

LOCAL AND GENERAL

A memorial service for the late Nettie Harmon will be held in the United Baptist church, Sunday evening.

Price Webber and his company are also expected to appear in Woodstock sometime in the early part of September.

Rev. A. Hart will speak at the Salvation Army Citadel this Sunday afternoon at 3 p.m., to which you are cordially invited.

Workmen have finished painting the Grafton bridge and are now attending to the Medunneag which was badly in need of attention.

Dr. Baker, Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Specialist of St. John, will be in Woodstock August 16th, 17th, when he can be consulted professionally.

The Red Cross Society acknowledges with thanks 81 pairs of socks from the Knitting Circle of the Reformed Baptist Church for month of July.

It is expected that Henry Millers celebrated comedy dramatic success, "Daddy Long Legs" will be presented at the Hayden-Gibson Theatre in the near future.

Nine United States fishing schooners were sunk off George's Bank by a German submarine on Sunday. George's Banks are sixty miles off Nantucket Island.

The attention of the curious seems to be directed towards the parties conducting a sort of a religious campaign, in a tent, at the lower end of the town.

Miss Jessie Vanwart, a graduate of Acadia, will give a demonstration on "Wheat Substitutes", in the Vocational School, Monday afternoon, Aug. 19th, at 3 o'clock. The public are cordially invited to be present.

The crop reports from nearly every section of Carleton county are particularly good. Potatoes, oats and wheat never looked better at this time of year. If nothing unusual occurs the yield should be exceptionally good.

Not many miles from Woodstock, a few days ago, three farmers engaged in a hot argument over how far a squash vine would grow in 24 hours. One thought it would grow an inch and another as much as seven inches. To quiet doubt and preserve friendship one of the trio made a test. He selected a vigorous squash vine and drove a stick at its tips one 8 a.m., at the next following 8 a.m., he measured the vine and found it had grown, in 24 hours, 11½ inches.

A presentation was made at Centerville, N. B., on last Saturday evening to Miss Mollie Cody, who is the organist in the Methodist church and Sunday school. Representative members of the congregation met at the parsonage and presented her with a very nice music cabinet. The presentation was made by the pastor, Rev. J. B. Champion, who spoke of the people's appreciation of her services. She replied, thanking them for their thoughtfulness. Light refreshments were served at the close and the affair proved most enjoyable.

A basket containing lunch and a bottle of whiskey, discovered in the owner's car on Saturday by a prohibition inspector as the machine was waiting to whirl the owner away to a suburban beach for a swim, caused the owner to be fined \$50 in the Police Court this morning. The charge on which the conviction was made was for "having liquor other than in a private residence." The conviction is a forcible example of the stringency of the Prohibition law and a warning to those who would counteract the will of a sea bath with an alcoholic stimulant.—Globe.

PERSONALS

Mr. M. Meagher, Debec, was in town on business, Saturday.

Mrs. H. Ritchie returned Sunday from a weeks stay at Skiff Lake.

Miss Helen Smith is the guest of Miss Gladys Ferguson, Fredericton.

Hon. W. P. Jones and Mr. J. R. Gilliland were in St. John Saturday.

Mrs. Edward Garden of St. Louis is visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Carr.

Miss Jennie Hall is now in St. John where she has accepted a position.

Miss Maude Crawford of Boston, is the guest of her uncle, Mr. E. J. Clarke.

Mr. Parnell McCafferty, of the Freeman, St. John, spent the week end in town.

Mrs. Harold Britton left, with a party, on Tuesday for an outing at Skiff Lake.

Miss Florence Hayes of Calais, Me., has been the guest this week of Mrs. Joe Griffin.

Harry Wellington, Houlton, was in town this week renewing old acquaintances.

Rev. Harry Harrison and Mrs. Harrison of Jacksonville, were in town on Wednesday.

Miss Edna Patterson of St. Stephen is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Hartley.

Mrs. Alexander VanWart and son, Walter, went to Fredericton this week to spend two weeks.

Miss Nellie Montgomery left on Monday to spend her vacation with friends in Moncton.

Robert L. Simms was in Fredericton on professional business last week, returning Friday.

