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HALIFAX NOTES.

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Mrs. Cox and family who have been visiting in Gabarus, have returned home.

Miss Maggie McKenzie of Dartmouth is the guest of Miss Ella McDonald of Sydney, C. B.

Miss Rigby has returned from a visit to Hants port.

Mrs. H. C. Busch and little son of Mt. Denison, Hants, are spending a week or two with Halifax friends.

Miss Gertrude Rooney and Miss Gertrude Phelan are visiting Mrs. Richards, Chezzetook.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Hill of Halifax, are visiting friends at the Point, St. Peters, C. B.

Wm. Horncastle, sr. of Halifax has been summering with his family in Richmond Co., C. B.

D. Frank Matheson of St. Peters, C. B. is attending the Law school, Halifax.

Mrs. J. Hunter of Milford, Hants, has returned home after spending a short time with her sister at Boston.

Miss M. Crowell of Halifax spent a few days in Milford, Hants.

Misses Blanche and Ethel Logan of Dartmouth have returned from Milford, where they have been visiting Miss Ethel Ammond.

Mrs. Wallace and two children are visiting Mrs. Wallace's father at Shubenacadie and will return home this week.

Miss Ada Warren of Sydney, C. B., is on a visit to Halifax.

Miss McIntosh of this city is visiting Mrs. Jas. Ritchey of Musquodoboit Harbor.

Professor and Mrs. Chisholm of the Blind asylum are visiting the formers home in Colchester Co.

Miss Knight and Miss Hart are spending a few weeks in Milford.

Mr. J. W. Webb, Mr. John Webb and Miss Florence Webb of Halifax are guests of friends, Windsor.

The dance which was given by the officers of the cable steamer MacKay-Bennet was thoroughly successful in every detail.

Dancing is always particularly popular wherever youth and beauty are to be found. So it goes without saying that the event has been keenly anticipated by countless bright eyes. The arrangements were perfect, the floor in splendid condition for dancing and the music all that could be desired. Owing to the large number of invitations issued and accepted there was an unavoidable crush during the dancing but under the circumstances it was what had to be expected. However everything went off very merrily. Delicious refreshments were served throughout the evening, and for those who were weary of the dance there were cosy corners and other delightful "sitting out" nooks,—far from the maddening crowd. About 1 a. m. the carriages began to roll homewards with their burdens of sleepy but happy occupants many of whom after just the tiniest "smooze" would have been venturing to say as fresh as ever and very fit to trip the "light fantastic" until further notice.

On Tuesday afternoon of last week Mrs. Borden gave a large garden party at her residence "Pine Hurst," more than 500 invitations had been issued so that a very large gathering assembled in the beautiful grounds during the hours of from 4 to 7. Delicious refreshments were served during the afternoon and for those who preferred conversation and "orange pekoi" there were restful seats where besides discussing the last interesting bit of gossip you enjoyed a charming view of the Arm and surrounding beautiful scenery. Mrs. Borden is a very charming hostess and her entertainments are always exceedingly pleasant.

Mrs. David MacKenzie's at home on Friday afternoon was very largely attended by our society people. Unfortunately the weather was not as favorable as one could have wished. It was a great disappointment to the popular hostess as well as to her numerous guests that the fog and mists deterred the guests from enjoying the lovely grounds at "Maplewood." But the charming hostess was quite equal to the occasion with a sigh she told her guests that owing to stress of circumstances what was intended for a garden party would have to lose its identity in a tea.

PARSBORO.

[Progress is for sale at the Parsboro Bookstore.]

An immense concourse of people attended the political picnic, held in the grounds at Broderick's beach hotel on Labor Day. Three excursion trains arrived bringing people from Moncton and various other points. The steamer Beaver also brought a party from Wolfville. The attractions of the new hotel and the enjoyment of a day on the beautiful beach had doubtless much to do with collecting so large a crowd. On the arrival of the noon train the speakers, Hon. W. S. Fielding, Hon. G. H. Murray, Hon. W. R. Emmerson, N. J. Logan, M. P., C. W. Robinson, M. P., Hon. I. R. Blair, E. McDonald M. P., and F. McLure M. P., drove to the grounds preceded by the Springfield band and addressed the assemblage from the hotel verandah.

