

The Carleton Sentinel.

N. FOSTER THORNE, Editor.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 25, 1903.

Let There Be Light.

While the granting of the Bonus to the Meductic Meat Company was under discussion in June last, this paper intimated that there had been an arrangement made between certain members of the Council and Mr. Hay, by which his plant at Meductic was to be accepted at the sum of \$10,000 in making up the \$20,000 requisite under the Act in order to receive a bonus of \$5000. This statement was denied by Mr. Hay and the different members of the Town Council so vehemently that it would naturally be led to suppose that such a proposition could not be entertained for a moment because it must necessarily be a dishonest one, at least there was no other conclusion to be drawn from their conduct, and any person who was at all acquainted with the property at Meductic would know that it could not be worth more than half that amount of money, let alone the whole amount. Now that the Company are asking for the money it is a little singular that Mr. Hay is putting in this very property at \$10,000 in order to make the property reach the point by which he can receive a bonus of \$5000.

It certainly is sufficient to make the rate-payers read over the correspondence of last summer, as published in the various papers of the Town, from rather a critical standpoint, and such being the case, we think it would be advisable on the part of Town Council to publish Mr. Hay's accounts in full and let the public see whether or not all the items therein contained look reasonable upon the surface, and if they do not then we would suggest that they appoint three men who have had experience in buildings and machinery. We would suggest one carpenter and two machinists and we don't care who they may be, or what their politics, so long as they are reasonably competent men, and allow them to go over the property of the Company and make a report to the Council. The public would then feel that everything was done open and above board, and that the town was getting full value for the money which they are investing.

From reading the reports of the Town Council we understand that Mr. Hay's accounts have been left with Mr. H. W. Bourne for the purpose of adding them up and seeing if the accounts, as presented, amount to \$20,000. The public demand something more than this, and we trust that the Council will take the public in their confidence and place this matter where there can be no question about the transaction in the future; and we would also suggest that in figuring up the estimate the saw mill and shingle mill should certainly not be included as it was not the intention of the people who voted for the bonus, neither is it according to the terms of the Statute providing for the same, that industries such as saw mills and shingle mills should be included in the property. These are not new industries in the Town of Woodstock as there are already industries of this kind in existence and have been for many years. Let there be light.

Bristol.
Miss Ella Tompkins went to Boston on Monday, to spend her vacation.

Miss Alice Giberson has returned from Normal school, and will teach at Beaufort next term.

Miss Annie McLean has resigned her school at Bath, and will be succeeded by Delbert Jones.

Miss Eva Caldwell has returned from attending the Halifax Ladies College, and will spend the winter at home.

R. B. Atkinson left on Monday for Chicago, and other western cities. He will return in about a month accompanied by his bride.

Tenns Brooker and Miss Helen Kinney drove over to Bridgewater on Monday and were married.

Mrs. H. Bell is visiting her daughter Mrs. James Carr at Fort Fairfield.

Misses Annie McLean, Jeanie Somerville, Maud Hartley and Mr. Cronkrite attended the Teachers Institute at Woodstock last week.

The Parish Sunday School Convention meets in the Baptist church on Thursday January 7th. The Field Secretary, Rev. A. Lucas, and pastors will be present.

Carey Churchill, Woodstock, is visiting old friends in the village.

Court sterling O. P. at its annual meeting on Saturday night, elected the following officers: C. J. Estabrooke, O. R. E. W. Bell, V. O. B. Farley, R. S. G. H. Tompkins, Treasurer; H. M. Tompkins, F. S.; A. J. McLean, Orator; G. H. Boyer, S. W.; C. W. Brittain, J. W.; M. A. Tompkins, S. B.; E. S. Loyd, J. B.; G. A. Brittain, P. O. R.; J. W. Curtis, Deputy; G. W. Somerville, M. D., Physician.

Williamstown.

Last week was butchering week among the fowls. W. W. Wilson and W. Armstrong buying them for the Bangor market. They paid as high as 18 cts per lb for turkeys.

