

## LOCAL TOPICS.

The funeral of Matthew McCaffrey who died here on Thursday last took place at the Williamston Catholic cemetery on Saturday.

Gordon Bailey, son of Arthur Bailey, fell off a box in front of his father's store on Monday and knocked out two of his teeth. Dr. Manzer reinserted them.

The Hobo's of Jacksonville are making arrangements to build a club house on Wise's lake. They expect to open it with a fancy dress ball on the 89th of Dog Days.

IT WILL BE REAL NICE.—This is what a young lady says of the Mission Band Concert to be held in the Albert Street Baptist Church on Sunday afternoon at three o'clock. A Silver collection will be taken up.

IN THE skating race at the Houlton rink last Friday between Geo. Law of Houlton and Jas. Montgomery of Woodstock, the winner was Law who beat his opponent by about thirty feet in a three mile race.

D. M. KINNEAR, has entered into contract to build the offices and warehouses of Grant Birmingham & Co on Main St. South side of bridge. The building is to be an elaborated one and will undoubtedly reflect credit on both parties to the contract.

Look out for the famous world beater—The John Bull 5c cigar. The Best Smoker in the Land. Invented at the Time of the War Scare. Compare it with the best ten centers and see which is best. For sale by TAYLOR, DICKERILL & Co., ST. JOHN.

Monday evening in the Epworth League a spirited debate took place upon the following subject "Resolved that there is no such thing in human nature as selfishness"—Affirmative A. D. Holyoke, A. E. Mellish. Negative, Dr. Kirkpatrick Andrew Myles. Mr. Crawford declined in favor of Negative.

LADIES ATHLETIC CLUB.—About fifteen young ladies of athletic inclinations, met in a room in Graham's building on Tuesday of last week and organized The Ladies Athletic Club of Woodstock. The officers are Miss Annie Rankin, Pres., Miss Clara Leighton, Secretary, and Miss Neales, Treasurer. The colours adopted are red and blue.

EASTER MONDAY will fall this year on the 6th of April. The members of the English church will do well to bear in mind that a resolution was carried at the last Easter Monday meeting changing the time of the meetings of the parishioners and of the corporation from 10 o'clock in the morning to 8 o'clock in the evening, thus affording a much larger number of parishioners an opportunity of attending the annual meetings.

HOLINESS CONVENTION.—There will be a union holiness convention of christian workers to be held in the Reformed Baptist church of Woodstock, commencing Monday evening March 30th, to continue over the following Sunday. A cordial invitation is extended to all friends of the gospel of salvation through the Risen Redeemer, to attend this meeting; and together put forth an utmost effort for the salvation of those out of Christ. Entertainment will be provided for all who come to this spiritual feast.

MISS DRUCILLA WRIGHT a well known dressmaker on Richmond street died on Friday last quite suddenly. She had an attack of quinsy. Blood poisoning ensued causing her death. It was only a short while ago that she attended the funeral of Miss Vanwart daughter of Jacob Vanwart. The funeral was on Sunday, Rev. C. T. Phillips officiating. In the evening sermon on Sunday Mr. Phillips made a feeling allusion to the sad affair. Miss Wright's mother, and several brothers and one sister survive her.

UNDER the heading "He Fills It Well," This is how the Frederickton Gleaner speaks of His Worship when he was in Frederickton lately in the interest of a Woodstock bill.—"His Worship Mayor Saunders, Woodstock, is in the city lobbying in the interests of a Woodstock bill. This is Mayor Saunders' second term, he having defeated J.R. Murphy by a very large majority at the last civic elections. His many friends in Frederickton are congratulating him on his ample proportions, which no doubt enable him to fill the chief magistrate's chair in a very substantial manner."

MR. CHARLES CONNELL, Druggist, has just received a second supply of that great English remedy, Halloway's Red Blood Syrup.

