

LOCAL TOPICS.

THE Telephone poles are being painted.

REFERENCE to an interesting column will show that the boys are coming.

THE Foliage is turning rather too rapidly. It is beautiful in its dying days.

BAND CONCERT on Monday evening the 21st in the rink. Admission 10cts.

BEAVER PLUG is the highest grade and richest flavored Chewing Tobacco made. Try it.

THE threshing machine is the most noisy instrument of war heard in the country just now.

THE College School building is now all painted, and is an imposing and clean looking structure.

"Don't be deceived." Insist on getting the genuine Tonka Smoking Mixture; 10 cents a package.

A. R. GANS has discovered a mica mine back of his house at Upper Woodstock and he looks for big results therefrom.

DISTRICT COUNCIL, R. T. of T. will meet at Connell on Thursday at 10 a. m. Reports from Grand Council will be submitted.

GRAHAM's new warehouse next to the Wrapper Factory, is about finished, and the painters are putting on the ornamental.

FIELDS & TURNER interior decorators have done a very smooth job in W. F. Dibblee & Son's new store in the way of painting and kalsomining.

J. C. HARTLEY is greatly improving the appearance of his place on the corner of Elm and Grover street, by the building of a new lawn which is now underway.

RICHMOND CORNER.—The Richmond L. O. L. intend holding a basket social in the Orange Hall Richmond on Tuesday 22 of Sept. All are cordially invited.

INTO THE SEWER.—A horse belonging to J. T. A. Dibblee and driven by Wm Walker, sank into the sewer opposite Connell's foundry on Sunday and was quite badly scratched.

MRS. H. DAYTON has returned from Boston and New York where she has been attending the fall millinery openings. Her stock of millinery is up to date. She recommends it to her patrons.

BADLY INJURED.—Little Don. Grimmer, son of W. C. H. Grimmer of St. Stephen, had his face badly mutilated on Saturday by the hooks of a hoisting machine. He almost lost an eye.—Fton Herald.

REMEMBER the grand Promenade Concert to be given by the Woodstock Cornet Band in the Rink on Monday night next. Refreshments will be served. A pleasant time guaranteed. Admission 10cts.

CONNELL'S Drug store is greatly improved by the new plate glass, and the dark green painting of the woodwork is an improvement. Plate glass has been put in the store above Connell's occupied by Mrs. Dayton.

TRAMPS are thick these days. The country roads are said to be almost lined with them. Perhaps the W. & C. railway will absorb some of this surplus population. As a general rule they are needy, but not dangerous.

THE ANDOVER cricket club will come to Woodstock on Saturday and play a match game with a home eleven. As Andover has been practising industriously, and Woodstock not at all, the up-river team may disagreeably surprise Woodstock.

COLIN CAMPBELL'S restaurant near Queen street station is approaching completion. It will be a model building for the purpose, and will, no doubt, be the favorite resort for travellers, as Mr. Campbell's Newburg place was, for so many years.

AT MCADAM JUNCTION recently while working in the C. P. blacksmith shop, William Sullivan, an employee of the repair yard, and son of Jeremiah Jullivan was badly injured by the falling of a piece of iron on his leg. The leg was not broken.

READERS of THE DISPATCH will find an interesting article on page 3, "Random Reveries" by Paul Pry; also a review of Thane M. Jones' new book for children; page 6 contains an article on Houlton and Woodstock, comparing the sister towns in several points.

T. S. DENT & SON, Woodstock's enterprising firm of bakers have just set up in their establishment an electrical gas engine, of two horse power, by which they will run their mixing and kneading machine. It was purchased from Small & Fisher Co. Albert Fields set it up.

NO. 1. DIVISION A. O. H. gave an entertainment in their hall on Main St., in honor of their lady friends on Monday evening. Vocal and instrumental music occupied the greater part of the time. Refreshments were served, and a thoroughly good time was enjoyed by all present.

THE W. B. M. A. S. of Carleton Co. will meet in convention at Woodstock on Sept. 21st, when Mr. Higgins, returned missionary, and Mr. and Mrs. Gullison, Miss Harrison, and Miss Newcombe, missionaries-elect, who sail for India next month, are expected to be present and address the meetings.

Photographs.

I can do you a good piece of work. To begin with, I can pose you to the best effect, and can finish up a picture that need not be ashamed to be seen in New York.

STUDIO ON QUEEN STREET,
Opposite Exchange Hotel.

R. B. WATSON.

THE PRENTICE BOYS will parade to the Free Baptist church on Sunday morning next, where a sermon will be preached by Rev. C. T. Phillips. It is expected that between 50 and 60 boys will be in the procession. James Willis is Worshipful Master. The procession will leave the Orange Hall.

