

LOCAL TOPICS.

If you are a crank on Tea try "Red Rose."

ATHERTON BROS. keep all kinds of axle grease in stock.

PEACHES AND CREAM. Strawberries and Cream, and milk shake at the big fountain in the Connell Pharmacy.

THE A. O. H. of Carleton County will run an excursion from Bath and intermediate points to Eastport, on Monday June 10th.

ROBERT STEPHENSON, who has been ill for some weeks has gone to the Victoria Hospital, Fredericton, to undergo a surgical operation.

FRED SQUIRES, son of Robert Squires, Bath, who is attending the Normal School, has been elected valedictorian by the classes which graduate this year.

W. H. STEVENSON of the Aberdeen Hotel left on Monday for St. John with a pair of Sir Peter horses that Peter Clinch had bought while in town last week.

SIDE TRACKED, the show put on in the Opera House last Friday evening was vastly enjoyed by a large audience. The comic parts of the play were particularly good and the specialties all that could be desired.

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PROBATE COURT.—In Probate Court last week the accounts in the estates of Benjamin Jewett and William T. Baird were passed. L. E. Young represented the executors in both cases. A. J. Gregory, Fredericton, represented the residuary legatees in the Jewett estate.

C. M. SHERWOOD is selling carpets in all wool, tapestry, union, ingrain hemp and printed hemp, tapestry stair and hemp stair, hemp matting, straw matting and oil cloths in 1, 1½ and 2 yards wide. Variety and stock large in all lines and prices low for such beautiful carpets. Make your homes attractive and homelike and the young folks will like home.

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SCHOOL EXAMINATION.—At the last examination of pupils in Grade VIII., College school, covering work of entire year, the following averages were gained:—Jean Garden, 82; Guy McLaughlan, 73; Aggie Dent, 67.7; Edith Seeley, 67; Marian Hayden, 63.4; Gordon Munro, 61.2; Arthur Fisher, 60; Frank Woolverton, 60; Chester Seeley, 53.7; Nellie Brown, 51. Eleven others made percentage ranging from 40 to 50%.

C. D. DICKINSON & Co., manufacturers of larrigans and shoe packs, owing to unforeseen circumstances, have been unable to continue business. The stock and business has been sold to John Palmer of Fredericton. The Larrigan Factory and tannery in connection on Connell St. will be closed down and many men thrown out of employment. This is a most unfortunate thing for Woodstock. Mr. Dickinson was doing a good thing for the town and all citizens will very much regret that he had to sell out.

GEORGE GLEW GETS A CHECK.—On Saturday afternoon George Glew of Woodstock, a member of the Second Canadian Contingent in South Africa, received from the Treasurer of the New Brunswick Patriotic Fund, a cheque for \$61.33. It will be remembered that through some one's neglect Mr. Glew's name was not placed on the list of men entitled to receive a share of the fund, and for a time it seemed doubtful if he would get his share. He is all right now and feels pretty well about it.

LAST Thursday American Consul F. C. Denison received the following laconic telegram from his brother, W. T. Denison, Pittsford Vt. "Safe cracked again. They had good luck this time." Mr. F. C. Denison is a member of the firm of Denison Brothers. Last year their safe was cracked but the burglars were alarmed before they could secure the booty. Last Thursday morning it was cracked again and the burglars got three or four hundred dollars in cash, three hundred dollars in postage stamps, about \$2000 worth of promissory notes and the title deeds to some lands in the Western States. W. T. Denison is the postmaster of Pittsford, which accounts for the large amount of postage stamps in the safe.

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NEWS FROM THE COUNTY.

NOTICE TO CORRESPONDENTS

Correspondents must send their names with each week's contribution, or their matter will not be printed. The names will not be published, but The Dispatch must know who is accountable for everything that is inserted in its columns.

GRAND FALLS.

The local branch of the C. M. B. A. intend to hold a promenade concert and hop on the evening of May 24th. The proceeds will be devoted to the C. M. B. A. Band which has been under considerable expense in paying a first class musical instructor from Quebec.

Burgess' mill started last week with a full crew and is now sawing lumber and shingles for the American market.

The usual May devotions are held every evening in the R. C. church here and are well attended by large congregations on each occasion.

One of our most popular young men, C. F. Merritt, has erected and elaborately furnished a photograph studio on Main street, near the depot. Mr. Merritt is now prepared to do all kinds of first class, artistic photography, and patrons highly commend his work and artistic skill.

A case which is attracting considerable attention is now pending before James P. Kelly, police magistrate. Michael Roach laid an information charging James McCarthy with unlawfully assaulting him on the 8th instant, by attempting to strike and carve him with a double bitted axe. The trial occupied all Friday afternoon and Saturday morning, and the evidence disclosed the existence of a dispute regarding the boundaries to some land. Roach says that McCarthy threatened to carve him up and approached to strike him with an axe, whilst McCarthy affirms on the contrary, that Roach commenced hostilities by firing two shots point blank at him from a revolver and denies attempting to strike the latter with an axe. The further hearing of the matter was adjourned until the 17th inst. in order to obtain the attendance of some more witnesses who were present during the fracas. J. J. Gallagher was attorney for the prosecution and Alexander Stratton for the defence.

