

## LOCAL AND GENERAL

The local amateurs are making preparations to give a Minstrel performance in January—the date is to be announced later.

The church choirs are busy with the musical programs for Christmas. Excellent music is promised to several of the churches.

A weekly paper is to be published at Bathurst. The first number appearing on Dec. 17. It will be independent in politics.

The Christmas number of the St. John Telegraph contained forty pages and was a most attractive and creditable production.

The tea and sale given by the young people of the Methodist church on Thursday last, was a most successful affair. The sum of \$165 was cleared for church purposes.

The attention of our readers is directed to the advertisement of A. E. Jones in this issue. Careful buyers will be interested in this sale.

A new altar is being placed in St. Gertrude's church. It is pronounced very handsome and the material and workmanship of the finest quality. It will be used on Christmas day for the first time.

Nearly a hundred teachers are present at the Teachers Institute, which is in session in the Fisher school. A full report of the proceedings will appear in the next issue of the Sentinel.

The Gulquac Fox Company are branching out into other lines of fur-bearing animals, including mink, and have three of these little animals which are very handsome specimens and attract much attention.

The W. C. T. U. will be grateful for contributions towards the filling of the Christmas baskets intended for some of the poor families of the town. Parcels may be taken to the vestry of Adventist church on Wednesday afternoon.

For the first time in several months Very Rev. W. F. Chapman, V. G., celebrated Mass in St. John the Baptist church on Sunday morning. Father Chapman's sight, his many friends will be glad to hear, has considerably improved of late.

Advent Christian Church—Rev. Charles F. King, pastor. Christmas services at 11 a. m., and 7 p. m. Morning sermon theme: "Why Jesus Came." Evening subject: "No Room for Christ." Sunday school meets at 12 o'clock.

Christmas Concert in A. M. E. church, Monday evening, Dec. 23th. A cordial invitation is extended to all. Christmas tree and program by Sunday school, Friday evening, Dec. 20. Donation of candy, nuts, or fruit would be appreciated. W. H. JONES, Pastor.

A large circle of friends met at the home of Mrs. H. O. White on Dec. 10th, and after spending a pleasant afternoon Mrs. E. L. Clarke on behalf of the ladies, presented Mrs. White with a china tea set. Much regret was expressed that Mrs. White is leaving Woodstock to make her future home in Nova Scotia.

Many subscribers in arrears will confer a favor by paying up promptly and commencing the new year with a clean sheet. Subscribers in the United States are particularly asked to comply with this request. We do not wish to drop any one from our list, but this course will be taken at the beginning of the year unless payment is made.

Potato shippers at Debec are finding it difficult to ship to the American markets owing to the railway not being willing to furnish cars. Cars for shipment to Canadian points are furnished promptly. B. & M. cars are used for the American business, but delays sometimes occur in getting them.

Rev. A. C. Berrie having resigned the pastorate of the Woodstock church, will close his work there with the old year. Although his services have been sought by one of the Maine churches, it is doubtful if he will accept, but will remain at Woodstock for the winter. Churches needing a supply after the New Year will do well to write him.

A Carleton County divorce case, Thomas Henry Belyea vs. Annie Maria Belyea, was before the divorce court at Fredericton Tuesday. Mr. M. L. Hayward of Hartland, acting for the plaintiff in this case, was granted a postponement of hearing till February on account of unavoidable absence of his client. A point of particular interest in this suit comes up by the action of the defendant, who left for Dakota and secured a divorce in that State, where she became subsequently married again. The question is whether such a marriage contract be recognized in this province. The petition is for a decree absolute.

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Report of the meeting of the Agricultural Society will be found on page three.

Rev. C. B. Daggett and Mr. Guy Porter are representing the potato growers in the Washington conference.

The members of the 67th Regt. Band held an enjoyable smoker in their room in the armory, Tuesday evening.

Mr. Charles Hand has disposed of his much admired roan driver to A. E. Gans of Upper Woodstock, and has since purchased a handsome black perch-on mare from Grover Flemming, Detec.

At a meeting of the quarterly board of the First Methodist church, Charlottetown, recently, a unanimous invitation was extended to the Rev. R. G. Fulton, of Chatham, to become the pastor of the church for the term beginning June, 1915.

Jas. A. Gibson has lately installed in his store a beautiful mahogany wall case, for the display of silverware, etc. The case was built especially to his order, and is the first of a series of cases which are to be placed in the store early in the new year.

Miss Addie Calder was in town yesterday, enroute to St. John from a visit at her home in Fair Haven. Miss Calder has resigned her position with the Cold Storage Co. in St. John to accept a position in charge of the office work of C. E. Colwell, wholesale dealer in coal and fish, St. John West.—St. Croix Courier.

A horse case of considerable interest was tried Wednesday before Police Magistrate Holyoke and a jury. Walter Mott, a horse trader, sued Cyrus Reed for payment of a note of \$75, balance on a horse deal. Mott assured Reed the horse was "all right" and the animal afterwards was found to have the heaves, and Reed refused to pay the note. A large number of witnesses were heard, the case occupying two days. The jury found for the defendant. F. B. Carvell appeared for Reed and J. C. Hartley for Mott.

