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BRING BACK FISH.

Half the angler's battle depends on good equipment. We have everything you want---perhaps some things you want and don't know it---better come and see.

When you go fishing you might as well go loaded for 'em by taking along the improved tackle that other enthusiastic anglers have evolved out of their experience.

Our line of tackle is complete and up to date, and getting it at our prices will help the fun.

GARDEN BROS.

DRUGGISTS,

Main Street, Opposite Queen,
Woodstock, N. B.

Carrie Nation is Coming.

Rev. C. H. Coffin, pastor of the A. M. E. church, has received a letter from Mrs. Nation, in which she states her willingness to address a meeting in this town on her summer tour to the Maritime Provinces. Carrie is at present in Chicago, and expects to come East in about three weeks time. Rev. Mr. Coffin intends to arrange for a visit here sometime in June. No doubt people will flock to see and hear the eccentric old lady, who seems to be a great drawing card. It is probable that the carnival committee will try to have the lady's appearance postponed until the big celebration. As an attraction, the tight rope performer would look like thirty cents alongside the lady from Kansas.

A Chance to Bonus.

The town council has an opportunity to make a grant in favor of an enterprise that will put more money in circulation in this town than anything likely to happen for some time. We refer to the Summer Carnival. We understand the present board expect to have a big surplus at the end of the year. That being the case why not give a hundred dollars to the Carnival? Many a hundred has been voted away in the past that will never bring one cent in return. A splendid thing for the town would be the setting apart of say one hundred dollars for the carnival.

The Carleton Sentinel is a quick seller for the merchants. Advertise.

\$2,200 Four-Year-Old.

Farmers Advocate, May 5th, 1904, page 661, says:—
T. J. Berry, Hensall, Ont., has sold to David Jeffery of Port Elgin, for the handsome price of \$2200 the grand four-year-old imported Clydesdale stallion Dunragit (11689), by Ornament (10603), by the great sire of champions, Baron's Pride, (9122). Emerald, the dam of Dunragit, was got by Prince Robert, a son of the famous Prince of Wales (673). Dunragit is considered one of the best draft horses in Ontario, weighing, at less than four years old, over 1900 lbs., and combining quality and size. Ornament (10603), sire of Dunragit (11689), the \$2,200 four-year-old Clydesdale colt mentioned above, is the magnificent imported stallion owned by Hopkins Brothers, Fort Fairfield, Maine.

Death of Thomas Fewer.

Tuesday morning an old and respected resident of this county passed away in the person of Thomas Fewer, who for some time had resided here with his son Thomas. Mr. Fewer was in the 85th year of his age. He was born in Waterford, Ireland, and came to this country while a young man. At Williams-town in this county he secured a tract of land and engaged in farming. Besides a widow, he is survived by four sons, Walter, Joseph, Thomas and William, and one daughter, Miss Belle. The funeral took place yesterday morning.

The Midsummer Carnival.

A large and representative body of citizens met in the council chamber, Monday evening, to consider the holding of the annual midsummer carnival.

Mayor Lindsay occupied the chair and N. Foster Thorne acted as secretary. J. S. Creighton, the efficient treasurer of last year's celebration, was re-elected.

Mayor Lindsay pointed out the object of the present meeting, said he was favorable to a carnival this summer, and asked for an expression of opinion from those present on the subject.

Mr. Creighton reported that there was a surplus from last summer's carnival of \$90.65 with interest added.

H. E. Gallagher said understanding that it was the opinion of the citizens to hold a carnival this summer at an earlier date than last year so as not to conflict with the Agricultural Societies' exhibition, he, after consulting several citizens, at a meeting held in St. John to arrange the dates for the circuit horse races, asked for and was granted a date about the middle of July for the circuit races in Woodstock, feeling that that date would be the most suitable one for the farmers to attend. If no carnival was held this summer, Woodstock could drop its proposed circuit races.

J. D. Carey pointed out that the midsummer carnival was a great advertisement for the town and through it value was given for the time and money expended. Woodstock was a town very much alive, and that fact should be strongly impressed on the outside public. The scarcity of summer amusements in towns had a bad effect on the youth of these places, for their attention was attracted by harmful diversions; a summer carnival was an antidote to these harmful pastimes.

