

LOCAL TOPICS.

MR. G. ELTON DAVIS, of St. Stephen, spent Monday in Woodstock.

MR. ALEXANDER HENDERSON left on Saturday morning for the Ledge, Charlotte county, to enjoy a well earned holiday.

The agricultural exhibition of the Richmond Agricultural Society No. 40 will be held on the society's grounds at DeBec on Thursday, October 8th, 1903.

REV. T. J. DEINSTEADT, St. John, preached in the Methodist church on Sunday evening. He addressed the afternoon meeting at the Littleton Camp Ground.

The election for County Councillors will take place on Tuesday, October 13th. In Northampton it is announced that Messrs. J. Herbert Cluff and J. J. Bragdon will be candidates.

ON Monday, August 17th, the barn of John Farnham, of Greenbush, was struck by lightning and burned. His loss in farm machinery and harness, one horse and three hogs, is a severe one.

The sincere sympathy of the community is extended to Mr. and Mrs. James P. Hull in the loss of their daughter Florence, aged 15 months who died last week. It is only a few weeks since they lost a little boy.

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JOHN SUTTON, who has been in the employ of W. F. Dibble & Son left on Friday to make his home in Western Canada. On the Saturday evening previous to his departure the other employees presented Mr. Sutton with a pair of gold cuff links.

ON SUNDAY a man named Gillispie living at Oak Mountain, committed suicide by hanging himself in the barn while the family with whom he lived were away at church. Coroner W. W. Hay, of Woodstock, left on Monday evening to hold an inquest.

THE Y. P. S. C. E. of the Free Baptist church intend holding a lawn party tomorrow, August 27th, on the grounds of Dr. Sunder. Refreshments will be served on the grounds. All kinds of amusement will be provided. Hours 5 to 8 p. m. All are invited. Admission 10 cents.

MRS. GEORGE BURTT was taken very ill last week and got so much worse that it was necessary for her to undergo a surgical operation to save her life. Wednesday night Dr. Rankin assisted by Drs. Estey and Curtis performed the operation and she is now doing as well as can be expected.—Hartland Advertiser.

THE REV. H. C. ARCHER, pastor of the Reformed Baptist Church at Meductic, has received a call to the pastorate of the churches on the island of Grand Manan, rendered vacant by the resignation of the Rev. G. B. Macdonald, who goes to the United States to take a course in theology. Mr. Archer is now in Grand Manan looking over the field.

CONSTABLE FREDERICK ALLAN JARVIS of the Northwest Mounted Police, who is now visiting his home here, was married at the home of his parents, King street, last evening, to Miss Lydia Perkins, of Centreville, Carleton County. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. Roberts in the presence of a few relatives and friends. The happy couple have taken up their abode for the present at the York Hotel.—F'eton Herald, Aug. 20.

THE Rev. Archdeacon Madden, of Liverpool, England, who visits Canada as one of the delegates of the British and Foreign Bible Society will address a public meeting in the Methodist church on Wednesday evening, September 2nd. Archdeacon Madden will be accompanied by Judge Forbes, of St. John. The addresses may be expected to be very interesting. Special music will be provided. All persons who are interested in the bible are cordially invited to attend.

ON Wednesday night at Houlton, on the eve of the departure of Mr. W. Aubrey N. Connell, for South Alberta, a reception and supper was given for him by some of his friends. Many sincere expressions of regret were made at the departure of a gentleman who during his residence in Houlton had gained the respect of the townspeople. Mr. Connell came to Woodstock on Thursday and left on Friday's express for Raymond, South Alberta, where he will have charge of a hardware store.

THOS. McCL. BLAINE, for some time connected with the firm of C. A. Burchill, druggist, in this city and recently travelling representative for the McDiarmid Drug Company of St. John, has resigned his position with that firm and leaves this evening for Minneapolis to accept an important position with a large wholesale drug house in that city. Mr. Blaine's friends will wish him success in his new venture.—F'eton Gleaner. Mr. Blaine spent some months in Woodstock in the employ of the Baird Company Limited.

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MR. MARK GILLIN has returned from Ottawa where he had been taking a course in musketry.

Two men have taken a lease of Mr. H. N. Payson's upper store for a term of five years. They will open up a fancy goods store.

GEORGE SHARP, of Pembroke, sold a fine Durham cow and bull calf to Oscar Shirley, of Houlton, last week. He got a fancy price for them.

WILLIAM JEWETT, of Florenceville, received a telegram on Sunday saying that his eldest daughter, Mrs. Howie, of Edmonton, was dead.

MR. J. E. MCCOLLUM, of Hartland, was in Woodstock on Monday. He started his teams for the woods yesterday. He will cut on the Little Tobique this year.

THERE will be a fine line of athletic events on the track on Friday, September 18th, the last day of the exhibition. Carr & Gibson have ordered gold and silver medals for these events.

MR. F. A. GOOD left on Monday to take up his duties as teacher of science at the Fredericton High School. Mrs. Good and family will remain in Woodstock for the present.

THE Baptist Quarterly Meeting of Carleton and Victoria counties meets with the Baptist church at Lower Wakefield on Tuesday afternoon, Sept 8. Look for programme in next week's paper.

B. B. MANZER, the well known merchant of Woodstock, was in town yesterday attending the funeral of his brother, Rev. W. D. Manzer, of St. Mary's. Mrs. Manzer accompanied him.—F'eton Gleaner.

HARRY VAIL the youngest son of C. E. Vail, Centreville, returned home on Saturday from a four months vacation with his grandfather Alex Morrell of Bell Isle Bay. A few days, before leaving, this plucky young lad by his courage and quickness of thought, single handed, saved a young man from drowning while bathing in the bay.

WHILE Mrs. D. A. Grant and Miss Ivy Hale were driving near Victoria Corner, their horse became frightened and ran away. Miss Hale was thrown out and had one of her ankles broken in two places and the other badly sprained. Mrs. Grant escaped without injury. Miss Hale is now lying in the Carleton County Hospital.

ON Saturday at the Cluff homestead, Northampton there was a grand family picnic in honour of Mr. W. S. Cluff, proprietor of the Grand Central Hotel, Aitken, Minnesota, who with his daughter and sister-in-law Mrs. Nelson I. Cluff have been visiting friends here for some weeks. About sixty guests sat down to dinner on the lawn among them being the mother, seven children, twenty-two grandchildren and seven great grandchildren. Mr. Cluff and party left last night on their return home.

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Amateur Athletic Association.

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An Amateur Athletic Association was formed to be in affiliation with the Association of the Maritime Provinces. The following officers were elected:

President, W. P. Jones.
1st Vice-Pres. Robt. Corbett.
2nd Vice-Pres. J. L. Milmore.
Secy-Treas. Harry McLaughlin.
Asst-Secy Robert Flemming.
Directors, I. E. Sheasgreen, Geo. Balmain, G. B. Manzer, Jas. A. Gibson, and A. G. Bailey.

At a meeting on Monday evening it was decided to have the following events at the meet here during the exhibition:

Field Sports—100 yds dash, pole vault, high jump, hop step and jump, quarter mile run.

Bicycle—Mile novice, quarter mile open, half mile (boys under 16), half mile open, mile open.

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