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We learn by private advice, just previous to going to press, that Clarke Wallace has resigned his position as Controller of Customs. He was a member of the Ontario Government, but not of the Cabinet. We have no particulars.

Standard Time.

In order to prevent any misconception, outside, as to the statement of the SENTINEL that no inconvenience has been experienced from the adoption of Standard Time here, we may say that the Board of Trade, in whose membership are some of our leading manufacturers, some time previous to the action of the Town Council, approved of a change, that the action of the Town Council was based upon a report of a special committee showing that there was a very general approval, by those most concerned, of the proposed change in time; that since its adoption by the Council all the churches in town have adopted the Standard, those having clocks setting them back to that time, and opening their services by it, and so far as we know, the industrial establishments have done the same. And we have not heard of any inconvenience being felt.

The clock in a government office on the government building, "set up" there not for the convenience of a few, but for general convenience.

The Windows.

Speaking of window decorations, one is reminded of the fact that, a few years ago, great store was not infrequently made to this effect of advertising. Now, in the large cities, great attention is given to the attractive display of goods in their windows by the merchants many of whom employ, for the special service, expert decorators.

In Woodstock the artists are numerous, but they display a taste and originality very noticeable and commendable. Builders will justify these remarks as they pass along the streets and notice the window displays.

How nicely combined are the taste of the rich and varied goods which our milliners present, making their windows "things of beauty" to attract the ladies.

How attractively are the goods in gold and silver and crystal, the clocks and watches; articles for domestic use and personal adornment set forth in the windows of our jewellers.

What striking tribute to the designing taste of the hardware merchants and the wonderful volume in variety of articles on hand in their catalogues, is made behind the plate glass of their establishments.

How handsomely do the rich and rare and staple goods of the dry goods stores wreath and adorn their windows.

And the windows of the clothing stores and boots and shoes stores, how handsomely do their goods show. In these, gentlemen are allowed to have a special interest.

The book stores make a splendid display. Not in books alone, but, as well, in all kinds of fancy goods, for decorative purposes, games for amusement and instruction; wares of vertu and wares for practical use.

The druggists, too, have their windows handsomely decorated with attractive goods leading the observer to forget, for the moment, the baluster, pillar and balustrade, too much needed, which burdens the shelves inside.

And, for the demands of Christmas appetites and holiday feasting, the grocers evidently, by their displays, are prepared to suit all comers.

On the whole, one may feel proud of the lavish display made by our several traders for the decoration, and to meet the wants and fancies of the buyers of Christmas goods. May the sales be in proportion to the provisions.

Fire at Williamstown.

The dwelling house and woodshed of Mr. William Part, Williamstown, was entirely destroyed by fire on Tuesday morning, together with nearly all the furniture, household effects and all the clothing, not at the moment in wear, of the family. The fire broke out in the kitchen at 11 a. m. It is supposed that the fire originated in a candle burning in the kitchen. The remains of Mrs. Harry Curvell, of Lakeville, in the graveyard, reached the place of the fire just as it got underway. The place of the fire was the residence of the family, and the remains of the deceased were removed to the place of interment.

The buildings burned, were insured, were worth \$1,500, insured for \$300. Mr. Part fortunately owned an unoccupied dwelling in the same vicinity and thus had immediate shelter.

At Woodstock.

About half past six, Tuesday morning, fire was discovered in the green house at the Troy. The alarm was given, but the fire had already made considerable headway, and before the firemen arrived, the flames had made such progress that the hot house, barn and all, were completely burned up, the house greatly damaged, before they could be quenched. All the plants in the green house were burned, as was a horse and other contents of the barn. Most of the furniture in the house was saved but in a damaged condition. The total loss must be about \$2,000, insured in the North British and Mercantile for \$500.

Everything in the clothing line away down in Prices at Hugh Hay & Son's.

Carleton County Cheese.