Mr. J. Gresham Aikman's death on Saturday after several weeks' illness was a sad event and a severe blow to his family for whom much sympathy is felt. Two daughters and a son are in England. The mining officials and a number of others came from Springfield in a special train to attend the funeral on Tuesday afternoon. The service was conducted by Revs. D. McQuarrie, N. K. McLean and Robert Johnston. Among the gifts of flowers were a broken ear wheel of lovely white roses and other white flowers, from Mr. J. B. Cowans; a large cross of begonia leaves and roses from other mining officials; a broken ear wheel from the employees of the Cumb. Ry. & Coal Co.,

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spending a month at Little Dyke Beach, came home this week.

Mrs. O'Day left this week for her home in New York.

Mrs. T. R. Prince and Miss Fannie have returned from a three week's visit to friends in Halifax and Mt. Uniacke.

Mrs. F. E. Dickie and her two sons who have been spending some weeks with Mrs. J. B. Dickie, left this week for her home in Indianapolis.

YARMOUTH.

SEPT. 5.—Yarmouth's delightfully cool climate was never more appreciated by our American cousins than it has been the present season; and in evidence of the fact, we find our hotels well filled and our transportation companies fully taxed in providing for the congenial strangers. The Grand Hotel, spacious as it is, has never been continually filled as it has been the past eight weeks, before. Sailing and fishing parties daily leave the Grand under the supervision of the hotel guides; and no more contented visitors are to be found than those who are spending their vacation amongst the thorn hedges of our town. Hospitable Yarmouth enjoys it too; and the American tourist appreciates the knowledge that although every hotel has a hedge around it, there is a wide open gate as well.

Mr. Hubert L. Birgey son of Councillor Birgey returned from Kingston Military college last week. He is one of the recent graduates at the college who has received a commission in the Imperial service. Mr. Birgey has been appointed to the staff of the Royal Engineers.

Major T. R. Jolly has leased the J. Townsend Anderson residence, and will occupy it early in October. Mrs. Anderson and family leave on the 20th inst., for Guatemala to join Mr. Anderson who is extensively engaged in the steamship business at that port.

Mr. R. L. F. Strathy arrived last week, and is spending a few days with his family who are summering at Bay View park.

Mr. Harry Archibald, of North Sydney, is spending a few days in town the guest of Mrs. T. S. Brown.

Mr. Thomas Savory, son of Judge Savory of Annapolis is in town the guest of Rev. R. D. Bambrick.

Mr. John G. Clarke and wife of Berwick, who have been spending a few days in town the guests of Mrs. Arthur Cann, left to return on Tuesday morning.

Mr. Eugene Campbell, son of Custom Officer Campbell, who has been spending his vacation at home, left to return to Boston on last evening.

Miss Grace Hatfield left for Sackville on Monday as a delegate to the Christian Endeavor convention at that place.

Mrs. Jacob Bingay, accompanied by her son Hubert, leaves for the S. S. Halifax City this week for London, England.

Mr. John Durkee, of Roxbury, Mass., formerly of Yarmouth, is spending his vacation in town.

Steamer Yarmouth had 385 passengers on Saturday evening last, which was the largest list outward this season.

Miss Guskie Gray, who has been visiting Truro, Pictou and other eastern towns, returned home by the S. S. "City of Monticello" last week.

H. Price Webber and Edwina Gray, supported by a good company, are with us this week in the Royal opera house.

Miss Susie Cunningham of Annapolis, who has been visiting friends in town, left for home last week.

Mr. Thomas F. Anderson, financial editor of the Eastern Globe, and wife, were registered at the Grand hotel this week.

A commodious summer hotel is to be built on the Bay View Park grounds next season, golf links are to be laid out, and orchestra concerts and other entertainments arranged for. This foretells for Bay View a flourishing future; and with its golf and tennis tournaments, its concert and hops, it will be a fair rival to Bar Harbor and other eastern fashionable summer resorts.

The Misses Dayton of Boston, who are visiting Mayor Stoneham, return this week.

Mr. J. A. Craig left on Monday for a visit to Annapolis.

Dr. Jean A. A. Ednard of the French Navy, passed through here last week, en route to Halifax. The Yarmouth City band gave one of its popular promenade concerts at the Exhibition Building on Thursday evening last, which was largely attended. Amongst the participants in the dance, easily distinguished by his different, although none the less graceful movement, we noticed our sociable summer friend—the American "tourist"—enjoying intensely the society of his fair blue nose partner, and on being approached by your correspondent, he willingly volunteered the expression, that she was equally as entertaining as she had proven herself efficient in the dancing art. We trust that these enthusiastic "hops" will be frequent in future, as much enjoyment can yet be had before this suitably adapted building is utilized for other purposes.

