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Bureau of Information

McKENZIE CORNER RESIDENT IS IN JAIL ON CHARGE OF ATTEMPTED MURDER

CARTRIDGES ARE HIDDEN IN A HOLLOW STICK

ARTHUR MARSDEN ARRESTED AND REMANDED UNTIL NEXT THURSDAY

Arthur Marsden, of McKenzie Corner, is in the Woodstock jail on a charge of attempted murder, as a result of investigations of the R. C. M. P. into an occurrence near his home on Monday. Marsden is alleged to have placed a stick containing cartridges in the yard of Walter Kindon, so that it would have been placed in the stove in Kindon's house.

The stick was picked up in the yard by a five year old son of Kindon who carried it to his mother. Mrs. Kindon noticed that one end of the stick had been hollowed out and stopped with mud. She took an axe and split it open. A deep hole had been bored into the stick with a brace and bit and four thirty-eight calibre cartridges placed inside it.

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Maurice H. Craig Is Elected To Town Council By Acclamation

BURNING POLE IS CAUSE OF SLIGHT SERVICE BREAK

A slight interruption in the light and power service occurred on Wednesday afternoon when a pole burned near Mars Hill, Me., causing trouble on the transmission line. Fortunately a trouble crew were nearby at the time and got the break fixed up without much delay. The lights were off for about twenty-five minutes.

WOODSTOCK TAX RATE UNCHANGED

WILL BE THREE PER CENT, THE SAME RATE AS LAST YEAR

That this year's tax rate will not (Continued on page four.)

Carleton Circuit Court Opens Its April Sitting

ONE CRIMINAL AND FOUR CIVIL CASES ON DOCKET; ADJOURNMENT UNTIL DATE IS PROBABLE; VERDICT OF GUILTY RETURNED IN RATHBURN CASE

With one criminal case and four civil matters, all jury cases, on the docket, the April sitting of the Carleton Circuit Court opened on Tuesday with Chief Justice Barry presiding. The only matter for the Grand Jury was the case of the King vs. J. Hayes Rathburn charged with failing to account for money belonging to the Canadian Oil Co. He was convicted after a two day trial and remanded to jail to await sentence, which has not yet been imposed. J. C. Hartley, K. C., appeared for the Crown and F. C. Squires and R. W. Seely for the defence.

One of the civil cases is now before the court, one was set over until next term, and two will be taken (Continued on Page eight)

ANNUAL BANQUET OF FISH AND GAME ASSOC. ON MAY 9th

The annual banquet of the Carleton Branch of the New Brunswick Fish and Game Protective Association will be held on Monday evening, May 9, it has been announced. The banquet will be held at the Carleton hotel, and will be preceded by a business meeting at the court house in the afternoon. Members are reminded that their dues are now payable to the treasurer, P. S. Marston.

PAIR COMMITTED FOR TRIAL AT NEXT SITTING OF COURT

ZOE TRACEY AND ETNA BROOKER FACE SERIOUS CHARGES

Zoe Tracey and Etta Brooker were sent up for trial at the May sitting of the county court by Magistrate C. M. Auerbach in the police court on Wednesday afternoon. The Brooker woman is charged with neglecting to provide for her child at birth with intent to conceal the birth, and Tracey with disposing of the infant's body with intent to conceal the birth.

Mrs. Edward Hamilton said that Tracey came to her house at a date in February which she could not definitely fix. She went with him to his home and found Miss Brooker in bed there. Mrs. Harrison Campbell and Mrs. Coral Dixon were in the house at the time, she said. Witness saw the body of an infant lying in a small crib. The Brooker woman told witness that the baby had been born on the previous Sunday morning and had frozen to death as the weather was very cold. Witness helped lay the baby out and Tracey took it away in a box. She did not see the body again.

Edward Hamilton, husband of the previous witness, gave corroborative evidence. Constable Wilson of the R. C. M. P. told of statements made to him by the accused in which they denied that any baby had been born.

Other witnesses had been summoned but were not in attendance, but the (Continued on Page Eight)

NEW COUNCILLOR'S NOMINATION IS ONLY ONE FILED WHEN J. C. FOLKINS ANNOUNCES HIS WITHDRAWAL

CANDIDATE WITHDRAWS TO SAVE TOWN FROM EXPENSE OF HOLDING ELECTION; NEW MEMBER WILL SIT ON MONDAY EVENING FOR FIRST TIME

Maurice H. Craig has been elected by acclamation to the seat in the Woodstock town council left vacant by the death of Coun. B. A. Johnston several weeks ago. He will take his seat for the first time at the council meeting on Monday evening, and will remain a member until the end of the year when Coun. Johnston's term would have expired.

