

LOCAL TOPICS.

REV. JAMES CRISP, Jacksontown, preached in the Methodist church Sunday morning.

A Letter received from Mr. E. J. Simms who is now in Newfoundland reports large sales of Red Rose Tea in the ancient colony.

LOGGIE ROSS has taken the position of book keeper for the Baird Company, vacated by Fred D. Tweedie, who has gone into business in Centreville.

We want 100 cords of green cordwood in exchange for hardware and groceries. We also want spruce and poplar logs. Shaw & Dibblee, Hartland.

ELDER J. A. GARDNER, of Waterbury, Conn., will begin special services in the Advent church Wednesday evening January 30th, holding over two Sundays.

Of all table beverages UNION BLEND TEA is the favorite as the carnation is the favorite among flowers. \$400 in cash will be distributed among consumers in December.

PERCY R. SEMPLE, manufacturer of tin ware and dealer in hardware, stoves and plows, East Florenceville, is presenting his customers with a pretty calendar for the current year.

H. W. HAMILTON and Miss O'Donnell, both of Carleton County, were married on Sunday afternoon by the Rev. Thos. Todd. Mr. Hamilton is in the employ of James Cogan, hardware merchant, Houlton.

MILITARY BALL—Invitations are out for the Annual Ball of the officers and members of Company L Second Maine Infantry, to be held at the Opera House in Houlton on Thursday evening February fourteenth.

A new agricultural society has been formed at Edmonston, N. B., with subscriptions of over \$430 for the present year. It contemplates stock importation, establishing a trotting park and will hold an agricultural Exhibition next autumn.

J. E. BARRY, of Toronto, has bought Mr. Alorton's photo studio on Queen street and is now ready to do business. Mr. Barry has made a life study of photography, having had valuable experience in both American and Canadian cities. He does excellent work.

INVITATIONS are out for the wedding of Miss Mary Douglas Poole, of Poolesville, Maryland, to Mr. Louis Hankins, on Tuesday February 5th. Miss Poole is well known in Woodstock, where she has often been a guest at The Grove. Her very many friends here wish her a long and happy life.

FOR the meeting of the United Society of Christian Endeavor at Portland, Me., January 31st to February 3rd, the C. P. R., and Maine Central will make rate of one unlimited fare for round trip from all stations in New Brunswick and from Houlton at \$9.15, Port Fairfield, Presque Isle and Caribou at rate of \$10.85. Tickets on sale January 30th to February 2nd, good to return till February 4th.

A HORSE belonging to Wilnot Herald, of Centerville, N. B., became frightened while at the railroad station, Bridgewater Me; Monday, and getting loose, ran with the pump attached to it down the track and onto a bridge, where it broke its legs between the cross pieces and fell. The horse, which was injured so badly that it had to be killed, was a valuable animal, for which its owner had refused \$200.

THE travelling public are to be congratulated on the change to the new railroad station at McAdam, which was made Saturday night last. It is the best combined station, hotel and restaurant in the Province and is something that the architect, Mr. Barbour may well be proud of. The hotel rooms are finished and furnish the same as the famous Chateau Frontenac at Quebec, and as the hotel and restaurant are under the same management as the dining car, one is assured of strictly first class entertainment.

MR. BOYLE, a butcher of Fredericton, being up river buying beef cattle, stopped at Long's Hotel, Kingsclear. While passing behind a horse in the stable he was kicked on the left breast near the shoulder, the calf cutting through his clothing and making a deep cut in the flesh and muscle. He went into the hotel and after having the clothing removed fainted, with difficulty he was restored to consciousness. Mr. Long dressed the cut as well as he could, placed him in a comfortable position on a sled and took him to his home.

A TRAVELLER going from Woodstock down along the river writes to THE DISPATCH that lumber is being taken out in small quantities by the residents along the road. At Pokioik Gilman Bros. are operating extensively, keeping 25 or 30 teams employed. Mr. Scott is lumbering at Deer Lake. In that part of the province oats are worth 34 to 35 cents. From Meductic there is quite a trade in hemlock bark, some of which is being hauled to Benton, but the largest part to Hawshaw. W. T. Hatfield the enterprising merchant of Temple is doing a good general business but is not trading in bark very extensively this season, handling not more than 100 cords.

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Are you drinking Red Rose Tea? WILLIAM MCGEE, Lower Brighton, is very ill with the grip.

HOCKEY match at the ice rink to-morrow night—Argonauts vs. Utopias.

THE Woodstock school teachers who were sick are able to be back at their schools again.

WILLIAM LEE, wants to sell his livery stable on Connell street. He intends to go West.

C. F. GROSS, manager of C. M. Sherwood's Woodstock store, is confined to his house with the grip.

At the Ice Rink last week the Wellingtons defeated the Utopias. The Argonauts will have it with the Utopias tomorrow night.

