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will be dedicated on Sunday next. A number from here will attend the ceremony.

The young folks held a picnic at Rapide de Femme on Tuesday. Mrs. Warde, Mrs. Curless, Miss Stella Curless, Miss Sadie Price, Miss Reama Evans and Miss Maria Wilson were among the ladies present.

Miss Tressie Stafford and Miss Alice Murchison are visiting friends in Limestone (Me.)

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Butterfield and family departed on Monday for Presque Isle, where they will reside for the future.

Mr. and Mrs. John Burgess are receiving congratulations on the occurrence of a recent domestic event—a girl. Their departure is generally regretted.

Hon. John Costigan, who has been the guest of his sister, Mrs. May, went to Edmundston on Monday.

Miss Mary Jane Stroupe, who spent the summer in Notre Dame du Lac, returned home on Monday.

Miss Nellie Burgess, who has been visiting friends in St. John, returned home on Monday.

Miss Emma Wooten, Andover, is spending a few days here, a guest at the Curless Hotel.

Miss Tressie Mulherrin, who has been visiting friends in St. John for the past week, returned home on Monday.

Miss Winnifred Flemming, who spent the summer with relatives in Carleton county, returned home on Monday.

Grand Falls, Sept. 15—Mrs. Calvin Campbell, who was one of the first settlers in Birch Ridge, died on Friday at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Howard Campbell. Interment was made in the Episcopal cemetery, Arthurette, and the funeral service was conducted by Rev. J. R. Hopkins.

Miss Jennie Skinner and Miss Marie Gillespie, Birch Ridge, departed on Monday for Boston, where they will spend the winter.

Mrs. James Sullivan, of Rapide Femme, who has been critically ill, is now recovering.

Mrs. Charles Roberts, Red Rapids, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Pirie at the Minto Hotel here.

Miss Lillian Howard is visiting relatives in Fort Kent (Me.)

The Central Telephone office here has been closed and all business must now be transacted at the New Brunswick Telephone office. Connection can now be had with New Denmark, Tobique, St. Leonards, etc.

Geo. Armstrong has now sixteen guides employed near his hunting camps on the Tobique getting everything in shape for the arrival of sportsmen from across the border. Sixteen sportsmen have already arrived and he expects to entertain forty at his several camps within the next few days. Ogilvy Bros. sent in a number of men last week with supplies, who will also prepare the camps, since they expect several parties of sportsmen to arrive this week.

The vote on Monday for or against the incorporation of Perth resulted in 40 votes for incorporation and 34 against, thus making a majority of only six in favor of incorporation. Great interest was manifested in the result, which will affect the granting of liquor licenses in Perth under the liquor license act.

Arch. McInnes, New Hampshire, is visiting relatives in Victoria county.

Mr. Knight, of the Bank of British North America, St. John, is visiting friends in Victoria county.

Donald Innes, of this city, was the recipient of more than $80 in prizes at the St. John exhibition.

D. D. Wright has begun the erecting of a steam saw mill on the Tobique, and is rapidly pushing the work to completion.

Mr. and Mrs. Plummer, of Hartland, Maine, and Mrs. Drinkwater, also of Maine, are visiting the two latter's father, G. Watson, Four Falls.

The new United Baptist church in Ortonville, will be dedicated on Sunday next.

A. J. Beveridge and Mrs. Beveridge, Andover, departed on Wednesday for Rat Portage, Ontario, where they will visit relatives.

Fred Baird has returned from Cobalt Ont., where he has for the past few months been superintending the development of a mining claim owned by his father, Senator Geo. T. Baird.

Ex-Mayor A. J. Martin, J. J. Gallagher, J. P. Kelly, Bernard McLaughlin and Wm. J. Taylor will start tomorrow morning for Ryan Brook and Rocky Brook lakes, where they will camp for upwards of a week and hunt big game. Postmaster J. J. Kelly will join the party on Sunday.

W. E. Spike, collector of customs, Andover, and Mrs. Spike, are visiting friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. John Burgess are receiving the congratulations of their friends on the occurrence of a recent domestic event—a boy.

MONCTON

Moncton, N. B., Sept. 13—Mrs. J. S. Benedict, of Campbellton, spent a few days in the city last week on her way to Port Elgin to visit her daughter, Mrs. A. F. Tomlins. While here she was the guest of Mrs. J. F. White, Alma street.

Miss Bessie Fairweather has returned from St. John, where she was spending a three weeks' vacation.

Mrs. R. L. Botsford and Mrs. C. W. Robinson spent a day in St. John the first of the week.

Mr. A. E. McSweeney has left on a trip to Yarmouth and St. John.

Mrs. J. Edward has gone to Peterboro (Ont.) to attend the wedding of a relative. The Misses Davison, of Fredericton, are in the city, guests of their brother, Mr. W. L. Davison.

