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LOCAL TOPICS.

REMEMBER a public meeting in the Town Hall on Friday evening.

THE Wrapper Factory is in full blast, over sixty girls being employed at present.

"SNOW-WHITE" Manitoba Flour is the newest thing—the best thing. Ask for it.

DIPHTHERIA.—Mrs. Whitfield Grier, of Middle Simonds, died very suddenly at her home on Monday of diphtheria.

A COLD wave struck the town on Sunday evening. Early on Monday the thermometer was 16° below zero with a high wind. It moderated by yesterday morning.

FOR CURLERS.—A meeting of those interested in curling will be held this evening in the office of J. N. W. Winslow. A curling club would be a good thing for Woodstock.

CREAM OF WHEAT FLOUR has been selling well in Carleton County and the reason is not far to seek. It is a good flour, makes good bread and good pastry, and delights the heart of the housekeeper. Try a barrel.

REV. F. H. WHITE, of Houlton, Me., will give a lecture in the Methodist church, Hartland, Monday evening Feb. 1st. The W. C. T. U. cordially invite everybody to come. They are assured that Mr. White's address will please. Silver collection at the door.

CURTIS & ESTEY.—Attention is called to the advertisement of Messrs Curtis & Estey, Hartland, that appears in this issue of THE DISPATCH. They carry an excellent stock of drugs and medicines of all kinds and pay careful attention to the compounding of prescriptions.

CARLETON COUNTY AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.—The regular monthly meeting of this society will be held on Saturday, Jan. 30th, when a full attendance is desired to appoint delegates to the F. & D. Association, which meets in Fredericton Feb. 10th, and to transact such other business as may come before the meeting.

E. M. CAMPBELL, the widely known Photographer of Woodstock is doing some fine work on platino paper. Under Mr. Campbell's skillful handling this paper develops a picture that looks strikingly like a steel engraving. Mr. Campbell will be pleased to show samples of pictures printed on this platino paper at any time.

THE X RAY.—Alex. A. Cullinan, B. A., [Georgetown University D. C.] who about a year and a half ago gave a lecture and entertainment on Modern Electricity will return shortly to Woodstock and repeat his entertainment with the production this time of the great Roentgen X ray. This will be a splendid opportunity for the public here to see the wonderful discovery.

MR. C. J. TABOR, proprietor of the Carlisle Hotel sent a photo of Main Street taken by Julius Neilson to Ira Cornwall secretary of the Prov. Tourists association, and received a reply from Mr. Cornwall saying that the photo would be inserted in a railway guide book. The photo is an excellent one reflecting credit on the artist, and Mr. Tabor's idea was happy and timely.

WHEN Rev. E. W. Simonson went to Carleton County a fortnight ago he unwittingly left behind him in his house a little terrier. He was absent ten days and during that time the dog had neither food nor drink, yet he was still alive when he returned. By careful nursing the dog has been brought around and seems none the worse for his long abstinence.—St. Andrews Beacon.

THE Rink proprietors announce a Fancy Dress Carnival for Wednesday evening Feb. 3rd in the Roller Rink. Altogether there will be 6 prizes given away. 2 for the lady and Gentlemen with the Handsomest Costume. 2 for the Lady and Gent with the best original Costume. 2 to the Boy and Girl under 15 with the prettiest dress. The admission will be 25 cents but costumers will be admitted free.

HE NEVER CAME BACK.—Some nine or ten informations were laid against James Dougherty, charging him with violation of the C. T. Act, a while ago. As reported in THE DISPATCH, the informer did not appear.

Got His Photo?

If you haven't make him attend to it NOW. People would change and grow old even if they lived forever. Make him come here. I do the finest work—you know that, and it costs no more than poor work.

BEN. R. WATSON,
QUEEN STREET, WOODSTOCK.

when the time came for the trial. An adjournment was allowed until Thursday last, but the chief witness again failed to materialize. The counsel for the prosecution asked for another adjournment until Saturday, when, if the witness did not show up, he would not ask for another postponement. As the witness did not appear on Saturday, the cases dropped.

A NUMBER of people from the town and surrounding parishes attended the meetings in the parish hall to discuss Sunday school matters in connection with the Church of England. Dean Partridge of Fredericton arrived on the Gibson train, and delivered an interesting and instructive address at the meeting in the evening. Today the deanery is in session. There will be service this evening in St. Luke's at 7.30 o'clock.

