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BEAVER HARBOR

Miss Elsie Nodding has arrived home from Boston and is spending her vacation with her parents.

John and Robert Barry have bought a new boat from Mr. Graham of Centre ville, N. S., they are having a Mianus engine installed.

Mr. Rogerson and little son of Island Falls came on Tuesday from St. Stephen where the little boy has been treated at Chipman Hospital. The little one is recovering and will remain with his aunt Mrs. Medley Wright.

Miss Theresa Patton has gone to St. George where she will be employed during the summer.

Miss Nellie Whalen who has been visiting friends here returned home to Eastport on Thursday.

Miss Pethra Parker and Miss Reta Marr spent Friday with friends in St. George.

Mr. and Mrs. John Crickard, of St. George drove here on Monday to attend the funeral of the late John Wadlin.

Miss Peck of St. John and Miss Sullivan of Boston are guests of Mrs. Wm. Eldridge.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Parsons, Newburyport Mass., are visiting Mrs. Pason's sister Mrs. Margaret Eldridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Paul spent Saturday in Eastport.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel McKay sr., spent Sunday in the village.

Mrs. Fred Moore, Mrs. Clark and Mr. Snider of Boston are visiting relatives here.

Leon McAdam of Sussex is spending his vacation here.

Miss Augusta Dakin who has been employed in Eastport is spending a few days here.

Mrs. R. Barry is visiting at her old home at Leonardville, D. I.

Nelson Wright has added very much to the appearance of his residence by a coat of paint. The work was done by J. Jackson.

John Wadlin, the oldest resident of this place, died here on Saturday 27 inst. aged 85 years. Although failing in health for almost a year, Mr. Wadlin was able to go out nearly every day up until a few days before his death.

He leaves to mourn four sons and three daughters beside a large circle of friends and acquaintances. The sons are Alfred and Walter of this place, George of Lubec, Me and Cawley of Brooklyn. The daughters are Mrs. Thos. Patterson residing here, Mrs. John Crickard of St. George and Mr. Wm. Johnson of Lubec.

The funeral took place from his late home on Monday afternoon and interment was made in the Baptist cemetery Pennfield, Rev. T. W. Munroe conducted services.

Emma, the little daughter of Mrs. Wm Sparks fell from a carriage on Monday and broke her arm.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Jack of Pennfield spent Tuesday here with friends.

Genuine Relic of Dick Turpin at Banbury Inn.

London, July 16.—In the Dick Turpin double-barrelled pistol which was found behind the panelling of the old Globe room, in the Reindeer Inn at Banbury,

is a real genuine relic of the notorious highwayman, there seems no reason to doubt.

The pistol bears the inscription: "Presented to Dick Turpin at the White Bear Inn, Drury Lane, 7 Feb., 1735.

In "Turpin's Life," and "Newgate Calendar," 1738, there appears the following:

"On the 7 Feb., 1735, Richard Turpin and his gang met together at the White Bear at the upper end of Drury Lane, when they agreed to make an attempt to rob Mr. Francis, a farmer near Marylebone."

Further, Messrs Westley, Richards & Co., the noted gunmakers, state that the pistol was undoubtedly made in 1735, and the words, "Baker, London," on the pistol identify the maker as a predecessor of that Ezekiel Baker, who was a gunsmith in the Whitechapel road in the 18th century.

As regards Turpin himself, he was the son of a publican and butcher at Hempstead, near Seffron, Walden, and, according to the records in the British Museum, after serving his apprenticeship as a butcher in Whitechapel, set up in business for himself.

When business was bad he started stealing sheep, and even oxen, to supply his shop. This could not last long, and Turpin was in turn smuggler on the Essex marshes, deer stealer in Epping forest, burglar, and then highwayman.

He and his band used to rob lonely farm houses around London, and sometimes got as much as \$3,500 at one haul. It was after one of these robberies at Ripplestone, near Barking, that Turpin and his gang met on Feb. 7, 1735, at the White Bear Inn to plan another robbery.

The life of Turpin, published immediately after his execution in 1736, gives the date, and calls the Inn the White Hart in Drury Lane. The "Newgate Calendar" says it was the month of Feb. 1735, without the exact date. Taken together they give the exact date and place of the meeting and agree with the inscription found on the pistol in the Globe room at Banbury.

