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Farmers' Banquet.

A happily conceived and pleasantly carried out function was the Farmers' banquet at the Victoria Hotel, on the evening of the 16th inst., given by the Carleton Co. Agricultural Society in honor of four of the society's long-time members, John Harper, Robert Brown, Stephen Peabody and James Watts, who had been connected with the institution for periods ranging from 50 years to 39.

The following toasts then followed: The King—National anthem. The Dominion and Local Parliaments—S B Appleby, M P P, H H McCain, M P P.

Our Guests—Messrs Robert Brown, John Harper, Stephen Peabody and James Watts.

Sister Societies—Messrs Emery, Slipp, Good, McCreedy. Town and County Councils—Mayor Belyea, Couns J T A Dibblee, G E Balmain, H E Burt, J R Brown, F B Bull.

Agricultural interests—Deputy Commissioner of Agriculture Thomas Peters, Gov Dairy Supt J F Tilley, Pres of the Carleton County Agricultural Society C H L Peters.

Manufacturing and Mercantile Interests—Messrs W Fisher, C L Merritt, Estey, S J Parsons, A Henderson, Andrew Miles, W B Nicholson, E R Holyoke.

Press—James Watts of the SENTINEL and D Campbell of the Press.

Ladies—C L Smith, C J S Raymond and Dr Hand.

Host—T J Boyer. Altogether the affair was of the most enjoyable character, and the speeches in response to the various toasts elicited very much practical and useful information.

EQUITY COURT. JUDGEMENT IN CASE OF F. H. HALE VS PEOPLES BANK OF HALIFAX AND MURCHIE ET AL.

In the case of Hale vs. The People's Bank of Halifax and Murchie et al, Judge Barker yesterday dismissed the bill with costs. It was decreed that out of the fund in court to the credit of the cause there be paid to the People's Bank \$67,384.45 less \$167 standing to the credit of Hale & Murchie in their current account with the bank, together with interest on the \$84,939 at 6 per cent from Nov. 18, 1899, until paid; and that the sum when paid be in full satisfaction by Hale & Murchie of all indebtedness to the bank for which the bank holds an assignment of the timber licenses mentioned in the bill, either directly for moneys advanced by the bank to Hale & Murchie subsequent to December, 1900, or as a security for guarantees given to the bank by the defendant, John G. Murchie, to secure such advances; costs of the sale of timber licenses to be included.

The above case was one of more than ordinary importance, as entirely new questions of law were involved, viz.: Whether or not a Bank is safe in accepting security as provided by Sec. 74 of the Bank Act. The plaintiff claimed that the bank having accepted security on the logs, was in law bound to actually follow them and obtain their pay out of the proceeds of the sale, and failing so to do, would be debarred from realizing upon any other security. Had the plaintiff's contention been sustained, no bank in Canada would have been safe in advancing a dollar on the security of lumber or any other article of commerce, under the above section of the Bank Act.

The court decided in favor of the defendants on all questions raised at the trial. Mr Hale was represented by Hon Attorney-Gen Pugsley and G Wallace, K C.

TOWN ELECTIONS.

The town elections on Monday resulted in the re-election of Mayor Belyea, and three old councillors, with the addition of J T Garden, Jas McManus and I E Sheasgreen. There was quite an excitement over the mayor's election, and the usual sins of war were in strong evidence. The vote was as follows:—

Table with 2 columns: Name and Votes. W B Belyea 377, R E Jones 194, J A Lindsay 67. FOR COUNCILLORS: J T Allan Dibblee 499, Albert E Jones 418, James McManus 384, Howard E Burt 374, Jullus T Garden 363, Isaac E Sheasgreen 336, I Wallace Fisher 338, George E Balmain 326.

Too Bad, If True.

We clip the following paragraph from the St. John Star, which we trust may not prove true. Woodstock has few enough industries at present, and should at least "hold what we have." It will be too bad if the business men allow this important industry to be lost to the town. With a work roll of 50 hands, and a pay roll of some \$10,000 a year, the loss indeed of this institution would be a great one to the town: "J T LePage, of the Dominion Wrapper Co, Woodstock, was in the city yesterday and left for home this morning. He has been in Amherst, where the company has secured options on a site for its plant, which it intends removing from Woodstock. The company employs upwards of fifty hands,

AN EARLY WEDDING.

At the early hour of 6.15 Tuesday morning, the happy event foretold in the SENTINEL last week, took place. The pastor, Rev Geo A Ross, according to the formula prescribed by the Methodist church, united in wedlock John Oldham, proprietor of the Fredericton Granite Works, and Miss Sara Williams, daughter of Mr Richard Williams, this town. A number of friends and relatives of the bride and groom were present. The bride was unattended, and was given away by her father. Mr and Mrs Oldham left by the early train for a bridal trip to St Stephen, Boston and other American cities, before returning to their future home, Fredericton.

