

Local Topics.

REPEAT it:—"Shiloh's Cure will always cure my coughs and colds."

The furniture stores of this town will close every evening except Saturday until further notice.

The marriage is announced to have taken place at Houlton, May 14th, 1908, of Estella M. MacDougall, daughter of John MacDougall, and Berton E. Flewelling, both of Woodstock.

COUNTY Court which was adjourned by the clerk on the second Tuesday in December to the 3rd Tuesday in January, then to meet at the town hall at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon.

DANIEL STEPHENSON and family wish to thank their many friends in town for kindness shown to them during the sickness of Mrs. Stephenson and also when he was injured in the mill and unable to work.

HON. CHARLES E. OAK, of Bangor, left for Perth N. B. Tuesday where he and Henry Holyard and Hon. John Costigan will be sworn in as arbitrators to adjust the claims for land damaged against the International Railway by the N. B. Railway and Land Company. The inquiry will commence in this city on Thursday next.

SUPERINTENDENT DOWNIE, of the C. P. R., in conversation with a reporter for the Sun, declared that the company intended to start work immediately at re-building the station at Bristol, which was destroyed by fire. The cause of the blaze was unknown, but the building was burned to the ground. Mr. Downie declares that traffic at the place will not be inconvenienced on account of the destruction of the station, as the railway intend to push operations forward with the greatest alacrity. The station was burned about two or three nights ago. While the new station is being erected, the company intend to use one of their large passenger cars for a waiting room and a box car for freight purposes. It is expected that the new building will cost about \$3,000.—St. John Sun.

Basket Ball.

A very interesting game of basket-ball took place on Saturday evening in the High School Gymnasium on Albert St., between the High School and the local U. N. B. boys. It ended in a score of 21-14 in favor of the High School team.

The line-up was:

U. N. B.		High School
McKeen	Center	Morrison
Saunders	Forwards	Winslow
Jones		Baker
Colwell	Defense	McLardy
Harmon		Berry

Benefactions of 1908.

(Chicago Tribune.)

The figures of the year's benefactions run into the millions. More than 90 of these millions, either by gift or bequest, have been devoted to the betterment of men and women and children during 1908. In round numbers the colleges and educational institutions have received \$40,000,000; charitable enterprises of all kinds another \$40,000,000; religious organizations (regular contributions not included), \$5,000,000; museums, art galleries and municipal improvements, \$5,000,000, and libraries about \$1,000,000. In the latter direction the amount shows a decided falling off over previous years. This, of course, is due to Mr. Carnegie's change in his library policy. He has planted library buildings all over the country and put in conditional leases under them until there is no further need of his help, but in all other directions the stream of philanthropy runs bank full in all its old channels.

In this connection Andrew Carnegie, John D. Rockefeller and Mrs. Russell Sage, as usual, head the list of the philanthropists. Mr. Carnegie has given away \$5,429,650, and there is an implied promise on his part also that an additional ten millions will be forthcoming ere long for the benefit of the Carnegie technical school endowment. Mr. Rockefeller's gifts amount to \$2,934,000, and might have been much larger had it not been a hard uncertain year for the Standard oil benefactor and beneficiary. Mrs. Russell Sage has given away \$1,242,700 of the accumulations which her late husband so wisely left to her philanthropic disposition.

So, thinking these things over, "behold how a good deed shines in a naughty world!" and reflect "This world is not half so bad a world as some would like to make it."

Merton G. McLean D.D.S.

Graduate of Philadelphia Dental College and Garretson Hospital of Oral Surgery, MODERN METHODS EMPLOYED IN ALL BRANCHES OF DENTISTRY. PAINLESS EXTRACTING A SPECIALTY. Office Cor. Main & Queen Sts.

HAS RETURNED.

Dr. Manzer, who has been taking a Post Graduate Course in Surgery and Dentistry, has returned. "A word to the wise is sufficient."

Prescriptions!

We have been preparing medicine according to doctors' prescriptions for 15 years. In that time our business has doubled in volume, several times over, and yet we have never received a single complaint from any doctor in regard to our manner of compounding Prescriptions. We have always stuck to one policy, namely: To use only the best quality of Drugs that we could get, and always do the work as skilfully as we know how. THAT MAKES GOOD MEDICINE.

E. W. MAIR,

The Prescription Druggist.

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PERSONAL

Miss Mable Atherton spent Sunday in Perth. Wm. H. Keays spent the holidays in Campbellton.

John Conroy, of Centreville, is at the Turner House.

Elmo Tabor left this week to attend Wolfville College.

Miss Ada Chase has returned from her home in Fredericton.

Joseph Whiteley, of St. John, is a guest at the Turner House.

Dr. and Mrs. W. C. Kierstead left on Monday for Fredericton.

Miss Maude Smith left on Monday to resume her studies at the U. N. B. Fredericton.

