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GERMANY AND GREAT BRITAIN.

Persistent Story That Entente Is Impending.

BERLIN CORRESPONDENT TELLS WHAT GERMANY WOULD ACCEPT.

London, Dec. 29.—Notwithstanding semi official denials the story of an impending entente between Germany and Great Britain presists.

The Standard, which is ussally anti-German gives prominence today to a statement from its Berlin correspondent in which correspondent says:

"Germany is willing for present at any rate to consider possibility of concluding a rapproachment with Great Britain on triple basis as follows:

"First, an agreement to co-operate in certa n Colonial matters, chiefly in Africa where British and German dominions are adjacent to one another.

"Second, an agreement regarding future of the near east from the Bosphorus to Persian gulf.

"Third, an agreement concerning naval expansion."

MOTHER SAW HER TWO BOYS DROWN.

THREE CHILDREN WERE SLIDING DOWN HILL ON RIVER WHEN ICE GAVE AWAY.

Prescott, Ont., Dec. 29.—A sad drowning accident occurred about two miles west of Prescott yesterday, in which two lads of eight and nine years of age lost their lives. Frank and Harry Easter, along with their sister, were sleigh riding down the hill on to the St. Lawrence river. When the sleigh had run a short distance on the ice, it broke through and the three children went down. Their mother, who lives close by, managed to reach them and saved the little girl. Unaided, she also managed to get the two boys out, although in great danger of losing her own life. The two boys, however, were beyond help when found.

CHINAMAN SHOT IN TONG WAR.

MURDERED MAN HAD NO LESS THAN TEN BULLETS IN BODY.

New York, Dec. 29.—After an unusual quiet, which lasted for six weeks, Chinatown last night was thrown into the wildest kind of excitement by a renewal of the tong feuds.

When the smoke of the battle of last night finally cleared away two Chinese were found on the third floor rear of a tenement at No. 30 Pell St., in the heart of the Chinese district. One of them was dead, wounded by no less than ten bullets, and the other was mortally wounded. The police say the dead man was Lo Jong and the dying Oriental Lu Ye Fong.

BOARD OF HEALTH DEMAND MORE POWER.

Want to Prevent Annual Visitation of Typhoid Fever Scourge.

WILL ASK LEGISLATURE TO PREVENT UNPURIFIED SEWAGE TO GO INTO RIVERS.

Montreal, Dec. 29.—Important steps to cope with the present typhoid situation in the city of Montreal and the province generally were taken yesterday by the Provincial Board of Health, at a meeting presided over by Dr. E. P. Lachapelle, and attended by Hon. Jeremie Decarie, Provincial Secretary. In order to prevent the annual visitations of this scourge the Board recommended that wherever possible municipalities should put in filtration plants. But the Board took much more drastic action, and resolved that in view of the present crisis it was urgent that the Legislature should prohibit the emptying of unpurified sewage into rivers and streams, so as to stop the supply of typhoid bacteria at its very source.

OPPOSED CIVIL LIST OF THE KING.

Socialists in Belgian Chamber of Deputies Voted Against Grant of $600,000

THEY ALSO RE-AFFIRMED THEIR ALLEGIANCE TO A REPUBLIC.

Brussels, Dec. 29.—The Socialists in the Chamber of Deputies yesterday opposed the civil list of the King, which amounts to 3,300,000 francs ($660,000) and reaffirmed their allegiance to a republic. M. Rorier declared that the royal chateaux whould be turned into sanatoriums. The appropriations, however, were adopted by a vote of 100 to 29.

The King's civil list is the same as that granted to Leopold, the new sovereign declining the Catholic Party's suggestion of an increase.

The Socialist amendment, calling for an inventory of the contents of the royal palaces, so as to prevent the sale of national property, as under King Leopold, was defeated.

FITCH BAY.

Arrivals and departures during the holidays: Mr. E. Rider and two friends from Montreal; Mr. L.H.Rand and Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Rand, of Stanstead at Mr. D. F. Moranvill's; Mrs. Baldwin, of Boynton, with her niece, Mrs. D. C. Waite; Miss E. Carr of Newport, Vt., home; Miss Edna Gardyne is home; Dr. and Mrs. S. B. Fraser at Richmond, with Mrs. Fraser's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Campbell; Mr. Newbury home.

The union Christmas tree on Christmas Eve at the Congregational Church was a grand success, the children doing their parts beautifully. Miss Davidson, the teacher of the village school took charge of the programme and was assisted by Mrs. Hutchinson and others.

CANADA PAID A QUARTER OF MILLION

Price of Cruiser Rainbow which Was Bought from Admiralty

NOT KNOWN WHEN REPAIRS WILL BE COMPLETED ON SHIP.

Ottawa, Dec. 29.—It is understood that the sum paid by Canada to the British Admiralty for the cruiser Rainbow was in the vicinity of a quarter of a million dollars.

The Canadian Government has not yet been notified when repairs on the vessel will be completed so that she may start for her Canadian station on the Pacific coast.

$70,000 WILL BE SPENT ON CRUISER.

London, Dec. 29.—The cost of refitting the Rainbow, the cruiser purchased by the Canadian Government, will be $70,000.

SUTTON BOY SHOOTS BROTHER.

Eleven Year Old Boy Took Deliberate Aim And Inflicted Serious Injury.

SHOT ENTERED BOY'S UNDERLIP PENETRATING THROUGH TO THE JAW.

Sutton, Dec. 29.—(Special.)—Mr. Hector Premont's eleven year old son took deliberate aim with an air gun at his 14 year old brother shooting him in the face. The shot entered the boy's underlip penetrating clear through the lip and striking at the roots of his teeth was stopped, lodging in the flesh where it had to be cut out. Previous to the shooting his brother and he had been using a tin pan as a target and the force of the rifle was sufficient to cut a hole through the tin at each shot.

SENT DOWN FOR FIVE YEARS.

OLD OFFENDER GIVEN SMART SENTENCE FOR BURGLARY AND THEFT.

Quebec, Dec. 29.—Five years' incarceration in St. Vincent de Paul Penitentiary was the sentence meted out to Joseph Sylvian by Judge Chauveau in the Court of Sessions for theft.

The crime for which Sylvain has been sentenced was committed during the night of Nov. 24th last, when accused broke into the premises of P. H. Giguere on Crown street and stole clothing, furs and some pieces of jewellery therefrom, the whole amounting in value to about $500.

Sylvain, who is about 25 years of age, has already appeared before the Court, having been sentenced to a jail term for stealing a horse.

WEST SHEFFORD.

Messrs. West and Hulburt entertained the Euchre Club in Elm Grove Hall Thursday evening last. The prizes were won by Mrs. S. R. Hayes and Mr. A. E. Stone.

PREPARING FOR MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS

Eastern Townships Will Elect Local Rulers Next Month

VOTING DAY IN SHERBROOKE, IN CASE OF CONTEST, WILL NOT BE TILL FEBRUARY 2ND.

The municipal elections throughout the village and rural municipalities of the Eastern Townships will take place on January 10th. As a rule these go by acclamation, but there are exceptions to this, as well as other rules, and some keen contests are sure to develop.

In the city of Sherbrooke and the incorporated towns the dates of municipal elections are fixed by charter.

In Sherbrooke the nominations take place January 20th, and in case there is more than one nomination the elections are held on the first judicial day of February, which this year is Tuesday, Feb. 2nd.

The aldermen whose terms of office expire this year are:

North Ward—Aldermen McCrea and Armitage.

Centre Ward—Alderman Lanctot.

South Ward—Alderman Olivier.

It is generally expected that Alderman Olivier will return to the Council from the South Ward.

In the Centre Ward, Ald. Lanctot will not stand for re-election. Mr. L. H. Olivier has accepted the candidature, and several other names have been mentioned as possible candidates for municipal honors in this ward.

In the North Ward the situation has not developed to any great extent. Ald. McCrea is desirous of stepping out. Ald. Armitage may be persuaded to return, but even this is not certain. Among new names mentioned are Messrs. R. A. Ewing, J. K. Edwards and H. V. Haight.

The mayoralty situation is still undeveloped. It is, according to unwritten law, the year for election of an English-speaking mayor. Alderman McCrea and ex-Alderman Cate are both mentioned in this connection.

There is still nearly a month between the present date and nomination day. Sherbrooke citizens do not show a disposition to crowd each other in a rush for municipal honors. This is not Montreal, where men come forward, without requisition, weeks before election and announce their candidatures. The prizes here are less. A good, keen municipal fight is interesting, and it is, also, serviceable for the successful candidate, as it trains his hand for the fighting he is sure to experience after he gets in the Council.

LOST IN OKANAGAN VALLEY, B. C.

Brockville Woman Tells Sad Story of Loss of Husband.

PARTIES HAVE SCOURED THE WHOLE COUNTRY, BUT WITHOUT AVAIL.

Brockville, Ont., Dec. 29.—(Special)—Mrs. R. J. Brown arrived here yesterday with her five small children, and tells a sad story. Her husband went west to the Okanagan Valley and took up fruit farming, on the advice of a physician.

The family were comfortably settled on a farm at a place called Oyama. Brown left home to go to Okanagan Centre one day, and although he left that place in good health to return home, he was lost, it is thought, in the woods and has not since been heard from.

Search parties have scoured the country without avail.

WILL ASK COURT TO STAY EXECUTION.

Application to Be Made On Behalf of Montreal Finance Committee.

CLAIMED THAT IF JUDGMENT WAS ENFORCED IT WOULD INTERFERE WITH BUSINESS OF CITY.

CITY.

Montreal, Dec. 29.—It was announced yesterday at the City Hall that City Attorney Ethier, who has been in Ottawa for the last two days, would on Thursday make application before the Supreme Court for a stay of execution in the judgment pronounced against seven aldermen of the City Council. The argument to be presented will be that the Finance Committee is required for the conducting of the city's business, especially at this season of the year, and that it is a necessity to stay the execution of the judgment, pending the decision for an appeal to the Privy Council. Otherwise there would be a break in the city's government which could with much difficulty be remedied. It is expected that Mr. Ethier will make a strong case in support of the application, the object of which is to tide over things till the appeal can be dealt with by the Privy Council.

OBJECTION RAISED TO HON. W. A. WEIR.

Irish Catholics Protest to His Being Appointed to Bench.

FRIENDS OF TREASURER SAY PLACE WAS FORMERLY OCCUPIED BY PROTESTANT JUDGE.

Montreal, Dec. 29.—Considerable excitement has been caused among the Irish Catholics in Montreal by the report that Hon. W. A. Weir was to be appointed to the Superior Court Bench to succeed the late Judge Curran. Mr. M. J. Walsh has returned from Ottawa, where he had presented a petition signed by several thousand Irish Catholics of Montreal protesting against the appointment of Hon. Mr. Weir. The usual promises of consideration were given at Ottawa, but the friends of the Provincial Treasurer point out that the late Judge Curran was appointed to succeed an English-speaking Protestant Judge, the late Sir Francis Johnston.

CAMPAIGN RENEWED WITH GREAT VIGOR.

Expected That Ten Thousand Speeches Will Take Place in Britain This Week.

MONEY PREDICTS UNIONIST VICTORY WHILE NEWS SAYS PROSPECTS GOOD FOR LIBERAL.

London, December 29.—The short Christmas truce will be broken today when the campaign will be renewed with the greatest vigor. There will be 10,000 meetings this week alone, 4,500 of which will be Unionist. The Unionists' short canvessers want 100,000. It is the great poster campaign and scores of millions of leaflets have been issued. Mr. Balfour is convalescent, but Lord Milner is unwell.

A modest article in the Morning Post expresses the view that the London home counties are safe. It estimates that the following will be the result of the election: Unionists, 278; Liberals, 260; Nationalists, 83; Labor, 49. The Post editorially thinks the raising of the Constitutional issue has been a failure, and urges the Unionists to bring tariff reform to the front vigorously on every occasion and victory will then be assured.

