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HALIFAX NOTES.

Progress is for sale in Halifax by the newsboys and at the following news stands and centres. C. S. DE FREYTA, Brunswick street...

On Tuesday evening Senator and Mrs. McKean gave a large dinner as a farewell to Mrs. Boyd who has been their guest for six weeks...

On Wednesday last there were a large number of small teas, but large picnics have been far and the garden parties absolutely none...

To-day (Wednesday) Lady Seymour gives her first garden party, which will be very large, and comprise every one. Tea is to be served on the lawn...

On Friday afternoon Mr. and Miss Corbett will give an afternoon party at their pretty residence on the other side of the Arm. The A. C. Whitney will be provided to take the guests round from the lumber yard...

A small tennis and croquet party was given at Wellington barracks last week which proved extremely pleasant. The guests were received by Mr. French and everyone seemed to enjoy themselves thoroughly.

Miss Mapother who has been spending several months here as the guest of her aunt Mrs. Tobin left last week for her home in Dublin. Miss E. Lacombe has arrived from England and will spend the rest of the season with her sister Mrs. Humpage.

Miss Oliver goes to England at an early date and will spend some time with her relatives on the other side of the water. Mrs. Binney formerly Miss Beatrice Almon is here from England and will be for some weeks the guest of her father Senator Almon, Rosebank, where Mrs. Graves is soon expected.

Major and Mrs. Commeline leave for Bermuda shortly, where the former will be stationed for the next two years, his place in the garrison being taken by Major Ruck. Major Commeline succeeds Major Wynne in Bermuda, the latter being well known here at one time.

AMHERST.

Progress is for sale at Amherst by W. P. Smith & Co. Aug. 10.—Mr. John Pugsley of the Civil Service Ottawa is to town a guest of his sister Mrs. A. B. Etter, Havelock St.

Mrs. Jessie Harding is at home from a three weeks visit in Bridgetown with her cousin Mrs. Mark Curry, and Aylesford with Mr. John Lowe. Mr. Hrebert Rogers of Boston is in town visiting his brothers Messrs H. W. and T. S. Rogers.

Mrs. Robinson nee Emma Hays, formerly of this town but now of Vancouver B. C. who is spending the summer in Sussex was in town for a few days a guest of Mrs. D. W. Douglas, Victoria st. Her father Mr. John Hay was formerly manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia here. He now resides in Vancouver.

Miss Violet Bullock, who has been visiting her young friends the Misses Mary and Grace Dickey, Grove Cottage has returned to her home in Halifax. Mr. T. Inglis Moffat of the Dead Letter Department Halifax spent Sunday in town a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Barry D. Bent Eddy St. Mr. J. Haliburton Silver of Montreal is spending his vacation in town a guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Hillson. Mrs. Silver has been in town for two or three weeks.

Mrs. Chubbuck, has obtained a position on the Musical Staff of the Ladies Academy in Wolfville. She is now in the United States taking a few weeks course in music.

The Sunday schools in connection with Christ Church and St. Stephen's with their friends are taking their annual outing at Point du Chene today.

Miss Ratchford went to Dorchester to-day to make her friend Mrs. Kilor a visit. Society has been dormant for weeks, scarcely an afternoon tea to relieve the monotony. It has been too warm for any exertion, and many of our citizens are still rusticated in Tidnish in their summer cottages and most generously extend their hospitality to their friends.

After an enjoyable visit in Baie Verte with their friend Miss Prescott, Miss Parker and the Misses Harris have returned to town. Mr. Mackinnon of the Sessional staff, House of Commons was in town for a few days, a guest of his brother Mr. A. Mackinnon Havelock street.

Mr. William Smith was in town last week attending the funeral of Mrs. Robert K. Smith, also I noticed Mrs. and Miss Howard, Mrs. Stanley Smith, Mr. Clarence Fullerton, and Mr. Salter from Parrsboro.

Mrs. J. Inglis Bent and little son Lionel are spending two weeks in Dorchester with their relatives.

