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## ANDOVER.

N. A. Hanson was in Woodstock on Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. Geo. Davis and Mrs. L. Bedell spent a few days recently in Hartland. J. Arch Connell, Woodstock, spent last week at S. P. Waite's.

J. Carter is in St. John for a few days

The Auction Club met at the home of Mrs. James Scott on Thursday.

The Junior branch of the Red Cross Society held a sale and served tea in the Masonic Hall on the 5th inst. at which the sum of \$95.00 was raised towards the Belgian Relief Fund.

The Mission Band of St. James church held a very successful Chicken Supper and Sale of fancy and useful articles in the Masonic Hall on Wednesday afternoon. The sum of \$110 was realized.

The Red Cross Society of Andover and Perth have been doing good work. There is a membership of 58 and the proceeds from fees, teas, donations and concert amount to \$196.30. One box which was sent to headquarters in St. John contained 103 prs. socks, 10 prs. wristlets, 14 caps, 3 cholera belts, 1 box bandages and handkerchiefs. Five boxes and also a large sum of money have been forwarded to the Belgian Relief committee.

S. P. Waite is in Edmundston this week.

Miss Field, St. John, is visiting at the home of her father, Rev. W. M. Field.

The Mission Band gave a sacred concert in the Baptist church Sunday evening.

## FLORENCEVILLE

Dr. and Mrs. Barry Hagerman attended the Winter Fair in Amherst, last week.

Mrs. Freeman Haugh is spending a few days with friends in Houlton.

Mrs. H. H. McCain has been spending a few days with her brother, Andrew Kilpatrick at Presque Isle.

The Baptist Sabbath School is preparing for a concert to be held sometime during vacation.

The Baptist Missionary Society observed Crusade Day at Hollon Estey's Dec. 3rd. A delightful tea was served at 6.30 at which an offering of \$6.35 was taken. During the evening an interesting and instructive program was given.

Mrs. A. D. Hartley called on friends in the village Friday.

Miss Keith, who has been spending several months with her sister, Mrs. Begg returned to her home in Nova Scotia Tuesday.

## CENTREVILLE

It is said that the Rev. Mr. Jenkins will perform a very important ceremony in the Baptist Church in this place just before the Christmas holidays. We were in hopes that Mr. Jenkins would be with us on the Christmas Sabbath when he came.

The collectors for the Bible Society can secure the necessary collectors Books by calling on H. J. Clark.

The report comes to us that George H. Hartley of Hartley Settlement is dead. Mr. Hartley was a prominent member of the Reformed Baptist Church at Royalton, and will be greatly missed. His wife who was a Miss Estey survives him.

The Delong and Clark building is about ready to be taken over and stocked up, the season having been very favourable for the work to be accomplished.

Considerable complaint is being made that we have no regular service on the Valley Railway, but there are a number of unadjusted Right of way claims to be settled by the Contractors before the Road can be taken over.

John Ried of Hartland spent a few days with his brother W. A. Reid, last week.

The Board of Health had a meeting in Hartland last week.

There is excellent skating on the Sherwood pond and the young people are taking advantage of it for evening exercise. The water is very low in the streams and a great many are expressing the

hope that a heavy rainfall will come before the winter really sets in, as it is now quite difficult to secure water for farm stock without a good deal of trouble.

Rev. Mr. Hurlow of Tracy Mills is giving some very interesting discourses in his Sunday evening services, and the people are being interested as is shown by the marked increase in attendance.

Farmers are wishing for snow and if they can have the patience to wait they will likely get as much or more than they want and it usually stays as long as they want it in spring time.

Glen Wilson is confined to his house by illness, and his physician says that it will require months of rest to complete a cure.

## Library Opening

The citizens of the town are notified that the L. P. Fisher Public Library will open on Saturday, December 19th. The librarian will be in her place, and will be prepared to distribute books called for in the regular way, from two to five thirty in the afternoon, and from seven to nine in the evening.

Beginning with the week opening Dec. 20th, the Library will be open on Wednesdays and Saturdays of each week during the same hours as indicated above. The Men's Reading Room entered from Chapel Street, will be open each week day from seven to ten in the evening.

The opening of this important institution has been postponed owing to the war, causing delay in the delivery of the books, only a portion of which have yet been delivered. As new consignments are arriving frequently and the time of the librarian is taken up in preparing them for the shelves, it is not possible, at present, to have the doors open more than two days in the week as indicated.

The Rules governing the Library may be seen at the desk of the librarian during open hours. The following extracts from the Regulations may be of interest in the meantime.

### EXTRACTS FROM REGULATIONS OF LIBRARY.

1. All residents of the Town of Woodstock above ten years of age are entitled to borrow books for use at home on giving satisfactory reference, and signing an agreement to comply with the rules. Minors must present the signed agreement of a parent, guardian, or some responsible citizen.
2. Books marked with seven day labels are not to be renewed.
3. Books may not be transferred from one card to another without the presentation of the volume.
4. A book may not be returned on the day it has been delivered and another drawn.
5. Borrowers finding any book mutilated or defaced should report the condition to the Librarian at once; otherwise they may be held responsible for the injury.
6. Notice of borrower's change of residence should be given promptly to the Librarian.

## TOWN COUNCIL

### MONDAY EVENING.

His Worship Mayor Jones and all the councillors were present at the regular meeting on Monday evening, Dec. 7th.

Several bills were read and referred to finance committee.