The Daily News thinks the Liberal prospects in London are much brighter than a month back. The Liberal has withdrawn his candidature in East Manchester and a Socialist from South Bristol, thus leaving a "straight fight."

SHARP EARTHQUAKE IN SWITZERLAND

Walls of Houses Were Cracked In Many Places

OCCURRED YESTERDAY AND WAS FELT THROUGHOUT WHOLE OF COUNTRY.

Geneva, Dec. 29.—(Special)—A sharp earthquake occurred throughout Switzerland yesterday morning. The walls of houses were cracked in some places. The abnormal warmth continues.

WOLVES ARE DOING MUCH DAMAGE.

Packs Are Roaming Within Few Miles of Parry Sound.

FARMERS IN THAT SECTION LOST NEARLY ALL THEIR SHEEP.

Parry Sound, Ont., Dec. 29.—Wolves are roaming in large numbers within a few miles of the town of Parry Sound, in the township of Carling. The farmers of that section have had nearly all their sheep killed by wolves. A large number of deer are also falling a prey to these animals. Steps are being taken by the farmers to organize a club to go out and have a wolf hunt to exterminate these pests. It is hoped that fully a hundred people will take part in the hunt, which is to be a thoroughly organized affair.

COOK'S RECORD FOR CRIMINAL MUSEUM.

UNIVERSITY WILL SEND THEM THERE WHEN FINISHED WITH THEM.

London, Dec. 29.—(Special—The Copenhagen correspondent of the Daily Mail says Dr. Cook's records are still in the possession of the University. But it is reported that they will soon be removed to the criminal museum at police headquarters.

THE WEATHER.

LOCAL FORECAST:

Fresh northwesterly winds. Fair and very cold to-day and Thursday.

DAILY NEWS SPECIALS FROM ALL PARTS OF THE EASTERN TOWNSHIPS.

PASTOR PRESENTED WITH PURSE.

Cowansville, Dec. 29.—(Special)—The parishioners of Trinity Church presented the Rev. W. P. R. Lewis with a purse of about $80 as a token of their appreciation of his services as rector of this parish of Nelsonville.

HAPPY SAWYERVILLE.

Sawyerville, Dec. 29.—There is one peculiarity about Sawyerville, for which the town is to be congratulated—there are no really poor people here who need assistance, so that Christmas gifts for that class of people are not in demand.

VIOLATED FISHING LAWS.

Noyan, Dec. 29.—(Special)—D. Corriveau, of Pike River, was charged before Magistrates O. M. Derby and S. J. Adams at the instance of the Missisquoi Fish and Game Club, with illegal fishing. It was proven that he took a dore under 15 inches from Missisquoi Bay, and he was fined $10 and costs.

HATLEY COMPANY EXTENDING.

Hatley, Dec. 29.—(Special) — The Hatley Dairy, Light and Power Company, which was incorporated last autumn, has acquired the adjoining property of Mr. E. LeBaron, with possession May 1st, 1910. The price paid was $2,000.

I. O. F. ELECT OFFICERS.

Waterloo, Dec. 29.—(Special)—At the last regular meeting of Court Shefford, No. 290, the following officers were elected for 1910: C.D.H.C.R., D. McKenna; P.C.R., Geo. A. Durrell; C. R., H. Bird, jr.; V.C.R., J. W. Young; R.S., N. O. Rockwell; F.S., H. Bird, sr.; Treasurer, R. F. Shaw; Orator, W. J. Pearson; S.W., Albert Bouchard; J.W., G. E. Doe; S.B., Lionel Allen; J.B., W. H. Bell; Physician, Dr. S. H. Martin; Finance Committee, D. McKenna, Luke McFarlane; Trustees, E. J. McKenna, D. McKenna; Janitor, J. W. Young.

HONOR TO CASTLEBAR LADY ARTIST.

Danville, Dec. 29.—(Special.)—The friends of Mrs. Griffith, nee Mary Adams, daughter of Mr. Wm. Adams, of Castlebar, will be pleased to learn of the recognition which she has now received as will be noted from the following item taken from "The Staten Islander," N. Y., of Dec. 22nd, 1909.

"Mrs. Mary Adams Griffith, of Westerleigh, is an artist of real merit whose genius is only becoming recognized. Three years ago for the first time, Mrs. Griffith exhibited some of her work at the County Fair, conducted by the Richmond County Agricultural Society. Her exhibits were highly esteemed for their elevating tone and general worth, and she received five premiums, and last year her excellence was awarded with eleven premiums.

"Now comes the cheering intelligence that Mrs. Griffith has had her paintings accepted by the National Academy of Design and Fine Arts, and are now on exhibition in that famous temple of art, at No. 215 West Fifty seventh street, Manhattan. The exhibition opened on December 11th, and will close on January 8th. This is considered a rare and distinguished honor, and reflects an evidence of genius of a high order. It's pretty hard for the ordinary artist to have a painting selected by these modern critics, and to have so is palpably to have succeeded where other bright geniuses have failed.

"The acceptance by the committee of Mrs. Griffith's paintings is a distinguished honor which few achieve and is a spontaneous confirmation of the true artistic touch long prevalent, but only awaiting approval. All paintings at the exhibition had to go before a jury of thirty artists to be accepted or rejected, and out of 1,800 only 444 were accepted.

"Mrs. Griffith's was among those accepted. The 444 pictures were again looked over to select those which were to be hung and in the 271 accepted Mrs. Griffith's handsome painting was highly commended and given a place on the line of the Vanderbilt gallery, which is the gallery of honor. Her painting hangs between "Boy Bathing," by Ernest Lawson and a portrait of "Miss Carter," by John S. Sargent. It is a landscape painting, 12x16. The scenery is at the entrance of Silver Lake Park, takes in the valley looking north, New Jersey and the Orange Mountains being in the distance, and a beech tree in the foreground. Mrs. Griffith has won innumerable prizes for her grand paintings and also possesses a handsome gold medal awarded to her for the best collection of original paintings of Staten Island."

PASS RESOLUTION OF CONDOLENCE.

Windsor Mills, Dec. 29.—(Special)—At a meeting of the Municipal Council a resolution of condolence was passed with Mayor Trudeau and his family on the death of his daughter, Edith Trudeau. The Council also attended the funeral in a body.

ADOPT MONEY ROAD TAX.

Clarenceville, Dec. 29.—(Special)—The by-law under Article 1080 of the Municipal Code of the Province of Quebec, governing roads, has been annulled by the Council here, and in future there will be no statute labor.

A money tax will supersede the old system.

GEORGEVILLE MASONS INSTALLED.

Georgeville, Dec. 29.—(Special)—The following officers of Mount Orford Lodge, No. 48, A.F. & A.M., were duly installed by R.W. W. M. Keyes on St. John's night, December 27th: Bros. A. Gustin, W.M.; W. G. Talbot,

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McCONNELL.

Arrivals and departures: Mr. and Mrs. K. G. Sharon and family, also a few other friends at Mr. O. Brown's; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Maxfield at Mr.H. Spendlow's; Mrs. F. Worthen, of Ayer's Cliff at Mr. A. S. Bacon's recently; Mr. L. Magoon and daughter Mrs. E. Johnson of North Hatley, at Mr. G. Chapman's; Messrs. F. and Albert Gauthier and families to Magog to visit their mother; Mr. and Mrs.A. S. Bacon and children at her father's, Mr. R. Cass at Ayer's Cliff; Miss M. Bice to Magog for her vacation; Miss Ruby Powers and Mr. I. Hopps of Magog; Dr. Spendlove and two children, of Montreal, joined his family here for the holiday.

Mr. W. L. Rowell fell through the floor of his hay loft landing several feet below but fortunately escaped with nothing more serious than a lame shoulder.

The Christmas tree entertainment was very successful and much credit is due to the teacher, Miss Bice, for her careful training of the pupils who did themselves and their teacher credit.

Mrs. M. Leavitt met with an accident while visiting her daughter, Mrs. Woodard at North Hatley. Just as she was about to step on a trap door leading to the cellar some one lifted it and she was precipitated to the cellar but luckily escaped with only a lame ankle and a shaking up.

DIXVILLE.

Arrivals and departures: Mrs. C. H. McIntyre, of Hanover, N.H., with her father, Mr. L. D. Chamberlin; Mr. Martin McCoy, from McDonald College, with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John McCoy; Mr. Fred Wallis, of Montreal, with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Wallis; Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wright and family, of Sherbrooke, with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Wright; Miss Mary Chamberlin, of Portland, Me., on a visit; Miss Frances Mayhew, of Island Pond, guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Mayhew; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gilson, of Waterville, and Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Gilson, of Sherbrooke, visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Gilson; Mr. Leon Damon, of Island Pond, Vt., guest of his brother, Mr. Archie Damon; Mr. and Mrs. Claude Wright, of Montreal, guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Wright; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Parker to Derby visiting her stepmother; Messrs. Ervin and Ora McIntyre to Coaticook on Monday; Miss Jessie Ham, of Barnston, with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Ham.

The Christmas trees and entertainments that were held here were very successful affairs.

WATERLOO.

Dr. Tittemore of Worcester, Mass., will spend the winter with his brother, Mr. G. S. Tittemore.

Mr. Fred Parmelee, of New York, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Parmelee.



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TOWNS AND VILLAGES OF THE EASTERN TOWNSHIPS; BRIEF SKETCHES OF INDUSTRIAL AND RESIDENTIAL COMMUNITIES.

KNOWLTON.

Knowlton, which is the chef-lieu of Brome County, is situated in the midst of mountains, on the shore of Brome Lake, and is about 700 feet above sea level.

For several years this village has been growing in favor as a summer resort. The population at the time of the last census, in July, 1908, was estimated at 806, and the municipal valuation amounted to $321,500, while the non-taxable property amounted to $55,100. The County Court House and Registry Office are established here. Mr. Fleury is mayor, with Messrs. C. Rhicard, E. P. Williams, A. W. Pettes, L. L. Ledoux, L. Whitman and F. England as councillors.



MR. E. FLEURY, Mayor of Knowlton.

The school commissioners include: Rev. E. M. Taylor, chairman; Mr. J. E. Fay, secretary-treasurer; Messrs. W. Godue, A. E. Ralston, E. Gingras.

Knowlton has very beautiful public buildings, as well as residential homes. There is a free public library, known as the Pettes Memorial, donated and endowed by Mrs. Nathaniel Pettes in memory of her husband and only child. Mr. Geo. Robb, sr., is the present librarian. There is also a fine building belonging to the Brome County Historical Society, known as the Paul Holland Knowlton Memorial, and after whom this place was named. It contains a museum of relics of early industries and early settlement. The post office, which has just been completed, is as fine a public building as can be found in the Townships. It is of brick and has all modern conveniences, with the boxes inlaid in oak. Mr. F. A. Knowlton is postmaster, with Mr. E. Mills as assistant. A cement walk in front of the office has just been completed and adds greatly to its beauty.

One of the most beautiful spots in Brome County is Foster Park on Brome Lake. At present a brick arch is being erected at its entrance, and other extensive improvements are being made.

The Knowlton Conference, which is affiliated with the Sunday School Union of the Province of Quebec, originated in 1902, and since then extensive work has been done. This year the Conference consisted of four phases, namely, missionary, temperance, Sunday School and Christian workers.

Knowlton is not a manufacturing place, but it has a few industries, the chief of which are: A cheese and butter factory, owned by Mr. Foire; two saw mills, owned by Messrs. Farmer and Shepard; a tannery owned by Mr. Israel England & Sons. There are also seven stores, three meat markets, two hotels, two tailor shops, two tinsmiths, three blacksmiths, two banks, Molson's Bank and Eastern Townships Bank, one school house, Protestant and Roman Catholic combined, and three churches, namely: Church of England, with Canon Carmichael as rector; Methodist, with Rev. Mr. Galley as pastor; and Roman Catholic, with Father Belisle as parish priest.