A Federation paper quotes Mr. J. F. Tilley, of O. L. Tilley & Son, as saying that his firm opened their cheese factories in Carleton county, the output from which the past season amounts to 125 tons. About one-third of this amount was shipped to England by the mail route and brought a good price, and the remainder was sold in the local markets. Formerly the sending of their product to the English markets was done through Montreal shippers, but this season the Tilleys concluded to try the experiment of shipping direct, and the results have so far been very satisfactory to them. This firm enjoys a very high reputation as cheese manufacturers, and the manner in which they carried off honors at the World's fair shows that they merit it. Mr. Tilley informs the Herald that the prices they won at that exhibition have not yet been handed over.

Our contemporary adds that Mr. Tilley visited the Butter's Corner cheese factory and secured what was left of its season's output, about 7,500 pounds, and will ship it by mail to Liverpool by the Beaver line steamer, like Superior, from St. John. The price as quoted Canadian cheese is selling in the English markets at the present time is 47 shillings per hundred pounds, and the Tilleys expect to realize a good price for their shipment, which has just been placed on the market.

To Let—The very desirable house on Chapel Street, now occupied by Dr. Rankin. Possession given the 1st of May. For further particulars enquire of B. B. Manzer.

County Court.

The December term of the Carleton Co. Court was opened on Tuesday morning by Judge Forbes, who, by designation, holds the Court in the absence through illness of Judge Stevens.

There was a very full attendance of Grand Jurors, who returned a true bill against Frank McOlellan, charged with obstructing B. Collette, a constable, in the execution of his duty.

The defendant was arraigned and, on his plea of not guilty, the trial was proceeded with, resulting in a disagreement of the jury. The Judge directed additional jurors to be summoned and that the defendant be again tried on Friday next. S. B. Appleby for Crown, D. B. Gallagher for defence.

In the case of Miller and Hurley, ex parte of Richard Hurley, vs. S. J. Pike, Mr. Carter moved for judgment as in case of non est, for not proceeding to trial according to the process of the Court. Motion dismissed on payment of costs and plaintiffs giving an undertaking to proceed to trial at the next Court.

In the case of the overseers of the poor for the Parish of Kent vs. Richard Barker, the respondents entered into a bond to the satisfaction of the Court was, on motion of W. M. Connell, ordered to be continued. The Grand Jury presented Judge Forbes with a resolution of thanks.

To J. G. Forbes, County Court Judge:—May it please your Honor:

We, the Grand Inquest of Carleton County, hereby certify that, for extending a welcome to your Honor, on this your first official visit to this county, we have been very much gratified.

While we regret the cause which necessitates the absence of your Honor from this county, we are glad to hear that you will be able to return to us in the near future, and we are sure that your presence will be a great benefit to the county.

His Honor returned thanks for the address and promised to inform Judge Stevens of the highly respectful address to him.

The following Civil Cases were entered for trial:—

Canadian Pacific Railway Company vs. B. Middle, Fisher & A. B. Connell, plaintiffs; Hartley & Curvell, defendants' attorneys.

A. W. Estabrooke vs. Samuel Lewis, Hartley & Curvell, plaintiffs' attorneys; R. K. Jones, defendant's attorney. This case is being tried as we go to press.

For Ladies Antrobus and Conn Jackets are made and cut by Hugh Hay & Son.

Town Council.

Friday evening, Dec. 6.—The absentees were Coun. Payson, Vanward and Smith.

Coun. Leighton reported that Mr. Appleby had met the committee, explained his bill to their satisfaction and offered to make an amended account, but the committee thought this unnecessary, and now recommended the payment of the bill.

Mr. Appleby, seconded by Coun. Jones, that the bill of S. B. Appleby as presented be paid. Coun. Jones said that the bill was a large one, and had caused a great deal of comment by the taxpayers; the committee had been decided to get an amended bill, but had failed to do so; he thought it justice to Mr. Appleby as well as to the taxpayers, the bill should be retained. The committee might understand the items, but other Councilors did not.

Under an amendment by Jones, seconded by Arndt, that the bill be handed back to committee to have it itemized.

Coun. Leighton reminded Coun. Jones that the bill of B. Connell for \$27, for advertising given the Marshal was presented, it was not itemized, but still it was paid all right.

When Mr. Appleby's bill was presented last evening he was not satisfied, because it was not itemized by the committee, and now the bill was recommended by the committee and should be passed same as any bill. There was no fault on the part of Mr. Appleby who had shown perfect willingness to itemize the account.

