

**Local Topics.**

ELD. A. H. KEARNEY will preach at Red Bridge next Sunday, 3 p. m.

THE REV. ARTHUR F. BAKER, of Woodstock, has been registered to solemnize marriages.

REV. H. C. RICE, of Sunny Brae, preached in the Methodist church on Sunday last. Mr. Rice has been transferred to Newcastle.

THE Catholic congregation of Clear View will hold their popular picnic on their usual beautiful ground at that place Tuesday, July 3rd.

TENDERS are being called for by the Department of Public Works, Fredericton, for the rebuilding of Nixon's Bridge, Parish of Brighton Carleton County.

THE schools of districts No. 1 and 2, Northampton will hold a picnic at the Bluff, Saturday, June 30th, if the weather be favorable. All are cordially invited.

DR. E. S. KIRKPATRICK has purchased the Dr. Smith residence into which he moved about two months ago. This is one of the best houses in this part of the province.

THIS afternoon at the residence of the brides parents Miss Nettie J. McLean younger daughter of Mr. James McLean, will be united in marriage to Mr. Frank J. Kimball of Augusta Me.

A LADIES Approaching and Putting Competition will be held on the Golf Links, on Connell Street green, on Thursday evening at 7 o'clock. All the lady members are requested to be present and take part.

THE tea meeting given by the members of the church of England at Jackson Falls last Wednesday was a complete success. The day was fine and a large number of people were present, including a number from Woodstock.

MR. AMOS C. DAY of Lynn, Mass. is visiting his brother-in-law Mr. J. W. Astle. Mrs. Day has been here some weeks. It may be that Mr. Day will settle here and go into business. He would be a valuable acquisition to the town.

DEPUTY SHERIFF FOSTER brought Andrew Sparks to town on Monday night and lodged him in jail. He is charged with killing a horse belonging to Joseph Holmes of Greenfield. He will be tried before Police Magistrate Dibblee on Friday.

THE Annual Meeting of the Reformed Baptist Missionary Society of Woodstock was held Friday, June 8th; a good programme was rendered. The officers elected for the following year were: Pres., Mrs. F. L. Moores; Vice-Pres., Mrs. J. C. Arnold; Sec., Mrs. (Dr.) Jewett; Treas., Dr. Jewett. Collection amounted to \$112.06, making for the year \$330.00.

THE closing exercises of the Woodstock public schools will be held in the opera house on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The diplomas will be presented to the graduating class of the grammar school and the prizes and medals to the students in the other grades. There are fifteen members in the graduating class this year. The exercises are open to the public.

MISS JOSEPHINE M. CURRIE, for several years a resident of Exeter, N. H., in the family of the late Harvey Kent, on Thursday left for her home in Richmond, N. B., where she will remain for the present. On June 6th Fraternity Rebekah Lodge of Exeter, N. H., of which Miss Currie was Vice Grand presented her with a gold enamel pin, emblem of the order.—The Exeter Newsletter, Exeter, N. H.

MR. JOHN W. BOHAN who has lately been appointed inland revenue and customs officer was in St. John last week becoming acquainted with his duties and responsibilities. He came up to Woodstock on Saturday's express and went to his home in Bath in the afternoon. He will continue to reside in Bath, though his field of operations embraces the whole province. Mr. Bohan will be a most efficient and courteous officer.

H. W. WILSON returned on Saturday from Boston where he had bought a complete up-to-date photographer's outfit, including some new things in back-grounds and a great variety of the latest designs in cards and mounts. His camera is a particularly good one and he has all the newest ideas on photography. He expects to turn out better work than ever. For the present Mr. Wilson will occupy the Neilson studio on Queen Street.

LAST week a good deal of interest was excited by the reported discovery by John E. Stewart and Charles E. Stewart of Andover, of a cave five miles back of muniac on the boundary between Carleton and Victoria Counties. The Stewarts say they found in the cave three old books, an old silver watch and some maps and plans made on birch bark, all of which they produce for inspection. They say the cave contained also a human skeleton. They do not seem anxious to conduct explorers to the cave. The whole yarn is regarded with very grave suspicion.

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THE Houlton Business College closes this week and will re-open the first Monday in September.

MR. AND MRS. FRED HAYDEN of Eureka Cal. are visiting Mr. Hayden's parents Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Hayden.

MR. A. C. CALDER, Barrister, has been ill for some days threatened with appendicitis but fortunately is recovering.

MISS CARRIE BOYER who has just been graduated in stenography and type writing by the Fredericton Business College came home on Monday.

MR. MILLS, a student at Harvard Law School, is a guest of Harry Miller, Jacksonville. He preached for Rev. J. C. Berrie on Sunday evening.

