

## Local Topics.

HENRY POST, who has the contract for building the C P R hotel at Aroostook Junction, spent Sunday in town. Mr Post has a crew of ten men under him and expects to finish the job within three months, all the inside finish is being supplied by the Woodstock Woodworking Co.

At a meeting of the gentlemen golfers held in Halifax during the Maritime championship meet, a Maritime Association was formed, and A. B. Connell, of the Woodstock club was elected president. It was decided, if satisfactory arrangements could be made, to hold the meet next year in Woodstock.

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A GRAND ball will be given in Graham's Opera House on the evening of Labor Day under the auspices of the baseball management. The floor will be put in good condition and the young ladies orchestra, of Fort Fairfield, will supply music.

THERE will be a baseball game on Island Park on Thursday afternoon at 3.30, between Unions of St. Stephen and the Woodstock club with Leighton in the box for the local team, and Trixy Clark for the visitors. The game is started at the above hour in order that everybody may have a chance to attend.

GEORGE T HOLYOKE, who has been employed by the Gentle Insurance Agency for some years, has severed his connection with them and on Sept. 1st. will open an office for himself over A H Berry's grocery store. Mr Holyoke has had years of experience in this line, and has a number of strong companies to represent.—Houlton Times.

ALMON I TEED returned Saturday from Boston, his health greatly improved by the surgical operation performed there by skilled physicians. He has since been able to walk and drive about and even to give some attention to business. The people generally are much pleased with the prospects of his complete restoration to health.—St. Stephen Paper.

Mrs William B Balmain gave a tea party followed by a dance on Thursday. The guests were Misses Marion Winslow, Helen Hand, Kathleen Hand, Gertrude Jones, Elsie King, May Marley, Mildred Jarvell, Louise Moore, Hazel Moore, Dorothy Boyd, Ruby Clarke, Alice Neil, Alice Sprague, Messrs Douglas Winslow, Roy Mc G Watt, E Raben Vince, C E Jones, W S Jones, Jack Arundell, Wendel Tedley, George Boutillier, Harold Ferguson, Perley Hartley, Avar White, Gordon Bailey, Stewart Bailey, Ralph Allingham, Arthur M Fisher.

FISH WARDEN HARRISON, of Fredericton, was in town on Monday, conducting the prosecution before Magistrate Dibble in a case of alleged illegal fishing for salmon in the St. John River. Thos. Troy, special guardian of the river, who laid the complaint, swore that he saw Wm. and Asa Bragdon fishing with nets in the river on the evenings of August 17th. and 18th., and that his boat, which he had pulled up on the beach, was found next day seven miles further down river broken up. The Bragdons swore in rebuttal that they had not been fishing in the river after August 15th. the date of close season. The case was dismissed without costs.

Miss Jessie Foster returned from Centreville last week, where she has been visiting her aunt.

MISS ESTEY, milliner, left last week for Boston and New York to study the latest fashions in millinery.

Mrs E. S Campbell, of Hampton, is visiting Mr and Mrs Godfrey Newnam.

Miss Myrtle Gable, who had been visiting Mrs Howard Dow, in Caribou, returned home last week.

Mrs Wm. Dibblee and family, who have been spending the summer at Skiff Lake, returned home on Monday.

Mrs S A Baker was called to Caribou, Me., last week on account of the serious illness of her mother, Mrs Sarah Page.

Mrs. Frederick Carson, returned home on Tuesday after a week's visit with her father, Mr. Johnson, at Debec.

Harry E. Harrison, of Fredericton, was the guest of his cousin, Mrs. Dr. Keirstead, on Monday.

W. B. Belyea returned home last Wednesday, after a week's visit at Red Head.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hume, of Florenceville, were in town on Monday attending the funeral of Captain Thomas Duncan.

Mrs. J. Charlton Bertie is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Thorne, in St. John.

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### PERSONAL.

The Rev. S. A. Baker left on Friday evening for Toronto, to visit friends.

Miss Anna Donovan, of Houlton, is spending a few days with friends in town.

Coun. Hagerman left on Friday for Toronto to take in the sights at the fair.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Blake returned on Friday from Seattle, where they have been visiting friends the past two months.

G. A. White, manager of the Bank of Montreal, returned last week from a three weeks' holiday, spent in Nova Scotia.

Mrs. A. D. Holyoke, who was in Halifax taking part in the golf matches, will visit friends in Truro before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Burt, who have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. John LePage, of Wabigoon, returned home, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. McCann and family left last week to spend their vacation in Old Orchard Beach. Mr. McCann's place is being filled by Mr. Ritchie, of Moncton.

TEA was served at the Golf Club House on Saturday afternoon by the following ladies:—Mrs. William B. Balmain, Mrs. George E. Balmain, Mrs. Arthur G. Bailey, Mrs. Loggie Ross and Miss Mary D. Clarke.

