

LOCAL TOPICS.

REV. MR. ROSS, Hartland, occupied the pulpit of the Methodist church, Sunday last.

TOILET SOAPS of nearly every description. If you want the lowest price on toilet soaps go to the Baird Company.

THE RAIN on Monday was welcomed by the farmers, and everyone else. The crops are fairly jumping along, and present indications are to great crops this year.

C. A. LEWIN took the saws out of the Sawyer mill and sent them to the St. Stephen Bank last Saturday. There were 35 gang saws, 26 large circular saws and 24 shingle saws.

CAREY HAY has just finished a course in short hand and type writing with Miss Jones. He makes an average of 120 words a minute in short hand and of 60 a minute on the type writer.

THE Reformed Baptist Alliance meets at Baulah Camp Ground on June 29th, and the Camp Meeting opens on July 3rd. Rev. W. B. Wiggins left on Monday for St. John and the Camp Ground to get things in readiness.

REV. THOS. CORRETT has gone to Blackville and Derby in the Miramichi district. While moving his piano he met with an accident through getting quite a serious jamb. On Wednesday he was able to leave for his new field.

A NEW LOT of gent's felt and fur hats, waterproof coats, tweed suits, black dress coats and vests, neckties, braces, collars, cuffs &c., are being shown at R. W. Balloch's. If not yet supplied with timothy seed, look at his which is going at a low price.

THE Field Battery will go into annual drill here above Woodstock on the 27th inst. According to the new establishment the corps has been increased to 102 men and six guns. It is hoped that a larger place to drill than Doherty's field may be secured.

THE sidewalks on which asphalt is to be laid will be given time to get well trodden before the work of laying the asphalt will be done. The planks in front of the Carlisle Hotel and in front of the stores below Queen St. will be taken up later on, and tramped down at the expense of these parties, who prefer to do that than have the old walks removed now.

A GOOD WAR MAP is a grand thing to have just now. The best thing in this line is a War Atlas, put out by the Travellers' Insurance Co., of Hartford, Conn., of which J. N. W. Winslow is agent in Woodstock. The atlas is very complete having a dozen or so maps, practically covering all the world, with special attention to countries that figure in the war. To one wishing to keep up in the war news the atlas is invaluable.

PADDY GALLAGHER is in great grief over the loss of his dog, which was poisoned by some malicious or thoughtless person. Paddy feels very bad over it, as the dog has been his constant company for the past ten years. He says he blames nobody, for he knows not who did it, but whoever poisoned his dog did him an illturn and caused him much grief. He thinks he deserves better of anybody in town than to have such a sorry trick played on him.

NEVILLE VINCE son of Col. Vince did some fine work at the college sports in Fredericton. He took 2nd prize in running Jump, 1st in pole vault, making 8 feet 9 inches; 1st in hop, step and jump, making 39 feet 4 inches; 1st in high jump, breaking the record by clearing 5 feet 5 inches. He afterwards cleared 5 feet 6 inches on a trial. He also won the half mile walk, in 4:24 came in 2nd in the hurdle race, and 3rd in the mile race.

MRS. FLEMING'S DEATH.—Mrs. Fleming, widow of the late John Fleming, passed away at her home last week after a brief illness from pneumonia. She was 73 years of age and leaves a family of three sons, John H., Robert and Alexander of this city, and one daughter, Mrs. John Harvey, also of this city. The deceased was a native of Kingsclear, being a daughter of the late John Harper of that place. She was a most estimable lady and leaves a large circle of friends by whom she will be greatly missed.—F'ton Herald. [Mr. John Harper of Jacksonville is a brother of deceased].

THE New Brunswick Women's Christian Temperance Union will hold the third annual convention in Woodstock commencing Friday June 15th and continuing till Monday, June 18th. The business session will be held in the school room of the Advent Church, Maple street, evening meetings will be held as follows: Friday evening in the Advent Church a welcome to the delegates. Saturday evening in the Free Baptist Church Main street, will be a memorial service at which reference to Miss Willard will be the principle theme, also the members of New Brunswick Unions who have died during the past year will be spoken of. Sunday afternoon a sermon will be preached by Mrs. Barney of Rhode Island whose special work is in the visiting of jails and prisons. This service will also be held in the F. B. Church. The public are cordially invited to all these meetings and collection will be taken to defray expenses. All people who take an interest in W. C. T. U. work are invited to attend any of the business sessions as they are all open to the public.

