

LOCAL NEWS

LADIES AID

The Ladies Aid of St Paul's church will meet with Mrs H V Dalling on Monday the 13th at 2 p m

PIANO PURCHASED

Geo W Lee, Chapel Street has purchased a beautiful piano and player from the Heintz man Co Toronto.

C P R STATION.

The opening of the new C P R station has been delayed on account of a delay in the arrival of the electric light fixture and some of the furniture.

PROMOTION.

Robert King, superintendent of the division of the C P R for the past two years, has been promoted and is now superintendent of the line from Toronto to Smith's Falls. Mr King left for Toronto on Monday. His family will follow in a few weeks. Mr and Mrs King have many friends in town who will sincerely regret their departure.

BUSINESS SALE

Messrs Balmain Bros announce to their many friends and former customers that they have sold out their business, including office premises, warehouses, stock in trade etc, to Messrs J Clark & Son of Fredericton. The latter will continue the business as a branch under the management of Mr Fred O Creighton, and along much the same lines as it has been conducted in the past. All contracts for goods and future delivery, as well as all engagements entered into with their agents, will be carried out by the new firm. Messrs Clark & Son are well and favorably known in the business world and among the farmers as well.

SERIOUS FIRE

Shortly after noon on Sunday fire caught from a defective flue in the office of the Woodstock Woodworking Company which is close to the factory. The fireman responded promptly and succeeded in preventing the flames spreading to the factory. The office and warehouse were completely destroyed together with a stock of mouldings, sashes and doors valued at \$4000. The building was insured for \$200 and the stock for \$800. The members of the Company wish to say that the work of the factory is going on as usual; and all orders will be promptly attended to.

SCHOOLS REMOVED

The College Building, for many years the home of the High School has been vacated and the work of removing it to clear the site for the new Fisher Memorial School will begin at once. The different departments whose removal was necessitated by the action of the Board are in various places about town. Two departments are in the Lindsay building, two in the slow and one in the Baird Co building. The Superior department is conducted in the Broadway School Building. It will be necessary for these arrangements to hold until the new building is ready.

SENATOR WOOD LEAVES OTTAWA FOR SACKVILLE

OTTAWA March 6.—Senator and Mrs Wood expect to leave for Sackville this afternoon. They go by private car, which will obviate any change of car between Ottawa and their home. They attach to the Intercolonial to morrow at Montreal. Mr Wood has improved considerably and it is thought will stand the journey fairly well.

POTATO HOUSE DESTROYED

Fire early yesterday morning destroyed the middle section of H R Burleigh's long potato house at the B & A station. Prompt work on the part of the fireman saved the remainder of the building. The loss on the building is estimated from \$1800 to \$2000. There were over 3000 barrels of potatoes in the building, owned by Harry Rhoda and William Barry of Hodgdon, and a New York concern. It is understood that there was no insurance on the potatoes. The fire is supposed to have caught from a stove in the house.—Aroostook Pioneer.

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PERSONAL

Miss May Thibideau is spending a few days in Hartland.

A young son of Mr and Mrs Wm McCunn is very ill.

J T G Carr, of Hartland, was at the Carlisle last week.

Dr E S Kirkpatrick of Havana is in town for a few days.

F H McNaught was in Fredericton last week on business.

John S Leighton, Jr claims agent I C R, spent Sunday at home.

Mrs A C Day left on Tuesday last for a month's visit in Boston.

I F Kinney of Jacksonville was in town on Saturday on business.

Miss Helen Dibble returned on Tuesday from a visit to Fredericton.

John E Stewart, of Andover spent a few days in town last week.

Mr and Mrs B B Manzer expect to occupy their new residence this week.

Mr and Mrs W P Jones left last week for a trip to Montreal and Toronto.

Mr and Mrs Leslie Mayor are visiting Mrs John Mayor in Fredericton.

B W Cummings is confined to the house with a severe attack of lumbago.

Mrs John Stephenson, of Rockland was the guest last week of Mr and Mrs T J Boyer.

A D McCain and D McGuffigan, of Florenceville were guests at the Carlisle last week.

Miss Gladys Smith, daughter of Mr and Mrs W D N Smith, is quite sick with typhoid fever.

Mr and Mrs Robert King and Miss Mabel Glidden attended the Eiks ball in Houlton last week.

Miss E iz Thornton, of Hartland, spent Sunday in town the guest of her sister, Mrs John McDonald.

Harley Hannah of Jacksonville was in Fredericton on Thursday for the opening of the Legislature.

Mrs Scott Sipprell and two children of Hartland spent part of last week in town the guests of Mr and Mrs James Hamilton.

Carl Wetmore of the C P R engineering staff, who has been in Montreal for the past two months, returned on Tuesday last.

Arthur Fisher a student at McGill, Montreal son of Mr and Mrs Williamson Fisher was operated on for appendicitis last week. The operation was successful and Mr Fisher is convalescing rapidly.

Thomas Gabel, who injured his right hand some months ago in the Hospital suffering from blood poisoning and every effort is being made by the doctors to save the hand from amputation.

