

LOCAL TOPICS.

DIVINE service will be resumed in the Methodist Church, Bloomfield, on Sabbath, Sept. 29th, 1901, at 10.30 A. M.

FOR good smokes and smoker's requisites while doing the exhibition be sure and go to "Sheasgreen" at the Connell Drug Store for the best.

DR. CRAWFORD, specialist of St. John, will be at the Carlisle Hotel, during the Exhibition and may be consulted if desired on affections on the eye ear nose and throat.

"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.

DONALD MATHESON, who is in charge of the Imperial Oil Co's. business in Carleton County started out on Saturday with his first load of oil. The new oil wagon drawn by a handsome pair of bay horses attracted a good deal of attention.

W. W. LOANE has a crew at work on his cellar on the corner where he is to erect a building at once. We hear that it is to be 52 feet on the front, 75 feet long, two stories below and an Opera House above. It will be three stories high.—Ashland cor. Presque Isle Herald.

THE Meductic Meat Company commenced their seasons operations on Monday the 16th. At present they are handling only pork, for which they pay 5cts. on foot or 7cts. killed. In about two weeks they will get to work on beef, for which they will pay the highest market price.

WORK is now going forward on the new railway bridge over the Meduxnakeag at Woodstock. Four granite piers are to be built and the superstructure will consist of steel girders. A bed of the solid rock has been found for the piers, which simplified the matter of their construction. The girders are now being placed on the old piers and the new piers will be built up to them.

THERE is a St. John reporter who must have been in a sad mix up lately. He reported the wedding of a gentleman who is well and favourably known in the counties of Carleton, Victoria and Madawaska, and he got names and things deplorably crooked. According to his report the grooms father married the bride and when the ceremony was completed the groom had assumed the bride's name. The reporter must have credit for getting the date correct.

THE Dawson Weekly News, of August 23rd contains an interesting account of the trip of the Steamer Prospector, up the McMillan river. This river has never been navigated before, and Captain Ritchie is given great credit for this venture, which the News says required great nerve. "The return trip," reads the article, "must have taxed Captain Ritchie's skill and patience to the utmost, to say nothing of the Engineers, who could not leave the throttle for an instant." Julien Bourne, of Woodstock, has the distinction of being second Engineer of the Steamer Prospector.

THE new vaults of the Bank of Nova Scotia, in the store now occupied by E. J. Clarke, into which the Bank will soon move, are completed and in use. The basement vault is 7 feet 6 inches high and that on the ground floor is 9 feet high. Both are 8 feet 4 inches 6 feet in size. The walls are of solid brick put together with portland cement and braced with heavy iron rods. The work was done by W. D. Steeves in a most excellent manner. During the transfer of stores between Mr. Clarke and the bank, the bank will occupy a place in the Brown block on Connell St. The transfer will probably take place in a couple of weeks.

J. W. DALLING is the owner of a beautiful little Concord wagon that must attract the attention of all who get a look at it. It is a pony wagon, but is as strong, and will carry two people as safely, as a regulation size road wagon. The wood work was done by Harry Jones, the ironing by J. J. Tattersall, the upholstery by John Chestnut and the painting by John McKenzie. The wheels, circle, springs and shaft tips and other parts were rather hard to find of just the special size required for the little vehicle, but they were at last assembled. The gear is painted a rich carmine with a white stripe and the body is black. Mr. McKenzie has done himself credit in the work. It is hoped that Mr. Dalling will have the carriage on exhibition at the fair today.

AN EXHIBITION

Is always of interest, but some are much more so than others. Of course you are going to attend the Woodstock exhibit, and while here I would invite you to call at my studio and see the beautiful display of

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that we are showing. Our styles and workmanship are fully up to date and cannot be surpassed in this county. I have lately returned from the Boston exhibit of photography, and am prepared to do the very latest and best work known to the art. Again I invite you to call at my studio on Main street where a very courteous welcome will be extended to all. Yours respectfully,

G. A. KEITH.

THE Victoria Circuit Court opened at Andover yesterday. Judge Landry presiding.

MISS L. E. FITZGERALD and Miss Ross left on Monday for St. John to the millinery openings.

THE Carleton Creamery Company received first prize for its butter at the Fredericton Exhibition.

REV. MR. STEBBINGS, DeBec Junction, preached in the Methodist church last Sunday evening.

BERTON KERR, of Debec, while at Greenville last week picked about a quart of beautiful strawberries.

REV. MR. HOPKINS, of Tobique, preached two very interesting sermons in St. Luke's church Sunday last.

