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WHEN THE BLUE LAWS MADE A NICE SUNDAY.

"No one shall kiss his or her children on the Sabbath or feasting days." "No one shall personally cook meals, make beds, sweep house, cut hair or shave on the Sabbath Day." "No one shall cross a river on the Sabbath but an authorized clergyman." "No food or lodging shall be offered to a heretic." These Connecticut blue laws of two centuries ago are far famed; but they were by no means limited to the Colony. Down in Virginia where the Colonists consumed so much mint julep that to this day the mint grows out of the graves at Jamestown, the rules were just as strict. In 1682 a woman was indicted for selling corn on Sunday! Indeed, the very first General Assembly in the old Dominion passed a law requiring every citizen to attend church on the Sabbath, and if a freeman disobeyed he was compelled to pay three shillings, and if a slave he was flogged! And going to church, mind you, meant in those days going to a particular kind of church. For in 1632 the Virginia Assembly passed a law punishing all dissenters from the Church of England, in 1662 passed an Act banishing all who refused to have their children baptized in that church, in 1741 issued a law making life uncomfortable for Presbyterians, and in 1746 created further statutes aimed at Moravians and Methodists.

Those grave old churchmen of Massachusetts and Connecticut passed stern regulations about one's cuffs, ruffles, ribbons and bands. There should be, for instance, no "short sleeves whereby the nakedness of the arms may be discovered," but on the other hand, no sleeves must be more than "half an ell long." It was a nerv-racing time for tailors and dressmakers! If you did not go to church you were simply "beyond the pale." "No one," declared the old laws, "shall be a freeman or have a vote unless he is converted and a member of the churches allowed in the dominion." And, moreover, if you failed to attend divine service, the town watchman saw to it that time hung heavy on your hands. No one was allowed to leave town on the Sabbath; no one must come to town except for church attendance. No work was permitted on farm, in shop, or on ship. A boat could not be used, except when absolutely necessary in getting people to "meeting house." Using a horse, an ox, or a wagon was unlawful if the church were within reasonable walking distance, and "reasonable" was in this case a most expensive word.

Then, too, the odor of cooking food on the sabbath was an abomination, while to smoke or chew tobacco near a meeting house on Sunday meant a seat in the stocks instead of a church pew! Indeed, this use of "sotweed," as tobacco was called, was a most sinful habit on any day. "None under 21 years, nor any not previously accustomed to it, shall take tobacco without a physician's certificate. No one shall use it publicly in the street or in the fields or the woods, except on a journey of at least ten miles, or at dinner. Nor shall any one take it in any house in hos own town with more than one person taking it at the same time."

Nor did one dare for a long time to make mince pies or play any musical instrument, "except a drum, a trumpet or a jew's harp!" Card playing was absolutely forbidden; whoever brought cards into the dominion was fined £5! And as for dancing—the thought was unbearable. Says old Judge Sewall in his famous 17th century diary "After the Ministers of this Town (Boston) come to the Court and complain against a Dancing Master who seeks to set up here and hath mixt Dances, and his time of Meeting is Lecture Day (Thursday)." A little later Sewall joyfully records that the dancing master has fled town, because of debt—"several warrants out for him."

For more than one hundred years there was legal interference with the most petty personal affairs of the Colonial citien. In Massachusetts a woman might not receive her own male relatives—not even her brother or father—if her husband were away, and old Judge Sewall records that in the depth of the night he was turned away for such cause from a close friend's home, although there were two other male travellers with him! It was also hotly disputed in the early Boston and Salem churches whether women should sing in divine service. One of old John Cotton's most famous sermons deals with this identical subject, and he expresses grave doubt in the matter because "the woman is more subject to error than a man, and therefore might soon prove a seducer if she become a teacher." Perhaps Macaulay was right when he declared that the Puritans were opposed to bear-baiting, not because it gave the bears pain, but because it gave the spectators pleasure.