## WHO WILL WIN?

## Oak Hall Voting Contest.

F. A. Good,	692
Mrs. Cupples,	665
Miss Mulhenn,	548
Miss Ena L. Gill, (E. Flor),	360
Miss Neales,	339
E. C. Crawford,	262
H. W. Peppers, (Centreville),	239
Miss A. P. Comben,	227
Miss Ella Smith,	192
Miss Good,	173
Miss Louise Upton, (Hartland),	135
Miss Fisher,	106
Miss Ina H. Semple (Glass),	87
Miss Almada Gill,	82
Miss McLeod,	76
Miss Becca Guy,	60
Miss McCormack,	58
Miss M. E. Coen,	43
A. W. Clark, (Coldstream),	41
Isaac Draper (Benton),	31
C. T. Hendry (Florenceville),	26
T. V. Hunter (Grafton),	25
Mrs. Henry Hay,	21
Miss Spear,	14
Miss Georgie Baldwin,	11
Miss Bessie Fraser (Bristol),	5
Miss Cahill,	3
Miss Alexander,	3
Jennie M. Squire, (Up. Kent),	2
Allen Rideout,	1
Jerome Porter, (Four Falls, Vic.),	1
Mabel Barker,	1
Edna Brooks, (Newburg Junction),	1

Total 4530

It is a specific for pale, weak, nervous persons, or those with a consumptive tendency, and where the system is run down by over work. This is no new tried remedy, but has stood the test of time and experience. So great is the confidence placed in its merits that Mr. Connell is instructed in all cases where the purchaser after using the prescribed dose for one week is not satisfied with its results, the money will be refunded. No other remedy can be bought on such an offer.

AN OLD and respected citizen passed away on Saturday morning last in the person of Chas. Gallagher. He was in his 76th year, and resided latterly with his son-in-law Mr. Hugh Judge. Mr. Gallagher was a native of Ireland and came to Woodstock about a quarter of a century ago. He was for many years engaged in the lively, general business and wholesale and retail liquor trade. He retired some time ago, and about eight years since was attacked with a stroke of paralysis which has more or less affected him ever since. His children are D. B. and J. J. Gallagher, Barristers. Mrs. Hugh Judge, Woodstock, Mrs. Thos. F. Kenny, Restigouche, and Miss Rose Gallagher of Oakland, Cal. The funeral was held on Tuesday, service being said in St. Gertrude's church.

Y. M. C. A.—A special meeting to consider the advisability of organizing a Y. M. C. A. in this town was held on Sunday afternoon in the Free Baptist church. Rev. Dr. Chapman presided. Addresses were made by Revs. C. T. Phillips, J. H. MacDonald, Mr. Fraser Marshall, gen. sec. for the maritime provinces. After this explanatory meeting, an advisory meeting was held. There was a very general opinion expressed in favor of taking steps to form an association. Among those who spoke on the subject were Mayor Saunders, James Watts, Chas. McLean, Geo. L. Holyoke, Alex. Henderson, W. W. Hay, D. McLeod Vince. A resolution was passed pledging the support of those present to the scheme, and the following men appointed an executive committee to take immediate steps toward the formation Fraser Marshall, Mayor Saunders, W. W. Hay, Harry Noble.

CENTREVILLE TO THE FRONT.—A delightful entertainment is promised all the fortunate people who can get to Centreville on Wednesday and Thursday evenings of this week. The committee of the Mock Parliament has been busy and have gotten up a programme that will undoubtedly be rendered in good style. As an incentive to the public to turn out in good numbers the programme is given.

Music by orchestra; tambourine drill; music by orchestra; farce, "Ice on parle française, or the major's mistake." Cast of Characters: Major Regulus Rattan, late of the Cape Coast Slashers, Mr. Herriek Scholey; Victor Dubois, Mr. H. W. Peppers; Mr. Spriggins, Dr. F. M. Brown; Mrs. Spriggins, Miss Boyer; Angelina, their daughter, Miss Lena Sherwood; Julia, wife of Major Rattan, Miss Minnie White; Anna Maria, maid-of-all-work, Miss Julia Sloat; good night drill; music by orchestra; tableaux; music by orchestra; fancy drill; flag drill; music by orchestra; grand final chorus; God Save the Queen.

