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ST. STEPHEN AND CALAIS.

Progress is for sale in St. Stephen at the book stores of G. S. Wall & E. Atcheson and J. Vroom & Co. in Calais at O. P. Treat's.

Aug. 17.—Mrs. James L. Thompson has given invitations to a number of young friends to spend this evening with her and to meet the Misses MacIntyre of New York City, who are Miss Flora Cook's guests.

Mrs. W. F. Todd entertained a few friends with a dinner at Welcome cottage, Oak Point, yesterday.

Mr. C. W. Young took a party of gentlemen to St. Andrews on Saturday in his steam yacht 'Nautilus'. Supper was served on the yacht. They arrived home at ten o'clock in the evening.

The Misses Vroom most pleasantly entertained a party of young friends on Friday evening at their home invited to meet Messrs Ludovic Vroom and Harry Purvis of St. John.

Mrs. Fredric H. Pike is now at Scarborough Beach Maine and will spend the rest of the month there.

Miss Sadie Davton of Baltimore Maryland is the guest of her aunt Mrs. Henry D. Pike.

Mr. John E. Alger returned from Grand Manan on Saturday.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Thompson on the birth of a daughter.

Mr. Harvey Grimmer of Minneapolis is spending a few weeks among relatives at the St. Croix.

Mr. D. W. Brown C. E. of Rumford Falls arrived here on Tuesday evening and will spend a week or ten days in town. He was accompanied by his young daughter Aileen and are guests of Mrs. P. M. Abbott.

Mrs. Charles F. Beard returned on Saturday from a visit of three days to De Monts.

Mr. Ans Smith who spent two weeks with relatives here left on Friday for his home in Jamaica Plains, Mass.

Mrs. Alanson W. Beard of Boston is in town spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Beard.

Rev. O. S. and Mrs. Newnam with their family have returned from Oak Bay, and have opened their residence, and will not occupy their summer cottage again this season.

Mrs. Ralph Crooker accompanied by her daughter Mrs. Staples Potter of Boston has been spending several days in Calais.

Miss Annie King of Kingsville, St. John is expected to arrive tomorrow and will visit her friend Mrs. A. E. Neil.

Mrs. Frederick Toller of Ottawa is visiting at the 'Cedars' her mother Madame Chipman.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Richardson spent Friday and Saturday in town. They came up from their home in Deer Island in their pretty steam yacht 'Calla'.

Mr. H. H. Dowst of Bangor the newly appointed superintendent of the Washington county railway was in Calais on Thursday last. Mr. Dowst expects to remove his family from Bangor to Calais about the first of November.

Messrs. Henry F. Todd, and J. M. Johnson who have been travelling in England and on the continent arrived home on Friday and are cordially welcomed home by their families and friends. Mr. Todd at present is in St. Andrews with his family who are occupying a summer cottage in the shiretown.

Mrs. Maria Tompkins of Georgia was the guest of her friend Mrs. John Prescott recently.

Rev. Ralph Brecken D. D. of Charlottetown Prince Edward Island preached to large congregations in the Methodist church on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Babbitt and Mrs. Mary McLaughlin who have been spending several days in Campbellton have returned home and are registered at the Windsor.

Mrs. Gates has been the guest during the past week of Mrs. Sarah Purrington.

Miss Jane Todd left on Monday for Portland Maine.

Miss Martha Harris has arranged to give the 'Fete of Flora' the beautiful spectacular entertainment in Eastport at an early date. Miss Fannie Knox of Eastport is associated with Miss Harris and will assist her in arranging the different tableaux and dances.

Mr. T. Arthur Thompson has returned to his home in New York City.

Miss Linnie McKenzie is visiting relatives in St. George.

Mr. and Mrs. William A. Murchie are occupying the Round's Cottage at De Monts.

Mrs. Alexander McTearish's friends are delighted that she is now able to enjoy a carriage ride on fine evenings.

Miss Alice Bates is visiting friends in East Machias.

Mr. W. Farrar of Whitman Mass is spending a few days with his sister Mrs. George Hanson.

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Miss Noe Clarke has returned from an extended visit in Boston and vicinity, and is most gladly welcomed home by her numerous friends.