As a summer resort, Knowlton is growing rapidly and is in great need of more large boarding houses, as the present ones are not able to accommodate the many applications they receive each year.



KNOWLTON SANITARIUM.—This picture was taken at the time of the stay of Rev. T. S. Chapman, of Marbleton, at the institution, last summer.

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ST. FRANCIS DISTRICT LOCAL HAPPENINGS.

Daily Reports From Correspondents of What is Going On.

ASCOT CORNER.

A jolly good crowd of young folks to the number of about 20 friends and relatives were pleasently entertained by Mr. and Mrs. J. Green, and family on Christmas night. The evening was spent in playing progressive euchre. The prizes were won by Mr. T. Connell of Moultain, also Miss Maggie Green of the same place. After a dainty lunch was served the remainder of the evening was spent in social intercourse.

Arrivals and departures: Mrs. E. Largy and family at her mother's, Mrs. P. Maloney, Spring Road; Mr. Harold Rann and sister Miss K. Rann, of Newport, Vt., guests at Mr. and Mrs. John Green's: Mr. J. Couture of Johnsville, recent guest at Mr. J. Green's; Mr. James Leonard, of Newport in town recently; Mr. and Mrs. J. Murry and family, Birchton; Mr. M. Connell, Rock Island; Mr. L. Connell, Thetford Mines; Mr. Michael Leonard, of Ontario, visiting friends; Mr. and Mrs. H. Colt and son Willard, at her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Willard.

Mrs. J. Johnson, of Linda is now able to be around a little.

Arrivals and departures for Christmas: Mr. Herbert Wingeat, of Prince Albert, Sask., with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Wingeat; Mr. Edward Largy with his parents in Richardsville, Megantic; Mrs. D. Labonte, of Stanstead, visiting her father, Mr. N. Coates during the holidays; Miss L. Green, of Compton, at her home in town; Messrs. Arthur and Stewart Coates home from Waterloo where they were guests of their brother, Mr. A. Coates; Miss Clara Morin, of Sherbrooke at her home in town; Master E. Darche from Sherbrooke much improved in health; Mr. and Mrs. H. Labounte, of Stanstead, at her home in Westbury; Mr. and Mrs. J. Murray and son, Charlie, and daughter, Georgie, of Birchton, at Mr. and Mrs. J. Green's; Mrs. T. Willard, of Linda, visiting her sister, Mrs. R. T.Willard; Mr. C. Leonard, of Brookbury at Mr. D. Blouin's; Master F. Rowe from Lennoxville Academy; Mr. and Mrs. P. Terrault and Miss Elsie Blouin, the guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Blouin; Mr. Jas. E. Lock, of Sherbrooke and Mr. Willie Lock, of St. Johnsbury, Vt., guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Lock; Mr. and Mrs. E. Warner, of Sand Hill, at Mr. N. Coates on Sunday.

NORTH COATICOOK.

The annual Christmas tree and entertainment in connection with Christ Church Sunday School took place Friday evening. Rev. Mr. Stevens occupied the chair, and Miss Beatrice Mead presided at the organ. The programme consisted of songs, recitations, dialogues, etc. Mr. Whitelegg rendered a song and Mr. Robert Wilson, jr., a recitation. Old Santa Claus made his appearance to the joy of all the children. The contents of a heavy laden tree were distributed among the audience. Rev. Mr. Stevens was the recipient of $10 from the Guild.

Arrivals and departures during Christmas: Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wallace and child at their father's, Mr. John Wallace: Mr. Eugene Flynn and Miss Katie Flynn, of Boston, Mass., with their mother; Mr. Harold Henderson, St. Hyacinthe, guest of his father; Mrs. Brown, Compton, at Mr. Wilbur Hool's; Mrs. C. A. Dutton, Mr. Raymond Dutton, and Miss Flossie Dutton, of Beebe, at their grandfather's; Mrs. Dean, Sherbrooke, at Mr. Joseph Mead's; Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Sherman and son, of Compton, with their uncle, Mr. William Sherman; Miss Tompkinson, of Hatley, at Mr. Robert Betts; Miss Alice and Julia Dupuis to their home at Groveton, N. H.; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Johnson and children to Bury; Mr. Samuel Shaw, sr., to Lewiston, Me.; Mr. F. Hall to Barnston; Mr. Henry Thorson home from Sherbrooke; Mr. S. A. Mead, P.L.S., has left for Garthby on business; Mr. Morris and John Flynn guest of their mother.

LAKE MEGANTIC.

The Sunday School of Knox Presbyterian Church held a very successful Christmas tree and concert in their church on Friday evening, when a very large gathering was present and the following programme was rendered, Dr. Hay being chairman: March and song by Primary Class: prayer by Dr. Hay; recitation, "Why Betty Didn't Laugh," by Miss Annie Smith; song, "The Wide-Awake Boys and Girls;" recitation, "Christmas Morning," by Miss Bella Smith; banner recitation by five girls; recitation, "The Empty Stockings," by Miss Lutie Moulton; followed by a song by Miss Lulu Moulton and Miss Jennie McLeod; recitation, "Grandpa's Pet," by Master Freddie Parry recitation, "A Merry Little Maid," by Miss Ruth Counter; song, "Under the Gleam of the Candles," by six girls; recitation by Miss Murdena McLeod; recitation, "When You're Out o' Money," by Master Nichol McDonald; dialogue, "Sending a Christmas Box," by six girls; recitation by Master Malcolm Gagnon vocal solo, "The Coming of the King," by Mr. Ellsworth and Mr. Walter Miller; recitation by Master Angus Morrison; star drill by ten girls after which Santa Claus arrived and distributed the very many presents which were on the large X-mas tree, and then Miss Olive Wood sang a solo, "Will the Angels Let Me Play." The entertainment was brought to a close by singing "God Save the King." Great credit is due those who so willingly assisted in helping to train the children for the occasion.

The Rev. Mr. and Mrs. McLeod Marsboro, were very pleasantly surprised on Christmas morning, when representatives of the Portland branch of the Ladies' Aid of the Marsboro Church gathered there and presented them with a very handsome mantel clock. An address was read expressing their esteem and good-will and the hope that this token of their appreciation might record many days of future pleasure in their midst.

The Christmas examinations in the Lake Megantic Model School resulted as follows:

Model Department, Grade I. Model—Malcolm McLeod, Isabel Smith, Lulu Moulton, Jennie MacLeod, Ada Wood Christina MacLeod, Pauline Greenspar, Bertha Riley, Alice Wood, Grace Kay, Leon Leighton, Ralph Riley Greta Devine, May Greenspan, George Reece, John Gunn.

Grade II. Model—Ethyl MacLeod Ida MacIver, Gladys Ellsworth, William Townsley, Collin Morrison, Annie McKay, Herbie Patton.

Grade III. Model—William Gleason. Donald Smith, Robert MacDonald, Flsie MacLeod, Bella Greenspan, Eve MacDonald, Murdena MacLeod, Helen Beaton.

II. Elementary — Norman Gleason. John Gleason, Stephen Riley, Melvin McDonald, Charles Wallace, Keith Johnston, John Choquette, Clarence Bean, Roderic McDonald, Thomas Wood.

IV. Elementary—Joseph McLeod, Albene Roy, Angus Morrison, Annie Gleason, James Smith.

III. Elem.—Nelson Beaton, Osborne Duncan Smith, Freda Robitaille.

Primary Department, Grade I.— Alfred Hill, Walter Morrison, Wilbert Gunn, Bessie McClure, Russell Johnston, Olive Wood, Mary Ann McDonald, Jeannette Roy.

II. Primer—Germaine Roy, Charlie Hill, Ruth Counter, Myrtle Devine, Gertrude Bean.

I. Primer—Violet Hill, Etta Smith, Florence McClure, John Ridal, Raymond Riley, Catherine McDonald, Evelyn L. Lally, Francis Greenspan, Ernest A. Johnston, Blanche Bean.

Jr. I.—Lorne Devine, Annie Riley, Angus McDonald, Mabel Wood, Ernest Kelly, Neil McLeod, James Wood, Crandall.

JOHNVILLE.

The Christmas entertainment given by the Anglican and Methodist Sunday Schools at Union Hall Friday evening was very successful. The cantata "A Good Time with Santa Claus" was admirably given, Mr. A. F. Bowen proving a very fatherly and popular Santa Claus. Before the close of the programme, Rev. Mr. Husband in behalf of the congregation of the Anglican Church, read an address appreciative of the service rendered in all the work of the Church by Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Smith and presented them with an appropriate gift. Special gifts in recognition of valuable assistance were also received by Mrs. Husband, by Mrs. T. G. Somers and Mr. W. C. Smith as organist and choir leader at the Methodist Church, and by Miss Warner for her service in training the children.

Family gatherings were held at the homes of Mr. H. J. Smith and Mr. A. Lindsay, Christmas Day.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Loren Bailey, Compton Road, was the scene of a large family gathering. Among the guests were Mr. Wm. Bailey, Sr., who will soon complete his 89th year; Mr. Clarence Bailey and family of Leavitt's Mills; Mr. F. Brown and family and Mr. M. Mack and family of Martinville. A Christmas tree for the young folks proved a very enjoyable feature of the gathering.

Mr. Fred Cross and bride of Coventry, Vt., were the Christmas guests of their sister, Mrs. R. J. Colby, who also entertained a number of other relatives.

Mr. A. Johnson and family of Huntingville and W. E. Lothrop and family made a jolly gathering at the home of W. A. Bozer.

Mrs. A. E. Jackson and Mrs. Bagley were hostesses at family dinners.

Arrivals and departures for the holidays: Miss Sadie Burns, of Rawdon, Que., the guest of her brother, Albert Burns; Mr. W. E. Lothrop, of Peiepscot, Me., with his family; Miss Wilkins, of Leeds, guest of Mrs. Alton Lindsay. Other visitors include Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Brooks, of Cookshire; Mr. Leslie Smith, of Montreal; Mr. Shaw, of Lennoxville; Mr. Ernest Snow and Mr. E. M. Terry, of East Angus; Mrs. C. B. Sampson to Ayer's Cliff; Mr. and Mrs. G. Muncaster to Sherbrooke with the latter's parents; Mr. J. A. Seale to his home in Cookshire; Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Lindsay to Huntingville; Mr. and Mrs. A.Church to Bulwer, guests of Councillor Drake; Mrs. and Miss Warner to Lennoxville, guests of Mr. F. B. Day; Edward Vanasse with friends at St. Guilliame, P. Q., his former home.

Mr. H. J. Smith has been confined to the house for the past ten days with badly inflamed eyes.

Yvonne, little daughter of Mr. J. Gaulin, has been ill, but is improving.

A party was held at the home of Mr. Oliver Dionne, Martinville Road, on Thursday evening, Dec. 23rd, in honor of Miss Couture, teacher of the parish school. Miss Couture was the recipient of a pretty gift from her pupils.

EAST CLIFFTON

Arrivals and departures for the holidays: Miss Ethel Bailey, home from Montreal; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Barber of Lancaster, N. H., on their wedding tour, guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Bailey; Messrs W. Bowell, E. Blair, and L. Waldron, home from Scotstown; Miss Merrill, from Martinville, guest of Mrs. H. Blair; Mr. and Mrs. A. Elliott of Angus and Mr. and Mrs. S. Elliott, of Sawyerville, guests of Mrs. H. Gordon.

The Christmas tree at the Bellam school house the 23rd, passed off very pleasantly. A very nice programme as gone through, the children doing credit to themselves. After a few remarks by the Rev. Mr. Hastie, Santa Claus made his appearance and distributed the contents of a well loaded tree among the audience.

ABERCORN.

Arrivals to spend Christmas: Mrs. C. B. Dunn, of Swanton at her mother's, Mrs. J. Dunn; Mr. and Mrs. A. Elder and two children, of Farnham at Mr. E. M. Bowker's; Mr. Harold Miner of Greenfield, Mass., at Dr. F. L. Miner's; Mr. and Mrs. Chas. H. Hastings and two children at Mr. H. H. Barnes; Mr. and Mrs. F. Jenne, of Newport, Vt., visiting at Mr. E. P. Currie's and Mr. F. F. Fyles.