THE S. S. workers of the town have long felt the need of System in Teaching. And in order to reach the matter the Parish of Woodstock convention had a meeting called to be held on Monday evening at 7.30 in the Reformed Baptist Church of those who were in favor of forming a Normal Teachers' class for Sunday School work. C. N. Scott was called to the chair and R. M. Dennison appointed secretary. On motion of Thos. A. Lindsay it was resolved to form a teachers' Normal Class, by standing vote, after which 43 members of the different congregations of the town enrolled in the class. Rev J. H. MacDonald was elected teacher for the month of April, R. M. Dennison was elected Secretary. Rev. M. MacDonald in a few well chosen remarks explained the object of the work. S. J. Parsons Esq. who is an old hand at Sunday School work gave the first Black Board lesson. The class will meet on Thursday evening, and the place of meeting will be given out from the pulpits and the Sunday Schools next Sunday. The Teachers were very much pleased with the new system, and there is no doubt that under the able management of Rev. Mr. MacDonald it will be a success.

## PERSONALS.

Fred Laforest, Edmundston, was at the Wilbur House on Monday.

Miss Burna Maine of St. Stephen is the guest of Mrs. Leighton, Woodstock.

Geo. Wilson of Richmond, was registered at the Exchange Hotel on Monday.

D. Richards, the well known lumberman of Frederickton, is at the Victoria.

G. Fred Plummer and C. H. McLean of Fort Fairfield, were in town last week.

J. E. Payson left on Friday last for Hartford, Conn., to be absent for a fortnight.

F. P. Killen and R. W. Connor of the W. & C. R'way Co., are at the Wilbur House.

Miss Francis Peters, Frederickton, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Harry Currie, Woodstock.

Thos. Mason, Sherbrooke; J. V. Charlton, Arthur Cameron, St. John; registered at the Wilbur on Monday.

Alphonse Bertrand, M. P. P., Edmundston, and Cyprien Martin, St. Basil, were guests at the Victoria, recently.

Miss Winslow, Frederickton, who has been visiting Miss Perley, Andover, is staying with relatives in Woodstock.

Miss Maria Anderson, who has been visiting Mr. Jacob Vanwart, Woodstock, has returned home.—Gleaner.

Fred S. Miles, St. John, A. R. Miles, Mauderville, and Mr. and Mrs. C. LeB. Miles, Andover, were in town last week.

Miss Eva Campbell, Hartland, spent a few days in Woodstock with her friends here. She returned to Hartland on Monday.

Miss Bessie Benker, Houlton, recently spent a few days in Woodstock the guest of Mrs. T. G. Hoyt. She returned home on Monday.

Mr. Moses Burpee, Chief Engineer of the Bangor & Aroostook railroad, started this morning for New York, Philadelphia and other points south and west, to be absent about two weeks.—Houlton Pioneer.

J. Frank Tilley returned last week from the Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph, where he has taken a course in the Dairy Department. He leaves for Sussex next Monday to enter the Dairy School there. Mr. Tilley made 94 points out of a possible hundred, at his last examination at Guelph. He is devoting himself studiously to the science of dairying and will be a credit and a help to Carleton County.

## Accident to Col. Dibblee.

On Friday morning last the community was startled and shocked at learning that Col. F. H. J. Dibblee had met with a most painful and severe accident. He was working in his shop, mixing a composition of molten tin and chloride of potash. Some other ingredients were also put in and something caused an explosion. The burning molten tin flew up into his eyes and face. No one was with him in the shop. He managed although completely blinded to find the door, and travel out into the street. He called to Chas. English who heard him, and on seeing his condition went for a doctor. In the meantime it happened that Rev. Mr. Trafton was driving by, and he helped the injured man into his sleigh. They went to Dr. Sprague's office, when the work of removing the tin, which had now quite solidified, from the eyes, was at once begun. Col. Dibblee took no anaesthetic, but bore the painful operation with wonderful nerve. One of his eyes was completely encased in a tin coating, while the other was not so seriously damaged. Dr. Sprague took a bit of tin from one eye weighing a dram. After the operation Col. Dibblee was removed to the house of his sister, Mrs. Allison B. Connell. He suffered at times most intensely, but passed a fairly, comfortable night. On Saturday afternoon he was taken to Montreal.

