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FORENCEVILLE

Mrs. Wm. Hagerman was taken to the hospital here last week ill with pneumonia.

Mrs. Thomas McCain is also on the sick list.

Mrs. Fred Kimball of Bridge-water Centre, was in the village on Sunday.

Helen and James Bridges, and Ruth Estabrooks, were the guests of their Aunt Mrs. Hayward a few days ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wheeler, left on Saturday for Grand Falls where they will spend the winter with their daughter Mrs. Clarence Kirkpatrick.

The Baptist church, which has under gone repairs, was rededicated, on Sunday 26 inst. Rev. J. B. Ganong, of St. John, was the preacher of the day. The pastor Rev. E. C. Jenkins conducted the services, notwithstanding the rough roads the services were well attended. The offering amounted to \$200.00.

Burdette W. Harmon, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Harmon of Woodstock, who distinguished himself, in the early stages of the war, mentioned for gallantry in Sir Max Aiken's book, while in Eng-

land recovering from wounds was promoted and transferred to the Imperial Army as lieutenant. He was dissatisfied with the change and is now back with the Canadians as second lieutenant.

THANKFUL MOTHERS

Thousands of thankful mothers throughout Canada—many of them your own neighbors—speak with the greatest praise of that splendid medicine, Baby's Own Tablets. Many mothers would have no other medicine for their little ones. Among these is Mrs. Albert Nie, St. Brieux, Sask., who says: "I have been using Baby's Own Tablets for the past seven years and they have done my four children a world of good. I would not be without them." The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Scott Act Inspector Colpitts has served notice on all those who, it is alleged, sell liquor contrary, to the provisions of the Act, that the next convictions mean imprisonment. At the last session of the Dominion Government, he told them, changes were made in the Act that did away with the second and third offences, and after the first conviction all subsequent offences are given from one to four months imprisonment at the discretion of the Court.

Edmonton, Alta., Nov. 23—The Hon. Frank Oliver, former Minister of the Interior in the Laurier cabinet, has received word from Ottawa that his son, Lieut. Alan Oliver, M. C. has been killed in action.

BATH N. B.

November 27th, 1916.

Rev. G. W. Henderson, who has had charge of the Baptist Church during the past Summer and Autumn preached his farewell sermon last evening to a large congregation. Mr. Henderson has been engaged as Pastor of the Pentecostal Church at Oxford N. S., where he is removing at the end of this week.

His many friends here wish him and his family every success and prosperity and will always remember his services here.

Rev. J. B. Ganong of St. John was a caller here on Friday last, and he is endeavoring to secure a successor to Rev. Mr. Henderson, this Baptist Field now being vacant.

A very serious fire occurred here recently when the fine residence until recently occupied by Mr. Edward Drost was about totally destroyed, the Building is owned by Messrs Bohan & Co., and carried small insurance, but for the good work and excellent Water Supply a much larger damage may have resulted.

Messrs Hay and Vaniderstein and Mr. Amos Demerchant are preparing and cutting considerable quantity of lumber on the Monquart Stream for their respective Mills.

The crossing at this point on the River is now done the ice is fast forming.

Miss Augusta Slipp of St. John, is expected to speak in the Baptist Church on Sunday evening next, Subject "Foreign Missions."

The farmers are not offering potatoes to the market here at the present time, partially owing the low prices in comparison to what they have received and on account of the cold weather.

G. S. Larlee has again resumed his old position as C. P. Ry. Station Agent here. With Wm. Keenan as assistant, he has his mother taking care of his home.

Dr. Commins intends opening his New Drug Store, located in his new building erected on the site of the former "Tompkins Bros" store where their building was destroyed by fire some few years ago. The opening will take place about December First.

A very successful school concert was held here recently when a very fine program was carried out and a basket social held in the evening, when the sum of \$132. was realized for the Belgium Relief Fund.

TEA ADVANCES IN PRICE

Owing to the continued increase in the cost of Teas and the heavy advances in Marine Freight and Insurance Rates, we have regretfully been compelled to advance our selling prices five cents per pound, but the consumer will still be getting in "SALADA" packets, tea of incomparable Quality and Value. The "Salada" Tea Co.

BORN

Fox.—At Woodstock on Wednesday, Nov. 22, to Mr. and Mrs. Ass Fox, a son, Allison Earl.

CENTREVILLE,

The School Concert held here was one of the most successful ever held in the county. A sum of about eighty-five dollars was realized and forwarded to Chief Supt. Carter,

Relatives and friends of Winnifred Kierstead, were sorry to hear of her sudden death.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Wilson, are pleased over another advent into their family circle.

A large number of Church goers are expecting to avail themselves of the privilege of attending the Quarterly meetings at Good's Corner.

Rev. Mr. Hurlow of Tracy Mills, and Rev. Mr. Johnston of Centreville have been considering the advisability of holding Joint Special Meetings in the near future, both adhering to the old Proverb. "In union there is strength."

Burns Duffield who had the misfortune to loose his barns by fire some two months ago has a splendid new barn about ready to put his stock in.

There is a good opportunity for the young people to practice skating on the mill pond.

