

THE DISPATCH.

VOL. 10. NO. 3.

WOODSTOCK, N. B., JUNE 17, 1903.

PRICE TWO CENTS

THE GYPSY BRAND

Tough as Leather Hose.

4-Thread Knees, Heels and Toes.

Just the thing for Boys. We believe that we have the best Hose in the market. Try a pair.

John McLauchlan,

Sole Agent for the Gypsy Brand Tough as Leather Hose.

Have a Look!

LAUGHLIN FOUNTAIN PENS

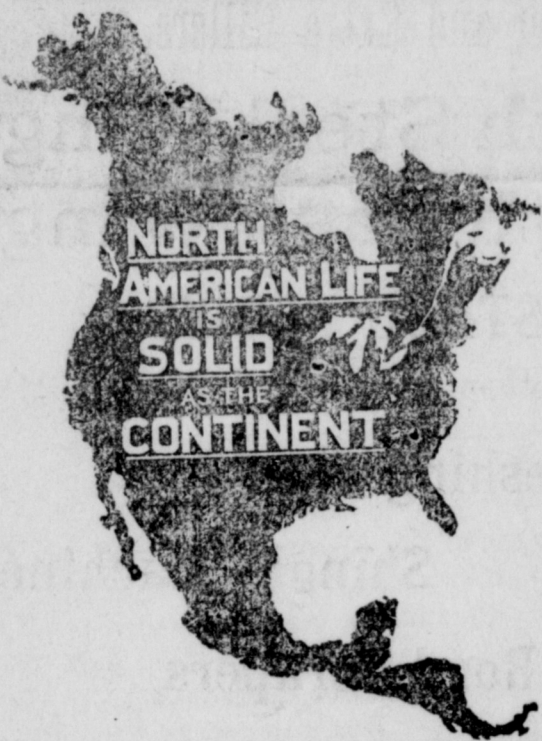
\$1.00 each.

The Blue Front Jewelry Store,

H. V. DALLING, Prop.

Hammond Typewriters,
Laughlin Fountain Pens.

Issuer of
Marriage Licenses.



Canada's Leading Life Insurance COMPANY.

1902

Another Record Breaker.

Amount of insurance written.....	\$6,600,265.00
Increase.....	1,080,198.00
Total cash income.....	1,270,840.00
Increase.....	175,737.00
Total assets.....	6,010,813.00
Increase.....	590,039.83
Total insurance in force.....	30,923,237.00
Increase.....	3,352,384.00
Net Surplus to Policy Holders' account.....	515,044.00

The results to policy holders continue satisfactory while the financial position of the company is unexcelled.

Policies issued on very desirable plans. The North American gives the highest guaranteed cash surrender values, of any company in Canada.

GIBSON & BROWN,

DISTRICT MANAGERS.
Office: Queen Street, Woodstock, N. B.

Nothing succeeds like success.

THE MANUFACTURERS LIFE INSURANCE CO.
IN 1902.

New business written,	\$6,082,336.00
Increase over 1901,	1,058,935.00
Income,	1,240,890.00
Increase over 1901,	177,249.00
Assets as at December 31, 1902,	4,406,329.00
Increase over 1901,	633,852.00
Insurance in force,	30,152,883.00
Increase over 1901,	3,013,952.00

Interest Income Alone Exceeded Death Claims by Nearly \$26,000.00.

The E. R. MACHUM, CO. Ltd.

T. A. LINDSAY, Mgrs. Maritime Provinces, St. John, N. B.
Inspector, Woodstock, N. B.

MAN WANTED.

A farmer in poor health would like to employ a married man to work his farm on shares. Good farm, good buildings, everything found. Apply at this office.
May 27-3 mo.

Tenders Wanted.

Tenders will be received by the undersigned until Saturday, the 20th day of June for the erection of a building on the grounds of the Carleton Co. Agricultural Society. Plans and specifications can be seen on application to C. L. Smith. Building to be completed on the 30th day of Aug. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
H. E. EMERY,
C. L. SMITH,
J. R. BROWN,
Committee.