Mrs. Washburn and Master Murray Washburn, who have been visiting relatives here, returned to their home in Kansas City last week.

Messrs. Courland Nicoll and Chas. J. McIntosh of St. Paul's School, Concord, N. H., are guests of Mr. S. C. Baker at Beacon House.

Miss Lillian S. Harris, of Annapolis, formerly of the Western Union Telegraph office here, passed through to Boston on Friday evening.

Mr. Douglas Cummings, of Truro, spent a few days in town last week.

Mr. W. Saunders, who formerly published the "Yarmouth Daily News", and wife, who have been spending their vacation here, returned to Chicago last week.

Miss Johnston of London, Eng., who has been visiting Mrs. Robert Caie, returns home via Halifax this week.

Mr. H. A. Kaubach, son of J. A. Kaubach, M. A., Archdeacon of Nova Scotia, who has recently

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beautiful pillow from the P. R. A. of which Mr. Aikman was president; a maltese cross of white and lavender pansies from Miss Upham; a wreath of white dahlias and purple sweet peas from Dr. and Mrs. Atkinson; a fan of beautiful flowers, Mrs. Robert Aikman, and a wreath of everlasting from Master Gerald Aikman, a little grandson. Miss Agnes Aikman arrived from Montreal on Wednesday before her father's death.

Misses Sadie Corke and Pauline Price have gone to Wolfville as pupils at Acadia Seminary.

Mr. Rex Vickers and Mr. Hilton Tucker are students at Dalhousie.

Mr. Cecil Townshend left on Saturday to return to McGill College.

Dr. Albert Sprout who has had a dental office here during the summer has returned to Cambridge Mass.

Miss Winnifred Gillespie left on Wednesday to attend school at Mt. St. Vincent.

Mr. Geo. Upham spent a part of his holidays at St. Martins and St. Stephen.

Mrs. Brown who has been an invalid for some time died on Monday morning at the residence of Mr. D. A. Huntley. Her sister Mrs. Stickney and niece Mrs. Huntley left on Tuesday for Eastport Me where Mrs. Brown will be buried. A service was held at Mr. Huntley's on Monday evening by Rev. R. Johnston and Rev. H. K. McLean at which Mrs. McKenna sang "Peace Perfect Peace," and "Jesus Lover of my Soul."

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. McLeod left on Monday for the Toronto Exhibition.

WEYMOUTH, N. S.

SEPT. 4.—Miss Hood returned this week to Boston.

Miss Payson of Halifax who has been visiting here left last week for Westport.

Mrs. Blagdon and little daughter returned this week from a pleasant visit with friends.

Miss Crowell enjoyed a few days at Sandy Cove lately.

Miss Daley of Meteghan was in town for a few hours one day last week.

Mrs. George Grant went to Annapolis for a short time lately.

Dr. and Mrs. Waite of Newark, N. J. have joined their daughter and are staying with Mrs. J. S. Jones.

Mrs. Stubbert returned last week from a few weeks stay in Yarmouth.

Mrs. Steadman left this week on a visit to Mr. Steadman's mother at Mill's Village.

Mrs. Frank Journeay was in St. John last week to join her husband who left later for Liverpool, England.

TRURO.

[Progress is for sale in Truro by Mr. G. O. Fulton, J. M. O'Brien, Crowe Bros. and at D. C. Smith & Co's.]

Sept. 5.—Miss Sadie Smith left last week on a week's visit to relatives in Boston.

Mrs. Heygate has bid adieu to her friends here and leaves Quebec this week for Liverpool.

Mrs. Gordon Campbell has returned to Montreal after a two months visit to her friends at "Roselands."

Miss Bertha Bostone has returned to Halifax, having spent two months very pleasantly with her brother Mr. Fred Bostone and family.

Mrs. G. O. Fulton and family who have been

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returned from Kingston Military College, is the guest of Mr. Hubert L. Bingay.

The Misses Johnston and Ashteneau, of the Acadia Seminary staff, arrived by steamer "Boston" on Tuesday morning, and proceeded to Wolfville.

Mr. Thomas Bingay, who has been on a visit to his home, left on Wednesday morning for Trail, B. C.

Hon. L. E. Baker left for Halifax Wednesday morning on a business trip.