The band met at 5 p.m. and decided to rob the house of Mr. Francis, a farmer of Marylebone, which was then a rural neighborhood before Regent Park was laid out. They ill treated the farmer's household and procured about \$260 and some jewelry.

Turpin's band did not long survive this enterprise. They were carousing in an ale house in Westminster when the doors were broken open by officers of the law.

WILSON'S BEACH

Baroness Von Weidell and mother Mrs. Wyman of New York, are being entertained for the summer months by Mr. and Mrs. Beverly Lank.

Miss Veasey of St. Stephen was a week end guest of friends in this village. Mrs. Alex. Fleming of Dartmouth, N. S. and sister Miss Olive Mitchell visited Mrs. Ethelbert Savage for a few days last week.

Hake still continue plentiful in North Channel, each boat bringing between three and four thousand lbs, every trip, price still continues very low, pollock are not so plentiful, although some very

good catches are made at times. Schr. "Hating Loring," Capt. Porter of N. S. discharged a cargo of salt on Saturday to the different fish buyers, in this vicinity.

Miss Marcia Cline and Mrs. I. E. Porter visited St. Stephen on Saturday on a business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Small and family of Boston are spending their vacation with Mr. Small's parents Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Small.

Mr. and Mrs. Paine and two children of Holyoke, Mass., are enjoying the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Galbraith. The rite of Baptism was administered on Sunday at North Road by Rev. C. A. Brown, to one candidate.

Waterson Hilvard is improving the appearance of his cottage by the addition of a large ell.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Porter are visiting their parents at Charlotte Maine.

Arthur Porter spent Saturday and Sunday with his family at Pembroke.

Mr. and Mrs. Sweeney (nee Miss Florence Mathews) were guests of Mrs. Sweeney's father Mr. William Mathews on Saturday and Sunday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Sweeney were quietly married on Saturday at Lubec Me., and returned to their home in Portland Me., on Monday 29th.

J. W. Mathews is busily engaged in fish buying which gives employment to a number of men, women and children.

Mrs. Holmes and three children of Boston are spending the summer in this village.

Mrs. French of Back Bay was a recent guest of her sister Mrs. Vernon Brown.

George Cline, Capt. of Connors freight boat spent Saturday and Sunday here with his family.

THREE TRAINING CAMPS

Sites to be Purchased in Maritime Provinces for Manoeuvres

The Minister of Militia, Hon. Col. Hughes, is instituting an important change making for economy of time and money in connection with the annual training camps. At present there is but one national military training ground for the higher tactical field manoeuvres and for artillery practice—namely, Petawawa. To this camp the artillery, the permanent corps, the engineering services, etc., are brought from all parts of the Dominion. This involves a large expenditure for transportation and considerable loss of time to the men coming from the east or from the Maritime Provinces. The Minister believes that there should be at least three national training camps for a country the size of Canada, and he is now negotiating for the purchase of areas in the Maritime Provinces and in the west, where the men from these districts can secure the training for which they now have to come to Petawawa. Suitable areas can be purchased at a comparatively small cost and the present loss in time occupied in traveling will be saved by the corps.

WAS FINE OFFICER

Young Mounted Policeman Murdered by Indians—Played Man's Part

The story of the murder of Constable Frank W. Davies near South-east, Alta., by three Indians who he tried to arrest, is another illustration of how well young Englishmen can serve the Empire even when engaged on such an ordinary vocation as that of a constable of the mounted police.

He came out from London, England, some five years ago and started farming at or near Wadena, Sask., but evidently soon tired of that task, because in April, 1906, he applied for admission into the Mounted Police and was sworn in on the 9th of that month. Then he gave his age as twenty-five.

Davies was one of those young Britishers who play the game like men. They know their duty and do it even if death be the reward.

Prior to starting out on what proved to be his last case he had been around the town joking and talking to the boys with whom he was a universal favorite. Just at dusk a terrified Indian hurried into the town. He located the constable, and, in broken language told him that two Indians and a "breed" had shot several times at him, at the same time pointing to bullet holes in his hat, coat sleeve, and in a bundle of blankets he carried. The officer immediately started after them and that was the last seen of him alive.

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All persons and bodies corporate liable to be assessed in said town or their agents are requested to furnish assessors with a written detailed statement of their real and personal Estate and Income within 30 days from date of this Notice as required by law.

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