

TO ADVERTISERS.

THE DISPATCH desires to impress on advertisers that changes of advertisement must be handed in not later than six o'clock on Monday to insure insertion in the issue for the current week.

LOCAL TOPICS.

ALBERT SMITH, son of Charles L. Smith, who was so very ill, is recovering.

J. R. H. SIMMS, Barrister, of Bath, was in town last week attending the Supreme Court.

MRS. W. H. S. COX and son, of Moncton, are visiting Mrs. Cox brother, Wallace Gibson.

A. R. CURRIE, of Richmond, returned last week from Philadelphia where he has been studying dentistry.

THE water in the river is higher than at any time this season, and the logs are running briskly. The outlook for the drives is good.

WILFRED RAYMOND, the only son of Mr. and Mrs. C. Woodbury Raymond died at their home in California last week, aged two years.

HERB CONNELL, who returned from Nova Scotia last week left on Monday for Lethbridge, Alberta, where an excellent position awaits him.

GEORGE O'DONNELL, of Debec, returned last week from Philadelphia where he has just finished his third year in the Medical Chirurgical College.

THE Carleton Creamery is running and farmers are requested to bring in their milk. The skimming stations will probably start up on the tenth of May.

ON Friday last the stock of Saunders Bros. was sold to S. S. Miller, of Hartland, at 41% of the invoice price. It is thought Mr. Miller will dispose of it in small lots to retail dealers.

THE DRUG STORE of E. W. Mair is receiving some extensive repairs and improvements. A new larger plate glass front will be put in and the attractiveness of the place generally enhanced.

JOHN W. CARMONT, of McKeezie Corner, is selling out his homestead and household effects. He intends to move to Plaster Rock, V. Co. where he has a position with Donald Fraser & Sons.

THE MANUFACTURERS LIFE is the only company in Canada that gives total abstainers cheaper rates than non-abstainers. It is very much to the advantage of all total abstainers to insure in this company.

ELD. M. McFADYEN will deliver a prophetic lecture next Sunday the 10th, inst. at 3 p. m. in the Advent Christian church on Maple St. Subject—"Capital and Labor" from a Bible standpoint. All are cordially invited.

THE REV. H. C. ARCHER and wife, of Meductic, have returned from Moncton whither they were called by the illness and death of Mrs. Archer's father, Mr. Isaac B. Clark. Mr. Clark was car inspector of the I. C. Ry, and had been in the service of the company for thirty years.

W. F. GLIDDEN has disposed of fifty three horses this year. Last week he sold ten. A couple of weeks ago he went to Montreal again and brought back a second importation of twelve horses. The demand in the North West has sent the price away up. There is every prospect that the price will be high for a couple of years or more.

THE REV. B. T. GASKIN, of Meductic, will hold a series of religious meetings in a tent this summer, beginning at Millville about June 1st. His tent has a seating capacity of 500. After leaving Millville he will probably go to Smith's Corner, Bear Island, Hawkshaw and Meductic. The details of his tour have not yet been fully worked out.

H. W. PEARMAN, teller of the Peoples' Bank of Halifax, Woodstock, will be promoted to the head office at Halifax. Before leaving for Halifax Mr. Pearman will be relieving manager at Hartland for three weeks. Harry S. McLauchlan is promoted to Mr. Pearman's place as teller in the bank here. Clarence Johnson and John Wallace are also promoted and a new junior will be added to the staff.

THE 67th Regt. Band will give a grand concert in Graham's Opera House on Tuesday evening next, May 12th, under the patronage of Col. and Mrs. A. D. Hartley and the officers of the 67th Regt., the 10th Field Battery and the Brighton Engineers. An excellent programme is being prepared consisting of solos, duets and choruses by some of the best local talent and selections by the band. Prices 15 cts., 25 cts. and 35 cts.

GEORGE H. McCLOSKEY, of Meductic has a pure bred grey Plymouth Rock hen 10 months old, that laid an egg last week measuring six inches round one way and 8 1/2 inches the other, and weighing 4 1/2 ounces. Laying large eggs is getting to be a habit with this hen, for not long ago she laid one weighing 4 ounces. Mr. Colpitts, of Woodstock, has a hen quite as ambitious. Last week she laid an egg 6 1/2 inches by 8 inches round and weighing 4 1/2 ounces.

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ARCH F. and ARTHUR E. HALE, of Wicklow, are in Woodstock.

M. A. EDGAR, of Three Brooks, has accepted a position as travelling representative for Garden Bros.

ALEX DUNBAR SR. returned on Saturday from Boston where he had been on a business trip extending over a couple of weeks.

MRS. GRACE STOTT, of the China Inland Mission work, will speak in the Reformed Baptist Church on Wednesday evening of this week.

In the Supreme Court last week, in the case of Hale vs. Leighton verdict was given for the defendant. The case of McKenzie vs. Loane has been submitted to arbitration.

MRS. NELSON STAIRS, of Lower Southampton, died on Saturday, leaving four little children. Mr. Stairs died in the month of February. The profoundest sympathy is felt for the bereaved little children.

ON Friday evening at eight o'clock in the Methodist church, Frank B. Carvell will deliver a lecture on the constitution and government of the Dominion of Canada. A musical programme has been prepared.

A BEAUTIFUL large bull moose came out of the woods in Grafton on Monday morning and walked down on the farm of J. J. Hale, within a couple of hundred feet of the road. After walking about for a while he returned to the woods.

