

Local Topics.

H. F. GROSVENOR of Meductic was in Woodstock on Saturday.

EDWIN R. SQUIRES and Clarence Estey of Wicklow were in town last week.

H. H. PICKETT, Barrister at Law, St. John, was in Woodstock last week on professional business.

H. A. BAILEY of the Bank of Montreal, Halifax, is visiting his brother, Arthur G. Bailey, Warden of the County.

Mrs. JOHN C. EERIE, of Jacksonville, is suffering from a heavy cold bordering on pneumonia. Dr. T. F. Sprague is attending her.

J. J. TATTERSALL chief of the Fire Department was in Fredericton last week attending the funeral of his brother-in-law J. D. Fowler.

Mrs. HARRISON, wife of the Rev. Harry Harrison, Debec, underwent an operation in the hospital last week. She is improving rapidly.

MISS SARAH SLIPP, of Jacksonville, is suffering from appendicitis, and will be brought to the hospital this week, where she will be operated on.

Mrs. W. F. LINDSAY and Mr. and Mrs. John A. Lindsay wish to thank their many friends for their assistance, kindness and sympathy in their time of sorrow and trouble.

ROBBIE and KENNETH BAIRD left on Saturday evening's express for Winnipeg where their father, Col. John D. Baird is established. Mrs. Baird will go west during the summer.

At the encoenial exercises of St. Francis Xavier College, Antigonish, N. S. last week the valedictory of the graduating class was read by Joseph B. Gallagher of Bath who was graduated with the degree of B. A.

COUNCILLOR HENDERSON, who was at The Lodge, Charlotte County, last week, getting his cottage in shape for the summer, had a fall that might have been most serious but fortunately he escaped with very slight injuries.

At the closing exercises of the ladies college, Sackville, Miss Clara G. Turner of Centreville read a paper on "East and West Home's Best" and Miss Katie Baird of Woodstock a paper on "Nature and The Ideal Home." Both these young ladies will be graduated this year in Household Science. Miss Annie E. Tilley of Jacksonville completes the Normal Course this year.

An old Lower Woodstock resident E. R. Watson, now of San Diego, Cal., is visiting in town the guest of his brother, C. R. Watson, Connell Street. It is some twenty years since Mr. Watson first left this vicinity but he has visited his old home more than once during that period. Mr. Watson is pastor of one of the churches of the Unitarian body in the Californian town from which he hails. Many old friends will be glad to see him.

THE annual meeting of the Woodstock District Methodist church, will be held in Hartland on the 13th of June. The ministerial session will be at 2.30 on that date, and the laymen will assemble with the ministers on the morning of the 14th, at 9 o'clock, and continue in session until the business is completed. This being the year of the General Conference matters of importance and interest, touching all disciplinary charges, and the question of church union will come before the meeting for discussion and action.

THE following members of Woodstock Chapter of the Masonic order took advantage of the holiday for a trip to Andover: D. W. Kyle, E. L. Hsgerman, G. H. Harrison, John A. Lindsay, R. J. Lindsay, H. L. Grant, A. G. Fields, E. K. Connell, C. J. Tabor, R. M. Gable, M. G. McLean, and Frank Tilley. They arrived at the shire town of Victoria county about 3 o'clock and at 3.30 p. m. commenced to confer the Royal Arch Chapter degrees on 20 candidates from the up-river districts in the Masonic Hall. The work was concluded at 4 o'clock on Friday morning. The party arrived home on the suburban train very much pleased with the trip and the kindness received from the Andover brethren.

JOHN SARK, chief of the Micmac Indians of Prince Edward Island was in Woodstock last week. His magnificent figure, arrayed in fantastic costume attracted a good deal of attention. The chief is six feet tall and weighs 230 lbs. He wore a dark blue frock coat trimmed with red and gold and on his breast he wore a number of medals. One large silver medal bore the date 1715 and inscription "Ludovicus XV Rex Christianissimus." Another medal bore on one side a representation of Pope Pius X and on the other side of the Apostles Peter and Paul. This was presented to him by the Bishop of Montreal. Another medal was struck in honour of the late Queen's Diamond Jubilee. The chief also carried a massive silver watch presented by the Lieut. Gov. of Prince Edward Island. The chief has been making a tour of Canada as far west as Toronto.

NOTICE.

After May 15th the prices of Photos will advance as follows:

Our regular \$2.00 work will be	\$2.50
" " 3.50 " " "	4.00
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" " 8.00 " " "	10.00

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A GOLD CLASS pin was found on Monday which the owner can have by describing it at this office.

By THE END of the week all the farmers in Carleton County will have their crops in. More potatoes will be raised this year than in any previous year.

