FROM ALL OVER THE MARITIME PROVINCES

ST. GEORGE

St. George, May 26—Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Kent entertained a large party Victoria Day. Early in the morning the party left in Mr. Kent's newly modeled motorboat for Lake Utopia, where the day was spent fishing and boating. Those enjoying the outing were: Misses Mildred Todd, Gladys Blair and Miss Branscombe, matron of the Chipman Hospital, Dr. Dyas and George Cockburn of St. Stephen, Messrs. Bernard Connors and J. Ryan of Black's Harbor, Mrs. Kennedy, Mrs. Annie Dodds and Edna O'Brien and Messrs. Morton Kennedy and Auriel Brookes with Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Kent.

The high school boys went to St. Andrews by motorboat on the 24th and played a team of picked players an interesting game of baseball. The score was 8 to 10 in favor of St. George and the boys enjoyed the trip very much.

His Lordship Bishop Richardson will be in St. George Sunday, June 4. Confirmation will be held in St. Mark's church in the morning and at Pennfield in the evening. Rev. J. W. Spencer is in charge of both parishes.

Joseph Meating of the 140th signal corps was in town for the holiday.

James Watt and Colin Spear were visitors to the border towns last week.

A social and dance was held in Bonny River on Friday evening for the benefit of the school house.

M. N. Cockburn, of St. Andrews, was a visitor here last week, paying a visit to Fry's Island.

Repairs are being made on the Catholic church, alterations are being made in the gallehry to instal the new pipe organ the gift of Rev. E. Doyle.

Miss Alma Coffey is at the border towns, engaged in nursing.

Several officers of H. M. cruiser fleet were guests of Edwin Connors on a fishing trip to Mill Lake on the 24th.

Notices are up calling for an election to fill the vacancy in Ward 4 caused by the refusal of an alderman to act.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wilcox were called to St. John yesterday by the serious illness of their son, Harry—a private in the 115th.

Mrs. Harry Cheffey and Mrs. John O'Brien visited Indian Island last week.

Kenneth Story, a member of the fighting 26th, is visiting friends in town. Kenneth was in the trenches five and a half months and saw some severe fighting. He is suffering from shock.

Andover, N. B., May 29—Mrs. R. B.

ANDOVER

M. Wiley and Miss Frances J. Tibbits were guests of Mrs. James Magill at Fort Fairfield (Me.), last Monday.

Rev. W. M. Field, of Caribou (Me.), was visiting friends in the village last week.

Dr. R. W. L. Earle and Harry Wade motored to Burnt Land Brook last Tuesday, returning Wednesday.

Harry H. Tibbits, LeBaron Hopkins, and Harold Waite spent the holiday fishing at the dead water on Bear Brook.

Mrs. Henry Baird, who has spent the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Archie Dickson, in St. John, returned to her home here last Tuesday.

Miss Lulu Watson, of Grand Falls, is visiting her aunts, the Misses Annie and Jennie Watson.

On Tuesday evening the members of Benjamin Lodge, F. and A. M., entertained the officers of "D" company, of the 140th Battalion, stationed here, at a very pleasant smoker in their rooms. Refreshments were served about midnight. The guests were Captain Smith, Lieutenants Roxborough, Ashford, Wootten and Calkin.

Stanley Waugh and Aubrey Gains motored to the headwaters of the Miramichi last Wednesday, where they spent several days fishing.

Mrs. Harry W. McAlary went to St. John last Wednesday to be with her mother, Mrs. Crawford, who is very ill.

Mrs. Ruel Reynolds and Miss Mary Reynolds, of Stevensville (Me.), were guests of Mrs. Reynolds' sister, Mrs. Edward Armstrong, on Wednesday.

Mrs. J. W. P. Dickson entertained at a tea party in honor of the teachers of the Andover and Perth schools last Tuesday afternoon. Her guests were Mrs. M. I. F. Carvell, Miss Ruth Harper, Miss Mildred Wallace, Miss Hilda Lamont and Miss B. Gratz.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph W. Estabrook and Miss Evelyn Inman spent the holiday visiting friends at Bath.

Mrs. Myles Fowler, of Hampton, and Miss Vivian Fowler, of Kilburn, were guests of Mrs. M. I. F. Carvell last week.

Miss Grace Tompkins spent the holiday at Stickney, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Hunter.

Mrs. E. S. Roxborough with Master Burton and Miss Margery Roxborough, who have been spending a few weeks with Lieutenant E. S. Roxborough at Andover hotel, have returned to their home in St. John.