Mrs. E. W. Grimmes returned from De Monts on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Vroom and family have gone to Deer Island for a visit of a week.

Dr. and Mrs. Lansor, and their guest Mrs. Lindsay have returned from the Lodge where they have spent a few days enjoying the Sea air.

Miss Emma Sawyer and Miss Smith of Cambridge Mass. are visiting at 'Thorncroft,' Mrs. Frank Porter Woods.

Major John Hodgins of Ottawa is in Calais the guest of General and Mrs. B. B. Murray.

Master Roy Waite of Winthrop Mass, is the guest of the Misses Washburn.

Mr. Benjamin Kelly is spending a few days in St. Andrews.

Much pleasure is anticipated by the music loving public through organ recital and concert in the congregational church tomorrow evening, given by Prof. W. P. Whippley of Boston and Miss Eleanor Nelson, who only a few weeks ago returned from Paris where she has devoted herself during the past year to the study of voice culture.

Miss Maud Cline and Miss Emma Wilson of St. John are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mallory.

Mrs. Fredric Hutchinson is visiting St. John.

Miss Florence Mitchell visited Houlton this week and was the guest of Miss Hortense Powers.

Mr. and Mrs. John K. McKenzie of Rumford Fall, accompanied by their daughter Miss Marguerite McKenzie are in town and are guests of Mrs. David Maxwell and Miss McKenzie will visit her aunt Mrs. Henry Maxwell.

A very delightful picnic made in honor of Misses Cline and Wilson of St. John was enjoyed at Porters Mills stream yesterday afternoon.

Today Mr. C. H. Clerke, Miss Noe Clarke, Miss Annie Bixby are enjoying an outing at Red Beach at the camp of Messrs. Frank Bixby, Herbert Grant and Arthur Murchie.

Mrs. Albert Lafin will chaperon a party of young people who will camp for a month at a charming spot on the river bank several miles below town.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Porter Woods arranged a pleasant picnic at the Ravens Head yesterday for the pleasure of their guests Miss Emma Sawyer and Miss Smith of Cambridge, Mass.

Rev. R. L. Sloggett, Mrs. Sloggett and their young son sail for Liverpool tomorrow and are expected to arrive in Houlton before the first of September. Rumor says Mr. Sloggett has been offered a chaplaincy on the continent and may be persuaded to accept it.

Mrs. John D. Chipman came up from St. Andrews one day recently for a brief visit to her home here, but returned to the shiretown again.

MONTON.

Progress is for sale in Moncton at Hattie Tweedie's Bookstore, M. B. Jones Bookstore S. Melonson's, and at Railway News Depot.

Aug. 17.—Mr. Hugh F. Hamilton of the I. C. R. entertained a number of his friends last Saturday in a very novel and delightful manner. The entertainment was given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Henry George of Macon, Georgia, who are visiting relatives in the city and took form of an excursion to 'The Rock,' in the Steamer Delta which was chartered for the occasion. The party numbered about twenty-five and was chaperoned by Mrs. John McSweeney. In spite of a rather unpropitious start in a shower of rain the weather turned out all that could be desired and the day was thoroughly enjoyed. Mr. Hamilton making an ideal host and sparing no effort to add to his guests enjoyment.

Miss Margaret Holstead left town last week for St. John, where she intends spending a few weeks with friends.

Miss Mabel Ward left on Saturday afternoon for New Glasgow where she will make her home in future with her brother Mr. B. S. Ward. A number of friends gathered at the station to see her off, and very general regret at her departure was expressed by her numerous young friends. Miss Ward was an active member of the Mission Band of St. John's Presbyterian church, and will be greatly missed by her fellow workers.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stetson returned last week from their wedding trip through Upper Canada.

The many friends of Mr. C. P. Harris who has been an invalid ever since the severe attack of grippe from which he suffered in the spring will be glad to hear that he has recovered sufficiently to remove to his summer residence at Shediac Cape where the bracing sea air will probably restore his health completely.

Miss Agnes Peters returned last week from Fredericton where she has been spending the greater part of the summer with relatives.

