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LOCAL TOPICS.

W. M. CONNELL is putting the finishing touches on his new building on Queen street.

REV. CANON DEVEBER took the morning service in St. Luke's church on Sunday last.

SEWERS.—It is estimated that something like \$8000 has been expended on the sewers this year.

Why do judges of good Chewing Tobacco insist on getting genuine BEAVER Plug. It has no equal. Refuse cheap imitations.

If you want a cool sweet and lasting smoke try a 10 cent package of TONKA Smoking Mixture. Be sure you get genuine.

TO CORRESPONDENTS.—Don't let the haying monopolize all your time. Send all the items you can get to THE DISPATCH. It's news we're after.

HAYING is now being pushed energetically, and the barns are filling up. Generally the crop is light, and it is doubtful if the average will be more than one half a crop.

BORDMAN WHEELER, Florenceville, while working with a double horse fork one day last week, had the misfortune to thrust it into his arm to the bone. He has a sore arm that he can't do much work with.

MISS BELL FERGUSON, sister of Mr. John Ferguson the York street barber, died at Woodstock on Thursday morning. Mr. Ferguson went to Woodstock and brought the remains home.—F'ton Paper.

JOHN R. TOMPKINS, while driving into his barn on Friday last, fell from the approach and landed on his side. His side was badly hurt and is very lame and one of his wrists is sprained. He is suffering a good deal.

THE W. C. T. U. will give a mammoth Lawn Party on the grounds next the Record Office on Thursday, Aug. 6th. The proceeds will be devoted to the Y. M. C. A. Further particulars will be given in THE DISPATCH next week.

MR. ASA DOW, who so generously contributed to the Dow wing fund, of the Victoria Hospital, has lately presented the trustees with a large and handsome portrait of himself, which will adorn one of the walls.—F'ton Herald.

GEO. UPHAM'S new mill a mile above Perth, Victoria County, on the St. John river, is running full blast. Some forty men are employed and Mr. Upham expects to turn out 40,000 deal and between 35,000 and 40,000 feet of lath.

JOHN GRAHAM is building a warehouse between that of H. P. Baird and the Wrapper Factory. J. N. W. Winslow is putting a cellar under the building in which his office is on Main street. J. C. Hartley is putting a cellar in his residence on Grover street.

THE CATHOLICS of Johnville will hold a grand picnic near their church on Wednesday the 5th of August. All the usual picnic sports, games and amusements are held out as attractions. A pleasant day's outing is offered to the public and it is to be hoped a good crowd will take advantage.

DR. R. H. UPHAM has sent THE DISPATCH a number of the London Daily Graphic, containing a report, with illustrations, of the reception accorded in England by the Prince of Wales and the Honorable Artillery Company of London, to the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Boston.

LUMBER NEWS.—Pond's drive on the Upper St. John is hung up above Grand Falls. Moore's corporation is driving between the Falls and the mouth of the Aroostook. D. Keswick has sent a crew of men into the Grand River woods, and J. E. McCollom is about sending some men up the Tobique.

NO PREPARATION has had such a wonderful sale in New Brunswick, since being introduced into Canada, as Holloway's Red Blood Syrup. Some druggists will not keep it, on account of their not making enough profit out of it. For pale, weak, nervous persons, man, woman or child, who are run down by overwork or other causes, should not fail to use it. No preparation in the world has a better name. It can be obtained in Woodstock at Connell's Drug Store, and through all druggists and dealers throughout the province.

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.

AS SHOWN in another local the dogs have been playing havoc with the sheep below town. Something like sixty sheep have been killed during the past month. On Sunday last Jos. McKeen lost seven, and on Saturday night Henry Smith lost three. He killed a dog on Sunday, and the owner has not shown up.

GEORGE MURRAY one of the pushing men of Benton is making extensive improvements in his residence. He is putting water pipes through his house to carry hot and cold water to almost any room and he is putting in a fine furnace, when he completes his changes he will have a house that any man might envy him.

NEWBURG CATHOLIC PICNIC.—The Catholic congregation of Newburg will hold their annual picnic in aid of their church on the grounds near the church on Tuesday Aug. 4th. The programme will take in the usual sports—swings, air-gun, bowling alley, &c. One fare will be granted by C. P. R. for those who attend by rail, and teams shall convey such to and from the grounds free. No charge for admittance to grounds.

READERS OF THE DISPATCH of last week will remember the notice given of the suicide of a farmer named Thomas, thought by some persons to have poisoned his wife and his father. An exchange says:—An inquest was held in the Thomas shooting case. The jury returned a verdict that the deceased came to his death from the discharge of a gun in his own hands, but whether from accident or design of suicide on his part they were unable to determine.

