

## The Carleton Sentinel

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## A DUTY.

There is fair promise of better days for Woodstock if the principles advocated by the Board of Trade are carried out. The impression that any move to let the world know the town's possibilities, emanated from individual sources, for individual purposes, is all wrong, and there should be a wide-spread effort to support those who are in a position to lend aid, either from their business connections or their superior information, in advocating suggestions that will tend to improve the town's condition.

What is required is a keener and more active interest in town affairs. The Board of Trade is something in which every citizen should participate; its work is simply in accordance with what is being done the country over. Therefore it is the duty of every citizen of Woodstock to get interested in this organization—to feel the quickening influence of the times, to lend assistance and knowledge that better days that are promised may not forever remain in the realm of tomorrow.

## MONEY WASTED.

With the approach of spring it is time to begin to think and plan for a year of work for better roads about the country districts.

While great progress has been made in the direction of street improvement and in main arteries of travel, the general improvement of country roads proceeds at slow rate.

One great reason therefor is the temporary character of so much of the work. The road officials are too anxious to spend money for political purposes. It is expensive politics to scrape a lot of mud out of the gutters instead of carting on gravel and dig out the gutters so as to drain off the water.

Slipshod repairs are very costly in the long run. They place a permanent tax on all who have produce to get to market. They give a country district a black eye with the great host of the public that is travelling by automobile. They discourage home seekers that may be thinking of locating.

The proper care of water along the highways is one of the secrets of permanent work. A road with ample gutters, built with enough of a slope so that water will run off will last many years, where an imperfectly drained road goes to pieces in a hard shower or under the storm and frost of winter.

The time has come when unscientific patching of country roads ought to cease. The farmer needs a good road a great deal more than the pleasure driving automobilist. To the latter a bad road means simply a little discomfort. To the farmer it

means many hours of time wasted as he draws his loads through the sloughs of mud. It means that he must keep more horses and that his beasts of burden will wear out quicker.

Let every farmer insist that the road officials of his neighborhood do modern, scientific work!

## PREMIER SNUBS MR. ROGERS

There was a most illuminative incident when the House adjourned at midnight. Mr. F. B. Carvell (Carleton, N. B.), the last speaker of the day, had been speaking an hour in support of Mr. Turriff's amendment, and at midnight suggested that a previous arrangement with the Whips as to a comparatively early adjournment should be carried out. Premier Borden was in his place, and so was Hon. Robert Poers. But Hon. Robert who, as current gossip has it, has his eye on the Premiership, promptly got up ahead of the Premier and proceeded to take charge. He declared that Mr. Carvell would have to finish his speech, that no arrangement had been made for an early adjournment, and that the Government expected Mr. Carvell to proceed. Then Premier Borden quietly arose and snubbed his first lieutenant. He courteously agreed to the adjournment, while Mr. Rogers had to sit silent.

Discussing the Miller incident the Halifax Chronicle says:

While it is eminently desirable that the dignity and authority of the High Court of Parliament shall be maintained inviolate, it is questionable whether the course which the Government has chosen to pursue in the Miller case will tend to that end. On the contrary, the proceedings are far more likely to bring Parliament into ridicule before the country. Indeed, the levity with which the matter has been treated is calculated to destroy the whole effect of the punishment imposed for what, technically, no doubt, was a breach of the privilege of Parliament. This is to be deplored, because nothing is more important than the maintenance of the prestige of our legislative bodies.

In a similar case when L. J. Maxse, Editor of the National Review, who made charges of the gravest character against Ministers of the Crown in the Old Country—charges which upon investigation before a committee of the House of Commons, proved to without foundation in fact—refused to answer the questions submitted to him by the committee, the Asquith Government declined to enforce its power to impose exemplary punishment, simply for the reason that the commitment of Mr. Maxse to the Tower would be likely to excite ridicule and so defeat the real object in view.

