

Local News

A Successful Picnic

The Patriotic Picnic held on Connell Park, Wednesday afternoon, was a most successful affair. All the merchants closed their places of business in the afternoon and the scholars of the public schools were given a half holiday. Over 3000 people were present and took part with interest in the varied program that was arranged to raise funds for the Soldiers' Comforts and Red Cross Associations. The net proceeds of five hours spent in the Park amounted to \$1800 while it took one of our leading New Brunswick cities five days to net \$2000 for a similar purpose.

The following were the prize winners:

Feed and Imperial Products Co., Lottery—1st, No. 29, half barrel flour, Hillie Hanson; 2nd, No. 269, 10 lbs. tea, W. L. Thompson; 3rd, No. 256, bbl. potatoes, Mrs. L. Steeves; 4th, No. 223, bbl. turnips, Frank McGrath.

Pig Lottery—No. 593, Geo. Dunbar.

Camera—No. 9, L. H. London.

Carving Set—No. 105, Bertha Sprague.

Copper Piece—(Mrs. O'Brady Jones) Mrs. F. H. J. Dibblee.

Center Piece—(Miss Dalling) W. Sutton.

Reeater—No. 75, J. Arch Connell.

Corset Cover Yoke—No. 6, Mrs. Wallace Gibson.

Cushion—No. 161, A. Darch.

Hand Bag (Mair)—No. 284, Mrs. A. R. Westaver.

Fern—No. 242, Alfred B. Atherton.

Ton Coat—No. 155, J. Everett Colwell.

Dinner Set—Ben Guess, Miss Starrrett and Mrs. Harry Dunbar tied with \$60. Total beans 7523.

The Election of County Councillors
County of Carleton

The Election of County Councillors will be held on

TUESDAY

The 9th Day of October

NEXT

Fifteen days public notice of the time and place of holding election to be given by Parish Clerks by posting in three most public places of the Parish. Nomination of Candidates to be filed with the Parish Clerk or to be left at his residence at or before six o'clock p. m. on Monday, the 1st day of October next.

Parish Clerk to post names of Candidates in three of the most public places in each Polling District on or before Thursday the Fourth day of October next.

Candidates' names also to be posted up at the Polling Places before the opening of poll on day of election.

The Parish Clerk or District Clerk (as the case may be) to act as chairman unless he refuses to serve, or is absent, or not competent by reason of relationship of candidate, when chairman to be chosen by electors present.

Assessors are required to furnish Parish Clerks with list of electors.

Dated the 25th day of August A. D. 1917.

J. C. HARTLEY,
SECRETARY-TREASURER.

H. C. Glenn and three children and his sister Mrs. Oran Day and daughter motored from Grand Falls on Sunday and were the guests of their mother Mrs. James McLean. They returned home on Monday.

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PERSONALS

I. B. Merriman left on Thursday for St. John to spend ten days.

Mrs. Turbey Whitehead of Fredericton, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Carvell.

Miss Mary Dickinson, of Toronto, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Dickinson.

Mrs. Wm. B. Thompson left on Tuesday to spend a few weeks with friends in Sackville.

Hon. W. P. Jones spent last week in Ottawa and Montreal.

Mrs. Hamilton McKee and little son of Ottawa, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Carvell.

Mrs. E. E. Holyoke and Mrs. Ada Poole, were at St. Stephen Exhibition as judges of fancy work, last week.

Arthur Ghidde and Wm. George, wounded soldiers, are in the soldiers Home at Kentville, N. S., for medical treatment.

Private G. J. Hill of Hatfield, N. B., infantry, has died of wounds.

Jack Chandler, wounded in the hand and hip, arrived home last week.

By a large majority the voters of Charlotte county on Thursday repealed the Scott Act.

Mr. Daniel Stewart has been appointed vendor of game licenses for Woodstock and vicinity.

Miss Mary Glass, of Windsor, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Simms, has returned home.

Mrs. George Upham was on a visit last week to her daughter, Miss Alice Neill, who is a student at the Royal Victoria Hospital Montreal.

Berton Bourne, a veteran of the South African war, who has seen much service in the present war and returned home, has been in the Soldiers' Home at Kentville, N. S., for a month past. He arrived in Woodstock again on Wednesday, but will have to return to Kentville in two months. He speaks very highly of the treatment the soldiers are receiving in that institution.

