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WOODSTOCK, N. B., FRIDAY, JULY 17, 1903.

WHOLE No. 2947.

JOTTINGS.

The Prentice boys attended divine service on Sunday in the Free Baptist church.

Butterpaper for sale at this office in any size sheets. The purest parchment at very low rates.

Miss Vera Burpee of St. John, very acceptably rendered a solo in the Methodist church on Sunday evening.

The Woodstock golf team expect a return match with St. John early in September. Doubtless a very strong team will go down.

Thomas McBride will sell by auction on Saturday at the Queen Hotel stables, one pair of horses. This is a fine chance to secure a good bargain.

Complaints have been heard that on a certain street in town, wood is allowed to remain piled up contrary to by-law, and is an eye-sore to passers-by.

Repairs have begun upon the interior of the Albert St. Baptist church. Services will be conducted as usual on Sunday by Rev. Z. L. Fash, M. A.

B. B. Manzer is enhancing the beauty of his extensive dry-goods establishment by the addition of a new metal ceiling. He is also arranging a new method of lighting.

Considerable improvement has been made in the appearance of property along Broadway in the vicinity of the Houlton road. This portion of the town is rapidly coming to the front as a residential quarter.

The Richmond Corner celebration on the 11th inst was well attended. P. G. M. A. D. Thomas of Fredericton was the speaker of the day. Others present included P. G. M. David Hipwell, and the Grand Sec. of Maine.

The Saunders Co. Ltd. will shortly open their store for business. New Goods are arriving daily. The firm is strong financially, and will start with excellent prospects of a successful career.

Rev. John Read, D. D., pastor of the Methodist church at St. Stephen, died very suddenly last Friday evening. Dr. Read had many friends in this county, to whom news of his death will be a great shock.

Rev. B. C. Borden, D. D., made a personal canvass of the leading Methodists on Monday for the purpose of securing assistance towards the new building in connection with the Ladies' College. He secured considerable in cash and pledges.

The Orange celebration at Canterbury on Saturday was largely attended. Perfect weather conditions and the presence of the 67th Regt. Band added greatly to the delight of those present. About seventy went down from Woodstock for the day.

Campbell runs a cash store and for cash you can buy as good articles and as cheaply as anywhere in town; also on cash orders amounting to \$5, and upwards, prices are given. Don't forget the place next door below the Royal Bank of Canada.—tf-27.

The Methodist pulpit was occupied on Sunday morning by Rev. John Pinkerton. At the evening service, Rev. B. C. Borden, D. D., gave an impressive sermon.

We have in stock a number of copies of Dr. B. J. Kendall's famous Treatise on "The Horse and His Diseases". While the supply lasts we will present each new subscriber to this paper a copy of the work absolutely free. Any person renewing his subscription may secure one on the same terms. The number we have in stock is limited. First come, first served.

Jones, Brown and Smith are names quite common in this county, but the Woodstock delegates bearing those cognomens who came down to secure the promise of financial assistance from the government for the Woodstock exhibition, are no common men. Mr. Jones is an M. P. P., Mr. Smith, ex-M. P. P. and postmaster of Woodstock, and Mr. Brown is one of the progressive farmers of Carleton county.—Herald.

Miss Eva Annet is spending a few weeks' holidays at her home in Lakeville. Last fall Miss Annet left home and took a course in the Bryant & Stratton School of Boston. Through the recommendation of its principal, Miss Annet has been appointed principal of the High School of Warren, Conn. The school year of 33 weeks is divided into three terms with salary of \$450 for first year, \$500 the second. No one could be more deserving and there is no doubt but that Miss Annet will by her ability and hard work stand a chance of steady promotion.

THE BIGGEST EVER!

On Monday evening a large attendance gathered at the Council chamber to further advance the grand carnival. Mayor Belyea opened the meeting by a speech full of hope in the proposed celebration.

A. Williams, D. W. Newcombe and John Stewart were added to the excursion committee; B. Harry Smith, on the sports' committee; J. J. Tattersall and E. R. Teed on fireworks committee.

