

LOCAL TOPICS.

TOMORROW is Thanksgiving Day.

Don't forget the High Tea and Apron sale tomorrow evening.

The wells and springs are so dry that many farmers are hauling water, some long distances, for their stock.

JAMES WOOLVERTON took Miss Edith Clark, of Centreville, to the Provincial Lunatic Asylum last week.

LAST week four \$1000 bonds of the Town of Woodstock, bearing 4½% interest, due June 1st, 1916, sold in St. John at 100½.

JAMES WILSON, of Hartford, has leased his farm to his brother, Alfred, and has moved with his family to Houlton for the winter.

A JERSEY heifer has strayed to the premises of I. F. Kinney, Jacksonville. The owner may have her by proving property and paying for this advertisement.

OWNERS of Prize Stock which was photographed by Mr. Adney at the Carleton County exhibition may have copies of such photographs by applying at this office.

THERE is a fine specimen of the white Arctic Owl in the window of B. B. Manzer's dry good store. It belongs to Archie F. Hale, of Wicklow, who is willing to sell it.

THE members of Woodstock Royal Arch Chapter are requested to meet at the Masonic Hall tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock, sharp. Mark and Past Master degrees will be worked.

THE friends of Mrs. R. E. Stephenson, of Ontonagon, Michigan, (formerly Miss Margaret Stephenson of Woodstock,) will be pleased to learn that she is the proud parent of a boy, born on October first.

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 Rev. M. S. Trafton of St. John passed through Woodstock on Saturday on his way to Robie, Me, where he went to attend a Holiness Convention. The Rev. B. Colpitts went to St. John on Saturday to take Mr. Trafton's services.

HIS HONOR JUDGE STEVENS preached in St. Paul's Presbyterian church on Sunday evening. He took as his text a part of Ephesians 2:12, "having no hope, and without God in the world" and preached a thoughtful and able sermon.

JOE DONOVAN, who has been employed in the barber shop of C. D. Johnston for a few years, has purchased the business from Mr. Johnston and is now running it on his own hook. Mr. Donovan will no doubt make a success of the business. Mr. Johnston will hereafter confine his attention to his lively business.

FRANK L. ATHERTON, the Harness Maker of King St., has taken the room above his store formerly occupied by the Utopia club. He has taken away the stairs that went up from the street, thus widening his store several feet and giving him much needed room. The upper flat he will use for surplus stock for the present.

MISS ANTOINETTE HALL, daughter of George Hall, Richmond Corner, died at the hospital at Rockland Me., on Friday morning, after an operation for appendicitis. Miss Hall was a school teacher, a very bright young lady, loved by her scholars and respected by all who knew her. Her death is a sad loss to the community in which she lived.

JOHN SANBORN, of Temple, formerly of Lower Wakefield, had his right leg amputated below the knee at the Carleton County Hospital on Saturday, October 3rd. About two months ago he put on a new pair of shoes that pinched him a little, finally causing a small abrasion of the skin. From this developed blood poisoning and the foot had to be removed.

MRS. HARRY GOLDING of Upper Woodstock is an expert cultivator of roses. She has twelve varieties of out door roses, one of which, a Damask, blooms early in the season and after a rest of a month or two blooms again in October and November. It is now a beautiful mass of rich dark red bloom. Mrs. Golding kindly remembers her friends when these beautiful flowers are in bloom.

A GENTLEMAN from England, the managing director for a concern doing a large furniture business in London, Manchester and Glasgow, was in Woodstock last week in consultation with Mr. A. Henderson regarding the establishment of a furniture factory here. After ascertaining that suitable lumber could be secured here in large quantities for the manufacture of furniture that would find a ready sale in the British market, he expressed himself as being very much pleased with the location, and he asked Mr. Henderson to keep in touch with him during the winter in the hope that he might do some business with the Royal Furniture Company next season.

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

Come in and see our Latest Styles.

G. A. KEITH,
Photographer.

REV. H. D. MARR preached in the Methodist Church Sunday last to large congregations.

JAMES GIBSON and George W. Gibson went to St. John on Tuesday morning on business connected with the Masonry.

A THANKSGIVING Service will be held in St. Paul's Presbyterian Church to-morrow, (Thursday) morning, at eleven o'clock.

MR. JOHN A. CARR, of Boston, is visiting his brother-in-law, Mr. John M. Hay, at McKenzie Corner. He has not been here for seven years.

TOMORROW evening is the date of the High Tea and Apron sale in Payson's Hall, Connell Street. Kirkpatrick's Orchestra will be in attendance. Don't fail to attend.

EVERY teacher in Carleton County who sends the address of their present school to P. O. Box 140, Woodstock, immediately will learn something to their advantage.

