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Local Happenings.
Items of Local Interest Carefully Prepared by the Gazette's "Man About Town."

MEMORIAL SERVICE.—The Rev. N. C. Hanson preached a memorial sermon on Sunday night, in memory of the late Mr. and Miss McAllister.

\$400.00 in cash is to be distributed as prizes to purchasers of Union Blend Tea a key and a card of explanation in every pound package.

H. W. Woods, General Merchant, Welsford, has just received a fine, new line of the celebrated B. Laurance Spectacles and Eye glass in Gold, Gold-filled and nickel frames. Mr. Woods carries a perfect line of test lenses, and can guarantee perfect satisfaction to any person who require perfect aids to vision.

A GOOD INDUCEMENT.—The Farm Journal is chock full of gumption and it has the largest circulation of any farm paper in the world. It is good everywhere. We offer it for a short time as a prize to advance-paying subscribers to the QUEENS COUNTY GAZETTE a year ahead and the Farm Journal five years, all for the price of our paper alone.

SPECIAL NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.—War or no war I am still in the front rank in fitting trim, having lately secured the services of Mr. J. A. McKinnon, a late graduate of Mr. J. Mitchell's cutting school of New York. I am now fully prepared to give my numerous customers a first class fit, workmanship unexcelled, style perfect, and prices that will astonish you. I respectfully invite you to call and inspect my large stock, no trouble to show goods and give you quotations at Joseph Walker's, Merchant Tailor, second door above People's Bank, Queen Street, Fredericton, West End.

PRETTY WEDDING.—A quiet and pretty wedding took place Wednesday morning at the residence of Mr. R. B. Wallace, Saunders street, when Mrs. Wallace's sister, Miss Lina P. Wasson, whose home is at Hampstead, Queens county, was united in marriage to Mr. Beverly Robinson Palmer, of Kars, Kings county. The happy ceremony was performed at 8 o'clock by Rev. J. D. Freeman, pastor of the Baptist church, only the immediate friends of the bridal couple being present. Mr. and Mrs. Palmer left for St. John on the 9.20 C. P. R. express, accompanied by the best wishes of their many friends.—Gleaner.

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DIED AT WOODSTOCK.—Mr. Charles T. Perkins died at his home five miles below town on Saturday evening last, after an illness of some duration. He was born in Kings county but moved to Queens when but a mere lad, where he married and lived many years. Some twenty-five years ago Mr. Perkins purchased the old church property known as "the Rectory." Here he lived until a few years ago, when the present occupant and owner Mr. John Fleumming, purchased the property. Since then Mr. Perkins has lived with his son, Charles H. L. Perkins, who married Miss Florence Bull. Mrs. Charles T. Perkins pre-deceased her husband some ten years. Of a family of three children who moved with their father to Woodstock, only the son above referred to, survives. Two daughters, Agnes, wife of Frederick Griffith, and Emily, wife of Arthur J. Raymond, have passed away. Mr. Perkins was a man of sterling character, upright and honest in all his dealings, a good neighbor and an industrious and capable farmer. Since he came to Woodstock he won the respect of all with whom he came in contact. He was a devoted member of the church of England.—Woodstock Despatch.

COCK'S SURE COUGH CURE.

SCHOOL BLANKS.—Mr. Angus Daigle, Chipman, has for sale District School Assessment Lists and School Tax Notices.

REVIVAL SERVICES.—The Rev. Mr. McLaughlin will hold Revival Services every evening this week, in the Methodist church.

CONFINED TO HIS BED.—The Rev. Mr. McLaughlin took ill quite suddenly on Tuesday morning and is now confined to his bed.

NEW YORK FIRE.—The Windsor, one of New York's large hotels was burned on Friday. Fifteen persons perished and a large number injured.

DIED AT CAMBRIDGE.—Mr. Melvin Henry, of Cambridge, died at his home on Wednesday morning last. Aged 56 years. The funeral took place on Saturday.

SLEIGH UPSET.—Miss Maude Hamilton and Mrs. John Burns while out driving on Friday were upset in a snow-bank but with the skillful management of Miss Hamilton there was no damage except the loss of the bells.

KILLED AT ST. JOHN.—Chas. Riley, son of James Riley, of St. John was killed at the I. C. R. yard on Saturday. He was playing around the cars and was caught between them and crushed to death. He was about 10 years of age.

CIVIC ELECTIONS.—The Fredericton Civic Election resulted as follows: Mayor—Harry Beckwith. Wellington Ward—Oliver Burden, W. H. Anderson. St. Ann's Ward—A. H. VanWart, Dr. E. W. Henry. Carleton Ward—P. Farrell, John Maxwell. Queens Ward—John Moore, W. G. Clark. Kings Ward—W. E. Smith, C. F. McKendrick. Moncton Civic Election resulted as follows: Mayor—H. H. Ayer. Aldermen—at Large—F. C. Robertson, Dr. O. E. Steeves. Ward One—F. P. Reid and G. L. Harris. Ward Two—J. W. Whitehead and D. Grant. Ward Three—A. E. Wall, and J. T. Ryan.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. J. P. Bulyea spent a few days last week with friends at Douglas Harbor.

Mr. Fred Corey spent a few days (very pleasantly) in Jemseg, last week.

Mr. Joseph Mahoney who has been in the lumber woods in St. John county has returned home.

Miss Susie Brooks has returned home from visiting friends in Wickham.

Mr. Jas. Dougan of Maine was in town last week.

