

NEWS FROM THE COUNTY.

WOODSTOCK, N.B., AUGUST 31, 1904.

Benton.

On Friday evening last the Misses Inez and Eva Daye gave a whist party in honor of their cousin, Miss Elizabeth Abbott, of Bangor, Maine, who is visiting them. Progressive whist was played at which Miss Abbott and Andrew Murchie carried off the prizes. Music was furnished on the violin and piano by Messrs. Sullivan and Hyman. Ice cream and cake were served for luncheon. About thirty guests were present and a very pleasant evening was spent by all.

Northampton.

The weather for the past few days has been exceptionally fine and farmers are making rapid progress in getting the harvest. C. Bull had the misfortune to lose a valuable brood mare one day last week. The animal was sick but a short time with colic. H. Stanley Patterson paid a short to Lower Southampton one day last week.

Kenneth Oxford of London, Eng., has joined his brother in this place. Mr. Frank Oliver of Worcester, Mass., after a most enjoyable visit to his wife and family at Howarden Cottage left for home last week.

We are sorry to report the serious illness of Mrs. W. O. Cluff who has to undergo a surgical operation for tumor in a few days.

Howard Kearney is laying the foundation for a large and what will prove to be no doubt, a handsome dwelling house. Mr. Kearney hopes to have the house well under way before cold weather sets in.

The Misses Estey returned home last week after a very pleasant visit to Fredericton.

The water in the Gibson creek rose sufficiently last week to enable the millmen to finish their summer's sawing.

On Monday of last week the Misses Hale of Grafton held a most enjoyable lawn party. About twenty-five young people sat down to a most sumptuous repast at six o'clock, the covers being laid in the garden at the rear of the house, and then a number of pleasant games were indulged in, after which the guests repaired to the house and entered into a spirited guessing contest, the prize being a beautiful leather bound volume of Mrs. Browning's poems. Miss Hale of Caribou having guessed the greatest number of authors correctly was the fortunate winner.

The Greenbank Sunday school picnic held in the pine grove in Wolverson's Bluff last Thursday afternoon was a decided success in every way. Fine weather, a large crowd, plenty to eat, various amusements and a fine moonlight night all contributed to a most enjoyable outing. After refreshments were served, Mr. W. O. Cluff, the genial superintendent made a few congenial remarks apropos to introducing Miss Nettie Rogers, the talented young elocutionist from Lewis, ton, Mo., who very gracefully recited a number of readings which were loudly encored. Miss Rogers is a niece of Mr. Cluff and is spending a few weeks at his home in this place.

Bristol.

M. A. Tompkins has sold his house to Charles Tinker. Mr. Tompkins intends going west in a few weeks.

Mrs. M. A. Tompkins has returned from a pleasant visit to Centerville.

Mrs. Jos. Vandine and her son Harry, Centerville, are visiting friends in Bristol. Edgar McKenzie, Vancouver, and Ansley McKenzie, New Hampshire, have been spending a few days in Bristol, with their sister Mrs. Odubur Boyer.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Boyer, Victoria Corner, have been visiting Mrs. Boyer's sister, Mrs. S. K. Farley.

Mrs. Benj. Hagerman of Maplehurst is very dangerously ill at the residence of her aunt Mrs. Thos. Dyer and no hopes are entertained for her recovery.

William Jardine, a conductor on the B. & A. Railway is in Bristol on account of the illness of his sister, Mrs. Hagerman.

Four tramps were arrested on Sunday at East Florenceville by Sheriff Foster and placed in the lockup here, but during the night made their escape through a window, and got away. As the charge against them was not very serious the sheriff concluded not to pursue them any further.

Sheriff Barrett of Bridgewater was in Bristol on Monday looking after a young man who had committed some burglaries in that town. He was not successful in locating his man, but has put the matter in Sheriff Foster's hands and an arrest is likely soon to occur.

Richmond.

Nine cows belonging to Mr. Thompson broke in to a field of grain belonging to Mr. Henry Jamieson and gorged themselves so that three died and it is feared the rest will die also.

Mr. Nathan Parks died Monday the 22nd and was buried in Houlton cemetery the 24th of August.

The Rev. Mr. Polley preached for a call to the Presbyterians on Sunday last.

Miss Jennie Campbell gave a lawn party for her friend Miss Miriam Colter who has been visiting her for a week.

Miss Pearl Hanson gave a birthday picnic and dance at Nickerson Lake the 23rd of August. About 50 were there and all had a fine time.

