

**Social Notes of Interest**

Mr. and Mrs. E. Atherton Smith were motor guests in the city this week for a few hours, coming from their pretty home, "Cluneligh," St. Andrews-by-the-Sea.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Irving, of Mecklenburg street, have returned from a delightful holiday spent at the Elysian Gardens, Richibucto, with Mrs. Irving's sister, Miss Evelyn Allingham, and Miss Dorothy Ellison.

Mrs. Gershon Mayes has for her guest Mrs. A. McN. Shaw, of Montreal, formerly of this city.

Mrs. C. H. L. Johnson, who had been ill for some time in the General Public Hospital, is convalescing at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gershon Mayes, West St. John.

Mrs. F. B. Black, wife of Senator Black, of Sackville, accompanied by Mrs. Josiah Wood, also of Sackville, arrived in the city yesterday for a short visit.

Rev. Dr. Herbert E. Thomas, editor of "The Wesleyan," has gone to Sackville, after a pleasant vacation at his summer home at Browns' Flat. Mrs. Thomas and the family will go to Sackville later.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Bates, of Quincy, Mass., arrived in the city last week by motor and were accompanied by Mr. Bates' parents, Major and Mrs. G. B. Bates. Mrs. Stanley



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Bates will remain for some time with her sister, Mrs. A. W. Turner, West St. John, the others having returned on Saturday's boat.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Ashford, left last evening for Halifax, after visiting here at the home of Mrs. Ashford's mother, Mrs. S. F. Hathfield, 232 Princess street. Mr. Ashford returned from England a few days ago, whither he was called on account of the illness of his father, who subsequently died. He came here to accompany Mrs. Ash-

ford to Halifax. Mr. and Mrs. Ashford formerly resided here.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Burlingame, of Attleboro, Mass., motored to the city this week and are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Atkinson, 330 Charlotte street, West St. John.

Miss Fredricka Hatt, of Fredericton, returned to her home last evening after spending some time as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Calthness, 17 Lombard street. Miss Hatt was one of the guests at the Merrill-Brown wedding.

Miss Eliza Bennett, youngest daughter of Mrs. Rose Bennett, who has been in poor health for some time, is now in the East St. John County Hospital undergoing treatment.

Mrs. F. R. Whipple, accompanied by her daughter, Ella, left Tuesday for Vancouver to visit relatives there.

Miss Mary Thornton, sister of former Commissioner John Thornton, arrived here yesterday from Toronto to visit her brother.

Mrs. Hannah Giggey and Mrs. Lillian Seely, daughter of Mayor Parris, of Franklin Place, New Jersey, are spending a few weeks visiting Mrs. P. Mason, Victoria street.

**BANK STAFF ON PICNIC.**

A merry party left on the 5.15 train for Grand Bay yesterday. It was composed of the main office staff of the Bank of Montreal. Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Mercer were the chaperones. The young people had a delicious supper, a bonfire and afterwards went to the dance at Grand Bay hall. Many returned on the late train, the others coming by motor.

**VASSAR BEAUTY**



Miss Eleanor Davies, Washington, D. C., society girl, who was declared one of the most beautiful Vassar College students.

**IMPERIAL FINDS GIRL WINNER**

**Evelyn Roberts' Answer is Found Among Several Mislaid Cards.**

The Imperial management desires to announce that a bundle of cards in connection with the recent contest or Game of Observation, has been discovered that was not examined with the others from which judgments were made and announced in last night's Times. These cards—about 15—which were inadvertently placed in a mis-taken drawer, strangely enough included the only direct and correct answer to the puzzle, and a girl, Evelyn Roberts of 31 Somerset street, North End, is the clever Miss. She plainly and definitely stated that the date "June 28th" did not require the "th" after it. Little Miss Roberts was the only girl to take this correct view and shares with Harold Brown of 928 Union street the ten dollars in cash. The theatre had already offered to recompense the four girls who mentioned the date—though not correctly—with theatre tickets and is still going to do so, but along comes Evelyn and takes the money. The Imperial apologizes for the oversight, which was obviously unintentional, and not the fault of the judges.