To test the question whether or not good value had been received in the expenditure of a large amount of money for fireworks last year, a motion was made that the fireworks be "out" from the attractions. Speeches were made in favor of the motion by Messrs Appleby, Ketchum, Nicholson, Sheasgreen, White and others.

An amendment was moved that the committee, already named, be known as a committee on fireworks and illumination, that they be voted a reasonable sum of money, and the question be left to the judgment of the committee. The amendment was carried.

The collection committee rendered a partial report, showing eleven names with offerings of \$175.

G. A. White, on account of his contemplated absence from town, resigned his position as treasurer, and J. S. Creighton was appointed.

As a substitute for the fireworks it was suggested that the steel bridge be lighted by electricity, the island well illuminated, as well as the barges and floats on the river, and that a naval contest or the blowing up of a fort to be built on the island, be among the attractions.

Nearly all the committees reported that the members were alive and the work progressing finely.

The treasurer reported that the collections made last year amounted to \$682, but this was increased somewhat before the carnival; it was hoped that \$800 could be raised for the present carnival.

On motion of Mr. Appleby, seconded by Mr. Garden, \$150 was appropriated for advertising.

Adjourned until Wednesday evening.

A CHANCE FOR THE COLTS.

The fame of the Woodstock Colts is rapidly spreading to outside places. The SENTINEL is glad to be in a position to publish the following letter, which is self explanatory:—

Vanceboro, Me., July 13, 1903.

To the Editor of Carleton Sentinel:

James Tague, of the Vanceboro Exchange, offers a gold cup for a game of base ball to be played in Vanceboro, between the Woodstock Colts and the Vanceboro team as soon as the matter can be arranged. I send this communication with full authority from Mr. Tague and the Vanceboro team, who are very anxious for the game.

Doubtless the C. P. R. would consent to run a cheap excursion in connection with the trip if it should be thought a desirable move.

Last Saturday two hundred journeyed from Lincoln, Me., to Vanceboro, to see a game. The courtesy of a reply from the manager of the Woodstock team is requested by the undersigned.

JOHN A. GRANT,
Vanceboro, Me.

HYMENEAL.

CALDWELL—M'CAIN.

The home of Mr. Hugh G. McCain, of Florenceville, was the scene of a very pleasing event on the evening of Wednesday, July 8th, when his daughter, Mamie E., was united in marriage with Wilmot L. Caldwell of Greenfield. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. H. A. Anderson, B. A., in the presence of a large number of the immediate friends of the contracting parties. While the wedding march was being played by Miss Eva McCain, the bride and groom took their places under a beautiful arch in full view of the guests assembled on the lawn. The bride was becomingly dressed, in white organdie and carried a charming bouquet. The service done, the guests sat down to a table amply provided with the best things. The popularity of the bride and groom was shown by the large number of suitable and costly presents. After an evening spent in social games and music, the happy couple left for their future home in Greenfield followed by the best wishes of all.

In many country houses throughout Britain the attempt is being made to breed miniature cattle that shall take rank among the smallest ever seen; with what results we shall probably hear later.

TOWN COUNCIL.

The Exhibition Receives a Grant.

Time for Discount Extended Ten Days.

COUN. BURTT WITHDRAWS BILL FOR COMMISSION.

At the meeting on Friday evening of last week, Mayor Belyea and all the Councillors were present.

Coun. Dibblee for the committee to which was referred the petition of Charles Smith and others asking to have the water service extended out the Houlton road, reported that on account of no appropriation for the purpose the committee was unable to grant the prayer of the petitioners, but it recommended that Supt. Munro be asked to prepare an estimate of the cost for the same, to be placed in the appropriations for 1904. He was sorry not to be able to extend the service, but he hoped next year the matter will be taken up and the extension made at an early date.

On motion Coun. Dibblee, seconded Coun. Burtt, the report was received and the recommendations will be carried out.

Coun. Garden said he had waited upon James Carr and found that the grievances of that gentleman were that he had paid \$1 school tax for five years after he had passed his sixtieth year, when he should have been relieved from that tax, and that he had been assessed on an \$800 piece of property, that had been transferred to another man. He (Garden) found that Mr. Carr was mistaken in his latter contention.