Mrs. Arthur Ross and little Miss Mary Ross, who have been spending the winter with Mrs. Ross's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Curry, left on Wednesday for their home in Dawson, Yukon. They will visit friends in Vancouver and Seattle en route.

Miss Janet Curry accompanied her sister, Mrs. Ross, as far as Woodstock on Wednesday, returning on the evening train.

Mrs. Ray Murphy and Miss Thelma Murphy, of Aroostook Junction, were guests of Mrs. Blanchard Murphy on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Reed Bedell and Miss Josephine Bedell went to Woodstock to spend the holiday with Paul Bedell, who is training for overseas service there.

The soldiers of "D" company, of the 140th Battalion, celebrated Victoria day with a route march to Kilburn, where they were guests for the day of the Kilburn Red Cross Society. Dinner and supper were served from long tables on Mrs. Benjamin Kilburn's lawn. The men enjoyed a baseball game and other sports during the day and about 6 o'clock started on the return march, arriving at the barracks about 8. Lieutenant McDougal and his platoon came up from Hartland on Tuesday and accompanied the local platoon on their march.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Baird and Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Kupkey, Mrs. T. J. Carter, Mrs. N. J. Wootten and the Misses Emma Wootten and Millicent Carter motored to Kilburn the 24th.

Dr. McIntosh with Miss Mildred Wallace, Miss Hilda Lamont and Miss Burnetta Gratz motored to Caribou (Me.), on Victoria day, where they were guests of Rev. W. M. and Mrs. Field.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Niles and Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Baird and children spent the holiday picnicing at Muniac.

Miss Muriel McDonald spent the holiday at Florenceville visiting friends.

Mrs. Hugh G. Ashford spent several days at Kilburn last week, the guest of Miss Bessie Kilburn.

A. D. Wetmore, of the Western Union, St. John, spent several days in the village last week.

D. Reed Bedell was in Plaster Rock on Thursday returning by motor with Thomas F. Allen.

Miss Sylvia Cronkite spent several days visiting friends in Fredericton last week.

Misses Grace and Gertrude McPhail were guests of Miss Bessie Kilburn at Kilburn on Wednesday.

Mrs. J. D. McLaughlin and Mrs. A. Loomis Sawyer have gone to New York to spend several weeks with Dr. A. L. Sawyer.

N. J. Wootten spent several days in Fredericton last week.

Miss Isabel McPhail spent the holiday in Woodstock, the guest of her cousins, the Misses McPhail.

A party including Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Hanson, Mrs. Allen Perley, Mrs. M. S. Sutton, Miss Margaret Sutton, Tilton Sutton and Perley Hanson, drove to Hillindale and had a picnic super on Victoria day.

Miss Kathleen Beveridge has been confined to her home the past week with a severe attack of quinsey.

Mrs. Benjamin Reed, of St. Almo, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Bruce Ervine.

Miss Alice Manzer has gone to Wolfville to be present at the closing exercises of Acadia College.

Mrs. George T. Baird and little Miss Lena MacDonald, spent last week at Long Island with Mrs. Baird's mother, Mrs. Dexter Sadler.

The first tennis tea of this season was held at the courts Saturday afternoon. Mrs. T. J. Carter and Mrs. N. J. Wootten were hostesses.

Dr. McQuaig, from McAdam, was in the village several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Fred. Baird, little Miss Mary Baird and Jack Edgecombe came from Fredericton on Saturday and were guests of Hon. George T. and Mrs. Baird. Messrs. Baird and Edgecombe returned to Fredericton by motor Sunday afternoon.

W. B. Hoyt returned from Plaster Rock on Saturday, where he had spent a week.

Fred. Kilburn, with Lieutenant and Mrs. H. G. Ashford, Miss Bessie and Marion Kilburn, motored to Fort Fairfield Saturday.

Mrs. Kitchen, of Florenceville, is visiting her son, Bedford W. Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry H. Tibbits were guests of Mr. and Mrs. LeBaron Anderson at Four Falls on Saturday.

T. J. Carter, M. P. P., spent last week in St. John.

Majoy Young has gone to Halifax for a special course. Captain Smith is in charge of the local platoon in his absence.

James Porter, jr., is home from Fredericton and will spent the summer with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James E. Porter.

Mrs. S. P. Waite and Miss Pearl Waite were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Buxton at Fort Fairfield (Me.), on Saturday.

A party, including Matthew Burgess, Major J. G. Kirkpatrick and J. E. Andrews, motored from Grand Falls on Saturday returning that evening.