Departures: Mr. and Mrs. E.L. Harvey, Miss S. Harvey and Miss R. Harvey to Montreal Friday to visit Dr. F. W. Harvey; Mr. and Mrs. A. Boucher and two children the week end at her mother's, Mrs. Goodue, Sutton; Mr. and Mrs. Hector Labeau at his mother's, Mrs. Labeau, Sutton.

KINGSEY.

Arrivals and departures are: Mr. and Mrs. E. U. Towne home from Montreal; Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Pope and family, Upper Melbourne, guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Moore for Christmas; Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wright, sr., and Miss Gertrude Wright, and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wright, jr., and three children spent X-mas at Mr. Oscar Wright's, L'Avenir; Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Evans to Coaticook for Christmas: Mr. and Mrs. Norman Johnson at Mrs. Jas. Armstrong's for the week-end; Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Evans spending a few days in Melbourne.

KINGSEY FALLS.

Arrivals and departures are: Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Gibson and family, of Bromptonville, guests of Mrs. S. E. Johnson; Mr. and Mrs. E. Gilman, of Danville, with Mrs. S. Leith; Mr. Walter Leith, of Rock Island, guest of Mr. C. Leith; Mr. Allan Michie, of Keene, with his parents; Miss Lilian Rose, of Bromptonville, at her parents; Mr. Louis Dunsmore, of Asbestos, in town over X-mas; Mr. Lyman Peters, from Montreal; Miss Jessie Grossett in Windsor over Christmas; Mr. Guy Smith, of Richmond, guest of his parents; Misses Maud and Grace Stubbs home from Windsor for the holidays.

TRENHOLMVILLE.

The Methodist church Sunday school held a very successful Christmas tree and entertainment on Thursday evening. The tree was laden with beautiful presents which delighted the little ones. The dialogues and recitations were very good indeed, and reflect much credit on the Pastor, Mr. Knowles for his intiring work in the Sunday school.

The Christmas guests at Mr. James Reids were: Mr. and Mrs. Carson and family of Kirkdale; Mr. and Mrs. Tinning and family of Blinkbonnie and Mr. S. Tinning, of Montreal.

Arrivals and departures for Christmas include: Mr. T. Armstrong and family at Denisons Mills, with Mr. W. Armstrong; Mr. and Mrs. E. Hall and Miss Ruth, to Montreal; Mr. and Mrs. Osbone Armitage and son Leslie, home from Humbolt, Sask.; Mr. S. Tinning, of Montreal, with his brother, Mr. J. Tinning, Blinkbonnie Farm; Mr. Fred Stevens, of the E. T. Bank, Coaticook, with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Stevens; Mr. Bertram Boast of Point St. Charles, to the Maples; Mr. and Mrs. Smith, of Coaticook, at Mr. J. Hudson's; Miss F. Frost, to Danville, with her sister.

Miss Frost closed her school here for the Xmas holidays on the 23rd, by giving the children a sugaring off and a Christmas tree which was well loaded with pretty gifts, Miss Frost remembered each of her pupils with a pretty present. They in turn presented their teacher with a beautiful Silk scarf and other pretty things. The school re-opens again on January 3rd.

BROWN'S HILL.

Arrivals and departures: Miss Edith and Mr. Gordon Temple to Concord to spend the holidays with their brother and sister who live there; Mrs. C. R. Brown called to Beebe on Sunday by the sudden death of her uncle, Mr. Reed; Mr. C. W. Brown, of Boston, visiting at his home here; Mr. and Mrs. T. N. St. Dizier and two children and Mrs. J. Ayer, of Massawippi; Mr. and Mrs. Moffat, of Kingscroft; Mr. C. W. Brown, of Boston; Mr. and Mrs. Wilder Brown, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Brown and Mr. and Mrs. H. **G. Ayer and family at Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Brown's Christmas Day; Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Stratton, of Beebe, at Mr. A. F. Curtis; Mr. and Mrs. C. Waid, of Ruiter's Corner, with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Dunn.

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WAY'S MILLS.

Arrivals and departures: Mr. and Mrs. Young, of Stanhope; Mr. and Mrs. E. LeBaron and Miss Ida LeBaron, of Hatley; Mr. and Mrs. J. Bean and Mr. Henry Bean, of Heathton, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Bean; Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Horn, with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert in Heathton; the family of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Oliver to the number of twenty-four spent Christmas at Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Hanson's.

Mrs. Oscar Oliver and Mr. W. L. Oliver attended the funeral of Mrs. Oliver's nephew, Mr. C. Ramsdell, North Hatley, on Christmas Day.

Mr. E. Southmaye, postmaster, is still very ill and Mr. H. J. Rudd is suffering from an attack of muscular rheumatism.

(For further St. Francis District news see other pages.)

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The Rhodes Scholarship.

It was, obviously, the intention of the founder of the Rhode scholarships that they should serve as educational opportunities for Colonials, and thereby draw closer the ties between the Mother Country and her Dominions over seas. The gathering of many students from the farthest parts of her Empire at her ancient institutions of learning would surely tend to endear the Mother Country to those who came under scholarship benefit, and these returning, would bring to their several countries and communities a renewed interest in matters of common weal to the Empire at large.

It is to be regretted, therefore, that the committee of selection for Bishop's College did not decide upon a candidate from the Eastern Townships, Quebec Province, or, at least, Canada. Undoubtedly the selection was made from the standpoint of scholarship, and very probably the candidate chosen was the one who promised to do most credit to himself and the College he represented, at the the College he represented, at the English University. The purpose of the gift of the scholarships must have been, however, overlooked. The question is not so much what the student may carry to his wider educational opportunities in the Old Country, as what he may take from them. The influences that surround him during the student days at an English University would have a decided effect upon his outlook on life, on political views, on his viewpoint regarding English institutions, on his personal character. He would return to his own land with a more just conception of the greatness of a country that, otherwise, might have seemed to him antiquated and little in touch with the newer and younger countries.

It would seem, therefore, as though a Canadian might have been a better choice for the honor at Bishop's. Such a choice would at least, have proved very popular.

A New Bridge.

There is no doubt that the Aylmer bridge should be replaced by one newer, stronger, and able to stand heavy and continuous traffic. During the next few years there promises to be a strong building impetus on the East side of the St. Francis, possibly of industries, and the present bridge cannot meet even the present requirements of business traffic, satisfactorily. The extension of the Street Railway in itself is sufficient to make a new bridge necessary at this point.

Whether a new bridge would mean the taking of the Aylmer to the sawmill, or down the river, appears to be the interesting debatable question for the ordinary citizen. Either is feasible, but whether a bridge further down the river would be necessary, admits of argument. If a bridge were to be built down the river there would be many who would prefer to have it a new and attractive structure, rather than a made over bridge, which might prove an eyesore even if useful. To remove the Aylmer to the Sawmill point, and wait for a more suitable time to erect a bridge down the river, seems more desirable.

The Old, Sad Story.

The statistics for the past year from the Police Department have the same old story to tell. Liquor was directly responsible for at least 307 arrests, and indirectly responsible for the others. This report is a cynical commentary on the letter from a discouraged woman, which appeared in the same issue with the report, who lamented the old faults of drunken husbands, and commented on the injustice of the law, and the heartlessness of certain bartenders.

There is no doubt that the law is very inconsistent in regard to the sale of liquor and the punishment of drunken offenders. To give a man opportunity and encouragement to get drunk, and then punish him for drinking to much, besides making him pay a fine for being in a condition that the law encourages by the licence system, is too inconsistent to be explained. Indeed if any remedy for the too free sale of liquors is to be found it will be found in an attack on this inconsistency, which common sense cannot justify.

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BEDFORD DISTRICT LOCAL HAPPENINGS.

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CURRENT EVENTS OF THE DAY—COMINGS AND GOINGS OF PEOPLE.

BROME.

Divine service was held in St. John's Church as announced on Christmas Eve, and immediately afterwards a Christmas tree and entertainment was held in the hall. Rev. E. P. Judge presided. The little folks did themselves credit in the way of recitations and suitable festive songs. The absence of Santa Claus was accounted for by Rev. Mr. Judge in a manner which appeared to satisfy the youthful minds.

Miss G. L. Miller, teacher of District No. 10, has closed her school for a two weeks vacation. An entertainment was given by the pupils in an efficient manner. The teacher was the recipient of a Christmas gift from the scholars which was very much appreciated. The closing exercises were the distribution of candies amongst the scholars.

The school will be re-opened on January 10th. All schools in the town are closed for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Farmer entertained the family circle on Christmas as also did Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Beals, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Chapman, Mr. and Mrs. H.D. Salsbury, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Locke, Mr. and Mrs. W. Rockwell, Mr. and Mrs. David Toof, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Frizzle, Mr. and Mrs. Z. Shepard. Mrs. D. B. Hay also entertained friends, as did Mr. and Mrs. E. Joyal, Mr. and Mrs. A. Hibbard, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Tibbitts, Mr. and Mrs. S. Fletcher, Mr. and Mrs. H.A. Holden and Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Eldridge.

Mrs. Westover, mother of Mrs. M. P. Eldridge, who has been confined to her bed with rheumatism for many months, was able to enjoy a Christmas dinner with the family.

Mr. A. H. Chandler received congratulations from his many friends on his 84th birthday on Thursday last. He was enjoying the best of health up to Friday when he was stricken with rheumatism confining him to his bed.

Mr. William Patton, our venerable townsman, who is in his 92nd year, has been confined to his bed with a slight paralytic shock.

The election of Councillors takes places on Jan. 10th.

Recent arrivals in town are Mr. F.A. Harrison, P.L.S., Crown Land Office, Halifax and Miss B. A. Siddal, Ottawa, guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Shufelt; Mr. Shufelt from Halifax on a visit to friends; Mr. M. P. Eldridge from Sherbrooke; Mr. W. J. Ellis, Mr. Gerald and Miss Merle Cummings, of Montreal; Mrs. John Farmer and Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Farmer, Farnham; Mr. Earl Farmer, Ottawa; Miss Nellie Ellis, Sherbrooke; Mr. H. Davis Saskatchewan, guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. Libbey; Miss Hattie Patch, of Beebe; Mr. Hazen Peters, Iron Hill; Mr. and Mrs. P. Scott and Miss C. Scott; Mr. R. W. Patch in Farnham for the week end.

BROME CENTRE.

Service in the Methodist Church Sunday afternoon at 1.30.

Christmas arrivals include: Mr. Patrick Dunlavey; Messrs. Willie, Johnnie, Lewis Dunlavey; Misses Mary, Lizzie Dunlavey; Mr. Joe Hogan; Messrs. Edwin, Charlie Boonan; Misses Mary, Alice Boonan, of West Shefford; Miss Agnes Dunlavey, of Sweetsburg; Mr. and Mrs. John Harvey, of Iron Hill, at Mr. George Quinlan's; Miss Gladys Devlin, of Montreal; Miss Phemie Geer, of Fitch Bay; Master Donald Streeter, of Bondville; Mr. and Mrs. Horner, of West Brome; Mr. and Mrs. Griffin, of Farnam's Corner, at Mr. Ed. Devlin's; Miss Myrtle Miller, of Burlington; Mr. Walter Farland, of Aux Sables Fort, N.Y., at Mr. N. W. Miller's.

Departures include: Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Miller to Knowlton on Sunday, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alva Carter; Mr. and Mrs. Galen Vernal at Mrs. Worden's, West Bolton; Mr. and Mrs. Leon Boonville to Knowlton.

WEST BROME.

