

Local Topics.

LETTERS patent have been granted to the Woodstock Clothing Company.

JAMES DRYSDALE is at work putting on outside doors on the entrance to the post office.

CHARLES W. CRANDLEMIRE has been gazetted a justice of the peace for the County of Carleton.

JOHN A. LINDSAY has been appointed a commissioner for taking affidavits to be read in the supreme court.

MISS CAMPBELL, of Fredericton, who was visiting at Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Dallings, left for her home on Wednesday last.

THE more you know about tea, the more you will appreciate the delicate fragrance and delicious flavor of "Salada" Tea.

BURDETT HARMON, Arthur Sanders and Charles Colwell, of the U. N. B., are spending the holidays at their homes here.

A string of black beads with cross attached was picked up on the street. The owner can have the same by applying at this office.

MISS ADELIA HILLMAN, Marguerite Hanson, May Grant, Bona Stokoe and Ruby Robinson, returned last week from Normal School to spend the holidays at home.

THE firemen were called out early on Sunday to a fire in Dent's Bakery. They arrived on the scene and extinguished the blaze quickly. The loss will be somewhere in the vicinity of \$100.00.

THE Rev. S. A. Baker will begin a series of special meetings in the Reformed Baptist Church, beginning January 6th, to continue indefinitely. Several outside evangelists will assist Mr. Baker at different times during these services.

HARRY SAUNDERS, of Wakefield, while at work blasting had his hand terribly injured by a stick of dynamite. He was taken to the Carleton County Hospital where the hand was amputated above the wrist.

SPECIAL Christmas services were held in St. Paul's Presbyterian Church Sunday last. The Rev. George D. Ireland preached sermons appropriate to the occasion and the choir rendered special music. The church was prettily trimmed with boughs.

ANNUAL session of Woodstock Chapter, No. 8, Royal Arch Masons, was held on Thursday last. Following officers were elected for 1909: Dr. M. G. McLean, H. P.; H. A. Sealey, King; W. Fisher, Scribe; J. McLaughlin, Treasurer; D. W. Kyle, Secretary; E. L. Hagerman, Tyler.

THERE died at Woodstock on Friday, Dec. 18th, 1908, Pauline Maud, youngest child of Edward and Bernice Greer, of gastritis and pneumonia, aged one year and three months. The funeral took place at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon, the Rev. Dr. Kierstead officiating. The choir of the United Baptist church rendered appropriate hymns.

MR. PARKS' new ice rink on the river opposite Queen Street station will be opened on Christmas day. There is a cleared skating space of 100x200 feet, and a comfortable waiting room has been erected. The hours for skating will be from 9 to 11 a. m., 2 to 5 p. m. and 7 to 10 p. m. Admission 10 cts; children, in day time, 5 c.

HIS HONOR JUDGE McLEOD, at St. John, Wednesday afternoon, rendered judgment for the plaintiff in the case of the Henev Carriage Co. of Montreal against Frank R. Shaw et al of Woodstock. Messrs. Teed and Winslow for the plaintiff and Hon. F. B. Carvell, K. C. and Hon. W. P. Jones, K. C., for the defendants. It is understood that the case will be appealed.

AT a recent recital given by the pupils of the Halifax Ladies College, the Chronicle has the following to say of Miss Marguerite Lamb, of Woodstock, N. B. "Miss Marguerite Lamb made her first appearance as a pianist, and played Borowski's 'Mazurka Russe', very acceptably, her rhythm being good, and she showed much promise and musical taste throughout."

CHRISTMAS Photographs at C. H. Merritt & Co. Studio. An urgent call for early appointments in the interests of sitters who admire good work. Many people find it quite a problem once a year to decide "what to give for Xmas." Why not let C. H. Merritt & Co. help you in the solution of the problem? Can you think of anything at the price that could be more appreciated than a dozen photographs? But to be of any value as a gift they must be good ones. The Xmas season is almost upon us.