Mr. and Mrs. LeBaron Anderson and Miss Christina Anderson, from Four Falls, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Tibbits.

Mrs. Thomas Waugh and children and Miss Kirkpatrick, of Florenceville, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Waugh on Sunday.

GAGETOWN

Gagetown, May 27—Empire Day was quietly observed here. Very few visitors were in town. Apart from the flags flying and special lessons on our flags and the empire, given in the schools, there was little going on.

Victoria Day opened with real "Queen's" weather and many took advantage of the holiday to enjoy themselves out of town. Picnics and fishing "exertions" were the principal inducements. Flags were flown on all the public buildings and on many private grounds. No doubt many longing thoughts turned to the noble woman whose birthday was being celebrated and who will always be remembered by all her subjects with loving reverence.

Mrs. Joseph McGaw and little daughter, Sarah, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Cooper.

R. B. Smith, of Oromocto, was in town this week on business.

On Wednesday afternoon members of the Gagetown branch of the Woman's Auxiliary met at the Guild hall for work and to hear the reports of delegates who attended the annual meeting held last week in St. John. The devotional service was led by the president, Mrs. T. S. Peters, followed by the reading of a most excellent report by Mrs. T. F. Marshall, who in a very bright and interesting way told of how favorably the great convention had impressed her. Mrs. William Weston, Dorcas secretary, and Miss L. M. Peters—our new life-member—also told many interesting and instructive items, all of which were most pleasing and helpful to the members present. This day being the birthday of one of our senior members, the hon. president, Mrs. Marshall, assisted by Mrs. Weston, Mrs. Williams, Mrs. Reid and others, served delicious afternoon tea, which was greatly enjoyed by all present and more especially by the guest of honor, who in a few words returned thanks for this pleasant attention and also for the good wishes accompanying it. The balance of the afternoon was devoted to quilting and other work.

Miss Mary Deveber went to St. John on Wednesday to spend some time with relatives and friends.

From the Gagetown circle, for the month of April, Mrs. T. Sherman Peters has collected and forwarded to Mrs. Richard O'Brien, St. John, the sum of five dollars for the prisoners in Germany fund.

Mrs. Harry Allen and children are spending this week with Mrs. Allen's mother, Mrs. Mallory, at Hibernia, who is in very poor health just now much to the regret of her many friends.

H. Longo, who has been in town on business for some days, returned to Woodstock on Thursday.

Miss Bessie McMulkin, of Lawfield, is the guest of Miss Mary Vail.

Miss Thelma Edwards, of St. John, is visiting the Misses Bridges this week.

Mrs. H. B. Bridges is spending some days in St. John, the guest of friends.

The fortnightly meeting of the Red Cross Society was held at the home of Mrs. T. Sherman Peters on Thursday afternoon. Nineteen members and friends weórep resent and a very pleasant and profitable time was spent in knitting and rolling bandages. Several valuable suggestions for the summer work were offered and discussed. Miss Pearl Peters, secretary, read a letter from Nursing Sister E. Pearl Babbitt, thanking the members for the contribution of five dollars monthly towards the purchasing of extra delecacies and comforts for our sick and wounded Canadians under her care in France. Miss Peters also displayed for sale a very beautiful picture of the Princess Patricia, which was sent to this branch by Miss Clements, of St. John. This is a reproduction of an exquisite miniature of Her Royal Higiness, which was painted by a celebrated artist. This picture is offered at a profitable percentage and should appeal to every member and friend as a means of increasing the funds of the Red Cross Society. Dainty and delicious afternoon tea was served in which Mrs. Peters was assisted b ythe Misses Peters and Mrs. W. S. Wilkinson. The sum of $3.65 was realized.

Gagetown, May 29—The occasional showers during the past week have done so much to improve the appearance of the country along the river, the grass and foliage are showing up well, and the abundance of bloom on apple and cherry trees should, under favorable conditions, give a fine yield of fruit in their season.

Mrs. Applby, who has been with her aunt, Mrs. James Barnett, for a week, has returned to St. John.

Nurse Alma Law, daughter of Mrs. William Law, of Lawfield, who was graduated so acceptably from the St. John General Public Hospital, with the last lot of nurses, spent two weeks at her home recently.

E. S. Brodie returned from St. John on Thursday, feeling much better for the week's rest and change.

John R. Dunn went to Chipman on Saturday by the May Queen.

Major A. J. Brooks, of the 104th battalion, Sussex, came down from Fredericton by the Saturday evening train to spend Sunday with friends and relatives here.

