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NOT BAD—An exchange says: Mr. Foster recently referred to North Ontario as "this long, crooked constituency." Sir William Mulock in opening the Liberal campaign at Bracebridge the other night, said there was a certain degree of resemblance between this riding and Mr. Foster; it was a case of length without breadth.

A BILL is before the Maine Legislature asking for the incorporation of the East Branch Improvement Company, the purpose of which is to divert the waters of Chamberlain Lake, in Northern Maine, from the Allegash river, which drains it and which empties into the St. John, and cause the water of the lake to flow into the east branch of the Penobscot. The result, it is said, will be to injure lumbermen operating on the Allegash and St. John, by diminishing the flow of water during the driving season and otherwise.

PROVINCIAL ELECTIONS.

We have no official information on the subject, but the very general impression prevails, which we think well founded, that the elections will be on the 25th inst. If this rumor is correct, the time for canvassing and other preparation is certainly brief; but perhaps it is better that the "agony" should be short and soon over. However, whatever is necessary to be done, by either party, must be done speedily. In this county the Government, we believe, has a strong hold on the confidence and good will of the electorate. Carleton county is perfectly satisfied with the careful administration of public business; with the general economy displayed; with the attention given to roads and bridges; with the assistance, material and moral, given to the fostering and development of the great industries, agricultural, mineral, fishing and milling of New Brunswick and, more especially, to the aiding so successfully and largely the great farming and dairy interests. Believing so, the people of Carleton will, if left to their own free choice, when election day comes, show by their votes, that they know a good thing when they see it, and that they do not intend to swap horses when crossing a stream.

Let the friends of the government meet and decide upon their ticket, let them honestly stand by that ticket, and the result is assured so far as Carleton goes—a victory for the government.

F. & D. Association Officers.

The Farmers' & Dairyman's Association meeting at Sussex, with the exception of the addresses which were chiefly the same as those delivered here, was not so successful as one, either in attendance or membership, as the Woodstock meeting. The following are the officers elected for the year:—

President, Charles F. Rogers.
Vice-president, George J. Dickson.
Cor. secretary, Thos. A. Peters.
Rec. secretary, A. G. Dickson.
Treasurer, A. M. Fawcett.

County Vice-presidents:
Kings, John Raymond.
Westmorland, W. W. Fawcett.
Albert, N. C. Geldert.
St. John, R. R. Patchell.
Charlotte, George Mowatt.
York, P. C. Pows.
Carleton, C. L. Smith.
Sunbury, H. Wilmet.
Quebec, S. I. Peters.
Northumberland, Clifford Galloway.
Kent, George N. Clark.
Victoria, David Curry.
Madawaska, Peter Colin.
Gloucester, David Richards.
Restigouche, John Dawson.

A FAMOUS RECITER.

Dr. Drummond, of Montreal, the celebrated dialect reader, poet and author, who has been giving a series of readings in the States of New York and Massachusetts—including a \$900 house in Brooklyn—on his way home gave readings in Sackville and Fredericton. On invitation of the A. O. H. of this town, he delighted a fairly large audience in the Opera House, Wednesday evening. R. F. Waddleton was chairman, and introduced Mayor Belyea, who, in well-chosen remarks, welcomed Dr. Drummond to Woodstock, assuring him that by his writings he was well-known and justly popular with a large number of the people of the town. Among the selections given by Dr. Drummond from his book "The Habitant," were Little Bateeste, Johnny Corbeau, Father O'Hara, Bell of St. Michael, and a toast of the Dublin Fusiliers, at the battle of Glencoe.

JOTTINGS.

Chas Comben, after his tedious and serious illness, is able to be out again.
Rev F. A. Currier and Rev Geo. A. Ross, exchanged pulpits Sunday morning.

Arch Munro of the Nova Scotia bank has been quite ill lately, but is able to be out again.

A good deal of snow has fallen during the week, and in consequence the roads are in bad condition.

Miss Hattie Gabel entertained a number of her girl friends at a 5 o'clock tea Tuesday, Feb. 3rd.

W. S. Sutton of the Woodstock Woodworking Factory was in Houlton this week on a business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Skillen entertained a number of their friends at whist on Wednesday evening, Feb. 4th.

Rev S. A. Baker has been appointed editor of the *King's Highway*, as successor to Rev G. W. McDonald, deceased.

In the F. B. Church, Sunday evening, the pastor, Rev F. A. Currier administered the rite of baptism to four candidates.

Jas. Astles, the hustling insurance agent, hands us a very neat calendar for 1903, issued by the company he so ably represents, the Canada Life Assurance Company.

