

LOCAL TOPICS.

THE Rev. C. T. Phillips, of St. John, has been ill with grippe.

FRANK OLMESTEAD lost an infant daughter on Monday, April 18th.

W. S. SUTTON went to Plover Rock on Monday on business for the Woodstock Woodworking Co.

BUNCHES of stream drivers are seen on the streets almost every day. They are on their way north to the small streams.

JOHN MORRISON and Robert J. Potts of Fredericton were in Woodstock on Monday. They say the outlook for the drive is excellent.

MR. AND MRS. I. EDWARD SHEASCREEN returned on Wednesday from their wedding trip. Mrs. Sheascreen is receiving her friends today.

C. CLIFFORD CAMPBELL has sold his general store and the good will at Richmond Corner to Earl J. McLellan, son of John McLellan.

ENOCH PHILLIPS, of Pembroke, left last Wednesday for Chicago for the purpose of buying a pair of black Percheron horse. He expects to be back on Friday.

THE regular monthly communication of Woodstock Chapter of Royal Arch Masons will be held Thursday night and a full attendance of the companions is requested.

THE Rev. J. C. Berrie president of the N. P. and P. E. I. Conference returned on Friday evening from Toronto where he had been attending a meeting of the Transfer Committee.

THE members of Woodstock Book Club of 1903 are requested to meet at the office of F. B. Carvell on Thursday evening April 21st, at 7:30 sharp for the purpose of disposing of books on hand.

JUDGE CARLETON, A. B. Connell, K. C., J. C. Hartley, W. P. Jones, M. P. P., and T. C. L. Ketchum went to Amherst on Monday to attend County Court which opened there yesterday morning.

PROFESSIONAL.—DR. A. PIERCE CROCKET, eye, ear, nose and throat specialist, of St. John, will be at the Carlisle Hotel, Woodstock, Wednesday April 27th, where he may be consulted professionally.

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 company.

LAST Thursday Clyde, son of Dr. Camber of Woodstock, underwent an operation in Montreal for an abscess of the ear. He is recovering nicely from the effects of the operation. His mother is with him.

THE manager's private office in the Royal Bank of Canada is being painted and papered and a new carpet will be laid in it. The work is being done by Frank Foster. When finished it will be a pleasant place to work in.

FRED A. GIBSON, of Centerville, was in Woodstock last Wednesday on his way to Enderby, B. C. whither so many of our young men have gone to work with F. H. Hale, M. P., in the extensive lumber concern which he has organized there.

ALL those interested in the Base Ball team are requested to meet on Thursday evening at the office of Wendell P. Jones M. P. P. at 9 o'clock. An effort is being made to form a provincial league, including Newcastle, Fredericton, Woodstock and St. John.

MRS. HUGH S. SAVAGE died at Lower Southampton on April 14th after an illness of a few days leaving a husband and four small children. She was the daughter of John S. Scott, of the Barony, York County, and sister of James Scott, lumberman.

MRS. JOHN A. GENTLE died at the residence of Samuel McIntosh, in this town, on Sunday evening, April 17th, in the 47th year of her age. Mrs. Gentle has been a sufferer from paralysis for the past four years. The funeral took place on Tuesday afternoon, Rev. W. B. Wiggins officiating.

At a meeting of the Canada Pacific Fishing Club Friday night the following directors were elected. Messrs H. P. Baird, William Fisher, John Stewart and J. C. Hartley of Woodstock and Dr. Kilburn of Presque Isle. At a subsequent meeting of the directors J. C. Hartley was elected president and H. A. Seeley Secretary Treasurer of the club.

QUESTIONS OF GREAT INTEREST.—The Rev. Z. L. Fash begins a series of Sunday evening sermons next Sunday evening. The subjects and dates are as follows:—April 24th, Is the Bible Inspired? May 1st, Is There a personal Devil? May 8th, Is There a Hell, and where is it? May 15th, Is There Repentance After Death? May 22, Is There a Heaven, where is it, and when do we go there? These subjects will be discussed in a practical and popular way.

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THOMAS McCafferty of the Staff at the Customs House is taking an enforced holiday on account of a bad hand.

INSPECTOR MEAGHER completed his inspection of the Woodstock school on Monday and is now engaged in the schools in the surrounding district.

AT THE Sunday evening service in St. Paul's Presbyterian church Mrs. Howard P. Wetmore sang a solo "Thy Will Be Done." The congregation were glad to hear her again.

THE local branch of the Salvation Army are busy collecting for their annual Self-Denial effort. The public are earnestly invited to help them in this effort. Contributions large or small will be appreciated.

THE Rev. Geo. A. Ross returned on Saturday from a visit to Charlottetown, much improved in health. The Rev. Dr. Chapman who has been taking his services during his absence returned to his home at Amherst on Monday.

THE A. Henderson Furniture Company have lately been turning out some work in native woods that shows the possibilities of a large furniture factory here with a good working capital. The work the Henderson Company has just done for H. E. Burt's new store, in native oak, is one piece of work that must convince us that a high class of cabinet work can be done here in our native wood. A set of display tables made for Geo. W. Gibson, of oak and elm is another example of the beauty of our woods, and the good taste of our designers and the skill of our workmen. Turning out such work as this should be a very material assistance to Mr. Henderson in floating the Royal Furniture Company.

THE efforts already made by the Canadian Pacific Railway Co. to encourage stock raising in this province have already attracted much interest in the West. Within the last few days, Mr. W. W. Hubbard, Agricultural Agent of the Company, has received enquiries totaling one thousand head of Shorthorn and Hereford grades. Although the market for stockers in the West was dull last summer, it is apparent that this year will see a revival of the demand, and farmers who have young stock of this breeding to dispose of will probably find buyers. Any one wishing to sell stock of this description would do well to communicate with the Company's agent at St. John, N. B.

ON the afternoon and evening of the 28th instant a Town Sunday School convention will be held. The Rev. D. Fiske, the traveling secretary for the County will be present. The afternoon session beginning at 3 o'clock will be taken up largely with the subject "How to secure better teaching in the Sunday School." The evening session will commence at 8 o'clock and will be devoted to the subject of "How to get the People to attend the Sunday School." The opinions of Timothy Sandby, the Sunday School man, in relation to a part of the subject will be heard. It is hoped and expected that all the Sunday School workers of the Town will take hold of this convention and make it of practical value. Further announcement will be made later.

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Plan of Hall and tickets will be on sale at Graham's this week.

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

PERSONAL.

H. P. Wetmore spent Sunday in Woodstock.

D. M. Campbell, of the New York Life, is in town.

J. Ed. McCollom, of Hartland, was in town on Monday.

Dr. and Mrs. Hand returned on Saturday from a trip to Montreal.

Gordon Cormier representing the Malta Vita Breakfast Food is in Woodstock.

Mrs. George E. Phillips and her two daughters and Miss Nichols returned from Worcester on Friday.

Mrs. J. W. Ellsworth returned home on Monday from a very pleasant visit at St. Stephen and St. Andrews.

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson and daughter, of Musquash, and Miss Anderson, of St. John, are visiting in Woodstock.

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson and daughter and Miss Anderson, of St. John, and Dr. Cousins, of Waltham, Mass., are at the Turner House.

Mrs. E. M. Kneeland went to Woodstock Tuesday to remain several weeks. Mr. Kneeland will join her later for a trip on the coast.—Aroostook Republican.

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