Moved by J. D. Carey, seconded by W. B. Nicholson, that it is the sense of this meeting that a carnival be held in Woodstock on Wednesday and Thursday, July 13th and 14th. Carried unanimously.

Moved by N. F. Thorne, seconded by Charles Appleby, that a committee consisting of Mayor Lindsay, W. B. Nicholson and I. E. Sheasgreen, be appointed to draft out sub-committees and report at a subsequent meeting. Carried.

Following is the draft of committees:—

Finance Committee—F. B. Carvell, T. V. Monahan and R. E. Holyoke.

Advertisement Committee—H. E. Gallagher, C. Appleby and N. F. Thorne.

Transportation Committee—A. Williams, H. P. Baird and G. A. White.

Parade and sports—Harry Baird, Wm. Hill, J. D. Carey, E. K. Connell, H. H. Woodworth, E. W. Mair and Dr. G. B. Manzer.

Music Committee—Dr. E. Kirkpatrick and J. H. Donovan.

Reception Committee—Mayor and Town Council.

Executive Committee—Mayor, Secretary and Treasurer, also chairmen of various committees.

SPORTING EVENTS.

Jim McGee, of Ottawa, son of John J. McGee, clerk of the Privy Council, is dead. A few days ago he was thrown from his horse. He sustained such severe injuries that death quickly followed. He will be remembered as captain for the past two years of the world's football champions, the famous Rough Riders.

Base Ball is still booming. The Fredericton Tartars have been negotiating with the Colts for a series of four games. The first two will be played in Fredericton. During the great summer carnival in July we hope to see the Tartars visit Woodstock.

The Rifle club enthusiasts will hold the first match of the season, at the range, on Victoria day. Some valuable prizes are offered.

The local golf club is in a flourishing condition. About twenty new members are playing this year. It is quite likely that an invitation will be sent to the St. John players for a match to take place here on Dominion Day.

Cricketer, after being dead so many years, is revived by the younger element. This is a healthy sign. May the good old game take on a boom in our midst.

The Carleton Sentinel, New Brunswick's oldest paper, is a favorite visitor in the homes of all. Try it.

POLITICAL RUMORS.

The atmosphere is heavily charged with political rumors. The two parties are beginning to seriously discuss the line up in the province for the general elections. Already, party conventions have placed Messrs Fowler, Wilnot and Ganong, sitting members, once more in the field. In this county Mr. Carvell has been given the government nomination and is, we believe, the first liberal in the province to receive a party candidacy. Of the present members from New Brunswick, nearly all will be candidates. We should except Messrs Hale and Lewis. The former is no longer a resident of the province, and the latter will retire owing to the fact that his constituency, Albert Co., has been merged with Kings. It may be that one or two others will not again face their constituents, but nothing certain is yet known regarding their intentions. An interesting rumor from opposition sources is that the Minister of Railways may decide to oppose Mr. Fowler in Kings-Albert. On a former occasion Mr. Emerson drove one prominent conservative into obscurity, and it may be he has a place in his belt for another scalp. We do not put much stock in the story. Either Hon. Wm. Pugsley or Hon. A. S. White is more likely to undertake the none too arduous task of relegating Mr. Fowler to the haunts of the has-beens. St. John is likely to witness a battle royal. Col. Tucker is favorably mentioned for a place on the government ticket, and his past services demand recognition. Col. McLean is known to have political aspirations, and the party has Mr. Richard O'Brien on its hands. Of course Hon. H. A. McKeown will be in the field, and should prove the strongest man the government could name. Doctor J. W. Daniel, flushed with his recent victory, will not feel like abandoning the field. He will have no difficulty in securing a running mate. Editor Armstrong of the *Beacon* is regarded as the logical standard bearer for Charlotte. Mr. Wilnot will have his hands full in Sunbury-Queens. If Hon. L. P. Farris were to seek higher honors his path should be easy. Doctor Hay of Chipman, Mr. Thomas Hetherington of Cody's and Mr. Dickie of Gagetown are possibilities. York County is altogether likely to again accept Mr. Gibson, whose political strength is in the ascendancy. The North Shore is certain to return a majority favorable to the government. We look for Mr. Emerson to have fully three fourths of the N. B. members at his back in the next house.