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THE DISPATCH

Job Printing Department. Queen St., Woodstock.

GLEE CLUB Friday evening.

We have 2 Bicycles left, Garden City and a Dominion, which we will sell very cheap. Call and get prices and look them over. A. E. Jones King Street.

WHY PAY long tall prices for prescription medicines. The Baird Company always the leader in quality are also the lowest in price. They will thank you for your patronage.

LOST on Sunday last, a lady's hat on the road between the 3rd tier and 4th tier roads, between George Mallory's and Bradford Palmer's. The finder will kindly leave at this office.

REFRIGERATORS.—White Mountain ice cream freezers, screen doors, window screens, spring hinges, screen wire cloth, hammocks, hammock hook etc., at Dibblee's Hardware Store. Cheap for cash.

BANKER'S fertilizers, lime, calcined plaster, Portland cement, flooring, clapboards, lath, oils, paints, varnishes. Ladies stylish new goods, gent's furnishings and everything the people require at C. M. Sherwood's, Centreville.

A WET ACCIDENT.—A prominent young man of Woodstock went a sailing on Sunday and came to grief. His yacht upset and landed him in many feet of cool liquid. With great dexterity of movement he got out and so did the story. No, his name can't be given.

It is said that the road committee is seriously considering the advisability of putting a curb on the Main street sidewalk, and will decide at Monday's meeting. A curb will cost something, but will be cheaper in the end. The best and most complete job is the most economical in the long run.

WALLACE PERLEY, brother of Allan Perley of Andover, arrived home last week, from Spokane, on a visit to his friends, here. He is engaged on the Northern Pacific Railway and reports times fairly booming out west. Mr. Perley is now in Andover. He will remain in this vicinity some weeks.

NEW FIRM IN CENTREVILLE.—It is reported that J. T. A. Dibblee, J. N. W. Winslow, Howard B. White and Fred D. Tweedie are forming a partnership or a stock company for the purpose of carrying on a general business in Centreville. They will occupy the H. B. White building and will do a cash and credit business.

THE GLEE CLUB of the University of New Brunswick will give a concert in the Opera House on Friday evening. Tickets are now on sale at Graham's store, 25 and 35 cents. This concert was given in Fredericton before a critical audience and the verdict rendered was "a good thing." The programme will consist of vocal and instrumental solos and duets, orchestral selections and choruses. A laughable farce, "Which is Which" will end the evening's entertainment. A pleasing mixture of clean fun and good music.

A LOTTERY.—Charles A. Wheeler's farm, Jacksonville, will be disposed of by lottery at once. This farm contains 100 acres, 75 of which is cleared and the rest well wooded and watered. The front of the farm is on the fifth tier and the rear on Connell road. It has a good house and out buildings. Within sight of it are a Superior School, a Cheese Factory, Store, Post Office, Blacksmith shop and four churches. There will be 2600 tickets of \$1. each and then will be 259 cash prizes of \$1. each beside the farm.

GALLAGHER BROS. have built a commodious carriage shed opposite the Carlisle Hotel, on Emerald St. Here they keep the two handsome and comfortable buckboards, one with a capacity for fourteen passengers and the other suitable to a party of eight. Three horses can be hitched to the four seated conveyance and a span to the two seated. Now that the summer season is on and picnic parties and outings are being talked about, the convenience and comfort afforded by these buckboards, should be taken into account. The charges for their use is exceedingly reasonable.

CONCERT.—On Monday evening, June 6th, a grand concert under local auspices is to be given in the Opera House. Miss Adelaide Barrett Jump, of the Emerson School of Oratory, Boston, has been secured as reader for the occasion. The local papers where Miss Jump has given recitals in Rhode Island, Mass., Maine, and our own province, speak in the most praiseful terms of her personal appearance, her manner on the stage, and her impersonation of the themes upon which she speaks. The readings by this accomplished and pretty young lady will be interspersed by vocal and instrumental music by the best local talent. Those who enjoy entertainment of the choicest sort will take in this concert. The proceeds are to be devoted to the Albert St. Baptist church. See posters.

