

Local Topics.

HENRY DUTHIE who owns and lives on the Doherty farm on the Connell road is ill of diphtheria.

A. R. SLIPP, Barrister, Fredericton, was in Woodstock Friday on his way home from a business trip up river.

DURING the holidays Messrs. B. B. Manzer and E. B. Manzer were each presented by the employees of Oak Hall with an expensive smoking set.

ON Saturday evening Rev. A. D. Archibald was presented by his parishioners of Richibucto with an address and a purse of money.—Rexton cor. Telegraph.

MAJOR TROY is the proud father of two boys who sing very well indeed, and one of whom, six years old, does a very nice set on a violin that he has had only a week.

CHARLES H. ARMSTRONG of Fort Fairfield, an old resident of Williamstown, spent the holidays with his brother-in-law Clark Watt, of Bloomfield. He drove home on Monday.

LAST week Charles R. Watson placed in the Reformed Baptist church a new Kano organ. It was used on Sunday and the pastor and church members are very much pleased with it.

THE Annual Meeting of the New Brunswick Temperance Federation will be held in the W. C. T. U. Hall, 74 Germain Street, St. John, on Friday, the 4th day of January, 1907, at 3 p. m.

A LARGE panther was shot on the grounds of Senator Macdonald Victoria, B. C., on Christmas morning. The animal which was sleek and fat measured six feet six inches from tip to tip.

THE famous little roadster owned by E. I. Kenen has been sold to Woodstock parties. The owners of some of the good ones up that way will have their work cut out to keep ahead of her on a long road.—St. Croix Courier.

THOMAS T. RUTTER, a linotype operator on the staff of the St. John Telegraph, died at his home in St. John, on Saturday evening, after a short illness of pneumonia. He is survived by his wife, who is a daughter of Dr. John Britton, and two children.

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.

T. B. WINSLOW, secretary of the department of public works, Fredericton, accompanied by Mrs. Winslow, will leave in February for a European tour. They recently received a present of \$1,000 from their son, Bruce Winslow, with instructions that they use the gift enjoying a European trip.

THE report is gaining ground that the steamer Aberdeen will run next summer on the Washdemack route, where the Crystal Stream has lately been running unopposed. Capt. Perry, the new owner of the steamer, has, it is said, been perfecting arrangements to place the Aberdeen on this route.—St. John Globe.

CHARLES F. ROGERS has built a pretty cottage in the grove at the upper end of the island near the bridge. At present Mrs. Rogers uses it for her dressmaking establishment and in the summer they expect to live in it, as it will be cooler and more convenient to town than their residence at the other end of the island.

MRS. ALEXANDER JARDINE and her sister, Miss Etta Dickinson, will leave this morning for Woodstock, to visit their brother, W. D. Dickinson, manager of the Royal Bank of Canada at that place. Miss Dickinson will afterwards go to Richmond, N. H., where she will be married to Mr. Gove.—Rexton cor. St. John Telegraph.

THE REV. ALEXANDER GUNN, of Nova Scotia has been visiting friends in Carleton County for the past two weeks. He was the guest of Dr. E. S. Kirkpatrick for a few days last week. As a theological student, Mr. Gunn preached in St. Paul's church here for a short time many years ago, and will be remembered by the older members of that congregation.

THE children of St. Luke's Sunday school will give a concert consisting of recitations, drills and choruses in the Parish Hall on Monday evening next, the 7th inst, the proceeds of which are to go towards the purchase of new books for the Sunday school library. Among the many attractions will be a sunflower chorus. Concert opens at 8 o'clock. Admission 25 cents.

MISS VITA BREWER, who has been acting as book keeper at the Singer Sewing Machine Co's office here for the past year, has resigned and will go to her home in St. John in a few days. Miss Brewer during her stay in this city made a large number of friends who will regret her departure.—Fredericton Herald. [Miss Brewer is a daughter of Mered Brewer and is well known in Woodstock.]

MR. AND MRS. CLARENCE A. BURPEE gave a party to a number of little folks at their home in Calais, on Thursday evening last on the date of the birth of their daughter, Ida. A most enjoyable time was passed by the little folks, who remembered their playmate with numerous pretty birthday gifts. A dainty supper was served at six o'clock, and the gathering broke up at seven, the guests departing for their homes well pleased and wishing their little hostess many happy returns of the day.—St. Croix Courier.

MR. AND MRS. GEORGE GEE of New Brunswick were arrested in Fort Fairfield Thursday night for drunken and disorderly conduct, and placed in the lockup. They were tried the following afternoon before Judge Fessenden, who imposed a fine of \$5 and costs upon each, both fines and costs amounting to about \$23, which was paid. Mrs. Gee is the mother of the George Gee that was hanged at Woodstock two or three years ago for murdering his cousin Miss Millie Gee.—Fort Fairfield Review.

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J. W. MONTGOMERY and Riley Gillin of Hartland were in Woodstock Friday.

IRVINE DIBBLEE, who was in the hospital with typhoid fever, is able to be out again.

Miss Ryan, daughter of Marcellus Ryan has returned from Lynn where she had been visiting for some months.

NEW YEARS like Christmas was a sloppy day. Speculating the fast horses was not possible.