Miss Susie Sutton has returned from a visit to St. John.

Mrs. D. Murray, of Pictou, is visiting in the city.

Mrs. W. A. Trenholm has returned from a lengthy visit at her old home in Wakefield (Mass.) She was accompanied by her sister, Miss Susie Whitney, who will spend some time here.

Miss Aleta Miller, daughter of I. L. Miller, of Halifax, is the guest of Miss MacDougall, Main street.

Mrs. Smith, of Amherst, is the guest of her brother, Mr. H. G. Hunter, Robinson street.

Miss Mary Emmerson has returned from St. John, where she was visiting Miss Grace Estey.

A marriage in which the young people of the town are much interested is to take place early next week. The interested parties are well known and highly esteemed. The bride-elect is prominent in church circles and the happy man is a rising young lawyer.

Mrs. Herbert Thomas has returned from a visit with friends in St. John.

The Misses Lottie Lea and Etta Walker, of Bedeque (P. E. I.), are visiting their cousin, Mrs. T. W. MacBeath.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Adams and daughter, Mrs. Bernard, of New York, have been in the city for some days, guests at Hotel Minto. Mr. Adams is a brother of the late Senator Adams, of Newcastle (N. B.), and an uncle of Mrs. T. J. Gallagher.

Mrs. George Dobson was in St. John last week taking in the exhibition.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Moss, of Halifax, were here for a few days early this week.

Mr. Ed. Faulds, of Toronto, spent Sunday here and delighted a large audience in Central Methodist church Sunday evening with his beautifully rendered solo, Abide With Me.

Mr. Cyrus Creighton spent Sunday in Richibucto.

The Misses Gibson are in St. John, the guests of Miss Horsman.

Miss Bessie Holstead is in Salisbury, the guest of her sister, Mrs. Wright.

Miss Borden spent Saturday in St. John, the guest of her cousin, Miss Beatrice Reach.

Mrs. H. W. Dernier and Miss Dernier have returned from a two weeks' stay at "The Cedars."

Miss Benedict, of Campbellton, was in town for a few days this week, staying with Mrs. W. Crandall.

Mrs. Laffin, of the hospital nursing staff, left for Boston on Thursday.

Dr. Gillespie, of New York, is here, the guest of his sister, Mrs. James Geary, Botsford street.

Dr. Ryan, of Paris, was here this week visiting his sister, Mrs. H. A. McCully, Highfield street.

Miss Margaret McPherson, of Chatham, is in the city.

Mrs. R. Steeves and Miss Steeves have returned from a short visit to St. John.

Mrs. E. B. Hooper and children, who have been spending the summer at Duck Cove, St. John, returned last week.

Mrs. J. R. Stratton and son are in St. John.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ross are spending some time with friends in Harvey Bank, Albert county.

Mrs. C. N. Borton is in Sackville, the guest of her mother, Mrs. C. E. Smith.

The Misses Emma Emmerson and Jennie Rippey are visiting friends in St. John.

Mr. H. A. Whitney has returned from a month's trip to Milltown.

Mr. H. A. Powell and Mrs. Powell, of Sackville, spent Sunday in the city, guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Powell.

Miss Ella Thorne left on Monday for an extended visit to Boston and New York.

Mr. H. K. Hopkirk, of the Bank of Nova Scotia, has gone to Ottawa to spend his vacation.

Miss Grace MacKeown has returned from Petitcodiac, where she was the guest of Miss Jennie Hicks.

Mrs. W. Donald, of Montmorenci, is visiting relatives in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvine Malcolm have left for New York, to be absent two weeks.

Mrs. Green and Mrs. Joshua Chandler leave this evening for Toronto, Hamilton and other cities. They expect to be away about two months.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Gallagher are guests at the Minto.

Miss Ida Boyd left yesterday on a visit to Kent county.

Mrs. W. J. Jones and two children, of New York, are in the city, staying with Mrs. J. P. Delahunt, Lutz street.

Miss Fannie Peters went to Boston yesterday to continue her studies in professional nursing.

Miss Margaret McDougall, who has been visiting in St. John and Fredericton, is in town again.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Y. Smith have closed their summer house at Shediac Cape and come back to Moncton for the winter.

Mrs. F. W. Sumner and Miss Marjorie Sumner are in Toronto, where they expect to spend some weeks.

Mrs. Tilly Ryan is back from a visit in Hillsboro.

Mrs. G. Doule, of Amherst, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Alfred Chapman, Botsford street.

Mr. A. E. Wall is in Richibucto.

Miss Frances Burtt, daughter of Rev. Mr. Burtt, Shediac Cape, is visiting in the city.