Arrivals in town for Christmas: Messrs. Jas. Turner and Harold Shufelt, of Cowansville, at W. L. Durkee's; Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Sullivan, of Montpelier, Vt., at Mr. Horace French's; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Griffin, of Farnham, and Miss Florence Horner, from Granby, at Mr. G. B. Horner's; Mr. J. Bartleman, from Cobalt, and Mr. and Mrs. Claud Derby, of Brome Centre, at Mr. M. H. Derby's; Mr. Elmer Shepard, of Farnham, at Mr. W. Darrah's; Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hartley, of Montreal, at Mr. Wm. Hartley's; Mr. and Mrs. A. Holden, of Mansonville, at Mr. Everett Hartley's; Mr. Preston Scott, of Montreal, with his mother, Mrs. L. Scott; Miss M. Carter, of Sutton Junction, and Mr. D. Draper, of Montreal, at Mr. F. H. Darrah's; Mr. and Mrs. Casper Scott, from Cowansville, at Mr. S. G. Kathan's; Miss Nellie and Miss Hattie Darrah, of Mansville, at Mr. D. G. Derby's; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pettes, from North Troy, and Mr. W. Pettes, of Montreal, at Mr. J. C. Pettes; Miss Anna Ford, of Farnam's Corner, at Mr. J. M. Pettes.

Service in the Methodist Church, 7.30 next Sunday, Jan. 2nd, in the evening.

The people of West Brome village and vicinity will not soon forget the X-mas tree entertainment and supper held in the Methodist Church hall on Friday evening, Dec. 24th. The hall was crowded to the doors and many were unable to gain admittance, the number being estimated at between four and five hundred. The children were entertained to supper by the ladies of the church. The entertainment which followed was pronounced by all the most successful ever attempted by the people of West Brome. The singing was excellent and enjoyed by all in the hall. It was a unique sight to see so many children together and taking part in the exercises commemorative of the festive season. The idea of the entertainment was capably and successfully carried out by Mrs. Schagel, the pastor's energetic wife, and during the evening she was the recipient of many complimentary remarks as to the whole performance. Mrs. Schagel was ably assisted by Mr. and Mrs. Munroe Pettes, choir leader and organist, as well as Mr. and Miss Whitehouse, of Sweetsburg. The crowning feature of the evening was the arrival of old Santa Claus, his wife and family, each laden with gifts for young and old. Santa in addressing the audience said that while he was pleased to be with them at this festive season, he was sorry to learn that when he returned next year Mr. and Mrs. Schagel would not be here to greet him. Mr. Schagel, who is an able and energetic pastor, and his wife have won a warm place in the hearts, not only of their own people, but of the members of all denominations. The entertainment closed with a good night and God Save the King.

The service held in the Methodist Church Sabbath morning was very impressive, being a little out of the ordinary routine. A song service was held for ten or fifteen minutes at the opening, and the large congregation present, with the choir, joined in praising the Saviour, whose birth the whole Christian world was celebrating at that season. The sermon preached by the pastor was a very able and fitting one for the occasion.

BOLTON GLEN.

The Christmas entertainment and tree at the Glen was well attended. Mrs. C. H. Brown had charge of the dialogues, which were much appreciated. Rev. Canon Carmichael acted as chairman and closed a lengthy programme by congratulating the teacher, Miss Libby, on the excellent training of her scholars who took part in the recitations.

Arrivals and departures: Mr. Mark Stanbridge, Mr. L. Stanbridge and family; Mr. Leon Martin, of Knowlton, and the Misses Martin, of Montreal, spent X-mas at Mr. David Cousin's; Mr. and Mrs. F. Stanbridge and little Beatrice, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Layton Stanbridge recently; Mr. and Mrs. H. Libby and family, of South Bolton, attended the X-mas tree at the Glen; Miss Lura Libby accompanied her parents home, where she will remain through the holidays; Mr. and Mrs. J. Needham with Mrs. Needham's brother, Mr. S. Dubois, of Waterloo, over Christmas.

Mr. Jas. Mitchell and Mr. J. Leyland, who have been ill, are improving and will soon be about again.

Messrs. C. H. and D. Brown are sawing a carload of poplar and basswood for Mr. Vilas, of Cowansville.

FULFORD.

Recent Christmas visitors are: Mr. and Mrs. Fred Booth, of Ottawa; Mr. and Mrs. Walter W. Holden, of Sutton; Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Beard; Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Graves and Miss Glennie Williams, of Iron Hill; Mr. and Mrs. P. Holden and daughter, Miss Sadie Holden, of Sutton; Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Beard and family and Mrs. J. O. Beard, of Call's Mills; Mr. and Mrs. Norman Snodgrass and family, of West Bolton; Mr. Ross Jolly and daughter Marion, of Foster.

Departures are: Mrs. Robert Peacock to West Farnham; Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Gaylor spent X-mas Day in Millington; Mrs. Loren Davis with her sister, Mrs. J. Mayhew, Foster.

The X-mas tree and entertainment on December 23rd in the Fessenden school house, was largely attended and was quite a success. The programme of recitations and songs by the scholars was very well rendered, and much credit is due Miss Jolly, the teacher, for her faithful training. The tree was burdened with presents, which were distributed among the children.

A Christmas tree entertainment was held X-mas Eve at the Caswell school house and was well attended and very much enjoyed by all present.

Mr. Roy Doe is recovering, although it will be some time before he can leave the hospital.

Mr. James Hayes is also considered a little better, and there is now hope for his recovery.

Mr. Stephen Gaylor, who had the misfortune to lose his house and contents last Wednesday by fire, is preparing to move his family into Mr. Sewel Davis' small tenement house for the winter. Mr. Gaylor intends rebuilding in the spring.

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FLODDEN.

Arrivals and departures for Christmas holidays: Mrs. C. Evans, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Maclean and son Lorne, of Kingsbury, guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Maclean; Mr. G. Lynn from Waterloo; Mr. John Ewing, of Melbourne, guest of his brother, Mr. A. Ewing; Mr. Stewart Stalker, of St. Francis College, Richmond, with his parents; Miss L. Stevens, of Melbourne Ridge, guest of Miss E. Miller; Mrs. Duncan Stalker and daughter Gladys to New York; Mr. and Mrs. John MacNaughton to Orford, guests of their daughter, Mrs. E. Rose; Mr. Wm. Clowes to Potton Springs, Que., where he has secured a position; Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Stevens and children to Melbourne Ridge, guests of Mr. Wm. Stevens.

Mrs. S. Lynn is on the sick list.

MANSONVILLE.

The Model School closed Wednesday for the holidays and Mr. Humphrey, the Principal, has gone to his home in Barnston.

Arrivals and departures: Miss Beatrice Boright from the Royal Victoria College for the holidays; Mr. C. Riley of Montreal with friends for the week end; Dr. and Mrs. Henderson the week end at the latter's home in Montreal; Dr. A. H. Oliver, of Huntingdon with his mother, Mrs. W. Oliver; Messrs. Harry and Harold Peabody home from Montreal for Christmas; Mr. Kenneth McKay, of Huntingdon at home; Miss Esther Peabody is home from Johnson Vt.; Mr. Ned Peabody from a visit to Indianapolis; Mrs. Hawley, of Sutton, visiting her sister, Mrs. R. Paintin; the Misses Doherty, of Cowansville, visiting their aunt, Mrs. G. G. Griggs; Miss Blackwood, of Huntingdon, guest at Mrs. William Oliver's; Mrs. C. C. White visiting at her brother's, Mr. L. J. Bourne.

ADVERTISEMENT.

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New York—Adam Ward, an attendant at Roche's bathing pavilion, Far Rockaway Beach, was looking in the dressing rooms after the bathers had gone, when he found a monkey dressed in a red bathing suit. Ward took the monkey to the police station.

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Christmas services in the churches were well attended.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Martin and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Martin and family spent Christmas out of town.

The Christmas tree and entertainment given by the pupils of the village school in Association Hall, under the direction of Mrs. W. H. Knowlton, was a great success. The school is now closed for a month's vacation.

The members of the Methodist congregation and Sunday School will be entertained on New Year's Day by Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Sargent at their home.

Mr. William Walker, an old resident of this place, is seriously ill at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Frank Bates.

Mrs. Robert McLaughlin, Miss A. McLaughlin and Mr. W. R. Peters are among those on the sick list.

POTTON SPRINGS.

Arrivals and departures: Mrs. J. A. Wright in Sherbrooke, for the holidays; Mr. and Mrs. Anson Jersey of Bolton Glen at S. B. Stone's on Christmas day; Mr. and Mrs. H. Libby, attended the Christmas tree at Bolton Glen on Wednesday; Miss Bertha Clark at her home near Mansonville for the holidays; Miss Lilah Stone, Miss Lottie Stone of Mansonville at S. B. Stone's.

(For further Bedford District news see other pages.)

Births, Marriages and Deaths.

MARRIAGES.

BARBER-BAILEY—In Lancaster, N. H., on the twenty-third of December, 1909, Miss Elizabeth Bailey, of East Clifton, Que., and Mr. Henry Barber, of Lancaster, N. H., were united in matrimony by the Rev. A. L. Smith.

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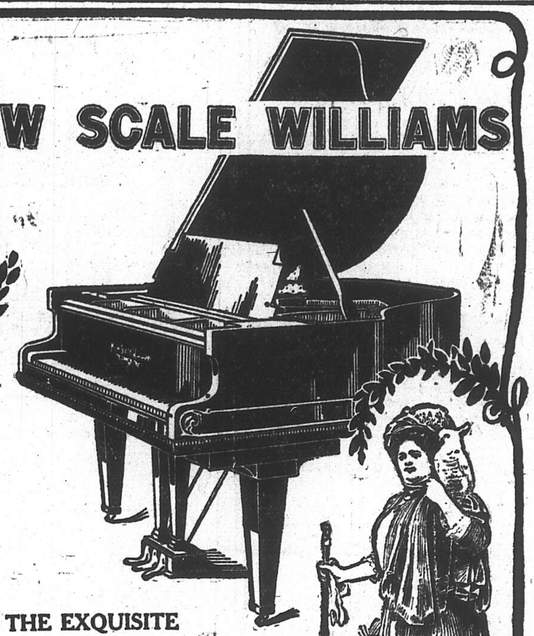
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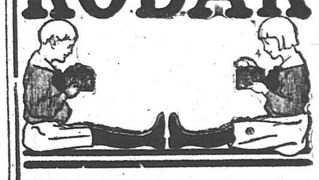
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CITY NEWS.

Mr. John Champoux, of D'Israeli, was in town yesterday.

"Check"—Big 5c Cigar.

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Buck have returned from a Christmas visit to Montreal.

Chew Maple Sugar Tobacco.

Mrs. David Berwick, of Montreal, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Berwick at "Netherland Farm," Brompton Road.

Mrs. K. E. Grey and family have returned home after spending Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bradley, Frontenac street.

Music to-night, Minto Rink.

Mr. Neil Dinning, inspector of the Eastern Townships Bank, is confined to the house by a severe cold.

Smoke Master Mason Tobacco.

Dr. Barker, of Portland, and Mrs. William Clarke, of Richmond, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cassier, East Sherbrooke, for the holidays.

Senior Victorias vs. Sherbrooke, Stadium, New Year's afternoon, 3.30. Admission 25cts. Box Seats, 35cts.

There has been an entire absence of zero weather thus far this winter. Speak gently, however, the weatherman may yet make up in January and February what he has omitted from the earlier part of the winter.

Mrs. E. S. Foss has returned from a visit to Montreal.

Smoke Pipe Kenel Tobacco.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Parkes and family have returned home from Montreal.

The Stadium band is rendering some new and catchy selections much appreciated.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Church, of Danville, were visitors to the city yesterday.

Mrs. J. H. Bryant has been confined to the house for the last few days by indisposition.

The Commercial Printing Co. are now occupying their new premises at 187 Wellington street.

Mr. Leonidas Godin, of the Junior Philosophy Class, St. Charles Seminary, has gone to his home in St. Hyacinthe.

Buy a Berliner-Victor Gram-o-phone for New Year's at McKee's.

