

LOCAL TOPICS.

REV. MR. TEASDALE, Fredericton, preached in the Methodist church Sunday last.

The young people of Bath will give a concert in Gallagher's hall in the near future, the proceeds to be devoted to the sidewalk fund.

OUR TOWN ELECTION will be the subject of the sermon next Sunday evening in the Albert St., Baptist church by the Rev. Z. L. Fash.

Some of the farmers along the line of the C. P. R., north of Woodstock, are profitably engaged in getting out pulp wood which is shipped to St. John by rail.

The postal authorities at Woodstock, have received instructions from head quarters, not to deliver mail to children under twelve years of age.

At the Century Ice Rink Friday evening the band will be in attendance. Good music, and good ice. Skating also Wednesday evening and Saturday afternoon. Admission ten cents.

C. HERB PHILLIPS whose family moved to Worcester, Mass., a short time ago, has sold the stock in his store and warehouse at Clear View and will join his family at once. The people at Clear View and the vicinity will miss Mr. Phillips and his store very much.

GOSPEL service will be held in the Seventh Day Adventist Hall, King St., (over Mr. Atherton's Harness Shop) Sabbath (Saturday) at 3.00 p. m.; Sunday at 8.00 p. m.; Tuesday at 8.00 p. m.; Health and Temperance study Thursday at 8.00 p. m. All are cordially invited to attend these services.

JOHN MCKENZIE who has conducted a paint shop in connection with John Lorne's carriage factory on Connell street, has moved to Hull & Glidden's factory on King street where he has a stock of paints and varnishes, the best that money can buy. He invites any one who wants his carriage painted to call and see him.

The prosecution of Mrs. Marsten of Meductic, on a charge of having poisoned her husband, was begun at Fredericton last week. The grand jury found a true bill and the trial was adjourned until the 27th until the crown should have an opportunity of getting a witness who is away in the woods. J. C. Hartley is defending the prisoner.

The "Monetary Times" says:—"The Manufacturers' and Temperance and General Life Assurance Co., with an income of more than a million, and with interest, income and rents more than sufficient to pay losses of this year—the Co. offers to the public an earning power which may well attract additions to its already large list of policy holders.

TENDERS are asked for the rebuilding of the Porten bridge over Eel River in the parish of Woodstock. This bridge was burned about four years ago and the lack of a bridge at this point was a very great inconvenience to the residents. The plans may be seen at the office of Stephen B. Appleby, M. P. P., Woodstock, and at the store of Theophilus Edwards, Meductic.

The ice crop is being harvested as rapidly as possible. William McDonald will get about 2,000 tons and The Carleton Creamery Co., about 200 tons. Mr. McDonald has five teams and teamsters at work and seven or eight other men. Already he has a couple of hundred tons of ice stored. It is from nineteen to twenty inches thick and clear water ice. It is the best ice we have had for years, and so thick and heavy it is difficult to cut and to handle.

The concert given in the opera house on Wednesday evening last by the colored ladies of the Orpheus Club was very well patronized. The programme was varied and interesting and showed evidence of much training. The musical selections were catchy and up-to-date. There were several readings and selections on the programme which were greatly enjoyed. Mr. McIntyre, who, by the way, has a pleasing baritone voice, was loudly applauded in his specialty song and had to respond to an encore. A great deal of credit is due to Miss. Nellie Winslow, the president, and Miss Edna Wise, the musical director of the Club, for the success of the concert.

THERE are bright prospects for the establishing of an Incandescent Electric Light system at Grand Falls. Fred Wade is now canvassing the town to see what encouragement he can obtain for the starting of a plant. The success of this undertaking depends largely on whether an available Water Power can be obtained which seems somewhat doubtful. It sounds somewhat odd that where there is the greatest water power of the Maritime Provinces it is about impossible to obtain power for even a small plant. Should the Wade project fall through a number of the merchants however have a scheme whereby a plant would likely be established.—Victoria Co., News.

Compliments of the season to all.

G. A. KEITH, Photographer.

C. R. WATSON has three second hand pianos for sale, two of them are as good as new.

DR. COLTER, Post office Inspector, was in Woodstock last week inspecting the office here.

THE funeral of the late Mina Fisher, which took place on Thursday last from the residence of Mrs. John Fisher was very largely attended.

