

ST. STEPHEN AND CALAIS.

[Progress is for sale in St. Stephen by Master Ralph Trimmer, and at the bookstores of R. S. Daggett, G. S. Wall and J. Vroom & Co. in Calais at O. P. Treat's.]

JULY 8.—The Fourth of July passed off very quietly, a programme of games and sports were arranged to be held at Calais driving park but nearly all were postponed on account of the rain. A dinner and supper was held in the Armory hall, by the ladies of the Union church which was largely attended. The vestry of the Union church was prettily trimmed with flowers and flags, and a large number of children were entertained there with a fish-pond and a variety of games. In the evening the crowd flocked to the theatre in the Croix hall. The display of fireworks were postponed until Monday evening.

Trinity church Sunday school picnic and excursion went down river today on their annual trip. Campbello is the point of destination, and as the day is extremely hot much pleasure is anticipated. The teachers and children of the Kindergarten gave invitations to their friends and parents to attend an exhibition in Elder Memorial hall, on Friday afternoon, the exercises were very pretty and interesting, the little ones did their best and reflected great credit on their very efficient teachers. The Misses Georgia and Sadie McAllister, the exercises the guests were served with Russian tea and cake. Mrs. W. F. Todd, Mrs. Hazen Gomer and Mrs. James Murray dispensed tea and coffee and assisted Miss McAllister in various ways in entertaining their guests.

Mrs. J. H. Gannon and her daughter Miss Sue Gannon gave a most charming "At Home" on Friday afternoon, from four to seven o'clock, for the pleasure of their guests Mrs. W. A. Gannon and Miss Bliss. There were a large number of their lady friends present. The house was beautifully adorned with flowers, and a pretty feature of the entertainment were the six lovely little girls dressed in white, who daintily served the refreshments. The Union street baptist Sunday school will enjoy an excursion to Lubec on Friday.

Mrs. A. E. Neill gave a most charming luncheon on Saturday from one till two o'clock. It was a most delightful affair, and was greatly enjoyed by all the guests.

Mrs. Lewis Dexter gave a children's party at her residence on Thursday afternoon, which was one of the prettiest children's entertainments given here for some time. Mrs. Dexter is a most charming hostess, and can adapt herself to any age, making her guests, young or old, at ease and happy when visiting at her home.

A party of young ladies left this morning for the Ledge, where they will enjoy a week's outing at the cottage of Mrs. Albert Todd. Those on the party are Misses Marion Rockland, Jeanette Hanson, George Elliott, Edna Hill, Rebecca Moore, Ellen Harris, Vesta Moore, Edith McKusick, Louise Hill, Miss Josephine Moore and Miss Nellie Hill are with the young ladies to plan for their enjoyment and welfare.

Miss Alice Robinson has arrived from Boston to spend her vacation here brought with her four little girls from the alums of Boston to give them a fresh air outing. These children are of different nationalities, and are between the ages of five and seven years. Miss Robinson is a most philanthropic and kind hearted lady, and in her spare hours she devotes a great deal of time in helping unfortunate and distressed children.

The funeral services of Mr. Robert Gilmore who died at his home in Providence Rhode Island, on Monday last week, took place in Calais on Thursday from the residence of Mrs. E. E. Gator. Mr. Gilmore had been in ill health for several months, with an incurable disease. The week before he died he had married to M. A. Howard a lady to whom he had been engaged for several years. The funeral was conducted with masonic ceremonies, several prominent masons and friends came from Providence to attend. Mr. Gilmore is a brother of Mr. Samuel Gilmore of St. Stephen, and was a wealthy and prominent business man.

Mrs. John Prescott gave a very pleasant whist party on Monday evening at her residence, which was greatly enjoyed by her guests.

Mrs. A. E. Neill and her guests are visiting St. Andrews today.

Lady Tilley and Miss Julia Tilley arrived from St. John on Monday evening and are visiting Madame Chipman at the "Cedars."

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Todd and their daughter, Miss Sara Todd, are in Montreal this week.

Judge Stevens has returned from a short visit to St. John.

Miss Maggie Thomas and Miss Julia Hill left on Monday for Kentville, Nova Scotia, where Miss Hill will spend her vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Todd are visiting St. John this week.

Mr. Walter A. Boardman left on Friday for Tacoma after a pleasant visit of a fortnight with relatives in Calais.

Mrs. W. C. Goucher's numerous friends are sorry to hear she is quite ill and unable to go to Truro Nova Scotia, this week as she had planned.