**Saving Ancient Abbey in England**

London, July 10.—Furness Abbey, the beautiful transitional Norman and early English ruin, near Barrow, taken over by the nation, is crumbling and portions of it are leaning from the perpendicular. Extensive renovations and repairs have been found necessary, and work has been begun. It is estimated that it will take several years to complete the work, and endeavor will be made to keep the abbey as "ancient-looking" as practicable. So securely were the parts cemented together by the medieval builders that when one of the unsupported portions of the structure fell gunpowder had to be used to break up the pieces into removable sizes. Evidently the monks of the 12th and 13th centuries were builders.

**ST. JOHN DELEGATES AT PRESBYTERIAL**

Many delegates were in attendance at the third session of the Presbyterial which opened in Grand Falls yesterday. The meetings both in the morning and afternoon were taken up with the hearing of addresses and the consideration of reports. At the close of the afternoon session the delegates were entertained to tea at the manse and were then taken on a sight seeing tour of the district. Delegates from St. John and vicinity in attendance were: Miss Edith Magee, Miss L. Somerville, Mrs. H. E. Hurley, Mrs. M. Elliott, Mrs. Cruikshank, Miss Cora Sinclair, Miss Janet Sinclair, St. John; Mrs. John Thomson, Rothesay and Mrs. Wilson, Lorneville.

**300 PEOPLE ENJOY TRAINMEN'S PICNIC**

The Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen held their picnic yesterday at Grand Bay. Little Angus McDonald, aged four years, wandered away from the ground in the afternoon and was discovered on the railway track in the path of a freight train later. He was returned to the grounds in a motor lorry, tired and dirty but unhurt. Another special incident at the picnic was the attacking of Lloyd Parlee, a small boy, by a large watch dog owned by G. Watters of Grand Bay. The lad had a piece bitten out of his leg and he was brought to the city and the wound was dressed by Dr. F. D. Weldon. Mr. Watters offered to shoot the dog but Mr. Parlee objected.

More than 300 people altogether were in attendance and the day was bright and warm until evening when a slight mist rolled in. The races and games were thoroughly enjoyed. The Carleton Cornet Band was in attendance. The lady conveners were Mrs. Chas. James, Mrs. Charles Parlee and Mrs. W. A. Tobin. The convenor for the men's games was Alfred Campbell. Alexander Northrup had charge of the ice cream. Mrs. Walter Beatty and Mrs. Charles Cooley, Mrs. Fred Clifford and Mrs. Arthur Morrow had charge of the fruit and candy.

The ladies' and gentlemen's rifle ranges were in charge of Mrs. R. A. Baillie, Mr. Baillie and Charles James. Those winning prizes were Arnold Arthur, R. Kirkpatrick, Mrs. Tennyson Currie and Mrs. C. Giles. The bean tosses were in charge of Walter Beatty and Roy McIntyre. Prizes were won by Mrs. J. Geary, Mrs. Thomas Totten, A. Page and P. Murphy. Some of the other committees were: Soft drinks, Fred Henderson and Samuel Silliphant; house-hokey, H. L. McFarlane and Walter Walsh; diamond blocks, Arthur Morrow; bagatelle, Bert Kirkpatrick; wheel of fortune, W. A. Tobin and Charles Cooley. William Thompson had charge of the spindle.

Those replenishing for the supper were Mrs. Edward Kane, Mrs. William Thompson, Mrs. Tennyson Currie, Mrs. James Brittain, Mrs. George Costley, Mrs. Hazen Cauley, Miss Annie Baillie, Mrs. Harry Watters, Mrs. Alberta Robinson, Mrs. G. Goldie, Mrs. S. Silliphant and Mrs. George Wiley. An efficient committee assisted in serving. Races were run by young and old, small and large people and everybody had a lively time. Mrs. Charles Parlee and Mrs. Geo. Currie took the tickets.

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