SINGING SCHOOL.—H. M. Twombly, who taught singing here so acceptably some months ago, will open a singing class for adults in the W. C. T. U. hall on Wednesday evening the 23rd, and a class for children on Saturday afternoon, the 26th, at 3 o'clock. His terms are moderate and he is a good teacher.

CHRIST church has been greatly improved, in the interior, lately, by a handsome brass cross, which has been placed over the altar, and a brass altar desk, a memorial to the late Miss Jessie Peabody. The chancel is covered with a new and ornate carpet, and several other improvements have been made, adding to the beauty of the already beautiful church.

REV. W. J. RUTLEDGE, succeeds Rev. J. H. Macdonald as pastor of the Albert St. Baptist church. Mr. Rutledge is a graduate of Acadia College, and has been quite recently ordained. He preached on Sunday last and made a favourable impression on the congregation. The new minister is unmarried.

TO CORRESPONDENTS.—THE DISPATCH must call the attention of its correspondents throughout the county, to the fact, that within the past few weeks, with a few exceptions, they have been behind the mark. Send in copy every week if possible, once a month anyway. News wanted from every cross road in the counties of Carleton and Victoria.

THE RESIDENCES of Rev. W. J. S. Young and his son adjoining each other at Upper Southampton were totally destroyed by fire Wednesday morning with nearly all their contents. The outbuildings were also burned. The fire is supposed to have originated from a defective flue. The loss is estimated at \$2,500. Rev. Mr. Young had \$700 insurance, but his son had none.

THE ANNUAL revision of the voters' lists for the local legislature is now going on, the revisors being J. A. Lindsay, D. Munro and A. Henderson. Copies of the lists are posted in the stores of Geo. Smith, Fred Dickinson, and in the Post Office. Voters will have till the 5th of October, to get their names put on. As they have lots of notice, it will be their own fault if they get left.

W. & C. RAILWAY.—Howard B. White who is engaged with the Woodstock and Centreville Railway construction was in town on Saturday. He says work is being pushed on the line about half a mile out of Centreville. Seventy-five men and 25 teams are at work. A new crew of Italians numbering between 80 and 100 arrived on Friday, and are now settled on the Jacksonville subdivision of the road.

THE town marshal of Marysville has received the following communication relative to the Marysville band which accompanied the Black Knights' excursion to Woodstock on Wednesday last: "Allow me to congratulate you on the success of the Marysville Band, as they were the favorite here today." (Sgd.) S. BLAKE, W. B. B. Mr. Blake is one of the best bass players in the province.—Gleaner.

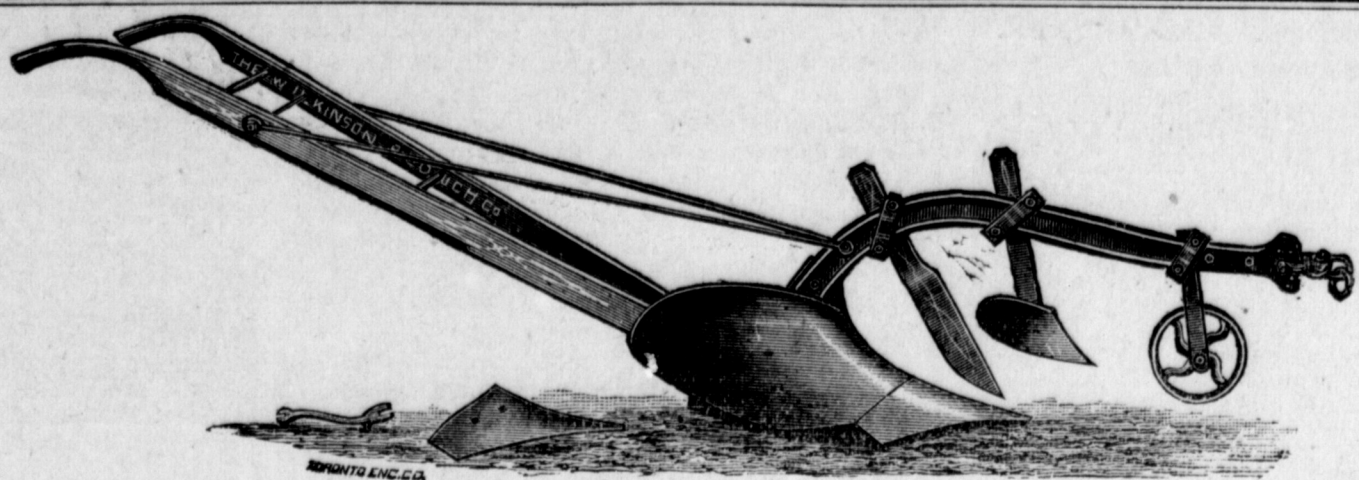
IMPROVEMENTS.—J. N. W. Winslow is making additions to his house. . . . E. M. Boyer's house on Broadway is nearing completion. . . . The wall under Fred Moore's new house on Broadway is completed. . . . Chesley Estey sports a new sign in front of his carriage factory. . . . Chestnut & Hipwell's factory has a presentable appearance with its new coat of paint. Work is progressing at a good rate in the completion of Col. Dibblee's new house.