Since our latest issue, the following casualties have been announced: H. M. Thornton, artillery, Woodstock, gassed; Fred Broad, Beechwood, W. E. Burrell, Cloverdale, infantry, wounded; G. D. Marchand, Bath; A. Gibson, Woodstock; J. T. Henton, East Florenceville, artillery, wounded.

The wounded soldiers who have returned, unfit for military duties, are being placed in positions in the town. Private William Sutton, one of the few remaining survivors of the original Princess Pats, has returned to his job in the Dominion Tanneries, Ltd. Private Andrews is employed with A. E. Jones in his hardware store; Lewis Niles is in John McLaughlan's dry goods store, and Billy Burhoe is clerk in the Aberdeen hotel.

James Frederic Watts

At his home Cambridge, Mass., on Monday, Sept. 17, James Frederic Watts, leaving his wife, one son, his mother Mrs. James Watts and one sister Miss Isabel of Woodstock and one sister Mrs. C. V. Wetmore, of Sydney, C. B.

Miss Marguerite Campbell, of Centreville, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Burt.

Miss Millicent Carter, of Andover, is visiting Miss Marguerite McLaughlan.

Miss Reid, of Montreal, inspector for the Milton Hersey Co., Montreal is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Merriman.

Mrs. Geo. Raymond, of Simonds was the guest last week of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Harmon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Elder and two children, of Malone, N. Y., who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Merriman, have returned home.

Mr. W. R. Jones, who has been playing excellent golf this summer, was the winner of the Dalling cup, play for which was finished on Saturday.

Miss Helen Plummer, who attended the fair at Presque Isle and visited relatives and friends at Aroostook Junction, Andover and Hartland, has returned home.

Mrs. W. Jack Dibblee entertained at the tea hour, in honor of Miss Maude Smith and Miss Ruth Dibblee, on Tuesday.

Miss George Plummer is teaching the school at Farmerston.

Wm. A. Charlton of St. John, who was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Jones for a few days last week, returned to St. John Saturday.

Miss Effie M. Forrest, daughter of James Forrest of Debec, is teaching the Lower Haynesville school this term.

Miss Annie V. Sutton, trained nurse of the Palmer, Mass., Hospital, arrived on Wednesday on a visit to her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Holyoke and Mrs. Ada Poole made an auto trip to St. Stephen last week to attend the exhibition.

I. B. Merriman, chief despatcher for the C. P. R., at Woodstock, was in St. John on official business on Thursday.

Mrs. J. T. Allen Dibblee, announces the engagement of her youngest daughter Ruth du Vernet, to Lieut. J. A. Tapley of Ottawa, and son of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Tapley of St. John, the marriage to take place on the twenty-sixth of September.

Lieut. Wm. Nicholson, of the 65th Battalion, of Saskatoon, who went overseas about two years ago, and was in the trenches for some time, is now in England in a hospital. He is the eldest son of Mr. W. B. Nicholson, formerly of Woodstock, and now trade commissioner in Cuba.

Mrs. Henry Weade and her daughter Mrs. Wesley Jackson, of Houlton, Me., who have been visiting relatives at Gaspereau, Hoyt and Fredericton for ten days, have returned home.

Mrs. James Simmons, of Vancouver, B. C., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harry Currie.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Earle of St. John, are guests at the Carisle.

Mrs. David Bagley is spending this week in Centreville the guest of Mrs. Robert Dickinson.

Bayard Manzer has gone to Rothesay to attend the Boys' Collegiate School.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Hay attended the fair in St. Stephen last week.

Miss Dixon, of New Haven, Conn., is visiting Miss Rankin, Grafton.

Miss Dole, of Boston, is visiting Miss K. L. Clarke, Connell Street.

Donald Rankin leaves on Saturday for Fredericton, where he will be a student at the U. N. B.

Miss Marjorie Rankin, leaves on Thursday to continue her art studies at Pratt's Institute, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Mrs. J. R. Brown is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. B. Torrance, Montreal.

Donald Lindsay has gone to Fredericton, where he is a student at the U. N. B.

