

Local News

For Halifax Sufferers

His Worship Mayor Burt has received the following donations, which he has sent to the Mayor of Halifax: School District No. 10, Parish of Woodstock, \$10.00. Abraham Cronkite and family, Temple Station, York Cr., \$10.00. Bible Class of United Baptist Church, Jacksonville, \$10.00.

NOTICE

THE ELECTION OF MAYOR AND TOWN COUNCILLORS

For the Town of Woodstock will be held on

Monday, the 21st day of January, 1918

At the following places:

POLLING PLACES FOR DISTRICT NO ONE

All ratepayers whose Surnames commence with any letter of the Alphabet from A. to L., both inclusive, who reside in District Number One, comprising Kings and Queens Wards, shall vote at or near the Council Chamber, in the Town Hall, (up stairs)

All ratepayers whose Surnames commence with any letter of the Alphabet from M. to Z., both inclusive, who reside in said District Number One, shall vote at or near the Office of the Town Treasurer in the Town Hall, (down stairs).

POLLING PLACES FOR DISTRICT NO. TWO

All Ratepayers whose Surnames commence with any letter of the Alphabet from A. to L., both inclusive, residing in District Number Two, which comprises Wellington Ward, shall vote at or near the Brunswick Hotel.

All ratepayers whose Surnames commence with any letter of the Alphabet from M. to Z., both inclusive, residing in said District Number Two, shall vote at or near Jacob M. Carson's.

Nominations of Candidates For Mayor and Councillors

Nominations of Candidates for Mayor and Councillors shall be filed with the Town Clerk, at the Council Chamber, in the said Town of Woodstock, between the hours of Ten o'clock in the forenoon and the hour of Twelve of the clock, Noon, of Thursday, the Seventeenth day of January next. Blank Nomination papers can be had on application at the Office of the Town Clerk.

The Election will be for a Mayor for one year and for three Councillors for two years.

Dated this Fifteenth Day of December, A. D. 1917.

J. C. HARTLEY, Town Clerk.

ROD and GUN

Among the magazines on the newsstands during the holiday season the January number of Rod and Gun, with its lists of contents depicting outdoor life, makes a special appeal to the sportsman, whose activities at this season are limited in the field of sport and who is therefore dependent upon written experiences for his enjoyment. Among the contributors to this number are Boomcastle Dale, H. C. Hadden, M. A. Shaw, Edward T. Martin, George R. Gullett, Robert Page Lincoln and many others. The usual departments are well maintained. Under the Trap department appears a write-up of the Grand International Tournament at St. Thomas recently, while the Kennel section contains an illustrated record of the recent Canadian National Field Trials held at Ojibway. Rod and Gun is published at Woodstock, Ont., by W. J. Taylor, Limited.

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PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Bailey spent the New Year holidays with friends in Fredericton.

Miss Winnifred McCann has entered the employ of the Bank of Nova Scotia.

Miss Mary Adams, of Fredericton, spent last week with her aunt Mrs. A. G. Bailey.

Miss Robinson, of St. Stephen, was the guest for Christmas of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Hartley.

Messrs. Wilnot and Robert Curry arrived from Woodstock on Saturday to spend Xmas at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Curry, Victoria Co., N.S.

Master Orville Dalling, of Orono, Me., is spending his holidays with his grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Dalling.

Mrs. T. J. Carter, who has been visiting for the past few weeks with her sister, Mrs. Paul Taylor, at Larchmont, Virginia, arrived home last Friday afternoon. Victoria Co. News.

Mrs. Arthur Smith and children of Flagstaff, Alta., are visiting Mrs. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Glendon.

Drivers Hayes and Evans of the 65th battery, Woodstock, spent Xmas at their home in St. John.

Captain Malcolm Orford, who went to France at the beginning of the war and won his promotion on the field, is here visiting his family.

Driver B. C. Wall, of the 65th Battery, returned on Thursday evening after spending Xmas with his parents in Moncton.

Miss Muriel Smith, Miss Dorothy Dickinson and Mr. Vernon Holyoke, who are students at the Provincial Normal School, arrived home last week for their vacation.

Miss Teresa Kyle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Kyle, Moncton, is home from the Toronto General Hospital, and will spend her Christmas holidays with her parents.

Comp. W. M. Smith, who was knocked down by a runaway horse on Christmas evening, and seriously injured, is making a satisfactory recovery. For a while his condition was critical and caused his friends grave anxiety.

Sergt. Percy McIntyre of the Canadian Engineers, who has been speaking in southern New Brunswick in the interests of the Red Cross campaign, was the recipient of two boxes of his favorite 'smokes' from the members of the Meduxeoque Club, on Saturday evening. -Houlton Times.

C. S. Dickinson, mail driver between Woodstock and Meductic, has sold his auto and outfit to John Marston who is now the efficient mail man between these points, Mr. Dickinson having joined the 65th Battery.

Captain B. M. Hay of St. John, spent last week here with his father, Mr. W. W. Hay.

Mr. Harry Dingy, of East Glassville, is visiting friends in town.

The Women's Institute held a most interesting meeting on Wednesday afternoon. Dr. G. Fred Clarke addressed the meeting, and Mrs. Foster, an experienced Red Cross nurse from overseas, also gave an interesting address.

