

## PARRSBORO.

Parrsboro, N. B.—The many friends of Harold Bigelow of Spencer's Island will be pleased to hear that he has won the Anson scholarship at Harvard University, valued at \$500. Mr. Bigelow is pursuing a course in advanced chemistry at Harvard.

Miss Jean Cameron who recently received a diploma from the Maritime Business College, has accepted a position as book-keeper with R. W. Smith & Son.

Mrs. W. T. Guest and Master Donald of St. John are visiting Mrs. Guest's mother Mrs. D. M. Pettit.

Mr. and Mrs. David Wodell who have been in town for a fortnight returned to Melrose, Mass. this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Gillespie are receiving congratulations upon the arrival of a little daughter.

Mr. George H. Boyce and family have moved into Dr. Hayes' residence on upper Main St.

Rev. William Hamilton the new pastor of St. Bridget's church arrived in town on Saturday.

Rev. O. E. Rand entertained at a whist on Thursday evening.

Mrs. J. B. Woodland entertained a number of young people on Monday evening in honor of her guest, Miss Betts of Oxford.

Rev. Dr. Foley, accompanied by his mother, left on Saturday morning for Halifax to enter upon his new duties as rector of St. Mary's cathedral.

On the eve of his departure he was presented by the congregation with an address and a purse of \$10 in gold.

On the same evening Mrs. Evans was presented by the choir with a handsome amethyst and gold rosary and by the Altar Society with \$15 in gold.

The death occurred on Saturday at Half Way River, Mrs. Burgess Fuller. The deceased lady had been failing health for some time previous to her death. She leaves two sons, Walter and George and one daughter, Mrs. Bliss Fawcett, of Sackville, who have the sincerest sympathy of their many friends in their sad loss.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Webster spent Sunday in Kentville.

Mr. R. Harris of Wolfville visited his sister Mrs. A. MacLeod last week.

Miss Dorkin, of the Amherst Academy staff, has been visiting on the leave of absence on account of ill health.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Gillespie returned from New York on Monday where they spent the winter with their sons, Drs. J. F. and D. P. Gillespie.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Holmes paid a brief visit to friends in Ashol last week. On their return they were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Alex. McKay of Sydney.

## HAMPTON

Hampton, Kings Co., May 7.—The pupils of the Hampton Central School are giving a theatrical entertainment on next Monday evening, when they will present a play, "The Story of the Reformation of St. Agnes," with other dramatic and musical numbers.

The literary class met on Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. J. E. Evans, and an interesting sketch on the poet Shelley, read by Rev. Mr. W. E. Evans, was followed by a paper on the philosophy of Browning, read by Rev. Mr. W. E. Evans.

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for Carleton county secured convictions last week on four cases of violation of the Canada Temperance Act, against Robert Kinney, of Moose Mountain, fines and costs amounting to about \$250.

Court Carleton has chosen as delegates to attend the high court of the Independent Order of Foresters which will meet in St. John next week: Rev. W. P. Dunham, H. J. Clark, and H. T. Scholey, all of Centerville.

Having been petitioned by the clerks, all the merchants and business men of Hartland have agreed to close their stores all on Monday, May 23, Victoria Day.

Mrs. L. B. Curtis, of Ashland (Me.), has been the guest of his son, Marvin L. Haywood.

Mr. G. A. Giberson has been holding a series of special meetings in the Primitive Baptist church.

More than \$11 was made at the Baptist Mission supper held in the vestry of the church last evening.

It seems still a matter of uncertainty whether or not the C. P. R. will rebuild the dining rooms from Newburg to Hartland.

Rev. O. E. Stevens returned today after a holiday trip to Nova Scotia.

The Mission Society of the Methodist church will give a concert on Monday evening.

A musical event looked forward to with much interest is the piano recital to be given here on May 15, by Miss Maude Henderson, of Woodstock, assisted by her musical friends.

Arthur B. Curtis, inspector of the New Brunswick Telephone Company, has been spending a few days with his parents, Dr. J. B. Curtis, of Ashland (Me.), and Grand Falls and expects to return to spend Sunday here.

T. A. Lindsay, of Woodstock is in town today.

Judson Currie has been very ill at his residence for some time. He is improving slowly.

Mr. Phillips, of Pembroke, has been visiting friends in Hartland.

## REXTON

Rexton, N. B., May 8.—Mrs. Ward, who has been dangerously ill with paralysis is considerably improved.

Mr. and Mrs. May returned to Campbellton Monday. Mr. and Mrs. May will go Saturday. They will reside in Campbellton.

Mrs. Margaret Allanach, who has been a cargo of lumber and potato baskets. There has been excellent brook driving lately and it is probable that all the lumber will be gotten out.

Good catches of lobsters are being made but until the past few days there has been a scarcity of bait. Fresh herring are now very plentiful.

Fred Robinson and Master George, who have been visiting relatives in and around Boston for some time, returned to Bass River last week.

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## WOLFVILLE

Wolfville, N. S., May 9.—The fifth annual Wolfville music festival under the auspices of the Acadia Seminary came to close last night, and the general verdict is that this festival is the best of the five.