F. C. RIDEOUT will hold service Sunday morning in the United Baptist church at Meductic.

REV. A. H. TRAFTON was the happy recipient of a nice fur coat from the people of his circuit on Christmas.

MRS. CHARLES ENGLISH fell on the sidewalk near Miss McLeod's store last Friday afternoon and was picked up unconscious.

REV. MR. LEPAGE was appointed by the Woodstock branch of the British and Foreign Bible Society, to solicit subscriptions in the town of Woodstock.

JOHN J. HAYWARD of Bristol who was operated on at the Carleton County Hospital last week for appendicitis is said to be progressing favourably toward recovery.

THE REV. A. A. RIDEOUT, who has been visiting his parents at Hartland, returned to Fredericton on Saturday and left on Monday for Moncton to officiate at the Richards-Bolton wedding.

THREE services will be conducted by Saunders Young of Meductic on Sunday 6th. At Templeton in the morning; Canterbury front, afternoon; Southampton, evening.

MISS ISABEL MOWATT of St. John, a stenographer of the Supreme Court of New Brunswick, returned on Saturday from New York, whither she had gone with the thought of accepting a position in the courts. It is understood that she has decided not to accept a position there.

EARLY Saturday morning a fire broke out at the C P R station at Caribou, destroying a potato house containing 2000 barrels of potatoes owned by Gray Bros, and a car loaded ready for shipment, a freight shed containing over 100 tons of fertilizer besides a large quantity of starch and lime. Grey's potatoes and fertilizer were practically covered by insurance.

GEORGE A. SHEA has recently purchased the interests of all who were connected in the ownership of the Houlton Foundry & Machine Company's plant and is now sole owner. He will make some enlargements and improvements to the plant in anticipation of the increased business that will naturally follow from the proposed 145 mile extension of the Bangor and Aroostook R. R. through a new timber country.—Houlton Pioneer.

GOLDEN WEDDING.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Trafton of Woodstock, N. B., celebrated their golden wedding on the 20th inst. Brother and Sister Trafton are the parents of Rev. G. B. Trafton, the grand parents of Rev'ds. M. S. and P. J. Trafton, and Mr. Trafton is a brother to Rev. A. H. Trafton. We cannot now tell how many more preachers there will be in the fourth generation, but the prospects are good, as there are several bright boys to be heard from.—King's Highway.

[At the celebration there were many friends present. Mr. and Mrs. Trafton were presented with \$70 in gold. Addresses were made by the Rev. S. A. Baker, Ex-Mayor Hay and others.]

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PERSONAL.

Dr. Colter, post office inspector, was in town New Year's day.

Mrs. M. McManus is visiting her father, Henry Maher, in St. John.

Dr. and Mr. R. G. Thompson are visiting Mrs. P. C. Sharkey, in St. John.

Mrs. W. F. Lindsay of Lindsay, is visiting her cousin, Mrs. W. A. Estey.

Miss Helen Good, of Fredericton, is visiting at Mr. and Mrs. Charles Comben's.

Mr. and Mrs. John S. Leighton returned on Thursday from a visit to St. Stephen.

Harry G. Noble and family spent New Years with Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Phillips at Bristol.

Miss Annie Colter, of St. John, has been spending the holidays with Dr. and Mrs. Camber.

Miss Estella Kelly is spending a week in Houlton with her sister, Mrs. Rennie M. Stephenson.

Mrs. Crane and Mrs. Campbell of Centreville, are visiting their sister, Mrs. H. S. Burt at the Turner House.

Miss Lenore Allen and Miss Edith Edgecombe, of Fredericton, are guests of the Rev. George D. and Mrs. Ireland.

Miss Druce VanWart will leave tomorrow for Calgary where she is to take a prominent part in a marriage ceremony.

George W. Glew, after spending the past few years in the United States, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Glew.

Mrs. Alex Jardine and her sister, Miss Etta Dickinson, of Rexton, N. B., are visiting their brother, Wm. Dickinson.

Guy J. McAdam, principal of the Victoria County Grammar school is spending the holidays at his home in Woodstock.

Miss Mair of Campbellton is visiting her brother E. W. Mair. Miss Mair was formerly teacher of Sloyd in the Florenceville school.

Miss Trixie Augherton has come home from Boston and her many friends here are glad to know she does not intend to return.

Mr. and Mrs. John N. Harper, of Jacksonville, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Akerley, Grand View, York County.

Bennett Connell who is a student at the Maine State College at Orono, Me., is spending the holidays with his father, Charles Connell, Northampton.

Miss Allingham of Ashland, Me., and Miss Lottie Allingham of Houlton, spent the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Allingham, Woodstock.

Mr. and Mrs. Julian Bourne spent a few days in St. John last week visiting relatives. They will return the last of this week. Mrs. Bourne will receive her visitors on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, January 7th, 8th and 9th, at Chas. Carman's.

Mrs. Ella R. Balloch, of Centreville, widow of the late Sheriff Balloch, has been in Fort Fairfield a few days to see her uncle Charles R. Paul, who was seriously injured by a fall. Mrs. Balloch expects to start next week for Rainier, Oregon, to visit her brother Dean Blanchard.

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