

Local Topics.

GRAND opening of Spring Cloths at R. B. Jones, Manchester House.

THE Salvation Army quartette sang very well for the patients in the hospital on Sunday afternoon.

REV. C. T. PHILLIPS has been laid up a few days with grip. His many friends are led to see him out again.

E. W. MAIR and Walter Shaw, directors of the Baird Co., spent last week in New York on business for the Company.

MR. AND MRS. JAMES WATSON of Grand Falls were in Carleton County last week to attend the funeral of James McBride, Mrs. Watson's father.

ONE night last week dogs entered the sheep-fold of Neil McAskill of Riley Brook and destroyed every sheep he owned. The loss is very heavy.

DR. AND MRS. I. W. N. BAKER announce the engagement of their daughter, Juanita Blanch, to the Rev. F. Allison Currier, A. M., of Nova St. Baptist church, Winnipeg, Mann.

WALTER SPARROW, Newburg, lost a little son four years and seven months old on Sunday last with grip of the stomach. The Rev. W. E. Kierstead conducted the funeral service on Tuesday.

THE SPECIAL revival services being held in the R-formed Baptist church are increasing in interest. They will be continued indefinitely. Prayer meeting every afternoon from 2.00 to 3.00 o'clock and evening at 7.30 o'clock.

THE ROYAL BANK OF CANADA.—Early habits mould future characters. The boy or girl who early acquires the saving habit is laying the foundation of future success. To open and operate a savings account is a very simple proceeding. Total deposits, \$28,000,-000

ON Tuesday, Jan. 8, a quiet wedding took place at the Cosmopolitan Hotel when Rev. H. Bryant, pastor of the Baptist Church, performed the marriage ceremony uniting Miss Druicilla Van Wart, of the Maritime Provinces, to Mr. J. G. Van Wart, of Calgary.—Calgary Papers

THE death occurred at Marysville, Saturday, of Mrs. Elizabeth E. Armstrong, in the 73rd year of her age. The deceased had been suffering for some time past with dropsy. She leaves three sons, John and Thomas of Marysville, and Frederick of Woodstock. Funeral Monday, Rev. W. B. Thomas conducting the services.—Fredericton Gleaner.

MRS. MOSES BURPEE was in Presque Isle, Monday, where she was the guest of honor at a banquet tendered by the Pierian Club of that place. The Fact and Fiction and Woman's Clubs of this town were also represented. Mrs. Burpee goes to Biddeford, Monday of next week, where she will attend a banquet to be given in her honor by the ladies' clubs of that city.—Houlton Pioneer.

JUDGE GREGORY was the victim of a very serious and painful accident at his residence on Thursday night. While coming out of the bathroom he had the misfortune to trip and fall heavily to the floor. His head struck against the wall with considerable force causing a severe bruise, cuts on his face and he also injured his shoulder. He is likely to be confined to the house for some days as a result of the injury.—Fredericton Herald.

MRS. JOHN COSSMAN, of Speerville, died on Feb. 3rd, after a short but severe illness at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Barnett. Deceased leaves beside her husband and parents, six sisters and three brothers to mourn their loss. She died trusting in Jesus and inviting all to come to Him. One of her favourite hymns was, "He Leadeth Me," which was sung by request at her funeral. The funeral service was conducted at the house by Rev. J. F. Polley, of Richmond. The remains were interred at Bedell Settlement.—Com.

It is of interest to the Fredericton people in general that the head office of the Royal Bank of Canada will shortly be removed from Halifax to Montreal. It has also been announced that Mr. Chase E. Neill, at present chief inspector, and Mr. Frank J. Sherman, who is in charge of the bank's branch at Cuba, will be appointed as assistant general managers with headquarters at Montreal. Mr. Sherman will divide his time between Havana and Montreal. The many friends in this city of the Messrs. Sherman and Neill heartily congratulate them on their elevation in the banking world.—Fredericton Gleaner.

THE concert given by the Fredericton Brass Band in the opera house on Monday evening last was well patronized. The organization is composed of about twenty-five musicians, most of whom are old players. The selections were all well rendered and exceeded the expectation of the audience. Vocal solos by Mrs. F. A. Good and Mr. Cooper were well rendered and brought forth much applause. A male quartette sang two pieces in splendid harmony. W. A. Walsh, reader, who has been heard here before, was in good form and was loudly applauded. The band was under the leadership of J. H. Williamson.