Coun. Gallagher thought it strange that committee had not done as they were instructed to do.

Coun. Nicholson asked what better off they would be if Mr. Appleby should itemize the account.

Coun. Jones—If the bill was itemized the taxpayers would understand it.

Coun. Orr said that he was a member of the committee, they had called on Mr. Appleby and from his explanation the bill looked all right, and they recommended its payment.

Afterward, on taking up the Street Tax, he reminded that the committee was instructed to obtain an itemized account; he admitted that as one of the committee he had overlooked his duty. He did not think, however, that if they had procured the itemized account it would have lessened the bill. He acknowledged that the committee had erred in not carrying out their instructions.

Coun. Bailey said it did not matter much how the oversight occurred, what they wanted was to know what they had received for the amount charged in the bill.

Coun. Orr said he supposed he was the cause of the trouble and therefore he would vote for the amendment and therefore he would vote for the amendment.

The amendment was now put and carried by the following vote: Yes, Orr, Bailey, Arndt, Jones, Gallagher—5. Nays, Leighton, Nicholson, 2.

The Sewer committee submitted their report, to which was attached the report of the Engineer and Superintendent. It is so reported that the sewerage system accompanying the remains of Mrs. Harry Curvell, of Lakeville, in the graveyard, reached the place of the fire just as it got underway.

Coun. Nicholson was in favor of the suggestion made at the last Council meeting, to have the sewerage system paid by the Council, in detail, in pamphlet form, and ordered to be published in one of the local papers.

Coun. Leighton called attention to the dangerous position in which he was in some of the streets, and requested to be looked up and have enforced the law bearing on the subject.

Coun. Carr submitted the report of the street surveyor on the alleged encroachments on St. Gertrude street, showing that on a number of the lots, the No. only being given, there were encroachments running from 2 feet to 9 feet.

Coun. Gallagher thought the report was not full enough, he thought it did not take in all the lots on the street.

Moved Leighton, seconded Gallagher, that report be referred back to committee to make a fuller report. Carried.

Coun. Bailey thought this survey was occupying a good deal of time; they had been waiting for the completion of the sewer, that the sewer might make a correct report, now when the report comes in it is "not correct. He heard no such objections when the report of the street surveyor on the other side of the street was before them. The survey extended as far as Prince William St., and there was no one on the other side of the street, and it looked him as though the effort was to shut off the whole matter.

Coun. Gallagher said there was this difference in the two cases as referred to by Coun. Bailey, in the former case a survey was asked for a certain part of the street, in the present instance it was a request for a survey of the whole street.

Coun. Nicholson could see no necessity for waiting, but thought committee should proceed to one to have the encroachments reported removed, in the meantime making the survey. Councilors did not seem so anxious to move now as they did in the Queen case, when they would eagerly wait from Monday till Friday morning, it looks as though the committee did not want the encroachments removed at all. They were not bound to wait for surveyor Stone for he could not set the door of his own ivory stable, while the public in other portions of the town were suffering for want of a light.

We are headquarters for Robes, both Cloth and Fur. Do not buy until you see us. Hugh Hay & Son.

JOTTINGS.

Congratulations to Dr. Hand over the accession to his family of the first boy. Noble & Traflet have a large assortment of raisins and currants, also oranges, lemons and citron peel.

New Valencia layer Raisins, in small boxes, selling very low, at the up-town Grocery, L. A. Vanward.

Elder J. Denton will preach in the chapel at Beldell Settlement, next Sunday morning, at 10.30 o'clock.

Mrs. Z. H. Peters, at the Ladies Emporium, is showing a very nice line of Novelties, suitable for Xmas gifts.

A trader in St. Marys, Ont., has shipped to Great Britain, the present season, 35 car loads or 420,000 dozen of eggs.

Are you going to keep Christmas? If so, buy your raisins and currants at Noble & Traflet's; they are good stock.

It is estimated that from 300,000 to 1,500,000 of logs, lumbered by Mr. Hutchinson, ran out of the Ottawa river last week and are lost.

The Dominion by-election for Montreal Centre is nomination 20th, polling 27th. For Jacques Cartier, nomination 23rd, polling 30th.