A FIRE broke out on Monday evening in the basement of the Carlisle Hotel barn. Fortunately it was discovered before it had gained any headway and it was immediately extinguished.

JAMES MCCLAREY, section boss of the C. P. R'y. at Lower Brighton, had his foot severely injured last week by having a couple of steel rails drop on it. He is getting about on crutches now and expects to be able to get at work again in the course of a week or ten days.

JAMES WHITE of the firm of White and Tweedie, Centreville, lost his beautiful bay mare valued at \$200 last week. It was being driven by his youngest son Murray, when a team from behind recklessly collided with the boy's horse while making a turn, thrusting the shaft deep under the forward leg, and causing its death next day.

THE annual fall renovation of the Canadian Pacific Railway Time Table was made on Sunday. Under the new schedule the early train leaves for the south at 6.45. The express arrives at 11.28. The Gibson train leaves every day at 12.30. The Plaster Rock arrives at 1.15 and leaves at 2.20. The south-bound express arrives at 5.59.

THE York County elections took place last week. In the parish of Canterbury John H. Carr, of Canterbury Station, received 183 votes, and Warden H. F. Grosvenor, of Meductic 138, these two gentlemen being elected. The other candidates were Ira Dow 63 votes, Herb Jameson 43, Jeremiah Colcott 36, E. M. Cummings 15 and Alfred Wright 9.

MR. J. CORKERY has in his store a pair of young raccoons that were captured by Mr. Crandell, an old hunter, in Crandell's Settlement. They were quite frantic with fear when they were first made acquainted with human beings, but they are now getting as philosophical as a pair of cats. Raccoons are very scarce in this part of the country, few people here have ever seen one before and very few knew there was such an animal in this country.

IN the advanced department of Broadway School for August and September the monthly reports have just been handed to the pupils. The results show that the leader in Grade VIII, was Glenna McQuarrie with an average of 76.45; Margaret Dibblee followed as a close 2nd. In Grade VII Minna Falster lead—average 97.15, Arthur Saunders 2nd average 93. Perfect attendance for month—Grade VIII, Helen Foster and Margaret Dibblee, Grade VII Persis Sherwood and Cassie McQuarrie.

MRS. SARAH WOOLVERTON died at the home of her son, James Woolverton, Chapel street, on Sunday, October 11th, at the age of 83 years. Mrs. Woolverton was the daughter of the late John Yerxa, of Keswick, and her husband, the late John Woolverton has been dead twenty-one years. She leaves two sons, James, of Woodstock, and Joseph, of Northampton. The funeral took place on Monday afternoon at two o'clock. The remains were interred in the cemetery of the Kirk at Northampton, the ceremony being conducted by the Rev. W. B. Wiggins, B. A.

Look Out For Coughs.

The season is approaching when you will have to meet the problem of colds and coughs. Each cough is a problem that should be quickly and rightly solved because behind it lie serious possibilities. We suggest that you keep on hand at all times a bottle of our

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Main Street, Opposite Queen,
Woodstock, N. B.

SPECIAL meeting of the Royal Arcanum on Thursday night.

C. J. TABOR has leased the store on Queen St. owned by Walter Craigs. It will be used as a sample room.

ALL the merchants of Woodstock have agreed to close their places of business tomorrow, Thanksgiving Day.

JOHN MCGRATH, of Tapley's Mill, died at his residence on October 12th, at the age of 83 years. He leaves a widow and two sons and four daughters. Mr. McGrath was a highly respected citizen.

YESTERDAY morning some one placed on a pile of cord wood in front of a store on Main Street a large placard reading "Very Choice, Hand Picked, \$13.00." It caused a good deal of laughter and a good many sighs.

THE home of Mr. Frank Simpson Richardson, Deer Island, was much enlivened by the arrival of a chubby little son on Monday 5th inst. Mrs. Simpson was formerly Miss Jennie Cadwalder of Fredericton and taught several years at Wakefield Centre.

ON Saturday afternoon the Rev. J. A. Cahill, pastor of the Baptist Church at Jacksonton, was riding on a high hay wagon, near his home, sitting on the back rail of the rack, when the horses made a sudden start and he went out backwards, striking heavily on his head and shoulders. He was badly shaken up and bruised, and unable to attend to his services on Sunday. Andrew Myles, of Woodstock, conducted his service at Jacksonton on Sunday evening.

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\$50.00 REWARD.

\$50.00 reward will be paid for information that will lead to the conviction of the party or parties who set the fire on that lot of land in Kilmarnock, Parish of Northampton, known as the "Norton Lot" on or about the 20th September, 1903. Oct. 1, 21.

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