OBITUARY.

MALCOLM HUNTER. Malcolm Hunter, youngest son of Mr William T Hunter of Maquapit Lake, Queen Co., died at the residence of his sister, Mrs Dr G W Somerville, Bristol, Carleton Co, on Tuesday morning, He was 23 years of age, and had been teaching school for about three years, having taught last year at Knowlesville, and it was his intention to return to his school at the beginning of this year. Though in delicate health for some time, his death came quite unexpectedly. He was a young man of good ability, and was highly respected by those who knew him. He leaves one brother, Mr Wilmot Hunter, East Florenceville; and four sisters, Mrs Somerville, Bristol; Mrs Fred Hunter and Miss Louisa Hunter, East Florenceville, and one sister at home in Queens Co. The funeral took place on Wednesday afternoon, the services being conducted by Rev Mr Ayers of Hartland, and the remains were interred in the Methodist cemetery at East Florenceville.

JOTTINGS.

Notice the cheap sale at Boyer Bros—Great Bargains.

Wanted at the Woodstock Woodworking Factory, Ash and Basswood lumber. Highest market price paid. For \$1.60 we can furnish the great Toronto weekly, The Globe, and the SENTINEL, and the Globe premium picture.

An Oyster Supper will be held at Mr George Good's, Jacksontown, Tuesday evening Jan 27th, 1903. Proceeds for the repairs of the Baptist Parsonage.

Fewer Bros have secured the contract for the necessary plumbing in the large new hotel at McAdam, and Fred Davidson is at present there doing the work.

Fresh Cream received daily at R E Holyoke's. Any one wishing Ice Cream for parties etc. can be supplied on a few hours notice. Special flavors made to order.

Caribou had a \$20,000 fire on Monday morning. The two best blocks in the town were destroyed, the Masonic or Cary block, and the Caribou national bank building.

Cold. Monday morning the mercury indicated 25 below zero, while on Tuesday morning it ran down to 31. Wednesday snow fell, followed the same day by heavy rain.

Surveyor-General Dunn estimates that the receipts from the sale of game licenses for the past season will be close to \$12,000, an increase of nearly \$3,000 over previous years.

Report of Quarterly meeting of the Primitive Baptists to hand and will appear next week.

Rev M J Coughlin of Johnville, about a fortnight ago, was afflicted with a heavy cold, which developed into typhoid fever, of a dangerous character. He is under the care of Dr Commins.

The Century Rink will be open as follows: Tuesday and Thursday afternoons at half past three. Saturday afternoons at 2 o'clock. Wednesday, Friday and Saturday evenings at 8 o'clock. Friday night will be band night.

The season for storm doors and windows is at hand. Leave your orders for same with the Woodstock Woodworking Company and have them promptly filled. When required, measurements will be taken and doors and windows fitted.

Alexander Kirkpatrick, one of the old, well known, and most highly respected residents of Richmond, died at his home Debec, after a brief illness of paralysis of the brain, on Thursday morning of last week. A good man has gone to his rest.

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, Seeded and Muscatel Raisins, Citron, Lemon 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.

Noble & Trafton are striving to keep up their reputation for supplying the public with choice groceries, canned goods, pickles, sauces, and the thousand other etceteras, that go to make up a full grocery stock. That they are succeeding is best shown by the generous patronage bestowed upon them. Thanks, call some more.

The social event of the season was the ball given by Mr and Mrs H Paxton Baird on Thursday evening of last week. Nearly one hundred guests were present, and the capacious and handsomely furnished parlors, resplendent with electric lights presented a most attractive appearance. Various amusements, whist, ping-pong, etc, were indulged in, including dancing to the fine music provided by Kirkpatrick's orchestra. The supper furnished was of an elaborate and dainty character, and the function was of the most enjoyable description. All present voted Mrs Baird a most charming entertainer.

Better light: C. M. Sherwood is selling the best American Kerosene at 22cts per gallon. He buys it all from the old reliable house, The Sun Oil Refining Co, Limited, St John, with whom he has been dealing for years, and who have always treated him in a most honorable manner. Is it wise to buy trash at 16 to 20cts, smoking your lungs, your eyesight and your good nature?

