

## LOCAL TOPICS.

Col. D. McLeod VINCE has been promoted from the reserve of officers to be Commander of the 13th Brigade.

WILBUR & STEVENSON will give up the Aberdeen Hotel in March. It is said that James Harvey will take it.

MISS HARMON who was ill with pneumonia was able to resume her duties as a teacher at the college building on Monday.

A CHICKEN supper will be held at the residence of Word Burpee, Jacksontown, on Friday, December 5th. Proceeds for Sunday school library.

Last Wednesday night a flock of wild geese numbering 75 or 100, lost in the snow storm, hovered over Woodstock. Their cries attracted considerable attention.

RALPH WAITE, of the Royal Bank has been promoted to the position of ledger keeper. W. G. Johnson, of Halifax, who arrived last Wednesday, takes the position of junior.

HOWARD EVERETT, of Caribou, was in Woodstock last week. He came down for his sleds which he left here when he moved to Caribou last summer. He returned yesterday.

WILLIAM BALMAIN and George E. Balmain left on Saturday evening for Boston where they met in conference the management of the Deering division of the International Harvester Association.

ON MONDAY evening, when the regular monthly meeting of the town council was to have been held, only the Mayor and Councilor Dibblee turned up. The council will meet this evening at the usual hour.

News has been received that Miss Clara Leighton, who has been ill with typhoid fever in Boston, is on the road to recovery. Her sister who went to Boston to be with her during her illness is expected home today.

The Rev. D. E. Brooks, of Bristol, was in Woodstock on Monday. He preached in the Primitive Baptist church at Canterbury Station on Sunday. He has made arrangements to preach there every fortnight during the winter.

JOHN CONNOR, who has had a long and honorable business career in Woodstock is selling out with the intention of moving away. There is a big cheap sale of groceries and crockeryware going on at his store on Main street now.

GARDEN BROS. have purchased the J. T. Collins store and they will occupy it at an early date with their Christmas goods. After the holiday season they will move their entire stock in and use it for their wholesale and retail drug business.

W. T. TOWNSEND is meeting with good success in his jewelry business here. Work comes in about as fast as he can do it. He is now receiving his fine stock of watches, clocks, and jewelry and is opening up in the place lately occupied by C. S. Osgood.—Hartland Advertiser.

THE Toronto "Mail Empire" says:—and "That success has placed the stamp of approval on the amalgamation of the Manufacturers and Temperance and General Life assurance Companies is evidenced by the statement presented at the annual meeting. The showing is a remarkable one."

EDGAR W. MAIR has purchased the retail department of the Baird Company, located on the corner of Main and King streets. This is the oldest retail drug business in Woodstock. Mr. Mair, who has been with the Baird Company for six years, is one of the most popular young men in Carleton County, and his business success is assured.

THE Hartland Advertiser says:—It is coming the time when the early closing system should be entered upon again. It would be most fitting for some of those directly interested to make the first move, however. To keep stores lighted and heated and 15 or 20 people on duty all the long winter evenings, often as late as 10 30, is an evidence of an altogether too sordid grasp after the "dollar-almighty" for this poetic journal to perceive the utility of.

At the meeting of the Carleton County Agricultural Society on Saturday afternoon G. Whitfield Shaw and Charles F. Rogers were elected delegates to the Amherst Fat Stock Show which opens in Amherst, N. S., on December 16th. The exhibits to be sent from Carleton County to this exhibition will consist chiefly of poultry. The excursion rate, Woodstock to Amherst, for the return fare will be \$5 40, with a slight increase for each station north of Woodstock. The express rate on exhibits will be \$1.25 per 100 lbs. from Woodstock. From Amherst the rate will be \$1 50. There are good prospects of this rate including a free return of the exhibits. For coops of poultry weighing less than 100 lbs. the rate will be somewhat less, namely, 50 lbs. 90cts.; 30 lbs. 65cts., from Woodstock.

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The Latest  
Styles  
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KEITH'S  
Photo Studio,  
Main Street,  
Woodstock.

MURRY SAUNDERS is able to be out again after an illness of two weeks.

THE REV. F. ALLISON CURRIER and Chas. F. Rogers, each shot a fine deer last week.

L. E. YOUNG is finishing his block on Main Street and will have another store to let in a few weeks.

MISS TURNER who is so well known as a dress maker will open a store for the sale of ladies goods in the Young block.

ARTHUR BAKER and Bedford Tower reported for being drunk on the streets on Sunday will be before the police magistrate today.

GOSPEL SERVICES will be resumed in the W. C. T. U. Hall, Queen street, Sunday Dec. 7th at 7.45 p. m. Subject, "Consider Him." You are cordially invited to attend.

THE regular night of meeting of the Dancing School held in Burnham's Hall, East Florenceville, has been changed from Thursday to Saturday night, and after Thursday night, Dec. 4th, Saturday will be the regular night. Dances commence at 8 o'clock, close at half past eleven sharp.

CHARLES UPHAM died at his home on the Connell Road on Thursday afternoon at the age of 52 years. He leaves a mother, two brothers, George and Frank, and three small children. The remains were interred at the Parish Church on Sunday, Ven. Archdeacon Neales conducting the service.

THE services conducted by Evangelist Gale in the opera house closed on Monday evening with a meeting attended by fifteen hundred people. There was probably never such a crowd in the opera house before. Mr. Gale and the clergymen interested in the meetings are very well pleased with the result. About two hundred and fifty people expressed a desire to lead a better life.