BRIGADIER MRS. READ of the Salvation Army, delivered an address on Social Work in the Reformed Baptist church last evening. This evening she will address a meeting on the subject "Why you should be in it?" Mrs. Read came into the army when quite young. She was for five years a field captain in the army, and has been an officer over 13 years. After five years evangelistic work, Captain Goodall was promoted to the staff, and took charge for a year of the Drunken Women's Home in the city of Toronto. After her marriage, Mrs. Read had the oversight of the auxiliary work, and for a year previous to going with her husband to Newfoundland, was secretary for the Rescue Work in the dominion. While in Newfoundland she organized Rescue Work in the island, and in the North West took an active part in Field and Social Work. For two years now Mrs. Read has been superintendent of the Women's Social Department and League of Mercy in Canada, Newfoundland, and the North Western States, and has travelled thousands of miles in connection with this work and other branches of the Salvation Army's mission. Mrs. Read is visiting the Eastern Provinces and Newfoundland inspecting the Rescue Homes and organizing the League of Mercy in many of the cities visited. The League of Mercy is a branch of the Army's work organized in Toronto some years ago and under Mrs. Read's direction. Members of the Army now visit many of the public institutions in Canada such as prisons, asylums, poor houses, hospitals, refuges, etc.

JOSH CORKERY has put a new wire fence around his grounds.

LOUR is landed in Woodstock at from \$7.00 for Ontario, and \$7.75 best Manitoba.

THERE is an immense jam of lumber on the third pier of the bridge off the eastern end.

THE annual meeting of the Provincial W. C. T. U. will meet in Woodstock on the 10th inst.

Personal

C. A. Lewin, Benton, was in town on Saturday. G. W. White, Centreville, was in Woodstock yesterday.

J. Rogers, Montreal, is registered at the Victoria.

Miss Julia Street is visiting friends in Fort Fairfield.

John Graham is improving and will soon be able to be out.

Charles Cahill, Centreville, is now located in Woodstock.

Freeland McKenzie, Centreville, spent Sunday in Woodstock.

R. Waddleton, who has been ill for three weeks is getting better.

John L. Saunders, Florenceville, was in Woodstock on Saturday.

G. W. Merrithew, Fredericton, was at the Victoria last Friday.

Fred Ham, St. Stephen, of Ham & Smith, spent Sunday at the Aberdeen.

Mrs. W. F. D. Jarvis, Benton, is visiting friends in London, Ont.

Guy McCollom and J. E. McCollom registered at the Victoria on Saturday.

Charles McLean, J. P., was able to be out yesterday, after his long illness.

Clarence A. Plummer and Clare Mallory left on Monday for Great Falls, Mont.

John W. McBride, Oakville, made THE DISPATCH a pleasant call last week.

H. H. Sutherland, representing Schofield Bros., St. John, spent Sunday at the Carlisle.

John F. Tilton, representing W. H. Thorne & Co., St. John, spent Sunday at the Carlisle.

Colin Campbell, proprietor of the Junction House McAdam was at the Aberdeen on Monday.

Alf. Carr, son of J. T. G. Carr, arrived on Saturday night from Sackville to spend his summer holidays at home.

Archdeacon Neales, Mrs. Neales and Miss Neales of Woodstock, New Brunswick, are at Judge Baker's.—Newport Journal.

Col. Vince leaves today for Fredericton to attend the closing exercises of the University of New Brunswick. His son A. Neville Vince will be graduated with honours.

A. F. Lockhart and Grand Master David Hipwell left on Monday for Ottawa to attend Grand Lodge of British America, L. O. L. which opened on Tuesday. Mr. Lockhart will probably extend his trip through Western Ontario where he will look into the best milling methods in use there.

At the Aberdeen:—R. J. Logan, R. J. Adams, J. F. McCluskey, St. John; T. Sanderson, Miss Sanderson, Debec; Jas. Sanderson and wife, Bridge-water, Me; Miss A. Campbell, Miss Lottie Adams, Miss Mabel Stevens, F. C. Wells, Geo. Bleweth, J. C. Gerow, Houlton; W. A. Burden, G. Babbitt and wife, Fredericton; Fred Ham, St. Stephen; A. H. Geary, Geo. A. Odell, A. J. Brown, Montreal; J. Miller, Glassville; J. McKenna, Boston; James Packard, F. Blethen, Caribou; W. C. Fisher, Quebec; G. W. Richardson, Kingston, Ont.