Blue Sunday extended its influence to blue Christmas, and as late as 1685 that staunch old Puritan Judge Sewall exultingly wrote in his diary: "Dec. 25, Friday. Carts came to Town and shops open as usual. Some somehow observe the day. . . . Blessed be God no authority yet to compel them to keep it." Thus, so opposed to pleasure were these indigo-worshipers that sa late as 1780 Samuel Peters found the laws of Connecticut so strict that "dancing, fishing, hunting, skating and riding in sleighs on the ice are all the amusements allowed in this Colony." Even today, the laws of Massachusetts and several other states forbid on Sunday the buying of newspapers, stationery or soft drinks, the playing of golf, working in one's garden, hiring a boat or swimming, obtaining a shoe shine or shave, sprinkling a lawn, making ice cream, or hirng a horse.

HAMPTON HAPPENINGS

(Too late for last week.)

Nov. 9—Miss Florence Coleman, of St. John, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Lloyd and Mr. and Mrs. V. R. Winter, who spent the summer here, left for St. John last week, where they will spend the winter.

Miss Beatrice Doherty, of Sussex, spent part of this week with friends here.

Rev. W. H. Johnson left on Monday to attend the meetings of the Foreign Mission Board being held this week in Toronto.

Messrs. Jules and Fenwick Stephenson, of St. John, spent Sunday with their mother at "The Knoll."

Mrs. James Mullaly and little daughter, of Norton, visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Nugent.

Mrs. R. J. Colpitts and Miss Dorothy Colpitts spent last week with Mr. W. H. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. McGivery moved last week into their new home at the village.

On Saturday evening Mrs. H. Byles entertained a few of the younger folk in honor of the birthday of her son, Ezra.

Mr. John Crawford and family have moved to the city and will spend the winter there.

Mrs. Neil Dinean, of Sussex, spent a few days last week with Miss Mary Dinean.

A very quiet but pretty wedding took place on Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Campbell, when their daughter, Annie Lucretia was united in marriage to Millidge Andrew Lawrence by Rev. George W. Ross, in the presence of immediate friends and relatives. The house was prettily decorated with potted plants and flowers. The bride who was given away by her father looked charming in a handsome gown of white satin with overdress of lace and carried a bouquet of ophelia roses. After the ceremony a dainty luncheon was served. Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence will reside in Hampton. The out-of-town guests who attended the wedding were: Mr. and Mrs. Beverly Campbell, Halifax; Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Campbell, St. John; Mr. Fred Campbell, Truro; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Drake and Miss Gillis, Brookville; Mr. and Mrs. George Walpert and Miss Annie Walpert, Sussex; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Folkins, Sussex; Mr. and Mrs. Tyler Erb, Mr. and Mrs. Guilford Scribner, Long Point; Mr. and Mrs. Bleakney, Moncton, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lawrence, Boston, Mass.

Mr. Eric Brown left on Wednesday for his home in Centerville.

Misses McDade, St. John, were visitors at Lakeside last week.

The Junior Bridge Club met on Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Fairweather. Those present included Mr. and Mrs. Guy Flewwelling, Mr. and Mrs. Edis Flewwelling, Mrs. Edgar Fairweather, Mrs. C. G. Lawrence, Miss Gladys Smith, Miss Marguerite Adams, Miss Louise Scribner, Miss Daphne Fairweather, Miss Annie DeMille, Miss Treva Smith, Miss Marjorie Barnes, Miss Nina Thompson, Mr. Ren Smith, Mr. Allen Coster, Mr. Robert Hallett, Mr. Carl Brown, Mr. Chas. DeMille. Prizes were won by Miss Gladys Smith, Mrs. Guy Flewwelling, Mr. Carl Brown and Mr. Edis Flewwelling.

Mrs. D. W. Stewart and her daughter, Miss Ella Stewart, of Vancouver, B.C., were the guests of Mrs. A. K. Melick last week.

The many friends of Mr. Allen Hill will regret to hear of his death, which took place on Sunday n the General Public Hospital, St. John, after a short illness. Mr. Hill is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Hill, one sister, Miss Nettie, at home, and two brothers, Haddin, of Hampton, and John, of Manitoba. The deepest sympathy of the entire community is extended to the family in their sad loss.

