

LOCAL TOPICS.

LAKEVILLE Church Carnival Sept. 25th.

ALBERT BROWN is building a cold storage warehouse next to his residence on Connell st.

IT has been many years since the St. John river has kept so high as during the past summer.

THE NEW Presbyterian Hymnal was used for the first time in St. Paul's church on Sunday last.

CARPENTERS have begun work on the building occupied by Balmain Bros., recently gutted by fire.

THE NEW BUCKBOARD recently purchased by Gallagher Bros. has been very much in evidence lately.

THE Woodstock Woolen Mills Co. have received an order for goods from Comox, British Columbia.

PUPILS wishing to commence lessons on Banjo, Violin, or Piano, please apply to Miss Jennie Baird, at the Turner House.

BUSINESS MEN in need of Blank Receipts, Notes and Drafts, can get the same, put up neatly in books of fifty at this office.

THE annual convention of the Carleton Co. Christian Endeavour Societies will be held at McKenzie Corner, on the 28th and 29th inst.

ASHLAND, ME., although yet a small place has organized an active Board of Trade, with W. A. Vinal, jr., president; W. W. Loane, secretary.

PATRICK HAYDEN is enlarging his house on Main street. Albert Hayden is also repairing his house on the same street, which was injured by a recent fire.

GEO. W. GARTLEY, Lindsay, brought into THE DISPATCH office on Saturday a pea stalk eight feet four inches in length. It can be seen, free of charge, at this office.

JUST RECEIVED, one carload clapboards from Donald Fraser & Sons mill at River de Chute. These celebrated clapboards are for sale at the Woodstock Woodworking Company.

MRS. C. M. SHERWOOD and daughter, are attending the different millinery openings in St. John, where they are selecting a magnificent assortment for their Centreville and Bristol stores.

DURING the tempest the 15th the barn of Sadler, at Maplevue, on the Tobique river, was struck by lightning, and two barns, containing forty tons of hay, and farming implements were totally destroyed.

ITEMS are occasionally sent THE DISPATCH by parties who do not give their names, in confidence. They cannot be inserted. We must, always, know the name of our correspondent. It should be signed to each batch of news sent us.

GORTON'S MINSTRELS which performed in the opera house Tuesday evening last drew a full house. The company is a good one and put on a good clean show. The jokes were all up-to-date and the music above the usual standard.

THE LADIES of Good Corner intend holding a tea meeting in the new Baptist church on Thursday Sept. 30th. Tables set from 2 to 6 p. m. Admittance 50cts., children under 10 years half price. Proceeds to go towards building the church.—Per order committee.

THERE is a "narrow way" leading from Orange to Green street on the south of the College building. It makes a short cut, but at present is considerably obstructed by piles of wood, and rubbish. With very little expense and work it could be made a good road.

A WELL KNOWN FARMER of the county in talking to THE DISPATCH expressed the opinion that something fiercer than dogs was responsible for the slaughter of sheep which has occurred lately. He said that it was possible that wolves or lucifers might be at work.

B. B. MANZER has men working at his block on the corner of Main and Court street injured by the recent fire. The building will be greatly improved adding to the general appearance of the street. A plate glass front will be put in Carr & Gibson's store.

JOHN GRAHAM has had the carpenters, painters and plumbers at work in the room under the stage in the opera house building. New water closets, wash stands and looking glasses have been added. These with other improvements make a much needed addition to the building.

SOME miscreants or careless persons have seriously damaged the east window of the Parish church. It looks as if someone had deliberately thrown stones at the windows. There is a broken pane in each of the three lights. It is likely that a reward will be offered for anyone discovering the perpetrators.

CHANGE OF TIME ON ST. ANDREWS BRANCH C. P. R.—Commencing Thursday, Sept. 16th, the trains leave St. Andrews at 5.10 p. m., arriving at Watt Jet. 6.05 p. m., returning from Watt Jet. 8.10 p. m., arriving at St. Andrews 9.35 p. m., will be cancelled; from that date there will be only one train per day on the St. Andrews Branch.

