

BUCTOUCHE NOTES.

FEB. 23rd.—Business of late has been very dull in our tranquil little town, owing largely to the inclemency of the weather, and the deplorable condition of the roads.

The M. & B. train which was blocked last week for a few days by the storm, is now running regularly. Much credit is due the officials of the road, for the way they have worked in clearing the track.

La Grippe has been making its visits at the homes of many of our citizens, and as a result a number are confined to the house by their unwelcome guest.

The numerous friends of Mr. Anthony Grattan are pleased to learn that he is improving from a severe attack of la grippe.

Our popular Dr. LeBel has been suffering from a severe cold, much to the disappointment and regret of his many friends.

The people here and vicinity are much pleased that Mr. Richard Poirier, of Cocagne, has been elected by acclamation to fill the vacancy caused by the death of the late P. H. Leger in the Provincial Legislature. Of course had a poll been held, the result would certainly have been the same, as of all the candidates named Mr. Poirier was above all the strongest man, and would have led by a large majority. I think that some of the candidates aspiring for political honors thought so as well, otherwise they would not have retired at the eleventh hour. Perchance the deal that was tried to be effected the evening before the nomination, at the abode of a very popular bachelor in the town of Richibucto, fell through. It is very fortunate that no clothes lines were in the vicinity of this building as some of the candidates, who were seen at a very early hour in the morning meandering from it, might have been entangled and met their death before they did politically.

The Government Official who was seen near the residence of Mr. E. J. LeBlanc slightly intoxicated the evening of the election, wishes the public to know that he was not elated over the results of Mr. Poirier's election and took no part in it. He also states that any liquor he procured was purchased by his own private funds, and not by funds raised from ten cent bits bammed from his intimate friends. His practice is somewhat different from the practice adopted by some of our sports who are sometimes seen around back yards intoxicated.

The citizens of our village are jubilant over the fact that the public bridge across our river, which is in a deplorable condition is to be repaired by the building of a steel bridge. Work is to be commenced at once, and the lumber is now being hauled for the approaches. Mr. Barnes, M. P., who has been advocating the building of this bridge for some time says that when it is completed it will compare favourably with any bridge in the province.

Mr. Fletcher who has been superintending the repairing of Birch Island Bridge, St. Mary's, has arrived here to take charge of the work on the steel bridge. The many friends of Mr. Fletcher are glad to see him.

Our popular young citizen Mr. Neil J. Ross is spending a few days in Moncton.

The members of No. 1 Company, 73rd Battalion, entertained Messrs. Watling and Allister Murray, who have applied to join the South African Constabulary, at an oyster supper, Saturday evening. After all had done full justice to the bivalves the health of the King and Queen Consort was proposed by Capt. R. A. Irving and the members sang "God Save the King." The toast of the "honored guests" was proposed by Lt. Col. J. Sheridan and was replied to by Messrs. Watling and Murray.

The toast "Our Canadian Boys who fought in South Africa" was proposed by Capt. Irving and replied to by Messrs. John Dutney, H. Irving Stevenson and George Keswick. The health of Col. Sheridan, Capt's. Irving and Powell was proposed and was received by the Company by cheers and musical honors and brought speeches from each of the above named gentlemen. The toast of "No. 1 Company" was responded to by Privates Ed. Barnes, Smith, Wilbur, Ryan, Girouard, Maxwell, Wry and others who all made brief speeches. The toast to the Ladies was responded to by John Hutchinson, Jr.

The toast our Host brought forward with cheers Mr. Gould, who sang "The Irish Jubilee." Songs were rendered by Messrs. Watling, Dutney and Capt. Irving, and the supper was brought to a close with the singing of "Auld Lang Syne" and three cheers for King Edward the Seventh. No. 1 Company then marched down Main Street to their respective homes led by Professor Frank Angers who gave the tune on the drum.

Our public school is making great advancement under the management of our popular teacher Mr. George A. Coates, assisted by Miss Mary Mazerolle who has charge of the primary department. Great credit is due both the above named teachers for the interest they are taking in their respective departments. It is now very uncommon to see any of our school children on the public streets after tea, but on the contrary they may be seen at their various homes studying their lessons for the coming morning. A number of scholars from outside of the district are here attending Mr. Coates's school, Master Bon-

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ner Law of Kingston being one of the number.

We trust since the trustees have procured the services of such teachers that they will endeavor to do all they can in their power to improve them.

Mrs. Ann. R. E. X.

Grip is quite prevalent in this section of the county.

Mardi Gras passed off as usual with the never failing war whoops Buctouche is noted for.

