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YULETIDE.

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A Fine Dinner.

New Year's Day was the occasion of a grand spread at the Carlisle. Host Tabor is a man who knows how to run a hotel and as a caterer is second to none in the business. Although the transient men are not plentiful at the holiday season the hotel provided a most elaborate dinner for the regular boarders and other guests. The menu comprised everything on the market. Delicious Native Turkey, Green Goose, vegetables, relishes etc in abundance, tempting pastry, fruit and nuts. The chief cook at the hotel is an artist at the business and knows how to prepare the most tempting viands. A number of town people took their first dinner of the year at the Carlisle and were loud in praise of it. The Carlisle is right up to the mark and the proprietor intends to maintain the high reputation already reached. In the office he is assisted by Merrill Jones, an obliging and capable clerk. Wm Sheehan is the efficient head waiter.

DAKIN—HOWE.

An event of considerable interest took place on Christmas night at the home of Frank Howe, Hillsdale, Kings Co, when his daughter Miss May, became the bride of Mr Chas T. Dakin. The ceremony was performed by Rev Mr Bynon, pastor of the Baptist Church. Mrs Dakin is well known here as a faithful and capable member of the school staff. Mr. Dakin is head clerk for R. B. Jones, and prominent in the work of the Albert Street Church. The young couple arrived in town Monday evening and have rooms for the winter at the residence of Mr. S. J. Parsons.

TO OUR ADVERTISERS.

Advertisers and others are reminded that until further notice we will continue to make our collections by draft through the Bank of Montreal. This way of collecting is followed by all the dailies and most of the weekly papers in Canada. It has proved so mutually satisfactory that nearly every paper of any consequence is adopting the scheme. Business men appreciate the fact everywhere. We are glad to be able to see our way clear to follow in the steps of the larger publications.

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THE CIVIC CAMPAIGN.

The most refreshing aspect of the present mayoralty campaign is its thoroughly non-partisan character, due to the fact that the candidates are of the same political complexion, and fairly well-dyed at that. Other things being equal we presume no person can blame us for expressing the opinion that whatever preference there is should be given to one of the party which we support, but in the present fight the absence of any candidate of his own stripe renders the duty of the average liberal voter somewhat uncertain. To those of the government party who have hitherto been accustomed to carry party politics into town affairs we would give the word of warning that the dearth of liberal candidates is in no way due to lack of capable men, but rather from a desire to bury the hatchet in town matters. Coun Stevens was early in the field and it was felt that since Mayor Jones did not desire to sit any longer at the board it was not worth while to bring out any opponent for Coun Stevens. However the action of Mr Munro in acceding to the wish of a great many that he should run, opened what was supposed to be a closed matter. To put a third candidate in the field might have been desired by a not insignificant number but the wiser heads counselled in favor of peace. The contest has therefore degenerated into a factional affair, without any semblance of interest, save to a few who look upon the annual town election with the same degree of interest, and for the identical reason, that a child hangs up his stockings on Christmas Eve. The floating element are happy. Others are gazing upon the contest with equanimity. In the event of Mr Munro's election, we suppose no great harm will come to the town. In like manner the sun will still shine and the roses bloom again should the honor go to his opponent. Much depends upon the statement which the finance chairman will make at the town meeting on Monday night. If he is able to render a satisfactory showing it will go a long way towards steadying the independent element in the view that he deserves promotion. If on the other hand the picture proves a dark one, the advantage will necessarily fall to his adversary.

We are deeply sorry that the council at its last meeting voted down a motion to hire the Opera House for the town meeting. Has it come to the point where the town cannot afford ten dollars in order to provide a place fit to accommodate those who will attend the meeting, or is it felt that the smaller the number who can attend, the better for the old board? Those who have endeavored to get inside the walls of the present council chamber on the occasion of the last two town meetings know what an effort was necessary by very many to gain even standing room. The council out of common decency, if for no other reason, should provide a hall large enough to comfortably seat the crowd.