Dr. Jamieson went to Forest City fishing last week he reports the fishing good.

Lakeville.

A large and fine toned bell was placed in the belfry of the Methodist church recently, the original belfry windows had to be removed to admit its size which when completed will add another pleasant feature to our church.

Miss May Bearsto has returned from a months visit to Campbellton; she was accompanied by her cousin, Miss Annie Carr, who will spend a short vacation here.

Miss Eva Annett leaves for Warner, N. H., this week where she will resume her duties as teacher in Warner High School.

Richard Carvell, Spring Hill, is the guest of his brother A. B. Carvell.

Miss Bina Campbell returned to her home last week in Arthurette after a months vacation.

Miss I. F. Lindsay, who has been suffering from pleurisy and other ailments is convalescing.

Mr. and Mrs. Matheson, Summerside, P. E. I., are the guests of Mrs. Matheson's uncles, John A. Watters and Joseph Williams, Long Settlement.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Carvell, Mrs. I. S. Carvell and Richard Carvell made a pleasant visit with their sister Mrs. Dougherty of Robinson last week.

Kilburn Annett spent Sunday at home. Mrs. Robert Hudson and children, of Lawrence, Mass., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Carvell.

Jack MacBride and Leighton Cronkwhite, Easton, and Frank Giberson, Arthurette, were in the village Sunday.

Mr. and Miss Barker, Sheffield, are the guests of Ward Barker.

A number of our young people enjoyed an old fashioned straw ride and picnic on the Lake Shore, Beckim Settlement, last week. Rev. Joseph Cahill will preach in the Baptist church next Sunday evening.

Freductic.

The funeral of Miss Mary Dickinson took place in the Free Baptist church Sunday 28th inst.

A missionary meeting was held last Monday night. Rev. S. A. Baker of Hartland and Miss Ida Morgan of Millville who is soon to leave for South Africa, addressed the meeting.

H. F. Grosvenor and his cousin Miss Hilyard of Fredericton left on Monday for Edmonston.

Mrs. Tart Dickinson is visiting her sister of Lawrence.

Miss Reta Marsten left for Providence, R. I., on Friday of last week.

Mrs. George Teed of St. John spent Wednesday with relatives here.

Miss Laura Taylor of Waterville, Me., spent a few days with friends here.

Andover.

Nelson Hanson of Montreal is a guest at Perley's hotel. Miss Ebbett of Boston is visiting at T. H. Manzor's.

James Stratton of Ottawa is in Andover. Martin Watson of Plaster Rock has moved in G. L. Kelley's house. The Misses Watson will carry on dressmaking.

Guy McAdam of Woodstock has taken the principalship of the Grammar School here. Miss Jennie Currie retains her position as assistant.

Miss Bessie Currie has charge of the school at Hillandale. Miss Gertie Sisson at Four Falls, Miss Lida Topham at the Narrows, Miss Phoebe Emaack at Forest Glen, and Miss Mary Turner at Aroostook Junction.

Sherry Murphy will start on Thursday for Rat Portage, Ont.

J. C. Manzer is making preparations to build a potato house this Autumn.

Miss Edna Powers of St. John is visiting at William Currie's.

Miss Maudie Williams has gone on a visit to her home in Queens County.

Kirkland.

Thomas Slater Sr. is very poorly at present.

Andrew Bustard proposes repairing his house in a few days.

Serena Maxon who recently returned from Texas has been visiting relatives in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wetmore and Mr. and Mrs. Hall from North Lake have been visiting relatives in this vicinity.

A. J. Slater's mill is running some of the time now and is giving excellent satisfaction. A second class teacher is wanted for the school at Monument Settlement at once.

James Carr is building a new blacksmith shop near his dwelling house.

Mr. and Mrs. Belyea their daughter and her children are visiting at the residence of Neil Denning.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Bustard were visiting friends at Richmond Corner recently. Mrs. George Denning has been visiting in St. Stephen.

Mrs. Boone sr., and Mrs. Thomas Wetmore have been visiting friends in this vicinity.

Thomas McAnerlin was ordained an elder of the church on Sunday.

All-Round Education.

It is a curious fact that the desire for physical development for their children comes to many parents more slowly than that for intellectual development. It is pretty well acknowledged now by everybody—from the illiterate immigrant to the "poor white"—that "book-learning" is a good thing for the children. But the schools in England meet the same opposition as those in America when they try to put the development of muscle on the same basis as that of memory.