THE DOGS.—The farmers in the vicinity of Woodstock are fairly worried to death by dogs. Joseph McKeen recently lost 15 sheep at their fangs. Henry Smith lost his whole flock, Joseph Griffith lost 12, Henry Davidson 10, Mrs. James Wetmore 10, Charles Carman 5, A. J. Raymond 3, and other farmers have been equally troubled. In the interest of farmers generally these outrages should be looked into. The dog tax should be enforced and that energetically.

MR. P. GILLEN, the conductor on the B. & A. freight train narrowly escaped being killed Saturday. As his train was about to start from Robinson station Mr. Gillen attempted to jump on the platform of the rear car, when he was met by a passenger who jumped upon the platform from the other side. The collision threw Mr. Gillen backward quite violently, and in his fall struck heavily on a projecting rock. He was very severely bruised and shaken up but happily escaped serious injury.—Star Herald.

THE Avondale boys annual basket picnic will be held on the grounds of Mrs. Clark, near the Avondale Mills, on the fourteenth day of August, 1896. The band will be in attendance as usual, and Smith Boys large swing has been secured for the day. There will be boat races, bicycle races, foot races, etc. Amusements too numerous to mention, including water games. No gambling allowed on the ground. Come one, come all. We will have swings for the young, and pleasant music for the aged. Boys don't forget your girls. Girls don't forget your baskets.

THE TOWN COUNCIL held a meeting on Friday evening last. The main question considered affected the contract for building the abutments for the aqueduct bridge over the Meduxnakik. At a previous meeting the lowest tender was Michael Kelly who offered to do the work for \$725.00. Later on he stated that he could not do it for that amount. He thought the abutments were to be only twelve feet high, whereas they nearly are 16 1/2 feet high. He would do the whole work according to specifications for \$1000. The council decided to ask for tenders over again.

B. LYNCH offers for sale a copy of Appleton's Cyclopaedia sixteen volumes a history of the world and several other standard works also one of the celebrated Esty organs, also one kerosene oil tank capacity 50 gallons and upwards and several articles of household and shop furniture. He has also for sale a quantity of clothing and other dry goods, hats, caps etc., which will be sold very cheap. He requests all persons having claims against him to call at his rooms over his former store and have their claims adjusted, and those indebted to him are hereby finally notified to come and make immediate payment.

THE Tobique Salmon Club has leased the Odell River to the Odell Fishing club consisting of Messrs. J. Ryan, J. D. Jago, J. F. Tweedale, J. McNair and J. B. Stevenson, for five years. The object of the Odell Club is to preserve fishing places for the people here, to preserve the game, and to prevent the dynamiting of the best trout pools by unscrupulous Yankees, who seem to have a great love for Bluenose trout. The stream, formerly one of the best on the river for trout has been periodically raided for some years past, until it is getting to be rather poor. Parties found fishing there without permission of some member of the club, or of the warden, Mr. Daniel Wright, will be prosecuted.—Ex.

POSTPONED.—The Presbyterian Sunday school excursion to St. Andrew has been postponed from Aug. 4th to Aug. 11th.

CARLETON COUNTY Rifle association will meet at Lakeville on Thursday and Friday 13th and 14th of August. A good attendance is requested.

SPEAKING OF PHOTOGRAPHS.—R. B. Watson on Queen Street, has the cases at his door filled with some good ones. Mr. Watson is a good photographer. Give him a call.

TRUE BLUE.—The ladies of the True Blue Lodge of Woodstock will give a picnic on the grounds next the Record Office, on Friday afternoon. Tea 25 cts. Refreshments will be served later in the evening. A pleasant affair it will be and deserves a good patronage.

A SLAMMER case is reported to our war correspondent of a bicycling party composed of ladies and gentlemen riding through the county about a week ago. They carried a quantity of alcoholic fluid with them for the benefit of the ladies who made use of it. No serious results accrued from the use of the stimulant, but the example was questionable.

THE saw mill of S. W. Stevens, located on the Aroostook river, about five miles from the village, was destroyed by fire early Wednesday morning. This fire is supposed to have caught from a spark in the engine room. The mill had an improved rotary in it, four shingle machines, clapboard and other machinery. The direct property loss is from \$8,000 to \$10,000, but there is large indirect damage owing to the fact of there being a stock of unmanufactured lumber in the boom amounting to nearly two million feet. There was an insurance on the property of \$3,000. The fire is a severe disaster to Mr. Stevens, and he will have much sympathy in his misfortunes.—Presque Isle Star Herald.