Miss Florence White has gone to Winnipeg to spend the winter with her sister, Mrs. T. L. Carson.

Mrs. B. A. MacNab is in town, the guest of Mrs. McQuarrie, Highfield street.

Mrs. W. B. Bowman and daughter, of Summerside, are visiting friends in the city.

Miss Etta Jones, of Boston, is on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Judson Jones.

Miss Jessie Price has returned to her home in Somerville (Mass.), after a lengthy visit to relatives in the city.

Professor and Mrs. Perry returned last week after a long vacation in Yarmouth. They also visited Boston.

Mrs. E. Hilyard, of Eastport, is the guest of her niece, Mrs. Warren Gun. Miss Maxwell, of Boston, is also staying with Mrs. Gun.

Mrs. A. M. Keever has gone to Lethbridge, Alberta, where she will spend some time with her sister, Mrs. A. P. Tait.

Miss Florence McLaughlin, of Amherst, is visiting friends in the city.

Messrs. Patrick Gallagher and George Tingley left today for Boston to resume their professional studies.

Mrs. Wry and Miss Sadie Wry have returned from an enjoyable visit in Buctouche.

Mrs. Adams, who has been spending some time in the city, has gone back to her home in Portland (Me.)

Mr. and Mrs. Fulton McDougall are in Sackville, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Black.

Miss Hazel Rogers left on Monday on a visit to friends in Springhill.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Connors, of Sydney, are in the city on their wedding trip and are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Murray, Main street.

Miss Ethel Sears, of Moncton, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Wesley Wheaton, at Upper Sackville.

Mrs. Sommerset and Miss T. J. Bonnell, of Chelsea (Mass.), are in the city, called here by the serious illness of their mother, Mrs. Tait.

Moncton, N. B., Sept. 14—(Special—A number of saloon keepers have put up their shutters as a result of the recent order issued by the new chief of police to officers to notify the liquor sellers to close. It is alleged it is impossible to get a drink of liquor in Moncton today, but this is probably an exaggeration of the situation. The blinds are drawn on all Main street bar-rooms and the statement has gone forth that they are closed.

The conspiracy case against A. W. Belyea and Duncan Stevenson came up before Sitting Magistrate Steeves this morning and was adjourned until tomorrow. The accused are charged with settling a Scott Act case. In court this morning Mr. Belyea charged the prosecution with bringing the case to defeat the ends of justice, as by bringing Magistrate McQueen to Moncton today to give evidence the Scott Act cases against two Moncton parties coming up at Shediac today had to be dropped.

The American Hotel had a narrow escape from destruction by fire between one and two o'clock this morning. An explosion of gas took place in McKeever's barber shop located in the west end of the hotel and was heard by Norman Isnor, night clerk in the hotel. He thought first some one was trying to break in the hotel and upon investigation discovered the fire. F. C. Smythe, a guest at the house, assisted the clerk to break in the door and a hard fight with the burning gas took place. An alarm of fire was given in the house and others rushed to the scene. The flames were extinguished after a hard fight without much damage being done. The fire was out when the firemen arrived. There was a strong wind blowing at the time and if the blaze had not been discovered at its inception the hotel could not have escaped destruction and it is difficult to tell where the fire might have ended.

The guests at the American received a scare and turned out in a hurry. But little damage was done to the barber shop.

The fire is supposed to have originated from a leak in the gas pipe, which is thought became ignited before the gas was turned off last night.

Moncton, N. B., Sept. 16—Hazen Dobson, truckman, had a close call from being killed on a railway crossing Saturday afternoon. While driving up lower Lutz street, he failed to notice a shunting engine coming up the wharf track until his team was too near to turn about. When he realized his danger Dobson whipped up the horse and tried to cross ahead of the engine. The horses cleared the track but the car shunted ahead of the engine struck the wagon, smashing it into kindling wood.

Dobson escaped by jumping and the horses tore themselves away from the wagon and escaped uninjured.

The Quebec delegates to the Trades and Labor Congress on their way home from St. John spent Saturday afternoon in Moncton visiting the new I. C. R. shops and general sight seeing. On their way from St. John, Victor Pelletier, I. C. R. passenger agent, who was in charge of the special car, was presented with a traveling bag, the presentation being made by President John Mee on behalf of the delegates.

Saturday evening the delegates held a supper at the Brunswick. The guests included General Manager Pottinger, Surveyor General Sweeney, J. T. Hawke, and others. A number of toasts were honored, including the provincial government, responded to by Hon. Mr. Sweeney, and I. C. R., responded to by Mr. Pottinger and Mr. Pelletier. Speeches were also made by President Mee, Messrs. Hawke, Bowan, Simard, Marios, McCready and others.