Who said Vics? Turn out New Year's afternoon and they will show you a few stunts.

The election of officers will take place at the meeting of Unity Lodge, this evening.

Mr. Jack Parkes, of McGill College, Montreal, is spending the holidays at St. Francis Cottage, his home in Sherbrooke.

Mr. C. A. McLeay, of Winnipeg, who has been visiting his father, Mr. Alexander McLeay, in Richmond, was in town yesterday.

The crowds who have attended the Stadium so far this season have been more than pleased at having such good ice and fine music.

Miss Dora Macfarlane arrived in town to-day from Stratford, Ont., and is the guest of Mrs. Henry Macfarlane, Connaught Terrace, Melbourne street.

During the balance of the holidays we shall give 10 p.c. discount on all fancy boxes of chocolates.—McLean's.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Overbury, of Island Pond, and Miss Nelly Overbury have returned home from a holiday visit to Mrs. E. B. Lyster, Mrs. Overbury's sister.

Dr. Wm. S. Allen has returned from New York where he spent Christmas with his sister. He reports the New York Christmas day storm the biggest he has seen. Over fourteen inches of snow fell.

Oranges, 10c, 15c, 25c and 30c per doz. Apples, Baldwins and Spies, 30c per peck.—McLean's.

Miss Rose Griffith, nurse-in-training at an hospital in New York, is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Griffith, Montreal street.

Mr. C. H. Horton, purchasing agent for the E. & T. Fairbanks & Co., of St. Johnsbury, Vt., and Mr. E. H. Jenkins, manager of the Sherbrooke branch, are in town.

The roads are fine. Why not buy a new sleigh at McKee's, 132-134 Wellington street.

The Rev. Fathers Bourbonnieres and Couture, Dominicans, from Notre Dame de Grace, Montreal, were in town recently on their way from St. Adolphe de Dudswell, where they had preached an eight days' retreat.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. M. Howard, who have spent part of the winter in Halifax, N. S., Mrs. Howard's old home, left yesterday for Boston, en route to Hunting Lodge," Buies, North Carolina, where they expect to remain for a couple of months.

The inmates of the Gibbs Home for Boys, East Sherbrooke, were well and generously remembered at the Christmas season, and enjoyed an excellent dinner. Among the kind donors were Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Buck, Mrs. J. H. Bryant, Mrs. Andrew Steele, and Mrs. William Clarke, of Richmond.

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Miss Alice Jenckes, of Montreal, is at her home, "Maple Knoll," for the holidays.

Mr. Wm. H. Pearson and children, of Montreal, were registered at the New Sherbrooke yesterday.

High School Rink, band every Tuesday and Friday. Hockey practice every Wednesday night. Tickets on sale at rink.

Mrs. H. C. Armstrong and Miss Beatrice Fleming were in town yesterday on their way to attend the Fleming-Nelson wedding which is to take place on Dec. 29th at Melbourne.

Mr. Andrew Church, of St. Bruno, was a visitor to the city yesterday, having spent the Christmas holidays with his family at East Angus.

Mrs. C. E. Traver, East Sherbrooke, has had another attack of illness and faint hopes are entertained of her recovery. Her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Williams, of Montreal, and her son, Mr. Harry Traver, from Cobalt, are with her.

FORMER SHERBROOKE BOY KILLED.

The death is announced at Redding, California, of Mr. Alfred Gouldrault, who was accidentally killed at the age of 28 years. The young man, who belonged to a well-known and estimable French family of this city, left Sherbrooke several years ago, but was hoping to return shortly. The sympathy of their friends is extended to his relatives in their bereavement.

ACADEMIE ST. PIERRE.

The closing meeting of the Academie St. Pierre of St. Charles Seminary before the New Year's vacation, was held most successfully on Thursday with a well carried out programme of readings, recitations, essays, etc.

Two academicians have been chosen from a number of candidates to fill the vacant seats.

Mr. Rene Favreau was received according to custom by an old member, Mr. Michel Couture, and Mr. Leonidas Morin was received by Mr. Jude Thibault. There is still one election to be made before the number of the academicians is complete.

WILL PAINT PICTURE OF HON. DR. PELLETIER.

Mr. Marc Aurele Suzor-Cote, the well known and distinguished Canadian artist, who has been in Sherbrooke for several weeks, has gone to Ottawa and his home in Arthabaskaville for the holidays, but will return to complete his work. Mr. Suzor-Cote was commissioned by the Provincial Government to paint a portrait of Hon. Dr. P. Pelletier, Speaker of the Legislative Assembly, to be placed with those of the former speakers in the Gallery, and had several sittings. Mr. Suzor-Cote has exhibited in the Paris Salon, and at all the exhibitions of the Montreal Art Association and elsewhere. One of his pictures, a snow scene, "The Hillside Settlement," was recently purchased by the Advisory Council for the National Gallery at Ottawa.

HIGH PRICE OF FARM PRODUCTS WILL STAY.

IN 20 YEARS THE U.S. WILL NOT BE EXPORTING, SAYS MISSOURI REPRESENTATIVE.

Washington, Dec. 29.—"The present high price for farm products has come to stay; the rural population is playing out; the present census, if it classes the unincorporated villages as towns, will show between 60 and 65 per cent. of population living in towns," declared Representative Champ Clark, of Missouri, the minority leader in the House, yesterday. "At the present rate, in twenty years the United States will cease to be an exporting nation for agricultural products, except as to cotton.

"One of the principal causes of the high prices of farm products is the world movement of people toward the towns and cities."

SUTTON.

Miss Eva Allport left here on Friday, the 24th, for Liverpool, England, called there by sickness in her father's family. She sailed from St. John, N.B., on Saturday, Christmas Day. Quite a number of Miss Allport's friends were at the station to bid her a safe voyage home. For some time this young lady had been an employee in Mr. H. H. Dyer's family, where she was much appreciated.

The Sutton Academy closed on Thursday last for the holidays and will open again the first Tuesday in the new year.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Bickford write that they reached Salmon Arm, B.C., at 12.30 midnight, on Saturday, Dec. 18th. Mr. Bickford was taken ill en route but had recovered. They report Mr. and Mrs. Black as gaining in health, and they speak highly of the country, saying they like British Columbia much better than they expected to.

Midnight mass was celebrated at the Catholic Church on Christmas night, with a very large attendance, quite a number of other denominations also attending.

Mr. W. N. Gilman, of Potton, is reported to have purchased from Mrs. P. L. Jenkins the farm near the Wm. Miltimore place, which she purchased from Miss Betsey P. Brown, of Sutton.

CHRISTMAS TREES AND ENTERTAINMENTS.

The scholars and teachers of St. Andrew's Church Sunday School held their annual Christmas tree and entertainment in the Church Hall last evening. The event was one of the most successful of its kind ever held by the Sunday School, the hall being crowded. At 6.30 supper was served to all the scholars. This was followed by a short programme given by the pupils of the primary department, under the direction of Mrs. G. H. Kerr and Miss Milford.

The feature of the evening's programme was a cantata, "Loyal Santa Claus," given by the scholars of the Sunday School. This was exceptionally good and reflected great credit on Prof. Irwin Sawdon, who trained them.

Rev. J. C. Nicholson, in a brief address, welcomed all present on behalf of the Sunday School and Adult Bible Class.

Mr. J. C. Bryce, Superintendent of the Sunday School and Bible Class, presented Prof. Sawdon with a cheque as a token of their appreciation of the great interest he has taken in the welfare of these organizations.

At the Baptist Church, the annual Christmas tree and entertainment was also held. Supper was served to the children at five o'clock. A programme consisting of songs and recitations given by the scholars followed. The Christmas tree was beautifully decorated with colored lights.

The evening was brought to a close by the singing of the Doxology, and the pronouncing of the benediction by Rev. G. A. Williams.

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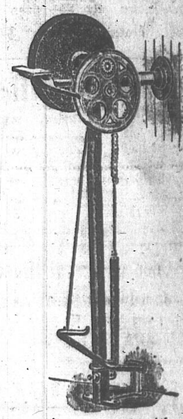
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26.00 Brass Bed, only
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2 inch posts, all brass bed. Our Special for $16.90

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23.50
Handsome Dressers 42 x 22, British plate mirror 24 x 30. Square or round; square or serpentine fronts, 4 drawers, highly polished. Regular $35.00, Our Special $23.50

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White Enamelled Dresser and Stands—$35.00 value for
23.50
Very attractive Dresser, made in low case with large plate glass 24 x 42, made in best hand enamel. Reg. $35.00, Special $23.50

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Ladies' Black Cloth Slippers, heavy felt sole, Special .....99c.

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Fancy Striped Mufflers, worth 75c., for ....38c.
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1 Ladies' Astrachan Coat, short, with Alaska collar, Special, $12.50

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CITY NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Smith, of Johnville are in town today.

Mr. M. J. Smith, of Lake Megantic was in town on business today.

Mr. Thos. Flannery is home spending the holidays with his sister, the Misses Flannery, East Sherbrooke.

W. S. Porteous, time-keeper at the C. P. R., new yards, has returned from Montreal and St. Agathe.

Mr. Alf. Brian, from Cobalt is spending Xmas in this City with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Brian.

Mr. P. Brow, of Lake Megantic, has been spending a few days in this city on business.

Mr. Angus McLeod, of Lake Megantic, was a visitor in this city yesterday.

Mrs. Gustave Richard, of Ottawa, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Jas. Tracy, at her home in the city.

Miss Thornton, who was the guest of Miss Maida LeBaron for Christmas, has returned to her home in Montreal.

Miss Doherty, from Montreal, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. H. W. Mulvena, Court street.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. F. Berry of St. Johnsbury, Vt., and Miss Mary Nixon of Melboro, spent Tuesday in town the guests of Mrs. Mosher, Gillespie Street.

Mr. A. L. Beckett, of the Eastern Townships Bank, St. Johns, is spending the vacation at "The Willows," his home near the city.

Mrs. G. F. Moore, who has been in Montreal undergoing a special course of treatment, is much benefited, and expects to return home about the 6th of January.

Service preparatory to the communion of the Lord's Supper will be held in Plymouth Church to-night at 8 o'clock.

A lady has been engaged at the Stadium and is in attendance at the ladies' dressing room. The care of little girls who go to the rink is her special duty.

Mr. Gordon N. Edwards and Miss A. R. Edwards attended the Masonic banquet and dance given in Cookshire on Monday evening. Miss Edwards will spend a few days, the guest of Mrs. C. M. McCrae.

Miss Mae Smith, of Weedon, is spending her Christmas holidays the guest of the Misses McKee, "River View Cottage," near the city. Her brother, Mr. Angus Smith, who accompanied her, returned home Monday afternoon after a most enjoyable visit.

A number of the charitable ladies of the parish of St. Jean Baptiste, East Sherbrooke, arranged a Christmas tree on Thursday evening for the children of the congregation, which was a great success. Several hundred young people were present and gifts of candy, etc., were presented by Santa Claus himself who entered in traditional fashion and was so realistic that the tiny ones found him quite awe-inspiring. A little entertainment of music, singing, etc., was much enjoyed. Rev. J.H. Laporte, parish priest, presided at the festival, and among the ladies interested were Mrs. J. P. Royer, Mrs. Pelletier, Mrs. Richard and others.

BRIDEGROOM SHOT DOWN AND KILLED

Victim Was Shot at Altar and Died in Wife's Arms

CONGREGATION FORMED A POSSE AND WENT IN PURSUIT OF SLAYER.

Strickland, Ga., Dec. 29.—Just after the minister had pronounced the words that made Gabriel Len and Rosa Lee Butler man and wife, and the young couple were leaving the altar, the bridegroom was shot down and killed by Joe Jackson at the church, near Lynn Station. Len and Jackson had been rivals for the hand of Miss Butler.

"I love you; good-bye, darling," said Len, as he sank to the floor in front of the altar and died a few minutes later in the arms of his wife, while members of the congregation formed a posse to effect the capture of the fleeing Jackson.