Donald Adamson began operating his saw mill on Saturday. All the new machinery is working in a most satisfactory manner. It is a joyful sound to hear the mill's whistle once more.

Mrs. Ashley Estabrooks and little child, who have been with relatives here for some time, went to Jemseg by the May Queen on Saturday.

Mr. John Bridges, the guest of H. B. Bridges this week, returned to his home in Sheffield by train on Saturday evening.

Mrs. T. H. Estabrooks, of St. John, was the week-end guest of her sister, Mrs. Russia Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Wells, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wiggins for several weeks, left for their home in Boston by D. J. Purdy on Saturday.

Joseph Owens, of St. John, is visiting his relatives here this week.

Miss Myrtle Slipp, of Jemseg, was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. R. T. Babbitt, on Saturday.

Jack Woodford, formerly of St. John, made a flying visit to his old friends here on Saturday. He was very warmly welcomed by all.

Our local fishermen are getting good catches of shad, which seem to be "setting in" here now in profitable numbers.

Thomas McGrath, who has been in town for several days, left for St. John by the steamer May Queen this morning.

Mrs. Harry Allen and children returned from Hibernia on Saturday evening, bringing with them Mrs. Allen's mother, Mrs. Mallory, who will be with them for some days. Mrs. Mallory is much improved in health, and it is hoped she will soon be quite herself again.

YARMOUTH

Yarmouth, May 27—Private Albert D. Horton, who has been invalided home from England, arrived here by D. A. R. on Monday evening, when he was met at the train by the band and given a reception by the boys of the 219 battalion.

A serious accident occurred near the H. & S. W. station on Wednesday afternoon, when George Golden, a popular young man of this town had his left foot crushed. Mr. Golden, who had gone to the train to meet his sisters fell in a faint just as it was approaching and before assistance could reach him the locomotive had passed over his foot.

George Carven, of St. John, arrived in town on Wednesday, and is visiting his mother.

Conductor George Williams, who has been on a visit to New York, has arrived home.

C. Curtis McKay went to Halifax on Wednesday to attend the annual luncheon and convention of the New York Life Insurance Company, which took place at the Halifax Hotel on Thursday. He returned home yesterday.

Mrs. Arnold E. Eaton, of Granville Centre, is on a three weeks' visit to Yarmouth, the guest of Mrs. Frank Cox, Cumberland street.

Arthur Porter, of McGill University, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Porter.

Mrs. D. H. McDonald, who has been visiting friends in Yarmouth, returned to Halifax Tuesday morning.

Mrs. C. C. Richards, accompanied by Miss Caroline Fuller, left on Wednesday evening for Boston.

Mrs. William Rankin returned on Monday evening from a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Guy Burrill, St. John.

Mr. and Mrs. James G. Baker, Brunswick street, are visiting their daughter, Mrs. (Rev.) W. R. Martell, New Germany.

Dr. and Mrs. Farish and daughter, Miss Maud, left Wednesday evening for Boston en route for Toronto, to visit Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Richardson.

Lieut. Vickery, Private Henry Roy and Private Joseph Roy left Monday morning for Fredericton, after having spent the week-end at their homes here.

Rev. W. B. Bezanson left Wednesday morning for Halifax, called there by the death of his father, Mr. Amos Bezanson.

Charles Fuller, son of Dr. A. J. Fuller, of this town, has passed a brilliant examination and completed his fourth year medical studies at Toronto University.

Mr. Francis Nelson, of St. John, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Crosby, at Hebron.

Kenneth Rogers arrived from Kentville on Thursday evening, and is visiting his sisters in Hebron.

Mrs. Sadie Porter was a passenger on Wednesday morning from Boston.

Hector Lovitt arrived here on Wednesday from the Canadian West, to visit his mother, Mrs. Bessie Lovitt.

Mrs. (Dr.) Harris, of Vanconver (B. C.), arrived here on Wednesday morning to visit relatives.

Mrs. Donald Spense, of Nashua (N. H.), arrived here on Wednesday morning to attend the funeral of her father, the late J. Harvey Eldridge.

Mrs. W. T. Wixtead returned on Wednesday from a trip to Boston.

Mrs. Sarah Ruzee returned to Yarmouth on Wednesday evening from Halifax, where she has been spending the winter.

W. Coy Ritchie arrived here on Wednesday from New York, and will remain the summer.

John A. Craig left Thursday morning for Newfoundland in the interests of Oddfellowship.

