

LOCAL TOPICS.

AT LAKEVILLE S. C. Wiggins' fine place is offered for sale. See advt. in this paper.

BOAT COMING.—The river is rising daily and it is expected that the Aberdeen will begin her fall trips in a few days.

THE Young Ladies Sewing Circle of Albert St. Baptist Church intend having a Fancy Sale and Bean Supper Thanksgiving Day.

S. C. WIGGINS, Meductic, ground 4,800 bushels of grain in four weeks at his mill. He is doing a good business and deserves the patronage he receives.

J. K. FLEMING of Peel attended the Conservative convention in St. John last week, and he was elected a member of the executive from Carleton County.

AT A MEETING of the brotherhood of St. Andrew on Monday evening, Rev. W. B. Belliss was elected director, in place of Dr. Griffith, who has gone away.

AT HARTLAND Messrs Shaw and Dibblee would call the attention of the public to their standard toe calks. Their general stock of hardware is quite up to the scratch. Call in.

BOYER BROS. offer a fine assortment of Men's, Women's Children's and Misses Gaiters for sale; also, Moccasins and shoe packs, and a choice lot of ladies felt slippers. All goods very cheap.

MR T. C. TABOR proprietor of the Carlisle is fitting up the room to the north of the hall, for a reading and writing room. This will be a great convenience. Mr. Jas. Drysdale is doing the work.

SCOTT ACT.—In the police court on Monday three convictions for violation of the C. T. Act were found against Jas. H. Wilbur one against Wm. Wilbur and two against Helon Stephenson.

FARMERS will do well to consult J. M. Sherwood, Centreville, for the early sale of poultry, as to the mode and dates of dressing and marketing. Prices of chickens, geese and ducks, better now than later.

SOME boys were playing hockey near the fountain on Monday, when one of them knocked a stone against one of B.B. Manzer's plate glass windows, cracking it badly. The insurance on the window had been allowed to run out.

FLORENCEVILLE WEDDING.—At Florenceville last evening at six o'clock, the residence of Mrs. Samuel Taylor was the scene of the happy marriage of her daughter, Miss Annie A. Taylor, to Mr. Leonard E. Goodwin of Westmorland County. Mr. and Mrs. Goodwin leave today for their home.

IT was stated in last week's issue that there was trouble in the sewer between Connell's foundry and the old station, and that the water put in the sewer would hardly run between this point. It was decided to dig down to the sewer and find out the trouble. It was found to be a leakage in one of the joints.

CARLETON COUNTY PROTEST.—S.B. Appleby representing the petitioners, and L.A. Currie representing Mr. Hale, appeared before Judge Landry on Saturday night for the purpose of having a time set for hearing the preliminary objections to the protest and those to the counter protest. The Judge appointed Wednesday the 18th of November, at 10 a. m. in the Town Hall, Woodstock, as the time and place for the hearing.

IT is reported that Edward Day, freight clerk at the B. & A. station in Presque Isle, has been practising a system of embezzlement for the past six months. The amount of the defalcation is upwards of \$400. Day has always been considered honest and his action has caused considerable excitement. He is now seriously sick with typhoid fever. The loss falls on H. N. Fisher, the station agent. —Houlton Pioneer.

WHAT OF THIS? The following appeared in Saturday's issue of the Fredericton Herald:—Queen Hotel, Oct. 24, 1896. Sporting Editor Herald: Sir—I, the undersigned, do hereby accept the challenge of Mr. Anderson, colored gentleman of Woodstock, to wash carriages for any amount not exceeding \$20. I desire prompt reply, through previous defeating him on the maritime shore. ENIS ERVIN, Champain Wagon Rejuvenator of Fredericton.

AN EXCHANGE SAYS:—The Aroostook potato market is good this fall, present prices being 50 to 55 cents a barrel. Five times as many potatoes were shipped last month as were shipped during the corresponding month in September 1895. The crop is 25 per cent smaller than last year's. On the other hand farmers generally have raised more wheat, more oats and grain of every sort. The dairy stock has been added to somewhat, and the production of hogs is large.

A WORD IN SEASON.—THE DISPATCH has on more than one occasion called the attention of the correspondents to the fact that they are falling from grace. It is sorry that they have not taken the hint as well as they should have done. THE DISPATCH appeals to the correspondents now that the long evenings are on to drop it a line weekly. Stamped envelopes and paper will be sent to any correspondent expressing a desire for the same. News should reach this office on Saturday, or Monday at the latest.

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Let anybody make you believe that they can give you a better PHOTOGRAPH than I can. I am here to do good work and I intend to do it. Call on me won't you, please!

BEN. R. WATSON.

MR. ALBERT E. JONES of Woodstock, and Miss Sadie Hammond of Richmond, were married by Rev. Mr. Miller of Richmond Corner on Wednesday last. The ceremony was performed at half past five in the evening in the Presbyterian church. The bride was given away by her uncle Mr. Wm. Gentle, at whose house, a supper was held, in which immediate friends of the young couple took part, after the marriage service. Mr. and Mrs. Jones are now living in their new residence on the corner of Green and Chapel streets.