A NUMBER of Carleton County farmers attended the meeting of the Provincial Farmers and Dairymen's Association in Fredericton last week.

MISS MILDRED CARVELL, only child of Frank Carvell, M. P. P., is very ill with pneumonia. Very little hope is entertained of her recovery.

MISS DAISY ALLINGHAM has successfully completed a course in the Beal system of shorthand and in typewriting under the instruction of Miss Hipwell.

WANTED.—250,000 feet of pine and basswood, either in logs or sawed. Anyone wishing to contract can call at the office of the Woodstock Woodworking Co.

REV. JOSEPH NOBLE lies very ill at the residence of his nephew, Theodore McKinnie, Chapel St., Woodstock. He has been confined to the house about ten days.

EVERYBODY should see the Hockey match in the Ice Rink tomorrow night, between the Argonauts and Utopias. Game called at 9 o'clock. Skating before the game.

SATURDAY, February 2nd, being set apart for Memorial Day, the Century Ice Rink will not be open for skating, on that day, but will open Friday afternoon instead.

IN MEMORIAM.—Mourning rosettes showing portraits of our beloved Queen will be prized as historical souvenirs of a great and sad event. A limited number on sale at the store of W. B. Nicholson.

A DANCE in honor of Robert Hughes was given by the A. O. H. in their rooms last Friday evening. About 25 couples were on the floor. Excellent music was afforded and refreshments were served.

HARRY BIRMINGHAM, who was injured by falling from the Hartland bridge last Tuesday, was fortunately, not so seriously injured as at first thought. He was able to travel to his home at Florenceville on Saturday.

THAT "The Temperance and General" is becoming deservedly popular, is evidenced by the fact, that for some years past, it has done more business in the Maritime Provinces than any other Canadian Company.

THE PUBLIC should take advantage of the cheap sale at Balloch's which only continues for two weeks, as his business will be absolutely closed on Monday, January 28th. Special bargains will be offered during this time.

THE Annual Meeting of Carleton County Loyal Orange Lodge, No. 1, will be held at the Orange Hall, in the town of Woodstock, on Thursday, the 5th day of Feb., 1911, commencing at 10 o'clock, a. m. By order of County Lodge.

RUNAWAY.—While Mrs. John Atherton and another lady were driving on Tuesday afternoon their horse ran away and threw them out. They were not badly hurt. The horse ran down Main St., down Queen and into Mr. Glidden's Livery Stable. The pump was wrecked.

MRS. THOMAS GARTLEY, Sr., died at the home of her son, John Gartley, Watson Settlement, on Saturday last, aged 85 years. The remains were interred at the Parish church, Woodstock, on Tuesday afternoon. The ceremony was conducted by Rev. A. W. Teed, of Richmond. The funeral was very large.

MAYOR BELYEA's first official duty was to present a gold watch to Norman Cameron, a member of the contingent who had to go to Boston before coming to Woodstock. A number of citizens were present at the presentation. Mr. Cameron entertained the party with an account of his capture by the Boers.

THERE will be a Gramophone Concert in the Orange Hall at Lakeville on Saturday night, commencing at 7.30. A silver collection will be taken at the door. The managers of the concert have a first class Gramophone that will render anything from a soprano solo to a complicated piece of band music. All are invited to attend.

C. M. SHERWOOD has the finest assortment of turkeys, chickens, geese and ducks for the holiday trade. This poultry has been selected with the greatest care and its quality is absolutely guaranteed. He also has a fine assortment of fancy crockery, suitable Christmas and New Year presents. His Raisins and confectionery are positively the best to be had in the land. You will miss it if you don't examine this stock before making purchases.

DON'T FORGET the grand concert in the opera house on Friday evening, under the management of Col. Dysart. Davenport's orchestra will be in attendance and furnish the music for dancing. Prof. Wasson the celebrated musician is a member of this orchestra and will no doubt be heard to advantage in the concert which takes place previous to dancing. The best of order will be maintained and a good time may be expected by all who attend.

THE slaughtered prices of Ladies cloth jackets at C. M. Sherwoods, is causing a great sale, the prices asked being positively away below the manufacturers cost of production. His prices on the very best Barbadoes molasses is 40 cts., 20 lbs., standard fine granulated sugar \$1. Quantities of German granulated sugar is now being sold all around us, of which you should get 22 lbs. for \$1.00. It is just a shade darker and coarser. Don't be deceived, Buckwheat meal wanted in exchange of all kinds of goods, at \$1.00

PERSONAL.

Miss Alexa Corbett is visiting in St. John. Fred Muaro, son of Donald Munro, is very ill.

Miss Catherine Rankin is visiting in St. John.

S. Arscott, Benton, was at the Aberdeen Friday.

A Brown, Chatham, spent Sunday in town at the Aberdeen.

James Hutcheon, Kilburn, was at the Aberdeen Saturday.