WHAT FOR?—A Canadian firm has taken a 99 year lease of the land on both sides the South Branch Meduxnakeag, at Jackson Falls. Wm. McBride owns the land on the north side and David Smith that on the south side. The representatives of the firm will not say to what use they intend to put the land, but it is thought they will dam the stream and erect some sort of a manufacturing establishment there. James Carr, built a dam and mill there some years ago, and the spring freshet carried away the dam mill and all.

COL. MAUNSELL PROMOTED.—Lt. Col. Maunsell, D. A. G., has been appointed officer in command of the Royal Regiment Canadian Infantry. The regiment is composed of four companies—the schools at London, Toronto, St. John's, Quebec, and Fredericton. Lt. Col. Maunsell is the senior officer and is therefore given the position as commander. The position is a new one, and is created because of differences that might arise in the event of the regiment being called out. It will not necessitate his removal from Fredericton.—Globe.

THE most popular drive around Woodstock is that four or five miles below town on the west side of the river. It is certainly beautiful. Another equally lovely ride is that on the eastern side of the river following the old road that leads one almost to the top of the hill opposite the lower part of town. An attractive view of the town and lower country can be had. A pleasant drive, with the advantage of a change, would be down the old river road on the eastern side till it strikes the new road, then along that, cross the river six miles below and up on the western side.

THE excursion from Fredericton last Wednesday under the auspices of the Black Knights, was a most successful affair. The train, with excursionists on board reached Woodstock in good season, and was met at the station by a number of Black Knights from Woodstock and Houlton. A large number of the visitors picniced during the afternoon at Moore's interval, and thoroughly enjoyed themselves. The Fredericton Black Knights, with the 71st battalion and Marysville bands in the lead, marched in procession through the principal streets of the town, making a very creditable turnout.



The Genuine Wilkinson Steel Plow

Can be had only from us and our agents. Other makers attempt to imitate these Plows. If, however you examine the imitation you will find the steel mould board is but little more than half the thickness of Wilkinson's, and in many other ways the imitation has been cheapened. Our agents as below have the Plows made by Wilkinson:

Geo. H. West, Grand Falls; D. B. Hopkins, Aroostook Jc't; J. F. Tweeddale, Perth; M. A. Smith, Bath; A. D. Clark, Florenceville; Shaw & Dibblee, Hartland; J. W. Ellsworth, Richmond; W. Riley Trafford, Southampton.

Aug 5.

BALMAIN BROS., WOODSTOCK, N. B.

FROM information gleaned from those who sell Holloway's Red Blood Syrup, and from our exchanges we are in a position to state that the sales of that great remedy far exceeds that of any other proprietary preparation on the market. In the localities in which it has been extensively sold it has done wonders in exterminating disease and improving the health of the community. All those pale, weak, nervous persons or those run down by disease or other causes should give it a trial, for if all is true that we learn concerning its virtue in eradicating disease and building up the system, no household should be without this preparation. It is for sale in Woodstock by all the leading druggists and dealers in the province.

BASE BALL.—An interesting game of base ball was played at the park on Wednesday afternoon last between a nine of the Athletic Association and the Y. M. C. A. club of Fredericton. For the home team P. Mills pitched, an excellent game, only one of the opposing team, getting his base on balls. H. McGinley was catcher. For the visitors Delong caught and Todd and McLeod pitched. The game was closely contested up to the last innings, some very clever playing being made on both sides. It was a tie until the last innings of the home team. McGinley struck a three bagger and got his home, on an overthrow to third, amid tremendous applause. Another good play was a difficult catch by Hayden. The crowd witnessing the game was as officious as usual, shouting, yelling and jeering. There should be some means of keeping spectators at a proper distance from the game. This would be a good matter for the Association to take up. Following is the score:—

Y. M. C. A.	WOODSTOCK.
Delong.....1	Hayden.....1
McLeod.....1	Saunders.....2
Whitney.....1	Fripp.....2
Pollock.....2	McGinley.....1
Wilson.....2	Brewer.....1
Todd.....0	Hay.....1
Howie.....0	Connell.....0
Stevenson.....1	Mills.....1
Lint.....1	Bentley.....1
Total.....9	Total.....10

BORN.