A new organ has been procured for the Baptist church here, and a new Bell is now necessary as the one in use is cracked and almost entirely useless.

The farmers are wishing for both rain and snow.

WILLIAMSTOWN

Nov. 23rd, 1916.

We are having fine warm weather after a cold spell, a little snow, but not enough to make sledding. The Autos and wagons are in use yet.

The farmers are mostly engaged in threshing.

Clifford McWaid has hauled about 30 loads of dry hardwood to Centreville. Wm. McWaid has also hauled some.

Miss Annie Lindsay, school teacher at Pioneer, held a Pie Social for the Belgian Fund and made \$60.00.

Report says Mrs. Have Anderson is having serious trouble with her eyes, is blind at present.

Mrs. John McAuley was calling on Mrs. Hanford Lindsay, Wednesday.

Mrs. Heffer has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Eldon Watters, Pioneer.

Mrs. Amelia Allen, Woodstock, made her mother Mrs. Pheobe Palmer a short visit a few weeks ago, at John A. Porter's

Mr. Ross of the Kitties has been visiting at Pioneer

Mrs. Colter McEgan, visited her sister-in-law, Mrs. Geo. Sears at St. Marys last week.

Mr. Bearisto is quite ill, at his daughter's, Mrs. Harry Gillis.

Mrs. Murray McAuley was the guest of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Robert D. Smith one day this week.

The Best Christmas Present

That is what many write us, who make a gift of a Youth's Companion subscription to a friend or relative. Thousands can recall the first Christmas that The Companion came into the House, and how it was passed from one to another as a most precious thing, and the beauty of it was that every week it was looked for, and pounced upon and devoured, and everything else put aside for it. You can bring that same sense of delight into any home by sending the Youth's Companion to it for a year—\$2.25—less than four cents a week.

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Mr. Albert Brewer

Mr. Albert Brewer, one of our best known citizens, a contractor of provincial reputation, died Friday night, after an illness of some months aged 76 years. Deceased was twice married, his first wife being Miss Esther Boone of York county. He is survived by his second wife, who was Miss Hannah Hopkins of Aroostook Jct., N. B., three sons and two daughters, Alfred A. of New York, Claire C. of Ashland, Me., Holly H. of St. John, Mrs. J. Frank Tilley of Woodstock, Mrs. J. Woodside Loane of Washburn, Me., and one sister Mrs. Solomon Perley of Upper Woodstock.

Mr. Brewer entered the contracting business when a young man his first work being on the old New Brunswick Railway when he had charge of the construction of the old bridge between Woodstock and Grafton. Among other bridges over the St. John river he built the Upper Woodstock railway bridge, and bridges at Hartland, Florenceville and Andover, besides other bridges in different parts of the province.

The funeral was held on Monday at 2 o'clock, and was conducted by the Masonic order, of which he was a member for many years. Rev. A. S. Hazel, pastor of St. Luke's church, officiated. The Worshipful Master E. W. Jarvis read the beautiful Masonic burial service at the grave. The pall bearers were W. R. Wright, J. A. Hayden, J. W. McIninch, James Watson. Interment was at Jacksontown. Many flowers were sent by relatives and friends among them being a beautiful piece from the Masonic Lodge. Mr. Brewer was held in high esteem and his death will be regretted by many friends in different parts of the country.

Donald Neven Hamilton

The death took place on Thursday, Nov. 23 of Donald Neven, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hamilton, at their residence, Connell street. The funeral was held on Saturday, the Rev. Frank Baird officiating.

Worst Storm In Forty Years

Quebec, Nov. 30.—News of a strenuous fight against the worst storm in 40 years down the Gulf and the Lower St. Lawrence was brought to port today by four coasting steamers that were in the grip of the terrific gales, slashing rain and blinding snow on their trip up the river.

The worst experience was that of the C. G. S. Lightship Arctic, which was torn off her anchorage at the Lower Traverse and had to run in and out of small inlets for protection. The Arctic reached here today, a veritable ice craft.

The steamer Cascapedia, over a week late arrived today and report experiencing the worst storm in her career.

Over ten days late on her trip to and from Gaspé ports the steamer Gaspesian, plying between Montreal, Quebec and Gulf ports, is expected here tonight after experience her crew thought to be their last.

The C. G. S. Lady Evelyn, which arrived today, also has thrilling tales to tell. She is just in from a hard cruise to Anticosti and North Shore ports, where she went with the mails and to take on passengers which the Canadian government steamer Montcalm had been unable to reach on her last trip, some ten days ago, owing to a strong gale.

A large number of gas buoys, sent adrift in the last week by heavy ice and high winds, are being searched for by the whole fleet of the local marine department agency.

Lindsay Red Cross

The Lindsay Red Cross Society sent to the Soldiers Comfort Society, 40 pairs of socks.

We wish to thank Mrs. Wm. G. Harper; Mrs. Andrew Scott; Mrs. Amaziah Baker, for knitting, also Mrs. J. Wiley for money.

MRS. D. L. GRAY, Pres.
MISS PEARL CHENEY, Sec.