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WOODSTOCK, N. B. SEPT. 16, 1908.

Mrs. Eric Nelson and children, who have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph McGee at Somerville, returned to her home near Boston on Friday.

Post Master John Barnett returned last week from his visit at Boston, which he found both beneficial to his health and decidedly recreative.

Mrs. Gertrude Phelan, of Boston, has been visiting at the home of her cousin, Herbert N. Boyer.

Mrs. T. J. Harley has been in Houlton visiting her mother, Mrs. Comings, who is very ill.

Miss Blanche Kelly has returned from a prolonged visit at St. John and with her sister, Mrs. James N. Inch, at Oakpoint, Kings county.

Last week D. H. Keswick and R. J. Fotts left for Black River at the head of the St. John, where they intend to lumber this winter. They took in a crew of men and expect to employ many more. The outlook for lumber is much better than it was a few months ago.

A. S. Perkins returned last week from Millville with a carload of fine granite. He says it is the choicest native granite he has seen, being of fine color, free from spots and uniform. He intends to make it up into monuments this winter. Mr. Perkins has lately made improvements in the shop, resetting the machinery and preparing for a good winter's work.

Miss Matheson has returned from a visit to Houlton, Me.

Mr. and Mrs. Doring Gray, former residents of Hartland, near Bridgewater, Me., were visiting friends here last week. They were accompanied by their daughter, Kathleen.

Mrs. H. E. Blakeslee, of Perth, was in the village last week.

Mrs. J. B. Daggett returned last week from her visit to Doaktown.

James Montgomery was in St. John a few days ago, seeing the Exhibition.

The Victoria County News says: Dudley Day, wife and young son, of East Florenceville, drove up from that place and were the guests of her brother, M. E. Thornton, of the Central Hotel, returning home on Monday. Mr. Day expects to open up his new hotel at East Florenceville, in about three or four weeks.

Remember subscriptions, items, etc., may be left at Simms' store. The correspondent is there in person every afternoon, but those who wish to communicate with him directly may call for 13-11 on the telephone.

Addison Spinney who went from South Knowlesville to Brandon on the Harvest Excursion, is having a hard run of typhoid fever.

Mrs. Graham, mother of John E. Graham of River de Chute, died last week at the age of 85 years. Her husband, who still survives her, is now in his 95th year, and still quite smart. They were 65 years married, and during that long period lived on the same farm.

Ernest Plummer of Waterville, who was one of a party of five who took a pleasure trip west as far as Cranbrook, B. C., returned home on Saturday. He thinks the west is a big place, and a place for a wonderful development; but he could not see where there was any inducement for a farmer to sell out here and go there to reside.

S. G. Barter, organizer of the "Chosen Friends," his father, James Barter, sr., John Whitney, sr., and Allen Barter have gone out to Barter's Camp, on the Miramichi, after moose. They intend to remain there until they do some business. Others are preparing to go, while some have already met with luck.

Mrs. D. W. Foster and Mrs. Mansfield have returned from Dumfries, York county, where they spent a few weeks. They enjoyed an outing at Davidson's Lake to the full. Mrs. Mansfield and her children left on Monday for their home in Philadelphia.

Last Wednesday while Joshua Hatheway and wife of Perth were driving along the road the harness broke and the horse ran away. Hatheway escaped with a few scratches, but her husband in attempting to jump from the vehicle was struck by a wheel and thrown heavily to the ground. He suffered a fractured spine and lived only a few hours.

The water in the river is falling yet, and there are many places where the stream can be easily forded. The clean-up run of the corporation drive was completed as far as Woodstock on Friday.

James F. Shaw, of Boston, has been visiting at his former home at Lower Wakefield.

Last week was a busy one in Hartland, and it is not likely that there ever was as many teams in the village at one time as there were on Saturday. The rumble of potato waggons coming from every direction,

the bleat of lambs and the squeal of pigs being loaded, made the very air seem full of business. The stores were crowded with purchasers and all together things were moving at a brisk rate.

Harry Gillin went to Montreal on Saturday in charge of a carload of sheep and lambs.

At the Exchange on Friday and Saturday were S. J. Hambro, St. John; F. M. Rutter, F. M. Currie, F. C. Hill, George W. Boyer, W. W. Fowler, Woodstock; L. P. Parent, Millville.

Thomas L. Marshall, of Fort Fairfield, was a visitor in Hartland one day recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald W. Matheson have returned from their trip to Halifax, Moncton and Hampton.

Last Sunday Rev. Thomas Pierce, of Florenceville, preached two excellent sermons in the Methodist church, while Rev. F. T. Bertram took his appointments at Florenceville.

Correspondence from Hampton to the Telegraph says: "Mrs. G. A. Ross and some of her children, after spending a week in company with her sister, Mrs. Matheson, in Moncton, returned with that lady to Hampton on Tuesday. On Friday she will go to Hartland to make a farewell visit to another sister, Mrs. Alexander, who will shortly go to reside in California." Rev. G. A. Ross preached on Sunday in Woodstock, and has also been visiting in Hartland, where ten years ago he was pastor of the Methodist church.