Conductor Hans Mosher, of the H. & S. W. express, and Mrs. Mosher, left on Wednesday evening by the Prince George to spend their annual vacation in the New England States. He is being relieved by Conductor William Robinson.

Dr. John Leonard, of St. John, is the guest of Lieut. Forrest Ladd.

Councillor Frank C. Kinney left for Halifax yesterday morning to meet his son Clair.

J. D. Rolston left for Bridgewater and Halifax on Wednesday.

Miss Francis Phillips left yesterday morning to visit friends in Halifax.

Mrs. Con. Webster, of Pictou, with her daughter, Dorothy, is on a visit to Mrs. J. L. R. Webster.

Sergeant Arthur Churchill, of the Dental Corps, Halifax, is spending a furlough in Yarmouth.

Hon. E. H. Armstrong is in town the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Albert H. Hood.

Miss Jean Moses, who has been spending the winter in Ithaca, New York, arrived in Yarmouth on Wednesday morning, and is visiting her mother, Mrs. Nathan Moses, South Ohio.

Private Ray D. Suttie arrived in Yarmouth Thursday evening from England, and is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Suttie, Yarmouth North.

HOPEWELL HILL

Hopewell Hill, May 28—An interesting programme was given at the entertainment furnished by the members of the Women's Institute in the hall here last evening. The numbers included vocal solos by Miss Mabel Calhoun and Miss Gertrude McDonald; instrumental duet by Miss Mabel Steeves and Miss Celia Peck; reading by Miss Nellie Newcomb; instrumental duet, by Miss Peck and Miss McDonald; national anthem. At the close of the programme ice cream and other refreshments were sold. The proceeds, amounting to $10.00, will be used for patriotic purposes.

Lieut. G. W. Chapman, formerly principal of the Hillsboro High School, is at Hillsboro this week in the interest of recruiting.

Mrs. William McGorman and Mrs. Alberta McGorman visited Moncton this week.

A particularly impressive discourse was given in the Methodist church this morning by the pastor, Rev. R. Opie, the "Swelling of Jordan", being the basis of a most earnest and effective treatment of the subject of natural death. The sermon was listened to with deep attention.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Sherwood, of Hillsboro, spent Sunday at the latter's former home at Albert, making the trip in Mr. Sherwood's new car.

Harold Turner is visiting his mother, Mrs. James Turner, at Harvey, after an absence of two years, spent in Quebec.

Nine converts were baptized at the German Brook this afternoon. The special meetings conducted by Rev. Mr. McLeod at Albert, have closed.

HILLSBORO

Hillsboro, May 29—Mrs. Albert McLaughlin is in St. John, guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Patterson.

Miss Emma Lewis attended the Acadia closing at Wolfville this week. While away she was also a guest at the home of her cousin, Mrs. Rupert Parker, Kentville.

On Victoria Day Miss Marie Erb and Mary O'Hanley visited friends in Sussex.

Mrs. H. J. Stevens, of Rosevale was the guest of Mrs. Robert Slater last week.

Barge "Ontario," Captain Chas. LeCain cleared from this port for New York on Tuesday, May 23.

Miss Bertha Lowthers visited her sister, Mrs. Wm. McClure, Moncton, last week.

Prof. Paul Duffy, of Moncton, was last week the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Duffy.

John L. Peck and Mrs. Peck were in Wolfville for the closing exercises of the Acadia Institutions.

Josh Ward and sister, Miss Nellie Ward spent Victoria Day in Moncton.

Mrs. James Blight has gone to St. John to see her son George, who is so soon to leave for England with the Siege Battery.

Schooner "Packet," Capt. McFadden, from St. John, is now in port at the Albert Mfg. Co's. wharf, loading with gypsum.

Misses Ella Stuart and Kate McLaughlin were in Moncton on Wednesday.

Lieutenant George W. Chapman and Mrs. Chapman of Moncton are guests of Mrs. Chapman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Steeves.

Mrs. H. E. Graves and daughter, Miss Evelyn Robinson, of Moncton were guests in town one day last week.

Mrs. Dickenson, of Amherst, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. James Blight.

Miss Helen Edgett has returned from Moncton.

The Aid Socity of the First Baptist church will meet in the Baracca rooms of the church on Thursday afternoon of this week.

C. W. McLatchy, of Moncton, spent this week end at home here.

A. J. Gross, superintendent of railway mail service, and Miss Edna Randolf, of St. John were guests for the week end of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Lauder.