And so it has proved in the Miller case, which has been handled so as to become a burlesque rather than a serious effort to uphold the authority and dignity of Parliament. The principle at stake will be lost sight of by the public, and the harsh treatment meted out to Mr. Miller, will be regarded as a persecution and not a punishment for contempt of the authority of Parliament. Mr. Borden would have shown better judgment had he restrained his impetuous followers who, in their eagerness to strike a blow at the Liberal Party over the shoulders of Mr. Miller, have blundered badly. Mr. Miller as

a "state prisoner" is in a fair way as he draws his loads through the sloughs of mud. It means that he must keep more horses and that his beasts of burden will wear out quicker.

The comforting thought to those who do not enjoy severe weather is that winter must necessarily be short this year. This must be so even if February and March do their worst. And the length of the winter is the element most complained of in this part of the country. The average person does not object to winter, but resents when he has to take five or six months of it, something which he will not have to do this year.

On the whole the winter should be fairly satisfactory to almost everybody.

Both poles have been reached. There does not remain opportunity for new achievement. Curiosity has been disappointingly gratified. Conditions found were as reason had already told us they must be. And while observations which can be made may have a degree of scientific interest, they cannot have practical value to mankind. It would be just as well if the tragedy which has been made known to the world were left to be the final incident of a kind of human effort that serves no useful purpose and whose reward is always likely to be death.

Regina Leader.—The farmers of Canada are the men who are doing the patriotic work and building up strong and healthy trade conditions in Canada. The official blue book says so. They are doing their best in the face of heavy obstacles to bring about the readjustment which Mr. Foster declares is so advisable and necessary. But instead of assisting them Mr. Foster and his colleagues in the Borden Government continue to impose great handicaps upon the farmers and continue to insult them with charges of disloyalty.

It is not often the Speaker has to call down a Prime Minister, but yesterday, in the House, Mr. Borden behaved in so ungentlemanly a way that it was necessary to give him the snub direct, but he refused to apologize. "I think it is best that hon. gentlemen should not use words and expressions which would not be permitted in the best of company," commented the Speaker. And Mr. Borden had no reply to make to this snub.—Hamilton Times.

## BUT IT IS THE P. M.'S SIZE

(From the London Advertiser)

The Postmaster-General has wiped out the name of Graham from the list of post offices. Having failed to wipe out the owner of the name in South Renfrew, this is the best the Government can do.

The beauty of any movement for town betterment is complete freedom from politics, as that word is commonly understood. It is a case of the best citizens getting together for a common purpose, that purpose being boosting the town in the interests of the whole people.

Any prospect for the town acquiring new industries depends on the attitude of the railway in the matter of freight rates. Arrange this over the shoulders of Mr. Miller, important feature and "All things else shall follow."

## Market Conditions That Bring Home to Canadian Farmers How Basely They Were Betrayed by a Coalition of Flag-Flappers and Anti-Imperialists

WOODSTOCK, PRICES THURSDAY, FEB. 27 1913

Potatoes per barrel	\$ .80
Oats per bushel (34 lbs)	.35
Hay, pressed No. 1	8.00

HOULTON, ME. PRICES THURSDAY, FEB. 27TH, 1913

Potatoes per barrel	\$1.15 and \$1.35
Oats per bushel (32 lbs)	.50
Hay, pressed No. 1	19.00

Mr. Munro's was not successful in his efforts to secure limited franchise for women, although he backed up his argument with the quotation: "A mother is a mother all days of her life. But father is a father till he gets a new wife."

In spite of this touching appeal the house decided that the husband will do the voting.

Montreal Star (Conservative).—If Parliament cannot deal with refusals to answer questions put by its own committees it should at least have the grace to cease trying to do so. It can gain nothing by making itself more absurd, if possible, than it is already.

The treatment accorded the unfortunate woman seeking admission to the hospital one day last week, is enough to shake the faith of men in their fellow men and gives rise to questioning whether any of the apparent good in the world is genuine.

R. C. Miller, Canada's prisoner of state, is confined in Carleton County Jail. There is a Carleton County Jail in N. B. that could aid very materially in getting the government out of the "hole" in which it is placed with Mr. Miller.

Legislators and public men are talking interminably about doing something for the farmers. A free market would give the farmers a splendid chance to help themselves—which, in our humble opinion is pretty much all they ask for or need.