We frequently hear it remarked that the town needs a mayor who will run affairs on an economical basis. It is probably correct to say that the present chief magistrate is as careful a business man as ever sat in the chair, but even he will admit that many things have been done during the past year for which he is in no way responsible. It is no use to put a good man in the chair unless he has the council at his back. We contend that a forceful man sitting at the council table can do more good than one in the mayor's seat. The presiding officer has no actual authority save on the few occasions when the council is evenly divided. Four members of the board may get their heads together and the mayor is powerless to resist them. He has no veto and cannot legally refuse to put any motion that may be made in order. The mayor gets the blame for the evil, and the credit for the good, when he is in nine cases out of ten, helpless to present objectionable legislation. The mayor is nothing short of a figurehead when a majority chooses to oppose his way of thinking.

It is believed that Couns Leighton, McManus and Fisher will offer for re-election. The first named has been looked upon as the main agitator of the present outfit. He has been fearless, and in the main content, in his opposition to any project which he chose to oppose. As a minority councillor, for he was most often with but a single supporter, he proved a sharp critic. Although we did not see eye to eye with him on many questions, notably the school difficulty, we believe he is needed at the board. Certainly

nothing will go through without proper ventilation if Coun Leighton once more adorns a seat. Coun McManus deserves well of the electors. He is a fairly safe representative, cautious to a fault, and pretty strongly entrenched in the hearts of the ratepayers. Some day he will make a first rate mayor. We have before now designated Coun Fisher as the quiet member. He has lived up to that reputation. It is of course not always the loudest talker who makes the best councillor. As head of the Electric Light department he is heavily handicapped and it would be wonderful if any chairman of that Committee could please the public. As Coun Nicholson has repeatedly announced his retirement we may safely leave him in peace. He is a man who lives up to what he honestly believes is best. No one could do more. Coun Henderson says he, too is done with town affairs. Whether he may change his mind we cannot say. Of the new timber offering the most conspicuous candidate actually in the field is Mr A G Fields. He will in the event of election make a vigorous member who will want to know the why and the wherefore before assenting to any proposition. We are glad to see Mr Fields a candidate. It is generally believed, though somewhat contradictory reports are afloat, that Mr Alexander Dunbar, sr, head of the Dunbar Foundry, will run. He is admittedly a clever man whose contribution to the manufacturing industries of the town is one of which any place might be proud. We imagine his solid Scotch ability would be a welcome addition to the council. As the days go by we may hear of more seekers after fame. Perhaps the town meeting on Monday night, which we do hope may be held in some hall respectably large, will be prolific of candidates.

A Faithful Pastor Remembered.

The friends of Rev. George A. Ross pastor of the Methodist Church are not by any means confined to the denomination to which he belongs. A number of those who have appreciated his labors in the church and warm support he has given to all good works, resolved to confer upon him a New Year's gift. With that end in view a subscription was opened and in a few hours \$70 was raised. This amount in gold was enclosed in a pretty case and a start made for the parsonage. The genial pastor was somewhat surprised when in answer to the bell he swung wide the door and gazed into the faces of some twenty of his flock, headed by Mr Frank B Carvell M P. After entering the parsonage and exchanging greetings Mr Carvell as spokesman rose and made a few happy remarks explaining to Mr Ross the object of the visit and handed him the gold. The clergyman was greatly touched with the evidence of esteem but made a fitting reply. Among those who participated in raising the purse were Messrs Geo W Gibson, J Frank Tilley, J Albert Hayden, W N Hand M D, G A White, Andrew Dunbar, H D Stevens, J D Carey, F B Carvell M P, Geo E Balmale, N Foster Thorne, T F Sprague M D, Wm Balmale, P T Kierstead M D, A W Hay, A G Bailey, I E Sheasgreen, Geo Mitchell, R B Jones, Andrew Myles, Walter Stone, J M Frapp, B B Munzer, John A Lindsay, Chas Comben, L E Young, C L Smith, G H Harrison, James Carr, Benjamin Griffiths, John McLaughlan, H Paxton Baird, A E Jones, Andrew Williams, D W Kyle, E R Teed, Dr Kirkpatrick and Wallace Gibson.