Rev. E. B. McLatchy, of Moncton, occupied the pulpit of the First Baptist church on Sunday, in the absence of the pastor, Rev. S. W. Schurman who filled the appointments for the Sunday services at Sydney (C. B.)

Miss Ella Sears visited Moncton friends last week.

For this week end, Mrs. J. P. Beatty and Miss Annie Sharpe were guests of friends in Dover (N. B.)

Misses Julia Brewster and Mina Stiles spent Sunday at their respective homes, Hopewell Hill and Albert.

Clifford Price has resigned his position in the store of J. Lewis Peck Co., and will leave this week for Sussex, where he has secured a good position with Mills & Eveleigh, general merchants.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Sherwood and little daughter spent Sunday at Mrs. Sherwood's home, Albert.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Barnett, of Moncton, were here last week.

Mrs. Harry Pierce is attending the annual meeting of the W. M. S. of the Methodist church, which convenes at St. John in the Queen Square Methodist church.

The tennis season has opened and the courts are in good conditions.

G. P. Steeves left today for Sussex, where it is expected he will reside. Many friends here regret sincerely to learn of the departure of Mr. and Mrs. Steeves, who will be much missed in the community and especially in the First Baptist church where they are active and valued members.

A. E. Leavey left this week to engage in work at Sackville for the Tribune Printing Company.

At the Surrey Baptist parsonage, Wednesday evening, May 24, Rev. Ritchie Elliott united in marriage, Miss Lola M. Steeves, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harris M. Steeves, and Mr. Henry S Jess, of Nahant (N. H.)

The Ladies' Aid of the Methodist church met at the home of Mrs. William McAllister, on Wednesday. The following officers for the ensuing year were elected: President, Mrs. James Blight; vice president, Mrs. Alex. Beatty; second vice president, Mrs. King; secretary, Mrs. Wm. Robertson; treasurer, Mrs. J. P. Beatty; assistant treasurer, Mrs. S. Woodworth; executive committee, Miss Ella Beatty, Mrs. Blight, Mrs. Thistle, Mrs. Kirby, Mrs. Pierce, Miss L. Beatty and Mrs. Horace Bartlett. Cutters: Mrs. Wm. McAllister, Mrs. Blight, Mrs. J. P. Beatty, and Miss Stiles. A hearty vote of thanks was tendered the retiring officers for good work done during the year. Refreshments were served.

Empire Day was fittingly observed in the schools of this place; pleasing and instructive programmes being prepared by each. Speeches were enjoyed, given by Hon. C. J. Osman, Rev. S. W. Schurman and Rev. H. D. Lowetts. In the Surrey school a good programme consisting of readings and songs, etc., was carried out, and much credit is due both teachers and pupils.

APOHAQUI

Apohaqui, May 29—The beautiful weather which prevailed Victoria Day enticed an unusual number of visitors, principally from the towns and cities, to spend the holiday with country friends. Many of them well equipped with fishing tackle arrived here, and spent the day along the brooks and streams, returning with a generous number of the "speckled beauties", while the sport lovers of the village as well motored or drove to more remote parts of the country and enjoyed the day in picnic fashion.

Among the khaki clad visitors to the village and vicinity for the holiday were Corp. Harold Pearson, Privates Ernest Hicks, Ward Marks, Roy Young, George Anderson, William White and others.

Colonel Kirkpatrick, who has recently returned from England, was a visitor to Apohaqui on Thursday, the 25th.

Mrs. James McManus, Hampton, spent the holiday with her aunt, Mrs. John Orchard.

H. N. Woods, M.L.A., was a visitor to the village on Victoria Day.

Thomas Hamilton, St. John, spent the holiday with Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Pearson.

Mrs. Herbert S. Jones and Master Ward, junior, and Claire spent the 24th with Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Lester, Millstream.

Mrs. Frank S. Small, Miss Grace and Master Harold Small, spent the holidays with the Misses Musgrove, Lower Millstream.

Mrs. Henry Parlee has returned from a pleasant visit to Moncton.

Mrs. Walter T. Burgess returned last Wednesday from St. Stephen, where she has been enjoying a week's visit at her old home.

Masters Murray Angevine and Lorne Parlee, Hampton, were holiday visitors here, and were successful in landing a number of trout.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley S. Jones and daughters motored to Hampton for Sunday.

