

Local Topics.

JOHN T LEPAGE of Winnipeg made a short visit to his friends in Woodstock last week.

ALBION J WAY who bought the Turner House last year is about to sell it to a well known Centreville man.

MR. WILMOT ROBINSON had his hand nearly taken off in Dunbar & Sons machine shop on Saturday. He was taken to the hospital for treatment.

LAST Wednesday evening John A. Lindsay, President of the Press Publishing Co. and Mrs. Lindsay entertained the members of the Press staff at a supper at the Royal Cafe.

MRS. ANN CHURCHILL started for Woodstock on Tuesday, where she will remain for the winter with her daughter, Mrs. John Buck.—Crouseville Me., cor. Presque Isle Independent.

DAVID MUNRO who has been manager of a branch of the Bank of Nova Scotia at Antigonish, Ont., has been transferred to Moncton. He was in Woodstock last Friday on his way to his new station.

REV. F. A. CURRIER left for St. John on Monday to assist Dr. Gates in special services for two weeks. Rev. I. A. Corbett will speak to a united congregation on Sunday morning in Albert Street Church, and in the Main Street Church in the evening.

A VERY PLEASANT at home was given in the opera house last evening by Misses Pearl McKibbin, Ida Hyden, Beatrice Williams, Mabel Glidden, Nan Graham and Stella Dalling. The chaperons were Mrs. W. F. Glidden, Mrs. H. V. Dalling and Mrs. E. Williams. The evening was taken up with dancing and cards. Music was furnished by the 67th Quadrille Orchestra. Mr. Robinson of Houlton, was prompter.

THE Massey Harris Co. through their general agent W. S. Tompkins has just closed a contract with B. Frank Smith M. P. P. for 100,000 feet, (10 cars), of birch lumber, to be used for making poles for reapers, binders and other farm machines. It will be shipped during the coming summer to Brantford, Ont. This is a new use for New Brunswick hardwood, and if this trial shipment is satisfactory a large quantity will be used for the same purpose in future years.

Mr. William McKinley, who had been in failing health for the past three years, died at his home on Sunday. Mr. McKinley was a respected citizen. He leaves two brothers, James and Mitchell, and two sisters, Mrs. Horatio Atherton and Mrs. Hanson, of Woodstock, and four daughters, Mrs. Kneeland, of Minneapolis, Mrs. Ham Johnston, Mrs. Bernard Craig and Miss Bearre, of Woodstock, and one son, Roy. The funeral service was held on Tuesday.

LAST week the Imperial Packing Co. shipped a large consignment of boneless rolled beef to the West Indies and one of Wilshire sides to Bristol, England. Last October, November and December were the best three corresponding months they have had since they have been in business notwithstanding the fact that they had no travellers out, and their orders were all mail orders. They have 20 men getting out lumber on the Beardsley land and expect to start their saw mill about March 1st. At present Mr. Hay is on a trip to the North Shore.

THE ANNUAL congregational meeting of St. Paul's Presbyterian church last Wednesday evening was largely attended. George E. Phillips, W. S. Sutton, J. Rankin Brown, W. B. Nicholson, William Dunbar and Maitland G. Hovey were elected trustees for the ensuing year. The financial report was the best in the history of the church. A committee composed of the Rev. G. D. Ireland, G. E. Phillips and W. S. Sutton were authorized to draw up a resolution expressing regret at the departure of Bruce M. Macleod from Woodstock and congratulating him on his promotion in the service of the bank.

THE successful applicant of the University of New Brunswick, for the Rhodes scholarship at Oxford University will be known in a few days. The faculty with the assistance of three members of the Senior class, who will represent the students, will make the selection. An applicant must be distinguished for scholarship, powers of leadership, athletic ability and general character. Among the applicants is Fred C. Squires of the senior class, and without doubt a very strong one. He is a son of Robert Squires, of Bath, Carleton county. He entered the U N B as a sophomore, and completed his junior year with first class distinction in three subjects, while as an athlete, he had the pleasure of breaking two records last May. He also has the honor of having held the champion athletic belt of the University of N B.