Geo. W. Sharpe, Pembroke, has imported one of the Oak Lodge Yorkshire boars, bacon type, from J. E. Brethour, Buford, Ont., the famous Yorkshire breeder.

The Centuary Ice Rink is proving a fashionable and popular place of enjoyment. The ice is kept in good condition and nightly crowds gather to indulge in the harmless and beautiful pastime of skating.

Chas. E. Griffith informs the SENTINEL that the statement copied into this paper that he had presented a claim as heir to an estate in Canada, is not correct. The person who made the claim, was a Chas. E. Griffin.

On Tuesday morning 8 o'clock, the feast day of St. Blaise, the usual celebration of the blessing of the throat took place in St. Gertrude's church, followed by the sacrifice of Mass. Rev W. F. Chapman, celebrant.

The monthly meeting of the Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Society of St. Paul's Presbyterian church met at Mrs. Donald Munro's residence on Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 3rd. A good program was rendered.

Word has reached his family here, that Stanley Street, who left here last fall, and has since been running as brakeman on a line of railway near the Mexican boundary, has had his foot so badly crushed as to necessitate amputation.

Mary Ann Smith, said to be the oldest woman in Canada, is dead at her home in Woodham, aged 115. She was a native of Ireland and has resided in this country 48 years. She was very bright and active up to within a few months ago.

"The Wakefield Parish Sunday school convention will be held on Wednesday 11th inst. at Jacksonville, in the Methodist Church." Afternoon session 2 o'clock; evening session 7 o'clock. All Sunday school workers are cordially invited.

Miss Lizzie Mullin, who has the school at Cloverdale this term, unfortunately fell on the icy sidewalk, on Monday, dislocating a shoulder. She is under the care of Dr. Rankin and will be confined to the house for a week or more by the accident.

The I. O. Railway are issuing a neat little monthly calendar, each month bearing a picture of notable places along their line of railroad. The view in the February calendar is a picture of Quebec from Levis, and next month the view will be Murray Harbor.

Noble & Traflet are headquarters for anything in the grocery and canned goods line, fruit, confectionery, etc. These goods are all fresh and pure and the prices are as low as any. They have a fine lot of teas, and a brand of coffee that cannot be beat.

Rev Charles Flemington has delivered his lecture on "Some Reminiscences of Mission Life in Newfoundland," at Hay Settlement, Hartin and Skiff Lake, during the past few days. He expects to visit most of the appointments on his circuit and the whole of the proceeds will be devoted to the reduction of the parsonage debt. All who can should hear this most interesting lecture.

C. M. Sherwood, Centreville, is preparing for an extensive sale of Furniture of all kinds, for the early spring months. Good hardwood bedroom suites for \$12 and \$14; solid oak suites \$14.70 to \$20; parlor suites in great variety of upholstery and prices. Chairs, rockers, mattresses, springs, chiffoniers, hall racks, book cases, extension tables, parlor tables and a host of other articles too numerous to mention. All sold at exceedingly low prices. Picture framing neatly executed. Extensive variety of mouldings and trimmings from which most becoming selections may be made.

Mrs. Hugh Harrison entertained a number of friends at an enjoyable 5 o'clock tea, Wednesday afternoon.

Wanted at the Woodstock Woodworking Factory, Ash and Basswood lumber. Highest market price paid.

The junior hockey team intend going to St. John on Tuesday next to play the Trinity church team of that city.

For \$1.60 we can furnish the great Toronto weekly, *The Globe*, and the SENTINEL, and the *Globe* premium picture.

Street rumor has it that a Convention of the friends of the Government is to be held in Woodstock Thursday of next week.

The lecture announced for Wednesday evening, by Rev Mr. Fleming, in the Methodist school room, was postponed until further notice.

A. D. Holyoke has been appointed Inspector of The Great West Life Assurance Company, Maritime branch. His headquarters will be at St. John.

Miss Elizabeth Bull gave a very nice party on Tuesday evening. Dancing was the chief amusement and a very pleasant time was spent by all.

On Thursday evening of last week a dance, under the auspices of Donovan's orchestra, was given in the house. It was an enjoyable affair for all present.

F. B. Carvell has been in Fredericton this week, submitting the plans of the Woodstock Electric Light Company to the Provincial Government, for their approval.

Preparatory service was held in St. Paul's Presbyterian church last Friday night. There was one baptism and several were received into full membership of the church.

