

## Local Topics.

MR. HARRY G. NOBLE who was ill last week is able to be out again.

MR. JOHN H. WATT of the railway mail service is confined to his house with a badly sprained ankle.

MR. ROLLAND G. WILLIAMS of Woodstock and Miss Pearl E. Hazen of Rochester, Vt., were married at Rochester on December 12th, 1904.

THE MEETING of the Farmers' and Dairy-men's Association of New Brunswick opens at Fredericton today and will continue till Friday.

MR. E. ALEXANDER, Station Agent at Hartland, who has been absent from the station for some weeks returned to his post this morning.

THE Expense Ratio of the Manufacturers Life for the year continues to show a decrease, and is lower than that of any other Company of a similar age on the continent.

THE arbitration in the matter between Mr. H. A. Connell and the C. P. R. has been rendered unnecessary and Mr. Connell and the Company have settled the matter among themselves.

MR. and MRS. GEORGE W. GIBSON left on Friday evening for a trip to Boston and Philadelphia. While in Philadelphia Mr. Gibson will attend the annual meeting of the Custom Tailors Association of America.

A MEETING of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Carleton County Hospital will be held at the residence of Mrs. Wm. M. Connell next Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock. All the members are particularly requested to be present.

H. B. BLACKMORE who sold his farm at Plymouth last year and went to the United States has returned and bought George Hall's farm on the Houlton road just beyond Richmond Corner. He will take possession right away.

WHILE working in the saw mill of the Imperial Packing Co. last Wednesday George Flewelling was struck by a belt. Two of his ribs were broken and he was badly bruised. He will be confined to the house for some weeks.

MR. F. A. RETALLICK, secretary of General Superintendent Downie, has been promoted to the position of chief clerk with Divisional Superintendent Newcombe at Woodstock. His place here has been taken by Mr. H. A. Brennan, formerly clerk in the engineer's office.—St John Globe.

A CONGREGATIONAL reception was held in the Albert Street Baptist Church on Thursday evening last in honor of Rev. Mr. Corbett. Addresses of welcome were made by Rev. J. C. Blackney and F. Allison Currier, Mr. James Sutton and others. The choir sang several selections during the evening.

MR. PRINGLE KELLY who moved to Andover a few years ago from Albert County and later moved to Bairdville where his sons have a farm dropped dead on Sunday in a camp on the Tobique where he had been surveying. Mr. Kelly was very much respected by all who knew him. He leaves a widow, three sons and a daughter.

MRS. (Dr.) AYER of Petitcotiac, the Rev. Thomas and Mrs. Marshall of St. John, Dr. and Mrs. Mann of Houlton, are among those who are in town to attend the marriage of Miss Ethel H. S. Baird to Dr. Joseph H. Hathaway of Rochester, N. Y., which will take place at three o'clock this afternoon at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. H. Paxton Baird.

HOULTON is to have a new bank called the Houlton Trust Company with a capital stock of \$50,000 in shares of \$100 each. Following are the incorporators:—James K. Plummer, William A. Martin, James Archibald, Ora Gilpatrick, Samuel Lane, Harry L. Putnam, G. Q. Nickerson, Heman N. Whitehead, George A. Gorham, Frank C. Peabody, Charles Carroll, George A. Shea, Oscar L. Clough, Don A. H. Powers, E. L. Vail, T. J. Fox, Frank M. Hume.

A committee on behalf of the citizens of Richibucto and Rexton met on Saturday and presented Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dickinson with a beautiful silver tea service on the eve of their departure for Woodstock. Mr. Dickinson has been manager of the agency of the Royal Bank of Canada at Rexton for four years and there is general regret at his departure. Courteous, affable and obliging he is one of the most popular managers ever stationed as the Rexton branch. He leaves to take charge of the Woodstock branch of the Royal Bank.—Richibucto Review.

ON Thursday evening January 12th, 1905, the following officers were duly installed by D. D. G. M. Comben as officers for the ensuing term in Carleton Lodge No. 41. I. O. O. F., Woodstock, N. B.:—N. A. F. Scovil; V. G. M. S. Saunders; Rec Sec, Charles Comben; Fin Sec, F. G. Loane; Treas, W. B. Belyea; Warden, J. T. LePage; Cond, I. A. Fisher; I. A. R. E. Holyoke; V. G. R. L. E. Allingham; R. S. N. G. A. Keith; L. S. N. G. W. Lilley; R. S. S. N. D. Lister; L. S. S. Thos Baker; R. S. V. G. Geo. W. Boyer; L. S. V. G. B. N. Vanwart; O. P. G. H. D. Stevens.