The Baptist church held a successful annual business meeting on Wednesday evening Jan 14. The attendance was large. The reports were all of an encouraging nature. The Treasurer was able to show a balance on hand of \$8.75, and all bills paid to date. The church has raised during the year over \$1600 of which \$700 has been applied to floating debts. It is now the determination of the church to lift the small mortgage of \$617 this year as the subscription list and collections cover the current expense account. The pastor, Rev Z L Fash, thanked the church for the beautiful fur lined coat they are now having made for him at the tailor shop. There will be baptism next Sunday evening at the church.

The community was startled last week when it became known that the boxes in the post office had been tampered with and letters abstracted therefrom. On investigation it was found that letters had been taken from private boxes, opened and, when they did not contain money, torn up and then thrown on the streets. W P Jones was handed an envelope addressed to him, which he had never received and on his way to the post office to make enquiries picked up along Main Street, near the office, nearly a peck of letters, which had been torn open and then thrown down, some of these containing portions of checks, P O orders, notes of hand, etc. The officials at once took steps to discover the perpetrators, and soon had under arrest four boys who had been frequenters of the lobby of late. The four boys arrested, Rice Atherton, Ralph Baker, Kenneth Munro and Harold Grier, had their preliminary examination before the police magistrate, when Grier was discharged on no evidence appearing against him, the other three were committed for trial. F B Carvell was prosecuting attorney for the Post Office Department; A B Connell, K C appeared for Munro, and T C L Ketchum for Atherton and Baker. Judge Stevens is expected here right away, when the boys will be tried under the Speedy Trial Act.

To the Editor of Carleton Sentinel.

DEAR SIR,—There has been considerable talk during the past six months on the part of many prominent Conservatives of the Town and County to the effect that in future, bribery and corruption should be abolished at elections, and many have gone so far as to make propositions to prominent Liberals asking them to enter into an agreement to that effect at the coming Provincial Election. How beautifully some of them would keep such an arrangement has been illustrated at the Town Election for Mayor held on Monday of this week. Two of the Candidates, viz Messrs Jones and Lindsay, one a Liberal and the other a Conservative, ran an absolutely pure election, while Mayor Belyea, the candidate of the Conservative Machine, and his supporters, carried on such a campaign of corruption by the use of rum and money as was never before in the Town, and it is sincerely to be hoped will never again be witnessed; the result being that he obtained considerably more votes than the other two put together. Money was paid openly on the streets to any person who would accept it, and liquor was provided for everybody within a few rods of every polling booth in the Town. This course shows the sincerity of some of our Conservative friends as to the propositions as to the Coming Elections.

The small vote received by Mr Lindsay, a man so well qualified for the position, and one who has been such a prominent and consistent supporter of the Conservative party, shows the support which any candidate attempting to run a pure election can receive from the Conservative party of this Town. Although I do not by any means intend to convey the impression that all of Mayor Belyea's supporters are in entire sympathy with his course, and had they known of the existence of his carnival of corruption, no doubt, many of them would have refrained from voting for him, but the support he received shows the sympathy with such a procedure extended by the Conservative machine.

I believe the election for Councillors was conducted by all the candidates without the use of any corrupt influences with the result that, all being good men, there was a very small difference in the vote received by each candidate.

It is sincerely to be hoped that Councillors thus honestly elected will refuse to be presided over by a mayor elected by the means employed by Mayor Belyea on Monday, and should an example now be made, it would be the best means possible to stem the tide of Corruption with which the whole body politic has become threatened.

Yours truly, CITIZEN.

AN EXPLANATION.

Gentlemen,—During the Election Canvass just closed, considerable was said about the street Lights, and some voters put the blame on the Light Committee. I have done everything in my power to give a good light, but the system is out of date, as will be seen by the following letters, which explain themselves, and from which you will understand where to put the blame.

H E BURTT Chairman Electric Light Com.

Halifax, N. S. Aug. 1st 1902 H. E. Burtt, Esq., Woodstock N. B.:

Dear Sir,—We duly received your letter of the 29th ult. in reference to the Arc lamps on order. It is really too bad that there has been such a delay in getting these out, but it has been entirely due to our inability in getting the necessary raw material. We have however been promised by the Works that the lamps will be shipped within two weeks time.

You will doubtless think it strange that these lamps are not carried in stock, the reason is well explained. All stations and Corporation plants are rapidly changing over from open Arc to the Enclosed Arc lamps and the manufacturers have stopped making any open lamps. As an example of this, the City of Halifax recently scrapped 350 Open Arc lamps and installed the Enclosed, which will pay for themselves in a very short time.

Yours truly, CANADIAN GENERAL ELECTRIC CO. JOHN FISHER. Mgr. Halifax Office.

Jan. 3, 1903.