The case of Manzer vs. Mooers, before the Supreme Court, last week, on application for a new trial; the court considers. A. B. Connell, K. O. for plaintiff; W. P. Jones for defendant.

In the case of Mrs. Marsten charged with poisoning her husband the jury after a three hours consideration, found her not guilty. H. A. McKeown for crown, Currie and J. C. Hartley for prisoner.

The new Presbyterian church at Glassville, will be dedicated on Sabbath, March 8th. There will be three services on that day. Several clergymen are expected to be present. Friends are cordially invited to attend.

Congratulations to our young friend Chas. F. Rogers, Northampton, over his election as president of the F. & D. Association. He is one of Carleton County's enterprising and intelligent young farmers, and will make an efficient officer.

H. V. Dalling is remodelling his store. A fine hardwood floor has been laid and two 15 feet tables have taken the place of the old counters. A furnace is being put in and many other improvements are to be added, which will make a very bright and up to date store.

In addition to our usual stock, we would call especial attention to some of the new goods arriving nearly every day, such as Cleaned Currants, Lemon and Muscatel Raisins, Citron, Seeded and Orange Peels, pure spices, essences, nuts of various kinds, fruits, chocolates and confectionery of all kinds, with prices right. Don't forget the place, No. 4 Main street. C. B. Snow.

Rev M. J. Coughlan, of Johnville, contracted typhoid fever about four weeks ago, followed by a general collapse of the system. On Tuesday night a fatal termination of his illness was expected; on Wednesday evening he rallied somewhat, but is not out of danger. Frs. Chapman, Bradley and Murphy have visited him several times, and rendered him every possible assistance. Dr. Commis, who is in attendance, has the help of a trained nurse, Miss Bull, formerly of the Woodstock Hospital staff. The many friends of the young priest hope for a speedy recovery.

A MEMORABLE RIDE.

The most memorable ride in English history was that of Sir Arthur Owen, which placed the Hanoverian dynasty on the throne of Great Britain. The act of settlement by which in 1701 parliament elected the house of Hanover to the British throne, was passed by only one vote, and this casting vote was given by Sir Arthur Owen, the member of parliament for Westmorland. He arrived at Westminster dusty and travel worn, only just in time to record his vote, having ridden with furious haste from Wales for the purpose, on relays of horses, kept at all the posting houses along the route. To that ride Britain owes its Georgian era; hence its Queen Victoria and her descendants.

The sentence of death passed upon Col. Arthur Lynch, who was found guilty of high treason on Friday last, has been commuted to penal servitude for life.

Hunted by Wolves.

A Bucharest despatch says: Day by day, as the winter advances, come from far and near throughout Roumania accounts of the ravages perpetrated by packs of wolves, which infest every part of the country. Hardly a newspaper appears which has not its half dozen cases of persons being attacked and devoured by these terrible pests. A party of eight officials two days ago left the town of Tulcea to proceed to Galatz in three sledges, but never arrived. Yesterday a party of mounted police went in search of them. They found only the sleighs. The officials, drivers and horses had all fallen a prey to wolves. Not even had the harness been left by the famished animals. Broken sleighs, empty revolvers and trampled and bloody snow showed what a tragedy there had been.

From the town of Ploesti comes the story of an exciting adventure which a gendarme had with wolves. He was passing the edge of the forest of Nadeni late in the afternoon when the cries of a pack of wolves struck his ear. As he put spurs to his jaded horse the pack burst from the forest into the road not far behind him. He unslinging his carbine and fired three shots on his pursuers. Then, his cartridges being exhausted, he emptied his revolver among the pack.

Although more than one wolf fell to his shots the rest came steadily on. The gendarme took to his final weapon, his long cutting sword; every attempt of a wolf to bring down his galloping charger being thwarted by a slash from his keen blade. Exhausted and with his horse covered with foam, he rode into the village in safety, the pack giving up the chase not far away.

How Europe is Peopled.

The most important European countries have completed their census, and a fair idea can now be formed of how Europe is peopled. Its total population at the beginning of the present century was 491,098,000, which gives about forty inhabitants to the square kilometer. At the beginning of 1800 its population was only 175,000,000, and within sixty years thereafter it had swelled to 289,000,000. The rate of increase during the whole nineteenth century was about 129 per cent., and if that rate of increase is maintained during the current century the population of Europe in the year of 2000 will be about a million millions. That will give a density of population of nearly 100 per square kilometer, or 40 per cent. more than that of France is to-day, though it would only equal that existing in Germany. Just now, however, Malta has the greatest density of population. There the population is in the proportion of 638 to the square kilometer, while in Belgium it is 227.