GRAND FALLS

Grand Falls, May 29—Empire Day was observed in the schools here. It is a great disadvantage on days of this kind that there is no assembly hall in which public exercises can be held. It was intended to assemble all the schools out of doors, and hold the exercises there, but the weather proved unfavorable for this. The up-stairs pupils gathered in one class-room. The speakers were Rev. Father Joyner, Rev. W. K. Read, A. M. Chamberland. The pupils sang "The Call of the Motherland", "Till the Boys Come Home," "The Best Old Flag on Earth." "O, Canada", (in French), concluding with the national anthems of France and Britain.

Victoria Day passed very quietly here. No demonstration of any kind was held. Two automobile parties left town on Tuesday night and spent the day in Houlton.

Miss Lulu Watson spent a few days in Andover last week, visiting her aunts, the Misses Watson.

Major and Mrs. J. G. Kirkpatrick and Master Harold are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kirkpatrick.

Bandsman Walter Taylor of the 145th battalion band, is spending a few days at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Hanson and Master Perley spent a day in town last week.

Mrs. Wm. Pirie went to Fort Fairfield on Saturday to visit her sister, Mrs. L. Sawyer.

Mrs. Estabrooks received word on Friday that her sister, Mrs. Chase, of Limestone, had had a stroke of paralysis and was very ill.

Miss Myrtle Estey is quite ill, and her friends are sorry to learn that she is not improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Porter, of Andover, and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Estabrooks, of Perth, were in town on Sunday.

PETITCODIAC

Petitcodiac, May 31—A wire was received on Monday by Harry Douglas telling him of the death of his son, Lieut. Charles Irving Douglas of the 26th Battalion.

Mrs. J. Hiltz is the guest of her son, Fred. at Amherst. Mr. Hiltz also spent the 24th there.

Mrs. Alice Lochart spent the 24th in town, guest of Mrs. A. Moore.

J. C. Jones was in St. John on Thursday.

Mrs. J. Everett Keith and son, Raleigh, Sussex, were guests of friends on Monday.

Mrs. J. Harry Wilson, Montreal, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. M. B. Keith.

Mr. Thad. Graves, proprietor of the Burlington Hotel, returned home Saturday after spending the winter near St. John.

Miss Chapman, Salisbury, was the guest of her cousin, Miss Irene Chapman, the last of the week.

No official word has been received regarding Captain Frank Lochart who was reported missing in April.

Miss Lena Keith, professional nurse, who returned from Colorado last week, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. M. B. Keith. Private Hugh Keith of the 104th and Heber Keith, St. John, and Mrs. Langstroth of Sussex, were also Mrs. Keith's guests.

Mrs. J. C. Jones and daughter, Katherine, are attending the closing exercises at Wolfville Ladies' College.

Mrs. G. W. Flemming and Mrs. J. C. Humphrey are attending the Women's Missionary Society convention of the Methodist church at St. John.

Miss Alice Lochart, Havelock, spent Tuesday with her cousin, Mrs. Freeman Horseman.

James Smith, Sussex, spent Tuesday in town.

Mr. Henry Wheaton, Steeve Settlement, who was stricken with paralysis Saturday evening while in the village is at the Mansard House critically ill.

Mrs. Clem. Wilson and little son, Everett, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Keith.

Miss Thompson, Dorchester, was the week end guest of Mrs. S. C. Goggin. Miss McConnell, Yarmouth (N. S.), was Mrs. Goggin's guest for the 24th.

Among the boys in khaki who were in town yesterday were Leonard and Gordon Graves, Ronald, Kenneth and Gerald Moore, Will. Lochart, Arthur Bourness, Hugh Perry and Will. McFarline.

Wilford Addison, a U. N. B. student, is spending his vacation with his parents, Rev. Milton and Mrs. Addison.

REXTON

Rexton, N. B., May 29—Empire day was observed in the schools here in a most fitting manner.

Mrs. John Frase, sr.; Mr. and Mrs. Donald Fraser, and J. O'Brien, of Chatham, and Mrs. Royan, of New York, spent yesterday in town, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Fraser, sr. They made the trip by auto.

Mrs. F. McInerney, Miss M. C. McInerney, Miss N. E. Lanigan and G. E. Cail motored to South Branch yesterday. Mrs. Thomas Girvan, of Westville (N. S.), is visiting her sister, Mrs. Robert Little.

RICHIBUCTO

Richibuc[illegible]ay 30—Lieut.-Colonel W. E. Forbes spent Sunday with his family here.

Captain Clark, of the 104th Battalion, Woodstock, was a recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. Harry Baird.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Baird, Master Ronald Baird, Miss Jennie Pierce and Captain Clarke enjoyed a motor trip to Shediac and Moncton on Saturday.