Miss Charlotte Galvin and her niece Miss Mary Hopper are spending the summer in Calais with Miss Alice Pike.

Mr. Smith Dexter has returned to his home in Providence Rhode Island.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Ross of Boston, Mass. have been making a short visit in town, and were guests of Mrs. R. K. Ross. They left on Friday for Lake Umbagog where they are visiting their parents Mr. and Mrs. John H. Ross.

Miss Trickett of Portland is the guest of her friend Mrs. Henry D. Pike.

Miss Marjorie Rideout is the guest of her cousin Miss Carolyn MacLeod.

Miss Alice Graham is visiting friends in Halifax. Prof. Steenstra of St. Joan Episcopal Theological college, Cambridge, Mass. and his family are occupying their summer home at Robinson, Maine.

Mr. M. H. Edwards has returned from a most delightful visit in New York state. He also spent several days visiting Boston and vicinity.

Prof. Herbert C. Grant has arrived from New York city and will spend a short vacation with his parents Mr. and Mrs. John F. Grant. Prof. Grant is a favorite among his many friends here who warmly welcome him among them.

Miss Jennie Harvey has arrived from Boston, to visit her father Hon. E. B. Harvey who is very ill at his home in Calais. Latest reports from Mr. Harvey say that his condition is slightly improved today.

Rev. W. C. Goucher, and Mrs. Goucher with their children left on Tuesday for Truro, Nova Scotia, where they will visit relatives for several weeks.

Master Roy Grimmer is visiting his aunt Mrs. V. A. Waterbury.

Miss Sara Nichols is visiting Albany, New York and will attend the summer school of the state library. She will be absent several weeks.

MISS WINIFRED VOSE IS VISITING HER SISTER Mrs. George Mills in Belfast Maine.

Rev. O. S. Newham and Mr. C. N. Vroom have returned from St. John.

Mrs. Barrett of Atlanta Georgia was the guest of Mrs. Wilfred Eaton during her stay in Calais.

Mrs. S. H. Blair has been spending this week in Calais with Mrs. A. E. Neill, who is also entertaining Mrs. William Engles of Bangor.

Miss Susie Clarke has returned from West Bridge water Mass., where she is attending school.

Mr. George Beverly is making a brief visit here, and is registered at the Windsor.

Mrs. I. R. Todd and Miss Helen Grant have gone to Portland, Maine to visit Mrs. Charles Vose.

Mr. J. D. Chipman of Halifax was in town for a brief visit during the past week, and was a guest at the Windsor hotel.

Mrs. Henry H. Barnard, and her daughter Miss Mary Barnard are visiting in Calais.

Miss Berta Smith is visiting in St. John, her friend Miss Skinner.

Mr. Lee Tudor Porter will spend his summer vacation with relatives in Calais.

Mrs. James L. Thompson has returned from Waterville, Maine. She was accompanied by her son Mr. J. L. Thompson, Jr. who graduated with honors from Colby College last week.

Mr. James Murchie of Minneapolis is visiting relatives in town.

Messrs. Lewis Haley and J. Aldice Fraser have been visiting Quebec during the past week.

Mr. John M. Stevens of Edmundston is in town this week.

Mr. Hume Bates spent Sunday with his family here.

Mrs. W. McKay Deinstadt and her children will occupy the Morrison cottage in St. Andrews for a few weeks during the summer.

Mr. George A. Porter of New York city is in town for a short stay.

Miss Jean Keating arrived from St. Louis on Thursday and will spend several weeks with her mother Mrs. John Keating.

Mrs. C. H. Smith of St. John and her son Mr. Percy Smith are guests of Mrs. E. G. Vroom.

Mr. William Woods left this morning for Weymouth Mass., to attend the funeral of his sister.

Hon. E. B. Harvey, after a short illness, died at his residence early this morning. He leaves three daughters and a widow to mourn an irreparable loss.

PARRSBO.

[Progress is for sale at Farnboro Book Store.]

The Springhill Sunday school united for a picnic on Saturday and came to Parrsboro on a long train of seventeen cars. They had an enjoyable day across the river. The weather was threatening but cool and pleasant and they were safely back to their homes at Springhill in the evening before a downpour of rain began here which continued all day Sunday. The K. of P. and their friends were not so fortunate. They arrived this morning in the rain from Springhill, a large party accompanied by the band of the 68th, and embarked on the Hiawatha for Hantsport.

