

## THE DISPATCH.

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## MUSIC

"The Dispatch" has opened a department for music, not only for the town; but also for the County, and anything of interest in the musical line will have a place in this department. Address: Music Department, "Dispatch."

## KATHLEEN PARLOW AND THE RUSSIANS

Kathleen Parlow's admiration for the Russians is pronounced, for her various visits to the Czar's domain have been sources of special pleasure. It was in St. Petersburg that the young violinist studied under Leopold Auer. In a recent interview, in which she referred to the period spent under Auer's tutelage, Miss Parlow declared the Russians the most charming people with whom she had ever come in contact—with a tactful reservation of course, in favor of her native land. "The Russians have the polish of all other nations," she explained, "and fascinating characteristics all their own. They are highly cultivated, while their courtesy and charm are always in evidence. I count my stay in St. Petersburg one of the happiest periods in my life, though, of course, it was one of the busiest. How long did I practice each day? Well, you can figure it out for yourself, basing the estimate on Auer's advice, which was: 'If you are clever practice three hours; if you need more, stop.'"

—Montreal Daily Telegraph

Mrs. Galloway is a guest at the Turner House.

Mr. Strain, St. John, is staying at the Turner House.

Mrs. Geo. A. White and Mrs. Dr. Murray of Shediac are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Brown.

Mrs. D. McQueen and Miss Verna McQueen spent Sunday in Plymouth with Mr. and Mrs. Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hay and family of Millville, spent Sunday in town, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Lockwood.

Premier Flemming and A. W. Hay went to Benton on Saturday on a fishing trip.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Squiers have moved into the house lately occupied by Mrs. Thomas Neales.

Arthur Penna, of St. Stephen, spent Sunday and Labor Day in town, the guest of his parents the Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Penna.

Mrs. W. J. Bennett, of Calgary is visiting her aunt Mrs. Geo. H. Saunders.

J. E. Saunders of the C. P. R. Staff, returned on Monday from a trip to Toronto, Buffalo, Detroit and Niagara.

Arthur J. Everett who spent the holiday in town with his family, returned on Tuesday night to St. John.

H. G. Noble, representing the the Geo. E. Barbour Co. St. John spent Sunday and Monday with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Harrison and daughter, of Houlton, were in town yesterday.

Mrs. T. W. Kerr, of Boston who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Woolverton has returned home.

Miss Davidson is visiting her parents in Kincardine.

Mrs. Pierce is visiting her daughter, Mrs. F. C. Squiers.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bragdon and daughter have returned home from a week's visit with friends in Bangor.

Miss Helen Brooks of Woodstock, who came up to attend the Abbott-Hopkins wedding August 20, has returned home. Miss Annie I. Gillis of Woodstock arrived in town Friday evening to spend a week or more with Fort Fairfield friends. Dr. W. G. Chamberlain was in Woodstock, N. B., Friday by automobile. George Glew, who has a fine position on the St. John Valley Railway as track-inspector, with headquarters at Woodstock, came up Saturday to spend the time till Monday with his family in Fort Fairfield. The rum-siezers have been pretty busy in Presque Isle lately. Last week Deputy Sheriff Everett grabbed 75 barrels of hop beer, 182 pints of gin and 14 gallons of whiskey. He has also in his custody enough rum of various sorts and descriptions from other seizures to stock a pretty good city saloon. The drouth in Presque Isle (in sports) is said to be getting serious.

Fort Fairfield Review.

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WANTED,—Cook, for the Fisher Memorial Hospital. Apply to The Matron.



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# WOODSTOCK SCHOOL OF MUSIC

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THE WOODSTOCK SCHOOL OF MUSIC was started by Mrs. Adney simply as a Name under which the scope of work of the most successful teacher of music in this Province might be extended. We shall not here refer to the course of study offered, except in a passing way, but to those more personal matters which so far out-weigh all other considerations as to make the list of truly successful schools of any kind very few in number. It is altogether a matter of the TEACHER.