Mr. Pottinger, speaking of the I. C. R., said it was most the criticized road in Canada. More Canadians should travel over it and learn something of its operation. Mr. Bowman, after declaring for municipal ownership, declared the I. C. R. the equal, if not better, than any road in Canada, but he objected strongly to spotters being employed by the government railway or any corporation.

SACKVILLE

Sackville, Sept. 12—Mrs. Raworth, of Bayfield, is the guest of her son, Councillor B. C. Raworth.

Miss Katie Ford is visiting in St. John and Boston.

Rev. C. W. Hamilton and Mrs. Hamilton were guests at the Ladies' College on Monday.

Mrs. H. Secord has returned from a visit at St. John.

Capt. A. H. Wry, who has been spending a few days in town, will leave tomorrow for Pugwash, where he will take charge of the steamship Arcola.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison, of Amherst, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Dixon.

Mrs. Elton Cochran, of Dorchester, was in town on Saturday.

Rev. E. L. Steeves spent Sunday at Hillsboro.

Thomas Walton and bride, who have been the guests of Mrs. Walton's sister, Mrs. Fred Fawcett, for the past week, left today for Winnipeg.

Mrs. J. F. Allison was the hostess at a very pleasant party Friday evening. Dancing furnished the amusement. At the close of the evening ice cream and cake were served.

Lloyd Dixon, B. A., returned from a week's outing at Seahurst, Tidnish, on Friday.

Miss Ethel Sears, of Moncton, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Wesley Wheaton, Upper Sackville.

Mrs. J. Lusby, of Amherst, and Mrs. Nelson, of Cambridge, were the guests of Mrs. J. E. Phinney on Tuesday.

Miss Bella Smith is spending a few days at Moncton.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Miller returned yesterday from a trip to Boston and New York.

Mrs. Victoria Mullans is visiting at Pictou (N. S.), the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Robinson.

Miss Trites, of Moncton, is the guest of Mrs. F. L. Estabrooks.

Mr. Wm. Anderson and bride are spending a week in Boston.

Mrs. Silliker, of Middle Sackville, is spending the week with Mrs. Hiram Copp.

Mrs. C. A. Stockton, who has been spending the summer with her brother, Mr. A. Ayer, will leave tomorrow for her home in St. John.

A party consisting of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Wood, Mrs. Geo. Wilson, Miss Hester Wood, Miss Dorothy Johnson, Miss Fanny Harris, Miss McAulay, Miss Hilcoat (Amherst), Miss Fanny Harper, Miss Jennie Estabrook, Miss Lena Powell, Miss Lila Estabrook, Miss Nora Wiggins, Miss Helen Wiggins, and Messrs. W. T. Wood, R. Trites, Fred Fisher, J. Hornsby, R. Waite, Ray Milner, drove to Woodpoint on Monday afternoon, where they had a very enjoyable corn bake.

Miss Winnifred Harper will leave tomorrow for Campbellton, where she will spend the winter with her sister, Mrs. Lunan.

Mrs. W. H. Carter returned on Saturday from a pleasant visit at Springhill (N. S.)

Miss Lingens returned on Saturday from a trip to St. John.

Miss Fawcett, of Baie Verte, is the guest of Mrs. Bedford Harper.

Mrs. J. J. Anderson entertained a number very pleasantly on Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Snowdon, Miss Tinnie Smith and Messrs. James Smith and C. C. Campbell attended the St. John exhibition.

Col. J. M. Baird returned on Saturday from a trip to Boston and adjacent cities.

Mr. and Mrs. Fulton McDougall, of Moncton, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Black.

Mr. Hedley Fawcett, of Baie Verte, was in town on Monday.

Mrs. C. P. Avard, Mrs. H. E. Avard and Miss Smith spent Tuesday at Point de Bute.

Miss Helen Smith has returned to her duties as nurse at Fredericton Hospital, after a two weeks' vacation, the guest of her mother, Mrs. Abner Smith.

Mrs. Geo. Scott, of Manchester-by-the-Sea, was called home recently on account of the serious illness of her sister, Miss Maude Phinney.

Mrs. J. Holland, of Melrose (N. B.), spent Sunday in town.

Mrs. John E. Ford returned on Saturday from a visit at Oxford (N. S.)

Miss Elizabeth Gillis is spending a week at Summerside (P. E. I.)

Mr. Wm. Westcott, of Boston, was in Sackville on Monday.

Miss Nellie Stephenson, of Moncton, spent Sunday with Miss Lena Wry.

Mr. Chas. Raworth, of Cape Tormentine, was in town on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Siddall, of Port Elgin, spent yesterday in Sackville. Mr. Siddall left last evening for a trip to Winnipeg and Mrs. Siddall returned to Port Elgin.