In St. John, last week, some horses, with a pedigree and record, were sold at auction at prices ranging from \$20 to \$55. Horses are cheap.

Services in the Advent chapel next Sunday as usual. The pastor will preach at the afternoon and evening services. Strangers are welcome.

The St. John Globe has issued a handsomely illustrated and valuable Trade Edition of 16 pages. It is a comprehensive resume of the trade of the city.

On the Shore Line railway there has been made a cut of 10 per cent. in wages of employees, and the Superintendent has been required to go on the road as a conductor.

Hair Brushes, Combs, Tooth Brushes, Cloth and Nail Brushes, Mirrors, at greatly reduced prices, during the Holiday season. Come and see Garden Bros., Druggists.

George Waters, who raised the past season 295 bushels of oats from 11 bushels sowing, does not live at Sackville, as the types made us say, but at Lakeville, this county.

The F. Baptists of Lakeville intend having an oyster supper and entertainment in the Orange Hall, on Xmas eve, the proceeds to go towards paying for the organ lately purchased.

We have received a copy of "The Woodstock Champion Chronicle," a nicely printed and handsomely illustrated advertising sheet, issued by the enterprising Oak Hall Clothing Co.

Don't forget to see the special offer we make in Toilet Cases. We have all kinds and prices. A good Brush, Comb and Mirror and handsome case, with a set of razors, at 25c. See it. Garden Bros., Druggists.

The 18th annual meeting of Carleton Co. Teachers' Institute will be held in Cole's Hall, Woodstock, not in Graham's Opera House, as printed on programmes, on Thursday and Friday, Dec. 19th and 20th.

The school at Upper Woodstock will give a concert in Union Hall, on Tuesday evening, Dec. 17. The programme will consist of dialogues, readings, recitations, singing, etc. Admission 10c and 15c.

Chestnut & Hipwell, Upper Woodstock, have 50 handsome pumps on hand for sale at low prices. They will repair or paint your pump or sleigh at short notice and in best style. See their ad next week.

Nuff said about bargains, cheap prices, we invite you to come in and look at ours. We are offering special prices on all kinds of Soap, Furniture and Pottery. See the Purse we offer at 10c. Garden Bros., Druggists.

The ladies are reminded that Mrs. E. J. Bailey is selling hats and millinery goods at way down holiday prices. A few sailors and walking hats still on hand, very cheap. Call on Colborne, over Garden Bros. drug store.

The birthday party of the F. C. B. church, Thursday evening last week, was a unique and pleasing entertainment. All present were delighted with the rendering of the literary programme, and fully satisfied with the refreshments served.

For Christmas presents have you seen our 1895 cobbler Oak Rockers, or large variety of Parlor Sets to select from; and our new picture frame mouldings and genuine oil pictures for the holidays. All can be got at J. S. Marcy's, Connell St.

On the sixth day of November, last year, the first great snow storm of the season occurred. This year it came on the sixth day of December, when there was a heavy fall of snow and severe weather, the prospect being that winter, in this area, would be a long one.

The concert in Tilley's hall, Jacksonville, Saturday evening, was a complete success in every way. \$16 was realized, to go towards repairing the Episcopal church. After the concert, the members taking part therein, were served with refreshment by the Jacksonville ladies.

Falling in a good thing! That's what everyone says who visits our store. We are showing some great values in Holiday Goods. How would a real Briar Pipe do, or a box of Havana Cigars. We've got them and right prices, too. Garden Bros., Druggists.

Mr. C. H. Williamson, Bloomfield, called on SENTINEL, Thursday morning, and mentioned as something noteworthy, the fact that coming in to Woodstock at an early hour of the morning, there was plainly visible, at one time, in the heavens, the moon, the sun, two brilliant sun dogs, and a star.

Every intelligent person knows a good thing when he sees it. The people of Carleton and neighboring counties are intelligent; D. A. Grant & Co., with their handsome display of Pungs, have the good thing. The Pungs are comfortable; they are solidly built; they can be had at a reasonable price. Call and see them.

Geo. Watters, Williamstown, has in a forward state of completion, a fine two story dwelling house. The outside is now finished and the inside is being plastered. When finished this house will be one of the finest in the settlement. Peter Appleby is the carpenter, and Wm. D. Stevens the mason.