He was accompanied by Dr. Hand, and many friends were at the train to see him off, and express the hope that he would meet with successful treatment. On Monday morning Mr. A. B. Connell received a telegram from Dr. Hand, saying that Col. Dibblee was doing well in a private room. One eye was pronounced good, the other not quite so well. This is giving much encouragement to the Colonel's immediate family, and his friends, who may be said to number thousands in the county.

## Pills Do Not Cure.

Pills do not cure Constipation. They only aggravate. Karl's Clover Root Tea gives perfect regularity of the bowels. Sold by Garden Bros.

## Will He Resign?

To the Editor of The Dispatch:

Sir,—During the last local election Mr. Dibblee stated that unless the govt built a bridge at Hartland he would resign. We understand that there is to be no Bridge. Will Mr. Dibblee be as good as his word, or will he hang on the coat tail of the Attorney General.

HARTLAND

## Consumption Can be Cured

by the use of Shiloh's Cure. This great Cough Cure is the only known remedy for that terrible disease. Sold by Garden Bros.

There is in the possession of a family of Rockland, Me., a quadrant which which was probably used by Capt Kidd. It is more than 200 years old and bears the name and address of the London maker. Part of it is ivory, now dark brown with age. The name "Capt. Kidd" is engraved on the metal part of the instrument.

## CUT IN 2.

Side Combs,  
Fancy Hair Pins,  
Stick Pins,  
Belt Pins,  
Belt Buckles,  
Children's Necklaces.

A splendid assortment of these goods. To clear out the prices have been

## CUT IN 2.

Our Entire Stock of

Books and Fancy Goods  
AT COST!

The "BAZAAR"

Masonic Hall,

Main Street, - - Woodstock.

## NOTICE.

The second annual meeting of the Tobique River Log Driving Company will be held at the Village of Andover in the County of Victoria at Beveridge's Hall in said village, on Tuesday the fourteenth day of April next at eleven of the clock in the forenoon for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors and for the transaction of such business as may legally come before the meeting. Dated the 18th. day of March, A. D. 1896.

A. J. BEVERIDGE, President.

J. C. HARTLEY, Sec. for Company.  
N. B.—Every owner of logs or other lumber or timber intended to be driven by said company during the coming season, must file with the Secretary a statement of the same, on or before the day of the Annual Meeting, and no lumberman can become a member of the said company nor be entitled to vote at its meeting until said statement has been filed.

## Nature's Nap

Is about over. It has awakened from its winter's sleep, and will soon don its spring garb. Man is like nature, for man needs Spring clothing, and we are ready to supply him with that Clothing. Our \$5 suit is a little different from our last year ones which had such a great sale. We have it this year in light and dark grey, fully as good linings and material, make the same. For every day or evening wear it cannot be equalled. Your tailor would not make it for \$5, you find the Cloth and Trimmings. You bought one last year. Didn't it give you good satisfaction? Why not try a different colour one this year? Your money back if you want it.

## Conditions of Prize Contest.

Cut coupon outside of lines, fill in name of teacher, post office and county and sign your name or initial. Teacher must reside or teach in either Carleton or Victoria Co., and some one vote for them before March 20th. No coupons for new teachers after that date will count for prize; but voting may continue for those entered until 6 p. m., May 23, 1896. Voters may vote as often as they wish, but blanks must be filled; no bundles with name on one and others blank,—such blank ones will not count. Mail the coupons and mail them so we will have them to use Monday, Wednesday and Friday mornings. The coupons will be kept on record,—the leaders names and coupons will appear in the three papers of the town weekly. The prize will be \$10 in Gold to the teacher who has the greatest number sent in at the close of the contest.