Miss Bella Palmer of Kingston, is spending a few days with her friend Miss Cal.

W. S. Loggie & Co., represented here by Mr. Watling is the only smelt buyer for the past month we have had in the town, having outwinded the other firms who were engaged in the business during the past winter.

Buctouche is to have a fine large schooner added to its fleet this summer, but we are sorry to say she will not do much trading from this port having been engaged to freight between Miramichi and Cape Breton ports.

For the past few days there seems to be a let up in the snow storms. During the succession of little blizzards we have lately experienced our mail service via Shediac made its daily trips. Much credit is due Mr. John Smith, the contractor, for the excellent manner he has handled the mails since first entering on his duty.

Driver Gid and Conductor Jack of the Moncton and Buctouche railway are handling the old train in good shape this winter. Give them a chance and they will get to the railway town and back if it can be done at all, "and don't you forget it."

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Nos. 1 and 2 sold in Richibucto by Est. W. W. Short.

We have been informed that a certain gentleman (if we could call him such) has of late been soliciting subscriptions from the people of Richibucto and Kingston for the purpose, he claims, of helping along the work of the Salvation Army, and he has in every instance where he has met with success used the money for his own purpose instead of helping the Salvation Army. People should beware of such a man as this who is trying to defraud the public as well as the Salvation Army.

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All persons liable to be rated are hereby requested to bring in to the assessors within 30 days true statements of their personal property and income. The valuation lists when completed, will be posted in Richibucto Post Office, Kingston P. O., and Village P. O.
H. M. FERGUSON,
RUBEN S. MAILLET,
ARTHUR E. O'LEARY.
Dated at Richibucto this 8th day of February, 1901.
NOTE.—Trustees of the several school districts are requested to comply with the law and hand in statements of the names of persons liable to be rated and their valuation.

Rakings.

—400 lbs Butter for sale at Geo. F. Atkin-on's, Kingston.

—Shad, Mackerel, Herring, Codfish, for sale at Geo. F. Atkin-on's, Kingston.

—A report of Richibucto parish Sunday School Convention held in the Methodist church last week, which is unavoidably crowded out of this issue, will appear next week.

—Nine carloads of freight was brought down from Kent Junction last Friday by the K. N. R. train. The freight had accumulated at the Junction since the train made its last trip.

—George, the two year old son of Mr. Jas. Graham, died Tuesday morning. Much sympathy is expressed for Mr. Graham, as it is only about a fortnight since he buried his wife.

—Any person who wants Coal can get the same at the Wm. Hudson farm in Mill Branch where a supply of our own county coal is kept on hand ready for delivery. The coal is of the best quality.

—Auctioneer John D. McMinn will sell by public auction at the residence of Ruben L. Richard, North West River, on Saturday, March 2nd, all his stock, crop and household effects. See posters for particulars.

—We have been requested to announce that the auction sale which was to have taken place at the residence of Maxime Joe. Maillet, E. St. Galloway, on Monday, Feb. 25th has been postponed until Monday, March 4th.

—Messrs. A. & R. Loggie and R. O'Leary each shipped a car load of smelts on Saturday. They had been in their freezers ready for shipment for some time. This is the last shipment that will be made this winter.

—The heavy snow storm of Sunday has made the roads in such a state that they are almost impassable. The train has been compelled to remain where it is at present—in the engine room. The storm was one of the worst of the season.

—The death occurred at Kouchibouguac on Thursday, Feb. 14th, of one of the oldest residents of that place in the person of John Kelly, Sr., of rheumatic fever, aged 68 years. He had been ill about 3 months, and death was not unexpected. He leaves a wife and 9 children—4 sons and 5 daughters.

—No other article of diet is in such general use among civilized people as tea, of which Canadians use annually about five pounds per capita. Health and economy demand a tea that is unadulterated and is the best product of the tea gardens. Such are the UNION BLEND TEAS, which are sold at 25, 30, 35 and 40 cents per pound.

—After a whole week of continual shovelling snow and picking ice the K. N. R. train succeeded in reaching Kent Junction, and on its arrival here last Friday night three cheers were given for its safe arrival, after such a long passage. The track was in a good condition on Saturday but is now completely blocked up with snow.

—Owing to the bad state of the roads, the 3rd Quarterly Board of the Methodist church did not meet on Tuesday, the 26th, as advertised. The said Board will meet on Tuesday, March 12th, at 2 p. m., in the Methodist church, Richibucto. The stewards and collectors are respectfully requested to collect all the quarterly dues and report at next meeting—March 12th.