ON THURSDAY, near Bird Settlement, Kenneth Bird found the body of O. G. Hampton, an old man from Coverdale, near Woodstock, in the snow on the lumber road leading off York road. The old man had been in that vicinity several weeks selling roots, herbs, etc. It is thought he perished from exposure on Tuesday, having stayed with a family named Little on Monday night. The unfortunate man's body when found was partly covered with snow. The posture was that of a man tired out, as he was lying down in the snow alongside the road with his head resting on his hand, which was supported by his elbow. A pathetic incident in connection with the tragic discovery was the finding of a small dog, the old man's pet, which was perched on his dead master's body. The faithful canine had stayed with his master to the last, and thus kept guard over his mortal remains.—Fredericton cor. St. John Globe.

The Care of the Hands.

By a Leading Dermatologist.

Continued From Last Week.

In winter cold water should be used sparingly. Its action roughens the skin unpleasantly. Tepid water with a very few drops of household ammonia and a good lather of castile or some other pure soap is advisable then special care should be exercised in thoroughly drying the hands. If the hands are inclined to redness the trouble lies in the way of circulation and slight gymnastics will relieve it. For chaps or roughness of the skin the hands should first be bathed in moderately warm water, thoroughly dried and "OLD ENGLISH COLD CREAM" well rubbed in, and gloves, preferably white, slipped on. The palms of the gloves should be slit in several places to allow circulation of air and prevent cramp of the muscles, and the finger tips clipped off. This cream will also whiten the skin more than any other preparation. Remember we handle all the articles necessary for the proper care of the hands.

CONTINUED NEXT WEEK.

E. W. MAIR,

The Prescription Druggist.

MEN WANTED—to order their Easter Suits from R. B. Jones, Manchester House.

D. McLEOD VINCE and J. C. Hartley are in Ottawa attending the session of the Supreme Court of Canada.

MRS. J. A. SHEA desires most earnestly to thank all those who worked so bravely and determinedly, thereby saving her house in the recent fire.

On Friday morning a fire broke out in the all of the residence of Mrs. John Shea, of Grafton. Hose Co. No. 1 took the fire engine over but could not get it to work. Fortunately the fire was extinguished before it reached the main part of the house.

THE Fredericton Herald in its column entitled Old Times Recalled, republishes the following paragraph from the Farmer of February 17th, 1881: "We regret to record the death of Mr. George H. Connell, M. P. for Carleton, which occurred yesterday afternoon at Ottawa, from an attack of erysipelas. His remains are now on their way home to Woodstock for interment. He is the third member of parliament to die since the opening of the session."

H. H. BANKS formerly of Florenceville, big, strapping, good-looking young man of Arrow Head, British Columbia, is at present in the city visiting his sister, Mrs. James A. Bell. Mr. Banks informed a Gleaner representative that this winter is the most severe the west has experienced in twenty years. When he left his home it was 50° below zero, and the snow was very deep. The trip through Alberta was a very cold one, cattle by the thousands were lying frozen to death in the towns, and the loss to the stock breeders will be enormous. Mr. Banks said that 25 per cent. of the residents of British Columbia are from the east. A few days before leaving home Mr. Banks was in conversation with Mr. Fred Estey, formerly of this city, who is managing an extensive lumber business in the west. Mr. Banks expects to remain in this part of the country until March.—Fredericton Gleaner.

James N. Farley.

Word was received last week of the death of James N. Farley at Fortuna, California. The sad event occurred on the fifth instant, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Richard Pearson, with whom he resided for the last four years. Mr. Farley was in his 84th year, and is survived by the daughter above mentioned and three others—Mrs. John Pearson in California, Mrs. S. I. Rogers, of Goudonsville, and Mrs. Ambers Giberson, of Bristol, as well as two sons, John, police magistrate, of Bristol, and S. K. Farley, of Wicklow. The deceased gentleman was well and favorably known in this county. He was for years a county councillor, representing Aberdeen, and afterwards Peel. He also was a captain in the militia, and always took a lively interest in the success of the Liberal party. In religion he was a member of the Baptist church.