Mrs. Frank Thompson who was taken suddenly ill on Tuesday, of last week, is slowly recovering.

Misses Jean and Helen Riordan left last week to visit their sister, Mrs. Jack Swift, at Fredericton.

Mr. Douglas Downie of Centerville, was the guest for a few days this week of Mr. Vernon Holyoke.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Burtt, Mr. and Mrs. J. Lee enjoyed a motor trip to Fredericton last week.

Mrs. B. H. Smith and Miss Gretchen Smith, who have been visiting in St. Andrews, returned last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Riley have returned from St. Stephen where they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. Shorten.

Mr. J. P. Malaney, of the Press, attended the meeting of the Maritime Press Association at Sackville, Wednesday.

Lieut. Frank A. McCollum, after serving two years in the Royal Navy is spending his furlough at his home in Hartland.

Captain Frank Nicholson, who spent last week with friends in town, returned to his home in St. Stephen on Saturday.

Hon. F. B. Carvell arrived here Friday to attend the funeral of Mr. J. A. Hayhen. He returned to Ottawa Monday.

Mrs. Donald McCormac and children of Boston, Mass., are the guests of Mrs. McCormac's mother, Mrs. J. K. Augherton.

Mr. A. Williams left Friday for London, Ont. During his stay he attended the races at Presque Isle and Fort Fairfield.

Dick Dunphy who is with the Dominion Express company at Campbellton has been spending a brief vacation at his home.

Mrs. Roy E. Smith and Mrs. J. Hazen Flemming left Tuesday morning for Boston, Lewiston and Old Orchard. They expect to be gone a month.

Word has been received from Douglas C. Smith stating that he has been moved from Rouen, France, to a hospital in England, and is recovering from his serious illness.

Rev. R. J. Coughlan, the popular pastor of the Catholic church at Johnville, who has not been well this spring, has gone to Victoria Hospital, Montreal, for treatment.

Mrs. D. A. Hurley who has been visiting her son, S. C. Hurley, was called suddenly to Oromocto on Friday last owing to the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. Mary Hurley.

Mr. Walter Clayton of the Unique Theatre staff arrived in town Tuesday evening and will take charge of the projection department of the Hayden-Gibson Theatre for the next two weeks.

Mr. C. Rhodes Douglas arrived here Saturday and returned to Bangor Monday, accompanied by his wife who has been spending three weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Lynott.

D. W. Olts, of Benton, has purchased the beautiful residence of P. M. McDonald, Waterloo Row, and expects to occupy it in about two weeks. The sale was made by A. D. Thomas.—Gleaner.

M. W. Mair and wife, Capt. F. A. Nicholson, Mrs. George Balmann and Miss Balmann, Woodstock, arrived in the city today by automobile. They came down to attend the Chautauqua this afternoon.—Gleaner.

Rev. F. L. Orchard, Mrs. Orchard and children of Montreal, were the

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guests over Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Lowney. Rev. Mr. Orchard preached at both services in the United Baptist Church on Sunday.

Mrs. Frank C. Foster, Grand Chief of the Grand Temple Pythian Sisters, Maritime Provinces, made an official visit at St. Stephen and St. Andrews last week, and will leave Monday, 19th inst., for Summerside, P.E.I., to attend Grand Temple.

Rev. H. E. Dibble, sector of Amherst, N.S., is visiting his mother, Mrs. L. Dibble. On Sunday morning he took the services at St. Luke's church and preached a very appropriate sermon for these present times, emphasizing the lessons taught us by the war. His many old friends were glad to see and hear him.

Roy Haining the genial and efficient operator at the Hayden-Gibson for some months has resigned his position owing to impaired health. He will try outdoor work for a time with the assurance that he will recover his former vigor and strength.

Roy has made many friends since coming to Woodstock who hope to see him soon again at his old post the duties of which he is so well qualified to perform.

Mrs. W. R. Jones gave a very pleasant knitting party on Tuesday evening, for the pleasure of her guest, Miss Gladys Edwards of St. John.