A warrant has also been sworn out for Henry Johnson, who is charged with being an accessory to the shooting.

TWO MEN DROWNED IN KOOTENAY LAKE

They Were Returning Home After Having Gone for Medicine

IT IS SUPPOSED THAT THEIR CANOE WAS UPSET BY FLOATING ICE.

Nelson, B. C., Dec. 29.—George Northern and Herbert Cole lost their lives, and Chas. McIvor barely escaped drowning through the overturning of their canoe in Kootenay Lake, opposite Proctor, on Sunday afternoon.

The two men were employees of Watts' saw mill. They were returning home after coming to Proctor for medicine, and it is supposed that floating ice upset their canoe. McIvor clung to the boat and was subsequently rescued.

Cole's body was found lower down the river. Both men were about 22 years old and unmarried.

DR. COOK SAID TO BE IN QUEBEC

SAID HE KEEPS BY HIMSELF AND DOES NOT MINGLE WITH GUESTS.

Ottawa, Dec. 29.—Dr. Cook, the discredited discoverer of the North Pole, is said to be hiding in a small town in Northern Quebec. Information to this effect has been received in Ottawa from a private source. He is stopping at a hotel in the Lake St. John region, it is said, and keeps very much to himself, never going among the other guests, and has his meals sent to his room.

Dr. Cook's brother has given out that he is at present in Europe.

COWANSVILLE.

As an addition to what has already been published, concerning the closing of the Academy for the Christmas holidays on Tnursday, the 23rd, instant, it might be stated that a programme consisting of songs, dialogues and recitations was rendered by the pupils of the different grades. Little Jack Judson's solo in which he was accompanied by his mother, was one of the features of the programme. Miss Katherine Bulman, calisthenic teacher of the school, gave an exhibition of her work and club swinging by four girls of the Model Department. There were also two drills by the same class. Along with the twenty dollar gold piece which Miss Ingalls received from the parents of the pupils, there went also a letter giving expression to the kindly feelings of our people toward her.

Dr. and Mrs. Nash, of Kingston, Ont., are holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Judson.

The Christmas song service in the Methodist church Sunday evening was very largely attended, the singing of the junior pupils of the Sunday school having been the magnet which drew a large number of people from their homes Sunday evening. These young people had been trained by Mrs. A. T. Jones, and made remarkable good showing for the labor expended.

Miss Muir has returned to Cowansville after an extended visit to Quebec City.

Christmas visitors here include: Mr. J. MacLaughlin, Manager of the E. T. Bank at St. Johns, guest of his mother, Mrs. MacLaughlin, of Sweetsburg; Mrs. Ross and Mr. and Mrs. John Baxter, of St. Johns, guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Ross; Mr. Rogerson Lawrence, of the E. T. Bank staff at Ormstown, guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Lawrence; Mr. George Ellison, C. P. Railway Engineer, visiting his family; Mr. Charles Hawk, of Stanstead Wesleyan College, guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Hawk; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Taylor and Miss Mattie Taylor, of Huntingdon spending Christmas at their home here; Mr. Andrew Halladay, of Ottawa, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Dubouce and Miss Beryl Duboyce, of West Bolton, guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Duboyce.

KEITH.

Mr. Edwin McLeod has arrived home from Barre, Vt., owing to the stonecutters' strike there.

The school which was under the management of Miss Fairservice finished term on Thursday.

Mr. John McLean's child, of Gould Station, who has been ailing for a number of weeks, is now on the way to recovery.

Sympathy is felt for Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Campbell and family, of Sand Hill, in the loss of their beautiful young daughter from diphtheria, in town for the vacation.

GRANITEVILLE.

Arrivals and departures: Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Hamilton, of Barre, Vt., guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Davis for the holidays; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brown and daughter to Manchester, N.H., for the holidays; Miss Gertrude Brodie from Middlebury, Vt. College, guest of Mrs. Jas. Brodie and other relatives.

The friends of the late Mr. O. Reed were shocked to hear of his sudden death which occurred at his home at Beebe on Sunday morning. He was a resident of this place once and had many friends here.

Deaths Reported.

MRS. M. DOWNEY, COWANSVILLE.

Cowansville, Dec. 29.—(Special)—Mrs. Michael Downey, an aged citizen of this place, passed away after an illness of only three days on Friday afternoon. Mrs. Downey has been at Farnham caring for her grandchildren, and returned on Wednesday night. She was taken violently ill with pneumonia, from which she never recovered. Her funeral took place Monday afternoon, the Rev. W. P. R. Lewis officiating, in Trinity Church. Mr. B. C. McNab had charge of the funeral arrangements, and the bearers were Mayor Enoch Buzzell, Dr. Lauder, Messrs. Artemus Ross and John Foster.

BAPTISTE DESSERT, TINGWICK.

Tingwick, Dec. 29.—(Special)—One of our oldest and most respected citizens passed away on December 15th in the person of Baptiste Dessert. He died on the same farm he was born on 80 years ago. He is survived by a wife and three sons and five daughters. All are married and all were at his bedside when death took place. His death was just as happy and beautiful as the noble and pure life he led. He was one of the old pioneers, and a gentle, loving father and kind husband and a good neighbor.

MISS ALICE ROWELL, FRELIGHSBURG.

Freligbsburg, Dec. 29.—(Special)—Miss Alice Rowell, aged 29 years, passed away on Friday morning at 9.30 after a lingering illness of about eight months. Miss Rowell was a patient sufferer and will be greatly leaves behind her only a sister and nephew, and many friends, to mourn hen loss. Her mother died in November, 1908. She was laid to rest on Sunday, December 26th. The bearers were Messrs. Cassidy, Wilson, Frary and Dunn. The flowers were very pretty, including an anchor from her friends.

DAILY NEWS FROM TOWNSHIPS

(Continued from page 1.)

I.P.M.; Geo. Leamore, S.W.; E. Temple, J.W.; Rev. Bro. Hutchinson, Chaplain; W. H. Rediker, Secretary; W. E. Peasley, Treasurer; John Wyman, S. D.; D. C. Waite, J.D.; John Crawford, S.S.; John Camber, jr., J.S.; W. Hose, I.G.; I. E. Davidson, D. of C.; Warren Achilles, Tyler. After the installation the members of the lodge, with visiting brothers, held a grand banquet.

MARRIAGES

ANDREWS — CURRIE.

Adderley, Dec. 29. — (Special) — A quiet wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Currie on Wednesday evening, the 22nd inst., at 6 p.m., when their eldest daughter, Miss Ethel Irene, was united in marriage to Mr. Osborne Andrews, of Calgary, Alta., formerly of Inverness, Que. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Sinclair, of Inverness. Only immediate relatives were present. The bride was tastefully attired in a white silk blouse trimmed with silk lace and applique and blue skirt and looked quite pretty. Her travelling suit was navy blue with hat to match trimmed with white ostrich feathers also ribbon and white veil.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrews are leaving on Tuesday for their future home in Calgary, Alta., where the best wishes of their many friends accompany them. The bride who was one of our most popular young ladies, will be greatly missed here.

SMITH'S MILLS.

Arrivals and departures: Mr. and Mrs. Guy Longeway and Miss Winnie Longeway at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Davis, Beebe Jct.; Mr. and Mrs. Warren Munroe, of Lineboro, in the place recently; Mr. and Mrs. W. Y. Breevoort at Fitch Bay with relatives.

Mrs. John Tilton, Sr., has returned home after a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Louis Arthurs.

The school closed for the Christmas holidays on. Thursday last with a Christmas tree for the children.

EAST PINNACLE.

A very pleasant surprise party was held at Mr. Alex. Jacobs', East Pinnacle Thursday night, it being the 20th anniversary of their marriage. A purse of money was presented to them as a souvenir of the occasion.

NORTH HATLEY.

A quadrille dance will be given in the town hall on Saturday evening.

SOUTH DURHAM.

Mr. G. H. Farquhar is confined to his bed with pleurisy.

The Christmas tree and entertainment in connection with St. James church took place on Friday evening in the Town Hall.

The entertainment and tree given by the Methodist church Sunday school on Monday evening in the going to the Sunday school as to church was well attended. Over $25 going to the Sunday school. The young people performed their respective parts very acceptably, reflecting much credit on Mrs. W. H. Richmond and Miss A. Bogie, who trained them.

Recent visitors include: Mrs. M. Montgomery, of Sherbrooke, and Miss E. Montgomery, of Montreal, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Millar; Mr. and Mrs. George Dyson and sons, of Richmond with Mr. and Mrs. George Millar; Mrs. Wadleigh, the Misses and Mr. Wadleigh, of Melbourne, guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Church; Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Griffith, of Pt. St. Charles, with Mr. and the Misses Woolfrey; Mr. and Mrs. James Bothwell, of Richmond guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Bogie; Miss Maud Griffith of Salem, Mass., and Miss Dickson of Richmond guests of Miss M. Griffith; Mrs. J. C. Parker of Richmond, with her sister, Mrs. Wakefield, on Christmas day; Miss S. Mitchell, of Drummondville with her sister, Mrs. E. N. Griffith; Messrs Harry Johnston of Montreal, Stanley Johnston and Ellis Watt from Toronto at their respective homes for the holidays; Mr. David Adams and brother, Robert of Wickham, spent Christmas with his family here; Miss Maud Gregoire, with her parents for a couple of weeks; Miss Jessie Phillips from Richmond, with her parents; Messrs Leopold Blais, of Athabaskaville, Anatole, of Sherbrooke and Miss Blais, of Danville, with their parents; Miss A. Prefontaine, of Stanstead and Miss Mary D onne from Richmond, with their parents; Miss Clara Woolfrey, home from a month in Montreal; Mr. and Mrs. Farquhar, of Windsor guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Dowd.

Departures include: Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Elliott and two children, to Sherbrooke; Mrs. J. Duff and Misses Duff to Melboro, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Flack; Mrs. W. C. Baker home to Farnham, accompanied by her sister, Miss S. B. Dowd; Mr. Robt. Mitchell, to Richmond, with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McCaig; Mr. Norman and Miss H. Adams, to Wickham; Mr. Thomas Barton and daughter, Miss Grace, to Bromptonville.

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"Some good" we agreed.

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"Eh?"—almost falling out the window in astonishment.

We meekly repeated our *foolish* query.

"Trot up here, little one. Use your eyes and judgment—if you have such a useless article about you," he added severely.

Gulping down another chestful of the aforesaid, we gladly joined him.

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WATERVILLE.

Mr. W. E. McGovern, of Burlington, Vt., at his home in town.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Gale and family left Monday for Colorado to spend a few weeks.

The members of the Congregational Sunday School enjoyed a holiday drive Monday.

Miss F. Powers, of Sherbrooke, is

McNEIL'S CROSSING.

Arrivals and departures: Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Daine, in Dunham Christmas; Mr. and Mrs. Don. Stedson, of East Hill at Mr. Edwin Davis'; Mrs. Irving Davis and Miss Beatrice in Richford, Vt., guests of Mr. Alden Bailey; Mrs. G. Leach and Mrs. H. Wordard, to Troy on Monday.

Contest Closes This Week.

Those who are competing in the MASSEY-HARRIS GREAT PRIZE CONTEST, announced in the Record during the past few weeks, should send in their replies on or before December 31st., as the Contest ends January 1st, 1910

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SPORTING NEWS

HOCKEY.

JULIAN WILL BE OUT FOR PRACTICE THIS EVENING.

Julian, who played with the Intermediate Victorias, of Montreal, last year, will turn out for practice with the Sherbrooke team this evening.

As Saturday's game will be the first that Sherbrooke has ever played against a full senior team, the boys are working hard to make a good showing. The fastest hockey ever witnessed in Sherbrooke will be seen on this occasion.

Charley Grier, one of the fastest men in the game, who has been out of hockey for a year or so, owing to parental objection, will be on the Vics' line-up. He is a young player of great promise, much after the style of Frank Patrick.

