

LOCAL TOPICS.

When you are tired refresh yourself with a cup of Red Rose Tea.

Now is the time to place your orders for Window Screens and Door Screens at the Woodstock Woodworking Factory.

A child of Albert Searle's about two years old, ate some poisoned candy on Sunday. He was very sick but he pulled through all right.

The Rev. Joseph Noble celebrated his 86th birthday on Sunday by preaching in the Free Baptist church. He appeared to be as strong and rugged as he was twenty years ago.

The garden party held on Wednesday last under the auspices of the ladies of St. Paul's Presbyterian church on the grounds of Mrs. Charles McLean was a very pleasant affair. The proceeds amounted to \$45.00.

"The amalgamation of 'The Temperance and General' and the 'Manufacturers' Life assurance companies—Places before the Canadian Public, one of the greatest insurance and financial institutions of the age.

MILITIA CHANGES.—10th Woodstock Field Battery, to be lieutenant provisionally, Quartermaster Sergeant G. R. Good; 6th Battalion Carleton Light Infantry, No. 2 company with headquarters at Centreville, is disbanded.

It has been announced on pretty good authority that the trackmen's strike will be settled the last of this week or the first of next week, by both parties making some concessions. A settlement is a consummation devoutly to be wished.

MR. GILMAN, manager of the Canning Factory here says that he has no acreage whatever within the quarantined district. Peas have been a good crop. The corn is looking fine. The prospect is good for a successful season's business.

CONTRACTOR KILLAM with a large crew of men is making rapid progress toward the finishing of Messrs. Gallagher Bro. stable. The building when completed will be one of the most comfortable and convenient stables in the province. The proprietors expect to move in about the 15th of this month.

REV. A. L. BUBAR, who resigned the charge of Moncton and Lutz Mountain Reformed Baptist churches, will leave on Wednesday morning for Royalton, Carleton County to assist in some holiness conventions in that county. He expects also to visit Fort Fairfield and Presque Isle, Me.—St. John Star.

SHERIFF HAYWARD and Sam Jones returned last week from a ten days fishing trip on the Miramichi. One day, in thirty minutes, the sheriff caught 147 trout, some of them weighing two pounds. He also landed a 22 pound salmon, and he broke his rod on one that must have weighed 35 pounds. They got seven salmon in all.

A WILMOT HAY is one of the most enterprising men in this part of the country. Beside being a large farmer and conducting a pork packing establishment and a wheel factory he has now gone into the manufacture of barrels on a large scale. He has always made the barrels for packing the output of his pork factory and now he has taken an order for 3500 barrels for the Sharp orchards.

A YOUNG man giving his name as White borrowed a bicycle from A. E. Jones hardware store about two week ago and has not been seen since. Mr. Jones thought it was about time that Mr. White should return the wheel and he set out on Saturday to locate him if possible. He drove to Fredericton but could learn nothing of his whereabouts. He finds now that the man in other places gave his name as McNally.

THERE is a said little story going the rounds about a prominent gentleman who started for the other side of the line one day last week. A quarantine officer met him on the road and told him he must turn back. He disregarded the instructions of the officer and drove rapidly past him, across the line. Later in the day he was found and fined \$50.00 and costs for refusing to comply with the quarantine regulations.

LAST Thursday evening Deputy Grand Master Donald Munro of the Masonic Order, accompanied by G. H. Harrison, John Tattersall, Dr. R. E. Guy Smith, John McKenzie, James H. Wilbur, John A. Lindsay, Emmerson Hagerman, David Hipwell and J. Ed. McCollom paid a visit to the lodge at East Florenceville. Some degree work was done at the meeting. After the session the visitors were entertained by the Florenceville Masons.

WANTED.

100 Ladies and Gentlemen to get their Pictures taken at

KEITH'S STUDIO.

Maritime Boys' Camp.

ROBINSON'S POINT, Grand Lake.