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Mrs. R. Fred Rose.

Mrs. Rose, wife of Mr. R. Fred Rose of Calais, died suddenly at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McIninch, about nine o'clock on Friday evening, at the age of 30 years.

After a service at the residence on Monday morning by Archdeacon Neales the remains were taken to Calais for interment. Mrs. Rose leaves a husband, a father and mother, and a son sixteen days old.

Mrs. Rose was very bright on Friday morning and was thought to be getting along well when heart weakness developed suddenly. The bereaved family have the sincere sympathy of the community. January 28th, is the first anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. Rose.

**Woodstock Market.**

Hay, per ton, \$7.50.  
Oats, per bus, .38  
Potatoes, per bbl, .90  
Turnips, per bbl, .50.  
Carrots, per bbl, .60 to .75.  
Beets, per bbl, .75.  
Beef, per cwt, \$5.00 to \$6.00.  
Pork, heavy, per cwt, \$6.00.  
Pork, light, per cwt, \$6.50.  
Chickens, per pound, .12.  
Turkeys, per lb, .18 to .20.  
Geese, each, \$1.00  
Lambs, each, \$2.50 to \$3.00.  
Buckwheat Meal, per cwt, \$1.75.  
Beans, yellow eye, per bus, \$3.00.  
Squash, per cwt, \$2.00.  
Cabbages, per doz, .60.  
Butter, per lb, .18.  
Eggs, per doz, .22 to .25.  
Dry Hard Wood, per cord, \$4.00.

AT THE Adventist church next Sunday, 3 p. m., the pastor will speak on "The Divine Origin of the Bible." In the evening he will speak upon "The Duty Enjoined to Search the Scriptures."

ON Monday evening the officers and members of the Methodist Sunday school gathered at the residence of their Superintendent Mr. Charles L. Smith to help him celebrate his birthday. During the evening, on behalf of those present, Mr. Andrew Myles presented Mr. Smith with a handsome mantel clock. After the presentation luncheon was served by Mrs. Smith.

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## PERSONAL.

Miss Annie Hipwell left on Monday for a visit to St. John.

Miss E. Louise Townsend is visiting her friend, Miss Muriel Kupkey, at Andover.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Houlton, of Houlton, Me., spent part of last week in town guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Smith.

Miss Annie Ross, who has been visiting her parents here for the past month, left on Thursday evening for Philadelphia.

Miss Ariana Hunt, who has been visiting at Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Carr's for the past few days, left Friday on a trip to Egypt. She will be gone two years.

## Royal Arch Masons.

The regular annual meeting of Woodstock Royal Arch Chapter met in the Masonic lodge room last Thursday evening. The following officers were installed by G. H. Harrison, D. G. H. P.

John McKenzie, H. P.  
G. B. Manzer, K.  
D. W. Kyle, S.  
D. McL. Vince, Treas.  
J. A. Lindsay, Sec.  
Wallace Gibson, C. of H.  
G. H. Harrison, P. of S.  
M. G. McLean, R. A. C.  
E. W. Mair, M. of 3rd V.  
W. N. Hand, M. of 2nd V.  
Geo. E. Phillips, M. of 1st V.  
E. L. Hagerman, Tyler.

During the past year 16 new members have been added. The Chapter is in a flourishing condition.

DR. A. PIERCE CROCKET, eye, ear, nose and throat specialist, of St. John, will be at the Carlisle Hotel, Woodstock, Friday, February 3rd, where he will attend to affections of those organs as well as the application of glasses.

It is hard to make the average housewife believe that there is any greater business calamity than a cake falling.

## Farming and Woodland for Sale.

In Grafton opposite Woodstock 280 acres of farming and woodland, 60 acres cleared, in high state of cultivation, buildings comparatively new, house finished throughout, modern improvements, and supplied with running water. Fruit and ornamental trees. For particulars apply to J. D. BAIRD, Grafton, N. B.

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