Butter Paper, printed and unprinted in one and two pound wrappers, at this office

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.

FOR SALE.

Ohio Improved 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.

TENTS, AWNINGS,
AND

WINDOW SHADES,

Made in first-class style. Orders left at W. F. Dibblee & Son will receive prompt attention.
MR. FORSYTH.

JUNE WEDDINGS.

Furse-O'Donnell.

St. Agnes Church, Debec, was the scene of a pretty wedding on Wednesday, when Miss Hannah M. O'Donnell, daughter of the late George O'Donnell, was united in marriage to Mr. Thaddeus J. Furse of Houlton. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Father Murphy. The bride was becomingly attired in a dress of white silk landsdowne with trimmings of white applique and fagotting. She wore a bridal veil and real orange blossoms and carried a beautiful bouquet of white roses and maiden-hair fern. Her bridesmaid, Miss Annie McKeen of Woodstock, looked charming in a pretty dress of pink mull with white insertion and ribbon and carried a bouquet of pink carnations and maiden-hair fern.

After the ceremony was performed Mr. and Mrs. Furse accompanied by a few intimate friends and relatives returned to the home of the bride's mother, where refreshments, fruit etc., were served. The happy couple amid showers of rice, left on the evening express for a trip to Boston, New York and other United States cities. The bride was the recipient of many beautiful presents in solid silver and cut glass, among them being a solid gold watch and chain from the groom.

Mrs. T. J. Furse will receive callers the first week of July at Union Corner.

Watson-Cogswell.

A pretty home wedding took place Wednesday evening, June 10th, at 8 o'clock, at the residence of W. D. Steeves, Broadway. The contracting parties were Miss Susie A. Cogswell and Mr. Clyde B. Watson of Woodstock. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. F. Allison Currier, A.M., pastor of the Free Baptist church. The bride looked very pretty in a dress of white organdie and carried a bouquet of carnations, and was attended by her sister, Miss Emma Cogswell. Mr. Lester Hull acted as best man. Mendelssohn's Wedding March was played by Miss Maude Steeves, niece of the bride. The room was very tastefully decorated with evergreens and flowers. The presents were numerous and beautiful, among them being a very beautiful hall tree by the Free Baptist church and choir of which Mr. and Mrs. Watson are prominent members, also a very comfortable chair by the 67th Reg't Band of which Mr. Watson is a member.

After the ceremony refreshments were served, after which Mr. and Mrs. Watson drove to their home on Main street, amid showers of rice and good wishes, accompanied by a number of their friends.

Pitcher-Cronkhite.

A neat and pretty wedding took place on Wednesday, June 10th, at 3 p. m., at the residence of Mr. George J. Cronkhite, Gregg Settlement, Carleton County, when his daughter, Miss Etta, was united in marriage to Mr. George E. Pitcher, of Oak Bay, Charlotte County. The bride looked charming as she walked to the altar, attired in a beautiful bridal costume, and the groom looked his best, as the beautiful ceremony proceeded to launch the young couple out on the ocean of matrimonial bliss. A select company witnessed the ceremony, after which about thirty guests sat down to a sumptuous repast and everything tended to make the event most happy. The numerous friends heartily wish the young people much happiness. The bride was the recipient of many useful and valuable presents.

Niles-White.

The residence of Hon. G. W. White, Centreville, was the scene of an interesting event on Wednesday June 3rd, the marriage of his daughter, Miss May White to Sydney Niles, a popular young clerk of C. M. Sherwood. A small minority of the immediate relatives and friends witnessed the ceremony which was performed by Rev. E. C. Turner. Mr. and Mrs. Niles are popular young people of the village and we are pleased to know they will make their home in Centreville.

Gee-Ray.

A quiet wedding was solemnized at the residence of George Green, Summerfield, on Wednesday, June 10th, between his step daughter, L. Mabel Ray, and Hartley Gee, a promising young farmer of Upper Wicklow, Rev. L. A. Fenwick officiating.