On motion an order for a rebate of \$6 school tax, was granted to Mr. Carr.

Coun. Garden said the financial committee had looked into the petition of Albert Hayden. It found that his sawmill, which had been destroyed by fire, was taxed for \$195, and the committee recommended that Mr. Hayden be relieved of that amount of taxes for this year. The recommendation of the committee was adopted.

Coun. Garden said the finance committee did not wish to be consulted by the ratepayers as to granting rebates or changing the value of property as made by the assessors, for notices had been printed in the papers that this would not be done. The proper course for the ratepayers aggrieved was to see the assessors about the question. He asked that the board endorse the action of the committee.

Coun. Jones thought any ratepayer with a just grievance should have redress.

Coun. Dibblee—Let them go to the assessors if they have a grievance, and if they get no redress there, then they can appeal to the council.

On motion it was recorded on the books, as the opinion of the Council, that the finance committee should not be consulted about rebates, until after the assessors have been interviewed.

On motion the date for receiving a discount on taxes was extended until July 25, to enable several ratepayers, particularly railway men, to receive the privilege of the discount.

Moved Coun. Dibblee, seconded Coun. Garden, that a grant of \$200 be given the proposed exhibition in Woodstock, this fall.

Coun. Dibblee said the exhibition would be a benefit to all the people and the committee thought the town should help toward the erection of permanent exhibition buildings; these exhibitions have been very successful and now that the Jacksonville Society had joined the local society, the affair would be even more successful than in the past.

Mayor Belyea—Of course, there is no appropriation for the purpose, but I do not wish to be arbitrary and will entertain the motion.

Coun. Garden had spoken to several citizens on the subject and they were heartily in favor of assisting the exhibition. He saw no reason why a body like this one should not have some elastic powers when extraordinary expenditures of this kind came up.

Coun. McManus was in favor of the appropriation under discussion, for the exhibition doubtless would benefit the town in many ways. The exhibition committee were working hard for success and should have the support of the board.

Coun. Jones believed they should encourage the exhibition in every way, by a grant and personal services; either directly or indirectly

every citizen profits by an exhibition.

The motion then unanimously carried.

Coun. McManus was not sure as yet that the electric light committee could furnish light for the exhibition. There were no lamps to spare and no wire. He heard it was possible to borrow a small incandescent lamp which could be attached to the arc system, and if that could be secured, it was possible, at a small cost, to extend the line to the exhibition building.

Coun. Dibblee said the pumps of the water works were now in fairly good shape, as cement had been forced under its foundations. He took this opportunity of denying a malicious slander, appearing in a recent issue of the Fredericton Gleaner that at the late fire at Hayden's mill, the pumps proved to be failures. Several of the councillors were present during the fire and, while the pumps might have been a little out of plumb, the water pressure was kept up as well as usual.

A petition from Henry Upham said he was assessed on \$6,000 real estate, while his property in town was not worth more than \$3,500, and his indebtedness exceeded that amount; he had presented an affidavit to the assessors setting forth the facts of the case and had received no redress.

On motion a reduction was made in Mr. Upham's assessment from \$6000 to \$3500.

Two tenders were received for a gravel roof for the town hall: James McLean, \$330; Gideon Fields, \$336.50. On motion the lowest tender was accepted.

Mayor Belyea said he had been informed that certain parties were removing gravel from the town pit. The town had no gravel or sand to sell or give away. He thought the street committee should prosecute all offenders to the utmost extent of the law.

Coun. Burtt explained how the road committee found out that parties were taking the gravel and sand.

On motion the street committee was instructed to prosecute by law all parties found guilty of the charge in future.

Coun. Sheasgreen said the fire committee had met the contractor, Mr. Fields, who is repairing the town hall, about not fulfilling that part of the contract calling for a steel ceiling, and they thought the original contract should stand.

Coun. Dibblee said the contractor would only allow the town \$100 if the ceiling was not put on, and as the scaffold was now erected it would be less trouble than in the future.

On motion the contractor was allowed \$250 on the work done.

Coun. Burtt remarked that work had to be done on the street nearly every day, and he would like to know if the board thought it right to hire two men and a team for the balance of the summer, when the town team and driver were not busy as at present.

