

Local Topics.

MR. AND MRS. L. W. ALBERTON have taken the Hugh Hay residence on Main Street and Mr. Hay will board with them.

THE Richmond Agricultural society will have a meeting at Debec on Tuesday evening Jan. 12th to hear reports from delegates to Amherst.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Craig and George McKinley, of Woodstock spent Christmas at the home of their sister, Mrs. Mrs. E. M. Kneeland. Mrs. Craig will remain for a few days longer.—Presque Isle Star-Herald.

THERE will be a meeting of the Women's Auxiliary of the Carleton County Hospital at Mrs. (Dr.) Hand's on Friday afternoon for the purpose of sewing for the hospital. All women who are interested in this work are cordially invited to be present.

S. R. HEMPHILL and wife entertained at their home at dinner Monday 32 relatives. Among the number were Mr. Hemphill's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Hemphill, of Debec, and an uncle, Wm. Hemphill, and wife, of Knowlesville, N. B.—Presque Isle Star-Herald.

DUNCAN BREWER a young man who makes his home at the Stephenson House, Woodstock, had his leg broken at the head of Serpentine Lake on Tuesday, December 27th. He was brought to Woodstock arriving here on Wednesday afternoon when Dr. Rankin set the broken limb.

At a meeting of the Cabinet at Ottawa on Saturday it was decided that the law would have to take its course in the case of Cammack who was sentenced to be hanged on Thursday January 12th. As Radcliffe will be in British Columbia at that time the execution will have to be performed by a local man.

Mrs. RUTH A., relict of the late Samuel Bartou, formerly of the Range, Queens County, N. B., died at the residence of her son-in-law, William I. Gilder, Union Corner, Carleton County, December 20th, aged 86 years. She leaves one son and six daughters to mourn the loss of a good, honest, consecrated and godly mother.—Com.

HEBLEY, the 10 year old son of Mr. Frank Slipp, of Lower Woodstock, met with a painful accident on Friday morning last. He was standing in the shed close to an Englishman who was chopping wood when the axe glanced off a log and struck him on the cheek bone inflicting an ugly wound. Dr. Sprague was called and put several stitches in the wound.

Mr. W. says—"Manufacture Life Assurance Company. I thank you for cheque just received in payment of my 15 year endowment which matured to day. I am very much pleased with the results, the profits being far in advance of what I was led by agents of other companies to expect. I am so well pleased that I shall at first opportunity take more insurance with you."

RECENTLY Edward Kearney of Beechwood laid an information in the police court against Almon Camon charging him with having committed perjury at a hearing before Parish Court Commissioner Farley, last fall. The preliminary examination was begun last Wednesday afternoon and continued on Thursday morning. F. B. Carvell appeared on behalf of the prosecution, and T. C. L. Ketchum for the defendant. Camon was committed for trial.

On Sunday night in St. Luke's church Archdeacon Neales thanked the parishioners for their kindness during the year and their forbearance in view of the unavoidable ill health of both himself and Mr. Bastin which had necessarily interfered somewhat with their duties. In spite of this their contributions for all purposes had been larger than ever before and had never been given so freely and spontaneously. He announced that in accordance with the kind wish of the corporation he would preach at only one service on Sunday for the present.

A VERY pretty wedding was solemnized Wednesday Dec. 28th at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Winslow, the contracting parties being their third daughter Nellie Elizabeth, who was united in marriage to Albert Lee Wallace favourably known in Fredericton now of Houlton, Me. The house was beautifully decorated in red and green it being a Holly wedding. The bride who was attired in a travelling suit of brown velvet was attended by Miss Edna Wise cousin of the groom. Mr. Cornelison of Houlton supported the groom. After the ceremony the guests about fifty in number adjourned to the dining room where dinner was served. The presents were numerous and costly. The grooms present to the bride was a set of fox furs. They left on the six o'clock express for Calais, amid showers of rice. The guests from our town were Mrs. Arthur Challenger of Halifax sister of the bride, Mr. and Mrs. Cornelison and family, Houlton, Mrs. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Parsons, Amherst, Miss Pearl Simmonds, Jewett Mills, Mr. Charles Wallace, Fredericton.

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The Prescription Druggist.

DR. I. W. N. and Mrs. BAKER were received into the membership of the Free Baptist church on Sunday evening last.

A VOTE on Baptist union was taken in the Albert Street Baptist church last Sunday evening. The vote was unanimous in favor of union.

THE Rev. D. E. Brooks of Bristol desires to thank the members of the Primitive Baptist church of Pembroke for a Christmas present of a very handsome single harness.

THE ladies who are willing to sew the garments and materials needed at the Carleton County Hospital, are requested to meet at the residence of Mrs. W. N. Hand, Broadway Street, on Friday afternoon next, at 2 o'clock.