Captain and Mrs. Milner purpose leaving next week for California, where they will spend the winter.

Rev. C. W. and Mrs. Hamilton will occupy the residence of Captain and Mrs. Milner during their absence.

Mrs. Fred Thompson, Upper Sackville, is visiting friends at Kentville.

Miss Bessie Vernon, of Minudie (N. S.), is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Wm. B. Fawcett, Upper Sackville.

Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Smith, of Halifax, returned to their home on Monday, after spending some days here, the guests of Mr. Smith's parents, Dr. and Mrs. Smith, York street.

Miss Louise Sharp has returned to her home at Boston, after a pleasant visit at the home of her brother, Mr. Milton Sharp, Middle Sackville.

Mr. C. D. Trueman, of St. John, and Mr. Gore Trueman, of New York, recently paid a visit to Sackville.

Mrs. Gavin Rainnie, of St. John, is the guest of Mrs. James Rainnie.

Miss Lizzie Stack and Miss Florence Sweeney, of Melrose (N. B.), were the guests of Miss Annie Stuart on Monday.

Miss Alice Wry is spending the week in St. John.

DEER ISLAND.

Deer Island, Sept. 12—Miss Mabel Chaffey and Mr. Sanger, of Worcester (Mass.), are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Chaffey, at Red Beach (Me.), for a few days.

Miss Lucy Basset, of Eastport, spent Saturday and Sunday with the Misses Hooper.

Miss Flora Fountain leaves on Wednesday to assume her duties at the kindergarten at Jamaica Plains.

Leslie Palmer called on friends here on Saturday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Stover spent Sunday with relatives here.

Miss Blanche Fountain, of Worcester (Mass.), is spending her vacation at her old home at Choc Cove.

After a serious illness of several weeks, and notwithstanding the best of medical aid was procured, J. Edward Simpson passed away on Wednesday evening of last week. Mr. Simpson will be greatly missed over the island by his many friends. Being one of the oldest members of the I. O. O. F., that lodge attended the funeral on Sunday, which was conducted from the Christian church at Lord's Cove, by Rev. H. R. McGill, pastor of the Baptist churches of the island. Interment was in the Lord's Cove cemetery.

Halbert C. Dixon, of Indian Island, spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives here.

A number of the members of Border Court, I. O. O. F., and Mr. and Mrs. E. A. McNeill, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hooper, and Mrs. James W. Chaffey attended the funeral of J. E. Simpson on Sunday afternoon last.

Mrs. Orlo Fountain, Mrs. Elsmore Fountain and Miss Flora Fountain, visited their friends on Indian Island on Monday afternoon.

The many friends on the island extend their sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Haney, of Vancouver, in the loss of their infant son, which occurred on Sept. 3.

Dr. Hart, of St. John, made a trip to the island recently. He was the guest of A. H. Haney on Tuesday.

Goldwin Smith of Lord's Cove called here on Tuesday.

Mrs. Theodore Holmes of the Ledge, is visiting relatives at Fair Haven.

ST. MARTINS.

St. Martins, N. B., Sept. 14—Mrs. S. E. Vaughan and daughter, Vivian, left on Wednesday for Sussex, where they will spend a few days.

William Morrish and son, Eldon, of West St. John, are spending a few days at the home of Michael Kelly. On Friday evening Mr. Morrish and his son gave in the vestry of the Baptist church, a concert consisting of vocal and phonograph selections. The audience was large and appreciative.

Miss Hannah Vail, who spent the summer at her old home here, returned to Springhill on Thursday.

Rev. H. S. Savory has been delivering during the past week several very interesting and instructive addresses at Black River, Upham, Salina and other places.

Mrs. Sydney Gray and children, who have been visiting relatives here, returned to their home in Island Falls (Me.) on Thursday.

Mrs. Frank Gough, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gough, returned to her home in St. John on Friday.

Mrs. Fred Lewis and child, of St. John, are spending a few days at the home of Mrs. Lewis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander McCurdy.

Mrs. Wilson, wife of the proprietor of Rideau Hall, St. John, who has been here for some time, returned to her home on Thursday.

On Thursday evening a number of the members of St. Martins Division, S. of T., met at the home of Miss Annabella Hodsmyth, who has been for more than twenty years an earnest member of the division, the occasion being her birthday. After music, games and refreshments the company broke up, having spent a most enjoyable evening.

Capt. Fred Gough, who has exchanged the schooner Emma T. Story for the fine craft Golden Rule, brought the latter vessel here a few days ago and is now loading with lumber for St. John.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Lorne returned from Amherst on Thursday.

Capt. W. H. Moran returned from the city on Thursday.

Capt. Alfred Vaughan, who spent a couple of days in St. John, returned home on Thursday.