THE Rev. Mr. Fash, of Port Williams, Nova Scotia, will preach in the Albert St. church September 29th.

MILLINERY OPENING.—Tomorrow and following days at Mrs. W. D. Camber's. All imported work. Don't fail to see it.

THE brick and stone work on the jail is almost completed, and the woodwork is being rapidly pushed along under the supervision of the contractor, Mr. Henry Post.

MR. AND MRS. STANLEY SMITH were out hunting last Thursday when Mrs. Smith caught sight of a deer. Mr. Smith handed his wife the rifle and she brought down the deer first shot.

A VISITOR in town last week remarked that the streets of Woodstock were in better condition than he had ever seen them before. The Street Committee has certainly done some excellent work this year.

THE Misses Gallagher's Millinery Opening, exhibition week, Sept. 25th, and following days. They will then display to the public a beautiful assortment of ready-to-wear hats. Their pattern hats show all the latest styles and newest colourings.

ALL parties who intend building will find it to their advantage to call and inspect our large stock of doors, sashes and house finish of every variety. Latest designs, best material and workmanship. The Woodstock Woodworking Co., Ltd., Woodstock, N. B.

LAST year George A. Brittain & Son ground at their mill at Bristol over 20,000 bushels of wheat. They ran their mill during ten months of the year and sometimes had to run all night. This year they expect to run every day, sometimes working with a night shift.

WILLIAM HARRISON, the Assistant Engineer of the New Brunswick Government, spent the last three days of last week in Carleton County, examining some roads and bridges that the Government will make some repairs on. Mr. Harrison registered at the Aberdeen Hotel while in Woodstock.

AT the Houlton Fair, W. S. Speer, Speerville, received 3rd prize for gentlemen's driving horse, 1st prize for 2 years old stallion and 1st prize for breeding mare among the draft horses, 1st prize for yearling colts and 1st for sucking colt in the general purpose class. Roderick Neal of Richmond received 2nd prize for 2 years old Stallion in the roadsters' class, 1st prize for pure blood shropshire buck, 1st for pure blood buck lamb and 1st for best flock of ewes.

E. M. SHAW will sell at auction at his place, Victoria Corner on Tuesday, October 15th. Several horses, cattle, sheep, swine, and poultry; also furniture, implements, etc. etc. Horses are for breeding, draft, or driving. Cattle grades and crosses with short horn, Ayreshires, Guernsey, and Hereford. Sheep pure breed Shropshire and crosses and grades. Swine pure bred York-shire and crosses with Chester Pure. Poultry, pure Barred, Plymouth Rocks and crosses. Sale commences at one p. m. sharp. Mr. Shaw is well known to have some of the best stock in this part of the province and this sale offers a good opportunity to the public to secure some of it.

THE CANNING FACTORY in Woodstock under the management of J. H. Gilman is doing a good season's work. Mr. Gilman has put up over 150,000 cans of corn, which is over twice as much as that handled here last year, and if the farmers will raise the material the management will handle 300,000 cans next year. Two carloads were sent in from Florenceville this season, by William Tompkins. Oris Shaw, James McIsaac, Ben McIsaac, H. B. Taylor, Chip Hunter and W. W. Boyer. This was worth about \$100 per car. The work on corn and New Brunswick apples is finished, and work on pumpkin and squash will commence in a week or two. About 1000 barrels of New Brunswick apples have been bought and canned and Mr. Gilman will buy five or six hundred barrels of natives or seedlings for canning if they are forthcoming. The labelling of the cans was commenced on Monday and fifteen or twenty girls can now get employment at this work. At the factory there are now employed a dozen men and boys and as many girls, beside a husking crew of thirty to forty women and children.

Woodstock Market.

The market has hardly opened up as yet. There is very little produce of any kind offering. Here are the prices that are being paid for such things as are brought in.

Hay per ton \$7.00
Oats per bushel .31.
Potatoes per barrel .80.
Pork on foot .05.
Pork killed .07.
Beef on foot .04½.
Beef killed .06.
Chickens per pound .08.
Lamb per pound .08.
Apples, Wealthies per barrel \$1.50.
Apples, Alexanders per barrel \$1.25.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. Edward Williams is visiting in Fredericton.

Willard L. Carr left for Boston on Friday afternoon.

Edmund Manzer spent part of last week in St. John.

H. L. Bailey, Debec, was in Woodstock on Monday.

H. T. Scholey, Centreville, was in Woodstock last week.

Burnett E. Anderson, Boston, spent Saturday in Woodstock.

Miss Eva Clarke, Newburyport, Mass., is visiting friends in town.