FOR ALL weak nervous debilitated persons, or those with a consumptive tendency, Holloway's Red Blood Syrup is a specific. As a spring medicine it is incomparable and never failing in eradicating all diseases from the body. Every bottle guaranteed and can be obtained in Woodstock at Connell's Drug Store and at all the principal drug stores and dealers in the county.

ABOUT two hundred people took advantage of the excursion to St. John on Monday leaving at eight o'clock. Among them were noticed U. S. Consul Dennison, Police Magistrate Dibblee, J. McCarten, John Troy, D. S. Gibson, the Misses Brown, Northampton, John Rogers, C. L. S. Raymond, Duppa Smith, Mrs. J. T. Collins and Miss Collins, Harry Nash, Harry Currie, Annie Graham, George Gibson, John Coy, Miss Coy, W. Fisher and wife, Mrs. Paxton Baird and daughter.

REV. MILES TRAFTON preached in the Reformed Baptist church on Sunday last.

REV. H. E. DIBBLEE of Oromocto, preached in St. Luke's church on Sunday evening.

REV. MR. ROSS, Hartland, preached in the Methodist church on Sunday, at both services. Rev. Dr. Chapman was at Hartland.

COL. DIBBLEE and a detachment of No. 1 Field Battery who were up to Deseronto, Ont., taking part in the annual field practice, say that the training was excellent. They enjoyed themselves and received good instruction.

CORRECTION.—Referring to an article in THE DISPATCH last week, regarding the horse trade between Warren C. Bull and Andrew Faulkner, the former states that Faulkner did not state in his evidence that he (Bull) warranted the mare to be kind, in the letter which he wrote asking that the trade be made.

THE St. John Telegraph has an extended and complimentary notice of the exhibit made by the Small & Fisher Co. of Woodstock. It says this firm "has the honor of placing Carleton County ahead of every county in New Brunswick, not only in the varied extent of their exhibit, but in the superior quality of their machinery."

A BRIGHT young boy named Harris, had been working for some months past at the Carlisle Hotel. People used to remark what a bright boy he was. He was bright enough to skip out a few mornings ago having stolen \$3.00 from Frank Walsh the clerk of the hotel, and probably other small sums, from other quarters. He is said to have gone to Presque Isle.

THE ELECTION for the County Council will take place on the 12th of October, in the parish of Wilmot. The old councillors Joseph Cheney, John Williams are to the front, while the names of G. Harrison Stockoe, Bloomfield, and Geo. W. White, Centreville, are also mentioned. In Wakefield parish the probable candidates are L. R. Harding and John Lindsay the present councillors, while Albert Bell of Bellville is mentioned.

THE discovery of gold in Northumberland county, previously reported, is creating a great deal of interest. The find is located in the Sable, a branch of Cain's river. It is only 15 miles from Rogersville, a village on the I. C. R., between Moncton and Chatham Junction. Two Americans are located at Esson's lumber camp, and are sending boxes of ore for shipment at Derby Siding. A large number of men started from Rogersville on Monday morning for the scene of the new and reported rich find.—Gleaner.

HANSON & JOHNTON conducting the up-to-date meat shop, at the old Forester McLean stand, are making a specialty of supplying the very best meats. The magnificent refrigerator which they recently imported from Ontario, enables them to keep all kinds of meat fresh. The other day they had a letter from a New York gentleman, Mr. E. W. Pendergast, who is spending the summer at Skiff Lake. He asked for some more of that "very nice beef," as had been forwarded previously. He had friends coming from Boston and wished them to taste it.

GREAT WHEELMEN.—The Ontario racing team composed of Angus McLeod, Harley Davidson, John Davidson, C. W. Richardson, Sam Gibbor, A. Boake, F. Dunbar, Fred Carman, P. Davidson and S. Secord, arrived in Woodstock last Thursday, and were to have done some fast and exciting work at the track in the afternoon. Unfortunately rain came on and the races had to be postponed. Angus McLeod of Sarnia paced by Boake, and Dunbar made a half mile, flying start, in 1.03. Harley Davidson tried to go the quarter, but had to give it up. It is hoped the bicyclists will be here the first of the month to carry out their programme.