Miss Mabel Mitchell of Petersville is spending a few days with her sister Miss Lettie Mitchell.

Mr. A. T. McAllister is laid up with lagrippe.

We are glad to hear that Mr. Fred Purvis, who has been very sick, is recovering.

Mr. Thos. Akerley of St. John who has been spending a few weeks in town returned home last week leaving a number of sorrowing friends.

Miss Jennie Cooper left for home this morning accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cooper.

TO EDITOR QUEENS COUNTY GAZETTE.
In reporting Mr. H. W. Woods' Declaration speech, you credit him with saying that there was \$20.00 paid for a vote in Petersville, which I say is entirely untrue.

Then he explains that a certain man in said Parish had done some work on roads and claimed for his work \$20.00 and his claim was not allowed. This, I also say was not correct, as I happen to know that the claim was a just one, and the chief commissioner would have settled it long before the date referred to, only some difficulty arose between Burton and supervisor which caused the delay.

Then he says that the said certain man told the government candidates when they solicited his support that if the money was not paid for the said work before the Election Day that they would not receive any vote from him. The said certain man George R. Burton in the presence of a good, reliable witness, told me on the 2nd day of this month that he never saw nor spoke to either of the government candidates in his life. Then he says on Friday evening before the election the \$20.00 was paid.

I will now explain how and why it was paid. I knew the work was done as I had written to the Hon. Mr. Farris in reference to it and I also explained the matter to the Honorable Chief Commissioner on one occasion and both of those gentlemen said the claim would be paid if it was a just one, as soon as things could be made all clear with said supervisor. With these facts before me and Mr. Burton being a good neighbor, he was in my office just a week prior to nomination, I said, Burton, I suppose we will see you up to the election. He replied, if they don't pay me for the work done I will not leave the house that day. I explained that I feared that it could not be paid at that time on account of the Election Campaign, but I would write to Mr. Winslow in the Board of Works Office and if the money did not come at once as he needed it at the time, I said, George, I have a cheque for \$60.00. Not Boodle Money as described by Mr. Woods but my own money, which I would get cashed and give him the \$20.00 and wait till the Board of Works paid the bill.

I went to St. John and got the check cashed, and on Friday evening previous to election, I called at Mr. Burton's house, and in presence of his wife and father (and I would not have objected if Mr. Woods had been there), I handed Mr. Burton the \$20.00, and the only

words I said as when you are down some day, I will take a receipt for the \$20.00.

I positively say that during all or any conversation with Burton, I never mentioned to him how I expected him to vote or in any way hinted so that it could possibly be construed, or imagined, I was bidding for a vote.

Then Mr. Woods reads a sworn statement from Burton in order to prove the above statements to be true, which the said Geo. R. Burton says is not correct, as he never swore to any statement made to Woods. He does admit, however, that he gave Woods a statement that the \$20 was paid by H. Johnston, for work done on roads as stated in my letter above.

I would just be as justified in the eyes of the public to state here that the \$20.00 paid by the said H. W. Woods to the said George R. Burton on Monday after the election for driving the said H. W. Woods to the polling booth was paid for a vote as Mr. Woods was in making the statement that the \$20.00 was paid for a vote. But I can assure my friend, Woods that Mr. George R. Burton is not the man to be bought as easily as he thinks.

Yours,
H. JOHNSTON.
Welsford, Queens Co., March 7th, 1899.

I have carefully read over the above letter written and signed by Mr. H. Johnston and I do solemnly say, and I am prepared to prove, that it is a true and extremely fair statement of each and every matter and subject referred to therein.

GEORGE R. BURTON.
ROBERT McDONALD, Witness.
Welsford, March 7th, 1899.

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Tomkins. "Good morning, Mr. Wannamaker, I have called to see if you can give me a position in your establishment. I can turn my hand to almost anything."

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Mr. W. "When I was 20 years of age, I was a stranger in a strange land, with neither work nor money, when a friend of mine, a lawyer, advised me to take a book agency saying he had educated himself by canvassing; like drowning men grasp at straws, I took his advice, and in 5 years saved \$5,000, and with this sum started my present business. It is just 50 years ago today that Mr. Bradley, the founder of the present Firm of The Bradley-Garretson Company, Limited of Toronto, sent me my first book prospectus, and to his beautiful letters and good advice, I owe much of my present success. Yes, young man, if you have anything in you, there is just as good a chance for you today with this old established House as there was for me. Write them and see what they have to offer."

Tomkins. "I have seen the advertisements of this firm, for agents, for years back, and have often thought of writing them, but have never done so. I will write today; and I am very thankful to you, Mr. Wannamaker, for your good advice."

MARRIED.

McKINNEY-KENNEDY.—On the 15th inst., by the Rev. George Steel, at the residence of John Williamson, Metcalf street, St. John, Stewart A. McKinney to Miss Annie M., daughter of the late John Kennedy, both of South Clones.

DIED.

WEDDERBURN.—On Thursday evening, March 16th, at Hampton, N. B., Jeannie, wife of Judge Wedderburn, aged 64.

McCrea.—At Wickham, Queens Co., on 18th Feb., 1898, June, widow of the late Thomas McCrea, in the 79th year of her age, leaving four sons and five daughters and a large circle of relatives and friends to mourn their loss. Sister McCrea gave herself to Jesus when a girl, being baptised by the late Samuel Hart, and united with the P. C. B. church at Wickham. A large congregation assembled at the church. Service was conducted by Rev. W. H. Perry. Text: Rev., 14-13

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