

Board of Works 1907

THE DISPATCH

VOL XXIII

WOODSTOCK, N. B. WEDNESDAY, Aug. 30, 1916

No. 13

The JOHN McLAUCHLAN Co. Ltd

UP-TO-DATE

Clothiers

Hatters

Furnishers

Woodstock and Hartland

When YOU are in need of Printing

Try

The Dispatch Job Printing Dept.

First-Class Work
Prompt Delivery
Reasonable Rates

British Military Expert's View

London, Aug. 25.—The Times military expert in an optimistic review of the present military situation points out his reasons for believing the war is not near its end, and discusses the arming of the allied armies for the campaigns of 1917 and 1918.

"Our superiority in the field," says the writer, "is not yet adequate, hence it does not give us that annihilating preponderance which is necessary for victory. Next spring, having completed our supplies, we can set to work to arm Russia with a will. We can fit out the armies for 1917 and 1918 which must in the end crush the most frantic efforts of the central powers, and as we can last so long or longer, if necessary, we can be satisfied with nothing but the complete satisfaction of our demands.

"The allies will end the war as such formidable military powers and so superabundantly supplied with weapons and material that failure would be gross negligence on the part of our governments during the peace parleys. Germany will never be able to face a war again in our time.

"Many soldiers firmly believe the politicians will sell out in the end. But this opinion is certainly wrong, for the force of public opinion behind the war is now so strong that the public would think nothing of taking all the members of the government and hanging them in a row if they showed any inclination to throw away at the peace parleys the fruits of our stupendous war efforts."

Butterless Days Now For Germany

Berlin, Aug. 21.—And now it's "but-

terless days" in Germany. To meatless days, fatless days, eggless breakfast, one day a month when soap may be purchased have been added butterless days.

There was a rude shock of surprise this morning at hotels and restaurants when breakfast was served with dry bread or rolls, and the never-failing butter missing. Waiters were hurriedly, sometimes rather angrily called back, and asked what was meant by forgetting butter. "Es giebt keine an den Fleischtagen," was the answer. In plain English commencing today there is no more butter on meat days, and to day was meat day.

For the present four days a week will be butterless at hotels and restaurants. Proceeding on the very democratic principle of privileges to none the new regulation applies to the most expensive first class hotel as well as to the smallest lunch counter and to private families, according to the decree. There was some grumbling at the innovation, and not a few curses were hurled at England, at whose door all the privations of the civil population are laid.

In not a few hotels here persons who have managed to get eggs from the country or elsewhere contrive their breakfast themselves by cooking their own eggs on an electric or spirit cooker. Now butter for breakfast in hotels also will depend upon individual efforts to obtain it outside.

Judge Carleton was in St. John last week for a day.

George H. Lawson has been appointed a Justice of the Peace for Carleton County.

Mr. and Mrs. John S. Eagles, St. John, were in town over Sunday guests at the Carlisle.

Dionne-White

A wedding of more than usual interest took place Aug. 2nd, 1916, at St. Bonaventure Church, Williamstown, when "Theresa Margaret," youngest daughter of Mrs. Elizabeth White was united in marriage to Mr. Philip Dionne Gladwyn, Vic. Co., N. B.

Rev. Father Bradley performed the ceremony, in the presence of a large gathering of relatives and friends.

The bride was charming in a gown of White Satin, pannel and bodice of Oriental lace; with tulle veil caught up with orange blossoms; she carried a bouquet of White Sweet Peas and maiden hair fern. Miss Rose White, Boston, was the attending bridesmaid, wearing a dainty gown of Old Rose Satin draped with georgette crepe and fichu of Filet lace with hat to match, she carried a bouquet of Pink sweet peas.

Little Bernadette Dionne sister of the groom as flower girl looked very sweet in a frock of White Chiffon and cap caught with Pink Ribbons. While the groom was ally supported by his cousin, Charles Roberts, Red Rapids, Vic. Co., N. B.

As the bride entered the Church on the arm of her brother, Geoffrey A. White, the wedding march was effectively rendered by a violin and organ duett played by Charles Sharkey, and Miss Elva Sharkey. The party standing amid beautiful decorations of cut flowers and potted plants.

Mr. Charles White acted as usher. Immediately after the ceremony reception was held at the home of the brides brother Geoffrey A. White, and a wedding dinner was served, after which they autoed to their new home in Gladwyn.

The brides travelling suit was mid night blue serge with hat to match.

Both young people are highly esteemed, the bride being a well known school teacher, and the groom a successful young farmer. They received many beautiful presents and a host of friends wish them a long and happy life together.

Robert Lee

The death took place at St. John Tuesday afternoon of Robert Lee of Beaufort. In June Mr. Lee had a fall, injuring his head from the effects of which there developed a growth on the brain, which was the immediate cause of death. Last week Mr. Lee went to St. John for treatment, but before entering the hospital the grim reaper claimed his victim. Besides his wife Mr. Lee leaves to mourn his loss three daughters and one son, the latter of whom is now in khaki.

The remains were brought home Wednesday and the funeral was held from the Argyle church on Thursday, interment being made in Beaufort. Rev. N. Franchette conducted the services.