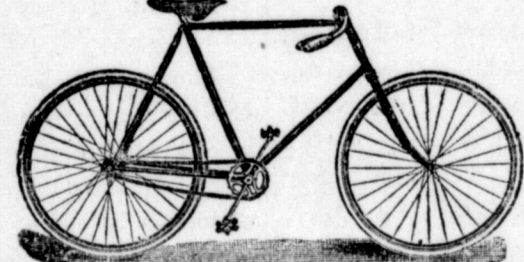
## Keep up the interest. Vote now

Oak Hall, One Price, Woodstock.

DISPATCH COUPON.	I VOTE FOR	
	Name of Teacher.....	County.....
	Post Office.....	
	As the most popular School Teacher in..... County, and for prize offered by the Oak Hall Clothing Co., Woodstock, N. B.	
	..... Voter.	

## WATCH

For the '96  
"YELLOW FELLOW."

Fleet As an Arrow.		Stiff As a Poker.
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The light, easy-running, much talked-about STEARNS.

Has any bicycle ever sold here given such satisfaction?

SAMPLES WILL SOON BE IN.

BALMAIN BROS.

FEB. 10, '96.

## Crockery! Crockery!

We have just added to our already quite complete stock of Crockery and Glassware a number of

## Beautiful Tea Sets

of 44 pieces, selling for from \$3.25 up.

—ALSO—

## GLASSWARE SETS OF SIX PIECES.

Selling at 35c. and upward.

Here, too, you can see a good line of Cups and Saucers, Tumblers, Goblets, Comports, Preserves, etc. Call and examine our goods. Our prices are lowest.

## C. M. SHERWOOD &amp; BROS.

Lynch Block, - Main Street.

## Wanted.

10,000 Calf Skins,

Any amount of Sheep

Pelts, Ashes and Rags,

If they are the right kind, and 50,000 customers that I can make a cent out of to buy goods such as Ready-Made Clothing, Dry Goods, Hats, Caps, Boots, Shoes and Rubbers, and all kinds of Provisions and Groceries, Field Seeds, Garden Seeds, and anything that can be handled legally, and if Bob can advertise funny so can I, and stick up to what I advertise at

## Milmore's,

64 and 66 Main Street, - - Woodstock.

Yours in order to see all my old customers and as many new ones as can have time to call and see everything that is good, and oblige

J. C. MILMORE.

DIED.

McCAFFREY.—On Thursday 19th inst., Matthew McCaffrey, aged 76 years.

## WANTED.

Agents. Agents.

Do you want to make five or six dollars a day? Then write me at once direct, WM. F. CURRIE, Gen'l Agent, P. O. Box 195, Frederickton, N. B.

## WANTED.

A girl in a small family, wages nine dollars per month. Apply to MRS. R. E. GUY SMITH.

## WANTED.

A good girl for general house work. Apply to MRS. E. W. WILLIAMS, Broadway.

## WANTED.

A Second or Third class Teacher in District No. 11 Hartford, to commence the school April 1st.

By order of the Trustees, A. F. LOCKHART, Sec. Hartford March 23rd, 1896.

## FOR SALE.

A Second-Hand Sewing Machine, in good running order. May be had very cheap. Apply at McDougall's RESTAURANT, King Street.

## FARM TO LET.

The subscriber will let his farm, four miles below town, to a good reliable tenant. Possession given at any time. Everything in good condition, well prepared for cropping. Apply to JOHN D. KETCHUM, or at THE DISPATCH office.

## FOR SALE.

Neat and attractive home, near centre of town, good location, buildings new, house 9 rooms and bath, hot and cold water, good cellar, barn attached. All finished complete. At a bargain. Inquire at this office, THE DISPATCH.

## TO LET.

A convenient self-contained flat situate on Elm street, Woodstock, N. B. Seven rooms, hall and storeroom, sheds and barn. Possession given May 1st, 1896. For terms and particulars apply to J. C. HARTLEY, Solicitor, Woodstock, N. B.

## NOTICE.

The annual general meeting of the

CANADA PACIFIC FISHING CLUB

will be held in the office of John Stewart, Woodstock, N. B., on

THURSDAY, APRIL 2ND.

H. A. SEELEY, Sec.-Treasurer.