THE MEMBERS of the St. John Golf Club cannot find it convenient to play in Woodstock on Dominion Day, and will come up on Saturday, July 14th.

DR. JOHN BRITTON, Mr. R. E. Estabrooks and Miss Smith of Woodstock; Mr. Keefe, Jacksonton, and Miss Harmon, of the Cedar Hill school, left on Monday for Chatham to attend the meeting of the Provincial Teachers' Institute.

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DR. CROCKET has resigned the principalship of the Provincial Normal School. Among those whose names are mentioned in connection with the position are Mr. H. V. B. Bridges, Inspector of schools and Mr. H. H. Hagerman an instructor in the Normal school.

A MEETING of the Geo. W. Gibson Co., Ltd., was held on Monday evening last, when the following officers were elected:—Geo. W. Gibson, president and manager; W. B. Drysdale, vice-president; John S. Eagles, secretary-treasurer; Geo. W. Gibson, W. B. Drysdale, A. C. Calder and John S. Eagles, directors.

REV. F. J. McMURRAY has arranged for the commencement of the Forty Hours Devotion in St. Gertrude's church, at High Mass, on Sunday, July 1st. There will be processions by the children at the opening and closing exercises. Special sermons will be given on Saturday and Tuesday evenings, on the latter evening Rev. Fr. Carleton of Petersville, a brother of His Honor Judge Carleton, will deliver the sermon. Frs. McCarthy of Houlton and Murphy of Debec will also assist.

MISS ELSIE G. PHELAN is with the Ethel Bunting Concert Company as pianist. It is said of her that she "is a musician and composer of the first quality. She is a splendid pianist, can play anything at sight, from grand opera to "rag time," is a careful and sympathetic accompanist, and no mean singer of original songs to her own accompaniment. She is exceptionally bright, vivacious and talented, and an indispensable member of the company." Her many friends in Woodstock will be glad to learn that these good things are being said about Miss Phelan.

THE last issue of the University Monthly, the journal of the students of the University of New Brunswick, is a very excellent number. Among the pictures it contains are portraits of Mr. H. V. B. Bridges who used to be our Inspector of Schools and of Mr. F. B. Meagher our present inspector. Among the groups we pick out the faces of Fred Squires, Healdy Maxon, H. H. Manzer and H. E. Hayward, all men known in Carleton County. The literary matter of the Monthly is good and some of the articles exhibit the social, religious, athletic and working activities of the University in a light that cannot but be interesting to young men and women who contemplate entering on a University career. Of all the institutions of learning in the Maritime Provinces the University of New Brunswick seems to have graduated the greatest number of distinguished men. The people of New Brunswick may be assured that it is now a better and stronger institution than it has ever been in its long and respectable career of over one hundred years.

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MR. AND MRS. LORING W. BAILEY, jr., of Fredericton are in Woodstock. Mr. Bailey represents I. C. Mackintosh & Co., of St. John and Halifax, dealers in investment securities.

ALBERT SMITH returned on Monday from Alberta. He left his brother, Harold, in charge of his farm. He expects to return in August with a car load of pure bred Durham cattle and some machinery.

MISS FANNIE McELROY only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin McElroy of Benton underwent a successful operation for appendicitis at the Homeopathic Hospital, Boston, Mass., Thursday, June 14th.

THE inmates at the jail at the present time consist of six men and one woman. The most of these are in prison for selling liquor, instead of drinking, as was the custom under the old dispensation.—Houlton Time

THE Power Comedy Co. opened a week's stand in the opera house on Monday night with a good audience. The company is composed of good people and put on a good show. It is alone worth the price of admission to hear Madame Flower, the Bronze Melba sing.

FRANK A. BARBOUR a civil Engineer of Boston was in town last week in consultation with couns. Dunbar and Fisher and looking over the situation with a view to giving the town council an expert opinion as to the relative cost and advantages of steam and electricity as power for running our water and light plants.

POLICEMAN GUIOU is doing the night work of the police force this week. This change was made so as to give him an opportunity to devote a large part of the day to collecting dog taxes. Mr. Guiou is tired of the dog nuisance and intends to commence on a tour of extermination of a bunch of the whelps.—Houlton Pioneer.

THE DEATH of Thomas Becroft Edgar occurred at his home at Three Brooks, Victoria County, N. B., Friday, June 22nd, at 9 a. m. Deceased was the fourth son of Joseph and Agnes Edgar who landed in St. John in 1819 from Scotland. Deceased was born at Fredericton, N. B., July 12th, 1828. Of a family of seven there now remain but two, namely, John Edgar, of Three Brooks, Victoria County, N. B., and a sister, Mrs. M. M. Hovey, of Centreville, N. B.

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