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In Carleton County nomination is on the 19th inst.; polling, 26th and declaration March 1st.

In the by-elections for the local legislature, Westmoreland, York and Kent have returned government supporters by acclamation. Carleton will, doubtless, follow suit.

THE Dominion Government have been officially advised that the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York are going to Australia and it is considered altogether likely that they will return by way of Canada.

It was not all harmonious among the Conservatives, at their caucus, at Ottawa, last week. However, on the second night of meeting, R. L. Borden, K. C., of Halifax, was elected leader of the forlorn hope.

THE business of Parliament will not be delayed this session for any want of preparations on the part of the government. Already the chief Departmental reports have been laid before the House and on Monday the estimates for 1901-02 were brought down. There is quite a decrease on both capital and consolidated fund account.

It is stated that the amount spent by tourists, in the Maritime Provinces last season, was not less than two and a quarter million dollars. This, therefore, proves to be an important and profitable field for encouragement, and the government and people should heartily unite in fostering and developing tourist travel in these provinces.

THE case of Boone vs. Bradley, which was tried in the Circuit Court here in October and which resulted in a verdict for the defendant, was argued on appeal before the Supreme Court in Fredericton on Thursday last. The Court unanimously dismissed the appeal with costs, consequently the verdict stands. A. B. Connell, K. C., for plaintiff; F. B. Carvell for defendant.

The Bridge Contracts.

During the past summer the Hon. Mr. LaBelle invited tenders for the construction of four steel bridges to be erected in this Province from New Brunswick concerns, but at the expiration of the time stated, no tenders were received and he therefore decided to throw the competition open to the world and the advertisements were given the widest publicity possible, with the result that the Contract for all four of the bridges was awarded to the Berlin Iron Works of Three Rivers, Quebec, at prices averaging within a fraction of six cents per lb. To this must be added the cost of inspection at the works, which will bring the cost very nearly up to the price paid by the Government to the Record Foundry Co. about which so much has been written and said during the last two years. Then again, in discussing this question it must be borne in mind that, while the four bridges include seven spans, four of them, viz: Three at the Upper Corner Bridges near Sussex and Taylor's Mill Dam Bridge are of exactly the same dimensions, which means that when the "templates" (or wooden patterns) are made for one, they are made for all four, thereby very materially reducing the cost of all excepting the first, because it must be remembered that a wooden pattern must first be made exact to the one-fiftieth part of an inch for every piece of metal used in the construction of the work, and it does not require a mechanic to appreciate the great reduction in price, when it happens that there are a number of spans of exactly the same dimensions. This is a long way from the 3 1/2 to 4 cents per lb which was claimed by our Conservative friends as the outside figure necessary for the construction of these bridges, the investigation of which at the last session of the Legislature cost this Province not less than \$8000, an amount which would have built two or three permanent bridges. But the remarkable feature of the transaction is the tenders of the Hamilton Bridge Co., the people who were really behind the whole business and who sent their Manager, Mr. Roy, to Fredericton last winter to swear that these New Brunswick bridges could be built for 4 cents per lb. This Company tendered for all four of the bridges now being built and these tenders actually averaged between 6 1/2 and 7 cents per lb., and the tender for the Taylor's Mill Dam Bridge was for \$7.28 per 100 lbs, instead of \$4.00, the price for

which Mr. Roy swore they would like to build bridges in New Brunswick last winter. Surely if ever a Government was acquitted of a charge and justified in a course of action, the Government of New Brunswick is in that position to-day as a result of these tenders, and it will now be in order for Mr. Hazen to explain away the cold logic of facts as they appear at present. Evidently we have heard the last of the bridge charges and the only thing to be regretted, from the Government standpoint, is the squandering of \$8000 of public money to gratify the spleen of a few jealous Canadian bridge companies.

An Eloquent Address.

We would especially direct attention to the great speech of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, delivered in the House of Commons on Friday, in proposing a resolution of sympathy on the death of our late lamented Queen, which is found in this issue of the SENTINEL. There certainly is not another man in public life in Canada, and probably not in the colonial portion of the Empire, who possesses the ability to make such a speech as that of the Premier of Canada.

He seems to have grasped the true cause of the greatness of Queen Victoria, and great indeed must be the mind which has the ability to so analyze the character of another as has been done in this speech by Sir Wilfrid Laurier. And this is the man who is assailed by men of small minds, all over Canada, for no other reason than because he happened to be born of another race than ourselves, and to worship his Creator in a different church from that of the majority of the English speaking portions of Canada.