THE condition of His Worship the Mayor remains about the same. The citizens continue to hope that a change for the better may be the news of the near future.

GEORGE CLARKE, of the firm of Tennant & Clarke, Fredericton, has gone to Moncton to take charge of a store in that city. Mr. Clarke at one time was with B. B. Manzer in this town.

At the annual athletic sports at the University of New Brunswick Fred Squires of Bath won almost everything in sight and became the owner of "the belt," a prize coveted by every athlete in the University.

THE Homeseekers excursion which is advertised for June 6th to the Northwest may have a tourist car placed at the Woodstock station if twenty-five names are handed in, which will go through to Calgary without changes.

A NUMBER of citizens have bought a gasoline launch for use on the river. The owners are Vint Lingley, John Lindow, Walter Cogger, J. P. Pickles, William Bolger, J. H. Bagley, A. W. Fields, Robert Welch and Allen Embleton. The craft came in on a flat car on Monday. She is 32 feet long and has a 4½ horse power engine. She will carry 25 people, her cabin alone holding a dozen comfortably. She was purchased from E. R. McDonald of Point du Chene. The owners put her in the water Monday evening but have not tried her yet.

A CONCERT and pie sale was held in Carr's Hall, at Canterbury Station on the evening of the twenty-fourth. The programme for the concert was provided by Woodstock talent some nine persons going down from here on the evening train. They were Mrs. J. Tilley Brewer, Mrs. E. S. Kirkpatrick, Mrs. Horace Lockwood, Mrs. G. A. Ross, Mamie Street, Jessie Davis, Fred Mooers, Roy Mooers and Rev. G. A. Ross. The party returned in the late train the same evening. The proceeds of the concert were in aid of the New Methodist Church about to be built at Canterbury. The function was an entire success.

THE shock of the earthquake that shook San Francisco to its foundations had hardly subsided when the cheap publishing houses began to turn out worthless picture books about it. Knowing these books would never sell on their merits in the book stores the publishers sent out agents to press them upon the more ignorant people. The agents generally sell these literary abortions to the women at home, when the bread-winners are away at work. Of course no one who knows a book from a buck-saw ever thinks of buying one of the wretched things, and it is to be hoped that the people who don't know will take a word of friendly advice and turn the agent kindly but firmly from the door.

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21ST JUNE.

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Make no engagement for this day until further notice.

PERSONAL.

Miss Mabelle Phillips spent Sunday in Woodstock.

Mrs. J. S. Creighton spent a few days in St. John last week.

Mrs. G. C. Watson, of Hartland, spent the 24th in Woodstock.

Miss Lillian Sharp, of Pokiok, spent Sunday with Miss Hillman.

Miss Hazel Welch arrived home on Friday last to spend the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Jones spent the 24th of May in Grand Falls.

Miss Edith Shea and Fay Cradd of Houlton spent the 24th. in town.

LeBaron R. Bull, of Hawkshaw, spent Sunday with friends in town.

Mrs. A. Henderson and Mrs. J. McLauchlan visited Fredericton last week.

Mr. Chas. Dealin left on Monday evening for Ontario, where he will in future reside.

Miss Luella True, of Temple, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. True.

Miss Louise Smith, of Halifax, is visiting Major and Mrs. W. C. Good, Jacksonville.

Solicitor General and Mrs. Jones spent last week in St. John returning home on Friday.

Mrs. W. H. King, of Woodstock, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. D. J. Shea, St. John street.—Fredericton Herald.

Rev. Dr. Rogers and Mrs. Rogers, of Fredericton, spent a few days in town last week, guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Jones.

Mrs. Smith and Miss Grieves, of Fredericton, spent the 24th in Woodstock, guests of Mrs. Smith's daughter, Miss Ethel Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Beveridge, of Union Bay, B. C., who have been visiting His Worship Mayor Munro for a few weeks left for the west on Saturday's express.

Mrs. Moses Burpee, president of the Maine Federation of Women's Clubs left Houlton Saturday for Portland, en route for St. Paul, Min., where she will attend the biennial meeting of the General Federation which opens today.

Misses Gertrude and Gracie Jones entertained a number of their friends on Friday evening at a very pleasant party in honor of Miss Jessie Beveridge of Vancouver, B. C. Dancing was the amusement of the evening. Refreshments were served about ten o'clock.

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That valuable leasehold property on Main Street, Woodstock, at present occupied by H. V. Dalling as a jewelry shop and by W. L. Wise as a barber shop. Pays seven per cent. clear of taxes, rent and insurance. For full particulars apply to WINSLOW, PETERS & ALLEN, Fredericton, N. B.

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