Miss Webster of Shediac and her guest Miss Davies of Quebec who have been visiting Dr. and Mrs. F. J. White of Botsford street returned home on Saturday.

Mr. R. G. Davis of Ottawa who has been spending a month's holidays with friends in the city, returned home on Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Brittain who have been enjoying the sea breezes at Shediac Cape for the greater part of the summer returned to town last week.

Mrs. George M. Jarvis returned last week from a visit to friends in Truro.

Mrs. J. I. Smith and the Misses Ella and Mary Smith are spending a few days rusticated at Eucouche beach.

Miss Yorge of New York is spending a few days in town the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George McSweeney at Hotel Brunswick.

Miss Leslie of Montreal, is spending a few weeks in the city, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Clark of Church Street.

Mrs. A. E. Holstead, and Miss Edith Holstead left town on Thursday to visit relatives in Salisbury.

Miss Hagerty returned last week from St. John where she has been spending the past two weeks visiting friends.

Mr. John McSweeney, and little daughter who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. George McSweeney at Hotel Brunswick returned home on Monday.

Mrs. W. O. Schwarty left town last week to spend a short time with friends.

Mrs. George O. Spencer has returned from Shediac Cape where she has been spending the warm weather.

Miss King daughter of Rev. Mr. and Mrs. King of Pettoodiac, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. David White, of Queen Street.

Dr. Myers returned last week from a holiday trip through the Canadian North West, including in his travels Ontario, Chicago, Minneapolis and St. Paul.

Mrs. Green of Toronto, who has been spending some weeks in town visiting her daughter.

Mrs. E. B. Chandler of Botsford Street returned home last week.

Miss Georgie Dunn, of Springhill, is spending a short time in this city visiting Mrs. Andrew Dunn, of Harris Avenue.

Miss Vera Lea of Victoria P. E. Island, is visiting her uncle, Mr. Paul Lea of Union Street.

Mrs. Murray Fleming and family who have been spending the hot weather with friends in Cape Breton, returned home last week.

Mr. William Brown of New Glasgow, one of the

engineers on the construction of the Coast railway, spent Sunday with friends in the city.

Mrs. Basten and daughter of McAdam Junction, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Palmer of Church street, returned home last week.

Miss Wylie of Toronto, who has been spending a few weeks with Dr. and Mrs. F. B. Chandler of Botsford street, left town last week for P. E. Island from which place she takes the steamer for her home in the Queen city.

Mr. W. H. Price of the I. C. R. passenger department left town on Saturday evening for Richmond, Quebec, where he was married yesterday to an estimable young lady of that place.

Mr. R. Barry Smith, who formerly practised the legal profession in this city, but who has recently been licensed to preach by the Methodist Conference, preached an able sermon in Central Methodist church last Sunday evening, and was attentively listened to by an unusual large congregation.

Mrs. Robert Snider of St. John, who has been visiting her sister Mrs. J. S. Marine, of Boasocor street for the past few days, returned home last week.

Miss Maud Taylor left town on Friday for St. Martins, to spend some weeks with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Masters and Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Burngeat and children, returned on Friday from Albert, Albert county, where they have been rusticated for the past week.

HAMPTON.

Aug. 18.—Mrs. H. D. McLeod gave a large and very enjoyable "at home" on Saturday afternoon from three to six o'clock at Asholm, a large number of ladies were present from St. John, Rothesay and Hampton.

Dr. Mrs. Ryan and family of Paris are summering at their beautiful residence Lakeside.

Judge McLeod, Mr. and Mrs. G. Wetmore Merritt, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Peters and family and Miss Marie Lefort are spending the summer with Mr. and Mrs. Noah M. Barnes, Linden Heights.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred S. Whittaker and family, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Harding, Miss Lillie Prichard and Miss F. L. are guests for the summer with Mrs. Philip Palmer at Ravenswood.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Langstroth spent Sunday at St. M. tins.

Mrs. Duncan is visiting her sister Mrs. Scriber at the hotel.

Mrs. James Thomas and Mrs. May C. St. John are visiting Mrs. Arthur B. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. James E. Whittaker are spending this week with their son Mr. J. Ernest Whittaker.