SURVEYOR-GENERAL DUNN estimates that the receipts from the sale of game licenses for the past season will be close to \$12,000, an increase of nearly \$3,000 over previous years.

PATTEN & PERRY, the celebrated comedians, will give a performance in Woodstock one night only, Saturday the 17th. Campbell and Fletcher, the well known acrobats are with them this trip. Prices, 10, 20 and 30 cts.

A. G. FIELDS, who has been for a year chief engineer of Donald Fraser & Son's mills, at Cabano is back again at his old post in Woodstock as foreman of the Small & Fisher machine shops. Mr. Fields' many friends are glad to have him back here again.

AS THE field stands today the candidates for the mayoralty are: W. B. Belyea, R. B. Jones and J. A. Lindsay. For the council the candidates are: J. T. A. Dibblee, G. E. Balmain, H. E. Burt, A. E. Jones, James McManus, I. E. Sheasgreen, J. R. Murphy, J. T. Garden and I. Wallace Fisher.

RANDOLPH ADAMS, of Hartland, was killed by a falling tree at George Hayward's camp, Horton Branch, above Cabano on Friday last. The remains were brought to Cabano by Will Hayward, son of Sheriff Hayward, and thence to Hartland for interment. The funeral took place on Sunday. Mr. Adams who was about 25 years old was the only support of a widowed mother and a small brother and sister.

GEO. E. ARMSTRONG of Perth who has many hunting camps of the Tobique and Miramichi, was in town yesterday on his way to Fredericton to attend the annual meeting of the New Brunswick Guides Association. Mr. Armstrong says he had the best season yet, this year. At his camp there were taken fifteen moose, four caribou and four deer. Every man but one who went to his camps got a piece of game of some sort. The fishing season opens on the first of May and Mr. Armstrong has already requests from a large number of men for an opportunity to get into the fishing country.

THE case of Douglas McCatherine, of Fredericton, vs. Mered E. Brewer, of Woodstock, was taken up by the York circuit court last Saturday and disposed of. The jury, after being out a short time, returned a verdict in favor of the plaintiff for \$102 and the judge allowed him supreme court costs. The action was brought to recover the price of a quantity of goods purchased by the defendant from plaintiff some years ago. This is the second time it has been tried, the plaintiff on a former occasion having recovered a verdict of \$450, which was set aside on appeal and a new trial ordered. F. St. John Bliss appeared for plaintiff, F. B. Carvell for defendant.

Hospital Fund.

St. Paul's Presbyterian Church (a portion of the contribution).....\$ 59 00
Carleton County Council (half-yearly grant).....200 00

To Cure a Cold in a Day.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

To the Electors of the Town of Woodstock:

I am a candidate for one of the seats at the council board that you will elect on Monday next. If you think I am worthy of your support, please do not forget to put my name on your ballot before depositing same. I will, if elected, use my best efforts to promote the welfare of the Town.

I am yours truly,
JULIUS T. GARDEN.

Some Cough Truth.

If you get the wrong cough remedy and it fails, you lose time, render the cough harder to cure, and are out your money.

There are a good many wrong cough remedies, but it is easy to avoid them. Come here and get our

White Pine Expectorant

and you will be sure of an effective scientific preparation, one that is endorsed by hundreds of people in this locality, and one that costs you nothing if it ever fails.

GARDEN BROS.
DRUGGISTS,
Woodstock, N. B.

PERSONAL.

F. M. Rutter spent Sunday in Boston.

Miss Burns of Bathurst, is visiting Mrs. J. S. Creighton.

Miss Maude Wright of St. John, is visiting Miss Rose Dibblee.

John McIntosh, Glassville, was in Woodstock last week on business.

Miss Chapman was in Florenceville last week visiting Miss McGaffigan, who is ill.

Harry McLeod and John Oldham of Fredericton, spent Sunday at the Victoria Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. John McKay of Osooska, Alberta, are visiting Mr. McKay's old home at Florenceville.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Benson of Montreal, spent part of last week in Woodstock, guests of Mrs. Benson's aunt, Mrs. R. B. Jones.

Hedley Murray arrived here on Saturday from Fredericton, to relieve J. Mauns Aitken, who has gone on a three weeks vacation.

Mrs. (Rev.) J. H. Macdonald, Fredericton, came to Woodstock, Friday last, to attend the funeral of her friend, Miss Mina Fisher.

