

Local Topics.

DURING the storm of last week over 200 telephone connections were burned out.

JOHN DAVIS, of Woodstock, is critically ill at the home of his mother, Mrs. Richard Davis—St Andrews cor. St. John Sun.

PASTOR CHARLES F. KING, of Portland, Me., will preach in the Advent church here Sunday next at 3 and 7 p. m. Public cordially invited.

IN A short time now the annual picnic will be held by the congregation of St. Gertrude's church, Woodstock. Tuesday, August 4th, is the day and date selected. See adv. in this issue for further particulars.

JOHN McMULLEN, Factory Inspector, has been in town for two days inspecting Connell Bros., J. D. Dickinson, Small & Fisher, Woodstock Woodworking Co., Robert McElroy, The Dunbar Co., Hayden Mill, Noble's Steam Laundry. In mostly all cases the inspection proved satisfactory.

MRS. J. R. MURPHY arrived here on Wednesday last with the body of her youngest daughter, Jenn, aged 12 years, who died at her home in Seattle, Wash., of spinal meningitis. The remains were interred in the Methodist cemetery the Rev. E. C. Turner officiating. The pall-bearers were: Guy McLachlan, Roy McLaughlan, Arthur Fisher and Burpee Hay.

HIS LORDSHIP, Bishop Casey returned to St. John on Tuesday night from a confirmation tour through Carleton county. His Lordship had been away since Friday, July 3. He visited every parish in the county. In all he confirmed 180 persons—seventy-five in Johnville; forty-four in Woodstock, fourteen in Debec, fourteen in Newburg; eleven in Canterbury, eleven in Williams-town and eleven in Clearview.

ONE OF OUR Woodstock contemporaries last week informed its readers that the Rev. Mr. Bolt curate of St. Luke's Episcopal church of that place had been given a unanimous call to Andover parish. It is news here, and no foundation for such a report can be obtained but on the contrary we are informed that the Rev. J. R. Hopkins has reconsidered his refusal of the parish given some weeks ago and will accept, and will take charge of the parish in the very near future.—Victoria Co. News.

THE following have been appointed vendors of school books for the County of Carleton, Bucher Hillman, Upper Kent; E. F. Shaw, Tompkins Bros. Bath; G. W. Somerville; Bristol; H. P. Gillespie, Florenceville; J. W. Hawker, Centreville; S. W. Smith, Mt. Pleasant; F. E. McNally, Beechwood; Jas. Love, Glassville; Walter Smith, Summerfield; W. W. Wilson, Lakesville; Daniel Baird, River du Chute; Robt. Wilson, Bloomfield; E. E. Britton, Windsor; J. T. G. Carr, Keith & Plummer, Estey & Curtis Co., Hartland; F. E. Henderson, Debec; Wm. Murchie, Benton.

ADJUTANT and Mrs. Carter wishes to announce that Miss Ruth Turner only child of Colonel W. J. B. Turner of St. John is coming to spend her vacation at Woodstock and will be the guest at the Quarters. Miss Turner is very clever and very musical, plays the piano very nice and it is the intention of the Adjutant to put in a piano in the Citadel during her stay among them. She will assist at the meeting on Thursday night led by the Corps Cadets as she herself also is a Cadet at St. John. Everybody come and hear her.

THERE will be a very special and interesting meeting at the Army tomorrow night conducted by the Woodstock Corps Cadets. Mrs. Adjutant Carter, who is a very earnest worker for God, is taking a great interest in the junior work of this corps and this meeting promises to be good. It might be stated that this will be the Corps Cadets first appearance as far as leading a public meeting is concerned and they should be given a full house and good showing to encourage their young hearts towards the good and noble stand they have taken in life. Everybody invited.

MRS. C. D. JORDAN entertained a number of young people on Thursday evening in honor of her nephew, Mr. Bruce Jordan, of Montreal. She was assisted in receiving her guests, by her niece, Miss Edith MacRobert. Dancing and chorus singing were the amusements of the evening. Refreshments were served about eleven-thirty. Those present were:—The Misses Margaret Dibblee, Jean Sprague, Helen Hand, May Marley, Gertrude Jones, Alice Neil, Cassie McQuarrie, Marion Prince, Jean Slipp, Bessie McKibbin, Grace Jones, Mary Sprague, Jean McLardy, Mildred Carvell, Alice Sprague, Messrs. Bruce Jordan, Montreal, Roy Watt, Douglas Winslow, Burpee Hay, Frank McLardy, Clarence Sprague, Clyde Camber, Charlie Jones.