Capt. David Smith, who paid a flying visit to the city, arrived home on Friday.

HARCOURT.

Harcourt, Sept. 14—Mrs. Samuel Williamson, who for several weeks has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wathen, returned to Greenwich, Kings county, yesterday.

Miss Kate Stevenson, of Moulie's River, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. W. W. Graham, Main River; and Mrs. Meservey of Greenville (Me.), is visiting her parents at Main River.

Mrs. Charles L. Lockhart and daughter, and Miss Ida Boyd, of Moncton, are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Boyd here.

Mrs. Murray and Miss Murray, of Halifax (N. S.), visited J. E. Coats, of Coateville, last week.

Mrs. A. L. MacMichall, who has been visiting friends here, has returned to West Branch.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Lennox and Mr. and Mrs. James Lennox have removed from here to West Branch.

Misses Janie Sinton and Nellie Carruthers of West Branch, have gone to Reading (Mass.), and Boston, respectively.

Roman Catholic confirmation services were held by Bishop Casey at St. Paul and St. Norbert on the 12th; at Mt. Carmel and Rexton, yesterday; at Richibucto Village, today. Future services will be held tomorrow at St. Anne; on the 16th at Buctouche; 17th at St. Anthony; 18th at Notre Dame; 19th at Cocagne; and 20th at Grand Digue.

Rev. W. M. Townsend has organized a Christian Endeavor Society in the Presbyterian church at West Branch.

Mrs. Walker, after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Silas Smallwood here, has returned to her home at Spring Brook.

Miss Maude Warren, of Moncton, is visiting relatives here.

Edward Livingston has returned to Moncton from his visit to relatives here, for the last month.

Wilbur Mitchell, of Rexton, visited his uncle, John M. Ward, this week.

Harcourt, Sept. 15—Mrs. Robert Saulnier visited St. Louis de Kent, this week.

Beatrice Soulnier and Georgina Cormier went to St. Louis this week to resume studies at the convent.

William Cummings is home for a few day from Norton.

Miss Julia Beers, of Emerson, returned home today, after a short visit to Mrs. George Morton here.

A. E. Pearson, of Bass River, is visiting in Richibucto.

Mrs. Wilson and her daughter, Miss Eva Wilson, of Campbellton, are visiting their former home here.

BRISTOL.

Bristol, Carleton Co., N. B., Sept. 13—A party from Robinson's Mills (Me.), picnicked on the shore opposite the village yesterday.

The Carleton Cadet Band are having a picnic on James McIsaac's flat, near the Florenceville station, this afternoon.

The Consolidated school at Florenceville was opened yesterday, with Fred Squires, B. A., as principal. The other teachers are Miss Pickel and Miss Pritchard.

The Central Telephone Company has a crew at work setting poles and stringing wires along the roads running into the village. They have their tents pitched on G. A. Brittain's field.

A number of young men from this section joined the harvest excursion this week.

Neil McLean, who has been in the employ of the Bank of New Brunswick at East Florenceville, has been transferred to the head office at St. John.

Charles Tinker, C. P. R. agent, is having his vacation and his place is being filled by Mr. Richardson. Mr. Tinker is going to try his luck in the Miramichi hunting regions for a few days.

Murdock McKenzie, the well known guide, was in Bristol today to meet a hunting party from New York and accompany them to the wilds of the north branch of Miramichi.

A. W. Phillips has gone to Montreal again to resume his work.

Mr. and Mrs. Snow and Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell, of Boston, are visiting at Geo. Banks.

Mrs. Risteen and Mrs. Ayers, of New York, are spending a few weeks with their mother, Mrs. I. N. Boyer.

MILLTOWN

Milltown, N. B., Sept. 13—Miss Ethel Riley and Mr. and Mrs. John Riley are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Riley, Queen street.

Mrs. Frank Parks and daughter, Marguerite, arrived home from Lewiston Tuesday, where they were attending the fair.

Miss Georgia Brown, of St. John, has been engaged to take charge of the school at Upper Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. James Ross arrived home Monday after a five weeks' trip through Canada and the United States.

Mr. Chas. Dunham, who was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith, returned to his home in Southampton Saturday.

Miss Mildred McCann, trained nurse, a late graduate of the Massachusetts Hospital, is the guest of her brother, Homer McCann.

The loom fixers of the St. Croix cotton mill held their annual excursion at Princeton and was largely attended. A game of ball between Princeton and Milltown teams was played which resulted in a score of 10 to 5 in favor of Princeton. Dancing was indulged in during the evening, music being furnished by Dawson's orchestra.

Mrs. Jennie Hatton and Miss Hatton, of New York, are guests of Mrs. Hatton, Pleasant street.

Miss Andrews, teacher in the public schools, Massachusetts, who has been the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Peter McLaughlin, returned home Monday.