CANTERBURY STATION.

Arbor day was generally observed throughout the surrounding settlement. The school house here was painted and the grounds cleaned up.

J. B. Merrithew has been ill for the past week but is now improving.

Mrs. James Dickinson has returned from a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Geo. Hayward, at Hartland.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Pendergast, Boston, have taken possession of their cottage, Salmon Lodge, Skiff Lake.

John Stewart was at Northcote last week. Solomon has painted his express and is now in attendance at the trains to convey sportsmen to the lake. Being genial and obliging he is popular with visitors.

Rev. Father Carney preached his farewell sermon here Sunday.

Mrs. J. E. Fiewelling who has been visiting her parents at Richmond Corner returned home during the past week.

The C. P. R. garden here under the skillful supervision of J. L. Drysdale presents a beautiful appearance.

Mrs. E. Lundon was the guest of her mother, Mrs. Trafton, Woodstock, last week.

Darius and Levi Dow and Henry Wilkins left here for New Hampshire Friday night.

ANDOVER.

Senator Baird, who was taken quite ill on the 6th inst, is somewhat better. The doctors decided that he has appendicitis and he will undergo an operation as soon as he becomes a little stronger.

Miss Lena Baird has returned from her studies in Montreal where she has spent the past school year.

The Presbytery of St. John, met in Andover last Wednesday, and by the laying on of hands, publicly set apart to the gospel ministry, James Douglas Campbell. The clergymen in attendance were Rev. Dr. J. A. Morrison, who gave the address to the minister, Rev. G. C. Pringle, who preached the sermon, Rev. James Burgess, who addressed the people, also Rev. D. McLeod, Rev. A. D. Archibald and Rev. D. Wilson, of Boston.

Evangelist Marple, who has been in Victoria and Carleton Counties for the past eleven weeks, returned to his home in Truro N. S., last week.

Rev. R. W. Demmings baptized three young women, at Aroostook Junction, last Sabbath.

Mrs. Hiram Murphy, has returned from St. John, where she underwent an operation. Harry Hopkins has returned from Montreal, where he obtained a diploma from a business college.

Pringle Kelly, who recently came here from Albert County, lost a valuable horse last week, it having had its leg broken by a kick from its mate.

Miss Nellie Sadler, is in town.

Miss Edith Tibbitts, has gone to Caribou.

RED RAPIDS.

Rev. M. A. O'Keefe of Grand Falls held service here on Sunday in the Catholic church.

The Misses Lalgan of South Tilley, spent Sunday in this place.

Miss Hattie and Harry Roberts drove to Tilley recently.

Mr. Murchie of Calais passed through here on Saturday after attending to business at Plaster Rock.

Glaisher Dickenson has had charge of a crew on booms and bridges for the corporation. They boarded at Gilbert Crons.

We are glad to hear that Senator Baird is recovering after a severe attack of appendicitis.

B. Kilburn made a pleasant call in this place last week.

John DeYone and his daughter Annie were called to Fort Fairfield to see his sick son Michael, who has pneumonia.

PERSONAL.

David Hipwell, is so ill as to be confined to his bed.

E. Thompson, Toronto, was at the Aberdeen last week.

A. H. Sawyer, Calais, registered at the Aberdeen Wednesday.

J. Shewan, Fredericton Junction, was at the Aberdeen over Sunday.

Peter Clinch, of St. John, spent a few days at the Aberdeen last week.

R. J. Adams and F. C. Jones, St. John, were at the Aberdeen last week.

Miss Jessie McFarlane, of Three Brooks, is visiting Mrs. David Munro.

Roy McLaughlan, son of John McLaughlan, who has been ill with pneumonia, is recovering.

Charles H. Gray, of Waterville, who has been ill with pneumonia and pleurisy is able to be out again.

Miss Amy Ross, of Florenceville, spent last week at Wicklow the guest of Mrs. Emma Cogswell.

Mr. and Mrs. Tappan Adney, of New York, are in Woodstock. They are renting a house with the intention of spending the summer here.

At the Aberdeen.—A W Mayo, Salem, Mass; Emery, N S Wales; T M Mackelvie, Rockland, West Co; Joe Honpaugh, Agt Billy Van; A H Sawyer, Calais; J Shewan, Fredericton Junction; Geo Fredo and wife, Harry Short, S Young, J A Elsie, James C O'Neil, Ella Littlefield, Emma Siegel, Marea Elmer, L C Yomans and wife, New York; Miss A O'Donnell, Brocton, Mass; Fred J Carruthers, Canterbury; E Shaw, Simonds; W H Harmon, Boston; E Thompson, Toronto; Geo D Frost, C G Gatcomb, R J Adams, F C Jones, R J Logan, J D Allen, Peter Clinch, J H Scribner, St John; Geo Nickerson, W French, Mrs G Gentle, Mrs A B Monson, Houlton; G E Smith, Presque Isle; N D Lee, Thuras, Quebec; H H Woodworth, Bridgewater, Me; T J Hoyt, Rose-dale; C C Proctor, Hartland; B B Estabrooks and wife, Centreville.

E. W. Gibson

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