A Tale of Forty Seven.

Everyone has heard of chances to get something for nothing. The papers are full of such offers from outside concerns, but it isn't every day the opportunity is brought right to one's door, neither is it at all frequent that one may have his vanity gratified by a gentleman offering to make an enlarged picture free of cost. Three travelling salesmen, evidently of foreign extraction, struck these parts last week, and proceeded to do the town, giving away enlargements, and of course selling a frame, for what's the use of a picture without the frame. It did not matter that a slight profit accrued on the latter commodity. Orders were coming in fairly satisfactorily, for vanity yet exists, and all the easy people are not extinct. Marshal Kelly doesn't come under this latter class however. When he got wind of the invaders, he bore down upon them in order to exact a license fee. He sized up their ability "to cough" at about forty plunks. This proved a stunner to the salesmen. They offered to quit the town, and cancel all orders taken rather than pay the fee. The marshal didn't see it just in that light, and gave the trio a few hours to raise the wind. At the expiration of the period of grace no funds had reached the town treasury. The officers of the law then considered it time to take the bull by the horns. Papers were made out and costs saddled upon the picture men, who concluded to take no more chances with the majesty of the law. Forty dollars for license fees and seven dollars costs made quite a haul. Other house to house salesmen should take timely warning.

The proprietor of the mill known as Lockhart's Mill, requests the *SENTINEL* to state that his property has not gone up in smoke, despite reports to the contrary, and that he is prepared to attend to the wants of his customers.

Popular Horseman Slandered.

The sporting editor of the *Gleaner* is fast making a reputation. Readers of that paper were much surprised to see in a recent issue the astounding information that James W. Gallagher of this town was "out in the cold" on account of being mixed up in a cooked race last year at Milo, Me. The Fredericton scribe went to the trouble to state that the race caused so much talk that the popular Jimmy and his mare Gertie Glen were suspended. Now, any person who ever heard of Mr. Gallagher being really mixed up in a cooked race doesn't live in these parts. For the information of the public, who no doubt have been led astray by the libellous imaginations of the *Gleaner* writer, we will give a correct account of the case. Some time last summer a gentleman in Milo wrote to Mr. Gallagher asking him to enter Gertie Glen in a race at that town. As the fast and beautiful bay had already been assigned to several race meetings in this province during that month, it was impossible to accede to the wishes of the Maine gentleman, who, however, went ahead on his own hook and without the shadow of authority, filed an entry in the name of Mr. Gallagher. Of course, never having seen an entry blank, Mr. Gallagher and Lady Glen never went near Milo, Maine. Judge his surprise when sometime in the fall he received notice from headquarters of the racing board that he and the mare were suspended for failure to pay \$12 entry money in a race at Milo. Like a true sportsman, Mr. Gallagher in reply at once made an affidavit setting forth his side of the case, and along with it sent a cheque for payment under protest. Early this month the case came up before the board, and on the principle of "what we have we'll hold," they decided to annex the twelve dollars.

Rather than stand the expense of going to New York and personally fighting the case, Mr. Gallagher considered it better to lose the small amount of money. The suspension was raised as soon as the entry money was received. Mr. Gallagher feels that he was unfairly and unjustly treated by the gentleman in Milo, and no doubt the *Gleaner* man will now publicly apologize for his remarks about a cooked race, and in future adhere to facts. Young journalists need a lesson occasionally, and in the present case unless a retraction is made there will be cause for sorrow on the part of the guilty party. As a prominent business man, and a highly popular member of the town council, Mr. Gallagher values his reputation too much to be concerned in sport that is not strictly on the level.

For the information of those who may be interested, we are authorized to state that the popular Jimmy will be seen following the circuit this year holding the ribbons behind Gertie Glen and Shamrock, and with these two flyers who are going faster than ever, will be prepared to take the measure of anything that may enter the classes to which they are eligible.

Why Not Come to Carleton?

