

UTOPIA CLUB.

The Utopia Club, which enjoys the distinction of being the only organization of the kind in Woodstock, was founded in November, 1895. At that time the membership was limited to fifteen, but, owing to the number of



HERB E. CLARKE.

"good fellows" who wanted to be admitted, it was thought advisable to raise the limit to 20. Prominent among the organizers of the club were Dr. Manzer, who since its foundation has been its president, Herb E. Clark, who is now vice president, W. H. S.



W. H. S. COX.

Cox, its present treasurer, James P. Hull, ex-vice president, LeBaron Dibblee and Frank Hull. These six gentlemen are the only charter mem-

bers who are now in the club. Among the by-laws of the institution are three that ought to serve the purpose of placing it in the good graces of every right thinking person in the community, especially when it is known that the members have consistently obeyed these laws:—they read "No intoxicating liquors allowed on the premises." "Boxing, wrestling and gambling strictly prohibited." "No member is allowed to use the athletic appliances or make any unnecessary noise on Sunday." From the existence of these laws it need not be inferred that the members are a collection of milk-sops. They are a



GEORGE GIBSON.

crowd of good fellows. Beside the large number of appliances for athletic exercise they have in their rooms on King St., they have lately added a fine pool table. Their piano, which is a dandy, often furnishes such music as to collect a crowd of outsiders on the opposite sidewalk to listen to its strains. The Utopia Club dances, which though small are not infrequent, are noted among the most popular in town. We give in this issue the portraits of the four officers of the club.

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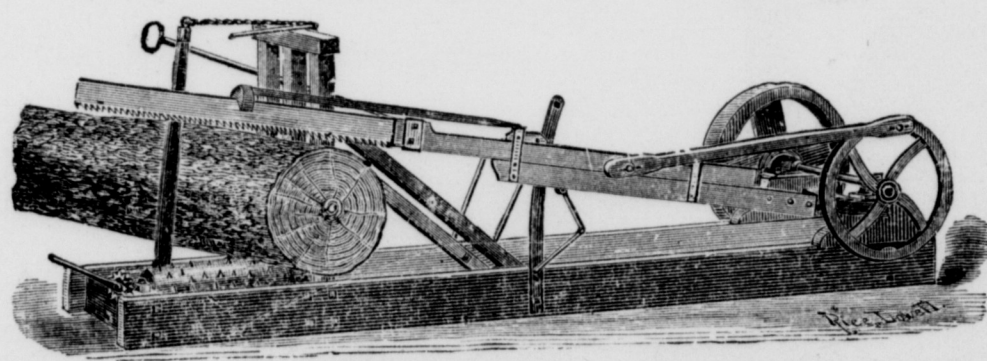
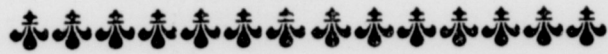
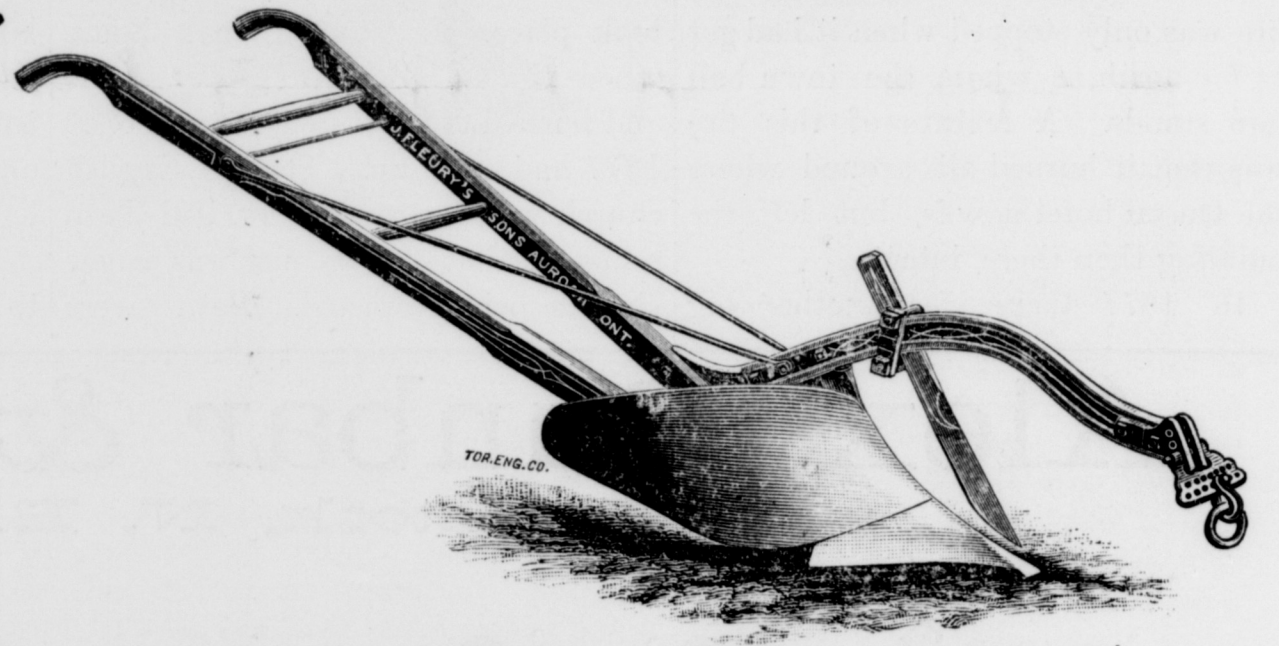
The above picture represents the Merchant Tailoring Establishment of W. B. Nicholson. Mr. Nicholson was born in Prince Edward Island in 1853. He came to Woodstock in 1883, and by his integrity and ability come to be recognized as one of the foremost business men of the county. He is a prominent member of the Masonic order, and is Grand Chancellor of the Order of Knights of Pythias for the Grand Dominion of the Maritime Provinces. Mr. Nicholson was in the Town Council in 1895. He has been a prominent member of the Board of Trade. He is doing a large merchant tailoring business.

