from Green Road Station, giving easy access to both American and Canadian markets. Half mile to School. Price, \$3650, \$1200 down; balance can remain on mortgage.

No. 26—Woodstock.

175 Acres. 90 acres under Cultivation; 15 acres nice interval land; 10 acres in Pasturage. Balance in Lumber and Hardwood. Large two and a half storey house with Ell and Shed attached. Large brick lined, frost proof Cellar. House has Bath room, with hot and cold water. Hot Air Furnace. Two large Barns (40x60) and (30x40), with connecting shed (40x14); Hen House and other buildings. Only one mile from the Town of Woodstock. This is an ideal property. Price \$4500. Buildings alone are worth that.

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I am offering my farm on the Houlton Road 3/4 of a mile from Woodstock, N. B., at a bargain for quick sale, also nine lots of land near the trotting park, also three lots of land near Jacob Vanwart's furniture warehouses, Main Street. You may look for a special bargain in the above mentioned property.

A F Fawcett.

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Problem IV. Emergencies:—

The old way of procedure when some one took sick, was to harness up the "driver" and make all haste for the doctor. Effort in this direction often procured as its only result the information: "doctor is out."

Problem V. Help:—

The old way was to allow men to go on boys' errands—waste half a morning walking to Smith's only to find that his harrow was already loaned. The new way is to make the phone your errand boy—buy, borrow, begot by means of the "silent partner."

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