The young folk are looking forward to the concert in the Orange hall at Lakeville Xmas night.

Miss Mary Fowler is clerking at W. W. Wilson's, Lakeville. We are sorry to hear that the favourite clerk, Colin King Jr., is going to leave but we wish him success.

Mr. John Curran has been removed to Mr. Guy Prior's for a while.

Burden Allen has been around buying fowls, alive, for which he paid a good price.

Henry Williams got his foot badly jammed in a hay-press. He is a son of Councillor J. F. Williams, Lakeville.

Mrs. Howells Corbett has returned from a Montreal Hospital, where she has been about two months. She is very much better than when she went away.

Miss Lulu Vinco has been visiting relatives here and at Centreville.

Our trustees have luckily secured the same teacher, Miss Mary Page for the next term. She is well liked by every scholar as well as their parents. She takes a great interest in her school.

Wm. Page sold eight beef cattle last week. He is buying more now.

Report says that E. A. Savage is going to spend Xmas in the U. S. His mother-in-law, Mrs. M. J. Smith, is very sick at her home, Lakeville.

Mrs. Anna Savage is preparing an Xmas dinner for her relatives.

Joseph Emery expects his children from Fort Fairfield to spend Xmas at home.

Quite a number have snares set for foxes around here, but the foxes appear very scarce.

Mr. and Mrs. John Porter intend spending Xmas in Charleston.

Miss Jessie Graves has returned from Fredericton, where she was attending Normal School, to spend the Xmas holidays. Lindow Graves, her father has also returned home from the lumber woods.

Gordon Pagels is in very poor health, his sister Mrs. P. Smith died last Wednesday after a long tedious illness of consumption. She leaves one child, Minnie, 11 years of age, also a father, mother, two sisters and three brothers.

PERSONALS.

Rev. Father Bradley was in town recently.

Merrill Jones, chief clerk at the Carlisle, spent Sunday in Houlton.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Tabor went to St. John to spend Christmas.

Misses Mary Hipwell, Vita Brewer and Leora Harmon are home from Normal School.

Ned Dibble, E. K. Connell and Mark Gillin have returned from their respective seats of learning.

Master T. Willie Brown returned from St. Mary's College, Van Buren, on Monday, to spend Christmas with his parents.

Miss Katie Baird is home for the holidays. After vacation she will return to her studies in Royal Victoria College, Montreal.

Misses Queenie and Lillian Currie have gone to Millville to spend the Christmas holidays with their aunt Mrs. Joseph Crawford.

Julian Bourne, first engineer on a steamship engaged in the Yukon trade, arrived in town on Tuesday, after an absence of four years.

Mrs. John Currie and two sons, Frank and Willie will leave on Saturday, Dec. 26, for Maple Ridge, York county, to visit her aunt, Mrs. John Love, for a week.

Master Thomas Kinney, who has been attending St. Mary's College, Van Buren, is spending the Christmas holidays in Woodstock, the guest of his aunt Mrs. H. Judge.

Communications.

To the Editor of Carleton Sentinel:
I see by the SENTINEL of last week that it is claimed that Mr. Hay has spent over \$25,000 on his plant in Woodstock, and so wants the \$5,000 bonus. Now what I want to say to the Council is this:—Give Mr. Hay the \$5,000 as you have agreed to, but for heaven's sake don't insult every intelligent man in the town by pretending that the property is worth even half that amount. The rate-payers would have more respect for the Councilors if they would admit that the property is not worth \$10,000, even including saw mill and shingle machine, which they cannot legally bonus, but that they are going to give him the money, law or no law. That would be at least more manly.
ELECTOR.

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Marriages.

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STEVENS-DUNHAM—At Woodstock, N. B., by Rev. Z. L. Fash, Nov. 19, Arthur Stevens and Lela M. Dunbar, both of Sherman Mills, Me.

Deaths.

DICKER—At Woodstock, N. B., Dec. 18, James H. Dickey, aged 74 years. A wife and several sons survive. The deceased was born at Com Hill, near Sumner, N. B.

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