We heartily commend this speech, especially to our Tory friends, and would advise them to read it over carefully and then ask themselves if their consciences do not chide them somewhat for having so vilified, for the past year, a man who has a heart so big, and a mind so broad as to be capable of voicing such sentiments as those contained in this great tribute to our venerable departed Queen.

The Candidate.

The Convention of those friendly to the Local Government, which was in session when the SENTINEL was put to press last week, was fairly representative and quite an enthusiastic one. The presence of the Provincial Secretary and Hon H. A. McKeown, who both made excellent speeches, tended much to the interest of the meeting.

The Convention heartily and unanimously selected S. B. Appleby K. C. as their candidate for the vacant chair in the local legislature. Mr. Appleby accepted the nomination and will no doubt, be elected, and, probably, without opposition.

The SENTINEL has no need to introduce Mr. Appleby to the people of Carleton County, where he is so well known, and among whom he bears so honorable a reputation. His Liberal principles and his fearless advocacy of the same springing solely from a conscientious belief in their correctness has brought him into prominence in the political world. He stands high in his profession as a lawyer, and has represented this his native County in the Dominion Parliament, where his deportment and ability was such as to do credit to his constituents, and secure for himself the respect of the members of both sides of politics. He is a ready and good speaker, and we hope to see him elected by the unanimous voice of the people.

The same day that the government supporters met in convention the opposition friends held a meeting and after thoroughly considering the question decided not to put up a candidate, but to let Mr. Appleby be returned without their opposition.

Parliamentary Notes.

The opening of parliament last week, on account of the court mourning, was of a less demonstrative character than is customary.

The address in reply to the speech from the throne was moved by Hugh Guthrie, of South Wellington, and seconded by Charles Marcell, of Bonaventure, each of whom made excellent speeches. Mr. Borden briefly replied, complimenting the mover and seconder on their able addresses, after which the address carried and adjournment took place.

The women of Minnesota are greatly excited over a bill now before the legislature of that state, the purpose of which is to prevent women over 45 years of age from marrying.

Dr. Charles Hay Married.

The Philadelphia Press, of the 7th. inst. contains the following:—Miss Louisa Gordon Price, daughter of the late John Hyland Price, of Wilmington, Delaware, and Dr. Charles MacKenzie Hay, of this city, were married at noon yesterday, at the home of the bride's aunt, Miss Gordon, in Chestnut Hill.

The ceremony was performed by Bishop O. W. Whitaker, a close personal friend of the bride. Owing to the illness of the bride's aunt, the wedding was a very quiet one, there being no bridesmaids or best man.

Miss Price is a young lady of many accomplishments and a charming personality, and has a host of friends in Wilmington, Baltimore, Washington and this city.

The bridegroom is a native of Woodstock, N. B., Canada. He is a graduate of the University of Dalhousie, Halifax, N. S., and of the medical department of the University of Pennsylvania, in the class of '88. He is a member of the leading medical societies of this city and of the University Club.

After a wedding breakfast, Dr. and Mrs. Hay took the Florida special from Broad Street Station for a tour through the Southern States. Only the immediate relatives and a few close personal friends of the bride and bridegroom were present. Among those who witnessed the ceremony were Mr. J. Wallace de Beck Farris, of Grand Lake, Canada, and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Hay, of Woodstock, N. B., parents of the bridegroom.

THE SENTINEL tenders warmest congratulations.

JOTTINGS.

Friday last was the 40th anniversary of the cold Friday.

Watch for Saunders Bros. new advertisement next week.

W. P. Jones, K. C., attended Supreme Court, Fredericton, last week.

John T. Bulmer, of Halifax, the well known lawyer and prohibitionist, is dead, at the age of 55 years.

Have you seen those handsome memorial spoons to Queen Victoria, which H. V. Dalling is engraving?

There appears to be a prospect that the E. B. Eddy Company will locate a match factory, at Milltown, Charlotte Co.

C. M. Sherwood wants a quantity of good smoked hams, at once, at 12 cents. Prices will decline as weather grows warmer.

A horse, owned by Julius Neilson, while hauling a load of wood up Main street, on Monday, fell and broke his neck.

Queen Victoria left the largest portion of her private fortune to the King, who also inherits Balmoral and Osborne House.

In the children's carnival, in the ice rink, Saturday, prizes were awarded Miss Edith Dalling and Master Charlie Jones.

Alvah, 5 year old son of F. A. Good, was unfortunate enough to fall the other day striking his head on the stove and inflicting such a cut that a couple of stitches had to be taken in it.

A junior match of hockey was played Saturday afternoon between a picked team and the B. C. A. team, the former winning. The skate boys also have a team which is playing in the series.