ON account of an accident to the boiler of the heating apparatus in the United Baptist church on Sunday last, the evening congregation united with the Reformed Baptists in their church. The sermon by Dr. Kierstead from the text, "Enoch walked with God," was much enjoyed by the very large audience present. The combined choirs rendered an anthem, and the male quartette composed of Dr. Baker, L. Hull, Clyde Watson and F. L. Mooers, sang two selections. Dr. Kierstead expressed his thanks for the courtesy extended by Rev. Mr. Baker and officers of the R. B. Church for the kind invitation to worship in their church. The United Baptists worshipped in the Advent Church in the morning.

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Come early and be convinced our line is larger and better than ever before shown.

E. W. MAIR,

The Prescription Druggist.

PERSONAL

Paul Burt is visiting in Centreville.

W. J. Owens, Tracey Mills, was in town last week.

Jack Dibblee will spend Christmas with friends in Montreal.

Dr. Mann and Mrs. Mann, of Houlton, were in town on Monday.

Mrs. Hugh Bruce, of St. John, spent a few days in town last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jones, of Grand Falls, were in town on Monday.

Charles Jones, of the U. N. B., Fredericton, is home for the holidays.

G. Howard Estey, of New York, was a caller at this office on Tuesday.

F. M. Boyd and wife will spend Christmas with friends at Hartland.

Mr. and Mrs. James Crone, Centreville, spent Sunday at the Turner House.

J. S. Leighton, claims agent, of the I. C. R., is spending his holidays in town.

Mrs. John McClusky went to St. John last week to spend the winter with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew McKay and daughter, of Florenceville, were in town last week.

Miss Hattie P. Ebbett, of Middle Simonds, was visiting her aunt, Mrs. Chas. Whennan.

Mrs. and C. P. Phillips will spend Christmas with Mrs. Phillips brother at Green Bush.

Miss Ethel Ebbett, of Middle Simonds, was visiting in town, the guest of Mrs. Chas. Whennan.

Capt. H. H. Hopkins, of Andover, spent Sunday in town, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Brewer.

Frank Ruggles, of the Montreal Bank, will leave this evening for his home in Bridgetown to spend Christmas.

Miss Glenna McQuarrie, who has been in poor health lately, is home spending the holidays with her parents.

T. C. L. Ketchum left for St. John on Monday to resume his duties as secretary of the Central Railway Commission.

Miss Mollie Codie was called home to Centreville on Saturday on account of the illness of her aunt, Mrs. A. C. Gibson.

Miss Marguerite Lamb, a student at Ladies College, Halifax, is spending Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Garden.

Mrs. Geo. Anderson and children, left on Monday for St. Andrews to spend the holidays with her sister, Mrs. G. H. Lamb.

Mr. and Mrs. John T. LePage, of Wabigoon, arrived in town on Friday. They are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Burt.

Burdette Harmon, Arthur Saunders, and Chas. Colwell, students at the U. N. B., Fredericton, are in town for their vacation.

Masters Earle and James Taylor, of Henderson, Me., are spending Christmas with their grandmother, Mrs. B. A. Potter.

Miss Ethel Hanson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. U. R. Hanson, has been appointed to the vacancy on the teaching staff of the town schools.

Rev. Dr. Steele of Bedeque, P. E. I., was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Jones on Wednesday. His son is teller of the Royal Bank here.

Harold Garden and Miss Jean Garden left yesterday for Andover, where they will spend Christmas with their mother, Mrs. J. T. Garden.

Miss Adelia Hillman, Marguerite Hanson, May Grant and Ruby Robinson returned last week from Normal School to spend the holidays.

Miss Jean Garden, a student at the U. N. B., Fredericton, spent a few days in town last week. She will spend Christmas with her mother, Mrs. J. T. Garden, in Andover.

Robert S. Kirk, who for the past ten years has been in British Columbia, returned home last week to visit his mother, Mrs. Mary Kirk, of Bedell, and his sisters, in Woodstock.

Invitations are being received from B. M. Hay, secretary of the committee, to a holiday ball to be given in the Hayden-Gibson theater on Monday evening, Dec. 28th. Chaperones, Mrs. W. P. Jones, Mrs. W. D. Rankin and Mrs. J. T. A. Dibblee.

