

LOCAL TOPICS.

THE election for County councillors will be held on Tuesday October 13th.

THURSDAY, October 15th, has been appointed to be "Thanksgiving Day."

THE Debec Agricultural Exhibition will be held on Thursday of next week, October 8th.

WALLACE GIBSON, George McElroy, Samuel Arscott and Everett Colwell got a dandy moose on the Miramichi waters last week.

MR. JAMES DYSART, of Blaine, Me., was down last week on business connected with the settlement of the estate of his late father.

DR. W. D. RANKIN returned last week from a fortnight's visit to Boston, where he has been spending his time in the hospitals of that city, in order to get in touch with the latest methods of surgery.

AT TWO o'clock this afternoon at the town hall there will be a meeting of the directors of the hospital to elect a trustee to fill the vacancy caused by the removal of the Rev. W. F. Chapman to St. John.

WHILE THE MANUFACTURERS LIFE shows an increase of 50 per cent. in surplus it shows a decrease in expense ratio. Consequently for absolutely safe insurance and large profits insure in this company.

THE Woodstock foot ball team are practising regularly. They have a challenge from the team of the University of New Brunswick to meet them on their grounds at Fredericton. The challenge will probably be accepted.

MR. J. MARTIN WALKER, manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia at Kentville, N. S., spent Sunday with his parents in Woodstock. He left yesterday morning for St. Stephen where he will today marry Miss Grace Wilson.

MR. JOHN B. GRANT, of Debec, desires to express his appreciation of the kind and skillful treatment his late wife received from the doctors, the matron and the nurses at the Carleton County Hospital, during her residence there.

ALDERMAN A. W. McRAE and Mr. Louis Green, of St. John, were in town on Monday on their way home from Red Rapids, where they had made a very successful moose hunt. Each gentleman brought back a good head of his shooting. Within twenty four hours they saw six large bull moose.

JAMES F. GARDEN, brother of Garden Bros. druggists, has been nominated by the conservatives of Vancouver, B. C., as a candidate in the coming elections, which take place in that province next month. Dr. King, son of Senator King, of this province, who at one time practised at Andover is also a candidate.

IN our last issue there were credited to the Woodstock Manufacturing Co., four first prizes that were won by and should have been credited to the Woodstock Woodworking Co. These prizes were for best display of inside house finish in natural wood, doors and windows, inside stair and verandah stock and inside house finish.

ON his recent visit to British Columbia F. H. Hale, M. P., acquired some very extensive lumber interests and a joint stock company of which he is a director has been formed for their exploitation. Mr. Hale expects to go to British Columbia again this fall to look after the business and some of his old employees may go with him.

AMONG the guests at the Dominion is Thos. A. McBride, of Woodstock, N. B. Although comparatively a young man, Mr. McBride was in the Cassiar country in 1875. He was in Yale in 1880 and saw some of the most stirring times there. When he saw Vancouver first it was known as Gastown and now, after an absence of 12 years, he hardly knows the place.—Vancouver World, 15th.

THE annual meeting of the Co-operative Fire Insurance Co. was held on Wednesday evening last. The following directors were elected: Hugh Hay, John McCormac, H. A. Connell, H. N. Payson, Wm. McDonald, J. W. Dalling, W. Fisher, Jas. McManus and J. A. Lindsay. J. A. Lindsay was elected collector and the directors chose Hugh Hay president and John McCormac secretary of the Company.

THE Hon. L. P. Farris and Mr. J. F. Tilley have been requested by the Commissioner of Agriculture for the state of Maine to address two meetings at Presque Isle on October 21st and 22nd on matters pertaining to the advancement of the dairy industry in Aroostook County. Mr. Farris will be unable to go, having previously made an engagement for those dates but Mr. Tilley will address the meetings.

THERE will be a convention of Dairy Superintendents at Ottawa, commencing November 3rd, at the instance of the Dominion Department of Agriculture. It may be remembered that at the last meeting of this kind held at Ottawa last year the New Brunswick system of inspection and instruction was adopted by the Ontario Department of Agriculture. Messrs J. F. Tilley, Harvey Mitchell and L. C. Daigle will be present.

This is not too early to think about your
XMAS PHOTOS.

Come in and see our Latest Styles.

G. A. KEITH,
Photographer.

PERSONAL.

Mr. Mark Tapley returned from his holidays on Monday.

Miss Mary Mallory, of Perth, is visiting Miss Beattie McLaughlan.

Mrs. Frank A. Good and family leave tomorrow to join Mr. Good in Fredericton.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hannington, of Glassville, were in Woodstock on Saturday.

Miss E. Janie Clare, returned to her duties in the Waltham hospital on Tuesday.

Mrs. C. W. Jenner, of Eastport, Me., is a guest of Mrs. Fred H. Webber, Woodstock.

Mr. Ross Currie leaves this week for Philadelphia to take up his studies in dentistry.

The Rev. F. A. Currier, M. A., left on Monday morning for his home in Queens County.

Mrs. Charles P. Clare left on Tuesday to visit her daughter, Mrs. Glenn, at Grand Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred F. Harrison and their little daughter, of Houlton, spent Sunday in Woodstock.

Mr. Murray Mansfield, of Quebec City, is spending a few days at his old home in Woodstock.