Mr. Harrison A. Plympton and wife of Boston, who have been occupying Spruce Cottage at Bay View Park the past month, and Mr. H. B. Newcomb and party, who have also been spending some weeks at Bay View, left by steamer Boston on Friday evening last. Mr. Plympton hopes to spend next season in Yarmouth and vicinity and has engaged one of the Bay View cottages for another year.

Mr. K. G. T. Webster registered at the office of the Canadian High Commissioner, London, on the 17th ult. Mr. Webster is en route to the continent where he will pursue his studies at one of the German Universities.

Miss Jean Eakins gave a delightful dance for the entertainment of her young friends on Monday evening. Music was furnished by Messrs. Medcalf and Allison of the Yarmouth orchestra; and a most enjoyable evening was spent at the home of this bright and charming hostess. Among the guests present were:

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| Misses | Margaret Eakins. |
| Norma Bingay. | Laura Brown. |
| Margaret Moody. | Miss Ford. |
| Mary Moody. | Annie Stearns. |
| Flourie Gray. | Laura Lawson. |
| Kathleen Corning. | Flossie Johns. |
| Messrs. | |
| Archie Eakins. | H. L. Bingay. |
| S. C. Baker. | Carl Bingay. |
| Fred Burrill. | J. B. Bond. |
| Bertie Perry. | Bernard Farish. |
| Thomas Bingay. | Camber Killam. |
| Nicoll. | McIntosh. |
| | and a number of others. |
- Mr. Charles Kelley, son of Robert Kelley of Liverpool, Eng., is spending a few weeks amongst his many relatives here. He is the guest of Miss A. L. Kelley.
- Judge Johnston, of Washington, is spending a few weeks in town.
- Over 1500 persons attended the Bible Conference at Bay View Park on Monday last.
- A select party numbering about 25, drove to Gilmann's famous hostelry at Tusket on Monday afternoon.

ANNAPOLIS.

Sept. 5.—Miss Lillian Johnson has been visiting Miss Winnie Cove of Amherst for a little while.

Mrs. Robert Mills of the Ferry is on a visit to Boston.

Mrs. Richard Carr and son have returned from a visit to relatives at Lake May and other places.

Mrs. Melville who with her family has been residing at the Ferry for five years leaves this month to join her husband and make her home in Trinidad W. I.

Miss Lena Chipman of Kentville is visiting Miss Christine Ritchie.

Mrs. E. W. McBride and child are visiting Digby friends.

Mrs. Phillips of Truro is paying a visit to her mother Mrs. C. D. Pickells.

Mrs. Will Edwards and child of New York are staying for a while with Mr. and Mrs. J. Havelock Edwards.

Miss Maggie McCormack of Boston is visiting Miss Buckler.

Mr. and Mrs. George Rouzer and children of Washington have been visiting in town during the past week.

Mrs. Carrite of Amherst spent last Sunday with Mrs. Brittan.

Miss Bertha Ruggles is paying a visit to Annapolis.

Miss Susie Cunningham returned last week from an extended visit to Yarmouth.

Mrs. E. Ruggles and Mrs. H. Ruggles spent a day with friends lately.

Miss Lottie Corbett is home from a lengthy visit to Halifax.

Miss Acklom of Halifax is visiting her sisters the Misses Manners.

Misses Goldie Thomas and Flossie Wilcox who have been visiting Mrs. Robert Wade of Lower Grandville are home again.

Miss Dibblee of Dorchester N. B. is here on a visit to friends.

Mrs. F. C. Whitman who is summering at Round Hill was here this week for a day or two.

Messrs Jack and Otty Savary went to St. John last week for a two weeks visit to friends.

DIGBY.

SEPT. 4.—Mrs. F. C. Lewis visited friends in Freeport last week.

Mrs. James Dillon is slowly recovering from a serious illness.

Mrs. Aymer of Truro is visiting her cousin Miss Estelle Titus.

Mrs. John Westcott of Malden, Mass., is the guest of her sister Mrs. James Dillon.

Mrs. Cutler Titus of Lynn, Mass., is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. John Holdsworth.

Miss Addie Phillips of Cambridge Mass., is the guest of Mrs. (Major) Daley, Linden Terrace.

Miss Angie James returned last week to her home in Bridgetown after a pleasant visit here.

Mrs. Hannah Thomas has returned from an enjoyable visit in St. John.

Mrs. Ella Hughes is home from a pleasant visit to friends in Moncton and Amherst.

Mr. and Mrs. George R. Watson, and Mr. and

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