Miss Mary Connell is visiting in St. John, the guest of Miss Colter.

Miss Minnie Burpee is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Williams, Woodstock.

John M. Stevens, barrister, Edmundston, was in Woodstock on Saturday.

Zebulon Everett, Fredericton, spent Sunday in Woodstock with his brother.

Mrs. Dwyer, Pictou, N. S., is visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. R. V. Dimock.

R. M. Dow, the well known C. P. R. conductor, is on a hunting trip on the Tobique.

Mr. McMonagle, Barrister, St. Stephen, was in Woodstock on Saturday on business.

Ferguson McCain and Miss McCain, Florenceville, were in Woodstock on Monday.

John Watt, of the Railway Mail Service, is spending a two weeks vacation at Kincardine.

Mrs. D. Newcombe and family have returned home after spending the summer in St. John.

Mrs. J. J. Tattersall returned on Saturday from St. Stephen where she has been visiting.

Ernest Hagerman leaves this week to visit his sister, Mrs. Walter Haynes, Mattawamkeag, Me.

Miss Annie M. Bogue, of Vermont, who has been visiting Miss Jessie Denison, left for home Friday.

Mrs. Denison and the Misses Denison left on Friday afternoon for York Beach, Me., for an outing.

Mrs. T. B. Winslow left by train this morning to visit friends in Woodstock.—Fredericton Gleaner 21st.

George Glew returned on Monday night from a trip to Buffalo, Chicago, and other United States Cities.

Sergeant Hipwell of the St. John police force, and Mrs. Hipwell, are visiting their son, David Hipwell.

Mrs. George Clarke, Fredericton, who has been spending the past month in town, left for home on Saturday.

G. W. Bridges, who has recently been sojourning in Everett, Mass., has returned to his home in Woodstock.

Mrs. James Wilbur and Miss Annie Wilbur returned on Friday from a visit to Fredericton and Campbellton.

Miss Bertie McCain, of Florenceville, who has been the guest of Mrs. John Atherton for a week, has returned home.

Charles Stokes left on Monday for Montreal to resume his studies in Electrical Engineering at McGill University.

Miss Faye V. Camber started on Tuesday morning for Sackville, to resume her studies at Mount Allison University.

Dr. and Mrs. Charles Hay, who have been visiting Dr. Hay's parents for the past five weeks, left Monday for their home in Philadelphia.

The Rev. R. W. and Mrs. Demmings, of Andover, went to Montreal last week, where Mrs. Demmings will receive medical treatment.

The engagement is announced of Miss Jean Sprague, daughter of Rev. Howard Sprague, D. D., of Sackville, and Mr. Henry W. Nichols, of Calais, Me.

Miss May Nason, who has conducted a fruit store on Main street for two or three years has sold off her stock and will leave for the Western States next week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Johnston, Mr. Fields, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Clarke and Miss McLeod returned on Saturday from Lkiff Lake where they had been spending a week fishing and shooting.

Mr. and Mrs. Lister W. Story, of Essex, Mass., are visiting Mrs. Story's sister Mrs. Herbert Hamilton, in Woodstock, it being Mrs. Story's first visit to this town, where she formerly resided, in nine years.

A. E. Massie, the popular commercial traveller, has severed his connection with the house of Ames, Holden & Co., and will on October 1st, accept a position as traveller for McCready & Co., boots and shoes.

Mrs. M. Burpee returned today from a two weeks' trip to Massachusetts and New York. Miss Mary who accompanied her mother has entered upon her freshman year at Mt. Holyoke College, South Hadly, Mass.—Houlton Times.

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.

GIRL WANTED.

A capable girl to do house work in a family of two. GEO. L. HOLYOKE. Woodstock, Sept. 24th, 1901.

LOST.

Somewhere in town, a Gold Dollar, date 1849, attached to a few links of watch chain. Two dollars reward will be paid for return of same. N. FOSTER THORNE, Carlisle Hotel.

To the Electors of the Parish of Wicklow:

GENTLEMEN—At the solicitation of a fair representation of parish, I offer myself as candidate at the coming election of County Councillors. If you favor me with your patronage, I will endeavor to the best of my ability to serve the interests of this parish especially, as well as of the county at large. I am, yours very truly,

CHAS. A. GIBERSON, Wicklow.

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HOUSE FOR SALE.

The house and lot on corner of Main and Albert Street occupied by the undersigned, will be sold at a bargain. Part of purchase money may remain on mortgage at six per cent. Woodstock September 10 1901.

W. P. JONES.

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