

LOCAL TOPICS.

MR. S. S. MILLER of Hartland is ill at the Carleton County hospital.

MR. H. B. PALMER, of Spragues Mills, Me., visited his old home at Waterville last week.

THIS YEAR'S lumber cut on the Upper St. John will not be more than one-third that of last season.

REV. MR. CORBETT, of Canning, Kings Co., has received a call to the pastorate of the Albert Street Baptist church.

SAMUEL HUTCHINGS, of Woodstock, N. B., is talking of buying the C. C. Libby farm.—Cameron Road Cor. Presque Isle, Me., Independent.

MERCHANTS who desire to increase their advertising space in THE DISPATCH during the holiday season are requested to send in their orders at once.

RALPH MCGIBBON son of Charles McGibbon conductor on the Gibson train underwent an operation for appendicitis at the hospital in Fredericton last week.

A THANKSGIVING SERVICE will be held in St. Paul's Presbyterian church on Thursday morning at 11 o'clock. A silver collection will be taken on behalf of the poor.

DR. W. D. RANKIN has rented the Major Sunder residence on Green Street. Mrs. Sunder will spend the winter with her mother, Mrs. John Shea, Grafton.

HOWARD JACQUES, of Woodstock, a brother of F. Parker Jacques of this village has accepted a position as clerk for Mr. Arthur Gerow.—Presque Isle Star-Herald.

LAST Wednesday afternoon there were three dog fights on Main Street in just 45 minutes. There are more dogs than people in this town. How about that dog tax.

REV. W. E. MACINTYRE, of St. John, will address a meeting on "Baptist Union" in the Albert Street Baptist church tonight. He will conduct service in the church on Sunday.

THE large dynamo for C. M. Sherwood's electric light house, Centreville, has arrived. He will be able to run one thousand lights. Quite a number of houses in the village have been wired.

THE LADIES of the Jacksonville Baptist church will hold a chicken supper at Mr. Walter Mott's on Tuesday evening, November 22nd. Supper 35 cents. Proceeds for repairs on Baptist parsonage. Everybody welcome.

A SUCCESSFUL surgical operation was performed on Mrs. George Mavor at the home of her mother at River de Chute last Thursday by Drs. Rankin and Brown. Mrs. Mavor's many friends will be pleased to learn that she is recovering rapidly.

T. H. JULES returned on Saturday from Fort Fairfield where he has been at work on a new house being erected by Howard Kipp. The woodwork is being done by Percy Britain of Upper Woodstock and the masonry by Will Steeves of Woodstock.

PROF. E. B. JACK, of the University of New Brunswick was in Woodstock last week inquiring into our water supply and taking samples for analysis. He was here on behalf of the city of Fredericton whose citizens are concerned for the purity of their water supply.

SNOW began falling lightly at ten o'clock on Sunday night and continued till noon on Monday. As a result of the storm the telephone service of both the Union and New Brunswick lines was completely disorganized and the Express on Monday was two hours late.

MRS. MANSFIELD LONDON of Richmond Corner died at the Hospital for Nervous Diseases at St. John on Tuesday night Nov. 8th. The remains were brought to Woodstock on Wednesday night. The funeral was held on Thursday afternoon, interment being made at McKenzie Corner.

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THE Ministration of Angels will be the theme of discourse at the Adventist church next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. In the evening the pastor will speak upon the age of Rapid Transit, being the third in a series of discourses on the Signs of our Times. All are cordially invited to these services. All are welcome.

THANKSGIVING DAY.—There will be services in the Reformed Baptist church on Thursday, Thanksgiving Day both afternoon and evening, and continuing for over two Sundays. Evangelist Ferguson will arrive on that day and have charge of the services. He was expected a day earlier but has written that he will not be able to arrive till the 17th inst.

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MR. AND MRS. TYLER C. BURPEE, of Moncton, passed through Woodstock on Friday on their way to Edmundston to attend the celebration of the 50th anniversary of the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel S. Burpee.