Mrs. Stephen Thorne and her sister Mrs. R. H. McCully are at home again after a pleasant week in Halifax.

Mrs. D. A. Bishop and children who have been spending several weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Main, Holm cottage have returned to their home in Truro. Mr. Bishop was here for a few days and accompanied his family home.

Mrs. Sherman Rogers and Mrs. Wycliffe Rogers and children are home again from a long stay in Pugwash.

The Misses Robb and Welch of New York who spending the summer in Dorchester give a concert tomorrow evening (Thursday) in the Y. M. C. A. hall. They will be assisted by the Misses Hanington and Palmer of Dorchester.

Master Douglas Patterson son of Mrs. A. Patterson of Truro is spending a week with his young friend Master Ernest Bent, at the home of the latter's parents Mr. and Mrs. Barry D. Bent, Eddy street.

PARRSBORO.

[Progress is for sale at Parrsboro Book Store.]

Aug. 10.—The sudden and awful death of Mr. Wm. Fraser on Friday cast a gloom over the community and the hearts of all go out in deepest sympathy to the bereaved ones. An immensely large concourse of people attended the funeral which was from the residence of Capt. N. C. Norbury, brother-in-law of the deceased on Sunday afternoon. Shortly after noon a train arrived from Springhill bringing the Springhill band, members of the I. O. F. and many others including Rev. Chas. Wilson who with the rector Rev. Robt. Johnstone conducted the services. Mr. Wilson gave a very appropriate and feeling address. The casket was quite hidden beneath flowers—a pillow of white roses, white carnations and maiden hair ferns surmounted with the word "Rest," in purple from Capt. and Mrs. Norbury; cross of white lilies roses and other flowers from employees of C. Ry. Co.; broken carriage wheel, in purple sweet peas with centre of white roses and carnations from the railway officials; white lilies and smilax tied with white satin ribbon from his cousin Mrs. Fraser St. John; wreath of sweet peas with centre cross of forget-me-nots, Miss E. Aikman; sweet peas, Mrs. B. E. York; wreath Miss Emma Relek; bouquet of white and pink roses Mrs. Sedsworth; white flowers, Mrs. Pettis; pelargoniums tied with white ribbon, a friend; oddfellows links of moss and daisies, Mr. J. Pickard; cross and oddfellows link, policeman McNuge; wreath and cross, Misses Murray and Fuller, Springhill, and many other flowers from friends here and at Springhill.

The remains of Mrs. Elisha Ratchford were brought from St. John here for interment, accompanied by Miss Wheeler, Rev. Mr. Hanford and Mr. Edward Ratchford, Amherst, the funeral taking place in the afternoon, Sunday before last. Mrs. Ratchford was laid to rest beside her husband in the old cemetery, the flowers covering the casket were from plants from the Ratchford garden at Partridge Island many years ago, these plants have been carefully preserved by friends of the family in affectionate remembrance.

Miss Wheeler, who was quite prostrated by her sisters death is spending the week at Mrs. Catten's at the island. Mrs. McDougall of Montreal and Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Logan Amherst, are Mr. J. R. Cowan's guests also Mr. Cains, Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Kapp and little son, New York are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Aikman. Miss Stairs, Halifax, is at Mr. George Corbett's, Judge and Mrs. Weiberbe spent a part of last week at Mr. Corbetts with Judge Townshend and his family.

There was a large and pleasant picnic at the Cave on Saturday. Mr. J. M. Townshend, Q. C., has been the guest of his brother for a day or two.

Mr. and Mrs. Quigley and child, Amherst, spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Copp. Dr. Magee and his teaching staff attended the Dominion Educational association.

Mrs. D. S. Howard left with her husband today for a trip to New York. Miss Thomas and two nephews, Halifax, are guests at the rectory.

Mr. A. E. McLeod and Mr. Frank Cooke have returned from a visit to the Pacific coast, Mr. and Mrs. Cooke have removed to Halifax and will be much missed here. Mrs. Joseph Henderson, Nappan, is paying a visit to Mrs. J. S. Henderson.