Coun. Sheasgreen said as a protection to the property of the town, during the dry weather, he was not inclined to let the town team do very much road work, but the forest fires are now over, and if Coun. Burtt would meet him at 7 o'clock the following morning and state what he wanted done, the driver of the town team would be at his service.

Among the bills presented was one from the chairman of the road committee, in which he charged a commission of 5 per cent on the asphalt bought for the town.

Coun. McManus thought the action of Coun. Burtt was irregular; no chairman of any committee had a right to charge a commission on goods bought; as a member of the finance committee he (McManus) would not sign the bill, as he considered it would be establishing a bad precedent.

Coun. Garden did not see anything wrong in the matter. Coun. Burtt was a hard-working councillor, giving a large part of his time to the business of the town. He (Burtt) was in the asphalt business, bought the goods at manufacturers' prices, and charged five per cent commission,

while possibly other councillors got as high as ten per cent profit on goods supplied by them to the town.

Coun. Jones thought Coun. Burtt did not manage the affair as he should have done. If he had been shrewd enough he would have had a "go-between" buy the goods from him (Burtt) and then he could get his commission. No chairman can buy goods direct and then charge a commission.

The amount of commission was taken from the bill by Coun. Burtt and the bill then passed.

After further consideration of the bills, the board adjourned.

BOARD OF TRADE.

A meeting of the Board of Trade was held on Monday evening in the Council chamber. In the absence of President H. P. Baird, Vice-President R. E. Holyoke occupied the chair.

Several communications were read by Secretary Ketchum re the question of Grand Trunk Pacific passing through a Maritime Province port, before receiving any assistance from the government, all of which were favorable to the action taken by the board on the subject.

The following were elected members of the board: H. D. Stevens, R. V. Douglas, B. Harry Smith, Rankin Brown.

On motion of G. E. Balmain, seconded by J. T. Garden, the secretary was instructed to order a dozen copies of the proceedings of the meeting of chamber of commerce, which convenes in Montreal during August.

A resolution moved by J. T. Garden, seconded by G. E. Balmain, was unanimously carried requesting that the itineracy of the English delegates be changed so that they may pass over the Temiscouata railway to Edmundston and down the St. John valley, through Woodstock, to Fredericton. The resolution will be forwarded to the Montreal board.

This resolution was spoken to by several of the members, who pointed out the desirability of the change, so that the delegates may pass through the best agricultural part of the province.

Mayor Belyea said he would be pleased if the route could be changed and if the delegates passed through Woodstock, the Council board, with the assistance of the Board of Trade, would entertain the delegates without any cost to the town.

HIGHLY HONORED.

A. W. Perley, whose mother, and brother J. A. Perley, reside at Andover, Victoria county, has been highly honored by his selection to introduce President Roosevelt to the large crowd present at Tekoa, Washington, during the president's recent visit to that city.

Mr. Perley held a position as foreman on the Intercolonial Railway until 1878, when he went to Winnipeg, where he remained until 1885; he was engineer of the first train entering Winnipeg, and the first train out to Brandon. In 1885 he removed to Tekoa, Washington, where he was assistant superintendent of a division containing 1800 miles of road. The Tekoa Blade says that "Chairman Perley looked better than the president—that is to say, he is a better looking man. Teddy, however, has a shade the best of Perley in some other things." In introducing the president, Mr. Perley said:—

Ladies and Gentlemen.—On behalf of the people of Whitman county, I have great pleasure in tendering a most cordial reception not only to the president of the United States, but also to Theodore Roosevelt the individual—whom we like as a man, admire as a soldier and honor as our president. Our people keenly regret that his stay with us must be so brief, but trust he may be able during his next administration to make us another and longer visit. Ladies and gentlemen, I have the honor of introducing one who holds the greatest elective office in the world.

STATE BALL AT OTTAWA.

On Thursday evening of last week the splendid social season at Ottawa was brought to a close by the grand state ball, to which 1800 invitations were issued.