Including Finland, Russia has now a population of 140,000,000, being nearly two and a half times that of Germany, and about one-half of all the rest of the European countries put together. Austria comes next with 47,000,000; Great Britain and Ireland, 41,000,000; France, nearly 39,000,000, and Italy, 32,500,000. There is a considerable drop to the next, Spain, with 18,000,000. On the eve of "the fatal year" France stood second to Russia, which then had only a population of 65,000,000, but for a considerable time has been increasing at the rate of two millions annually. France's decline in population from the second to the fifth place must inevitably tell on her expansion, her economic development and her influence among European and other nations.—*S. A. Journal*.

Disastrous Fire in Sydney.

At 2 o'clock this morning a fire broke out in the old Boyal Bank building and threatened for a time the destruction of the entire business section. While this fire was in progress another broke out in Charles Lecra's large warehouse, south end wharf. Both places were destroyed. The occupants of the Royal Bank building were Sutherland Bros., gents' furnishings; J. E. Burchill, insurance; Hearn & McDonald, and Burchill & McIntyre, barristers, and the U. S. consulate. Nothing was saved, but most of the tenants as well as the building was insured. Lecra's warehouse was a new structure and, it is understood, was not insured.

The most valuable work in existence is said to be a copy of the Koran now treasured in the Mohammedan city of Isonan-Ruza, Persia. The covers, 9 1/2 inches by 4 inches, are of solid gold an eighth of an inch thick, while precious stones set in symbolic designs figure in the centre and at each of the corners. The book is written upon parchment, and this part of the work is valued at \$125,000.

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BRITAIN'S LITTLE WAR.

A despatch from Zunguru, Northern Nigeria, of January 28th, states that the hostile attitude of the Emir of Kano, who has persisted in affording protection to the murderer of Captain Maloney, the British resident at Keffi, and has stopped the movement of the southward caravans, has obliged the British authorities to take action. A force, composed of 37 British officers, one British sergeant, 16 European civilians, and 1050 men, is concentrated at Zaria, the nearest British post to Kano, which is about five days' march thence.

The whole expedition is under Col. Morland, commandant of Northern Nigeria. The force includes 100 mounted infantry, five 12 pounders, and seven Maxims. Troops will also be held in reserve both in Southern and Northern Nigeria.

Resistance is expected, but the force is composed of seasoned soldiers. It is the largest yet engaged in this country, and is considered sufficient for its purpose.

Kano, which is the capital of a powerful Mohammedan state, is very strongly fortified, the walls being immensely thick. The expedition is the most important since the Ashanti war, and it is quite possible there may be some serious fighting. The Emir of Kano has never accepted British rule; he is a slave-raider, and he has on more than one occasion come into friction with the Niger troops.

Last year he advanced and threatened a British post, but on hearing of the death of the Emir of Sokoto, to whom he is subject, he fell back. The incident, however, was a warning. The British Government are further obliged to protect the Anglo-French Boundary Commission which is about to start work at the north of Sokoto. Hence operations were necessary, both to safeguard this expedition and to reduce the Emir of Kano to submission.

The Emir can put a large number of troops into the field, many of whom are well armed.

A STRANGE PICTURE.

London, Feb. 1.—A picture in the Dore gallery entitled "Christmas" excites curiosity from the cleverness with which unusual effects are produced. It is a mediocre work of art, representing the Saviour in half-length as in Titian's "Tribute Money," and with the face expressing both gentleness and strength. As the spectator gazes at the pictured face, hung among the draperies of a darkened room, the eyes seem to open and close, and the expressions of the features become alternately life-like and vacant. These changes recur at regular intervals. The illusion of awakening from sleep and closing the eyes in slumber is ingeniously produced, and clearly it is not an optical effect or a trick of lighting the face in a darkened room from side lamps. The mechanical device by which the eyes are opened and closed cannot be readily detected.

A woman, on the death of her husband, telegraphed to a distant friend: "Dear Joseph is dead. Fully covered by insurance."

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Births.

At Houlton, on the 2nd inst., to the wife of Mr. Fred Harrison, a nine pound boy.

Marriages.

At Canterbury Station, 3 Feb. by the Rev Joseph Fawcett, pastor of Canterbury, Miss Hardy, of Canterbury, to Eva Jones, of Amity Maine.

At the residence of the officiating minister, Bath, January 19th, by Rev. G. A. Giberson, Mr. Agan McCarthy, of Lorne, Vt. Co., and Amanda Frost of Wicklow, Ont. Co.

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