The council went into committee and talked over the question of a town water supply with Mr. Gorey who afterwards met the water committee and submitted a proposition. The test well was bored for a distance of seventy five feet, mostly through solid rock, and a good flow of water found, there being sixty five feet in the pipe. A sample of the water has been sent to McDonald College for analysis and further action will be deferred until the report is received.

The report from Treasurer Bourne showed an overdraft at the Bank of Montreal of \$7372.56.

### FRIDAY EVENING.

His Worship Mayor Jones and a full board were present on Friday. There was no business of importance before the board.

The bills coming from the finance committee and the salaries were ordered paid. A request from the Hospital Board for the usual grant was referred to next meeting and a matter touching the poor was referred to the poor committee. Supt. Fields and Chief Kelly were heard before the board, after which the meeting adjourned.

## Mrs. Caroline L. Scott

Bangor Commercial: The death of Mrs. Caroline L. Scott occurred on Monday, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Thomas Joslin, in her 61st year. She was born in Woodstock, N. B., and had always lived there until a few years ago when she moved to this city. Besides her daughter, she is survived by two sons, James W. Scott and Charles F. Scott of Woodstock, N. B. She also is survived by six sisters and two brothers, Mrs. L. Watson, Mrs. Agnes Carmichael, Miss Adelaide McLellan of this state; Mrs. Frances Wallace, Mrs. Susannah Carr and Mrs. Lucretia Davis of New Brunswick; Robert McLellan of Caribou, and Welley McLellan of Houlton. Mrs. Scott was a member of the Methodist church of Woodstock.

## The Rebekah Degree

Mrs. Morrison of Dominion, N. S. President of the Rebekah Assembly; Mrs. Baker of Woodstock, Vice President; Mrs. P. A. Macgowan of Moncton, Treasurer, officially visited Silver Link Lodge Tuesday evening and saw the conferring of the degree on two candidates. The work was followed by refreshments and social intercourse. —Chatham World.

The Choral Society's sacred concert held in the United Baptist Church on Sunday evening in aid of the Belgium Relief Fund, was attended by a very large audience. The anthems by the chorus under the leadership of Dr. Baker were very nicely rendered. Prof. Gerrish's orchestra was present and played several selections very sweetly. Mrs. F. O. Squires and Mr. H. M. Bailey sang the duet "God is Love," their voices blending beautifully. Prof. Gerrish gave a violin solo in a finished manner. A female quartette by Mrs. McElroy, Mrs. Watson, Misses Mooers and Jones was a pleasing feature of the program. The Rev. F. C. Orchard, pastor of the church, made a short address most appropriate to the occasion. The accompanists of the evening were Mrs. N. F. Thorne and Miss Camber.

The sum of \$50.00 was realized which was given to the Belgian Relief Fund.

A number of the friends of Miss Jamie Clare tendered her a variety shower, at the home of Mrs. Ada Poole, on Tuesday evening. Miss Clare, who is to be one of the principals in an interesting event to take place next week, received many pretty and useful gifts. The guests invited were Mrs. George Balmain, Mrs. R. E. Holyoke, Mrs. Horace Lockwood, Mrs. A. G. Bailey, Mrs. W. L. Carr, Mrs. A. D. Holyoke, Mrs. J. A. Lindsay, Mrs. Frank Baird, Mrs. B. Griffiths, Mrs. C. L. Smith, Mrs. Andrew Williams, Mrs. Allison Carr, Mrs. Ernest Hall, Mrs. W. A. Clarke, Mrs. H. E. Ellis, Mrs. N. F. Thorne, Mrs. William Balmain, Mrs. Ada Poole, the Misses Mary Stewart, Ella Smith, Ella Falagher, Agnes Gallagher and Abbie Montgomery.

A distressing accident happened in the woods a short distance from the Flemming Gibson Lumber Co's. mill, about four miles back of Grafton, on Saturday morning. Weldon Flemming, son of Hon. J. K. Flemming, with a crew of men was sawing trees, and had for power a gasoline engine and circular saw, a part of the engine broke and the saw flew striking the unfortunate young man on the shoulder inflicting a deep wound eight inches long, besides cutting him about the face and legs. He was taken to his home and medical attention quickly summoned.

The Home Guards met in the Armoury on Friday evening and completed the organization of the company with the exception of the officers who will be appointed at a later date. After the meeting the men were put through a half hour's drill by Colonel Dibbice. The company will meet on Friday evenings during the winter in the armoury.

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## PRESTON HUNTLEY.

Preston Huntley, aged 35 years, was found dead in bed at the lumber camp of Wallace Smith, at Bloomfield, on Friday morning.

Coroner Lindsay of Woodstock held an inquest on Saturday and the verdict of the jury was that death was caused by heart failure. Deceased leaves a wife and four children, and was son-in-law of John Craig, Weston.

## BORN

LONDON—At Woodstock, Monday Dec. 14th, to Mr. and Mrs. Howard F. London, a son.

James Garden

A telegram was received here last

Wednesday, announcing the death from paralysis on the morning of that day, of Mr. James Garden. The deceased was a native of this county, being born at Upper Woodstock, 68 years ago. He was the eldest son of the late Mr. H. M. S. Garden. Many years ago he removed to Vancouver, where he has ever since made his home. He took a deep interest in the affairs of that city and was for a time its chief magistrate. He was also elected to represent the city in the provincial legislature in the conservative interests. He is survived by one sister, Mrs. W. R. Balloch, of Centreville; four brothers, Charles, of Vancouver; G. Herbert, of Montreal; Henry and J. Arthur F. of Woodstock. The remains were interred in Vancouver.