Those invited were Mrs. J. F. L. Brown, Mrs. Harold Deming, Mrs. A. D. Cooke (Montreal) Mrs. E. J. Mahony, Mrs. G. Hale (Vancouver), Mrs. M. Craig, Mrs. Thane Jones, Mrs. G. Campbell, Mrs. H. H. Ritchie, Mrs. F. C. Morel, Mrs. C. Daman, Misses Helen Hand, A. K. Lynette, Cassie Hay, W. Hayward, Minnie and George Starrett, Jean Sprague, Edith Dalling, Marguerite and Miss Watson.

Manner's ad. on page 8, is interesting reading.

Daniel McIntosh has several blades of oats with the letter "B" plainly discernable on each blade. It is said that the letter "B" can be found in any year on the leaves of green oats. Its presence stands for a "Big Yield," being most common when the plant is exceptionally strong.

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MILITARY NOTES

Jack Chandler has been appointed chief absentee officer, with headquarters in the armory.

Over six hundred farmers left Camp Sussex on Saturday for the various farms under the order-in-council recently issued allowing all bona fide farmers harvest leave of six weeks' duration.

A contingent of the C.E.F. is to be mobilized for service in Siberia. It will consist of an infantry unit, two platoons of which will be enlisted in New Brunswick. If sufficient men do not volunteer, draftees will be considered.

A returned soldier in uniform who resided in the States before serving was turned back at the border Wednesday, when he attempted to reach his old home in New York. The officials claim that the soldier is no longer an American citizen.

Willie Sanderson who is at the Military Hospital, Fredericton, spent the week-end in town. His wounded leg does not improve any and it may be necessary to amputate below the knee. The plucky young soldier feels that amputation would be preferable to his present condition.

The Militia department has adopted regulations which call for all Class A men under the Military Service Act, now holding appointments in Canada, to go overseas. There have been numerous complaints of young, healthy men in this class holding down soft or "safety first" jobs, and in some instances the complaints have been well founded. Certain cases have arisen where, because of exceptional qualifications, it has been regarded as absolutely necessary that the men now filling certain jobs should stay there, despite their fitness for trench warfare.

The provincial Minister of Agriculture has been notified from Ottawa that there will be no harvest excursion from New Brunswick to the West this year. The other is to the effect that the soldiers now stationed at Camp Sussex, are to be given leave to assist in the harvest fields of this province.

The leave may commence when the soldier desires. Men in category lower than "A", to whom leave has already been granted, will be granted an extension in accordance with local harvest needs to a total not exceeding eight weeks, and they will be immediately so notified by letter or if necessary by wire.

That all men of nineteen years of age, recently called upon by the authorities to register under the Military Service Act, may now be added to the strength of the Royal Air Force, providing they have complied with the regulations under the M. S. A., was the information communicated to Captain B. M. Hay, officer in charge of recruiting for the R. A. F. in the maritime provinces, from the officials at Ottawa this week.

Captain Hay has just concluded a tour of the province in search of men and has been fairly successful despite the handicap under which he has been working owing to the drain of the M.S.A. Speaking generally of the air force he said that numerous applications are always forthcoming for men seeking to become cadets, but this could not be said of those wishing places as mechanics. This branch requires skilled men who are difficult to secure owing to the demands in the labor field. The securing of available men for the mechanical work of the R.A.F. has always been a stumbling block for recruiting officers. However, Captain Hay has been quite fortunate in securing quite a number for this important work.

Miss Jean Smith left this week to visit friends in St. Stephen.

Miss Ruth McGibbon, who is studying nursing in New York, arrived here Wednesday to spend her vacation with her parents. She was accompanied by Miss Mary McLean who has been visiting in New York.

Rev. W. B. and Mrs. Wiggins returned from Riverside, Me., Camp Meeting on Monday. They report a very large attendance and a successful meeting. Rev. W. B. Wiggins will occupy his pulpit as usual Sunday morning. In the evening, Rev. A. Hart of Boston, Mass., will speak and sing. All welcome.

United Farmers Meeting

On Thursday, August 22.

A meeting of the Directors of the Co-operative Company will be held in the Agricultural School at 10 o'clock, a. m. A meeting of all farmers wishing to attend will be held at 2.30 in the afternoon in the same place to hear report of committee appointed to confer with the two Political Parties. Also much other business to come before the meeting.

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