The secret of Mrs. Adney's widely known success is that resolved upon having the best instruction at any cost she had the wisdom to select or the good fortune to be directed to the BEST TEACHERS IN AMERICA, and has the faculty of imparting what they taught her. William Mason was our greatest teacher of Piano and admitted to the equal of the best of Europe. He was a pupil of the immortal Liszt. Her lessons, over an extended period, were cheap at six dollars apiece. Previously, she had instruction from Gonzalo Nunez, a distinguished graduate of the Paris Conservatory, where Prof. Le Couppey was Instructor on Piano. This world's greatest music school also perpetuates the musical theories of Liszt. These ideas lead to a technique in contrast with that of the dry, mechanical German technique. We criticize German execution, not German music. The influence, however, of this nation of musicians is such that their "method" is the one nearly everywhere met with. Combining Mason's "Touch & Technic" with the thus rarely taught "Conservatoire method," it is worthy of note that Mrs. Adney's steady use of "Le Couppey" has exhausted the American edition, and a new one is being printed for her use.

In Voice, Mrs. Adney was in a sense almost equally fortunate. After some instruction from a famous (that is to say, well advertised) teacher, whose method was not as great as his celebrity, nor his charges, she took lessons under Mr. A. A. Pattou, a distinguished French singer and teacher, who with the finest credentials that France had to offer, came to New York to make his debut where German influence controlled everything from orchestra members to press critics, and it being shortly after the Franco-Prussian war his reception was so hostile that he abandoned his intended career in Grand Opera, and retired to the routine work of a teacher. Later she studied at the N. Y. Vocal Institute, under the talented Mr. Tubbs, editor of The Vocalist, and derived many ideas that have proven of great value here. So it happened that, by accident or otherwise, Mrs. Adney acquired the method in singing of the great Garcia, and the almost equally famous Shakespeare—the only true method of voice production and that which has produced the great singers of Italian and French Opera.

When deciding to carry on her well known private work in Piano, Singing, Musical Theory, etc., under the name at the head of this section, it was with the idea of extending its scope as opportunity might offer. It perhaps did not occur that Woodstock could not maintain a Victoria Conservatory of Music, which during her three years after its establishment became an institution of such recognized importance in the music world of Canada, that a special publication entitled "Musical Toronto" gave her and her work extended space. Perhaps it was because one of her pupils, solely instructed by her, went to the Toronto College of Music and in the same year took the Gold Medal in Piano. Two other pupils sisters, one fifteen and one thirteen years of age, after studying with Mrs. Adney entered one of the foremost Conservatories in Europe and began immediately to play in public recitals. The head master writing to their parents said "they have had the perfection of piano forte training and are artists already." Today her work has become so well recognized in the United States, that she has been invited to become a member of the International Musical Society, formed thirteen years ago by the very leading musical professors and patrons of the world, and only seeking membership of those identified with "advanced musical research and its results."

There is a point relating to "Diplomas," "Graduation," etc., upon which Mrs. Adney needs again to remind the public. Except for theoretical studies such as harmony, this School gives no "Diplomas," has no "Graduates." In all practical, artistic work, the only test of proficiency recognized among artists is that of the actual work itself, except for the degree of Doctor of music, for which only the masters ever qualify, and which is recognition of exceptional proficiency and musical learning. For all others the only recognized test is ability to perform, from memory, to say, two recitals, a program of pieces of certain grades of difficulty, one of ordinary music, and one from the representative works of the great Masters. The program itself is the "certificate" and no teacher of high standing ever offers anything else; and whatever institutions hold forth as an inducement the prospect of a "Diploma" for a certain length of time in study, it may be taken as certain that the actual teacher is indifferent—any person whom the institution finds it convenient from time to time to employ. Even a school or institution becomes famous only through some exceptional TEACHER in it. An artist of real distinction offers only his program: no one asks or cares WHAT school he studied at, but who was his TEACHER. The aim of this school is not to grind out graduates with diplomas: we offer the best musical instruction, in our lines, that can be obtained in the Maritime Provinces, if not in Canada, and better than will be obtained by going to any but the few greater masters in the large cities of the United States.

Thus Woodstock offers advantages for musical study that one may go to any city in Canada, or to New York or London, and perchance not get. Mrs. Adney did not in the first instance select Woodstock as furnishing the full scope for her exceptional talents as a teacher, but she has made it and the work done here by pupils who are now successful teachers in various parts of United States and Canada, a credit to Town and Province.

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## W. C. T. U. Officers

The W. C. T. U. of Woodstock, after a two months vacation, met at the home of Mrs. G. W. Slipp, on Thursday evening, Aug 28th. The reports of the different departments of work were encouraging and the treasurer showed a good balance in the treasury.