A BISCUIT FACTORY FOR FREDERICTON.—Mr. H. B. Spragg, the Westmorland street baker, is making arrangements for opening up and conducting an extensive biscuit factory in connection with his bakery. There have been several gentlemen in this city talking of starting an enterprise of this kind for some years past, but it appears that Mr. Spragg is to be the one to first invest his capital in this way. It is his intention to manufacture biscuits and bread of all kinds and place them on the market at rock bottom prices.—Gleaner.

ON WEDNESDAY afternoon last Mr. James H. Wilbur's residence on Chapel street was the scene of a quiet wedding, when his daughter, Miss M. E. Wilbur, was married to Mr. J. S. Creighton, of the Peoples' Bank. Only the immediate relatives of the bride and groom were present. The marriage was solemnized by Rev. W. Benson Bellis. After the service the young couple took the 4.23 train for Montreal, on a brief wedding tour. Although the public was not generally aware of the event, a large number of friends of the bride and groom were at the station to bid them good luck. Mr. and Mrs. Creighton are expected back in a day or two.

LUMBERING IN MAINE.—Mr. John McConnell of Marysville, who is conducting an extensive lumber operation in Maine this winter, was in the city a few days ago, and reported that he had about completed yarding the major portion of his contract cut, which is about eight million. He said, however owing to the scarcity of snow in that section, not much hauling had been done up to the date of his leaving. The present snow, however, will fill a long felt want for the lumbermen in that section as well as in nearly every other section of this country and will afford lumber contractors ample opportunity from now out, to haul their cuts to the streams.—Gleaner.

A CARLETON CO. BOY.—THE DISPATCH has been favored with a circular giving a list of the subjects in the Furman University Extension lectures. In the course is Prof. Watson, son of G. C. Watson, of Hartland, who gives a series of lectures on chemistry and kindred subjects. Says the Baptist Courier of Greenville, S. C.—"Professor W. F. Watson, of Furman University, is being much sought after as a lecturer. He has recently made several trips and has other engagements ahead. He is making some very successful experiments with the Roentgen Rays. His photographs are very fine, showing that he is able to do work of a high order. He is prepared to give the public illustrated lectures, and they have proved very interesting and entertaining."

A SHOWY HORSE.—The following extract is from the "Spirit of the Hub" a journal devoted to horses, printed in Boston. The owner of Randolph K. is a brother of Mr. Ludlow Clark, postmaster of Centerville:—"No horse on the snow this season attracts more attention than the pacing gelding Randolph K. driven by his owner, R. K. Clarke, who brought him out green and without track work, has shown a quarter in 32 seconds. From his wonderful speed on snow old habitués express their belief that few horses in Boston can head him down the road. This animal, a handsome golden bay, and hitched to a Perrin sleigh with a light, open bridle track harness, makes a combination most attractive; and when he comes humming down the centre, with a motion like a machine, all eyes are turned."

MANZER-WIGHTMAN.—The Daily Journal of Providence, R. I., contains quite a long account of the wedding of Dr. G. Bernard Manzer of Woodstock and Miss Victoria Matilda Wightman daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Wightman of Providence. The wedding took place at the residence of the bride's parents on the 20th inst. at 6.30 o'clock p. m. and was followed by a reception. The bride wore ivory satin, with trimmings of pearl and duchess lace, her veil being caught with orange blossoms, and she wore the gift of the groom, a brooch of diamonds and pearls. Miss Abby May sister of the bride acted as bridesmaid. Rev. T. D. Anderson, D. D., pastor of the Central Baptist Church, performed the ceremony, the best man being the brother of the groom, and the ushers Mr. Horatio C. Allen of Marion, Mass., and Mr. Luther C. Cobb of this city. Dr. and Mrs. Manzer are expected home in a day or two.

Personal.

C. Herb Phillips, Clear View, was in town last week.

H. T. Scholey and Miss Scholey of Centerville were in town yesterday.

Mrs. Anna Goss and her son Robin, Debrec, are visiting their many friends in Woodstock.

J. F. Tilton, the popular representative of W. H. Thorne & Co., St. John, was in Woodstock last week.

Miss Eva Snow left for Boston, on Tuesday, where she will spend the winter in the Conservatory of Music.