Judge Townshend, Mrs. Townshend and master Stuart Townshend are here to spend the summer.

Mrs. Brundage of Pennsylvania with her little daughter is visiting her sister Mrs. M. L. Tucker.

Miss Blanche Tucker is at home from the Halifax Ladies college for the holidays.

Mr. C. R. Smith D. C. of Amherst, and his family are in their summer cottage.

Some of the young people enjoyed a dance at Riverside last evening. Mrs. Nordby chaperoned the party among whom were Miss Ella Corbett, Vida and Gertrude Howard, Bessie Upham, Janet Cameron, Nellie and Alice Gillespie, Nellie Rivers, and Messrs. Rutherford, O'Donnell, Eugene Huntley, Will and Paul Gillespie, George Upham, Langille, Tucker, and Harry and Leo Gillespie.

Mrs. Quikley of Amherst is visiting her sister, Mrs. Copp.

Mrs. Townshend has returned from Springhill, accompanied by Mrs. Cecil Parsons and her children.

Miss Churchill of Lockport has been paying a visit to Miss Mabel Ho mes.

Crowds came into town to celebrate Dominion day. There were horse races in the driving park in the afternoon and a polymorphian and bicycle parade in the evening, with fireworks later. The R. Catholics held a dinner and tea at St. George's hall besides having refreshment tables at the races. A good sum was netted.

Misses McDougal and O'Mullin have finished a course at the Normal school.

Miss Aikman is at home from Edgehill for the holidays.

Mrs. Eaton and Mrs. Smith of Maitland are visiting Mrs. Drillo.

Rev. Atkinson Smith left last Tuesday to take charge of a parish in Cape Breton. Mr. Cox a student from King's college, takes his place here. While regretting the departure of Mr. Smith, Mr. Cox's friends are glad to have him back again.

Mrs. Smith of Truro is visiting Mrs. McLean.

Rev. S. Gibson was in Halifax last week attending the synod and Rev. J. E. Harp the conference.

Mr. David North and Miss North of Hantsport are guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Eaton.

Mrs. Joseph Kempton of Wolfville is visiting Mrs. F. L. Jenks.

Capt. Dix of New York was lately the guest for a few days of Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Eaton.

Mr. McDougal has been to Amherst, also Mrs. Mackenzie and Master Keith Mackenzie, for a short stay.

WOODSTOCK.

[Progress is for sale in Woodstock by Mrs. J. Loane & Co.]

JULY 8.—The impromptu dance given in Graham's opera house on Wednesday evening, in honor of the St. John Cricketers, was a very enjoyable one; notwithstanding the short notice, a large number were present. The young ladies looked charming in white and light dresses. Light refreshments were served during the evening. Those present were: Mrs. D. F. Merritt, Mrs. E. Williams, Mrs. Stephen Smith, Mr. and Mrs. George Mitchell, Dr. and Mrs. Guy Smith, Mrs. Brayley, Montreal; Miss Beardsley, The Misses Bull, Miss Smith, Miss Lily Jordan, Miss Edith Jordan, Miss Nellie Beardsley, Miss Hilda Bourne, Miss Kathleen Borne, Miss Lena Griffith, Miss Annie Hazen, Miss Edith Griffith, Miss Wilbur, Miss B. Dibble, Miss Mary Clarke, Miss Vanwart, Miss George Augherston, Messrs. Fairweather, Jones, Troop, Markham, Fairweather, Outram, St. John; Jack, James, Graham, Creighton, Everitt, Manzer, Denville, Baker, Bridges, Dibble, Appleby and others.

Mr. and Mrs. George Balmain entertained the Eucharistic club very pleasantly on Thursday of last week.

Miss Munro left Saturday for St. John where she will visit friends.

The Misses Jordan entertained a number of their friends on Friday evening. Dancing was the chief amusement and a very pleasant evening was spent. Dainty refreshments were served about eleven o'clock. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Jones, Mr. and Mrs. George Mitchell, Mrs. Brewer, Miss VanWart, the Misses Bull, the Misses Griffith, Miss Fannie Smith, Miss Bessie Neale, Miss George Augherston, Miss Mary Clark, Miss Beardsley, Miss Kathleen Bourne, Messrs. F. Hay, F. Wilbur, E. Jack, G. B. Manzer, Lebl. Dibble, H. Bridges, G. Baker, W. Loane, C. Appleby and F. Watson.

Mrs. Duncan spent the fourth of July in Houlton.