Mr. Laurence, oculist optician, will be at the Wilbur House, Woodstock, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Dec. 9, 10, 11th, at W. B. Thiel's, Harland, Thursday the 12th, and at John McIntosh's, Glasville, Friday Dec. 13th. All defects of vision accurately corrected. Over 10,000 persons successfully fitted within the last 5 years. No failures when no actual disease of the eyes exists.

When you are ready to buy your Christmas goods, you will miss it if you forget to visit H. Paxton Baird's. The bargain counter is the leading feature in his unusually large holiday exhibit; the very large line offered and the astonishingly low prices will attract a large number of customers to his store. The cheap sale is actual and a call will convince you of that fact. Following the custom of the store for the past few years, the unusually large line of brushes, soaps, perfumes, purees, valentines, hair pipes, and other holiday sundries are offered at the usual December reduction.

See ad. notice of F. and D. Association, Carleton, on 15th.

Rer. G. F. Currie, Tracy's Mills, supplied the F. C. B. pulpit last Sunday.

Rex Thomas Todd will occupy the F. C. B. pulpit, morning and evening, Sunday next.

A special sale of Flour to continue until Christmas at the up-town Grocery; some choice brands at very low prices. L. A. Vanward.

A Mock Parliament was duly organized Friday evening last, with J. C. Hartley leader of the Government and D. B. Gallagher, leader of the Opposition. The parliament meets this Friday evening at 7.30, in Graham's building.

Making money is easy enough; we've got the formula to come to us and we'll tell you the secret. The best way to save your money is to buy where you get the most for your investment—10 cents in invested in Perfumes with us is equal to 15 spent elsewhere; there's a make at our store; see it. Garden Bros., Druggists.

Personals.

Mr. M. O. Smith, of Lakeville, was in town Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Burpee are in Rome and will probably pass the winter in Egypt. G. H. Garden, Esq., O. E. of Montreal, paid his friends here a brief visit this week.

Mr. Blackie, of the C. P. R., Montreal, was in town one day last week; his many friends were glad to meet him.

Sir Charles Tupper is expected to arrive in Canada this week. This visit is caused by much speculation as to the object.

Another vacancy is created in the Senate by the death of Senator Murphy, of Montreal; he died on Friday of last week, aged 77 years.

Our obituary column contains the record of the death of a young man, Mr. W. B. A. West, who had reached the advanced age of 97 years and 6 months.

Major Vince returned, Monday, from his visit to the United States and the extended stay at Philadelphia, and he comes back much benefited in health by the rest from business and change of environment.

Rer. Dr. Shaw, assistant missionary secretary of the Methodist church, died at Toronto on the 3rd, aged 65 years. He died from injuries received by being run down by a trolley while riding on a bicycle on one of the principal streets.

Benton Items.

Dec. 12, 1895. The roads are beginning to get good after last week's heavy snow storm.

Lumbering prospects are dull. It is feared that many men and teams will be idle this winter.

The Unitarian Baptists will hold a concert on Christmas eve, the Methodists, another Christmas night. Judging from the preparations being made, both will be good.

Mrs. J. W. Doucette of Windsor, Carleton Co., spent Sunday with Mr. O. A. Lawin.

Albert Edwin Lewis, who learned the carpenter's trade with D. A. Grant & Co., of Woodstock, and went to Lowell, Mass., last summer to seek his fortune, has worked up so rapidly that he is now foreman of a department in one of Lowell's leading establishments. The SENTINEL is always pleased to hear of the success of Carleton County boys abroad.

Mr. W. A. Sharpe has a fine stock of Millinery goods, and is now advertising to make purchases in that line during the Christmas period, will do well to make her call and inspect her goods. Her business was so full of order and well established; and customers may expect fair treatment and good bargains.

Henry Foreman is slowly recovering from the effects of his accident.

Leigh Speer had the rest of his thumb amputated on Tuesday, the 3rd instant. He now feels much better, and his complete recovery is assured. He has been severely afflicted, and his friends are very glad to hear that his condition is improving.