EDITOR OF DISPATCH:—

Our camp is situated in a hollow just under some apple trees. It is one of the best places for a boys' camp in New Brunswick. About 100 yards from the camp is the ball field to the west, and on the east is the swimming beach. There are also level places where cricket, croquet and other games can be played. We have breakfast at 7.00 a. m., dinner at 12.00 and supper at 6.00 p. m. Our swimming hours are 6.45 a. m. and 5.00 p. m. Among other sports we have base ball cricket, quoits, swimming, boating and hare and hound chases. In the ball games, so far, the Woodstock boys have not been very successful, having lost two games and won one, but they are getting in better shape and will doubtless win a game or two yet. Our field day of sports comes off Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, 5th, 6th and 7th, when prizes will be given to the best athletes. Sunday at 10.00 a. m. there was a meeting which was largely attended by visitors, and Sunday school was conducted in the tent at 2.30 p. m. In the evening another meeting was held for boys only. On Monday night we had a sail on the lake, and as there were many going to Fredericton on the excursion Tuesday to see the Governor General, there was no meeting, so all hands retired early. Wednesday found the boys very tired. There was a meeting in the evening which was very helpful to the boys. Thursday there was a gramophone concert conducted by Dr. Barbour, also music, songs, stories, etc. I will now close with best regards from the Woodstock boys on behalf of,

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| BERNARD GRANT, | WILLIE DALLING, |
| ARTHUR SMITH, | ALBERT SMITH, |
| GUY LISTER, | WILMOT LISTER, |
| FRED CLARKE, | GARNET BAIRD, |
| ARTHUR GLIDDEN, | ALLISON JONES, |
| | MALCOLM MUNRO. |

Welcome to Dr. Sprague.

We welcome to Newfoundland Dr. Howard Sprague, of Sackville, N. B. He was born in Lower Island Cove, C. B., and his intention is to visit the village of his nativity. The doctor has a reputation of being a leading orator in the Methodist church; we trust the pleasure of hearing him whilst in our city will be afforded. His visit will improve his health, and give him pleasure to see the friends of his boyhood.—St. Johns, Nfld., News.

Mr. Chamberlain on the War.

A London despatch to the Toronto Globe dated Monday says:—Mr. Chamberlain's speech on Friday night came like a strong gale after a stagnant calm. It created a great uproar among the Irish members, and in tense excitement in the House, and when the last word was spoken, it was known that the government had decided upon a policy of reprisals in answer to Kritzinger's challenge. It would not be an eye for an eye or a tooth for a tooth, but all guilty Boers shooting wounded soldiers or killing native scouts in the service of the British would be tried by court-martial and sentenced to death.

Mr. Chamberlain did not flinch from start to finish. He declared that houses which sheltered those concerned in the outrages ought to be burned; that the policy of devastating the enemy's country was a natural operation of war; that concentration camps had been humanely designed and administered in spite of the terrible mortality; that a guerilla war had degenerated into a campaign of brigandage and outrage; that mistaken leniency was a policy of the past, and that atrocities and crimes against the laws of civilized warfare would be severely dealt with. Mr. Chamberlain was terribly in earnest, and represented the common sense of the middle class of England, now as always the real stronghold of political power, when he contended that the time for illusions and sentiment has passed, and that the war with irresponsible brigands and marauders must be brought to an end in a businesslike way.

IN THE races at St. Stephen last week, Dora, a Woodstock flyer, won second money in the 2.25 class. She was driven by J. W. Gallagher who is driving her today on the Edmundston track.

THE annual competition of the Carleton County Rifle Association will take place at the range on Thursday, August 8th, beginning at 9 o'clock. Everybody invited to participate; those not having rifles will be supplied on the range.

THE CROP of Crimson Beauty apples is fairly good. Sharp's orchard will produce over fifteen hundred barrels this year. Picking has already commenced. Later apples such as New Brunswicks and Wealthies appear to be much lighter crops than last year.

"Is this pig?" asked a rude and troublesome guest at table, holding up a piece of meat on his fork.

"To which end of the fork do you refer, sir?" asked the quietest of the guests.

PERSONAL.

J. M. Flewelling was in Woodstock last week.

Dr. Colter arrived in Woodstock on the express on Monday.

Mrs. Wm. M. Connell is visiting Mrs. H. S. Wright in St. John.

Miss Daisy Hughes, is in St. George, visiting her aunt, Mrs. O'Malley.

Miss Bessie McLaughlan and Guy McLaughlan are visiting friends in Perth.

The Rev. A. D. Archibald, Richmond, is spending his vacation in Nova Scotia.