Miss Elizabeth Ruddick left on Wednesday for St. John, where she will spend the winter.

Rev. Father O'Brien, of Norton, was a visitor in Hampton on Wednesday.

Mr. Frank Keirstead spent the week end with his parents in Sussex.

Miss Gertrude Doherty spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Doherty, Sussex.

Mrs. H. S. Neuman and children, of Hatfield Point, are spending the winter at the Wayside Inn.

Mr. and Mrs. Beverly Campbell, of Halifax, N.S., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Campbell.

Mrs. Fred Hazel and Miss Florence McIntyre, of St. John, were visitors here this week.

Mrs. Robert DeLong and young son Howard, who have been guests of Mrs. DeLong's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ryan, left on Tuesday for their home in Bathurst.

Miss N. Nugent, of St. Martins, spent last week with her brother, Mr. Charles Nugent, and Mrs. Nugent.

Mr. E. C. Cole, accompanied by his daughter, Mrs. Lockhart, of St. John, visited friends in Moncton last week.

On Saturday evening Rev. J. McCandlish, C.S.S.R., brought to a close the Mission he has been giving the past week in St. Alphonso's church here. During the week each service was largely attended and the excellent sermons preached by Father McCandlish were greatly enjoyed. On Sunday Father McCandlish opened a Mission in Rothesay.

On Wednesday evening Miss C. Chipman and Mr. Fred Chipman entertained several friends at their home, where they enjoyed a candy pull and also bridge and dancing.

Mr. Jack Angevine and Mr. Murray Angevine, who are students at Mount Allison university, Sackville, are spending the Thanksgiving season at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Angevine.

Mrs. Silas Alward, of St. John, was a visitor in Hampton last week.

Mr. Martin Ryan and party, of Sussex, were motor visitors here on Sunday.

Miss Hilda Gallagher was a visitor in Sussex last week-end.

Miss Lillian Stephenson has gone to St. John for the winter months.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Northrup are receiving congratulations upon the arrival of a young daughter, Mildred Elizabeth.

Misses Mildred Raymond and Pearl Northrup entertained friends at a Hallowe'en party on Monday evening.

Mr. George Raymond is spending a few days at McAdam Junction.

The Hampton Bridge Club met on Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Smith. Prizes were won by Mrs. Thomas Carvell and Dr. F. E. Smith. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sharpe, Dr. and Mrs. F. E. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Deming, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Humphrey, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Carvell, Mr. and Mrs. G. Hallett, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Wilkinson, Mrs. J. E. Angevine, Mrs. N. M. Barnes, Mrs. Ralph March, Mrs. F. M. Sproule, Miss Florence Murray, Mr. T. A. Peters.

Miss Mildred Ross, a student at the Provincial Normal School, Fredericton, and Miss Marjorie Ross, of Drury Cove, are spending the holidays with their parents, Rev. G. A. Ross and Mrs. Ross.

Mrs. W. G. Scovil spent Thanksgiving with friends in Fredericton.

Misses Ethel and Vivien Fowler, of St. John, were week-end guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Myles Fowler.

Miss Elizabeth Dodge and Miss Grace Coster, of West St. John, spent Sunday and Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Coster.

Mrs. J. Wm. Smith, Miss Mabel Smith and Miss May Smith spent the week-end with friends at Debec Junction.

Mr. Frank Bartlett spent Sunday in St. John.

The death of Mrs. Edward Gallagher a highly respected resident of Hampton Village, took plaae on Monday morning at her home here after a short illness of pneumonia. She is survived by her husband, three daughters, Hilda, Kate and Annie, of St. John, and one son Edward, at home. The sincerest sympathy of the community is extended to the bereaved family in their sad loss.

Misses Marguerite and Bernadine McDade, of St. John, are spending part of this week here.

Mr. Frank Seely, of St. John, visited friends here over the week end.

Miss Laura Howard, of Sackville, spent Thanksgiving with her mother, Mrs. George Howard.

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