Dr. Kierstead, Professor of Economics in the University of New Brunswick, Fredericton, has been granted a year's leave of absence.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Simms and son leave this week for Windsor, N. B., where they will visit Mrs. Simms' parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Glass.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Lindsay, motored to Burton last week and spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Hayward McCain.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Jarvis and family have returned from a ten day's motor trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Ball, of Fredericton, spent a few days in town this week with Mrs. Ball's mother, Mrs. Edward True.

Mrs. J. B. Moorman, of Halifax, who has been visiting her niece, Miss Rankin, Grafton, for some weeks, has returned home.

Mrs. M. Hugh Bruce, who has been spending the past month in Montreal and Toronto, returned home on Tuesday.

Mrs. W. M. McCune gave a very pleasant knitting party on Tuesday evening, in honor of some of the visitors in town.

Miss Stevens, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Mair, left for her home in Coaticook, Quebec, Thursday last.

Mrs. W. V. Lamb, who has been the guest of Mrs. J. A. F. Garden, returned to her home in St. Andrews on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry McKay of Boston, Mass., are the guests of Mrs. McKay's mother, Mrs. T. S. Duncan.

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Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Whitehouse and Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Whitehouse, of Knowlesville, motored to Woodstock and spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. James McLean.

Mrs. Garland Foster, who has been overseas for nearly two years connected with the British Red Cross Society has returned to Woodstock and is the guest of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ross. Mrs. Foster's husband, Capt. Foster, who went overseas with the 54th Batt. is in France.

The many friends of Dr. J. E. Jewett, who for years past had dental offices at Hartland and Bath, will be sorry to learn that owing to continued ill health he has given up both his offices and does not intend to visit these towns professionally again. Last winter he enlisted with the 65th Battery, attached as dental surgeon, but for some time past he has suffered ill health at his home in Woodstock.

CANADIAN
PACIFIC

Railway Train Service

Effective Monday, Sept. 24th double service on St. Andrews Sub-division, will be discontinued. On and After that date there will be only one train in and out of St. Andrews, daily except Sunday; arriving at St. Andrews 11:55 A.M. (Atlantic) and leaving at 6:00 P.M. (Atlantic).

N. R. DESBRISAY
St. John, N. B.

BORN

GARTLEY.—At Watson Settlement on Monday Aug. 13, to Mr. and Mrs. James Gartley, a daughter.

MARRIED

ELKINS-LOVELY.—At St. Paul's Presbyterian Church Manse, on Saturday Sept. 15th, by Rev. Frank Baird, Samuel Ralph Elkins, of Bristol, to Hazel Mary Lovely, of Gordonsville.

BOYINGTON-JORDAN.—At the Methodist Parsonage, Sept 10th, by Rev. S. Howard, Lawrence C. Boyington to Ashie E. Jordan, both of Macwahoe, Maine.

CLOSE-SMITH.—At St. Luke's church, on Wednesday morning at 10.30 o'clock by the Rev. A. S. Hazel, Miss Maude Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. W. Smith and Mr. Stewart Close, of Mount Vernon, N. Y.

Frank A. Sutton, who was visiting his brother George Sutton, left on Thursday to visit his sister in Houlton and returned to Boston on Saturday.

Mrs. James McLean has received a cucumber grown in the garden of Mrs. H. C. Glenn, Grand Falls, which measures 22 inches in length. Cucumbers 30 inches long have also been picked from the vines in this garden this summer.

Rev. F. F. Walker of the Cathedral, St. John, who was attending one of the missions of Rev. Francis Bradley at Florenceville, was the guest of Rev. J. J. Ryan on Wednesday, and the latter gentleman took his visitor by auto to Houlton. This was Father Walker's first visit to Woodstock, which he enjoyed very much, and during his trip to Houlton he placed his feet for the first time on United States soil.

Mr. and Mrs. Zennro White, of Divide, spent Wednesday in town, guests of Mr. and Mrs. James McLean.

Mrs. Leon Wilcox, of Worcester, Mass., who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Henry Weade, has returned home.

Mrs. James W. Turvey and three children left on Wednesday for Youngstown, Alta. Mr. Turvey has been with the Massey-Harris Co., in Youngstown since last spring.

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