Don't forget the Christmas Concert in the Presbyterian church at Oak Mountain, on Saturday Eve, Dec. 24th. A good time is expected.

Our 6th White Laundry Shirt beats the others. Hugh Hay & Son.

TOWN HALLS AS PUBLIC EDUCATOR.

On the 17th April, 1890, the town of Woodstock received its first setback, in the fire which destroyed every vestige of buildings in the business portion of the town, covering an area of six acres and valued at \$275,000. Nearly the last building destroyed was the M. Institute, and it seems to all the eye of our sorrow on that eventful night. From a nicely fitted up armory, on the first floor, were removed at the last moment the rifles and accoutrements of the "Woodstock Rifles," a rifle building was immediately erected by the Hon. Charles Connell near the bridge, in the upper part of which was finished a commodious room, and the armory was open by the Hon. Charles Connell for the use of the public for all public purposes when required by the people. During the winter of 1894, sixty young men from various parts of the County of Carleton were thoroughly drilled in this hall, by an instructor from the regular service, and prepared to discharge their duty in the event of a call to arms.

On the 26th Nov., Anna H. beloved wife of George B. Shaw, of Smyrna, Maine, formerly of Upper Woodstock, N. B. Deceased was a faithful Christian, and beloved and respected by all who knew her. The family have the heartfelt sympathy of many friends in their sorrow.

DIED. At Woodstock, on Dec. 3rd inst., Mrs. Janet Knox, aged 97 years, 6 months. Suddenly, at Reutherly, Nov. 28th, Mr. James J. in the 61th year of his age. Buried on Dec. 10th, at 2 p. m. As it is our Father's Meeting, we would like to see a good attendance of the Farmers.

W. A. TAYLOR. Sec-Treas. 1st-100.

STAMMERING! Being afflicted with Stammering, I would like to have the names of all others likewise afflicted, so that I can cure myself. Answers sent in to the Editor of the Carleton Co. N. B. P. O. Box No. 10, 1st-100, Woodstock, Dec. 11, 1895.—J. P. GLIDEN.

F. and D. Association. FLORENCEVILLE, Dec. 18, 1895.—The next meeting of the Carleton County Farmers' and Dairy-men's Association will be held at Greenville, on Monday, Dec. 23rd, at 2 p. m. As it is our Father's Meeting, we would like to see a good attendance of the Farmers.

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NOTICE.—Strayed into my Stable, Dec. 10th, a black and white horse, with a white blaze on its face, and a white star on its forehead. If anyone has seen or heard of this horse, please call on me at my stable, or at my residence, 1st-100, Woodstock, Dec. 11, 1895.—J. P. GLIDEN.

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country at St. Andrews. It was the rendezvous, the rallying point where the people could assemble at any time, without let or hindrance, to discuss local or general questions of public interest.

Football and the Elements.

The brutality attributed to football affects the few; the suffering from exposure to the elements affects the multitude of spectators, laying a foundation for disease that rarely results fatally or in prolonged illness. Prolonged exposure to cold and fatigue causes rheumatism, neuralgia, and other ailments, which are more or less permanent. It is like a warm blanket to ward off the cold. It keeps up the circulation, revives the drooping spirits, prevents numbness, and with the forerunners of serious illness. Carry it, take, and be safe. '77 for Grip, Colds, Rheumatism, Catarrh, pneumonia in the Head and Chest, Cough, Sore Throat, General Prostration and Fever, and prevents Paralysis. '77 will 'break up' a stubborn cold that hangs on. Dr. Humphrey puts up a specific for every disease. They are described in an Manual, which is sent free. Small bottles of pleasant pellets fit your pocket; sold by druggists, or sent on receipt of price, 25c, or five for \$1. Humphrey's Medicine Company, 111 and 113 William Street, New York. Be sure to get Humphreys.

Literary Notices. The last story Stevenson wrote, and the one on which he was still engaged when death overtook him, is called "A Treasury of the Great North Road." The first installment appears in the Christmas number of The Cosmopolitan. James Lane Allen begins his new novel, "Batteries," which promises to be among the best works of that author. "Odds," with one of her inimitable character sketches, Sarah Street and Zephyr, with Stevenson, make the fiction a strong and