JAMES WAUGH of Gordonsville dropped dead at Bristol, on the evening of the 13th. He had come in with a load of hay for C. A. Phillips, and worked very fast to get the load off before darkness should overtake him. He had finished unloading and only started a very short distance on the homeward journey when he fell over in the wagon, gasped a few times and expired. He was a well known and respected farmer, and it is needless to say the community was greatly shocked at his sudden death.

GEORGE DAVIS did a sly thing on Wednesday. He previously had summoned Rev. C. T. Phillips of Woodstock, and about 3 o'clock at the residence of G. W. Boyer, he was married to Issa Boyer. The happy couple left on the express for St. John where they will spend their honeymoon.—Hartland Advertiser.

THE Royal Gazette of the 15th inst contains the following applications for settlement of Crown lands, in Carleton, Victoria and Madawaska counties:—Carleton, A. W. Estabrooks, commissioner. Franklin M. Clark, 78 acres, lot 2 west, S. side Becaguinec River, N. of Pole Hill. Wm. T. Cummings, 100 acres, W. halves lot 9 and 10, range 4, North Newburg. C. H. Thomas, commissioner. David Smith, 100 acres, lot 22, R. 8, Knowlesville. Robert Clark, 100 acres, lot 28, R. 8, Knowlesville. Victoria, John McCluskey, commissioner. Chas. M. Williams, 97 acres, lot 22, South of Roache Settlement, block 12. John Smith, commissioner. Ephraim Lewis, 100 acres, lot 26 Sisson Ridge. Madawaska, D. O. Burgoin, commissioner. Louis Baker, 90 acres, lot 262, S. E. side Grand River. Treffe Sirois, commissioner. Honore Marquis, (a Vital), 100 acres, lot 15, tier 3, Michaud Settlement. James Lynch, commissioner. Xavier Bosse, (a Prudent), 95 acres, lot 51, tier 2, Patreville. Alfred Lavoie, 100 acres, lot 142, tier 2, W. of Madawaska R. Trout Brook.

LOST.

Between Slipp's grocery store and Dr. Rankin's residence a handsome yellow and green carriage robe. Finder will be rewarded by leaving at this office.

LOST.

On Thursday, Sept. 2nd, on Houlton road, between W. C. Raymond's and Lower Corner, a child's navy blue coat, with white braid trimming. Finder please leave at J. F. DICKINSON'S Shoe Store.

ON WEDNESDAY afternoon last Mr. Chas. K. Palmer of Fredericton and Miss Annie Gertrude Tilley, daughter of Mr. C. L. Tilley were married at the home of the latter in Woodstock. The bride was beautifully attired in white silk, and natural flowers. She was attended by her little niece Dottie Brewer as maid of honor, and Miss Jennie Guion of Fredericton was bridesmaid; her dress was of canary silk. Mr. Mathew Wilson of St. John supported the groom. Revs. Mr. Spargo and Dr. Chapman officiated. After the ceremony a luncheon followed, and the young couple took the 4.28 train for Fredericton, a large number of friends being at the station to wish them well. Speaking of their reception in Fredericton the Gleaner says:—Mr. Palmer's residence on Charlotte street was beautifully decorated and brilliantly illuminated for the happy couple. The immediate relatives of the bride and groom and a few intimate friends, sat down to a sumptuous repast, most charmingly served. The young friends of Mr. Palmer had kindled a huge bonfire before the house, and delighted themselves by lustily cheering for the bride and groom. The bride, one of Woodstock's most popular young ladies, was the recipient of many elegant presents. The groom's gift was a gold watch and chain; from the groom's father she received a substantial cheque; and the employees of Palmer's tannery presented her with a handsome banquet lamp.

WANTED.

At this office at once, a girl to learn type setting.

DIED.

MCLELLAN.—At Bellville, Carleton County, Sept. 11th., of cholera, Charles Frederick aged 2 years, 8 months, 27 days, oldest son of Frederick and Annie McLellan.

MCLELLAN.—At Bellville, Carleton County, Sept. 10th., of cholera, Charles Harry, aged 4 years, 10 months, youngest son of George and Mary McLellan.