Tourist—"What's that crowd down at the courthouse?" Native—"Oh! they're tryin' the case o' Sam Johnson, suh." Tourist—"Sam Johnson? Why, he was the man who was lynched yesterday, wasn't he?" Native—"Yaas, suh, but to-day some o' the boys got to feelin' curious to know whethah he was innocent or guilty, suh."—[Philadelphia Press.]

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Social Events.

On Saturday evening about fifty of the friends of Mr. and Mrs. Williamson Fisher gave them a charming surprise party to celebrate the twenty-fifth anniversary of their marriage. The early part of the evening was spent at whist. After a sumptuous supper which was served about eleven the Rev. Mr. Neales took the floor and in a few quaintly humorous remarks presented Mr. and Mrs. Fisher on behalf of the assembled company with a dozen silver teaspoons and a silver butter pick. Mr. Fisher made a happy response. The evening was one of much enjoyment to all present.

Mrs. J. S. Creighton entertained a number of ladies at a most enjoyable afternoon whist party on Thursday four till seven. She was assisted by Miss Madeline Connell and little Miss Elizabeth Ketchum. The prize winners were Mrs. Edgar Mair who made highest score, Mrs. W. M. Connell and Mrs. Rankin Brown who won the consolations. A delicious tea was served at six o'clock. Those present were:—Mrs. F. B. Carvel, Mrs. A. G. Bailey, Mrs. W. Fisher, Mrs. T. F. Sprague, Mrs. W. P. Jones, Mrs. W. B. Belyea, Mrs. W. W. Hay, Mrs. G. A. White, Mrs. G. B. Balm, F. N. Thorne, Mrs. W. Dickinson, Mrs. A. Storer, (Richibucto), Mrs. C. Comben, Mrs. Sheesgreen, Mrs. Wm. Connell, Mrs. C. F. Dibble, Mrs. T. C. L. Ketchum, Mrs. R. B. Burne, Mrs. C. A. Peabody, Mrs. A. B. Connell, Miss Miss Hume, Miss Lou Smith, Miss Tibbits, (Fredericton), Miss Lizzie Bull, Mrs. B. Harry Smith, Mrs. Allen Smith, Mrs. Allen Dibble, Mrs. N. R. Loane, Mrs. W. Balm, Mrs. Muning, (St. John), Mrs. Edgar Mair, Mrs. G. L. Holyoke, Mrs. A. D. Holyoke, Miss Brown, Miss Kate Brown, Miss Beardsley, Mrs. J. S. Eagles.

On Monday evening the Young People's Society of St. Luke's met for the first social evening of the season with the Misses Jordan. An interesting musical contest was followed by an impromptu concert. The performers responded gracefully to the chairman's request for a long reading or instrumental solo and the entertainment was very much enjoyed by all present. The guests numbered about forty. Refreshments were served at 10 p. m. The next meeting of the society will be with Miss Lou Smith on Monday 29th inst.

On Monday evening about fifty of the friends of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur G. Bailey gathered at their home to celebrate the fifteenth anniversary of their marriage. Cards and dancing were the amusements of the evening. After a delicious supper which was served about eleven thirty, Mr. N. F. Thorne on behalf of the assembled guests presented Mrs. Bailey with two beautiful pieces of cut glass. W. W. Hay followed and in a neat address on behalf of his fellow townsmen presented Mr. Bailey with a gaily decorated gavel, emblem of his office as Warden of the County and Mrs. Bailey with a ribbon draped broom, emblem of her own domestic domain. A very lively and hilarious evening was spent.

LOST.

At Queen Street Station Woodstock Saturday afternoon January 13th, a ladies dark rain coat. Will the finder please leave at the store of GEORGE SAUNDERS, Woodstock. January 17 21.

NOTICE

As I am about to remove to the Northwest, I have this day sold my insurance business to Mr. G. Hugh Harrison, and would respectfully ask all my old customers who have favored me with their patronage during the last twenty odd years to continue their insurance with Mr. Harrison who has been appointed the general agent for Woodstock and Carleton County for all my companies. I thank my old clients for past favors and regret that our pleasant business relations will in a way be severed.