A disposition to work together is a necessity for town improvement. Railroad competition is deemed the life of trade—Woodstock, instead, has "regulation"—in the matter of freight rates especially.

Land owners still have some rights which even the "settlement board," of the St. John and Quebec Railway, is bound to respect.

What now of the rumored divisional point deal? Let some one rise up and tell an eager public what is on the slate.

To accuse any citizen of this town of not trying to get in on a fox-farm deal, is nothing short of an insult.

Since the advent of February winter has been attending to business.

Are you a member of the Board of Trade?

## PROVINCE NOT READY FOR PROHIBITORY LAW

Fredericton, Feb. 25.—The convention of the New Brunswick Branch of the Dominion Alliance opened this morning at the Y M C A hall turned out to be divided not on the question of prohibition but as to the best method of procedure to secure provincial prohibition in New Brunswick.

Bishop Richardson and others supported a resolution: from the Ministerial Association and Laymen of Fredericton and speakers from other sections of the province came out against sending a delegation to the government to ask for prohibition on the broad ground that the province was not ready for a prohibitory law.

## MARRIED

At the residence of Mrs. Hedley Moores, Chapel St., on Feb. 26th, by Rev. A. C. Berrie, John Joseph Brown of Toronto, to Miss Gertrude Viola Hagerman of Woodstock.

For years in use, 20 years the standard, prescribed and recommended by physicians. For Woman's Ailments. Dr. Martell's Female Pills, at your druggist.

## QUARTERLY MEETING OF THE UNITED BAPTIST CHURCHES

Rockland, March 3 and 4

(SECOND DISTRICT)

PROGRAM

MONDAY EVENING, 7.30

Sermon

Social Service—The Pastor.

TUESDAY MORNING

9.30—Devotional Service

Deacon Haddon Birmingham

10.00—Christian Finances:

1—The Local Church

Rev. E. B. McLachly

2—The Farmer's Tenth:

(a) Minister's View

Rev. S. W. Schurman

(b) Farmer's View

Bro. D. McLeod

3—The Finance Committee

Bro. Fred Sanborn

4—The Envelope System

Bro. E. C. Morgan

5—Denominational Apportionment

Rev. A. C. Berrie

TUESDAY AFTERNOON

Ordination Council

Business Session

TUESDAY EVENING

7.30—Ordination Service

Sermon—Rev. E. C. Jenkins

Introduction of Candidate

Laying of Hands—The Ministers

Address to the Candidate

Address to the Church

Delegates will be met at Hartland if

names are sent to the pastor of the Rock-

land church.

## MIDDLE SOUTHAMPTON.

The Middle Southampton and Grandview school district has purchased the land and residence of the late John Grosvenor to be used for school purposes.

An up-to-date organ has been placed in the United Baptist church.

W. B. Cronkrite has returned home from a business trip to St. John.

W. B. Cronkrite has sold two teams, one to Bert Miller of Campbell Settlement.

Mrs. George Noble of Bridgewater, Me., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. B. S. Cronkrite who is very sick.

Miles Cronkrite has sold his fine three year old mare to Andrew Caverhill.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon A. Grant have returned home from the opening of the house at Fredericton.

The Dramatic Club are preparing for a grand concert to be held Easter week.

The home of Ed Price has been made glad by the arrival of a baby girl, also the home of W. K. Oldham by the arrival of a baby boy.

Wilnot Grant lost a fine cow last week.

The farmers are having a hard time to get their stock to water this winter on account of so much ice. A good many cows have been ruined and had to be killed to be put out of their misery.

Mrs. Bertha Fox is visiting her friend Miss G. Grant.