The Liberal Candidate in Victoria and Madawaska.

At a liberal convention held in Grand Falls last week, Pius Michaud, barrister, of Edmundston, was nominated as the candidate for the vacancy caused by the resignation of the Hon. John Costigan. The names of Charles H. Curliiss, A. J. Martin, Sheriff Tibbits and Fred. LaForest are mentioned as possible conservative candidates, but the best opinion is that there will be no opposition to Mr. Michaud.

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PERSONAL.

Irvine Dibblee left on Saturday for Millinocket. Mrs. Mary Ferguson is visiting friends in Boston.

Mrs. Frank Cowan, of Bangor, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Cole.

Miss Laura Brewer, St. Marys, is visiting Miss Emma Oliver.

Major W. C. Good attended the opening of the legislature last week.

Miss Jennie Beardsley is visiting Miss Anna Beardsley in Kentville, N. S.

W. B. Nicholson left on Monday evening for an extended trip to the Northwest.

Miss Madeline Connell, who has been visiting in Halifax, arrived home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Clare, of Campbellton, are visiting Mr. Clare's parents in Woodstock.

Mrs. Charles Oliver is spending a few days at Hartland with her daughter, Mrs. Scott Sipprell.

James Carr and Leonard Kinney, of Fort Fairfield, spent Sunday in town, guests of the Rev. S. A. Baker.

Will Chute, teller of the Bank of Montreal, left on Friday for St. John. His place here is filled by John Wallace, jr.

Frank Dickie, of the Royal Bank, left on Thursday last for his home in Truro, N. S., to spend a three weeks' vacation.

Mrs. W. P. Jones accompanied the Solicitor General to Fredericton last week to attend the opening of the legislature.

Miss A. G. Connell, daughter of the Hon. E. A. Connell was at home to her large circle of friends on Tuesday afternoon, 12th instant, four to six.

C. H. N. Connell, chief engineer of the Alberta Railway and Irrigation Co., with headquarters at Lethbridge, N. W. T., is home on a visit to his parents Mr. and Mrs. Wm. M. Connell.

Mrs. Guy B. Munzer who some months ago underwent a surgical operation in Boston and has since been staying with her parents in Providence, R. I., returned home on Friday, accompanied by her brother. She is very much improved in health.

Houses and Farms in Good Demand.

Within a short time J. N. W. Winslow has sold a house and two lots of land near the Park to Mrs. Shedrac B. Moore; a lot of land on Queen Street South to Herbert A. Palmer; the Drysdale factory to James Carr; a house on Queen Street South belonging to George Mavor to Samuel McKibbin; the Randolph Ketchum house at Upper Woodstock to Ruy Dow; and he has also disposed of the John Cowan farm at Rosedale.

The demand for houses and rents in Woodstock, and farms in Carleton County, was probably never so great in the history of the Country.

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NOTICE.

The annual meeting of the Woodstock Carriage Co. will be held on SATURDAY, MARCH 2nd for the election of officers and the transaction of any other business that may come before the meeting. Feb 20, 21.

D. A. GRANT, Secretary.

PUBLIC MEETING

There will be a public meeting of the ratepayers of the Town of Woodstock at the Council Chamber in the Town Hall of the said town on Friday evening next at eight, p. m., for the purpose of hearing the views of the ratepayers of the town with reference to the repairing and renewing the steam fire engine. All ratepayers who can be requested to be present.

By order of the Town Council, DONALD MUNRO, Mayor. Woodstock, N. B., February 19th, 1907.

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The house on Connell street occupied by undersigned. All modern conveniences. MRS. R. B. PORTER.

LOST.

Between Tracy Mills and Centreville a lady's hand satchel containing eight dollars. Will the finder please leave at C. M. SHERWOOD'S, Centreville, and oblige MRS. JOHN C. LONG.

Horses For Sale.

Three Horses, two Drivers and a Truck Horse; the latter weighs 1100 pounds. One of the Drivers is by Alfordly. For sale cheap. Apply at

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Estate George Leary.

Any one indebted to the estate of George Leary late of the Parish of Brighton, deceased, is hereby requested to make payment to the undersigned, who will receive all bills properly attested as owing by deceased. GEORGE DURRELL GRIMMER, St. Andrews, Dec. 12, 3 mos.