

The Hantsport Acadian

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HANTSPORT HAPPENINGS

Rev. and Mrs. F. H. Beals removed from Hantsport to Wolfville on Saturday, much to the regret of all. During their residence here both Mr. and Mrs. Beals endeared themselves to the hearts of the people. The Rev. Mr. Beals will assume the pastorate of the Baptist church here on Sunday next. A new furnace is being installed in the church by Mr. A. W. Pattison.

Mrs. Jack Redden, of Halifax, was a recent guest of her parents, Capt. and Mrs. C. Lawrence.

Mrs. Pope had for her guest last week her sister, Mrs. Roberts, of Halifax, who will sail for the Old Country in the near future.

Mrs. W. H. Johnson left on Monday for Halifax, where she will spend the winter.

The XII's were pleasantly entertained at the home of Mrs. H. L. Smith on Thursday.

The Sewing Circle of the Baptist church held a very successful supper in the vestry of the church on Thursday evening.

Mrs. T. C. Marsters visited at the home of Mrs. Capt. Lockhart, Wolfville, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Davison are visiting Mr. Davison's mother, Mrs. B. Davison.

Capt. Young, of the "Otis Wack", spent the week end with his family here.

Miss Winona Betts, of Vancouver, left Hantsport on Sunday for Port Williams, after being the guest of Mrs. C. E. Chesley for several weeks.

Miss Ruby Taylor left on Tuesday for Moncton, where she has accepted a position with the T. Eaton Co.

Miss Thelma Beasley and friend, Miss Murphy, of the Telephone exchange, Wolfville, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. G. Beasley.

Court Rand, I. O. F., held a "Jiggs Supper" in their room on Friday evening.

On Monday evening, Oct. 27th, a class in Home Nursing was organized at the home of Mrs. C. E. Chesley. Quite a number of names have already been enrolled.

The Sewing Circle of St. Andrew's church was entertained at the home of Miss Schurman on Thursday afternoon.

A social under the auspices of the Christian Endeavour Society was very much enjoyed by the young people on Friday evening. The costumes, decorations and entertainment were suitable to the occasion. A dainty repast was served.

On Tuesday evening of last week at the home of Mrs. Asaph Newcombe, the local Women's Institute listened to an exceedingly interesting address by Miss Miller, Government Demonstrator for the Institutes of Nova Scotia. Miss Miller spoke on different phases of Institute work and how it is carried on in different societies. At the close a hearty vote of thanks was tendered the speaker.

A former resident, Dr. V. C. Connor, now of Harcourt, N. B., arrived in town on Friday last, and is having extensive repairs made in his fine property on Main street.

The ladies of the Baptist church held a very successful Halloween Supper in the vestry of the church on Friday evening. There was a good attendance and a neat sum was realized for church purposes. The room was tastefully trimmed with appropriate decorations and presented a pretty appearance.

On Halloween a number of the young people of the town held a masquerade dance in the Empire Theatre, which proved a very delightful affair. Excellent music was furnished by Mrs. J. R. Redden, of Halifax, and Miss Pearl Dixon.

Mrs. C. H. Dunbar entertained pleasantly at cards and Mrs. H. L. Smith was at home to her numerous friends on Halloween, and a number of other social events added to the interest of the time-honored festival.

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stayed at Father's all night. He is very fond of music and we sang till ten o'clock, when we had prayers and retired.

Jan. 1st, 1850. I arose this morning before six, took a book and was reading; Rob. John and Ann also were reading when Mr. McKeen came out. He was praising our studiousness, but he arises every morning at five o'clock at the college and goes to study; he carries a book with him wherever he goes that he may never be idle; he went to G. Davidson's to breakfast. After the work was done we went down to meeting. Shortly after it had begun we were surprised and pleased to see Mr. Taber come in; he spoke and gave out meeting for this evening. Capt. Michener attended the services today; he seldom goes, except to Temperance meetings and funerals. He is a great Temperance man. Mr. Kirk has just called to see us.

Jan. 2nd. This has been a cold blustering day. I had prayer in my school this morning for the first time. I feel I need the help of God to do my duty to those around me and I wish to teach my scholars aright. I lost my wedding ring since last night. I did not miss it till this forenoon. I prized it for the sake of the donor and am very sorry to lose it. I have some fears at times that he may never return. I hope all is well with him.

3rd. The Widow Beckwith was taken violently ill yesterday and was delirious all night. I have just been to see her but she knows no one. Old Mrs. Beckwith and Mrs. Kendal are there. It is a great affliction. My wedding ring is found! Sister Ann had taken it off my finger.

4th. It has rained nearly all day. Adah will stop all night with me. I almost got confused with the noise of the children today. I went up to the Temperance meeting. Some very interesting anecdotes were told which might teach us a lesson.

5th. Olivia and family are visiting sister Mary today. I was over to tea, then went to meeting and heard Mr. McKeen preach, after which I went to Father's and stayed all night.

6th. Mr. McKeen took dinner at Capt. G. Holmes', then called at Father's. He seems wholly devoted to the cause of Christ. He went to Brooklyn to preach in the evening; from there he will return to Horton and be here again next Saturday.

7th. I have had 18 scholars today and they kept me pretty busy. They are rather noisy at times. Brother John called this evening and I went up home with him and spent a very pleasant evening studying Geography and singing. Father and Mother were up to Capt. Marsters.

8th. There was quite a snow storm last night. I only had seven scholars today and their fathers had to bring them. I spent the evening at Mary's.

10th. We had a very interesting meet-

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A party of boys have arrived in Canada for a course of training at the Agricultural School, Vermilion, Alberta, under the scheme put forward by the Province of Alberta in conjunction with the British Government. The above photograph shows some of the boys and gives a good idea of the type of sturdy young men they are.

ing last night. W. Irish spoke; he is very sincere and has a great desire to be a Christian. This evening I have been over to Mary's; Ann, the boys, and Asa and Emily Ann also were there.

13th. Sunday morning. On Friday evening I was agreeably surprised to hear that Nancy and Ellen Dickie, accompanied by James Dickie, had come from Cornwallis, so soon as possible I went to Mrs. James, and found them there, also Mrs. Toye and Mrs. Peter Barker. We spent a pleasant evening and heard the girls sing; Nancy, Ellen and I then spent the night at Mary's. On Saturday they all came and took dinner with me, also Mrs. James. We went up to Conference meeting in the afternoon, after which we all went down to Olivia's. Ann, Rob. John, James Leighton, Chipman Davidson and John Michener also were there. We spent a very pleasant evening and heard the girls sing a number of new pieces. Nancy came home and stayed all night with me. As I was sitting here writing this morning Chipman Davidson came in and told me the "Ready Rhino" had come and that he had seen Simeon and talked with him. A few minutes later Nancy and I would have been gone to meeting. She went but I was pleased to stop at home; it was not long before he came. How very thankful I am that he has been spared to return in safety. Very soon John came in; he had gone to meeting but hearing of Simeon's arrival he came back. Then Maria and his father came; James Holmes and many others have called. John Michener stayed to dinner, then he, Simeon and James Holmes went to the shore. Ellen Dickie, Ann, and brother John then came.

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