TROY.—On the 12th inst, to the wife of John J. Troy, a son.

SMITH.—On Sunday morning, to the wife of Allan Smith, a son.

KIRKPATRICK.—On Saturday, the 12th inst, to the wife of Dr. E. S. Kirkpatrick, a son.

SMITH.—On Monday to the wife of Mr. Walter Smith, a son.

DIED.

FRAZER.—At Knowlesville, Carleton Co., N. B. on the 31st ult., Myrtle A. aged 11 years and 6 months, youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. David Frazer. Funeral services were conducted in Knowlesville F. C. B. church by the Rev. J. J. Barnes, F. C. B.

ESTABROOKS.—At Bristol, August 17th, of cholera infantum, Mattie M., aged 5 months and 12 days, infant daughter of Sanford and Urania Estabrooks. "Suffer little children to come unto me."

Singing: School!

H. M. TWOMBLY

will open a Singing School for adults in the W. C. T. U. Hall at 7.30 on the evening of

WEDNESDAY, the 23rd inst.

He will organize a Children's Class on the following SATURDAY afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Terms: 12 lessons, book included, \$2.00. Children, \$1.50.

WOODSTOCK BUSINESS SCHOOL

Will be held in the upper part of Wm. M. Connell's New Building, South Side Queen Street, every Monday, Wednesday and Friday, from 4 to 6 p. m., and from 7.30 to 9.30 p. m. Terms reasonable. For full particulars apply to

J. A. FOWLIE,

PRINCIPAL.

At Woolverton House, Chapel Street.

At Toronto the loss to the Street Car Company owing to the bicycle is set down at \$300 per day. Thousands who would ride bicycles, if they were cheaper, still patronize the car, but as wheels come within reach of workingmen the receipts are expected to further decrease. When the company got its charter the bicycle was not thought of as a rival. But worse still is alleged to be in store. A motor cycle is in progress of manufacture that will, it is said, carry half a dozen persons with the same noiseless rapidity that the bicycle now carries one.

Boarder: "Will you kindly give me another cup of coffee, Mrs. Landlady?" Landlady: "This makes the fourth cup of coffee you have had, Mr. Boarder." Boarder: "I know it. The doctor says I must drink plenty of hot water."

IT'S TRUE

That if you are sick you will need medicine.

You want the Best

PROMPTLY
—AND—
CHEAP.

We fulfil the conditions. The BEST at the LOWEST PRICES Promptly and Accurately. No matter who your physician is, bring the Prescription TO US and see if this is not true.

GARDEN BROS. DRUGGISTS,
Woodstock, Sept. 7, 1896.

NOTICE.

The undersigned was by Resolution of Council held Sept. 8th inst, "instructed to notify, by publication in the newspapers, all those living along the line of the Sewers that they are required to make connection with the sewers this fall, and if they do not the law will be enforced to compel them to enter" and of which those interested will take due notice and govern themselves accordingly. Rates and forms of applications can be had on application to the undersigned.
Dated this 10th day of September 1896.
DONALD MUNRO,
Superintendent of Sewerage.

WANTED.

Board and Lodging in private family for a gentleman and his wife. No children. Apply at this office.

WANTED.

A Housekeeper in a family of father and three children. Children going to school. Address J. F. McGINN, Box 207, Calais, Me.

WANTED.

Position as BOOK-KEEPER by graduate of Fredericton Business College. Address C. A. McBRIDE, Lindsay, Car. Co., N. B.

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Housewives

Would be still prettier if they had less work to do, they wouldn't be so tired at night if they gave up the worrying exhausting task of baking bread.

DENT'S BREAD

Is wholesome, fresh and pure, besides you can buy it cheaper than you can make it yourself actual tests have proved this.

Woodstock, Aug. 26.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That William W. London, of the Parish of Peel, in the County of Carleton, has made an assignment, for the benefit of his Creditors, to me, William D. Balloch, Sheriff of the County of Carleton, and that a meeting of said Creditors will be held in Young & COMBEN'S Office, Woodstock, N. B., on the 14th day of September, next, at two o'clock in the afternoon.
Dated the 1st day of September, A. D. 1896.
W. D. BALLOCH, Assignee.

Hotel Stanley,

J. M. FOWLER, PROPRIETOR,

47 AND 49 KING SQUARE,
ST. JOHN, N. B.