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NEWS OF CANNING

Sheldon Smith, son of Mrs. W. D. F. Smith, will attend Acadia College this year.

Miss Carrie Whalen has returned to her school in Springfield, Mass. While in Canning she was the guest of her mother.

Kenneth, the eight year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Brown, Halls Harbour, who was kicked in the face by a horse and severely injured, is improving.

A number of young people of Canning and Canard enjoyed a picnic at Halls Harbour on Wednesday of last week, motoring back for the evening and enjoying a jolly dance at Mr. and Mrs. Isadore Brady's, Woodside.

Miss Marijaret Baine is spending a few days with her brother, Mr. Harry Baine.

Major E. J. Mooney and Mrs. Mooney, St. John, were guests at the Waverley Hotel last week. Accompanied by friends they motored to the Look Off, Pereau and Blomidon. The day being very fine five counties were distinctly seen from Mr. Blenkhorn's observatory, Hants, Colchester, Cumberland, Annapolis, and Kings. A view of the Cornwallis valley gives the tourists a great idea regarding the future prospects of the valley, and a magnificent view of the Bay of Fundy, Minas Basin, and Pereau river. Mr. Blenkhorn has had several hundred visitors take advantage of his observatory this season. Mr. Blenkhorn has a beautiful selection of Amethysts on exhibition which are carried away as souvenirs of Blomidon.

Mrs. William Baxter, Sr., is improving in health.

The Fieldwood, Captain Forsythe, Hillaton, is discharging a load of hard coal at Kingsport for Blenkhorn and Sons, Canning.

Mr. Simeon Jacobs, Halifax, spent the week end with his brother Mr. Jacobson. Miss Esther Jacobson left for Halifax last week where she expects to spend the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Clark, Newton, were guests of Mrs. Manuel last week. Mrs. Clark not being in Nova Scotia for 30 years saw many changes. They motored through the valley to the Look Off.

Mr. George Wagstaff, Granville Ferry, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hatfield, returned on Thursday accompanied by his granddaughter Miss Wagstaff.

Rev. T. W. Hodgson, Mrs. Hodson and daughter returned to Canning last week, after having a most enjoyable trip to P. E. I.

Miss Chase, a former member of the teaching staff, Canning, has returned from the West where she spent a year and has a school at Windsor for the coming year.

On Friday evening, Aug. 31st, the people of Canning were highly favoured in having Dr. John Cameron, F.R.S.C., of Dalhousie, give an illustrated lecture "Recent Egyptian Discoveries". The lecture which was under the auspices of the Woman's Institute was unusually interesting, many wonderful pictures of recent discoveries being shown. Rev. Mr. Logan, pastor of the Upper Canard Presbyterian Church, expressed on behalf of the large audience present their gratification to Dr. Cameron for his intensely interesting program.

Mrs. J. T. Moffett, Glace Bay, who has been attending the U. B. W. M. U. Convention, Truro, is the guest of her brother Mr. Charles E. Ellis. Mrs. Moffett is a graduate of Acadia Seminary 1864, with Mrs. David Burgess, Sheffield Mills. They are the oldest graduates living.

Miss Aileen Jacques, Halifax, is the guest of Miss Ruth Baker, Sheffield Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. William Burgess and Mr. and Mrs. Perry Rand are on a motor trip to P. E. Island. They will return next week.

Miss Harriett Spurr, Annapolis, is visiting her sister Mrs. Fred Burgess, Sheffield Mills.

Miss Allie Burgess has returned from Little Harbour, Pictou Co. where she has been visiting her sister Mrs. (Rev.) Ramsey.

The marriage took place at St. George's Church, Basse Terre, St. Kitts, Middle West Indies of Miss Sydney Shaw, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Shaw, to John W. Payzant, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis K. Payzant, Dartmouth. The bride resided in Halifax for several years attending the Halifax Ladies College. Mr. Payzant is a nephew of Mrs. Charles Barsa, Wolfville, and a grandson of the late Col. William Belcher, Upper Canard. Dr. Shaw practiced in Canning and was a guest at the Waverley Hotel while here.

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One of the best concerts ever heard in Kingsport was given in the Congregational Church on Monday evening Aug. 27th, the principals being Miss Edith Lynwood Winn, violinist, and Miss Bertha Wesselhoeft Swift, soprano, both of Boston, Mass. They were assisted by a string orchestra consisting of the following violinists,—Miss Winn, Mrs. Chute, Mrs. Sennett, the Misses Rand, Schafheitlin, Clark and Perry; Mrs. J. D. Clark, Pianist. The church which was very tastefully decorated with roses, and sweet peas, was filled to its capacity with a very appreciative audience. After the concert refreshments were served at the Parsonage.