Mrs. George Cole is visiting relatives, Mr. George Cole spent Sunday here also. Mrs. Inglis Craig and two sons were here yesterday on their way to Annapolis, Mrs. Vickery, Mrs. Welton, and Mr. Church, Amherst, spent Sunday with Mrs. Fitch and Mr. Walter McKenzie, Truro, are staying at one of the hotels.

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WOLFVILLE.

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Mrs. J. F. Herlin has gone to Wallbrook to spend a few weeks with her mother Mrs. James Simson, The Rev. and Mrs. Ernest Simson who have been guests at "The Lindens" for some weeks returned to St. Andrews last week.

Mr. C. C. Blackadder of the Halifax "Acadian Recorder" spent Sunday in Wolfville. Prof. Sears has returned from Cape Breton where he has been travelling for some weeks in the interests of the School of Horticulture. The professor was accompanied by the secretary of agriculture. Dr. J. H. Guildford Dean of the Philadelphia Dental college spent Saturday and Sunday here. Miss Clara Cohoon is the guest of her aunt Mrs. Charlton at Middleton.

Miss Minnie Chapman is spending a week with Mrs. Nelson Freeman at New Germany. Dr. Keirsted lectured last week before the Educational convention at Halifax.

Messrs. A. W. Stewart and Harry Godfrey spent last week in Halifax. They made the trip on a tandem.

Mr. Charles Rose (Acadia '98) is preaching in Berwick during the summer months. The Rev. and Mrs. Donkin and family are spending the week at the camp-meetings at Berwick. The Union Bank of Halifax has established an agency here.

A valuable donation consisting of a number of fine specimens of palms, screws pines, crotons, clematis and others has recently been received by Prof. Rears for his hot-house of the School of Horticulture.

Hon. Charles Ellis, of England is the donor. Confirmation services were held by Bishop Courtney at Church St. Last Sunday morning, The Bishop was assisted by the rector, the Rev. F. H. Oxford and the Rev. Wm Cox Jr. of P. E. I.

Major A. O. Bracie of Roosevelt Rough Riders passed through here last week accompanied by his servant. Hon. Charles Ellis, of England is the donor. Confirmation services were held by Bishop Courtney at Church St. Last Sunday morning, The Bishop was assisted by the rector, the Rev. F. H. Oxford and the Rev. Wm Cox Jr. of P. E. I.

Mrs. J. I. Brown, of Lee Mass, is visiting friends here. Mrs. Brown formerly resided in Wolfville. Mrs. S. Kempton is spending the summer at Canso.

Mrs. Robt. Rand and Miss Jennie left last week for a trip through Eastern Nova Scotia and Cape Breton. Dr. and Mrs. Robert Somerville of New York, are spending the summer at Grand Pre. Dr. Somerville was formerly a pastor of St. Andrews Church here.

Mr. E. E. Archibald spent a few days last week in Yarmouth. Mr. W. Buchanan of Hamilton lectured on the Pleistocene last evening to a large audience in College Hall. Mr. Buchanan is accompanied by a good vocalist, Miss Grace B. Walton. Diarr.

TRURO.

[Progress is for sale in Truro by Mr. J. O. Fulton, Messrs D. B. Smith & Co.]

Aug.—The Misses Snook gave a very pleasant evening last Thursday, in honor of their guests, the Misses Tabor. A large contingent of the guests went wheeling first, afterwards supper was followed by dancing and cards. Among those present were—Mr. and Mrs. Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. Moorman Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Armstrong, Mr. and Mrs. Gourley, Mrs. Knowles (Windsor) Mr. and Mrs. Arch McCullough, New Glasgow, Mr. and Mrs. F. Prince, Mrs. Weeks, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wetmore, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Cummings, Misses Bigelow, Miss Tibbitts, Misses Bilgh, Miss Maud Archibald, Miss Eva Murray, Miss Ella Thomas Miss Lewis, (Yarmouth) Miss Meggie Snook.