J. N. W. WINSLOW.
Woodstock, January 1, 1906.

As will be observed by the above notice, I have purchased Mr. J. N. W. Winslow's general insurance business and will continue it in the office he has so long occupied. I hope by a strict attention to the business to merit and receive the confidence of those who have placed insurance with Mr. Winslow in the past and will gladly receive his old customers and any others who may favor me with anything in the insurance line.

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PERSONAL.

Mrs. Walter Atherton, Perth, was in town this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Garden returned on Tuesday from Boston.

Mrs. R. McKee of Perth is visiting Mrs. Robert Lutz, Woodstock.

Mrs. Storer of Richibucto is visiting Mrs. W. Dickinson, Chapel St.

Mr. and Mrs. John Townsend and child returned home from the west this week.

Miss Catherine Rankin who has been ill for a few days is able to be out again.

Mrs. Charles Dow, of Woodstock, spent Sunday at Perth with Mrs. Code Palmer.

Miss Annie Hazen is spending a few weeks in Houlton the guest of Mrs. (Dr.) Nevers.

Miss Alice Queen who has been visiting friends in Woodstock returned to St. John Saturday.

Miss Laura Hopkins of Aroostook and Miss Pearl Waite, Andover are guests of Mrs. Brewer, Victoria Terrace.

Miss Elva Clarke, who has been book-keeper for J. N. W. Winslow left yesterday for Boston to visit her brother.

Mrs. Geo. Davis and son Howard, Miss Mary Edgar and Clarence Jackson, of Kirkland were in town on Tuesday.

Mr. Paul J. Shaw, Butte, Montana, arrived in town on Tuesday, and is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. D. Jordan.

The Rev. G. D. Ireland and Mrs. Ireland went to St. John on Monday evening. Mr. Ireland attended the meeting of Presbytery.

The Rev. J. H. A. Anderson of Florenceville and J. J. McKaskill of Fort Kent went to St. John on Monday evening to attend a meeting of Presbytery.

Mr. and Mrs. T. V. Monahan, accompanied by Mrs. Monahan's sister, Mrs. Fred Jolter of Waterville, Me., spent Tuesday of last week in Houlton.

MARRIED.

BENSON DUFF.—At the residence of the officiating minister, Connell street, Woodstock, N. B., on January 10th, 1906, by Rev. W. B. Wiggins, B. A., Ivin V. Benson, of Houlton, Me., to Janie A. Duff, of Nottontdale, York County, N. E.

WALTERS-HENDERSON.—At the residence of the officiating minister, Woodstock, N. B., on January 10th, 1906, by Rev. W. B. Wiggins, B. A., Mr. Thomas Walters to Wilda J. Henderson, both of Debec, Carleton County, N. B.

SHARP-SMITH.—At Woodstock, New Brunswick, Canada, January 15, 1906, by Ven. Archdeacon Neales, Rector, Joseph Sharp, of Birmingham, England, and Annie Maria, daughter of the late Frederick Smith, of Worcester, England.

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NOTICE.

I have sold out my property in Centreville and am going to move to Cuba next November. For the remainder of the time I am in Centreville I have decided to cut prices in two, and will make Artificial Dentures and guarantee to use best material for \$5 and \$7 per set; Gold Fillings \$1 and up, and all other fillings 50c each.

I will positively be in Centreville until the coming fall, so that all those who wish to avail themselves of this opportunity of getting the best work that a Dentist of over 20 years' experience is able to give at half the usual price. Remember that I don't promise you better work than other gentlemen in my profession will give you, but I do guarantee you the best material that money can buy, and the best attention and work that I am capable of giving you.

I will continue to be at Love's Hotel, Glassville, the 3rd Tuesday of each month, as I have for the past 10 years. The same prices will prevail as at my home office.

I also have for sale one 4 year old mare colt thoroughly broken, by Alcyonum. One 2 year old mare colt, by Baron Duncan, and one yearling filly, also by Baron Duncan.

DR. H. A. GREEN, Dentist,
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The residence on Chapel street, now occupied by J. C. Johnston. The property is freehold and the house is heated by furnace, with water up and down stairs. One of the most desirable sites in town. For particulars apply to HARRY D. BAIRD. Jan. 3, 4.