The quadrille of honor was made up as follows:—

His Excellency and Lady Laurier; Her Excellency and Sir F. Borden; Lady Ellen Elliot and Sir William Mulock; Mrs. Fitzpatrick and Hon. Sydney Fisher; Mrs. Templeman and Senator MacDonald; Mrs. Sifton and Mr. Clouston; Mrs. Wm. Macdougall and Hon. Mr. Fielding; Mrs. Cawthra and Senator Templeman. Among those present were several well known Woodstock ladies, Mrs. J. N. W. Winslow, Mrs. Charles Garden and Mrs. Percy Sanderson.

CHRONOLOGY OF LEO XIII.

Born at Carpineto, March 2, 1810.

Entered college at Rome, 1824.

Matriculated at Gregorian University, 1830.

Entered College of Noble Ecclesiastics, 1832.

Appointed Domestic Prelate by Gregory XVI., 1837.

Order of priesthood conferred, Dec. 31, 1837.

Apostolic delegate at Benevento, 1837-1841.

Governor of Spolito, 1841-1843.

Papal Nuncio at Brussels, 1843-1845.

Made Archbishop of Perugia, 1846.

Created Cardinal, Dec. 19, 1853.

Made Cardinal Camerlengo, July, 1877.

Elected Pope, Feb. 20, 1878.

Revived Roman Catholic Hierarchy in Scotland, March 4, 1878.

Encyclical condemning communism, socialism and nihilism, Dec. 28, 1878.

Encyclical against heresy, socialism, November 5, 1882.

Recognized unity of Italy, October 7, 1883.

Celebrated golden jubilee, 1887.

Celebrated grand jubilee, 1888.

Encyclical on socialism and labor, May 16, 1891.

Celebrated Episcopal jubilee, Feb., 1893.

Issued appeal to England for reunion of Christendom, April 14, 1894.

Celebrated sixtieth anniversary of his first mass, February 13, 1898.

Declared 1900 a year of universal jubilee, May 19, 1899.

Held consistory and created eleven new cardinals, June 19, 1899.

Celebrated ninetieth birthday, March 2, 1900.

OBITUARY.

MRS. MARY SULLIVAN.

Mrs. Mary Sullivan, a most respected resident of Woodstock, died at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Charles Dickinson, on Sunday afternoon, in the 55th year of her age. The deceased was held in respect and esteem by a large circle of acquaintances. The funeral took place on Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock, from her late residence to St. Gertrude's church, where a Mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. W. F. Chapman, and the interment was made in the Catholic cemetery. Mrs. Sullivan was for many years a resident of Springhill, York county. Two daughters, Mrs. Dickinson and Miss Katie Sullivan of Woodstock, and two sons, Jeremiah of this town and Michael, now in the States, survive to mourn a loving mother.

The dressmaker of a bride in Christ church, New Zealand, having forgotten the latter's address, took the bridal raiment into the church, where the groom was patiently waiting.

Forty Years Ago.

Taken from CARLETON SENTINEL, of July 18th, 1863.

Hon. Francois Evanturel, of Quebec, ex-minister of agriculture, was in Woodstock last week.

Rev G A Hartley preached in this place and at Upper Woodstock on Sunday.

Officers of Melancthon Division were installed as follows:—

Sam Watts, W. P.
J C Watson, W. A.
G D Jackson, R. S.
Alex Henderson, A. R. S.
Henry Garden, I. S.
W D Hartt, Chap.

The official list of the stations of the Wesleyan ministers is published. Rev Mr Wilson remains here, as does Rev S F Heustis at Jacksonville and Rev Mr Tuttle at Florenceville.

A raised gravel sidewalk was laid along Connell street under the superintendence of J. H. Jacques.

Wm Lindsay Esq. M. P. R., and Wm Stephenson, along with Wm Stevens leave to-day for a visit to the old country; may good luck attend them all.

TWELFTH OF JULY.

(40 years ago.)

The 12th of July this year coming on Sunday, the Loyal Orangemen were precluded from commemorating this anniversary with that displaying and demonstration which is their wont. In this town the only public ceremony was a sermon delivered at 3 p. m., in the Orange Hall, by Rev. J. T. Parsons. On Monday a procession marched from the Hall to Stephenson's hotel where dinner was served.