The bride was attired in a cream waist of Bedford cord trimmed with lace and applique and a skirt of blue ladies cloth with white satin strappings.

At the close of the ceremony a bountiful wedding feast was served and immensely enjoyed by those present, after which the happy young couple drove to their home at Upper Wicklow amid the clappings of a lively serenade.

Christian-Munroe.

On Wednesday, June 10th, Minnie Iva, only daughter of D. F. Munroe, was married at her father's residence, Simonds, to Wm. D. Christian, of Cambridge, Mass., formerly of Simonds. The ceremony took place on the lawn. The bride and groom, led by the officiating clergyman, Rev. W. H. Smith, and the bridesmaid, Miss Tilly Shaw, of Florenceville superior school, amidst peals of music took their place beneath an arch of green in front of which the one hundred spectators stood formed up in crescent shape. The bride prettily dressed in cashmere trimmed with white silk carried a bouquet of white lilacs. The presents were numerous, costly and beautiful. The groom's present to the bride was a handsome gold watch and chain. Among the gifts was one from the Baptist Sunday school, church and congregation, to which bodies the bride has given much valuable and appreciated aid as organist for the past five years. On the following Friday the much loved young couple took train at Hartland, amidst the congratulations and best wishes of many friends, for Cambridge, Mass., where they will reside.

Wright-Murphy.

At Andover, June 3rd, at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. J. Bedell, Murray L. Wright of Perth, and Lillian C. Murphy of Andover, were united in marriage by Rev. R. W. Demmings.

JAMES WATTS,

The Editor of the Carleton Sentinel Passes Away on June 9th.

James Watts, the editor of the Carleton Sentinel, died at his residence in Woodstock, on Tuesday afternoon, June 9th, in the 74th year of his age.

Mr. Watts, the son of William Watts, was born in Fredericton in 1830. After spending a few years in Aroostook County, Maine, he came to Woodstock thirty-seven years ago and associated himself with his brother, the late Samuel Watts, in the management and editorship of the Sentinel, since which time he has been continuously connected with that journal.

Mr. Watts was one of the best known men in Carleton County. He was one of the pioneers in the temperance movement here, and being a gifted orator he rendered good service to the cause.

For years he has been one of the most prominent laymen in the Methodist church in New Brunswick, a liberal contributor to its funds and an earnest worker in all its interests, devoting a great deal of his time particularly to Sunday school work.

Though a life long Liberal in politics, Mr. Watts did not call forth the bitter enmity of his opponents by any harsh criticisms or virulent attacks.

Mr. Watts had very many warm friends and admirers and not an enemy in the world. He was a man of the most kindly disposition and always anxious to assist and contribute to any good cause.

He leaves a widow, who was Miss Williams, one son, James F. Watts of Boston, and three daughters, Mrs. E. J. Bailey, Woodstock, Mrs. Charles V. Wetmore of Sydney, C. B., and Miss Isabel Watts of Woodstock.

The funeral, which was held from his late residence on Main Street, was largely attended. The Rev. G. A. Ross, pastor of the Methodist church here, conducted the services at the house and cemetery, assisted by the Rev. G. M. Campbell and the Rev. H. D. Marr of St. John, gentlemen who had formerly been pastors here and very warm personal friends of Mr. Watts. Mr. Campbell paid an eloquent tribute to the ability the kindly spirit and the manly virtues of his friend.

The musical part of the service was rendered by the choir of the Methodist church.

Many beautiful floral offerings covered the casket, among them being a pillow of roses from the Methodist church, a wreath from Dr. and Mrs. Colter of St. John and an anchor from Mr. and Mrs. Wetmore.

The pall bearers were James F. Watts, C. V. Wetmore and two nephews of Mr. Watts, Charles Baker and E. L. Clark.

On Sunday evening last a memorial service for Mr. Watts was held in the Methodist church.

A PARTY of little English immigrants arrived in town this week in charge of Mr. Lloyd, Canadian superintendent of the Middlemore Home, Birmingham, Eng. He will see them placed in comfortable homes in Carleton County. When in Woodstock they put up at the Turner House, and a very large number of farmers went to the house to select children. One gentleman said there were not enough to go round and homes could have been found for many more. They were a stalwart looking lot of little chaps and should grow up to be good citizens.