The train due here from the north, on Wednesday evening, has not reached here Thursday, as we go to press. This, doubtless, accounts for the non-receipt of our usual correspondence.

Rev. Geo. M. Campbell, of Fredericton, will occupy the Methodist pulpit here Sunday morning and evening. His many friends in this community will be glad to hear the talented speaker again.

In the one mile race in the roller rink, on Saturday evening of last week, Denny Glew defeated Norman Shea, of Houlton, by a half-lap. The floor, skates and management were all that could be desired.

Mallory's sugar cured hams, the very best on the market, every ham guaranteed to give satisfaction, for sale by R. E. Holyoke's. Any purchaser not being satisfied with their hams can return them and get their money back.

On Thursday evening of last week the lovers of hockey saw a game, in the Century rink, that delighted their hearts, when the Argonauts and Wellingtons met in the third game of the series. Jack Dibblee was a satisfactory referee. The Wellingtons won with a score of 4 to 3.

Any person desirous of contracting for the delivery of 250,000 feet of pine and basswood, either in logs or sawed, might call at the office of the Woodstock Woodworking Company. Shaw and Dibblee Hartland want cordwood, spruce, fir and poplar logs, in exchange for hardware, stoves, machinery, groceries or anything else they handle.

The annual meeting of the Richmond Agricultural Society, for the purchasing of seed, will be held in the hall at Debec, on Tuesday, 19th inst, at 2 o'clock, p. m. All wishing seed will please attend. B. D. Hoyt, secretary.

From C. V. Wetmore, Sydney, C. B. we are in receipt of two neat and convenient calendars, issued respectively by the Scottish Union and National Insurance Co., and Norwich Union Fire Insurance Society, of which he is agent.

J. T. G. Carr Hartland, is prepared to pay top prices for FARM PRODUCE—Hay, Oats, Butter, Cheese, Pork, Beans, etc.

There will be two races in the roller rink on Saturday evening. One, a two mile race, between John Cameron of Bangor and John Brown Jr. of Woodstock. During the intermission there will be an apple race between the skate boys. Look out for heaps of fun.

Noble and Trafton beg to assure the public that they greatly appreciate the liberal patronage given them. They will strive to merit a continuance of the same by keeping only stock of the best purest and freshest kind and selling them at lowest possible rates.

The weather for the past ten days has been of the coldest and roughest character. The drifting storms have given the railway folks a tremendous amount of hard work to keep their main lines open at all and the arrival and departure of trains have been and are very irregular.

THE SENTINEL is glad to announce that an agreement has been entered into by the grocery men of the town to close their respective places of business, on three evenings of each week, Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at 6.30, p. m. Wednesday evening the new arrangement took effect, when all the grocery stores shut at the hour named.

I. E. Sheasgreen was agreeably surprised, when, on Wednesday, some dozen or more of his personal friends called at his drug store and presented him with a handsome office chair, for the neat little office which he has recently fitted up. J. C. Hartley accompanied the presentation with a few well timed remarks. Mr. Sheasgreen returned thanks for the unexpected token of friendship given him.

There was a good attendance at the Carleton Co Agricultural Society meeting on Saturday afternoon. C. H. L. Perkins gave an interesting account of the proceedings at the F. & D. Association meeting at Fredericton. The lease of the park for five years was given to H. E. Gallagher. W. S. Saunders, Dr. Hand and John Connor were appointed a committee to consult with the local members, and solicit the government for a grant of \$1,000 towards an exhibition here next fall.

The Baku Fire.

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 8.—Advices from Baku announce that the fire has been extinguished. Ten factories and five depots were burned, containing altogether 35,000,000 pounds of naphtha and naphtha refuse. It is estimated that the losses will exceed 6,000,000 roubles.

Nine charred corpses have been recovered. One hundred and sixty persons were injured by burning, 41 of those severely and six have succumbed to their injuries. Many victims are still under the ruins and the search is proceeding. It is not known how many of the spectators perished but a hundred persons are still missing.

A committee has been formed by the Caspian and Black Sea Company to register the losses of life and property and to provide shelter for the homeless. The Rothschild's firm has applied to Paris for material assistance for the sufferers.

A hundred homeless families are being distributed and housed in the neighborhood; bread is doled to the employees of the factories at the expense of the authorities and the public is subscribing generously to the relief fund.

Pocket Edition of Dr. Humphreys' Manual.