Much sympathy is felt by a large circle of friends for the bereaved family.—Carleton Observer.

Presentation To Woodstock Boy

A farewell reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Banford Niles on Friday evening in honor of their son Private Lewis Niles, of the 140th Batt., who leaves for Valcartier Camp at noon Tuesday. About 30 friends were present and a very enjoyable evening was spent in dancing, songs and speeches.

Pte. Niles was presented with a wrist watch by his friends, Pte A. J. Sullivan making the presentation.

Refreshments were served during the evening and the gathering came to a close at midnight.

Miss Claribel Maguire, graduate nurse of the Fisher Memorial Hospital, spent a few days vacation at her home in Newburg, and returned to Woodstock on Tuesday to take a case at the hospital.

WICKLOW

Aug. 21st.

Since Rural Mail Routes have come to us, there is danger of the names of our old home places becoming lost sight of, in the merging of all into one common Route address, or as is the case in Wicklow of two viz., Bath N. B., and Florenceville N. B., but there's never a loss but has some gain, and the Rural Route is certainly a very great convenience to we country folk.

The farmers are only just finishing their haying, which was a very plentiful crop, and with so many of the young men gone to the great war, it is difficult to find help, and also the weather man has been most ungenerous.

Mr. and Mrs. David Howell of Brooklyn N. Y., were recent visitors at Mrs. Howell's aunt, Mrs. Mary Hutchinson as well as other relatives and friends in this her birthplace.

Miss Carrie Brown, of Arlington New Jersey, is spending the summer at her uncle's, Chas. Estey.

Mrs. Arthur Whelpley and little daughter, Marion, of Manchester New Hampshire are visiting her relatives and friends here for a few weeks.

Our teachers will soon be again behind their desks in their respective schools.

Mr. Geo. Kilpatrick returns to his duties as teacher in this place.

Mrs. Edgar Kilpatrick has returned from a week's visit at her mother's home Victoria Corner.

Miss Carrie Estey of Brooklyn N. Y., is spending her vacation with her brothers, Holland of Florenceville, and Chas. Estey of this place.

Miss Lydia Barker, of Lowell Mass., who is spending the summer with her mother, Mrs. Harriet Barker, Bath, N. B., spent a few days with her aunt Mrs. M. Hutchinson.

Rupert Hutchinson and Geo. Milbury went to Winnipeg on the Harvester's excursion.

Wicklow people are justly proud of the record they have made in sending our boys overseas. While of course all the families are not represented in khaki more than 50% of the men of military age have gone, and of the total of boys and all men remaining is only about 35 in a stretch of four miles of road there are only a very few who have not the sole care of a farm and family and could not go in any case. The twelve who have so far enlisted are all farmer boys or farm laborers and it does seem to be a work that is as necessary as any other could well be and the authorities are doing well in looking into the numbers of men who can be spared from the different branches of industry.

Rev. S. King, of Woodstock, was one of the preachers at the A. M. E. Conference, held in St. John last week.

FLORENCEVILLE

Mrs. Willard, and children, who have been visiting, Mrs. Willard's parents Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jewett, returned last week to their home in Vancouver.

Mrs. Allison McCain is at home for a few days.

Mrs. Harry Saunders, and children of Calgary are visiting friends in this vicinity.

Mr. Robt. Hume is very ill, his three sons living in the West, are expected home this week.

Mrs. Chas. Boyer is spending a few days, with her daughter Mrs. James Johnston at Woodstock.

School opened Monday in charge of A. D. Jonah.

Miss Carrie Estey, of New York and Miss Carrie Brown, of Jersey City N. Y., have been spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Holland Estey.

CENTREVILLE,

Rev. Mr. Johnston preached in St. John last Sunday, leaving his churches on his circuit here for a short vacation.

Rev. Mr. Champion of the Methodist circuit here has so far recovered that he was able to attend to his services last Sunday.

Freeman Kierstead, of Caribou Me., with family spent a day with his uncle H. J. Clark last week.

Charles Thomas and his wife and Mrs. Gec. Thomas and her young son, Frank started for Vancouver last Saturday.

Mrs. Andrew Beckwith, who has been seriously ill for the past week, is reported to be improving. Mr. John Gregg is also slightly improved.

Harvesting is well advanced and prospects of an abundant crop are excellent.

Potatoes will perhaps hardly be up to the average but are now being put on the market at two dollars per bbl. The rains of the past few days will no doubt help to increase the yield somewhat.

Manzer Hartley living near Tracy Mills lost his barn by fire a few days ago.

Centreville Superior School opened on Monday the 28th inst with Mr. Baldwin in charge of the Advanced Department and Miss Vanwart in charge of the Primary.

A number of young people of the village will enter the Normal Training School for the coming Term, Miss Dorothy Clarke will go to Wolfville.

MARRIED

HOLIDAY—TWEEDIE.—At Saskatoon, Sask., Aug. 1st by Rev. Mr. Adams, E. Carl Holsday of Swanson, Sask., to Miriam Ellen Tweedie, second daughter of Mrs. James Tweedie of Watrous, Sask.

Wanted

WANTED—A girl to learn type setting. Inquire at "THE DISPATCH" Office.