H. E. Burtt, Esq., Chairman Elec. Light Comm. Woodstock, N. B.:

Dear Sir,—We are in receipt of your letter of the 31st regarding shunt magnets on order for you, which these parts are required are now obsolete and the delay in making shipment of same is due to the fact that we have to make same up specially for you. We regret very much the delay and inconvenience to which you have been put on this order and hope to be able to advise you of their shipment within the next week. Yours truly, CANADIAN GENERAL ELECTRIC CO.

50 CENT TIES Now 1 for 40 Cents 2 " 75 " 3 " \$1.00

Also Bargains in Suits, Reefers, Overcoats, Ulsters, Gloves, Mitts, Top Shirts, &c. Want to make room for Spring Goods.

John McLauchlan, The Leading Clothier, Hatter and Furnisher.

BOYER BROS. ARE SELLING THEIR Felt AND Rubber Goods AT 20 PER CENT. DISCOUNT, to Close. CALL AT ONCE AND SECURE FIRST BARGAINS. At THE BRIDGE, Main Street. January 23, 1903.—11-4.

Get Hungry Many a grown person would be glad to experience genuine hunger—the kind they knew in childhood. To abstain from eating brings a sense of weakness rather than real hunger. Food is needed but the stomach is tired. It lacks strength and tone and chronic dyspepsia is threatened. Bland's Dyspepsia Tablets help tired stomachs. They assist in the process of digestion, relieving the stomach of a portion of its burden. They also have a direct tonic influence, restoring the stomach to normal condition and vigor, on either the disorder is acute or chronic, slight or severe, use them and be well and hungry again. Price 25 Cents.

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. Manzer's Block, 31 Main Street.

Marriages. At the residence of the bride's father, Lower Bloomfield, on January 14th, by the Rev Arthur W Todd, Rector of Richmond, Mary Eubank, eldest daughter of George W and Laetitia Kartley, to William Edward Fleming of Bloomfield, Car. Co. N. B.

New Advertisements. NOTICE. TENDERS will be received by the undersigned up to the second day of February next for the delivery at the College yard of fifty cords and at the Broadway school yard twenty five cords of good merchantable hardwood. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. January 22nd 1903. A B CONNELL, Secretary Board of School Trustees, Town Woodstock.

NOTICE. THE General Annual meeting of the Carleton Woodmen Co., Ltd., will be held at the Office of the Company, Town of Woodstock, on Tuesday Tenth of February next, at 8 o'clock in the afternoon, for the election of Officers and such other business as may properly come before the meeting. Dated at Woodstock, this Twenty Third day of January, 1903. ANDREW MYLES, Sec-Treas

NOTICE. To Joseph B. Davis of the Parish of Aberdeen in the County of Carleton and Province of New Brunswick, Farmer, and all others whom it may in anywise concern.

NOTICE is hereby given that under and by virtue of a Power of Sale contained in a certain Indenture of Mortgage bearing date the Tenth day of May in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Eighty Two, and recorded in the Carleton County Records in Book X, Number 2, on pages 87 and 88, and made between the said Joseph B. Davis of the one part, and George Maddox of Wicklow in the County of Carleton, of the other part, there will for the purpose of satisfying the money secured thereby, be sold at Public Auction in front of the Law Office of Frank B. Carvell, in the Town of Woodstock in the said County of Carleton and Province of New Brunswick, on Tuesday the twenty-fourth day of February next, at the hour of two of the clock in the afternoon, the lands and premises described in the said Indenture of Mortgage as follows:— "All that tract of land situated in said Parish of Aberdeen bounded as follows:— Beginning at a post standing on the Western side of a Reserved Road at the North East angle of Lot Number twenty-eight granted to David W. Smith in Range seven, Knowlesville Settlement; thence running by the magnet North Seventy two degrees and thirty minutes West fifty eight chains and fifty links to the Eastern side of another Reserved Road; thence along the same North Seventeen degrees thirty minutes East Eighteen chains; thence South seventy two degrees thirty minutes East fifty five chains and fifty links to another post standing on the Western side of the first aforesaid reserved road and thence along the same following the various courses thereof in a Southerly direction to the place of beginning, containing One Hundred Acres more or less, and distinguished as Lot Number Twenty five in Range seven, Knowlesville Settlement, granted by the Crown to said John B. Davis."

For That Cough Our Compound Syrup of MENTHOL EUCALYPTOL AND Honey Is a SURE CURE. SHEASGREEN, At Connell's Pharmacy. Opp. Carleton Hotel.

A life was lost for every 188,668 tons of coal mined in 18 of the United States last year. The total number of lives lost was 1,467.