Mr. and Mrs. John Williams of Lakeville were guests at the Turner House on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Boyer spent New Year's day with Mr. Boyer's parents at Florenceville.

Perley Hartley entertained a number of his friends at dinner on Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Steeves, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Estabrook, returned home on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Graham of Hartland entertained some of their Woodstock friends at dinner on New Year's day.

Miss Teddie and Mrs. R. J. Smith, of Lower Brighton, are visiting at Conductor Charles Taylor, in Woodstock.

Miss Elizabeth Hacking, who has been in the West for the past year, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hacking.

Miss Mary Flemming, of Grand Falls, left on Saturday evening for New York to train for a nurse in the Hospital there.

Horold Garden, who had been spending the holidays in Woodstock and Andover, left last week for his home in Vancouver.

Miss Blanche Dibblee and Edmund Dibblee returned from Montreal, where they had been spending the Christmas holidays.

Misses Stella Anderson and Louise Day of Benton, and Misses Nettie and Jean Colwell of Tapley's Mills, are guests of Miss Annie and O'reilla Gibson of Grafton.

Miss Eva Newcomb was hostess at a most enjoyable dancing party on Monday evening. The guests were, Miss Margaret Dibblee, Miss Mary Wright, Miss Marguerite Lamb, Miss Helen Woolvorton, Miss Helen Dibblee, Miss Nellie Bull, Miss Bessie Boyer, Miss Jean Sprague, Messrs Donald McCormac, Clarence Sprague, Roy Watt, Frank Woolvorton, Avard White, Mr. Bent of Mt. Allison, Burpee Hay.

Miss Marguerite Lamb was hostess at a Bridge and dancing party New Year's evening. The guest were: Miss Nan Dibblee, Miss Margaret Dibblee, Miss Helen Dibblee, Miss Mary Wright, Miss Maud Smith, Miss Marguerite Smith, Miss Eva Newcomb, Miss Bessie Boyer and Miss Rilla Boyer, and Messrs. Frank Ruggles, Clarence Sprague, Charles Jones, Arthur Fisher, Don McCormac, Douglas Winslow, R. McGregor Watt.

The Markets.

There are some changes in the market prices this week, and sadly enough the potato market has gone away off. All the farmers had the opportunity of selling at \$1.10 before hard freezing came, so there is no one to blame if they have to take less. The dealers do not want oats very badly as they offer only 40 cents when those in the county who have to buy oats for their own horses are paying almost any price up to 50 cents. The cause of this is the scant supply in the county and the over-supply in other places. The prices at most shipping points this week are:

Hay loose,.....	\$6.00 to 7.00
Straw,.....	2.50
Potatoes,.....	.90
Oats,.....	.40 to .50
Butter,.....	.22 to .25
Pork,.....	.07 to .08
Beef,.....	.05 to .06
Hides,.....	.08 to .08½
Beans,.....	2.00 to 2.50
Buckwheat meal,.....	1.75 to 2.00
Chickens,.....	.08 to .10
Tallow,.....	.05

NOTICE

Miss McPhee, professional demonstrator, will demonstrate the Best Flour made in Canada at Mrs F. L. Moore's Ladies' Emporium, for two weeks beginning Jan. 9th. All the Ladies of Woodstock and vicinity are cordially invited to attend this demonstration, and see the wonderful results which Miss McPhee gets from this splendid flour.

Kilburn.

While Ernest Wright was hauling wood for Benj. Kilburn one day last week he discovered a hive of bees in a hollow maple. The bees were secured also about ten pounds of honey.

Benj. Kilburn is to have a cheap sale of dry goods, groceries, hardware, etc., for fifteen days beginning Jan. 5th.

Quite a number of people drove from here on Wednesday evening last to attend a concert at Kintore.

Miss May Pickett gave a party at her home on New Year's eve.

We regret to state that there was an increase in the number of trains on Sunday.

Rev. J. A. Ives was making calls among his parishioners here last week.

Mrs. B. L. Dagggett spent several days at Caribou last week.

Miss Grace Moffat went to Portland, Me., one day last week.

River de Chute.

Gordon Tweedie, the young son of Walter Tweedie, is very ill with pneumonia.

School opened this morning with Miss Laura Denimore, of Fredericton Jet., in charge.

R. B. McLéan intends leaving on Wednesday for British Columbia.

Mr. E. Perkins, of Centreville, is the guest of Mrs. H. Flanagan.

Mrs. Charles Wolverton and little daughter, Gladys, of Caribou, are visiting at Elmer Miller's.

Mrs. E. Bishop and son George, were visiting at East Florenceville last week.

Mrs. C. S. Osgood, of Houlton, and R. B. Semple, of East Florenceville, visited their sister, Mrs. Baird on Sunday.

D. B. Baird went to Montreal Thursday to see his brother, Senator Baird, who is at the Royal Victoria Hospital.

WANTED.