MET AGAIN.—It was twenty-five years on Tuesday the 20th inst., since twelve young men landed in Halifax from England to join, the then, Eastern British American Wesleyan Methodist Conference. Four of them meeting at Woodstock without design or anticipation dined together at the Turner House on Thursday, spending an hour relating some of their experiences and enjoying a social and spiritual feast. Rev. Thomas Marshall, President of the N. B. and P. E. I. Conference; George W. Fisher, Journal Secretary of the Conference; Aquila Lucas, Field Secretary of the N. B. S. S., and Rev. John C. Berrie are the men referred to.

THE W. & C. RAILWAY.—Work is going along satisfactorily with the Woodstock & Centreville railway construction. The sub-contractors now at work, Hugh McIntyre and Smith are making progress on their respective sections in Centreville and Jacksonville. Mr. McIntyre is working both ways going north, and also going south, this side of the 3rd tier Jacksonville road. This week Mr. C. W. Atmore proposes to start in. He will begin near the Connors road nine miles out of town, and work down towards the Connolly road towards McIntyre's section. The weather is very favorable for quick work.

THE HAWKSHAW MAIL.

Board of Trade Has a Practical Grievance. There was an unusually good attendance at the Board of Trade meeting on Monday evening, in the council chamber. Mr. Wendell P. Jones president occupied the chair. The main discussion of the evening was over the mail service between Woodstock and Pokiok and Hawkshaw.

Mr. J. T. A. Dibblee said that he was informed by Mr. Bowman, of Hawkshaw, that it took a letter three days to come from Pokiok to Woodstock. It was also very inconvenient to secure goods ordered, and for these reasons much of the trade which should be done with Woodstock went elsewhere. A mail ran from El River to Woodstock, and one from Fredericton to El River, and the greater part of the time they did not connect with one another.

Dr. Colter, who was present, said that there was to be a complete reorganization of the mail service on the river St. John. Messrs. Baird and Dibblee had called his attention to the facts just stated, which affected the counties of Carleton and York. The board of trade would have more influence with the government than any other body, and he thought it wise for this body to take the matter in hand. There was a tri-weekly service between Fredericton and Canterbury, and a daily service between Woodstock and Canterbury. The post office inspector was expected shortly, and he would be glad to arrange a meeting between him and a committee of the board to deal with the matter. Mr. J. T. A. Dibblee, Mr. H. P. Baird and others pointed out the importance of the trade along the St. John river. It was also pointed out that it would be necessary that Woodstock should not ask for anything that would cause the opposition of the Fredericton people.

Finally, on motion of Mr. S. Watts, this resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That a special committee be appointed to ascertain the facts in connection with the carrying of mails by team between Woodstock and Fredericton on the western side of the river St. John, and seek such changes by the department as are in the interests of the business men of Hawkshaw, Woodstock and other points between Woodstock and Fredericton.

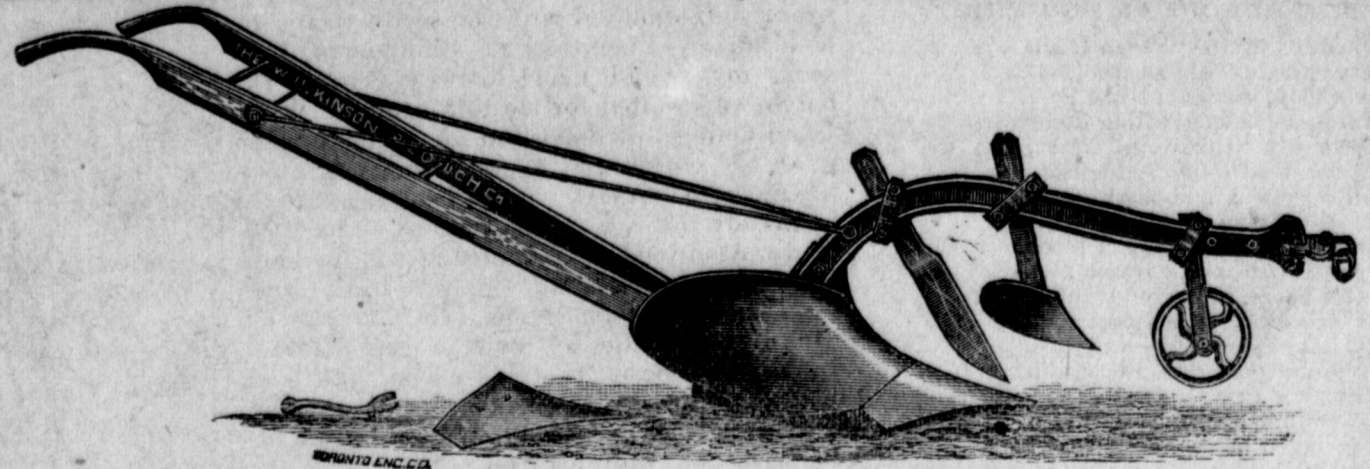
Messrs. H. P. Baird, J. T. A. Dibblee and J. T. Garden were appointed the committee.