Messrs B. Black, Mr. Dickie, W. Sumner, J. Stansfield G. H. Williams, W. P. McKay, L. Murray, G. A. Hall, O. A. Hornsby, H. Kaubach, J. Bentley, J. W. Murray, E. Vernon, W. McKenzie, F. Snook R. Hanson, F. Carten W. Lawrence, H. C. Yull, Starfield.

There were several large picnic parties yesterday. Mrs. D. J. Thomas and a large party of friends enjoyed a delightful day, at Black Rock, and Mrs. J. E. Bigelow and party drove to Brookfield, for their outing.

Miss Eva Murray is visiting friends at Port Hood C. B. Mr. Fred Burrill of the Bank of Nova Scotia is visiting his friend Mr. F. W. B. Longhead.

Mrs. [Dr.] McCabe gave quite a large tea one afternoon last week at the Stanley House. McCabe was assisted in dispensing her hospitalities by Miss Blanche Nelson and Miss Grace Patterson.

Miss Julia Lawrence, Fredericton N. B. is visiting at Mrs. J. A. Hanson's, Halifax Road. Mrs. Finnan McCleure is visiting home friends in Lunenburg.

Miss Florence Nelson is enjoying a visit with Halifax friends. Mrs. Michael Wallace who has been visiting Miss Doggett has returned home to Halifax.

Mrs. H. C. Blair is home from Wallace. Pres.

DORCHESTER.

[Progress is for sale in Dorchester by G. M. Fairweather.]

Aug. 10.—The concert given in the Court House last Friday evening by Miss Frances M. Hanington contralto, Miss H. Louise Robb, solo violinist, and Miss Edith E. Welsh elocutionist, with Miss Nellie Palmer and Miss Blanche Hanington accompanists was a great success though owing to the wet evening the audience was not as large as it would otherwise have been.

Following is the programme. PART I. Piano duet "Hungarian Dance".....Moszkwak Misses Nellie Palmer and Blanche Hanington. Vocal solo "One morning oh so early".....Thomas Miss Frances M. Hanington. Reading "A Cathedral Courtship" Kate D. Wiggins Miss Edith E. Welsh.

Violin solo "Andante and Rondo" concert. De Beriot..... Miss H. Louise Robb. Violin solo "Thine".....Carl Bolan Miss Hanington.

PART II. Reading "The Struggle in the Arena" from....."Quoi Vadis".....Seinkiwitz Miss Welsh. Violin solo "Scotch Rhapsodie".....Carl Venth Miss Robb. Vocal solo "The Mission of a Rose".....Cowan Miss Hanington.

Reading "Trick vs. Trick" from Yale Yarns.....J. S. Wood..... Miss Welsh. Violin solo.....Selected Miss Robb.

Miss Hanington has a beautiful rich contralto voice which she modulates very well; she has improved very much since the winter. She received a hearty encore to all her solos, Miss Robb plays splendidly on the violin, and she proved herself a thorough mistress of her instrument doing most difficult runs with the greatest ease; she of course was heartily encored. Miss Welsh is an excellent elocutionist, and her selections were listened to with the greatest pleasure by all. It was a very good concert, and everyone thoroughly enjoyed every

number on the programme. These young ladies are going to give concerts in Sackville, Amherst, Port Elgin, and other places, and we wish them every success in their undertaking.

Mr. Ernest Rourke of St. John is spending his holidays in Dorchester. Mr. C. A. Atkinson of St. John is spending his holidays at his home here.

Miss Scammell of St. John is visiting her friend Mrs. R. P. Foster. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Y. Smith of Moncton and little daughter Marjorie are visiting Mr. Smith's mother at Woodlawn.

Mr. W. Howard returned to St. John on Saturday. Miss E. M. Dibblee is spending a few weeks with friends in Annapolis. Miss McCulloch of Fredericton is visiting Mrs. P. A. Landry. PERSONNE.

NOVIBUETO.