Red Cross Work

WOODSTOCK.

At a special business meeting of the Woodstock R. C. S., Dec. 27th, a motion was passed that a vote of thanks be given to the Lower Woodstock Girls' Club for a donation of \$117.01, the proceeds of a bazaar held by them in the early part of the month. This Club has been very active in Red Cross work, and their willingness to help is very much appreciated.

MRS. W. P. JONES, Pres. MRS. H. V. DALLING, Sec.

The Woodstock Red Cross Society acknowledge the following with thanks:-

Mrs. W. P. Jones \$25.00 Lower Woodstock Girls Club additional proceeds Bazaar .75 SARAH A. HARTLEY, Treasurer.

Potato Grower's Convention

The Annual Convention and Potato Show of the New Brunswick Potato Growers' Association will be held in the Agricultural School at Woodstock on January, 23rd and 24th 1918. A comprehensive programme and prize list has been prepared. A number of Experts on various phases of potato growing have been secured including H. G. Bell, Chicago, Ill., U. S. A.; W. T. Macoun, Dominion Horticulturist, Ottawa; T. G. Raynor, Dominion Seed Inspector, Ottawa; L. H. Newman, Secretary Canadian Seed Growers' Association, Ottawa; S. J. Moore, Representative of Dominion Seed Branch; Hon. J. R. Tweeddale, Minister of Agriculture for N. B., and Representatives of the Dominion Experimental Farms. The Prize List of the potato show amounts to \$600.00 covering ten classes of exhibits. Reduced fares on all railways.

Ice Menace In New York Serious

New York, Jan. 4.—The ice blockade in New York harbor and adjacent waters, combined with another day of zero weather, to-day caused concern to the fuel administrator's and transportation officials, who have been battling against odds in their endeavor to relieve the metropolis from its alarming shortage of coal. Not in years has the ice menace been so great. Barges with thousands of tons of coal on board virtually were ice-bound in the bay last night.

As hundreds of families, unable to get coal, have been burning kerosene, the supply has dwindled to such an extent that an oil famine is now feared.

Meanwhile, suffering has increased among the poor, and charitable organizations have been swamped with calls for help. Many school buildings were again closed to-day, with little prospect of their re-opening until next week.

FRUIT TREES and Plants

For Spring Planting

We need no further introduction than the fact that we have been in the Nursery Business SIXTY ONE YEARS, and are now prepared to meet existing conditions by offering our high grade trees and plants direct to customers at ROCK BOTTOM PRICES.

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Colborne, Ont. Jan. 2nd.—14i.

Dominion Tanneries, Ltd.

The Dominion Tanneries, Limited, is a concern which the people of Woodstock hear very little about, probably on account of its location, but which is worth more to the town than all the other industries combined, its weekly pay roll running in four figures. During the coming year, Manager Willard will put in force a system touching on the co-operation plan Beginning Dec. 1st, 1917, the employees will be given a bonus of \$1.00 a week, until Dec. 1st, 1918 for continuous service. This plan is in the nature of an experiment, and should it work out right, no doubt it will be continued in the future. That the employees will appreciate this move on the part of the management goes without saying, and it will result in a better understanding all round. There are 65 men now employed in the tannery.

On Thursday's meeting of the Red Cross Society, Mrs. W. P. Jones became a Life Member of the Canadian Red Cross Society through the Woodstock Branch.

Lieut. Tappan Adney, head of the department of models of the Engineers Training School, at St. Johns, Que., spent Christmas with Mrs. Adney and Master Glenn.

CANADIAN PACIFIC

Railway Train Service

Effective Monday, Sept. 24th, double service on St. Andrews Sub-division, will be discontinued. On and after that date there will be only one train in and out of St. Andrews, daily except Sunday; arriving at St. Andrews 11:55 A.M. (Atlantic) and leaving at 6:00 P.M. (Atlantic).

N. R. DESBRISA St. John, N. B.

Wanted For Work in Halifax

One hundred carpenters, wages 40 cents per hour; 50 carpenter helpers at 35 cents per hour. Board \$4 per week in Company camp. Fare paid both ways if stay three months. Cook Construction Co., & Wheaton, 131 Barrington St., Halifax, N. S.

C. W. Connell, a well known resident of Northampton, while driving with his son Charles, recently, was severely shaken up and a rib broken, as the horse, sleigh and occupants were thrown over the river bank, by the action of the horse, at the Gratton shore, all escaping with slight bruises with the exception of Mr. Connell. The injured man is recovering and was able to visit Woodstock on Wednesday.

Opportunity For Dental Work

Dr. Manzer has returned and will resume his practice in Dental Surgery. For over a year Dr. Manzer has been serving in the Canadian Army Dental Corp and this great experience has added still more to his already long service in Dental Work and Head Surgery. His experience in anaesthetics, especially Gas has been enormous handling hundreds of patients monthly in the Hospital. He wants to procure all the difficult cases possible. His equipment is of the most modern type and new and as in the past he guarantees all his work.

His office being at his residence patients are able to find the Doctor any time of day or night or on Sunday which is a great advantage to suffering patients after hours.

Gas and Ether administered. Painless extracting by injection in the Gum.

Artificial Teeth:—Gold, Silver—the new Porcelain and Cement fillings.

Crown and Bridge Work.

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