DR. BOONE, Presque Isle, Me., son of Mr. Richard Boone, this city, and Mr. Harry Haywood, of the same town, arrived here last evening on their bicycles, having wheeled all the way through. They started about three o'clock in the morning and arrived at 7 p. m. Stops of considerable lengths were made for breakfast, dinner and supper, and both gentlemen took their time, having no desire to make a record. The total distance of the journey is 115 miles, to ride which in ten or twelve hours is pretty good time. They return again on Monday, Dr. and Mrs. Boone will go by train and Mr. Haywood will travel that way as far as Woodstock, from which place he will wheel into Presque Isle.—Gleaner 24th.

GREAT MOWER CONTEST IN CARLETON CO. The Brantford Mower represented by J. W. Cheney and the Walter A. Wood mower represented by James Jones were pitted against each other on Wednesday last at Good's Settlement in Carleton Co. Messrs. William and David Gray who have had great experience in working farm implements, being the owners of a Harvester and Binder, a Single Reaper and three different kinds of mowers were the judges, and after putting the two mowers through a thorough and severe test in both smooth and rough cutting, decided that the Brantford was equal in all points and superior in several points to the Wood's mower and decidedly better in heavy cutting and rough ground. Mr. William Gray purchased the Brantford Mower after the test was over.

RUFUS SOMEBRY'S monkey Theatre of last week was a treat indeed to owners of dumb animals, and who is not? it was almost a revolution. Prof. Wormwood who had the animals in training made a short and interesting address on the treatment of animals and spoke highly of their intelligence. He hoped that every man after the show would go home and try to get a more comfortable place for his dog to sleep. The monkeys and dogs, exhibited almost human intelligence and even an ant eater showed that he had some sense. The monkeys took kindly to the occupation of clown. Mr. Glenfield the ventriloquist was one of the best artists of the kind ever heard in Woodstock. He was able to pronounce the letters M. B. and P. without any motion of his lips, an exceedingly difficult thing to do and which none but first class ventriloquists accomplish.

SILVER WEDDING.—A very pleasant and pretty celebration of the "silver wedding" took place at the residence of John J. Rogers, Esq., Northampton, when Mr. and Mrs. John J. Rogers celebrated the 25th anniversary of their wedding day on Saturday the 18th of July. The guests came flocking in at 7 p. m., and when the invitation was given, "All things are now ready," there were about fifty persons present to participate in the wedding feast, and one of the most bountifully spread tables presented itself to the happy guests. The bride and bridegroom of a quarter of a century led the way to the dining room, the guests followed, who heartily joined in congratulating the happy couple on their appearance, and happy home surroundings, after a quarter of a century has passed over their wedded life, and the earnest expression of every one present is, that they may be spared to see the half century period. Mr. and Mrs. Rogers were the recipients of many valuable and handsome presents.

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EXCURSION TO St. Andrews!

TUESDAY, AUG. 11, By the Presbyterian Sunday School.

Train leaves Queen St. station at 6 o'clock, a. m. Arrives in St. Andrews at 11. Returning, leave St. Andrews at 5.15 p. m. and arrives at Queen at 10.30. Giving about six hours in St. Andrews. Don't miss this opportunity for a pleasant outing.

Fair for Round Trip, \$1.25 Children, 65c. Tickets for sale at the stores of John Graham and H. V. Dalling, and at Queen Street Station.

TO CONTRACTORS. Sealed proposals for furnishing labor and materials for the construction of stone piers and abutments under the bridge carrying the water main across the Meduxnakeag, indorsed "Proposal for Bridge Piers and abutments," will be received at the office of the Superintendent of Water Works, in Woodstock, N. B., until 6 p. m. of the 6th of August, 1896. Plans and specifications can be seen at the above mentioned office. The right is reserved to reject any or all the proposals. A. E. JONES, Chairman Water COMMITTEE.

NOTICE.

The Collin's Mill at Boundary Line, Bridge-water, is now in operation. There will be a large quantity of spruce, hemlock and shingles for sale very low to settle estate. Orders Solicited.



GOOD ADVICE

When you're sick get a physician. If he prescribes for you bring the Prescription to us to be filled Right, Quickly, and at Lower Price than you would have to pay at any other Drug Store in Woodstock. No matter who the physician is bring your Prescriptions to us; we're glad to see you.

GARDEN BROS. DRUGGISTS, Woodstock, July 27, 1896.

MUSICAL INSTRUCTION.

MISS M. B. SHARP, (Principal of Conservatory of Music, Victoria, British Columbia.) Is at home, and will teach pupils in VOICE or PIANO during the months of July and August only. Terms on application to MISS SHARP, or to MISS MAUD HENDERSON. June 29th, 1896.

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