Rev. Mr. Rutledge, of Woodstock, occupied the pulpit of the Gibson Baptist church on Sunday.

Rev. Mr. Davidson took his place here.

Murray Hume, son of Robert Hume, Florenceville, now a resident of Revilstoke, B.C., is visiting his friends in this county. He expects to go back to B. C. in March.

Rev. J. B. Daggett, at present taking a special course of study at the Provincial University, preached at both services in the E. C. B. church on Sunday. His sermons are well spoken of.

Frank Whitehead, Fredericton; W. M. Tidler, J. C. Wilson, W. J. Tummonds, Toronto; M. J. Spaulding, McAdam; Geo. N. Rogers, N. Y.; Nep Geray, Montreal; T. H. Estabrooks, St. John; C. E. Taylor, Moncton; J. Lloyd Edmundson, Hamilton; Geo. C. Silcock, Montreal; are recent arrivals at the Carlisle.

Among the arrivals at the Victoria are:—John Leslie, Toronto; J. Fred Boyer, Victoria Corner; J. H. Scribner, G. H. Dixon, Walter Hall, St. John; E. G. Sherwood, Danforth, Me.; Geo. Law, John Adams, Garfield Carpenter, Geo. McIntyre, Geo. A. Shea, H. Page, Percy Rideout, Houlton; R. King, St. Stephen; J. S. Flanders, Fort Fairfield; J. R. McConnell, W. A. Burden, C. Hagerman, Fredericton.

MARRIED.

SEWELL-ROLSTON.—At Woodstock, on the 20th inst., by Ven. Archdeacon Neales, Lotrip Hammond Sewell, of Brighton, and Agnes Maud Rolston, of Northampton.

CRAIGTON-WILBUR.—At Woodstock, on the 20th inst., by Rev. W. Benson Bellis, J. S. Craighton, of the Peoples' Bank, Woodstock, and M. Ellen Wilbur, daughter of James H. Wilbur.

TOMPKINS-MCLEAN.—At Woodstock, on the 20th inst., by Rev. Dr. Chapman, Jennie second daughter of Mr. Arthur McLean, and Jarvis H. Tompkins, of Minot, North Dakota.

DIED.

WILLISTON.—At Marinette, Wis., Dec. 21st, Mary Stephenson Williston, aged 30 years, beloved wife of Geo. A. Williston, of Marinette, and daughter of the late Matthew Stephenson, of Woodstock, N. B.

You live with your Furniture. And can't get away from it; if it is inartistic, or ugly, or rickety, you have to keep it. Therefore it pays to be careful—it pays to be sure you are getting the best to be had for the price you pay—it pays to look about—to examine stocks and prices—and will pay you doubly to come to my store and buy. MARCY, Connell St.

A QUIET WEDDING.—The residence of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McLean was the scene of a very pretty wedding, on the afternoon of Jan. 20th, when their second daughter, Jennie, was married to Jarvis H. Tompkins, a popular young business man of Minot, North Dakota. At 2 o'clock the bridal party entered the parlour; the bride leaning on the arm of her father, and attended by her sister, Miss Isabel McLean. The groom was supported by his brother, Lincoln W. Tompkins. The ceremony was celebrated by Rev. Dr. Chapman. Only the immediate relatives of the bride and groom were present. The bride was prettily gowned in navy blue cloth with trimmings of white silk and lace, and looked lovely. The bride's maid wore navy blue with pink silk and white lace trimmings. After receiving congratulations the bridal party and invited guests repaired to the dining-room where luncheon was served. The bride received many handsome and valuable presents, among them being several beautiful pieces of silverware. The newly married couple took the 4.30 train for the west mid showers of rice and the best wishes of hosts of friends. Before going to their home in Minot, they will visit many of the principal cities of Canada and the United States.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of New Brunswick at its next session for an act to incorporate a company to be called "The New Brunswick Loan and Savings Company" for the purpose of borrowing and lending money, purchasing and selling and otherwise disposing of Mortgages, Debentures and Municipal and Government Securities and the transaction of other general business of a like nature.

J. N. W. WINSLOW,
Solicitor for Applicants.
Woodstock, N. B. Jan. 23, 1897.

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ROTARY FOR SALE.

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