Mr. Robert Blair sr., Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Blair, Mr. Alfred C. Blair, and Mr. Thomas B. Blair are spending the summer months here, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Blair, who occupy the spacious residence of Mr. T. A. Peters.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Palmer of St. John are summering here with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Langstroth.

Miss Sherwood of Sussex, Miss Brecken of Sackville, and Miss Austin of St. John, are guests for a few days of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Whittaker.

Lady Thompson, Mrs. Geo. E. King of Ottawa, Mrs. Fielding of Halifax, Mrs. Geo. F. Smith of St. John, Mrs. Charles Watters and Mrs. A. A. Stockton, were in Hampton on Saturday and among the guests at Mrs. McLeod's "at home" at Asholm.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. MacMichael and family of St. John, have been spending part of the summer here, guests of Mrs. Prichard.

Mrs. G. R. Pugsley and the Misses Pugsley, who spent several weeks at Linden Heights and returned to their home in the city.

Miss Frances Prichard is visiting her friend Miss Scott in St. John, West end.

Miss Booth of Boston is visiting the Misses Travis at the station.

Mr. Geo. K. Frost, who was spending a few weeks holidays with his parents here has returned to St. John.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. McAvity and Mr. and Mrs. William McAvity, are at Lakeside for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Wakeling of St. John have been guests of Mrs. B. Hammond at the village.

Ex-Judge Palmer, formerly of St. John but now of Boston, was a visitor in Hampton today.

Prof. W. M. Tweedie returned yesterday from his few weeks visit to Harvard University library and will leave early in September to resume his duties at Mt. Allison, Sackville.

Mrs. P. H. Warneford is visiting with her relatives Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Allison at Windsor N. S. L.

ANAGANUE.

Aug. 17.—Mr. James H. McRobbie of St. John spent Sunday with his friends on "Apple Hill."

Mrs. Davidson spent Monday in Pettoodiac.

Mrs. Chesley Dunfield who was taken suddenly ill on Monday is improving nicely under Dr. McDonald's skillful treatment.

Miss Agnes McAnespy left on Tuesday for Albert Co. where she takes charge of the school there for the ensuing term.

Mrs. Byard McLeod spent a portion of last week in Sussex with her aunt Mrs. R. P. Steeves.

Rev. G. A. Hartley of St. John is spending a week or so with Mr. and Mrs. Ezekiel Dunfield.

Miss Essie Baxter of Pettoodiac was visiting at Mr. Samuel Chittie's last week.

Mrs. Brock Kinnear of Sussex is at Mr. Chris. Smith's visiting.

Rev. H. R. Baxter and Bev. Dr. Smith of Halifax spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Lester Stockton at "Fioral Cottage."

Mr. Lester Stockton was in Sussex on Tuesday on business.

Rev. Wm. McGregor of Digby N. S. delivered very interesting lectures a large and appreciative audience in the Methodist church on Monday evening. Topic "Interpreting the Book of Revelation."

Masters Clarence and Rufus Steeves of Sussex are at their uncles' Mr. Thomas Dunfield's at Portage this week.

ANDOVER.

Aug. 17.—The Misses Annie and Carrie Tibbits of Fredericton are visiting their cousins the Misses Tibbits.

Miss Burt Hartland is spending a few weeks with her sister Mrs. Carter.

Mrs. Paxton Baird of Woodstock is the guest of Mr. George Baird.

Miss Inez Tibbits returned home on Monday after a pleasant visit with friends in Woodstock.

Mrs. Frank Tinker and child of Presque Isle are staying with Mrs. Tinker's mother Mrs. Tibbits.

Messrs John Tilton and Arthur McKenzie of St. Stephen were in town yesterday.

Mr. Harold Perley is spending a few days in Woodstock.

Miss Lingley of Boston who has been visiting Mrs. Howard for the past two week expects to return to her old home in Nova Scotia next week.

Mrs. Rankin Bedell of St. John is visiting relatives here.

Miss Bessie Sherman of Fredericton is teaching at Aroostook Junction.



Miss Sara Pickett a graduate of Pittsfield Hospital is home on a vacation.