On Tuesday evening Miss Winn and Miss Swift repeated their concert in the Armouries, Canning, for the benefit of the Methodist Church. This was a rare treat to the music lovers of Canning. In the absence of the pastor a vote of thanks was tendered the artists by Mr. R. W. North who expressed the wish that we might hear them again in the future. Flowers were presented to Miss Winn and Miss Swift by little Miss Mary Payzant.

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Miss Minna Johnston, formerly of the Staff of The Bank of Nova Scotia, left by the D. A. R. on a vacation to Mass. last week.

The Girl Guides went for a Hike on Wednesday afternoon of last week. Mr. Robt. Macklin, Amherst, was a recent guest at the Waverley Hotel.

Mr. John Turner is welcomed by many friends. Mr. Turner was Manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia for many years and is now a resident of Halifax where he conducts a business, The Tarry Inn.

Mrs. Frank Huston and Mrs. Joseph Kerwin returned from a trip to Boston on Thursday. Mrs. Huston visited Montreal and many places of interest.

Mr. Eaton Dickie, who has been seriously ill, is improving.

Miss Julia Baxter, Mass. is the guest of Mrs. William Baxter, Sr.

Messrs. Huston, Lyons, Grant and Bennett, who went on the Harvest Excursion, arrived safely at the Harvest fields and are now busily engaged.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Payzant, New Glasgow and Mrs. Alfred Dickie, Halifax, motored to Canning last week. Mrs. Dickie visiting her brother Mr. Fred Dickie,

while Mr. and Mrs. Payzant motored to Berwick and were the guests of Mr. Payzant's sister.

Messrs. Lauris Meek and Barclay Rand have returned from a motor trip to Chester, Halifax, Truro, Springhill, and Parrsboro, which they greatly enjoyed.

Mrs. H. K. Christy and daughter Jessie Truro are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Rand.

Miss Lou Covert will attend Acadia University next term, Miss Ruth Harris attending Acadia Seminary.

Miss Gosse, Newfoundland, is visiting Dr. N. H. Gosse and Mrs. Gosse, enroute to Boston.

Miss Elaine Pye, R. N., New London, Conn. who has been spending her vacation with her parents Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Pye, left on Thursday to take care of a patient at the Yarmouth Hospital.

Miss Margaret Ellis has returned from visiting Mr. and Mrs. Clark Ross.

Mrs. Sydney Blenkhorn, formerly of Canning spent a couple of days with old friends here last week. Mrs. Blenkhorn who has been the guest of her parents Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Graves, Bridgetown, will return with her sister Mrs. E. O. Underwood to Detroit next week where she will make her home for the winter.

Rev. E. A. Robertson and Mrs. Robertson, Chester Basin, were guests of the former's sister Mrs. L. M. Ward, last week.

Mrs. Harvey Hebb, Halifax, who has been the guest of Rev. and Mrs. Wright, returned to his home on Saturday.

Mrs. Mary Barnaby, who has been visiting her sister Mrs. Starr Eaton, Canning, and occupying a bungalow at Kingsport left for her home in New York on Saturday.

Mrs. Stech, Miss Mary Stech and Bob Halifax who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hatfield, returned to Halifax on Saturday. Captain Stech returned on Thursday. Mrs. Stech and family have been summering at Evangeline Beach.

Rev. Mr. Barber and Mrs. Barber returned from Parrsboro last week with their little daughter Eva, and are guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Sanford. Rev. Mr. Barber left on Saturday for Brookfield where he has accepted a call. Mrs. Barber and daughter left on Tuesday for Brookfield.

BLOMIDON

Guests at the DeWitt House, Blomidon,—the Misses White, New York; Mrs. Rafusa and son Mander, Bridgewater; Miss Violet Smith, Mrs. Redmond, Miss Constance Redmond, Mrs. Sweeney and Miss Jean Sweeney, Halifax; Miss Gertrude Meiter, Bridgewater.

Mr. and Mrs. Churchill and party, Wolfville, were guests at the DeWitt house last week.

Mr. Clement Vaughan, Wolfville, is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Vaughan, Medford. Mr. Vaughan and friends were very much impressed with the summer cottages at Kingsport, and the substantial bridge with concrete foundation built by the Government Highway board for convenience of the people living in the summer cottages.

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