MR. H. J. GILMAN Woodstock Manager of the D. W. Hoegg Co. who since the closing of the factory here has been in Portland was in Woodstock on Monday when he made a shipment of canned goods from the warehouse of the factory.

ON Saturday evening the members of the Woodstock Civilian Rifle Club invited their captain, Mr. William Balsam, into Fewer Bros. store and presented him with a hand some binocular. The presentation was made by Mr. T. A. Lindsay.

THE candidates in the field for town elections are: For mayor, John A. Lindsay and A. E. Jones. For councillors, W. B. Nicholson, Isaiah Fisher, H. D. Stevens, A. Henderson, James McManus and John S. Leighton, jr. The report that Mr. Henderson had retired is not well founded, as that gentleman is still in the field.

THERE was Baptism in the Meduxnekeag opposite Churchill St. last Sunday morning when three young men and one young woman were immersed by the pastor of the Reformed Baptist Church, W. B. Wiggins A. B. A number united with the church in the evening service when a Male Quartette sang very beautifully—"All for Jesus."

DIED suddenly, on Monday evening, George Neal, in the 81st year of his age, at Augusta, where he with his family moved from East Hodgdon but two months ago. His remains were brought to Houlton on Wednesday and buried at McKenzie Corner yesterday in the family burial place. Mr. Neal was for many years a faithful member of the Presbyterian Church. He leaves a widow, two sons and two daughters to mourn the loss of a kind husband and father.—Aroostook Times.

MR. AND MRS. IRA PARKHURST, of Unity, Me., were the recipients on Xmas morning of a very fine Christmas present of an 11 lb. girl. Both mother and baby are doing well. Mr. Parkhurst had the misfortune to break his ankle about a week before Christmas and will be confined to the house for some weeks to come. Mrs. Parkhurst was Miss Stephenson the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Stephenson of Florenceville.

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LOST.

A ring of keys between the post office and my residence on Broadway. Will the finder please leave at my residence. E. L. HAGERMAN. Jan. 1, 1i.

LOST.

Last week, by the use of Christmas and New Year's jag juice, three day's work. Will the finder please leave them with my mother-in-law. HENRY GORDON DEVERE NORTON.

LOST

On Monday, December 26th, in Woodstock, lady's hunting case gold watch. Will the finder please leave with MISS HARMON, St. John street, Woodstock.

House Property for Sale.

The three tenements on Cedar street, owned by the late Annie M. Johnson will be sold en bloc or separately and very low for cash as I wish to wind up the estate. For further particulars apply to J. N. W. WINSLOW, Solicitor, or the undersigned JOHN P. JOHNSON, Administrator. Woodstock, Dec 30, 1904. 1mo

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PERSONAL.

Mr. W. J. Webb, of Centreville, was in town last week.

Mr. Henry Danks, of Fort Fairfield, was in town last week.

Miss Lou Stephenson left on Saturday to visit friends in St. John.

Mr. Edgar W. Mair went to Halifax last week to spend New Year's.

Miss Rainsford, Fredericton, spent New Year's the guest of Miss Bull.

Mr. G. E. McClintock, of Centreville, and his son were in town last week.

Miss Anderson, of St. John, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Peabody.

Miss Nellie Blackie has gone to Millinocket to visit her sister, Mrs. Knolton.

Mrs. W. H. S. Cox and son are guests of her brother Mr. Wallace Gibson, Grafton.

Mr. Miles Flanders, of Maple View, Victoria County, spent New Year's in Woodstock.

Mrs. George Garden, of Lennoxville, Quebec, is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. M. Connell.

Mrs. W. W. Loane, Ashland, Maine, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Peabody.

The Rev. J. H. A. Anderson and Mrs. Anderson, of Florenceville, were in Woodstock last week.

Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Howe of Presque Isle are visiting Mrs. Howe's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Lindow.

Rev. Charles Comben and Miss Hattie Comben, St. John, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Comben.

Miss Lusher, of Bermuda, student at Sackville, is spending the holidays with her friend, Miss Katie Baird.

Miss Lillian Hale, of Grimes, Maine, is in Grafton this week attending the marriage of her cousin, Miss Cora Hale.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Olmstead, of Wicklow, spent the New Year with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph McGready, Jacksonville.

Dr. Stephen Wetmore, of the staff of the Gawonda, N. Y. hospital, spent the holidays with his mother, Mrs. James Wetmore.

Misses Jessie Denison, Blanche Dibblee and Lou Smith, spent Sunday and New Year's day in Harland, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Graham.

Mrs. John Ritchie returned last week from a visit to her daughter Mrs. A. L. Bourne in Boston and Mrs. John Coanor at Pawtucket, R. I.

Mrs. Wm. Dorey left last week for Balmoral, Restigouche County, upon receiving a telegram that her father Mr. L. Ausneau was not expected to live.

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