WOODSTOCK DRAMATIC CLUB.

In "What Happened to Jones"--a Good Play Well Put on.

On Monday evening, in Graham's Opera House, the Woodstock Dramatic Company showed forth to a decorously hilarious audience the intricate phases of all that "Happened To Jones." It was all the fun that ever was made.

Dr. Manzer, who was Jones, was, by fortuitous circumstances, forced into the position of the Bishop of Balerat. Now, by real, honest-to-gosh rights, Jones was a commercial tourist, selling hymn books, with a side line of poker cards. During the continuance of the three scenes he posed as the bishop, in a magnificent manner, dealing out sage spiritual advice to the open souls, and making a few beautiful breaks into slang that would make Billy Baxter or George Ade look like a two specker. He also had a few slender references to a game known to the elect as "Bug" and once or twice one might have thought that he had seen another man take a drink. But that was his part, and he did it well.

Mrs. Tiley Brewer, who played "Cissy," the frisky ward—in professional terms she is an amateur—but, since "The Crust of Society" was put on here years ago no one has played such a part with such absolute fidelity to reality. She made people forget that she was a friend they knew and liked, and she became the very actual, ingenious girl she impersonated. The word amateur is so often misused. It does not necessarily mean a bungler, it sometimes, as in this case, applies to an artist who possesses the finest talent.

Professor Goodly, in the person of Norman R. Loane, is one of the "safest men in Woodstock theatricals. Wherever he finds his part he does it with an intelligent appreciation of the character he plays and enters into it with the same vim he puts into the illustrious game of golf.

Miss B. Maude Dibblee had a heavy part in Mrs. Goodly and she lived up to the expectation of an audience who had seen her in an ingenue part last year. Miss Dibblee was looked to for a lot of good work, and the play would have been lacking without her. It was up to her to worry the life out of one man in particular, and a lot of men in general, and she did it so realistically that one had to know her to forget it.

Mr. Mair, whose stage manner has improved greatly since he appeared in "Uncle Si," and who is so popular in Carleton County that he needn't have any stage manner, any way, if he doesn't want to, was all right.

Miss Nettie Seely, who played the sweet young girl, was it, meaning, she was what she played. The part was as natural to her as violets to a Carleton County grove.

Mrs. George W. Gibson who is known to Woodstock as an actress of merit, had the part of a sorry old maid, and, sinking her charming identity out of sight she did it well.

Murry Milmore, who played the dutch domestic, brought down the house whenever he hit the boards. He was intensely funny, and true to his part.

Miss Kathleen Bourne played her part well. It was not a leading part, it was not a strong part, but one felt that if she had a strong part to play she would have developed it well.

Mr. J. N. Jones, of the Royal Bank, had a hard place to fill, but he did his work well.

The audience was one of the largest ever seen in the opera house.

A Worthy Object.

The Woodstock Dramatic Club which has been in existence about seven years, has done some excellent work, all of it for the benefit of local public institutions. They have played "Our Boys," "Time and the Hour," "The Bells," "Uncle Si" and "What Happened to Jones," beside putting on farces and specialties to fill out the programmes of other entertainments. They have contributed large sums of money to the band, to the Utopia Club, when in existence, and to the hospital. Their contributions to the hospital have amounted in all to some \$350.

In order to continue the good work they have so far carried on the club is in need of funds to purchase necessary supplies. With the purpose of raising such funds they will repeat "What Happened to Jones" in Graham's Opera House on Monday evening June 22nd.

It is earnestly to be hoped that the public who so generously patronized them when they were giving a benefit for the hospital will be equally generous in its patronage when they are endeavoring to raise necessary funds for themselves.

KING'S PRECEPTORY, No. 305, will meet on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. All the members are requested to be present as business of importance will be up.

Extra Fine Redpath Granulated Sugar at NOBLE & TRAFTON'S.