—Mr. Abdellah Sayre has bought the stock of groceries from Mr. Malcolm McKinnon and has moved his stock of dry goods into the store occupied by Mr. McKinnon. Mr. Sayre will in future conduct a general store, including dry goods, groceries, crockeryware, glassware, etc. The store is in a good part of the town, and no doubt Mr. Sayre will receive a share of public patronage. His advt. appears on page 7 of this issue.

—Friday morning before Judge Wells at Chabers, a matter in the Kent County Court of George Warman vs. James Crystal. This was a motion for certificate against costs, moved by W. B. Chandler, K. C., with W. D. Carter, of Richibucto, contra. This was an action for malicious prosecution tried at the last term of the Kent County Court, when a verdict was given for the plaintiff for one dollar. Judgment reserved.—Moncton Times.

—A correspondent writing from Buctouche says: A very enjoyable party was held at the residence of Mrs. Will H. Irving on Tuesday night last. Among the ladies present were the Misses Annie Murray, Nellie Murray, Maggie Carter and Mrs. Archie Irving, while the gentlemen guests were made up of as follows: Messrs. Allister Murray, John Irving, Archie Irving, William Walker, W. Watling and our returned South African hero, John Dutney. After spending the greater part of the evening in games, &c., of different kinds, all repaired to the dining-room where ample justice was done to the inner man.

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FOR SALE.—The subscriber has for sale 8 tons of land plaster at the rate of \$5.75 per ton, including bags. He also has for disposal a high grade Ayrshire cow due to drop a calf from the Johnson Jersey Bull in April, for \$25.00, also a pure registered Jersey Bull, a year old in June for \$50.00; also a pure bred registered Shropshire Ram for \$8.00. He also requires 5 tons of straw, marsh hay, upland hay and wheat bran for which he will pay cash according to quality. I. W. DOHERTY, Kingston.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION.—South Weldford Parish S. School Convention met in the Hall at St. Nicholas River on Feb. 18th, 1901, Field Secretary, Rev. A. Lucas, being present. The afternoon meeting was opened at 2 p. m. by the County President, Mr. A. Mundle, and after a service of song, a number of the brethren led in prayer. The Bible lesson chosen by Rev. Mr. Lucas was Psalm 119, verses 105-11-18, which he particularly explained and addressed to the S. School scholars—quite a number being present. After a very profitable address to parents, Mr. Lucas brought up the question of organizing the S. Schools of South Weldford into a district convention, the result of which would mean more Christian unity and intercourse one with the other, visiting each other with the motive of helping and encouraging one another, and as there were representatives from nearly all the schools, present, they all endorsed it heartily. A nominating committee was appointed by the President to choose officers for the leading part of the work. Question slips which had been distributed, were now collected with the offering, and answered very profitably and satisfactorily by Mr. Lucas, after which the meeting closed with the doxology. The evening meeting was opened at 7 p. m. with a service of song and devotional exercises, after which Mr. Mundle called for a report from the nominating committee, of which Mr. John Lawson, Jr., was President, Mr. Joseph Mitchell, vice-President, Miss Annie Robertson, Sec'y-Treas., and in her absence, Mrs. Wm. Robertson pro tem. Said officers being elected, our district President, Mr. Lawson, was then called to the chair and with a few brief words assumed his duties. Mr. Lucas then took up the subject of the S. S. teachers and their work, and after a very profitable address, and recommending and insisting on the study of the normal lessons, the substance and value of which he explained very vividly on the blackboard, he urged the teachers to study it in order to be able to do better work in the S. S. The subject was then taken up, "how to get the parents to the S. School." Mr. Lucas said kind, persevering, untiring efforts on the part of the teachers ought to accomplish the work. The meetings were both well attended. Mr. Lucas sang several solos which were enjoyed by all. This, together with his indefatigable efforts, made the meetings very helpful and inspiring to all present and any one who had an interest in S. S. work had missed a great deal by not being present.

PARIS, Feb. 23.—During the attack on the French garrison at Touminouin, Algeria, by a thousand Arabs, three officers and six men were killed and 21 wounded. The natives were repulsed with one hundred killed and one hundred wounded.

White Watery Pimples. Five years ago my body broke out in white watery pimples, which grew so bad that the suffering was almost unbearable. I took doctors' medicine and various remedies for two years but they were of little benefit, whenever I got warmed up or sweat the pimples would come out again. A neighbor advised Burdock Blood Bitters, and I am glad I followed his advice, for four bottles completely cured me. That was three years ago and there has never been a spot or pimple on me since. James Lashouse, Brechin P.O., Ont.

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