Who Puts up Your Prescriptions?

WE invite the privilege. We use the best quality of every drug; we exercise the most exacting care with every part of the work. We produce medicine that brings the best possible results. We charge only a living profit above the cost of materials.

Let us Fill your Prescriptions.

E. W. MAIR,
Prescription Druggist,

Successor to the Baird Co., Ltd.
(Retail Department.)

NOTICE.

I take this method to inform my customers and the public that I have moved my paint shop from Connell Street to Hull & Glidden's on King St., across the street from the Wrapper factory. I need no introduction to the public as I have been painting your carriages and sleighs for nearly twenty years and I am safe in saying that I have at all times given satisfaction and will continue to do the same to my customers, giving them always good work for the lowest possible price. Should you want your carriage painted this winter I shall be pleased to see you at my new quarters where I am stocked up with the best varnishes and paints that can be bought for money.

Yours truly,

JOHN MCKENZIE.

To the Electors of the Town of Woodstock:

In compliance with the request of a number of rate payers of the Town, I have consented to be a candidate for the office of councillor and if elected will give careful attention to the general welfare of the Town.

I am yours truly,
I. WALLACE FISHER.
Woodstock, N. B., Jan. 12th, 1903.

The Great West Life Assurance Company

We require a first-class general agent for Carleton County. To a desirable applicant an excellent contract will be given which will include a renewal interest.

This company has, and is, making rapid progress. Two strong reasons for this—first, lowest rates and highest guarantees. Second, according to returns made by all companies to the government, the rate of interest earned by the Great West Life is higher than any other company, and this fact means larger profits for our policy holders.

First class references required. Apply immediately to

The Great West Life Assurance Co.,
Box 424, St. John, N. B.

LOST.

Somewhere in Woodstock on Tuesday, the 13th, a Ten Dollar Bill. The finder will be rewarded by leaving it with Sheriff Hayward, or by sending it to OREN KIMBALL, Carleton Co.

WANTED.

A young girl for light house work, good wages, and light work. Apply to
MRS. JOHN STEWART,
Division St., Woodstock.



Of Interest to Every Man

That would have a swell, elegant and handsome Winter Overcoat. When you want to possess that undefinable something called style it can only be given by an artistic tailor who can give you a good fit and finish. We have fine Imported and Domestic Woollens for your choice that are rich and handsome and exclusively our own.

GEO. W. GIBSON,
Merchant Tailor, Queen St.

Something Extra
IN THE
Tooth Brush Line,

Is to be seen this week at

SHEASGREEN'S,
CONNELL PHARMACY, Main Street, Opp. Carlsle Hotel.

APPROPRIATE,
USEFUL, BEAUTIFUL.

What better present for Father or Mother than a pair of

SPECTACLES
—OR—
EYE GLASSES.

EYES SCIENTIFICALLY TESTED by our Graduate Optician. Glasses bought for Xmas Presents will be properly fitted afterwards without further charge.

W. B. JEWETT,

Marriage Licenses and Wedding Rings.

Woodstock, N. B.

Houlton, Me.

CUSTOM TAILORING.

In this department we make it a point to suit our customers in Fit, Style and Quality of goods. Many pretty and serviceable patterns to select from. None but experienced hands employed.

Men's Furnishings.

Neckwear in all makes and styles, Gloves, Fur Caps, Fur Collars, Hosiery, Shirts, Underwear, Silk, Cashmere and Wool Mufflers, Dress Suit Cases, Valises and Grips, and Clothing Galore.

R. B. JONES, MANCHESTER HOUSE.

FOR SALE.

A sleigh, almost new, one of the latest and handsomest designs on the market. Can be seen at Gallagher Bros. stables. Apply to GEO. E. PHILLIPS, Connell's Foundry.
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FOUND.

Near post office, one day last week, a set of false teeth. The owner can have them by applying at residence of GEORGE SUTTON, St. Andrews Street, Woodstock.

WANTED.

A second class female teacher for term beginning January 1st 1903 in district No. 14 Richmond. Apply stating salary to ALBERT RAY, Secretary, Woodstock Road Station, N. B.

TEACHER WANTED.

A second class female teacher for District No. 2, Wilmet and Simonds. Address, HOWARD PALMER, Sec'y Trustees, Wilmet. Jan. 7, 31.

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