COMING AGAIN!
THE GLEE CLUB
 OF THE
 University of New Brunswick,
 Will give a Concert in
Graham's Opera House,
FRIDAY EVENING, JUNE 3, 1898

The Club carries a Big Band and Orchestra. College Songs, Duets and Choruses. A Laughable Farce in one act, "Which is Which," in which will appear: W. H. Harrison, P. Joseph Hughes, L. William Barker, J. J. Fraser Winslow, C. Holden Allen, and J. R. Clark MacCrede. This will be a pleasing mixture of clean fun and good music. Prices 25 and 35 cents. Seats on sale at Graham's Store.

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Is not half so harmful as counterfeit medicine. When your doctor writes "take" on a prescription, he does so with the understanding that each ingredient shall be as indicated.

If we cannot supply the PRECISE INGREDIENTS written, we will not fill the prescription until we hear from the physician.

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 The Prescription Druggists
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Railways, Steamships, Telegraph, Telephone—most wonderful innovations, in fact, were sneered at when first introduced. It's old-fogish to sneer at a new idea because it's new.

Perhaps good-fitting, well-made, Ready-to-Wear Clothes are a new idea to you, but they are to be had just the same. Don't be old-togish—look into the matter—call here and see our attire for yourself.

Tall Stout, Tall Slim, Short Stout, and the ordinary shaped can get fitted with our Fit Reform Clothing.

Hundreds in this county can testify to the fit quality of this Clothing.

How often have we heard men say in the past few weeks, "If I had only known you could fit me that well, I never would have paid \$25 for this suit when I could have got this one for \$12.

Never mind, you'll know better next time.

Fit Reform Suits \$10, 12, 15.

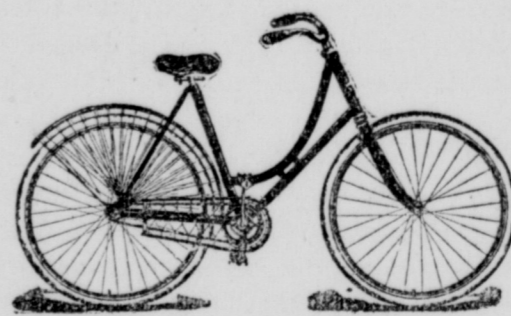
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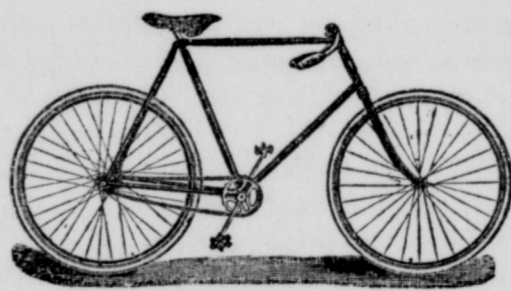


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We Can't

tell you about what we have to offer in this brief space.

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Prices from \$40 to \$80.

Every wheel is reliable and warranted.

BALMAIN BROS.

Woodstock, March 30, 1898.

An East Florenceville Item.

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has a fine stock of light summer dress goods and he is selling them away down in price. Prints, Cashmeres, Gingham, Outings, Wools, Wrappers, Undervests, Underwear, Hosiery, Light Shoes.

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House to let situated on Main street. Apply at Mrs. E. B. JEWETT.

NOTICE.

I hereby forbid all parties harboring one Allen McLean with the expectation of receiving pay from the Parish of Wilmot for I will not pay the same as I have secured him a home at Hugh Doherty's.

JAMES WHITE
 O. S. Poor for the Parish of Wilmot.
 Lakeville Car. Co., May 24th 1898.

NOTICE.

The partnership heretofore existing between us, the undersigned, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due the firm will be collected by U. R. Hanson, by whom the business will be conducted at the old stand.

U. R. HANSON,
 J. C. JOHNSTON.
 Woodstock, May 21, 1898.

Your Summer Hat is here. It's here—waiting for you. It's big if you'd have it big—little if you'd like a little hat. It's simply covered with trimming if you're fond of a heavily-trimmed hat—or it's severely, stylishly plain. In fact, there's not a hat thought that hasn't found expression here. See for yourself.
 MISSES TOMPKINS & WOOLVERTON.

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To let, a tenement with modern conveniences, on Chapel street. Apply to WM. CONNELL.

TO LET.

Fine house and grounds to rent or for sale, on easy terms. Apply to H. V. DALLING.

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