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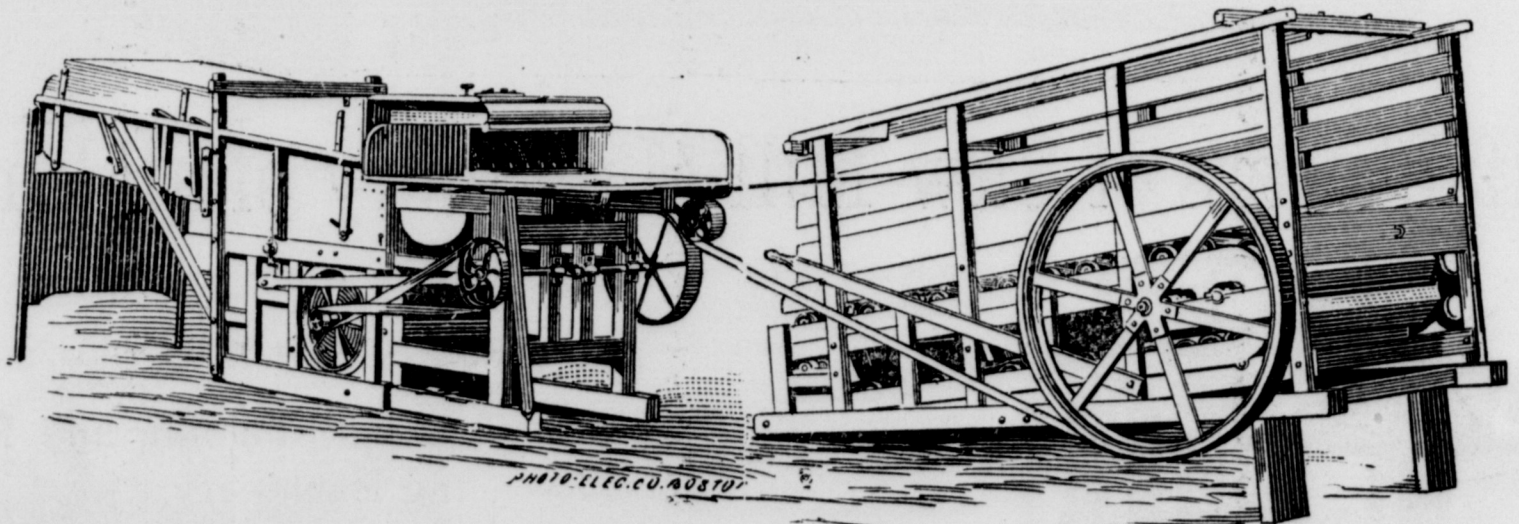


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