SHERBROOKE ROYALS DEFEATED AT RICHMOND.

Richmond, Dec. 28. — (Special) — The first hockey match of the season took place Saturday evening at the Richmond Skating Rink between the Sherbrooke Royals and the Richmond Juniors. The game was fast from start to finish and was witnessed by a large crowd of spectators. At half-time the score was 10-1 in favor of the home team. In the last half the Royals scored 3 and the Juniors 2, the score being 12 to 4 in favor of the Juniors.

The line-up was as follows:

Sherbrooke Royals.		Richmond Jrs.
J. Parr	goal	E.Lainey
C. McCaig	centre	L. Boast
W. Fuller	point	R. Esnouf
C. Atto	c. point	B.Caswell
J. Whalen	l.w.	G.Smith
L. Martin	r.w.	W. Davis
C. Dorman	rover	B. Boucher

Mr. Kenneth Leith acted as referee, and John Davis as umpire.

SCHEDULE OF E. T. LEAGUE GAMES DRAWN UP.

The following is the schedule of the E.T.A.H.A.:

Jan. 5.—Sherbrooke at Magog.
Jan. 6.—Cookshire at Stanstead.
Jan. 6.—Lennoxville at Waterville.
Jan. 11.—Cookshire at Lennoxville.
Jan. 14.—Stanstead at Magog.
Jan. 17.—Magog at Sherbrooke.
Jan. 18.—Stanstead at Waterville.
Jan. 22.—Sherbrooke at Waterville.
Jan. 22.—Magog at Lennoxville.
Jan. 28.—Sherbrooke at Stanstead.
Jan. 29.—Lennoxville at Magog.
Jan. 29.—Waterville at Cookshire.
Feb. 2.—Cookshire at Waterville.
Feb. 5.—Magog at Stanstead.
Feb. 8.—Lennoxville at Cookshire.
Feb. 9.—Stanstead at Sherbrooke.
Feb. 12.—Cookshire at Magog.
Feb. 17.—Lennoxville at Stanstead.
Feb. 19.—Magog at Waterville.
Feb. 23.—Waterville at Sherbrooke.
Feb. 24.—Stanstead at Lennoxville.
Feb. 26.—Waterville at Magog.
Mch. 1.—Waterville at Lennoxville.
Mch. 5.—Waterville at Stanstead.
Mch. 5.—Magog at Cookshire.
Mch. 10.—Stanstead at Cookshire.

This completes the schedule, with the exception of matches between Sherbrooke and Cookshire, and Lennoxville and Sherbrooke, which will be arranged shortly.

EAST ANGUS 13, COOKSHIRE ACADEMY 7.

The East Angus "Athletes" played a match at Cookshire on Friday last with the Academy hockey team, on their rink, the line-up being as follows:

Angus		Cookshire
Shorten	goal	Haseltine
Gilbert	point	M. Ractiot
Parsons	cover	Cowling
N. Riddle	rover	W. Leonard
J. Riddle	centre	Warren
Blanche	r. wing	E. Ractiot
Stokes	l. wing	H. Leonard

Referee—E. Cowling.

The match was fast and exciting from start to finish. The Angus team won by a score of 13 goals to 7.

CURLING.

BONSPIEL TO BE HELD HERE ON NEW YEAR'S DAY — FORMAL OPENING ON JAN. 8TH.

Curling in this city bids fair to become one of the most popular sports during the coming winter, Already the rink is being made use of continually and the membership is increasing.

A meeting of the members is called for to-morrow night and it is requested that all be present, in order that final arrangements may be made for the bonspiel which is to be held on New Year's Day.

The formal opening of the rink will take place on Jan. 8th. Two rinks from Quebec have been invited to be present on that occasion.

All those desiring to take part in the club matches will please notify the Secretary at once.

SPORTING NOTES.

The Junior teams held practices at the Stadium last night and some fast players turned out. In a few years Sherbrooke should have some excellent senior men.

The Cubs of Montreal will play the Y. M. C. A. Basket Ball team on New Year's afternoon.

The first carnival of the season will take place this evening at the Janesville Rink, Richmond. Some fine prizes have been secured for this occasion.

The Windsor Mills Jrs. defeated the Montcalm team, of Sherbrooke, in Hebert's rink on X-mas night.

The Maple hockey team will hold their first practice this evening at the High School Rink from 8 to 9. A large turn-out is anticipated.

An exciting horse race took place on the street at Stanstead on Monday forenoon, between local and out-of-town horsemen. A purse was up and a large crowd of interested spectators witnessed the race.

The Angus hockey team is desirous of arranging matches with the juvenile teams of Sherbrooke, Lennoxville, Cookshire and Sawyerville. All challenges are to be addressed to the Manager Mr. F. Planche, or Sec.-Treas. Mr. E. Cowling.

The uniform of Angus team consists of blue and white sweaters, with crest on breast, and white knickerbockers, with blue stockings.

On Saturday next, Jan. 1st, a hockey match will be played at East Angus, weather permitting, between Angus and Sawyerville hockey teams.

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FINANCIAL AND MARKET NEWS

DAIRY PRODUCE.

CHEESE UNCHANGED, BUTTER FIRM.

Montreal, Dec. 29.—The cheese market continues unchanged, with little business passing. September make western is quoted at 11¾c to 11¾c, October make at 11¾c to 11¾c, and easterns at 11½c to 11⅝c.

The butter market continues firm, with choicest creamery quoted at 25½c to 26c, and current receipts at 24½c to 25c.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

GOOD DEMAND FOR EGGS.

Montreal, Dec. 29.—There is considerable demand for eggs owing to the fact that local grocers' stocks are well cleaned out, and in consequence an active trade is being done at very firm prices. Sales of selected stock in round lots are made at 28c to 28½c and in single cases at 29c, while No. 1 candled sell at 24½c to 25c per dozen.

FAIR TRADE IN POTATOES.

Montreal, Dec. 29.—A fair trade is passing in potatoes, and as supplies are not excessive prices rule steady. Green Mountains, in car lots, ex track, are selling at 55c to 57½c, with Ontario at 45c to 50c, and Quebec varieties at 50c to 55c per bag.

DRESSED POULTRY IN DEMAND.

Montreal, Dec. 29.—A fair trade continues in dressed poultry, and Christmas prices are easily maintained, the supply being small. Prevailing prices are: Choice turkeys, 21c to 22c; good turkeys, 19c to 20c; poor turkeys, 17c to 18c; geese, per lb., 13½c to 14½c; chickens, per lb., 13c to 17c;

LIVE HOGS.

LIVE HOGS ADVANCE.

Montreal, Dec. 29.—A recent feature of the provision trade has been the stronger undertone to the market for live hogs, and prices have advanced 10c to 25c per 100 lbs. This is due to the increased demand from packers for supplies, the small receipts, and the scarcity of stock in some sections at $11.75 to $12 per 100 lbs. There is no change in the condition of the market for cured meats or lard, but the undertone is firm, with a fair volume of business passing for the season of the country. There is a much firmer feeling in dressed hogs, and sales of abattoir fresh-killed have been made at $12 to $12.25, and country dressed

TO-DAY'S MARKET PRICES.

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	Opening.	1.30 p.m.
Amalgamated Copper	89⅜	90¼
American Sugar	123	123
Atchison	121¾	122⅜
American Smelting Refg. Co.	104	104⅜
Anaconda	53½	53⅝
Baltimore & Ohio	117⅜	117⅞
Brooklyn Rapid Transfer	79½	80½
Canadian Pacific	180½	150⅜
Chi. Mil. St. Paul	157½	158⅜
Col. Fuel & Iron	50	50⅛
Delaware & Hudson	185	185
Erie	33¼	33¼
Great Northern Pref.	143	143½
Minn. St. Paul & Soo	139⅜	139½
Missouri Pacific	71½	72
New York Central	125⅜	126
Northern Pacific	144	144½
Penn. Ry.	137	137
Reading	170¾	170⅝
Rock Island	50½	50
Rock Island Pref.	89	89
Southern Pacific	134½	134⅜
Southern Railway	31¾	32
Union Pacific	201⅞	203⅜
U. S. Steel	91	91⅛
U. S. Steel, Pref.	125½	125¼

MONTREAL MARKET.

Canadian Pacific	180	180
Detroit Ry.	64½	64½
Dominion Steel	71	71
Dominion Steel, Pref.	137	137
Illinois, Pref.	92	92
Montreal Power	134	134
Montreal St. Ry.	218	221½
Nova Scotia Steel	70¾	70½
Toronto Ry.	129½	130
Twin City	115½	116
Lake of the Woods, com.	144	144
Richelieu & Ontario	94½	94½
Crown Reserve	4.05	4.10

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GREENLAY.

Arrivals and departures: Mr. and Mrs. Walter Berry from Montreal with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stuart; Miss Ella Stuart from Montreal where she is attending school; Mr. George Rankin home from Montreal; Mr. W. Young and family from Nicolet Falls to Mr. Frank Young's; Miss Katie Learned, of the Greenlay school, home to Learned Plain; Mr. Archie Beattie to Tilton, Mass.; Mr. E. Smith with his son, Mr. Walter Smith, of Melbourne; Mrs. A. Rankin and daughter Miss Rankin at Mr. F. Rankin's.

The "Hustlers" will have a New Year's Eve ride starting from the M. E. Parsonage in Windsor Mills.

Arrivals and departures for the holidays: Mr. John Moore and brother, Charles, of Montreal, with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Moore; Miss Jessie Grosett, of Kingsey Falls, guest of Mrs. A. W. Sykes; Miss A. Varney and sister, Marion, visiting friends in Lawrenceville; Mrs. J. Sims in Sherbrooke, Wednesday; Mr. Albert Moore of Megantic, with his father Mr. H. Moore; Miss H. Monteith, of Montreal, visiting her sister, Mrs. J. Sims; Mr. William Young, of Nicolet, visiting his brother, Mr. Frank Young; Miss Gertrude and Master Chas. Young, of Nicolet, visiting their grandmother, Mrs. E. W. Young; Mr. Greninger, of Montreal, guest of Miss B. Moore; Miss Addie Page visiting friends at Eastman; Mr. and Mrs. Page at Sherbrooke visiting Mrs. E. Rose; Miss Elkins, of North Troy, visiting her aunt, Mrs. C. Willard; Miss K. Learned in Cookshire visiting; Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Sykes in Sherbrooke, Thursday; Miss Holland, of Richmond visiting her sister, Mrs. A. Rowland.

Mrs. Thomas Rankin is on the sick list.

BOLTON CENTRE.

Arrivals include: Mr. Leon Swett, of Lowell, Vt., with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Swett, for the holidays; Mrs. Eva Phelps, of South Stukely, guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Silas Johnson; Mr. E. Manosh, of Eastman, home during the holidays; Mr. Scott Fullington, of Mansonville, guest at Mr. Silas Johnson's.

Among those entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cousins' on Christmas were: Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Cousins, of Knowlton; Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Cousins, Miss Annie and Master Henry Cousins, Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Mooney, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Cousins, Miss Daisy and Master Ralph, Mr. and Mrs. T. Cousins and Master Donald, Mrs. O. W. Johnson and Mr. Harley Adams, and Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Mooney, of this place, and Mr. Edward Cousins, of Bolton Glen.

SAWYERVILLE.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Thompson, of Island Brook, spent Christmas at Mrs. Wm. Thompson's, sr.

Mr. Henry Barber and bride, of Lancaster, N.H., in town on Monday.

An outbreak of something like grippe has taken place in this vicinity.

Miss Mabel Cromwell was welcomed last Sunday at her post at the organ in the Presbyterian Church. She returns to McDonald College after the holidays.

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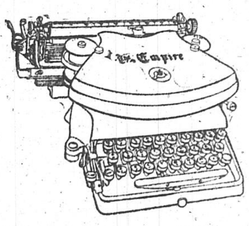
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