## JAS. A. GIBSON

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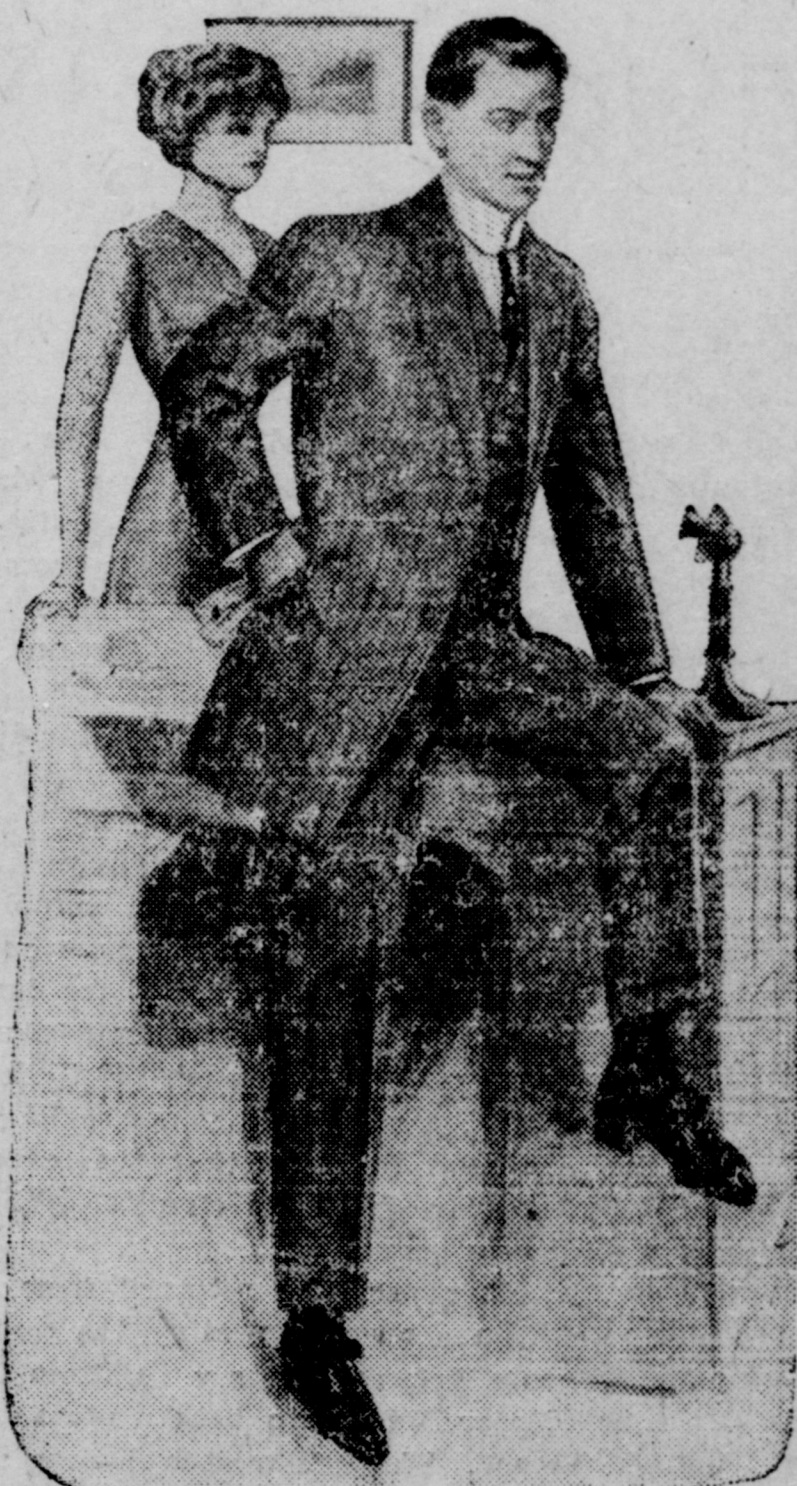
The undersigned Assignee of the above firm hereby ask for tenders for the stock of dry goods, etc., now in the store formerly occupied by the said firm at Woodstock, N. B.; also for the said store situated on Main St., Woodstock. Stock list and full information furnished on application. Tenders may be made for the stock separately and the stores separately, or both together. Sealed tenders to be received up to and including the 3rd day of March, 1913. Tenders to be opened at meeting of creditors, March 4th, 1913, at 2 p. m. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Dated at Woodstock, N. B., the 15th day of February, 1913.

JOHN L. TOMPKINS, Assignee.

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E. W. JARVIS, Manager.

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