Farmers and shippers are deeply interested in the outcome of the conference in Washington in reference to the proposed embargo on potatoes. If the American potato growers succeed in their efforts to bar New Brunswick potatoes it will mean a loss to Carleton County, alone, of thousands of dollars. Many of the potato houses are filled and farmers have not been actively engaged in hauling owing to the condition of the roads, and they have yet on hand the major part of their crops. Nearly all shipments have been made to the American market at good prices with the prospect of increased prices later in the season. Should an embargo be put on at once it will mean additional loss, owing to contracts made and not filled.

The C. M. B. A. met Monday night and elected the following officers for the ensuing year: Jas. W. Gallagher, president; John W. Kennedy, 1st vice president; Charles Lee, 2nd vice president; John Cogger, treasurer; Chas. Sullivan, financial secretary; Roy Tait, recording secretary; Hon. J. L. Carleton, chancellor; J. H. Brown, guard; W. Ryan, marshal. Trustees, C. L. Ryan, P. Thibodeau, John Bragan, James Gallagher, J. G. Cogger. The Branch is now occupying rooms in the Brown Block, which have been comfortably fitted up and will be open every evening to the members and their friends. Meetings will be held weekly for a time, in order to accommodate those who wish to become members and have their benefits take effect as soon as possible.

WANTED—A girl for general housework in small family. Apply to Miss Lucy Leighton.

Read the overshoe ad of Gibson & Ross in this issue.

Miss Bertha Moore returned on Thursday from the Ladies College, Halifax.

Mrs. H. C. Archer was called to Boston this week on account of the illness of her sister, Mrs. A. W. Morrell. Rev. H. C. Archer went to Grand Manan to visit the churches in the interest of the mission fund. On his return he will speak at Calais on the World's Sunday School Convention held at Zurich.—King's Highway.

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## PERSONAL MENTION

Joseph Holmes, Florenceville, was in town Wednesday.

J. D. Black of the Fredericton Gleaner is in town.

Frank Hanson is quite seriously ill at his home on Connell street.

Mr. Guy Starrett is spending the Xmas holidays with his sisters here.

Miss Lulu Phillips is spending the holidays at her home in Fredericton.

Mr. Frank R. Shaw of Victoria Corner was in town on Saturday last.

Mr. George W. Upham was in Fredericton this week, a guest at the Queen hotel.

Mrs. John C. Winslow was the guest over Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. W. Winslow.

Miss Mildred Carvell returned on Thursday last from a visit to Cowansville, Quebec.

N. D. Lister has been visiting relatives in McAdam and Harvey during the past week.

Miss Marie Thompson arrived home Thursday from Mt. St. Vincent Convent, Halifax.

Miss Gladys Lunn of Centreville was visiting in town last week the guest of Miss Mabel Atherton.

Mr. H. L. Stevens, of the Bank of Nova Scotia, Fredericton, has been transferred to East Florenceville.

Miss Marjory Rankin is home from King's Hall, Ladies College, at Compton, Quebec, for the holidays.

Mrs. Donald McCormac and little daughter, of Guelph, Ontario, are the guests of Mrs. James K. Augherston.

Dr. Manzer returned from Boston on Saturday. The Dr's health is not as good as his friends would wish.

Mr. Raymond Gabel is suffering from an attack of typhoid but his friends hope for a light run of the fever.

Mr. Walter Shaw left on Saturday last to spend Christmas with his wife and daughter, Helen, in California.

Mrs. H. W. White and family left on Thursday for Grafton, Nova Scotia, where they will reside in the future.

Wilmot Lister who was called home at the time of his father's illness, returned to Newport, Vt., Thursday.

Dr. C. C. Alexander and Mrs. Alexander of St. George are visiting in town, guests of Dr. Alexander's sister, Mrs. Thomas Lindsay.

Mrs. G. A. Ross and the Misses Mildred and Marjorie Ross, of East Florenceville, were the guests last week of Mrs. A. Wilmot Hay.

Miss Edith L. MacRoberts arrived on Wednesday, the 17th inst., from Newport, R. I., and is spending her Christmas holidays with her aunt, Mrs. C. D. Jordan, Queen street, South.

Miss Addie Calder, who left here some weeks ago to accept a position with the N. B. Cold Storage Co., in St. John, has resigned her position and accepted another with C. E. Colwell, wholesale dealer in coal and fish, St. John West.

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## Christmas in Germany

In Germany, the children believe that on Christmas Eve the Christ-Child—Kris Kringle—passes over the house and drops gifts through the roof for the good and deserving. The Germans make more of Christmas than any other people. Every family has a tree, even if it be just one poor bough, on which to place their candles. The celebration lasts three days. On the 24th, the good frau spends all day preparing for the dinner at night, making the chocolate slippers from which Santa feeds his steeds, cakes in the form of animals for the tree, and all the traditional dishes for the feast. All night the children have their tree, and the family gathers round, singing carols, and telling the old story of Christmas. On the tree are all the animals of Noah's Ark made of cake, at the top the Star of Bethlehem and the Christ-Child in His cradle. On the second day, everyone goes to church, and the children give their gifts to their parents, gifts which represent many hours of loving toil. The third day is much like Sunday, but ends with balls, parties, and general merrymaking. In short, the Germans celebrate Christmas with a wholehearted joy-

ousness, and yet with a simplicity which we would do well to copy. We are prone to disdain small things—we do not want a tree unless it towers to the ceiling, and we think too much of the size and cost of our preparations instead of remembering their significance. There is no room in the German Christmas for envy, jealousy and display.—Sel.

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