HANSON.—At Woodstock, on the 17th inst., Vera L., aged 11 months, only child of Ernest and Camilla Hanson.

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Sept. 8, 1897.

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Girls' Plain and Fancy Tams,

Boys' and Men's Tweed and Serge Caps,

Boys' and Men's Heavy Underwear,

Men's Flannel Top Shirts,

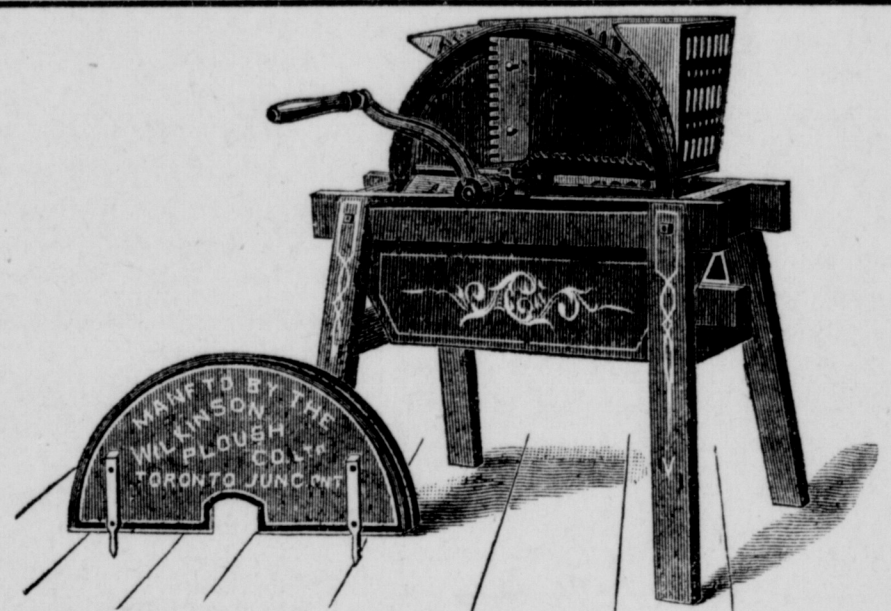
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Sept. 22, 07.

WILL ADOPT THE CASH SYSTEM.

We have decided to close our books after Oct. 1st, 1897. Goods will then be sold for cash only. No goods will be allowed out on approbation unless paid for, and the money will be refunded on return of the goods. We have looked the credit system carefully over, and are fully convinced that by adhering strictly to the cash system we can sell very much lower. We will have no bad debts, no book-keeper to pay, no books to buy, no safe wanted, no time lost in collecting accounts, and by doing business for cash, we will have ready money to buy goods for spot cash and thus save large amounts on discounts, which will enable us to sell at the very closest possible prices, and give customers the benefit of all the savings. Those who are in need of Fall and Winter Dress Goods will do well to examine our close prices and see that we mean what we say.

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TYPEWRITING.

School will reopen on Monday, Sept. 27th. For particulars address L. B. HUNTLY, Woodstock, N.B.

NOTICE.

All persons having just claims against the estate of the late I. W. Marsten, of Meductic, parish of Canterbury, County of York, are requested to present the same duly attested to the undersigned, and all parties indebted to the estate are requested to make payment at once to the undersigned.

MARGARET MARSTEN,
A. J. MARSTEN,
A. I. TEED.

Meductic, Sept. 1st., 1897.

WANTED.

Blueberries, Apples, Squash Pumpkins.

The Maritime Pure Food Co. wish to buy 10,000 quarts of blueberries. Berries need not be wholly free from leaves. 1000 bbls. apples. Must be sound fruit. Early apples such as "New Brunswick" must be picked just before getting fully ripe and delivered at once. 100 tons pumpkins, 50 tons squash. For prices and further particulars enquire at factory or address letter to the Co., The Maritime Pure Food Co. [Ltd].

F. B. GREENE.

AGENT WANTED.

A good energetic man to act as agent for the Troy Dye Works, Fredericton, a Merchant or Business Man preferred. For full particulars apply at this office.