Rev. Canon Brock celebrated his eightieth birthday last week. His health is comparatively better, and he continues to take a keen interest in public matters, and occasionally contributes to church papers.—Wolfville Acadian.

Mr. and Mrs. Almon I. Teed announce the engagement of their daughter, Ethel Louise, to Mr. Walter Alliston Tovell, of Guelph, Ontario. The wedding will take place quietly on Wednesday, the twenty-ninth of September.—St. Stephen Paper.

Mrs. A. B. Connell, Mrs. W. B. Belyea, and Miss A. Gussie Connell, who attended the Interprovincial Golf Tournament in Halifax, have returned home, and although they did not bring any prizes back, they had a very pleasant time. One of the big surprises of the meeting was the defeat of Miss Mable Thompson, the Canadian champion, by Mrs. Handsombody, of the Halifax club.

Mrs. J. T. Allen Dibblee gave a very enjoyable dance on Saturday evening. Those invited were: Misses Kathleen Taylor, Mary Wright, Marguerite Lamb, Maude Smith, Marguerite Smith, Marion Dibblee, Phoebe Stinson, Marion Winslow, May Marley, Gertrude Jones, Bessie Boyer, Aurilla Boyer, Lou Wilson (Truro). Messrs. Clarence Sprague, C. D. Jones, W. S. Jones, E. Raben Vince, Burpee M. Hay, George Boutillier, Jack Arundell, Douglas Winslow.

Mrs J Arthur F Garden gave a dance on Tuesday evening in honor of Miss Shirley Garden, Portland, Miss Phoebe Stinson, Boston; Miss Kathleen Taylor, Halifax; and Miss Bessie Boyer, who is soon to be married. The guests included, Mrs David St John, (Hackensack, N Y), Mrs F M Rutter, the Misses Shirley Garden, Kathleen Taylor, Phoebe Stinson, Bessie Boyer, Marion Winslow, Maude Smith, Marguerite Smith, Margaret Dibblee, Mary Wright, Mildred Balmain, Trixie Aughterton, Jean Sprague, Aurilla Boyer, Elsie King, Messrs Clarence M Sprague, E. Raben Vince, R Mc G Watt, B M Hay, Jack Arundell, J S McNutt, C D Jones, W S Jones, A M Fisher, Avar White, Pearly Hartley, Reginald Wright, Regina.

### PERSONAL

Miss Gertrude Hagerman is visiting in town.

Mrs. John Nesbit, St. John, is visiting friends in town.

Miss Wilson, of Truro, N. S., is visiting Miss Bessie Boyer.

Carey Hay is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hay.

Mrs. Charles Churchill, Grand Falls, is visiting Mrs. Frank Foster.

Mrs. E. G. Clinch, of Boston, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Garden.

Clare Sherwood spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. W. T. Sherwood.

Mrs. George Clarke, of Moncton, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. L. Carr.

Guy Payson, of St. John, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Payson.

James Jacques, Malden, Mass., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Jacques.

Mrs. Hopkins and daughter, of St. John, are guests of her sister, Mrs. Robt. Welch.

Mrs. Joseph Fewer and children and Miss Carrie Caldwell have returned from St. Andrews.

Miss Marguerite Lamb spent the week end at Andover with her friend, Miss Emma Stewart.

Miss Stewart, of Ft. Fairfield, and Miss Edna Gillies, Lakeville, are visiting Mrs. Thos Baker.

Mrs. John Ferguson and Mrs. James E. Simmons, of Fredericton, are visiting Mrs. Harry E. Gurrie.

The congregation of the Methodist church will hold their picnic on Rogers' Island on Saturday next at 2.00 o'clock.

Mrs. William Steeves, Grafton, spent the past two weeks, with her daughter, Mrs. Edward Lee Rediker, Fort Fairfield, Me.

The many friends of Miss Stewart, who has been confined to her home through illness the past six weeks, are glad to see her out again.

The wedding of Mrs. G. H. Fraser, of St. John, and Thane M. Jones, Judge of Probate, of this town, is announced to take place this fall.

Miss Faye Plummer, Genevieve Brophy, Cassie McQuarrie and Persis Sherwood, left last night for Fredericton to attend the Normal school which opens this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Garden and Miss Shirley Garden, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wm. M. Connell, left for their home in Portland, Me., on Friday.

A party of young people, accompanied by Mrs. A. McQuarrie, spent Saturday at Niskerson's Lake. Those present were, the Misses Mooers, Kathleen McLean, Minnie Steeves, Cassie McQuarrie, and Messrs, Arthur Stone, Harry McElroy, Donald Shea, Leverett Stone.

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