THE new Army officers, Adjutant and Mrs. Carter of this town, seem to be the right people in the right place. They are meeting with great success, are very earnest workers for God and souls, and so far they have had the joy of seeing a number kneeling at the cross. With such leaders, the interest that has been taken of late years in the Army among all classes of citizens in this town is sure to be kept up to its fullest extent. They are both clever speakers and singers. In fact, they are booked at provincial headquarters as two of the ablest officers in the province today. You are cordially invited to attend their meetings and help to push the Gospel chariot along.

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MR. AND MRS. WALTER SHAW of Jacksonville have been visiting friends at Fort Fairfield.

ON SUNDAY Arch H. Cole, Josh P. Corkery and H. L. Meagher drove to Hartland and took tea at the Exchange Hotel, returning home in the cool of the evening.

MR. AND MRS. C. M. HUMPHREY, Broadway, are mourning the loss of their infant daughter, whose death took place on Sunday. The remains were taken to St. Stephen for burial.

HARRY JOHNSTON, who was injured in the circus row last week is able to attend to his work again. The trial of the two circus hands now confined in jail will take place on Thursday before Police Magistrate Dibblee.

WHILE DRIVING down Victoria street on Saturday evening the horse stumbled and threw the occupants, Mr. and Mrs. Rolston, of Grafton, to the ground. Mrs. Rolston had an arm broken and was otherwise badly shaken up.

W. F. DIBBLEE & SON have just received a stock of Carriage Umbrellas. They are both good to keep off the sun and rain. They also have in stock Carriage Canopy Tops both round and square. These Canopy Tops can be used on any carriage. They are ornamental as well as useful.

WILLIAM H. A. HAMILTON, electrician in the employ of the Woodstock Electric Light and Power Co., and son of Wm. Hamilton, of Hamilton Bros., tinsmiths, was married in St. Marys on Tuesday to Miss Laura May Brewer, daughter of Whitman Brewer, bridge contractor. They will reside on Connell street with the groom's parents.

MRS. LOGGIE ROSS, Mrs. (Dr.) Knerr, George Balmain, Hattie Gabel, Fay Camber, Annie and Mary Hipwell, Isabel Watts, Ivy Nichols, Trixie Augherston, and Messrs. L. Ross, C. Berrie, E. Osborne, Walter Stone, Frank McCollum, Arthur Fisher and Robert Flemming, drove to Richmond Corner and had supper on the ground of Charles Campbell, returning about midnight on Monday.

County Court.

The County Court met in the town Hall Tuesday, His Honor Justice Carleton presiding.

Application was made by A. B. Connell for naturalization papers for Benjamin Connolly, American; and by Wm. M. Connell for Max Smith, of Labo, Central Russia.

Following is the docket.
A. B. Connell and F. H. J. Dibblee vs. Frank R. Shaw. A. B. Connell for plaintiff, W. P. Jones defendant.

Abdallah Moses vs. Emack & Emack.
Williamson Fisher vs. Town of Woodstock.

The two latter cases are non jury cases and will be postponed until July 30th.

CANOE WANTED.

Anybody having a canvas canoe for sale can dispose of the same by applying at this office. July 15th.—2t.

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WANTED.

A Second Class Teacher for next term for District No 9 Benton Ridge, Parish of Woodstock. Apply to CHAS. McMILLAN, Benton N. B. July 1st.—2t.

PICNIC.

St. Gertrude's Church,
Woodstock.

Tuesday, Aug. 4th.

The congregation of St. Gertrude's Catholic Church, Woodstock, intend holding their annual picnic on their beautiful grounds on Tuesday, August 4th, for the purpose of raising funds for church purposes.

The different committees will spare no pains to make this the picnic of the season.

Dinner on tables from 11 o'clock. Tickets 35c.

Tea from 5 o'clock. Tickets 25 cents.

These grounds are beautifully shaded and well adapted for picnic purposes.

A Band Will Furnish Music

The Sports Committee is making every effort to have all the usual sports including Bowling Alley, Air Gun, Archery, Swings, Foot Races, Three Legged Races, Sack Races, Potato Races, Jumping Contests, etc.

No Admission Fee Charged. All are invited.

Excursion Rates on all Trains.

If the weather proves unfavorable, picnic will be held first fine day following.

FURNITURE FOR SALE

All my household effects consisting of Parlor, Bedroom, Dining Room and Kitchen Furniture, Carpets and Oilcloths, Stoves, etc., is offered at private sale. Persons wishing to inspect the same can call any day between the hours of 1 and 6 p. m. The house will also be rented, for the balance of the year. Apply to MRS. JOHN TATTERSALL, Victoria Street.

Butter Paper for sale at this office.

Marriage Licenses and Wedding Rings at CARR & GIBSON'S, Jewellers, Woodstock.