J. C. Folkins, who had previously been announced as a candidate for the office, withdrew earlier in the week to save the town the expense of an election. H. H. Smalley, who had previously decided to run, reconsidered his decision when Mr. Craig entered the field.

Mr. Folkins, on his retirement, issued the following statement to his supporters and the electorate.

In order to save the Town of Woodstock the expense of running a special election to fill a vacancy for such a short period, I have withdrawn from the contest in favor of M. H. Craig as I believe it is the duty of every citizen to add in keeping the town expenses at a minimum.

I wish to thank all those who so kindly offered their support, and trust that this action will meet with their approval.

J. C. FOLKINS.
Yesterday morning was nomination day. M. MacPhail, town manager, acting in the absence of J. C. Hartley, K. C., who was engaged in court, presiding. The nomination of Mr. Craig was the only one filed.

FROST GRADUALLY LEAVING ROADS

HIGHWAYS ARE IMPROVING STEADILY IN SPITE OF COLD WEATHER

The frost in the roads in this district is gradually but steadily drawing. It was reported from the office of F. W. C. Wetmore, district road engineer. All roads are coming along favorably, although the one between Woodstock and Houlton is still rough, but not impassable anywhere. Considerable improvement has been noted during the past week in spite of cold weather.

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WATER IN STREAMS FALLING STEADILY

COLD WEATHER LOWERS LEVEL OF ST. JOHN AND MEDUXNAKEAG

Carleton county shivered this week under cold raw showery weather. Tuesday brought a heavy rain which was followed on Wednesday by snow, which fell steadily all afternoon and part of the evening. Most of the snow melted as it fell, but enough remained to carpet the ground with a covering, part of which remained until well along into Thursday. Wednesday night was cold with several degrees of frost. Thursday brought bright sunshine and gradually rising temperatures.

The cold weather brought a check to the water in the streams here. Both the main Saint John river and the Meduxnakeag have been falling steadily for several days. As most of the snow in the woods is now believed to have melted it is not expected that any great rise in the water will now take place, and it is thought that the streams will not come again to the level they reached last week.

FIVE YEAR OLD BOY IS BURNED TO DEATH

SISTERS HAVE NARROW ESCAPE WHEN FIRE IS STARTED

Five year old Jeremiah Grant, son of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Grant, of Dow Settlement, near Canterbury, was burned to death at his home on Friday. The youngster with his two little sisters saw some men boiling a kettle on a fire by the roadside.

They secured a kettle and tried to imitate the men on a fire in the yard, but could not get the blaze going properly. They then went inside the barn and made a fire on the floor. This quickly caught onto the woodwork and spread with such rapidity that the children could not get out. Neighbors saw the blaze and quickly gathered. They were successful in rescuing the little girls, who were painfully but not dangerously burned, but could not get the boy out. The barn was completely destroyed, and the youngster's body, horribly burned, was found in the ruins.

BRISTOL ASSAULT CHARGE DISMISSED BY MAGISTRATE

COURT COMMENTS SHARPLY ON CONDITIONS IN WHICH PARTIES ARE LIVING

There was considerable excitement in the police court at Bristol yesterday when George Payne appeared before Magistrate Noble on a charge of assaulting and doing actual bodily harm to David Brown. Both parties reside at Tracey Mills, and about half a dozen witnesses testified for each side.

During the course of the case the magistrate commented very sharply on the conditions under which the parties involved in the case were living, and recommended that the Crown attorney should take steps to improve them. (Continued on page four.)

ROTARIANS MEET

SAINT JOHN RAILWAY MAN GIVES ADDRESS

Knowles Elliott, C. P. R. Divisional freight agent, of Saint John, addressed the Woodstock Rotary Club at their weekly luncheon at the Carleton hotel Wednesday. Mr. Elliott gave an interesting talk on some of the railway problems, pointing out the huge expense of running a great railway system. Further plans were made for the Woodstock delegation to the Rotary convention at Kentville, W. C. Guthrie presided.

CAPITOL 100% TALKING

who Spilled Blood on the Terror Trail?



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Virginia Lee Corbin And Great Cast

Directed by J. P. McCowan



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WEDNESDAY-THURSDAY

A Thrilling Picture with Kay Francis and William Boyd

Deception was her business Beauty was her passport

Usual Short Subjects

The FALSE MADONNA

Matinee 2.30 15c Tax 2c - 25c (Tax 2c)
Eve. 7.15-9 25c Tax 2c - 40c Tax 5c

CAPITOL Monday-Tuesday, May 2-3

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