Its venerable author here gives the result of half a century of professional experience in perfecting his system of medicine. As a guide to those who use his specifics, and valuable hints as to diet and care of the sick, this manual of 144 pages is admirably systematized for their needs. The professional tone which pervades every page of the book, augments its value. This pocket edition contains a portrait of the author and the cover is a beautiful half-tone from an original model, and will be sent free, postage prepaid, on request to the Humphreys' Medical Company, Cor. William & John Sts., New York.

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OF ALL WINTER WEIGHTS OF CLOTHING.

Ulsters, Reefers, Overcoats, Suits, &c.,

At Liberal Reductions for Cash.

To Help Us is to Help Yourselves.

John McLaughlin.

Answering the enquiry of a correspondent, we may say, the new cemetery is in a lot purchased from Mr. Upham, about a mile from town, on the south bank of the Meduxnakeag. A very convenient and beautiful site.

TENDERS WANTED

For the delivery of 200 Cords or more of Slag, from the old Woodstock Iron Works, to be delivered on the main road between the Hay Scales and the road leading to Freight Station. Tenders to be per cord and time for receiving same will close the 28th February inst. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

JAS. CARR,
Chairman Road Com.
Woodstock, Feb. 12, 1901.—21-7.

WANTED—A young man or boy to learn the Cheese and Butter Making Business. Must be well recommended as to character, etc. A year-round job to the right man, after learning the business. JOHN D. FRIER, Waterford, Kings Co., N. B. 21p-7.

Election Card.

To the Electors of the County of Carleton.

GENTLEMEN,—At a Convention of the friends of the Provincial Government, held in the Town Hall, in the Town of Woodstock, on the seventh day of February instant, I was unanimously chosen as a candidate for the vacant seat in the Provincial Legislature.

I accepted the nomination so tendered me, and I shall be a candidate at the approaching election. Respectfully soliciting your votes and influence, I am,

Sincerely yours,
STEPHEN B. APPLEBY.

Dated February 9th, A.D. 1901. 21-7.

NOTICE!

An application will be made at the next sitting of the New Brunswick Legislative Assembly for the incorporation of a Railway Company, to be called The Saint John Valley Railway Company, with power to build a line of railway from the City of Saint John, or from a point on the Canadian Pacific Railway at or near Westfield to Fredericton, following the valley of the Saint John River as nearly as may be reasonably practicable, also from the northerly terminus of the railway which the Woodstock and Centreville Railway Company is authorized by its Charter to construct to St. Leonards, in the County of Victoria, to connect with the Resigouche and Western Railway, and also with power to build from St. Leonards to Edmundston, and with authority to make arrangements for running powers over portions of the Canadian Pacific Railway between Westfield and St. John and from St. Leonards to Edmundston if found advantageous and feasible, likewise with power to amalgamate with or acquire running powers over the Saint John Valley and Riverview Du Loup Railway and the Woodstock and Centreville Railway, when constructed; and with all other powers incident to a Railway Company and for the purpose of obtaining rights of way, lands for the purposes of the company and all other necessary Railway powers for building, equipping, managing and maintaining the railway lines of the Company.

Dated the 2nd day of January, 1901.
C. N. SKINNER,
Solicitor for Applicants.

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CARR & GIBSON,

Watchmakers, Jewellers and Issuers of Marriage Licenses, keep Wedding Rings of every size, 4 and 18 karat, guaranteed as stamped U. S. assay. Munzer's Block, 31 Main Street.

New Advertisements.

FOR SALE—One Span Black Horses, weighing 3,000 pounds.
Apply to W. R. WRIGHT.
(21-p-7)

MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS.

A meeting of the Stockholders of THE CARLETON SENTINEL PUBLISHING CO., Ltd., will be held in the office of the SENTINEL, on Monday evening, 18th inst., at 8 p. m. Matters of importance will be considered, and it is important that every stockholder be present.

JAS. WATTS,
Secretary.

Woodstock, Feb. 13.—11.

HOCKEY!

Another Great Game!

Woodstock

Versus

Fredericton.

Century Ice Rink

MONDAY, February 18

ADMISSION, 25 CENTS.

(11-7)

Game called at 9 o'clock.

AGENTS WANTED for "THE LIFE AND REIGN OF QUEEN VICTORIA," including special memorial tributes from the most eminent British and Canadian statesmen, and "The Life of King Edward VII." Size 10 x 7, about 600 pages, better illustrated than any rival work. Written by Dr. Jno. Coulter, from London, Eng., the celebrated Historian and Journalist, and John A. Cooper, editor Canadian Magazine, Toronto. Price only \$1.25—new book from cover to cover. Extra large commission; credit given; prospectus free to canvassers. World Publishing Co., Guelph, Ont.—11-4.



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A. HENDERSON

Woodstock, Feb. 8, 1901.

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