Mrs. Frank Haycock and children of Nebraska are visiting at Mrs. Haycock's old home.

Miss Ella Parker is spending a few weeks at her home in Woodstock.

THINGS OF VALUE.

Procrastination is the thief of time, and industry is the only policeman that can catch up with him.

Bickel's Anti-Consumptive Syrup stands at the head of the list for all diseases of the throat and lungs. It acts like magic in breaking up a cold. A cough is soon subdued, tightness of the chest is relieved even the worst case of consumption is relieved, while in recent cases it may be said never to fail. It is a medicine prepared from the active principles or virtues of several medicinal herbs, and can be depended upon for all pulmonary complaints.

The Alpine Club House on Mount Rosa, in the Alps, is probably at a greater altitude than any other building in the world. Its foundation stones are exactly 12,000 feet above the sea level.

When the gods wish to afflict they first lead to admire the bicycles in the shop-windows.

In his VEGETABLE PILLS, Dr. Parmelee has given to the world the fruits of long scientific research in the whole realm of medical science, combined with new and valuable discoveries never before known to man. For Delicate and Debilitated Constitutions, F. O. Ount, writes: "I have tried Parmelee's Pills and find them an excellent medicine, and one that will sell well."

Swallows have been met with at sea more than 1,000 miles from any land.

The amount of gold coin in actual circulation in the world is estimated by the Bank of England officials to be about 865 tons.

Fagged Out.—None but those who have become fagged out, know what a depressed miserable feeling it is. All strength is gone, and despondency hangs over the sufferer. They feel as though there is nothing to live for. There, however, is a cure—none other than Parmelee's Vegetable Pills will do wonders in restoring health and strength. Mandrake and Dandelion are two of the articles entering into the composition of Parmelee's Pills.

Divers in Lake Huron have recovered 600 tons of copper from a wreck 160 ft. deep, after it had lain there for thirty-two years.

About two-thirds of the bread cast upon the waters isn't returnable.

Street Car Accident.—Mr. Thomas Sabin says: "My eleven year old boy had his foot badly injured by being run over by a car on the Street Railway. We at once commenced bathing the foot with Dr. THOMAS ELECTRIC OIL, when the discoloration and swelling was removed, and in nine days he could use the foot. We always keep a bottle in the house ready for any emergency."

The largest Bible in the world is a manuscript Hebrew Bible in the Vatican, weighing 320 lb.

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Handsome glass show cases will be provided for all exhibits requiring protection.

Competent caretaker will be constantly on hand. Exhibits will be received, placed and repacked for shipment without cost, if the exhibitor cannot be present.

Large exhibits will be made by the Provincial Government, the University of New Brunswick, the St. John Natural History Society and the Department of Marine and Fisheries these are not eligible for prizes. For prize lists and all information, address

W. C. PITFIELD, CHAS. A. EVERETT, President, Mgr. and Secy.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RY.

Fall Excursions

Tickets on sale from St. John, N. B. as follows: For Toronto to Exhibition.

August 30th, 31st, Sept. 1st, 2nd and 3rd at \$20.50 each, and Sept. 2nd and 3rd only at \$16.50 each, all good for return until Sept. 15th.

New England Fair, Highby Park, Maine. August 21st, to 25th, inclusive at \$9.20 each, good for return until Aug. 29th.

Eastern Maine State Fair at Bangor. August 29th, to 31st, at \$5.00 each, and Aug. 30th to Sept. 1st, at \$4.00 each, all good for return until Sept. 6th.

For Maine State Fair at Lewiston. September 2nd, to 5th, at \$7.00 each, and Sept. 6th and 7th at \$5.00 each, all good for return until Sept. 12th.

Harvest Excursion to Canadian North West. August 30th, and Sept. 13th, only; good for return within 60 days, at the following rates, Winnipeg, Portage La Prairie, Brandon, Deloraine, Reston, Estevan, Bismarck, Moosemin and Winnipegosis \$28.00 each; Regina, Moose Jaw and Yorktown, \$30.00 each; Prince Albert and Calgary, \$35.00 each, Red Deer and Edmonton \$40.00 each.