Mr. Gordon Connell and Miss Madeline Connell returned on Monday from a visit to Fredericton.

Mrs. C. P. Connell and Miss Gretchen Smith left for Chatham Monday to visit Mrs. Geo. Fisher.

Mrs. E. A. Burden and daughter, Thelma, of Fredericton are visiting at her sister's Mrs. John Atherton.

Miss Lou Baird, who was visiting her brother, Mr. Harry D. Baird, of Chapel St., returned to Boston last week.

Capt. du Plessis, of Kingston, Ont., was in Woodstock this week inspecting the armory of the 10th field Battery.

Mrs. Harold E. Cook, Vassalboro, Me., and Mrs. Merchie Seelye, Ashland, Me., spent last week with their brother, E. Herbert Parks, Richmond, N. B.

Miss Mamie E. Jackson, St. John, professional nurse, has joined the Carleton County hospital staff for the third term. She went on duty on Tuesday, 22nd inst.

Miss Law of Canterbury Station, who has been relieving Mr. Chase, Canadian Pacific Telegraph operator, for two weeks, will leave for home today, on the return of Mr. Chase.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Estabrooks and their little daughter, of Centerville, were in town last week on their way to Linneus, Me., to visit Mr. Estabrooks' cousin, Dr. Boyd, who is ill.

Mr. Charles M. Raymond, of Providence, R. I., spent Sunday in town a guest of W. P. Jones, M. P. P. Mr. Raymond now represents a large pottery concern in the eastern states.

F. W. NEVENS called at this office on Tuesday last and deposited a potato on the editor's table which weighed three pounds.

THE outlet of the sewer just below the river bridge is quite out of water and has been so for some time. The effect of this on the public health cannot be good.

MR. ALBERT SIMONSON father of the Rev. E. W. Simonson of Centerville and of Mrs. (Dr) Prescott of Woodstock, has sold his farm at Jacksonville and will move into Woodstock to live.

MRS. WM. CORBETT and Mrs. H. D. Stevens delegates from the Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church of Woodstock left on Monday for Moncton to attend the convention of that society which meets in that city on Tuesday 30th inst., which embraces N. B., and P. E. I.

ON Monday night Sheriff Foster arrested Erlon Brooker at his house about five miles back of Bristol on a charge of having burned the barn of Asa Davenport about four miles back of Bristol on Saturday night. The sheriff brought the prisoner to Woodstock yesterday, and the police magistrate remanded him until Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock, when the examination will take place.

MACDUFF, Recorder Colter's fast black gelding, and James Gallagher's handsome bay mare, Gertie Glen, were shipped to Chatham this morning over the Canada Eastern. Harvey McCoy will drive the black son of Lord Dufferin and expects to bring back the big end of the 2.30 class, trot or pace, purse, as the Recorder's gelding has been moving some fast miles of late. The Woodstock mare should make a good deal more than expenses if she goes as she did when here.—F'ton Gleaner, Sept. 28th.

IF YOU KNEW.

If we could talk it over, if we could show you the vast number of prescriptions that have been filled here without an error, if you could examine all our packages of important drugs and chemicals and know the reputations the makers have for reliability; in short, if you could fully realize the superior service given throughout, we would not have to urge you to bring your prescriptions here.

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LOST.

A gold knot brooch on Sept. 11th, either between Geo. Gibson's tailor shop and Lee's variety store, or between the latter place and Connell street. Finder will please leave same at this office.

NEW MILLINERY STORE.

I wish to announce to my friends and the public that I will have my fall opening of the latest styles of Millinery etc., on the following days, Oct. 2nd and 3rd 1903, in the building opposite Mr. Geo. McClintock's new residence, lower end of Main St., Centerville. Having secured the service of Miss Baskin, a first class milliner of St. John will do work promptly and up to date. MISS HATTIE I. TOMS.

Closing Out

MILLINERY SALE.

MISS L. E. FITZGERALD

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28th of Sept. until the 28th of Oct.

At this sale you will find almost anything you want in the millinery line, and at about half price.

Wings 10 cents and upwards.

Fall Hats, 25 cents and upwards.

Wool Hoods, 25 cents and upwards.

Silk Velvets, 63 cents—former price \$1.00, and everything else accordingly.

We have also added to the stock on hand a few Felt Hats and Ribbons. Those who come early will get their choice at cost price. Now don't forget to call, and don't forget that the sale only lasts until the 28th of Oct.

Centerville, Sept. 23—1m



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A Reaping Machine used several years, in first class condition, belonging to the George Cowan Estate for sale at a bargain. Apply for particulars to the undersigned, LOUIS E. YOUNG, Barrister.
Woodstock, N. B., August 11, 1903.

FOR SALE.

A grist mill, carpenter's work shop adjoining house, two barns, hog house and three acres of land, at Northampton, seven miles below Woodstock, on the east side of the river, situated about two rods from the highway road and about six rods from the river. Apply on premises to HUGH GIBSON, Northampton.
Aug. 19-tf.

FARM FOR SALE.

Farm containing one hundred acres more or less. A part heavy maple sugary. With or without farm implements. One good barn. G. P. HOVEY, Centerville, N. B. Aug. 26-3 mo.

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