R. L. Todd took a good share of the poultry prizes at the St. John exhibition; also Chas. Parks and Francis Osborne, of the Milltown manual training department, receiving medals.

Among those attending from Milltown were Mrs. R. L. Todd, Mrs. Alvin Moore, Miss Edith Crisp, Mrs. Wm. Casey and Miss Carrie Dunham.

The funeral of the infant daughter of Mrs. Nettie Mahar was held Tuesday afternoon.

A week's mission held at St. Stephen Catholic church closed Monday. The mission was most successful under management of Fathers Donehue and Gallagher. Sunday evening special music was rendered—solos by Major McAdam and Miss Louise Daley, duets by Messrs. Casey and Abbey and Miss McGouldric and Mr. Albee.

Ex-Mayor Murchie arrived home Saturday from Belfast, where he attended the races.

Rev. John Tingling, pastor of the Methodist church, arrived home last week after a delightful trip to England.

Miss Sara Sterling, of the High school staff, arrived Saturday after spending her holidays in Great Britain and the continent of Europe.

Mrs. Waldron (Miss Pink Swett), who left here forty-one years ago, was renewing old acquaintances here this week. She is the guest of Ed. McAllister, Calais.

Frank Knowles, formerly of Milltown, who has been visiting his mother, left Saturday for his home, East Weymouth (Mass.)

Joe Osborne left by way of Washington county Wednesday evening for New York, where he has a situation.

Samuel McIntosh, Lewiston, is a guest of Lewis McIntosh.

Oscar Burns had the misfortune to break his arm while alighting from a street car Saturday.

Mrs. Nellie O'Brien, of Noel (N. S.), is the guest of her uncle, Alex. Baxter, Spring street.

Miss Lizzie and Aggie Baxter, who have been visiting friends in Houlton, have returned home.

Mrs. Fred Smith has sold her stock of groceries to A. P. Dewar, former owner, who will carry on the business.

Albert Keating, who had an operation for appendicitis performed at Chipman Hospital a week ago, will soon be able to return home.

Miss Marcia Black left Wednesday for Pembroke, where she will attend the fair.

A. P. Dewar rendered a solo at the Sunday evening services at the Presbyterian church, which was much appreciated by those present and very highly spoken of.

HOPEWELL HILL.

Hopewell Hill, Sept. 14—The eight year old son of Mrs. Howe Tingley of Hopewell Cape, died on Wednesday and was buried today.

The body of the late Gerow Woodworth, whose death occurred in Rhode Island a few days ago, was brought to his former home, at Albert Mines, for interment. The deceased was a son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Woodworth, and besides his aged parents, leaves three brothers, Edward, William and Irving, all residing at the Mines, and one sister, Mrs. Spurgeon Lauder, of Hillsboro.

Nelson Smith, who has been residing in the west for twenty-five years, is visiting his mother, Mrs. Mary Smith, of Curryville. He is accompanied by his brother, Leonard, who also resides in the west.

Mrs. Fred Ferguson, of Richibucto, is visiting her cousin, Mrs. William McGorman.

W. E. Calhoun is quite ill at his home at Cape Station.

REXTON

Rexton, N. B., Sept. 13—At the Catholic church here today His Lordship Bishop Casey confirmed sixty-five girls and boys. The church was tastefully decorated for the occasion. Appropriate music was furnished by the choir and a large number of all denominations were present. Trees were planted along the road through which his lordship passed and flags were flying from all the principal buildings. Besides his lordship there were present Rev. Fathers Ouillett, Cormier, McLaughlin and La Pointe.

Dr. H. W. Coates returned home Monday from Montreal.

Mrs. Jas. Jardine, Miss Brait and Miss Mary Cameron returned Monday from St. John.

A. J. Gorman, of Amherst, is in town.

Louis Lanigan returned home Monday from attending the St. John exhibition.

Garnet McArthur and his sister, Miss Maud, of Stanley, York county, are visiting their mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Robb, of Vancouver (B. C.), are visiting friends in Rexton.

Mrs. Egan, of Medford (Mass.), is visiting her sister, Mrs. Arthur A. O'Leary, Richibucto.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Jardine and Mrs. McDonald returned home from St. John Saturday.

Stewart Demers, of the Royal Bank of Canada, is spending his vacation at his home in Newcastle.

Miss Belle Palmer returned from a visit to Pine Ridge and West Branch.

Mrs. Bird and her daughter, Miss Sadie, of Bridgeport (N. S.), are visiting Mrs. Thos. Cail.

Mrs. Warren Lanigan, who spent the past two months with friends here, returned to her home in Waltham (Mass.)