Dressed pigs and hogs, any weight, fat cattle and veal, fat sheep, lambs, ducks, geese, chickens and turkeys. Imperial Packing Co., Limited, Woodstock, N. B.

NOTICE.

Take notice that Baisel W. Trafford, of the Parish of Wicklow, in the County of Carleton trader, pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 141 of the Consolidated Statutes 1903, did on the second day of January, A. D., 1909, make an assignment for the general benefit of his creditors to the undersigned, Sheriff of the County of Carleton:

JOHN R. TOMPKINS, Assignee.

Jan. 6th, 21.

THIS WEEK ONLY

FIRST QUALITY HOT WATER BAGS FULLY GUARANTEED AT \$1.59 and \$1.29 EACH

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Woodstock, N. B.

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FLOUR and FEED.

We guarantee every barrel of this Flour.

Finest Manitoba Flour, \$6.50 per bbl.
" Blended Flour, \$5.90 "
" Pastry Flour, \$5.65 "
Middlings, (extra heavy) \$1.55 Bag.
Bran, " " \$1.35 "

STORE TO LET.

The Store in the Dent Building on Maine street now occupied by me as an office. Possession given 1st, day of November next.

J. N. W. WINSLOW.

Dec 7th, 1908.

FOR SALE.

A Pure Bred Guernsey Bull Calf six months old. Registered in the Canadian Guernsey Herd Book.

W. R. McCREDY,

Nov. 14.

RESIDENCE FOR SALE.

That large two story dwelling with ell and shed attached on Green street now occupied by Rev. George D. Ireland. Lot freehold, ten rooms, bathroom with hot and cold water, wood furnace, electric lights and bells. Verandahs on front and one side with balcony. Everything in first class repair. Possession given first day of next November. Terms easy \$1600 may remain on mortgage at 5%. Apply to REV. G. D. IRELAND, or to J. N. W. Winslow.

ELECTION CARD.

To the Electors of the Town of Woodstock:

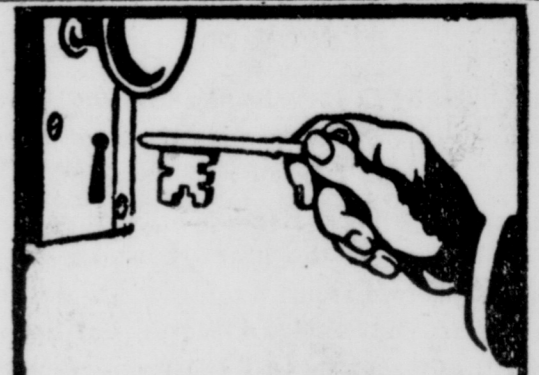
LADIES and GENTLEMEN:—

At the urgent solicitation of very many friends, both Liberals and Conservatives, I have consented to permit my name to go before you as a Candidate for the Mayoralty. The fairly close attention I have given to town business during the past seven or eight years, and in addition the experience recently gained by being Chairman of the Finance Committee, will no doubt be of considerable benefit to me should I be entrusted with your suffrages and thereby be called upon to preside over the incoming council.

If, elected, it will be my constant endeavour to discharge the responsible and onerous duties of the honorable position without fear or favor, always keeping in view the best interests of the citizens. During the short interval prior to the day of election it will not be possible for me to call upon you all personally. I therefore take this opportunity of soliciting your support.

With a determination to cheerfully accept your verdict, I remain, Sincerely Yours, N. FOSTER THORNE.

Woodstock, N. B., Jan. 1st, 1909.



The Key to the Situation

If you are looking for a situation a Classified Want Ad. is the key which will unlock the door to the private office of the business man. He is too busy to interview all promiscuous callers, but you can catch his attention and secure an appointment by a "Situation Wanted" ad.

LOST.

On Thursday last between the Custom House Office and Graham's Store, a Gold Chain with heart locket, engraved. Finder will be rewarded by leaving same at Graham's Grocery.

WANTED.

A first or second class teacher for the school in Ashland, Carleton Co. Apply to, W. GUY McCOLLOM, Ashland, Car. Co.

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MONEY LOST.

A sum of money on Tuesday Dec. 22nd in the business section of the town. Finder will be rewarded by leaving same at this office.

Dec. 30-31.

WANTED.

A second class female teacher for school District No. 6. Apply stating salary to, ERNEST AKERLEY, Sec. Upper Southampton, York Co., N. B.

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FARM FOR SALE.

The Kidney-Lilly Farm on the Jacksontown Road, about four miles from Upper Woodstock, containing 150 acres with a good dwelling, barns and other outbuildings. An especially good bargain will be given for a quick half cash sale.

Dec. 7th, 1908.

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.

BOY WANTED.

Steady boy wanted to learn the Printing business. A good chance for the right boy. Apply at this office.