MR. AND MRS. CHARLES BURPEE and family, of Brownville, Me., after visiting Mrs. Burpee's father Mr. T. J. Boyer at the Victoria Hotel for a few days went to Edmundston where they will help Mr. Burpee's parents Mr. and Mrs. Samuel S. Burpee celebrate the fiftieth anniversary of their wedding.

Does a Church Out-Grow Its Clothes?

Isreal Zangwill, the famous Jewish novelist, has come out with the somewhat startling suggestion that, if a church would retain its usefulness, it must be reformed and practically started afresh at least every fourth generation. Apropos of the recent decision of the House of Lords in the famous Free Church of Scotland case, he says:

"The first generation of a church or a heresy—the terms are synonymous, for every church starts as a heresy—is full to the brim of vitality, fire, revolt, sincerity, spirituality, self-sacrifice. It is a generation exalted and enkindled by the new truth."

The second generation has witnessed this fervor of its fathers; it has been nourished in the warmth of the doctrine; its education is imprinted with the true fiery stamp. It is still near the Holy Ghost. In the third generation the waves radiated from the primal fire have cooled in their passage through time; the original momentum tends to be exhausted. Now is the period of the smug Pharisees profiting by the martyrdoms of their ancestors, babbling rhetorically—between two pleasures—of their fidelity to the faith of their fathers. If the third generation of a church can get through with fair spiritual success, it is often only because of a saving persecution. . . . In the fourth generation you shall ever find the young people sly skeptics or sullen rebels, and the Viscar of Bray coming in for high preferment."

Commenting on this somewhat cynical suggestion the London correspondent of The Church Standard quotes a parable from the London Daily News:

A "certain Mrs. Chalmers was very fond of her nephew, Tommy, and when she was drawing near her end she told her sons, Peter and John, and left with them a letter which contained the following provision: Whether my shop is carried on or sold, I wish enough money to be laid aside to keep little Tommy always respectably clad."

"The story goes on to describe the excellent and well-fitting suit provided by the executors, and the misery entailed on the wearer when he out-grew its dimensions. When more suitable clothing was suggested the family lawyer decided: 'The size of the boy is a vital element in the case. Money left for the purpose of clothing a little boy cannot be legally used for clothing a big boy. If the boy is to benefit by the bequest he must remain a little boy. To use the money in clothing a big boy would alienate it from the purpose for which it was expressly bequeathed, and would make the executors liable to be prosecuted for breach of trust.'"

In view of the remarkable decision of the House of Lords, the parable is not without a keen point.

The New Servant.

"Can you cook?"
"Yes, mum; everything."
"And wash?"
"Yes, mum."
"How many nights out do you want?"
"None."
"Sunday afternoon?"
"No, mum."
"How often will you scrub the kitchen?"
"Twice a week."
"And wash the windows?"
"Every Friday."
"Build a fresh fire every morning?"
"Yes, mum."
"Do you dislike children?"
"No mum."
"How long were you in your last place?"
"Four years."
"Why did you leave?"
"The people went to Europe."
"How much wages do you want?"
"Eight dollars a month."
"When can you come?"
"To-morrow."

Just then a keeper from the insane asylum rushed in shouting: "Oh, there you are!" bound her hand and foot, and carried her off bodily.—Herald.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. E. M. Kneeland, of Presque Isle, is visiting her parents in Woodstock.

Mr. and Mrs. William Dorey left on Thursday last for a fortnight's visit to the World's Fair at St. Louis.

Mrs. Harry Saunders is spending a few days in Fredericton, the guest of her sister, Mrs. Charles McGibbon.

Mr. Robert Caldwell who has spent the summer in Woodstock left for his home in Woodville, N. H., yesterday.

Misses Mary, Hazel, Louise and Master Frederick Moore and Miss Jean McLardy, spent last week at Moore's Bros. Mill, Griswold, Maine.

Mrs. S. Gallagher, of Bath, N. B., and Josephine O'Brien arrived on the noon train from Boston, where they have been visiting Mrs. M. O'Brien, of Everett, Mass.—F'ton Gleaner.

Miss Maud McDougall, of Woodstock, who has been visiting friends on the North Shore and also at Mr. and Mrs. James Voyer's, at St. Mary's, left for her home this morning.—F'ton Gleaner.

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