THE MANY friends of M. S. Sutton, who had such a narrow escape from death a fortnight ago, will be pleased to hear of his favorable improvement and that no permanent bodily injury will result. The break in his wrist is doing well, but he still suffers very severely from the sprain. He has been out once or twice but not to business, but expects to get back at it again in a day or two, somewhat disabled perhaps but still able and willing to look after the interests of his many customers.—Victoria County News.

A COUPLE of weeks ago two overcoats and a valise full of clothes were stolen from James H. Olts at his hotel, the Brunswick House. Suspicion rested on Henry Boulanger, a Houlton man, and Elias Worth, a former resident of Woodstock, who now lives in Houlton. Deputy Sheriff Foster and James Woolverton went over to Houlton last week and procured the arrest of the suspects. One of the coats was found in the possession of Worth, who was given thirty days in jail for carrying stolen goods into the United States. Nothing could be proven against Boulanger, who was allowed to go.

LIEUT.-COLONEL SHARP, commanding officer of the Maritime Provinces, and Major Howell, Chancellor, accompanied by officers from St. John, Fredericton, St. Stephen, Calais, Eastport and Houlton, will conduct the 17th anniversary celebration of the Salvation Army in Woodstock, Saturday, Dec. 6th, to Tuesday, 10th. A programme of meeting of extraordinary interest is being arranged, including a council of war by the divisional officers. The army propose building a barracks in the spring and no doubt their many practical sympathizers will be pleased to assist their noble work.

### Richmond Corner.

Mrs. Charles Jamieson left last Saturday for Philadelphia where she will spend the winter with her son, Dr. Lee Jamieson.

Robert McIntyre returned to Boston on Saturday.

The Rev. F. A. Currier shot a fine buck deer last Tuesday on the old Woolhaupter farm.

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Thousands are more or less subject to headaches—subject to skepticism as to the value of headache cures also. There's plenty of reason for this, for many a life-time martyr has as yet failed to find relief. Many, too, fear injury from a remedy that will in a few minutes banish a splitting headache. There need be neither fear nor doubt about our

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### GARDEN BROS.

Druggists,  
WOODSTOCK, N. B.

### LOST.

On Sunday evening, November 23rd, between Robert Montgomery's and the Methodist church, a brown shawl. Will the finder please leave at this office. Dec. 1, 11.

## PERSONAL.

Mrs. A. F. Garden is visiting in St. Andrews. Neil McKinnon is able to be about again after his serious accident.

Miss Jennie E. Townsend, who has been visiting in Fredericton, returned home last week. Ralph Ketchum, son of G. Randolph Ketchum, of Ashland, Me., spent Sunday in Woodstock.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Allen Perley, of Andover, were in Woodstock last week, guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Garden.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Burpee, of St. John, have been spending a week with Mrs. Burpee's father, T. J. Boyer at the Victoria Hotel.

C. Herbert N. Connell who has been the engineer in charge of construction on a section of the Algoma Central Railway, arrived home on Saturday.

George McPhail of Mavor & McPhail spent Sunday at his home in Woodstock. He left on Tuesday for Berlin, N. H., where the firm have a contract.

Mrs. John Scovil, of Butte, Mont., spent Sunday with Miss Isabel Smith in Woodstock. Mrs. Scovil has been visiting friends and relatives in Jacksonville.

Miss Margaret Stewart left on Saturday for Newport, R. I., where she will study nursing. Before leaving she was presented by a number of her friends with a handsome gold chain.

Irvine Dibblee, who has been engaged with Mavor & McPhail on the construction of the Fish River Ry., from Ashland to Fort Kent, spent last week in Woodstock. He left yesterday for Berlin, N. H.

### Benton.

A very pretty wedding took place here last Wednesday afternoon, when Miss Pearle, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Deakin, was united in marriage to Lee McKinney, of California. The wedding was performed at the home of the bride's parents by Rev. G. A. Ross, of Woodstock. The bride was prettily attired in a traveling dress of dark blue and white silk trimming with hat to match. After a bountiful repast the bridal party drove to the railway station where they took the evening express en route to California, where they will make their future home. Many friends were at the station to bid them goodbye, also to bid goodbye to Norman and Archie Mills, who left on the same train, Archie for Colorado, and Norman for California.

Miss Julia Griffin is at home ill with appendicitis. Dr. Griffin is in attendance. Many of her young friends are sorry to hear of her illness.

Mrs. George Mills arrived home Saturday last from Woodstock Hospital where she underwent an operation successfully. Everyone is glad to hear of her recovery.

The young people of this place are enjoying the skating. A merry party were cut on the river Saturday evening and although it was quite dark the absence of the moon was not missed as the boys built bonfires.

A concert was held in DeBec Hall on Monday night last by the Berton Concert Company. The proceeds are to be given to the Woodstock Hospital.

### LOST.

On Saturday evening between Stephen Peabody's and the watering trough, a grey fur sleigh robe with grey woollen lining. The finder will please leave at the Queen Hotel, Woodstock. Dec. 1-11.

### WANTED.

Four hundred people to call and see our photographic work, and have sittings so that they can get their photos before Christmas. Prices reasonable.

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Operator and Manager.  
Queen street, Woodstock, N. B.

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All kinds of light and heavy.

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JOHN CONNOR

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### FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE.

The Sunday School Library of the Jacksontown Baptist church. About 200 or 250 volumes. Apply to W. A. CONNOLLY, Jacksontown. Nov. 19th 11.

Marriage Licenses & Wedding Rings for sale CARR & GIBSON, Jewellers, Woodstock.