Creation vs. Evolution.

Before an audience that completely filled the Main St United Baptist Church last Sunday evening Rev F Allison Currier M A preached the first of his two sermons on "Creation versus Evolution." He took as his text the first verse of the first chapter of Genesis and in an address bristling with information and teeming with arguments that seemed altogether too strong for successful contradiction, unmercifully exposed the fallacies of the doctrine laid down by Herbert Spencer and other of that school. The preacher took up the claims made by evolutionists and in every instance showed the utter absurdity of their statements. Men may argue, sceptics may doubt, but it remains as true as the eternal hills that the only authentic and accurate account of creation is contained in the first chapter of the Bible. The second sermon will be delivered on Sunday evening. No doubt a large number will avail themselves of the privilege of attending.

JOTTINGS.

The annual collection in St Gertrude's church amounted to \$275.

Harold Trafton has gone back to Bloomfield Station where he is learning telegraphy.

We now have in stock a nice line of deeds, also county court writs, with endorsement.

Miss O M Tracy of Tracy Mills is spending the winter with her aunt Mrs Chas Whenman.

It is said that Dr Coburn of Canterbury is not in very good health, and may go outside for the winter.

Any person interested in the purchase of a piano should read the advertisement of J Clark & Son in this issue.

Richmond Agricultural Society will meet in Hall at Debec Tuesday evening, 9th inst, to hear reports from delegates to the fat stock show.

James H Olts, proprietor of the Vendome Hotel has received a fine walking stick from his son Albert of Seattle. The head of the cane is pure Klondike gold.

Dr A Pierce Crockett, eye, ear, nose and throat specialist of St John will be at the Carlisle Hotel, Woodstock Friday Jan 12th, where he may be consulted professionally.

James Hilley a young man who went West several years ago from the parish of Richmond called at this office recently in company with the Postmaster at Kirkland. Mr Hilley has just returned from Ferguson B C where he was for seven years engaged in mining. After a short visit to Lynn he expects to return to the East Kootenay region.

Mr and Mrs Chas Whenman of Woodstock with a number of other invited guests spent a pleasant Christmas with Mr and Mrs Whitfield S Ebbett of Middle Simonds.

We have received a copy of the I U R calendar for 1906. It is a beautiful one and reflects credit upon those who designed it. We believe a copy will be sent to those who apply early to W L Crighton, Moncton, N B.

In the Telegraph's puzzle contest of Dec 16th the following Carleton County people won prizes:—J McLeod Boyer, Victoria; Annie L Belyea Coldstream; Daisy A Bullier, Lower Windsor; Herbert Alton, Hartland; Ennis Perkins, Centerville and A Williams, Woodstock.

Some weeks ago before Magistrate Dibblee the case of Drysdale vs Galupe, an action for balance alleged to be due for boarding defendant's father, was decided in favor of plaintiff. Last week before the Chief Justice the defendant's counsel, Mr J O Hartley, secured a reversal of judgment, and the plaintiff was ordered to pay the costs incurred by Galupe.

Carlisle Arrivals.—J N W Winslow and wife, Douglas Winslow, Miss M Winslow, F B Carvell and wife, Miss Carvell, I E Sheasgreen and wife, Woodstock; S E Robinson, Houlton; F E Stephenson, Crescent Park; L A Fenwick, Mrs L A Fenwick, Bath; N P Cook, Presque Isle, Maine; F P Tinker, Fredericton; Frank T Bixby, St John; H O Cochran, Montreal; Mr and Mrs Alex O'Donnell, Houlton; Dr and Mrs Geo O'Donnell, Debec; Guy G Porter, Andover; J A Jarvis, Toronto; C L Sypher, J M Queen, St John.

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