A great many applicants for the vacant senatorship are actively pulling the wires, basing their claims on all sorts of reasons. A man will not make a good senator simply because he professes a particular faith, neither will the fact of his having the blood of some particular nationality in his veins enhance his value as a legislator. In so far as possible the honor of having a representative in the Upper Chamber should be distributed among the several counties. Carleton has never been fortunate enough to land one of the berths. If not possible at the present time, the next opportunity should be made the occasion of a determined effort on behalf of some representative citizen of this county. There are several who might be mentioned as eligible in every way for the red chamber. Probably none would be more so than a distinguished and honorable resident of Woodstock, Mr. H. Paxton Baird.

Delayed in Transmission.

Some months ago there seemed a very pronounced idea in the minds of many that a new morning daily would be launched in St. John. Indeed matters progressed so far that a company was incorporated for the purpose of undertaking the project. For some reason, it seems, the enterprise has been dropped, at least temporarily. There are those who incline to the view that the new journal will never make its appearance. There are others, and knowing ones too, who claim something definite will shortly take place.

JOTTINGS.

Mrs J. G. Mitchell has been visiting in Fredericton.

Roland Williams has gone to Bethel, Vermont.

Marshall F. Kelly spent last week at his home, Debec.

The Colts will play a picked team at the track on Victoria day.

The boot and shoe stores have agreed to close on the holiday.

Mrs B. B. Manzer and grandson, Whiteman, have been in St. John.

Mrs C. A. McKeen left Tuesday night for Boston, where she will visit friends.

The Richard Kennedy farm at McKenzie Carner has been purchased by Lewis Furrinton.

A game of ball was played last Friday between the Little Hustlers and the Orioles. The former were defeated.

Harry Niles has returned from Missoula, Montana, and has been visiting his cousin, John Atherton of this town.

E. J. McLellan of Richmond, who lost his stock in the recent fire, has rented the Currie store and reopened for business.

Sheriff Hayward, Geo. H. Saunders, M. McManus and G. F. Saunders spent a few days at Skiff Lake this week. They report fish plentiful.

W. F. Glidden returned on Monday from Montreal with a carload of horses. Tuesday he sold a team of Clydes to A. F. Fawcett, one weighing 1690 and the other 1640.

A game of cricket was played on Saturday between a team from the College and one from Broadway. The game was in favor of the up town boys. The score was 31 to 21.

The Annual Woodstock District Convention will be held in the Forester's Hall, Debec, Tuesday, May 31st. Two sessions, afternoon and evening. Miss Jost, returned missionary from Japan, will be present.

A Scott Act case from Beechwood, in which Dr. Wyman was defendant, came up before Magistrate Dibblee last week. Several adjournments had been previously made. Judgment was given imposing a fine of \$100.

Alexander Benn, Elmwood, has a most prolific sow, seven years old; she has pigs twice a year, spring and fall, from 15 to 21 at a batch. A good investment, for Mr. Benn realizes from the pigs \$38, the dressing is worth \$12, the whole amounting to \$50 a year.

Tuesday evening the 67th Regt. Band gave the first outdoor concert of the season. The music was splendid. Prof. Harry Lee kindly consented to appear with the band, and his skilful baritone work was greatly appreciated by the big audience.

Rev. J. S. A. Bastin, who has been ill in this city at the residence of Mrs. W. H. Merritt, Golding Street, and wife, left on Monday evening for Temperance Vale, where he will spend a few days before again taking up his pastorate at the Episcopal church, Woodstock.—*St. John Globe*.

The boarding house known as the Flemming House, at Canterbury Station, York county, has been purchased by Herb. Jamieson, and he will take possession after the 20th inst., running a first-class house. All parties wishing to be transferred to Skiff Lake, can notify him by telephone, and they will receive prompt attention. Intending visitors to the lake should correspond with Andrew Cunningham at whose house they can board during their stay. He has boats to let and is prepared to act as guide and give his guests all necessary information.

Forty Years Ago.

From the Carleton Sentinel of
May 21st, 1864.

The first ship ever built in the county, a small sailing vessel, was launched on Thursday. She is named Northampton.

In addition to the Antelope, which has been plying regularly, we have been visited by the river boats Tobique, Gazelle and Bonnie Doon. During high water the two latter will run to Grand Falls. Captains Wood and Akerly are in command.

The Charcoal Iron Co. will have shipped from the works, Upper Woodstock, by the last of this month, within a space of twenty days, 1000 tons of pig iron. Large orders are coming in from England.