Mrs. Duncan and Mrs. Peter Fisher are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gibson, Maryville.

Mr. R. K. Jones is spending part of this week in Fredericton.

Mr. and Mrs. Balmain spent part of this week down river the guests of Mr. Balmain's parents.

Mrs. W. M. Connell spent part of last week in Houlton.

Mrs. Hugh Kay is visiting friends in Houlton.

Miss Clara Carr returned from Fredericton Saturday, accompanied by Miss Johnson of Fredericton.

Mr. Frank Lawlor, Mr. F. Murphy, and Mr. G. Stead spent the last two weeks at Centreville.

Miss Smith who spent the last month at the Grove returned to St. John Monday.

Miss Frances Stead of St. John is the guest of Mrs. Sanderson.

Archdeacon Neales returned from St. John Saturday.

ELAINE.

RICHIBUCTO.

[Progress is for sale in Richibucto by Theodore P. Graham.]

JULY 8.—The band committee have reason to feel proud of their record in making their picnic such a grand success on Wednesday last, the adult attraction large crowds of people to town, and the day was amusingly spent on the ground. A splendid dinner and tea were served and a number of the attractions were offered which brought to the band treasury the sum of three hundred and twenty-five dollars. The band, under the leadership of Mr. B. E. Johnson, played a number of selections during the day and evening. The dancing booth was kept open until past midnight and many tripped the light fantastic.

Mrs. Oswald Smith who visited Mrs. R. Phinney for a few weeks, has gone to Kingston to visit friends.

Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Oakes of Wolfville, N. S. were in town on Saturday last.

Miss Belle Livingston who spent a day in town last week returned to her home in Harcourt on Thursday.

Rev. J. S. Allen preached his farewell sermon on Sunday evening to a large audience. Mr. and Mrs. Allen and family leave today for Murray Harbor, P. E. Island.

Mr. Andrew Loggie of Dalhousie is in town today. Judge Wells of Moncton was in town on Monday.

Mr. Will Forster of Dorchester accompanied by his aunt Miss Sarah Forster are in town, guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Cochran.

Miss Maude Grierson of Dorchester is spending her vacation at her home here.

Mr. Geo. D. McInery, M. P., Mrs. McInery and Mr. R. O'Leary went to Miramook on Tuesday.

Mrs. McDonald of St. John and her two sons masters Stephen and Louis are in town, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry O'Leary.

Miss Ida Edgar of Chatham is here the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Phinney.

AURORA.

ANTIGONISH.

ANTIGONISH, July 8.—Mrs. A. C. Thomson spent a few days in Truro last week.

Mrs. J. MacMillan and Miss Bauld went to Sydney last week to visit Mrs. Forbes.

Miss Violet MacDonald was in New Glasgow last week from Wednesday until Monday.

Dr. Jas. Ross, Halifax, was in town Monday night. He left by Tuesday morning's freight for Charlottetown.

Dr. Hentley MacDonald also went to Charlottetown on Tuesday to attend a meeting of the medical association.

Mr. F. O'Creed, Halifax, was in town this week. Miss Gossip spent last week with friends in Bayville.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Harington are visiting Mrs. A. M. Cunningham.

Mr. R. Trotter and bride (nee Miss Bond from Halifax) returned on Saturday from their wedding trip. They were serenaded very nicely in the evening by the Citizens' band.

Mr. H. N. Graham of the Halifax Banking Co., has been transferred to Amherst and Mr. Morrison of that town takes his place here.

Since the hot weather has come to stay there is a general movement towards the beach. Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Archibald moved to their place, Fair Banks on Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Widdien, Mr. and Mrs. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Cunningham, Mr. and Mrs. Walden and Mrs. MacDonald are moving this week. Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Gregory expect to go down the first of the week.

Mr. H. H. Curran left on Monday for Pictou to attend the funeral of his mother who died very suddenly in Edinburgh.

Very extensive preparations are being made for a picnic to be held in aid of the Citizens' band next Tuesday. The ladies of the town are working hard to help the boys along.

AMOR.

THINGS OF VALUE.

The oldest piece of dated glass known is an Egyptian amulet now in the British Museum which was made in 364 B. C.

Painted representations of glass blowers on the wall of tombs at Beni-Hassan date from 2851 B. C.