The officers for the year are as follows, beginning Sept 1913: Mrs. G. W. Slipp, president; Mrs. C. D. Dickinson, vice president; Mrs. George Saunders, secretary; Mrs. C. D. Dickinson, treas. Superintendents of departments:—Mothers meetings and moral education—Mrs. J. Hillman. Sunday School work—Mrs. J. Morrison.

Parlor meetings—Mrs. J. Morrison. Fruit, flower and delicacy mission—Mrs. A. Delong. Evangelistic, jail and prison—Mrs. C. D. Dickinson. Sailors—Mrs. Howard Burr. Anti-narcotics—Mrs. Chas. Watson. Press—Mrs. Chas. Manzer. Scientific temperance instruction—Mrs. B. Potter. Hygiene and heredity—Mrs. George Saunders. Lumbermen and raftmen—Mrs. E. True. Loyal temperance legion—Mesdames Turney and Flemming.

Railwaymen—Mrs. G. W. Slipp. Woman's slave traffic—Mrs. C. Snow. Our next meeting will be held with one of our charter members, Mrs. John Shea, of Grafton, Thursday afternoon, Sept 11th, when all who are interested in the great cause of temperance are cordially invited to be present at a basket picnic. Mrs. G. W. SLIPP, President.

## Baptist District Meeting

The Baptist District Meeting will be held at East Florenceville on Sept 8th and 9th.

Monday evening, 7.30—Sermon by Rev J. A. Corey. Social service conducted by Rev James McLuckie.

Tuesday morning: 9.30—Prayer service by Mr. Frank Atherton.

10.00—Business of the district, minutes, etc. of the annual meeting.

10.20—The Christian Family: 1. In the Home, by Rev James McLuckie.

2. In the Church, by Rev F. B. Seeley.

3. In the Community, by Rev S. W. Schurman.

Discussions will follow, after the addresses, by the district.

Tuesday afternoon 2.00—Testimony service by Deacon Lewis McFarland.

3.00—Denominational work, by district clerk, discussion following.

4.00—Church Courtesy, by Rev Thos. Gillan. Discussion.

Tuesday evening, Evangelistic sermon, by Rev A. C. Berrie.

Miss Clara Stewart, after visiting her friends here for a month, returned to her home in Springfield, Mass., today.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Taylor, Fredericton, are spending the week in town, guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Holyoke.

A gentlemen's bogie match was played on the golf links Labor Day. A. D. Holyoke being the winner.

Miss Bertha Melley, who was visiting Mrs. James W. Gallagher, returned to her home in Berlin, N. H., last week.

Dr. Camber and family returned from Skiff Lake Friday night, where they have been spending the summer.

Henry Post, contractor, McAdam, spent Sunday in town.

Miss Milligan, of St. John, is visiting at Dr. and Mrs. T. F. Sprague's.

Mrs. Henry Post is visiting her friend Mrs. Andrew Nixon of Calais for three weeks.

Miss Elizabeth McCartin left yesterday for St. John, called there to attend the funeral of a friend.

Mr. Clarence Sprague, of the Merchants Bank, Sherbrooke, Quebec, is spending his holidays at home.

Miss Carrie Caldwell returned on Saturday from a visit to friends in Calais, Maine, and towns in Charlotte county.

Misses Perry of Grand Falls spent a few days here last week the guests of Mrs. Joseph Fewer and Mrs. James W. Gallagher.

The banns of marriage were announced in St. Gertrude's church, Sunday, of Harold McCarthy of East Newbridge and Miss Gertie McGuire of Newburg.

Play on the golf links for the E. W. Mair Handicap Cup was finished on Friday last, Mr. H. V. Dalling being the winner. A. D. Holyoke, the winner of this cup last year, was the runnerup.

Mrs. George S. Wilson and little daughter Margaret who have been guests at the home of her brother, Howard Tompkins of South Newbridge for some weeks past, has returned to their home in Kalispell, Montana.

Rev. A. C. and Mrs. Berrie returned on Friday from a pleasant vacation spent with friends in Westmorland and Albert counties. While absent Rev. Mr. Berrie supplied the pulpit in Hill-stone for one Sunday and the Dorchester church for two Sundays.

Miss Marie Sullivan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jeremiah Sullivan, left today for Normal School.

John R. A. Morrison of Sydney, N. S. is visiting his parents here.