John MacDougall left Wednesday night for Port Arthur, Ont., enroute to Winnipeg, where he has accepted a position as travelling salesman for the Petrie Mfg Co Hamilton, Ont. Mac Dougall travelled for this firm five years in N B.

Miss Helen Hayden and Miss Alice Peters entertained a number of their friends on a drive out to Hayden's camp Thursday night. After playing whist and other games refreshments were served. They returned home at 1 30 o'clock after spending a very pleasant evening.

Sydney Hughes left on Wednesday for Milo, Maine.

M McDade of St John was a visitor in town on Friday.

Mrs Moses Burpee of Houlton Me was in town on Monday.

Geo Drake of Belville was in town on Monday on business.

R B Hagerman spent the week end with his parents at Hartland.

Lieut Colonel W C Good attended the opening of the Legislature.

N W Brown of Southampton was a guest at the Carlisle on Monday.

W B Clark, C P R operator, spent Sunday with friends at Canterbury.

I Archibald, of the Boston Lumber Co, was at the Carlisle last week.

B A Potter, who has been ill with the grippe, is able to be out again.

C D Johnston attended the opening of the house in Fredericton last week.

Miss Jennie Burpee, of St John, spent Sunday with Mr and Mrs A Williams.

Miss May Beaird, of Lakeville, was the guest last week, of Mr and Mrs Colin M King.

W E Stone, Harry Dunbar and Dr A R Currie attended the Eiks ball in Houlton last week.

W W Wilson of Lakeville and John Kennedy of Williamstown were visitors to town on Thursday.

Mr Walter Hay has been appointed janitor of the Post Office and entered upon his new duties on Tuesday.

The Many friends of Colin M King will be glad to learn that he is now able to take short drives and walks.

Mrs George Phillips entertained a number of young people at a dance on Thursday evening for Miss Ivy Nichols.

R R Finnemore and Mrs Finnemore, were in Wicklow Saturday attending the funeral of Mrs Finnemore's father.

Mrs. Watts Tompkins of Florenceville visited her sister-in-law Mrs. C. R. Inman, last week.—Fort Fairfield Review.

Mrs James Page of Long's Settlement who was the guest of Mr and Mrs Colin M King for a week, returned home on Saturday.

Mr and Mrs J Leslie Post, who have been guests of Miss Rebecca Cook have returned to their home in Woodstock.—Saint Croix Currie.

Mr and Mrs T M Jones, who were called to St John last week on account of the death of Mrs Jones mother, Mrs H G Addy, have returned home.

Geo A White, manager of the Bank of Montreal, H O White of River de Chute and H R White, of Meductic, have returned from Berwick N S, where they were attending the funeral of their father.

George White died of heart failure suddenly, at Wicklow on Thursday last in the 75th year. He is survived by two sons, Colby (of Ashland, Me; Fred at home and one daughter Mrs Roderick Finnemore of Woodstock. The funeral was held on Saturday.

Among those who attended the annual meeting of the Farmers and Dairymen's Association in Fredericton which concluded its business on Friday afternoon were Julien E Long of Long Settlement, the Vice president for this county, Wilmot Kennedy and Ward Webb of Centreville, Harvey Ward of Royalton, Thos Strong and Fred Strong of Lindsay and Stephen Peabody of Woodstock. The newly elected vice president for this county is Robert Ronald of West Glassville, who also attended the meeting.

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MARRIED.

LONGSTAFF-TOMS.—At the residence of the brides parents March 1st by Rev J D Wetmore Robert Stanley Longstaff of Upper Knoxford to Edna Emma youngest daughter of Mr James Toms of Centreville N B.

TOMPKINS-RIDEOUT.—At the parsonage March 1st by Rev J D Wetmore Ernest J Tompkins of Stickney to Miss Annie Rideout of the same place.

O'NEIL-CONNOR.—At Winthrop, Me., on Feb 15 Fred Davis O'Neil and Edna Beatrice Connor were united in marriage by Rev Alex McKenzie. The ceremony was performed in the home of Mr and Mrs W H Frannigan. The bride is the young daughter of the late Rev Thomas Connor.—Hartland Observer.

JOHNSON-BROWN.—In Andover, N B, Thursday February 16, at the Methodist parsonage, by Rev J A Ives, Mr Lyman Johnson and Miss Evelyn Brown, both of Fort Fairfield.

HIGGINS-Thompson.—At Vancouver B C Feb 18th by the Rev Mr Shichater at the home of Mr Robt Stevenson Ethel May Thompson eldest daughter of Johnston Thompson of Florenceville N B to Mr Frederick B Higgins of Cumberland B C.

DIED

DROST.—In Fort Fairfield, Sunday February 26, Samuel Drost aged 77 years.

RYAN.—Mineral, Carleton County, March 3, after a short illness of appendicitis, John P Ryan aged 19.

GRAVES.—Ellis R Graves of Centreville passed peacefully away Feb 28th of appendicitis, aged 13. Leaves to mourn their sorrow his parents, brother and two sisters.

SHERIDAN.—Lowell, Mass, Feb 18th, Grattan C Sheridan, aged 30 years.

Marriage Licenses and Wedding Rings at James A. Gibson's, Jeweller, Woodstock