Misses Maude and Marguerite Smith entertained a few friends at bridge on Monday evening. The guests were: Misses Marguerite Lamb, Margaret Dibblee, Nan Dibblee, Jean Garden and Nellie Bnll, and Messrs. Burpee Hay, Frank Ruggles, Harold Garden, V. B. Hooper and Chas. Jones.

There will be sold at Public Auction at the home of E. M. Shaw, Victoria, Carleton County, on Monday, Dec. 28th, 1908, remaining Horses, Machinery and Household Effects. Sale commences at one o'clock, p. m.

TEACHER WANTED. A first-class or second-class teacher for school district No. 5, parish of Brighton. To commence next term. Apply to A. S. ESTABROOKS, Sec., Coldstream, Carleton county, and state experience and terms.

PARROTS FOR SALE. The undersigned has for sale four King Parrots, double yellow headed Mexican, good talkers. Will be sold at a reasonable price. For further particulars apply to, MRS. GEO. LEE, Chapel Street.

Dec. 16th-21.

NOTICE. I have a fine line of Jewelry and Xmas Gifts in Bracelets, Rings, Brooches, Watches, Ladies Filled Chains, Fobs, Cuff Links. A nice pair of glasses would make a beautiful Xmas present to a sister, mother, or friend. Eyes examined free. Give me a call and I will use you right. C. E. VAIL, Centreville, N. B.

Dec 16-21.

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SOME HINTS FOR CHRISTMAS SHOPPERS.

In presenting you with our complete list of seasonable goods, we draw attention to the care we have taken in selecting useful gifts of correct styles and yet at reasonable and popular prices. Our gift suggestions include:

Neckwear,
Gloves.
Handkerchiefs,
Braces, Hosiery,
Sweaters,
Flannel Vests,
Knitted Vests,
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Collar Studs,
Cuff Links,
Fur Collars,
Mufflers, Fur Caps,
Hats and Caps,
Umbrellas,
Valises,
Trunks, etc., etc.

Come in and examine our stock early, so as to have first choice in colours and styles.

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FLOUR and FEED.

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Finest Manitoba Flour, \$6 50 per bbl.

" Blended Flour, \$5 90 "

" Pastry Flour, \$5 65 "

Middlings, (extra heavy) \$1.55 Bag.

Bran, " " \$1.35 "

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FARM PRODUCE.

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DEWITT BROS.,
Nov. 18-41. Hartland.

NOTICE.

All parties having accounts against the Estate of the late A. Henderson are requested to send them duly attested to Emma Henderson within thirty days, and all parties owing accounts to the said Estate are requested to make payment of same.

MAUD M. MILLER, Executors.
EMMA HENDERSON
Nov. 24, 1908. Dec. 2-41.

Houses and Lots For Sale.

Apply to LOUIS E. YOUNG.

Woodstock, N. B., Nov. 27th, '08. —tf.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that I have moved my offices to Room No. 1 on the second floor of my Wooden Block on Main Street near the Bridge.
Dec. 7th, 1908. J. N. W. WINSLOW.

OFFICES TO LET.

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Notice To The Public.

Commencing the first of the New Year my grocery business will be conducted on the basis of cash, or limited time to approved customers only. Accounts will be rendered on the first of each month, and will be regarded as due when rendered.

H. G. NOBLE.

Notice Of Meeting.

Notice is hereby given that the first annual general meeting of the Woodstock Clothing, Limited, will be held at the office of the Company in the town of Woodstock, on Monday, January Fourth 1909, at 7.30 o'clock, p. m. dated at Woodstock, N. B., this Fifteenth day of December A. D. 1908.

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KENNETH E. McLEAN,
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Dec. 7th, 1908. J. N. W. WINSLOW.

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Brush and Comb Cases, Manicure Sets, Hand and Stand Mirrors, Ladies' and Men's Travelling Cases. The Best Perfumes in Bulk or Bottled.

Special—A great line of Leather Goods, Bags, Purses, Letter Cases, Bill Holders. Come and see.

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