A discussion arose over the train arrangement by which a mixed train from up river reaches here anywhere from 10 to 1 o'clock, giving no time for persons from up river to do business in Woodstock. The secretary was instructed to write to Mr. Timmerman asking that a change be made in the same by which the mixed train referred to may reach Woodstock not later than 9.30 a. m.

Mr. Wendall P. Jones, the president, was elected a member of the council of the Maritime Board of Trade.

THEY USE THEIR RICHES WELL.

Montreal seems to be blessed with a number of generous millionaires. Everyone has read of the princely gifts made by Mr. MacDonald, the tobacco millionaire to McGill University. Sir Donald Smith and Mr. Redpath are also noted for their magnificent gifts to the various institutions of the city. The latest instance of Montreal's moneyed men's generosity, is the gift by Mr. Gault, of a new building for the Theological College of Montreal, and a sum for its endowment. This gift is handed without restriction to the Bishop of Montreal and his successors in the Episcopal office. Half the unkind feeling to great individual wealth passes away when that wealth is again distributed for the benefit of the public at large. Montreal millionaires believe in doing good with the money they have made, and in doing that good while they are alive. Probably they better appreciate the gratitude of a people expressed in kind words, than in cold marble or bronze.



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BALMAIN BROS., WOODSTOCK, N. B.

Personal.

Mr. H. R. McLaren, Halifax, was in town this week.

Miss Cogswell, Boston is visiting her friend Miss Eva Campbell, Hartland.

Dr. R. H. Upham and Mr. Murray Upham returned to Boston on Monday.

Mrs. C. W. Burpee has returned from visiting friends in Oldtown and Bangor.

Mrs. Geo. B. Little returned home Wednesday from a six week visit to Boston.

Miss Ella Clark and Miss L. Kiestead, Fredericton, are the guests of Mrs. H. Clark, Broadway.

Mrs. George Mitchell has returned to Woodstock, accompanied by her sister, Miss Georgie Stevenson.

A. C. Fairweather, L. A. Currey and M. B. Dixon, barristers, of St. John, spent Sunday in Woodstock.

Mr. John Graham who was recently seized with a serious sick turn, was able to be at his store on Monday.

J. Herrick B. Scholey and Alonzo Doherty of Centreville left for Revelstoke, B. C., on Monday. They are after gold or its equivalent.

Dr. J. G. McNally who practised at Bath for a few years and made many friends there, is at present in London Eng. He expects soon to go to Vienna to study.

G. C. Clark, R. S. Phillips Houlton, E. N. Jones, St. John, Ernest Grant, A. Mowatt, McAdam, R. A. March, St. John, C. E. Taylor, Moncton, were recent arrivals at the Carlisle Hotel. W. S. Fisher and Peter Clinch St. John are at the Carlisle. C. P. Groat, New York, a member of the firm of Babcock, Lary and Co. contractors for the building of the Woodstock & Centreville Railway is staying at the Carlisle Hotel.

Among recent arrivals at the Victoria are C. C. Rogers, Fort Fairfield, Me.; Geo. H. Dixon, St. John; W. A. Burden, Fredericton; Wm. Tompkins, Florenceville; J. W. Smalley, Florenceville; G. A. Brittain, Bristol; John Leslie, W. Green, Toronto; Alex. Gillmore, John McIntosh, Glassville; J. E. McCollum, Hartland; James Farrel, Robt. Ackens, C. Hagerman, Fredericton; L. E. Goodwin, Bay Verte; H. Burnham, Centreville; L. O. Demeritt, Saugerville, Me.; J. K. Fleming, Peel; J. H. Scribner, St. John.

Ask your neighbor how he got relief from headaches and pains in his eyes, and a grateful heart will answer I consulted W. B. Jewett, Optician, Woodstock.

MARRIED.

BOYD-THORNTON.—At the Riverside Hotel, Hartland, Wednesday the 14th inst., by the Rev. G. B. Trafton, Fred Boyd and Mildred Thornton all of Hartland.

JONES-HAMMOND.—At Richmond in the Presbyterian church on the 21st, Oct., by Rev. T. Miller Albert E. Jones of Woodstock to Sadie S. Hammond of Richmond.

To The South of France.

Lt. Gov. Fraser is going to the South of France immediately for the benefit of his health. Judge Barker will be administrator of the province during the governor's absence.

You'll be sorry if you have eye trouble, and don't consult the optician in time. It will save you money. W. B. Jewett, Woodstock.

Tobique Valley Railway.

It is understood that when Mr. T. G. Shaughnessy, Vice-President of the C. P. R. was in Ottawa the other day he talked over with Mr. Blair the question of operating the Tobique Valley Railway, respecting which there has been a hitch for some time. It is said that satisfactory arrangements have been made whereby the road will shortly be operated by the C. P. R.

Wanted at Once.

Old postage stamps of New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, Prince Edward Island, Newfoundland, British Columbia, Vancouver Island, Canada and United States used before 1870. Look up your old Love Letters, ransack old trunks and chests in the garret and if you find anything communicate at once with

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