Unless rain comes soon, farmers will have to begin feeding hay to their stock, and pour water down their pumps to keep them from going dry. Ground is too dry for ploughing, and the danger from fires is great. Those who are digging potatoes, however, are well pleased with conditions as they are; there never was such weather before.

Mrs. Wallace, of Cloverdale, has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. H. N. Dickinson.

On Monday morning Charles Stevens, of Somerville, took the early train from Woodstock to St. John to attend the funeral of his mother, Mrs. Rebecca Stevens, widow of William Stevens. Mrs. Stevens died very suddenly and was 75 years of age. She and her husband lived for many years at Somerville where their children were reared. These, besides Charlie, are J. Wesley Stevens, of Fairville, where the deceased had been living for some time; Mrs. Elsha S. Sipprell, Ogden, Utah; Dr. E. W. Stevens, Dancer; Mrs. Olivia Connor, Mrs. Ed. Kewcher, and Mrs. Del Merrill, of Boston. For most of the past twenty-five years Mrs. Stevens lived in Jamaica Plain, Boston, where she ran a boarding-house, and here was a favorite stopping-place for people from New Brunswick.

Mrs. Miles Rideout, of Somerville, and her four boys, spent a couple of days with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Edgar Ebbett, at Stickney, last week.

W. Burton Morgan will leave next week for Kingston where he will resume his course in the University.

A few weeks ago Mrs. William Stewart, of Waterville, went on a visit to her son at Richmond. While there she was taken seriously ill and is now hardly expected to recover.

Luke DeWitt, one of the old and well-known residents of Waterville, continues in poor health. There is little likelihood of his complete recovery as he has heart weakness and the infirmities of old age to reckon with.

Thomas Robinson, of Waterville, was also reported quite seriously ill on Sunday.

On Saturday morning Cook Dickins, of Carlisle, received the sad news of the death of his mother, which occurred very suddenly at Woodstock, where she had gone to visit friends. The remains were taken to Carlisle on Saturday evening and the funeral was held there on Monday afternoon by Rev. G. A. Giberson. Her husband, James Dickins, died of old age about three months ago. The widow was about seventy-five at the time of her death.

Reports from the big woods show a series of success with the rifle. The Crabb boys at Cloverdale had taken a moose and two deer, and the Messrs. Avery of Knowlesville had taken a moose within a week after the season opened.

Telephone orders for printing—wedding invitations, visiting cards, and everything else in printing will be promptly attended to and the message fee will be paid by the printer. Call for 13-11, Hartland.

All kinds of fruits for preserving at Simm's store. The price is low.

Mrs. DeHart, of Missouri, has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. G. C. Watson.

The many friends of Rev. Percy R. Hayward congratulate him upon his marriage to Miss Myrtle Harmon, which occurred at Woodstock last week.

The tannery at Bridgewater was burned to the ground last week, and will probably not be rebuilt, which will be a distinct loss to that hustling town.

Mrs. Wendell Kimball of Moncton, N. B., arrived in Fort Fairfield Monday to join her husband, who has been here for some time. Mrs. Kimball is now visiting Mrs. Harry Gardiner and may remain in Fort Fairfield all winter.—Fort Fairfield Review.

On Tuesday evening last the members of the Reformed Baptist church and Sunday School met at the home of Handy F. Nevers, Upper Brighton, and presented him and his wife with a handsome rocker, also an address in appreciation of his services in church and Sunday School.

Ziba Orser has purchased the stock and trade of G. W. Green and took charge of the premises on Monday.

Miss Fern Hemphill was quite ill of tonsillitis the first of the week.

Mrs. Charles Perkins and family have returned from Fredericton.

Miss Myrtle McFarland who last week became Mrs. Carey Dickinson was presented by her mother with a gold necklace that had been her own bridal present from Mr. McFarland. In appreciation of her services as organist in the Baptist prayer-meetings the congregation gave Mrs. Dickinson a beautiful oil painting; while her Sunday School class presented a gold spoon. The groom's gift was a handsome furlined coat. To the little attendants he gave a ring and a bracelet.

Miss Dorothy Alexander returned Saturday from a visit with friends at Robinson, Maine.

Bernard Travers went to Fort Fairfield on Monday for a week's visit with his daughter, Mrs. James Mulheron. Mr. Travers has not been in Fort Fairfield for 45 years.

Mrs. Bertram G. Rideout will receive callers at the Exchange hotel on Monday and Tuesday, Sept. 28 and 29th.

The produce shippers are now feeling a car shortage and consider it very unwise for farmers to hold potatoes in barns as the shortage will increase with the opening of western traffic.

There will be Church of England services in Hartland next Sunday at 10.30 a. m.

Rev. H. C. Archer came here on Monday and is engaged in moving his household effects to Calais, where he has accepted a charge.

The Hartland Poultry yard won 130 prizes at the St. John Exhibition. They have decided to exhibit at Woodstock instead of Charlottetown. This will be a great attraction.

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