ALL THE former members of the Chapman Chorus are invited to attend a rehearsal in the basement of the Methodist church on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. Dr. Baker will conduct a practice of some Chapman Choruses for the band concert on the 12th inst.

TIMOTHY RILEY jr., a young man about 30 years of age, son of Timothy Riley, of Johnville, died at Waterville, Me., last week after a long illness of appendicitis. The remains were brought home for interment by his brother, John Riley, accompanied by two sisters, Mrs. Gillin and Mrs. Hogan, of Houlton.

JOHN MORRISEY, M. P. P., was in Woodstock on Monday. On Saturday he was at Bath, where as Provincial President of the A. O. H. he made an official visit to the lodge there. There were about fifty members present. After the lodge adjourned the party repaired to the Tracy hotel where a luncheon was served.

C. L. MERRITT has moved into the Mrs. W. T. Drysdale house, Donald Matheson has moved to the house on Victoria Terrace lately occupied by Mr. Merritt, S. McKibbin has taken the house on Queen St. South vacated by Mr. Matheson, Thomas Hoyt has moved to the Sherwood building and R. L. Douglass has moved to the house on Queen Street South vacated by Mr. Hoyt.

AT THE concluding meeting of the winter session, St. Luke's Y. P. Assoc'n, held Monday evening last, Mrs. Dimock, Pres., in the chair with R. Norman Loane sec'y, a vote of thanks proposed by Mr. J. D. Carey, seconded by Miss Clark was unanimously accorded to Miss B. Maude Dibblee, and the ladies and gentlemen who rendered such efficient service at the two entertainments given on 27th of April and 2nd of May, in the Parish Hall. The proceeds which were over \$55. go towards the repair fund of St. Luke's church.

THERE was a large congregation at the Free Baptist church, Gibson, on Sunday morning, when Rev. Allan Rideout, of Marysville, preached a very practical and instructive sermon, taking his text from the 11th verse of the CXIX Psalm, "Thy word have I hid in mine heart that I might not sin against Thee." The reverend gentleman was in his usual good form and held the closest attention to the close of one of the ablest discourses heard in Gibson for some time, and pictured the wrongs of sin in eloquent language, and concluded with a strong appeal to all to become Christians. The singing by the choir was a pleasing feature of the services.—F'ton Herald.

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PERSONAL.

Miss Law, of Canterbury Station, was in Woodstock on Saturday.

Thane M. Jones, Barrister, Hartland, was in town last week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace McElroy left for British Columbia last Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Bertie A. McCain, of Florenceville, has been visiting Mrs. John Atherton the past week.

The Rev. F. Allison Currier and Capt. J. J. Bull left on Monday morning in a small boat for Sunbury County.

Miss Ida Barker of Sheffield, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. (Dr.) Kierstead, returned home on Monday.

Mrs. W. H. King of Woodstock, is in the city visiting her daughter, Mrs. Dennis Shea.—Fredericton Herald.

Miss McGaffigan of Florenceville, and Mrs. Stewart of East Florenceville, were in Woodstock last Wednesday attending the Clary Concert.

ON Wednesday evening last Miss Mary Louise Clary, of New York, assisted by Mrs. F. G. Spencer, Miss Olga Smith and Mr. J. A. Kelly, of St. John, gave a concert in the opera house. The acoustic properties of the opera house are not of the best and for this reason the artists were at a disadvantage, but notwithstanding this fact the audience was delighted. Such a voice as Clary's has never been heard here before. Mrs. Spencer possesses a pleasing soprano voice that shows training. Mr. Kelly, St. John's favorite tenor, was in good voice and his selections were well received. Miss Smith, the accompanist, performed her work in a faultless manner.

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Private Sale.

There will be sold at private sale, at the residence on Green street, near College building, today, and during the rest of this month, all the household furniture of the undersigned.

H. W. PEARMAN, Woodstock. May 1, 2i.

WANTED.

Cheese-maker for Petersville and Hampstead Factory. Must start 25th May. From 20 to 50 cwt. of milk. Apply stating salary to W. A. MACHUM, Polleyhurst, Queens Co., N. B.

FOR SALE.

A fine jump-seat covered carriage, almost new, for less than half cost price. Grain or stock taken in payment. A. W. CURRIE, Waterville. May 1, 3i.

PIANO FOR SALE.

A second-hand piano in good condition to be sold at a bargain. The instrument may be seen in St. Luke's Parish Hall, Woodstock. For particulars apply to ARCHDEACON NEALES. May 1, 3 mos.

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Pure bred Barred Plymouth Rock eggs for hatching. 15 eggs for 45c. W. E. SHEPARD, Jacksontown, N. B. May 1, 2i.

GIRL WANTED.

A dining room girl is wanted at the Victoria Hotel, Woodstock.

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FOR SALE.

On St. John street, a house and furniture owned by Mrs. B. F. Estey, also land for garden, situated near Dunbar's foundry, Fisher's foundry, and the Woodworking factory, a few minutes walk from Queen St. Station. For particulars inquire of MRS. B. F. ESTEY on the premises. May 1, 4i.



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House on Elm Street, now occupied by George Robinson. Possession given 1st May next, terms moderate. Apply to J. C. Hartley, Barrister, Queen Street. Jan. 28, t.f.

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Ohio Imported Chester White Pigs either sex, Pairs not akin. Registered in owners' name. Orders filled promptly, safe delivering guaranteed. ANSEL FRANKLIN, Lower Woodstock, Carleton County, N. B. April 29, 3 mos.

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