Miss Hazel Perkins, Centreville, is visiting Mrs. Joseph Fewer.

Robt Atkin and W. A. Burden, Fredericton were at the Aberdeen Friday.

Miss Harron, Debec, spent last week in Grafton, the guest of Miss McElroy.

Harley C. White and Ward B. Webb, Centreville were in Woodstock last week.

James Kelly, advertising agent of the I. C. R. was in town for a few days this week.

John Leck and C. H. McClaskey of St. John were guests at the Aberdeen over Sunday.

Mrs. H. V. Dalling and Miss Stella Dalling, who have been ill for two weeks, are gradually recovering.

Miss Clara Welch, Bristol, who has been sick for two weeks, is able to be back at school in Woodstock again.

Miss Mary Beairst, daughter of Rev. J. K. Beairst, Glassville, is in Woodstock taking music lessons from Miss Johnson.

The many friends of Mrs. E. S. Forbes, of Cambridge, Mass., will be pleased to learn that she is gradually recovering from her recent illness.

E. M. Grove

This signature is on every box of the genuine Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets the remedy that cures a cold in one day

Carleton County Exhibition.

The Carleton County Agricultural society is making preparations for a County Fair this fall. The last Fair was held in Woodstock during the first week in October 1899. In that year the society secured a grant from the Provincial Government of \$1200.00. This year \$1000.00 will be asked for. An effort will be made to bring the Fair of 1901 up to the high water mark of County Exhibitions.

Impervious.—She—"There isn't one man in a million who would be so mean to his wife and children as you are!" He—"Now, that's what I admire in you, dear; you have such a head for figures!"—[Life.

They pass.—Daughter—"But he is so full of absurd ideas." Mother—"Never mind that, dear. Your father was just the same before I married him."—[Brooklyn Life.

TEACHER WANTED.

A second class female teacher, for Argyle school, district No. 7, Aberdeen. Apply to, C. G. WILSON, Secretary, Argyle, Carleton County. Jan. 23rd, 1901.

NOTICE.

This is to certify that I have given my son, Dow H. Seely, his minority. I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by him, nor will I expect to collect any sums due him. L. O. SEELY, Waterville. Jan. 30th, 1901.

PUPILS WANTED.

I will take a number of pupils in shorthand and type writing, and a number of beginners in music. I graduated in shorthand and type writing, (Sir Isaac Pitman System) at the Ladies College, Mount Allison, where I also studied music. Apply at my residence or through the mail. ETHEL MARSTEN, Connell St., Woodstock. P. O. Box 227.

NOTICE.

The annual meeting of The Carleton Creamery Co. Ltd., will be held in their office Woodstock, N. B., on Thursday the 14th of February at 7.30 p. m. CHARLES D. DICKINSON, President.

LIVERY BUSINESS FOR SALE.

I will sell my Livery business on Connell St., including all my horses, carriages, sleighs, harness and fittings, at a reasonable price. Good notes will be taken. I want to go West and must sell. WILLIAM LEE, Connell St., Woodstock.

WANTED:

A first or second class teacher to take the school at Mount Pleasant, District No. 4. School to commence the first Monday in February. Apply stating salary to SAMUEL CRANDLEMIRE, Secretary, Mount Pleasant, Carleton County, N. B. January 17th, 1901.

MONEY TO LOAN.

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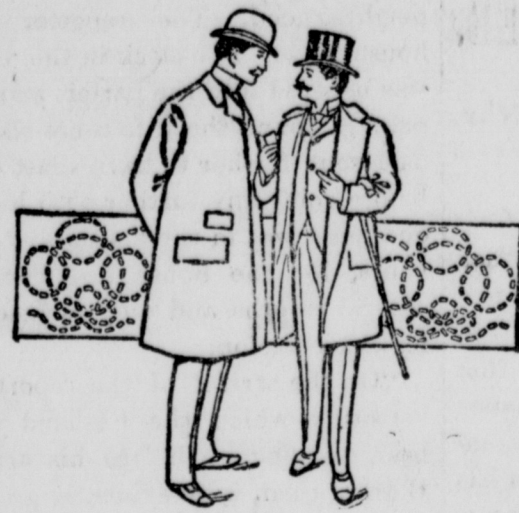
Notice is hereby given that in virtue of The Act of the Dominion Parliament, 63 and 64 Victoria, Chapter 103 and Chapter 104, the name of THE MERCHANTS BANK OF HALIFAX will be changed to

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Will be given in the OPERA HOUSE, WOODSTOCK, on

Friday Evening, February 1st, FOR THE BENEFIT OF

Col. Dysart,

Lately returned from South Africa. Davenport's full orchestra from Houlton, will furnish the music. Everybody invited to attend.

Prof. Wasson, the celebrated violinist, will be present and render selections on his instrument.

Tickets 75 cents a Couple.