Aug. 10th.—Miss Burt of Fredericton returned home last week after a pleasant visit here the guest of the Misses Grierson. Miss Bessie Ferguson of Newcastle is in town visiting friends.

A large number attended the picnic last Thursday to Chapel Point and a pleasant day was enjoyed, the picnic was under the auspices of the S. of T. Division No. 42.

On Friday evening last a pleasant party from Kingston and here enjoyed the hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Jardine at their home in Kouchibouguac.

Geo. V. McInerney M. P. spent a few days in Newcastle last week. Mrs. Harry Lawrence and Miss Dooton, who were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Davis, returned to their home in Winchester Mass on Friday last.

Miss Millie Fish of Newcastle is visiting Mrs. W. A. Ferguson in Kingston. Mrs. David Hudson of St. John is in town the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hudson.

Miss Belle Cate returned to St. John on Monday after a month's visit here, the guest of Miss Sylvia Black. Mrs. Hanrahs, and Mrs. S. J. Bourque returned home last week from a trip to Bathurst.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Phinney and three children arrived here on Monday from Winnipeg and are the guests of Mrs. Phinney's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hudson.

The sad intelligence reached Mr. Robert Phinney yesterday of the death of his daughter Miss Dot Phinney at Chickamauga. Miss Phinney was a trained nurse graduate of Lowell, Mass., hospital last year and after taking a post graduate course at the Sloan Maternity hospital, New York, she accepted a position in the Kings County hospital, Brooklyn, which she held until a month ago when she joined the Red Cross society and went South to Chickamauga where her sudden death occurred yesterday at the age of twenty-two years. Much sympathy is extended to her father, brother and sister besides relatives and friends in their sad loss. No particulars of her death have been received so far but her brother Mr. Fred Phinney leaves today for New York. AURORA.

ANAGANCE.

Aug.—Mrs. R. Donalds Hanson, Miss Grace Crandall and Messrs. Raymond Baker and Edward Cochrane of Petitcodiac are spending today at the Portage.

Mrs. R. B. Colwell and children of St. John are visiting at Apple Hill for a few weeks and Mrs. Helen Marshall of Boston is also spending a month with her mother Mrs. Emma Davidson.

Miss Nellie Arnold of St. Jno. arrived in town today to visit relatives here. Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Safford and children of Boston are visiting at Mr. and Mrs. Gideon Travis for a few weeks.

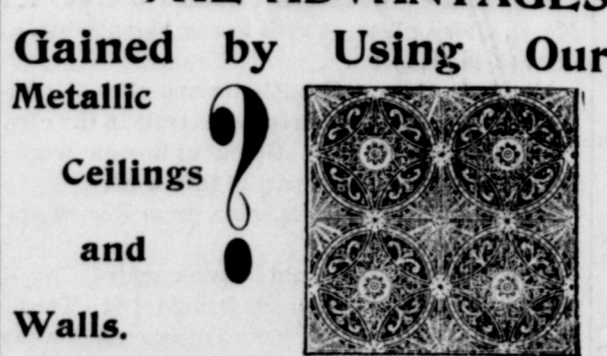
Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Miller of South Berwick Me. accompanied by their children and Mrs. Miller's sister, Mrs. Katie Boyd are spending some weeks with their parents at The Birches.

Miss Agnes McAneusy reached home on Tuesday after a very pleasant visit to Boston where she was visiting her brother William McAneusy. Miss May Taylor of Apple river N. C. is in town the guest of her aunt Mrs. Chris. Smith for a few days.

Mrs. Thos. Green and child of Alma A. Co., is visiting her sister Mrs. Lester Stockton at Floral cottage. Mr. Cliff Price spent Sunday on Apple Hill and Messrs. Morton and Corey of Penobscot were also the guests of Messrs. Davidson on Sunday.

Mrs. Davidson has been spending a few days in Moncton with her sister Mrs. C. W. Price. Edgar H. Davidson who has been a student at telegraphy in the U. C. R. office here for some eight months past went to Moncton today to stand his final examination. Mosquro.

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