Why will you allow a cough to lacerate your throat and run the risk of filling a consumptive grave when, by the timely use of Bickie's Anti-Consumptive Syrup the pain can be allayed and the danger avoided. This Syrup is pleasant to the taste, and unsurpassed for relieving, healing and curing all affections of the throat and lungs, coughs, colds, bronchitis, etc., etc.

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Astronomical instruments of glass were used by the Chinese as early as 2283 B. C.

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Nitometers and other objects of blown glass; bracelets, beads and ornaments of cast glass; in inlays, etc., were used in Egypt in 1703 B. C.

Scant bottles of yellow and blue glass were made in Egypt in 1550 B. C.

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Blown and cut greenish transparent glass bowls were made by the Assyrians in 722 B. C.

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Crystal glass was made and sculptured by the Persians in 522 B. C.

Glass mosaics were first employed by the Persians in 522 B. C.

young daughters spent a few days last week with her sister, Mrs. Alex. Mahoney.

On Thursday evening Mr. Robert Nelson and Mrs. J. Dorr were united in marriage by Rev. Mr. Lavers at the parsonage. The bride was attired in a becoming gown of brown with velvet trimmings, a small black bonnet with pauses. The wedding party returned to the bride's residence where a sumptuous supper was served to between forty and fifty of their friends.

Mrs. Grosvenor of Barrie, Vt., is spending a day with Mrs. Daniel Campbell.

Mrs. Harry Chaffey is visiting Mr. Chaffey's parents at Indian Island.

Mr. Harry MacGowan of Vermont arrived on Saturday to visit his home.

Miss Ella Dick arrived from St. John on Monday.

Mrs. K. P. Gilmor left on Wednesday to spend some weeks with her sister in Danforth, Maine.

Mr. Walter Grierson is visiting relatives in town.

Misses Ella MacVicar, Nellie Murray, Lizzie Miles, Master William Johnson, and Misses Sprague and Murray of L'Ange are at ending the examination in St. Stephen for admission to the normal school.

Mrs. Clinch and Mr. Thomas Goss were very quietly married on Saturday evening at the residence of Mr. Goss. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Lavers in the presence of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Goss and Mr. and Mrs. Abram Young.

Mrs. Young intends leaving on Friday to spend some weeks in Bridgetown, N. S.

HARCOURT.

JULY 8.—Miss Spicer, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. McConnell returned to her home in Spencer's Island, N. S., yesterday.

Mr. George Allen and family of Dalhousie Junction are visiting Mrs. Allen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Dunn.

Mr. G. V. McInerney, M. P., was here yesterday en route to Memramouc.

Rev. J. K. McInerney spent Sunday at Rogersville. Rev. Mr. Thorpe occupied the pulpit of the Presbyterian church here on Sunday morning.

Judge Wells was here on Monday en route to Richibucto.

Mr. E. B. Buckfield and Mr. Philip Woods drove to Richibucto yesterday.

Mr. Alex. McDougall, formerly of the I. C. R., but at present stationed at Greenville, on the C. P. R., is spending his vacation in Kent county.

Miss Bella E. Livingston, who was visiting at Kingston for the past few weeks, returned home on Thursday.

Rev. Mr. McConnell will leave on Saturday for Vernon river, P. E. I.

ANAGANCE.

JULY 8.—Mr. Davidson spent Tuesday in Sussex.

Mrs. Byard McLeod and two children of Apohaqui who was spending some weeks with her parents Mr. and Mrs. McNaughton, has returned home accompanied by her sister Miss Julia McNaughton who will be her guest for a week or so.

Mrs. George Davidson has returned from Moncton where she was visiting her sister Mrs. Claude Price.

Mr. Percy Campbell spent Monday with friends in St. John.

Master Edgar Davidson spent last week with his parents in St. John.

Misses Alice and Mamie Trites, and Messrs. Magee and Trites of Pettitodiac spent Dominion Day with friend on "Apple Hill."

General Warner of St. John spent part of last week at the "Portage House."

MOQUITTO.

PETITODIAC.

JULY 7.—Miss Mary Emmerson returned on Saturday from a visit to Moncton.

The Rev. Mr. Fullerton spent a few days of last week in St. John.

Master Robert Trites who has been visiting in Sussex returned home on Saturday.

Miss Hattie Jones is visiting friends in Moncton.

Mr. Heber Keith of St. John spent Sunday with his parents.

Mrs. Jasper Day of Sussex is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Price.

Mr. Arnold Boden who has been here for the last few years and attending the medical college at McGill Montreal, left on Saturday for his home in London England, to resume his studies.

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