Many a school principal has listened to protests substantially like that of the good woman who carried her views of education to the grammar-school teacher:

"I want ye to teach me girl readin,' writin' and 'rithmetic," said she, "but she ain't larn anny more of this physical torture. If it's jumpin' she needs, I c'n teach her jumpin' meself!"

Presently we shall make good our return to the Greek system, which included music and gymnastics as essentials to education, and so produced a wonderfully balanced creature—with body, mind and spirit in such due proportion that no one could overtop the other.

The professional athlete, the puny scholar and the religious recluse are each the result of the separation of one department of education from the others. The symmetrical man is the result of the well-considered union of all the departments.

The man who is always telling what a lot of good he would do if he had money never has any.

Butter Paper, printed and unprinted in one and two pound wrappers, at this office.

PERSONAL.

Rev. C. T. Phillips was in town on Monday. Miss Edith McRoberts returned to St. John on Saturday.

Mr. James Jordan is visiting old friends in Woodstock.

Miss Nellie Blackie, has gone to St. Andrews for a few weeks.

Mr. E. W. Mair went to St. John Monday evening on business.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Allan are spending a week in Edmundston.

Miss C. E. Winslow, of Fredericton is visiting Miss A. G. Connell.

Miss Mabel Tapley, of McAdam, is visiting Miss Lucy Leighton.

Miss Marguerite Lamb returned home from St. Andrews on Saturday last.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Currie arrived home from Fredericton on Monday last.

Mr. B. B. Jordan, St. John, is the guest of C. D. Jordan, Queen Street West.

Mrs. J. S. Leighton and Miss Mowatt returned yesterday from a visit to St. Stephen.

Misses M. Alice and Maude Corkery and Miss Dunsmore, spent last week in St. John.

Miss May G. Tompkins and Miss Bertha Woolverton returned to Boston on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Bostwick, of St. John, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. W. Winslow.

Miss A. Gertrude O'Brien, teacher of manual training returned to Woodstock on Saturday last.

Miss Georgie McCluskey, who has been visiting friends in Fredericton, returned home on Monday last.

Mrs. William Dibblee and family, who have been summering at Skiff Lake have returned home.

Mrs. W. B. Drysdale returned on Saturday after a five weeks visit to her old home in New-castle.

Katie Camp and Annie Cunliffe left today (Wednesday) for Fredericton to attend normal school.

Mrs. John McLauchlan and daughter Margaret left for St. Andrews on Tuesday for an outing.

Mr. Frank J. Staten and his mother, Mrs. W. H. Staten, of Foreston, were in Woodstock on Saturday.

Rev. J. William Denton, of Attleboro, Mass., was in town last week visiting his brother, Mr. Albert Denton.

Mrs. Hayward, wife of Sheriff Hayward, is visiting her sons and other relatives and friends at and near Rockland.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Estey, West Branch, Mich., arrived on Tuesday to visit Mr. Estey's parents at Wicklow.

Mrs. Billingham, a niece of Mrs. Frapp, and Miss Raymond, of Christchurch, England, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frapp.

Mrs. (Dr.) Knerr, of Philadelphia, left for St. John on Monday last, where she will visit relatives before returning home.

Mr. H. Mark Tapley, relieving teller in the Royal Bank of Canada at St. John, is spending a part of his vacation in Woodstock.

R. A. Payne, of the St. John Sun staff is in Woodstock on a holiday, after his long service in the press gallery during the session.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Pearson and daughter, Alice, of Pittsburg, Pa., are the guests of Mrs. Pearson's brother, F. H. Hume.—Houlton, Me.

The marriage of Miss Mabel G. Rice, daughter of Rev. S. H. Rice, to Rev. Alfred S. Rogers, B. D., is announced to take place on Thursday, September 1st.

Mr. George Roberts, of the Marine and Fisheries Department, Ottawa, is visiting his uncle, Mr. J. M. Frapp. Mr. Roberts is organist and choir master of Grace Episcopal church.

Miss Rowena Ketchum, who spent a few days in town last week, left for Ashland, Me., on Thursday, where she will spend a few days before returning to her duties at Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Yager, of Brantford, Ont., spent last week in town with Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Merritt. Mr. Yager left on Monday for Prince Edward Island. Mrs. Yager will remain here the rest of the week.

Mrs. Frank Haining, of Perth, and Mrs. S. S. Selfridge, of Aylesford, N. S., and two children, and Mrs. G. D. Shaw, and two children, of Rosindale, Mass., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert P. Connolly.

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