Mrs. Annie Campbell, who was for several weeks a guest of her brother, Judge H. H. James and [illegible] turned on Friday to St. [illegible] will, this week, be one o[illegible] in a happy event.

Mrs. J. D. MacMinn [illegible] to Dalhousie to visit her [illegible] G. Lester Brown.

Mrs. Will Murray went [illegible] day to Halifax, whither sh[illegible] by the death of the youngest sister, Mrs. MacNeill.

Miss Margaret Grierson, w[illegible] graduated as a nurse at th[illegible] Hospital, Massachusetts, is v[illegible] sister, Miss Grierson.

Miss Gertrude Doucet has [illegible] from a pleasant vacation spe[illegible] home at Oak Hill; Gloucester [illegible]

Misses Irene Forbes and [illegible] MacKinnon have returned from [illegible] visit at the home of Miss MacKi[illegible] grandmother, Mrs. Dickinson, Rext[illegible]

ALBERT CIRCUIT COURT.

Hopewell Cape, May 31—(Special)—The adjourned sitting of the Albert circuit court opened at the shiretown at 11 o'clock this morning, Judge Barry presiding. The only case before the court, which is however one of considerable interest, is one in which Josial Duffy, of Coverdale, is plaintiff and Edward R. Reid, contractor, now of Moncton, is defendant. The plaintiff, a well-known resident of Coverdale, is suing the defendant, Reid, for the sum of $600 for damages on account of alleged negligence on the part of defendant who was driving a car that collided with the plaintiff's carriage on the 8th day of October last. The collison threw Mr. Duffy and his wife out of the carriage which was badly damaged, Mr. Duffy himself sustaining a fracture of two ribs his injuries causing him to be unable to attend to his business for some eight weeks.

The plaintiff who was on the stand today testified as to the particulars of the accident and said that he was on the proper side of the road and the car on the wrong side. When about fifteen feet from the car, the witness said, his horse unusually quiet under ordinary circumstances became unmanageable and started to cross the road. The car also had then gone across to its proper side and not recognizing a signal given by Mr. Duffy to stop, struck the carriage and overturned it. Even after several months, the plaintiff said, he had not fully recovered from the effects of the accident.

Dr. Price, of Moncton, testified to the nature of Mr. Duffy's injuries and of attending him, making in all five visits.

Mrs. Duffy, wife of the plaintiff was also on the stand this afternoon and corroborated the main points of Mr. Duffy's evidence.

The defence as outlined by Mr. Fowler in opening to the jury and given in the evidence of Mr. Reid, the defendant, is that all precautions were taken to avoid an accident. It was admitted that the defendant in his car was on the right hand side of the road on account of the bad condition of the other side which was untravelled, but that almost immediately on seeing the approaching carriage he pulled across to his proper side and was well over when the horse bolted across the road ahead of him causing the collision. The car at the time, the defence is, was not travelling more than five miles an hour. Court adjourned at 6 o'clock to meet at 10 tomorrow morning. Several more witnesses are to be examined. The following is the jury sitting on the case: Lewis Beatty, Warren Downey, William McCallum, Haliburton H. Hoar, John W. Steeves, James M. Steeves, Alexander W. Garland. The counsel employed are W. B. Chandler, K.C., Moncton, for the plaintiff; Lieut.-Colonel George W. Fowler and E. Albert Reilly for the defendant.

Supreme Court at Newcastle.

Newcastle, May 31—Supreme court opened yesterday, Judge McKeown presiding. There are no criminal cases. The docket is:

F. D. Swim vs. Crandall & Harrison—settled out of court.

Louis Rosenberg vs. Catherine Rich, a case of alleged slander. Murray and Davidson for plaintiff; L. J. Tweedie contra.

Catherine Rich vs. Peter Grossman. L. J. Tweedie for plaintiff; A. A. Davidson for defendant.

Harry S. and Stanley W. Miller vs. Dr. H. Sproul, a dispute over land. Lawlor & Creaghan for plaintiff; A. A. Davidson for defendant.

Rev. S. J. Macarthur vs. G. G. Stothart, action for replevin of horse. E. P. Williston for prosecution; Davidson contra.

Charles Reinsboro vs. Thomas Gill—trespass. Lawlor & Creaghan for prosecution; L. J. Tweedie contra.

C. E. Fish vs. Rachael Fish, executor of the last will and testament of James O. Fish. L. J. Tweedie for plaintiff; A. A. Davidson defending.

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