A surprise party was held at the residence of Abraham Dickinson Monday evening. A large number was present and enjoyed themselves very much. Dancing was the chief amusement.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Coates, St. John, are visiting Mrs. G. A. Coates.

The deaths occurred Tuesday of Alexander, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Reuben S. Richard, aged fourteen months, and of Margaret, the little twin daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stanilaus Edward, aged six months. The two funerals were held today.

SHEDIAC.

Shediac, N. B., Sept. 13—Dr. and Mrs. E. A. Smith spent Sunday on P. E. Island.

Master Percy Burt, who has been spending the summer holidays at his parents home, The Rectory, Shediac Cape, returned to Rothesay this week to resume his studies.

Capt. J. C. Bray spent a few days this week with friends in Albert county.

Mrs. Myers and little child, who have been enjoying the summer months at Point du Chene, the guests of Mrs. Myer's parents, Senator and Mrs. McSweeney, at their seaside cottage, have returned to their home in Moncton.

Miss Adelaide Ritchie, of Halifax, is spending a fortnight in town the guest of the Misses Weldon, Weldon House.

Mr. D. Stuart-Campbell, Sackville, is spending a few days in Shediac this week.

Mrs. A. J. Webster left recently on a trip to Toronto, Montreal and Quebec.

Miss Joy Charters returned home this week from spending a few days in St. John.

Mrs. Charters was in St. John for a short time last week attending the exhibition.

Mr. and Mrs. James Dustan and little son, Master Gordon, who have been in Shediac for the season the guest of Mrs. Dustan's parents, Rev. W. and Mrs. Penna, Methodist parsonage, intend leaving this week for Halifax where they will visit Mr. Dustan's relatives before returning to their home in Moncton.

Miss Webster and Miss B. Lawton spent Sunday on Prince Edward Island.

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Melanson were in St. John last week attending the exhibition.

Rev. G. M. Campbell, St. John, was in Shediac for a short while recently on his way to P. E. Island.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Schurmann, of St. John, were in Shediac recently.

Col. and Mrs. Stevens, Point du Chene, were in St. John last week attending the exhibition.

The Misses Lacoste, of Campbellton, have been the guests of Mrs. G. Ross during the past week.

Mrs. Jacobs, who is spending the summer in Shediac, visited Moncton on Monday.

Mrs. Robert Jardine, of St. John, accompanied by her daughter, Miss Elsie, arrived in town this week to be the guest of Mrs. E. A. Smith, Bellevue.

Master Arthur Bourque recently left on a trip to Caraquet.

Master Harry Dickie is attending the Sussex exhibition.

Mrs. W. Penna arrived home this week from a visit to friends in St. John.

Miss Fannie Lyons, who has been spending the summer with her sister, Mrs. Jas. E. White, Main street, has returned to her home in Moncton.

Mr. E. LeBlanc, who for the past few years has been in the employ of Mr. R. C. Tait, left recently to accept a position in Boston.

Mrs. Vincent, accompanied by her daughter, Miss Harriet, visited the exhibition in St. John last week.

Mrs. Richards, of New York, who has been spending the summer at the Weldon, and Miss Minnie Weldon were also in St. John last week attending the exhibition.

Mr. F. W. Woodbury was in Moncton on Monday.

Mrs. J. V. Bourque and little duaghter, Alice, have returned home after spending a month with friends in Nova Scotia.

Mr. and Mrs. Walker McFadzen, of Halifax, have been spending the past few days in town the guests of Mr. McFadzen's parents.

Mr. P. Moore, of Los Angeles, was in Shediac for a short time last week, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Russel, Main street.

Miss Francis Burt has been spending some time in Moncton visiting friends.

Mrs. G. L. Kinnear left recently on a visit to friends in Sackville.

Mr. and Mrs. James McQueen spent Saturday of last week in Moncton.

Mr. W. G. R. Humphrey returned on Monday to his home in Halifax after a holiday spent in town.

Mr. J. H. McFadzen was in St. John recently for a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Tait, the Misses Hazel and Eleanor, and Master Allen, arrived home on Wednesday from a trip through Nova Scotia.

Miss Fannie Bell, Shediac Cape, visited Moncton on Saturday of last week.

Mrs. I. W. Binney was in Moncton on Wednesday.

Dr. James E. White left recently for New York to take passage on a trip to the West Indies.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Magee, who have been spending the summer at their cottage, Point du Chene, have returned to their home in Moncton.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwards have returned to Moncton after enjoying the season at Brule.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Tennant and family have also closed their Brule cottage and returned to their Moncton home.

Mr. Gordon Frier was in Sussex this week attending the exhibition.

Mrs. M. E. Evans most enjoyably entertained a number of her lady friends on Thursday afternoon of last week at tea, from four to six, at her home, Main street. The guests were served by Miss Gertr