The Misses Jennie and Louise Townsend are visiting friends in St. Andrews.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Jones, arrived home on Saturday last from a driving trip to Fredericton.

Mrs. L. P. Farris, spent Sunday in Woodstock, with her mother, Mrs. Hugh Hay, who is not very well.

Miss Vera Brewer who has been spending the winter in Chicago with her sister, came home last week.

Mrs. A. F. Garden and Mrs. George Mitchell left on Saturday last for St. Andrews to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Day, of Lynn, Mass., are in Woodstock the guests of Mrs. Day's mother, Mrs. Astle.

Superintendent Newcombe leaves today for a two weeks visit to Great Britain and Ireland.

Mr. Powers, of St. John, is acting superintendent in his absence.

Mrs. Everett Smith, St. Stephen, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. W. E. Belyea, left for her home Saturday.

Miss Ethel Baird returned last night from Port Williams, N. S., where she has been visiting Miss Hilsley for a month.

Mrs. D. McKendrick and family and their guests Miss Baldwin, of Peabody Mass., are visiting in St. Andrews.

Mrs. Reid, wife of James Reid, secretary and auditor of the C. P. R., is in a private home in St. John, ill with typhoid fever.

H. M. Tapley, of the Royal Bank staff at Woodstock, is spending his vacation at his home in Marysville.—Fulton Gleaner.

Catechist W. Burton Morgan left this afternoon for Richmond, where he will supply for Rev. A. D. Archibald.—St. John Star.

Robert Smith, who has been visiting his brother, J. T. Smith, Upper Woodstock, left his home in Massachusetts Saturday last.

A. D. Holyoke, was unable to go to Skiff Lake last week on account of the fact that he had an attack of quincy. He is now able to be out again.

B. M. McLeod, of the Bank of Nova Scotia left on Saturday for a month's vacation in Nova Scotia. Mr. Benson, of Chatham, is relieving him.

Mr. and Mrs. William Avard, of Bristol, N. B., who have been visiting their son, A. T. Avard, Everton Cottage, Tidnish, have returned home.—St. John Star.

Miss Vince of Woodstock who represented the U. N. B. at Northfield convention, is in the city the guest of Miss Maud Phillips, and will remain over for the Christian Endeavor league meetings in the Waterloo street Free Baptist church next week.—St. John Star.

HAIR WORK.

Just received at Mrs. A. F. Winslow's, Regent Street, the latest shades in pompadour hair pads all shades. Hair switches all shades from 75cts. upwards. Hair combings made up by the ounce. Mail orders promptly attended to. Shampooing done at short notice.

MRS. A. F. WINSLOW.

July 10th, 3 mos.

TEACHER WANTED.

A second or third class female teacher at Grantville, school District No. 19. Apply to George Nevers, Secretary of Trustees, East Newbridge, Carleton County. Aug. 7-21

TEACHER WANTED.

A first class teacher (female preferred) at Bath, school-District No. 2. Apply to MICHAEL BOHAN, Sec. Trustees, Bath, Car. Co., N. B.

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Bristol Roller Mills,

From \$3 to \$4.50 per barrel.

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BRISTOL.

July 31—3m

There was a Likeness, After All.

A Parisian swell recently had a crayon picture of himself made, which he afterwards pretended to find fault with.

"It does not bear the slightest resemblance to me," he said, "and I will not take it."

The artist protested, but all to no avail. "All right, sir," he remarked, finally, "if it doesn't look at all like you, of course I can't reasonably expect to get paid for it."

After the dandy had left the painter added to the portrait a magnificent pair of ass's ears and exhibited it in a window, thus altered, to the gaze of the curious public. It had not been long so exposed when the dandy rushed into the artist's studio in a towering rage, and, finding that threats amounted to nothing, he at last offered to buy it even at a considerable advance upon the original price.

"It wasn't strange you didn't recognize your resemblance of the picture at first," said the painter, "but I knew you'd notice the likeness as soon as I added those ears."

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BLACKSMITH WANTED.

A good blacksmith can find employment at my shop. Good wages will be paid to the right man. JOHN McCready, Bath.

July 3—

TEACHER WANTED.

A second class female teacher at Freston School District No. 10. Apply to THOMAS HARVEY, Sec. Trustees, Freston, Carleton Co.

Are you using RED ROSE TEA?