Three concerts were given: One on Thursday, one on Friday, and one on Saturday, and one last night.

The visiting artists were: Madame M. Zimmerman, soprano; James H. Ratigan, tenor; H. Nelson Raymond, bass; and the Boston Philharmonic sextette, consisting of Frederic Mahon, violin; W. W. Sverrebo, violin; John Mulvey, viola; Alexander Heindl, cello; Max Kunze, contra-bass, and Arthur Brooke, flute.

Prof. J. Christian Ringwald was the conductor, and with the Acadia Choral Club, did much to make the affair a pronounced success.

Miss Edith Woodman, the accompanist, deserves special mention. Though only fifteen years of age, she plays with all the ability of the most accomplished artist.

In speaking of the Acadia Choral Club Mr. Ratigan said that the chorus was as good as that of any Boston club. This he said with a regular institution.

Many people were present from all over the province. The music festival was now looked upon as a regular institution by the music-loving people of Nova Scotia.

## HOPEWELL HILL

Hopewell Hill, May 9.—The announcement of the death, at Atlantic, Mass., of Mrs. William Thompson, which appeared in today's Telegraph, caused much regret here.

The deceased, who formerly resided in Hopewell, was a daughter of John and Eleanor Lockhart, now residing in the States. Besides her husband and parents, she leaves two brothers, Capt. Lemuel Lockhart, of the Battle Line, and Oscar Lockhart, of California, and two sisters, Mrs. Lydia Reade, of Atlantic, and Mrs. Norris, wife of Rev. Joseph Norris, of California, besides a large circle of relatives.

Mrs. Thompson was a native of Hillsboro, Albert Co. She was well and favorably known here where she was well and favorably known here where she was well and favorably known here.

A very pretty wedding was celebrated on Wednesday at Newport, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Allan, who were the bride and groom.

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for Montreal, for treatment, was unable to go further than St. John and entered the general public hospital at that place. He is reported to be improving.

Miss Marion Watmore, of Harcourt, is visiting her cousin, Miss Pauline Lennox.

Dr. F. W. Tozer is suffering with a sore arm and leaves this morning for the Moncton hospital for treatment.

Mrs. W. S. Malley and Miss Maude went to Campbellton Saturday.

## HOPEWELL HILL

Hopewell Hill, May 11.—Blair Bishop is visiting his parents, Capt. and Mrs. John Bishop, of Lower Cape, after an absence of five years in the States.

Miss Anna Dixon, trained nurse, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Dixon, of Mountville, is spending the summer with her parents at her home there.

Rev. Mr. Seelling, who has taken charge of the Hopewell Baptist church, entered upon his duties on Sunday. Mr. Seelling will reside at Albert.

Mrs. Reade, wife of Capt. Joseph A. Reade, is spending the winter at Hopewell, with her daughter, Mrs. R. P. Allen, has returned to her home at Hopewell Cape.

## WOLFVILLE

Wolfville, N. S., May 11.—The large pulp mill, which the Bridge has shut down for an indefinite period.

The death took place at Granville Ferry on Friday of C. W. Mayo, leaving a widow and two daughters.

The Davison Lumber Company, an American concern operating at Springfield, Amnapolis county, the largest lumber mill in Canada, will add five miles to the main line of its railway, employing 100 men on construction work.

The Yarmouth branch of the People's Gun and Fish Protective Association has set at liberty eight pairs of ring-necked pheasants. These, with eight others previously set free, will, if properly protected, result in their becoming so plentiful that all will have the pleasure and privilege of shooting them.

The ring-necked pheasant, a deadly enemy of the gypsy and brown tail moth. This will be good news to the fruit growers of the Annapolis and Cornwallis Valleys.

Thompson left on Monday, N. B., an Acadia graduate of the class of 1906, is one of this year's graduates in civil engineering at McGill. Through a combination of circumstances, he was unable to leave his class and carried off two gold medals.

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## RUSHING WORK IN LEGISLATURE

Highway Act in Committee Stage, and Other Bills Passed

Queries and Answers

Hon. Mr. Pugsley's Big Overdraft Presented to House—McKeown Asks About Ex-Premier's Unsettled Bill for Services—Other News of the Sitting.

Fredericton, N. B., May 7.—The house met at 3 p. m.

Bills Nos. 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12 passed their second reading and will be considered later in committee.

Hon. Mr. Pugsley presented a petition asking for an act to amend the Highway Act.

The petition was read and referred to the committee on highways.

Mr. Allen presented a petition from the school trustees and citizens of Millerton in reference to the vesting of certain lands in the parish of Derby in the school trustees.

Provincial Secretary Fleming, replying to an enquiry by Mr. Sprout as to what the items which make up the amount of suspense account of \$5,050.63 are, said that the items were as follows:

1. When was the liability to the province for \$4,331.64 incurred?

2. Was this amount advanced to Hon. Wm. Pugsley on account of services rendered?

3. If not on account of services rendered, was it a loan and what was the nature of the loan?

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