

Paradise (Aug. 3rd.) Miss Francis Ruggles, who has been enjoying a month with friends in New Brunswick, returned home last week. Mrs. Leslie Porter and children, of Yarmouth, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Phipney. Rev. W. B. Wallace, pastor of the Tabernacle New York, is visiting his brother at the Parsonage and will occupy the pulpit on Sunday afternoon next.

Lawrencetown. Mrs. Elizabeth Frite, of Brooklyn, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Ruth Frite. Hon. J. A. and Mrs. Bancroft, of Round Hill, accompanied by Miss Bancroft and their son, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Bancroft. Rev. J. T. Eaton is visiting Deacon and Mrs. Wm. McKeown. The annual picnic of the Baptist S. S. will be held at Port Lorne on Tuesday. Miss Vivian Phipney has been spending two weeks with her sister, Mrs. Hills, of Bridgetown. Mrs. Charlotte Neary, of Port Williams, has been visiting her niece, Mrs. Elvin Shaffer, and other relatives and friends during the past week.

Bear River. Mr. and Mrs. George I. Hart, Halifax, spent a few days with Rev. and Mrs. Daniel at the Methodist Parsonage. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hulsman, Malden, Mass., are guests at Mr. and Mrs. N. Chute. Miss Daisy Milligan, St. John, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Frank Jones at the Bear River Hotel. Mr. Frank Milligan occupied the pulpit at the Baptist church on Sunday evening. Mr. Reginald Lockward, of the Union Bank staff, is enjoying his vacation, part of which will be spent in Halifax. Mr. Paul Durling, of the Union Bank staff, Lawrencetown and Miss Blanche Bishop, of South Williamstown who have been guests of Mrs. W. A. Chute, returned home on Tuesday. Mr. Wesley Milbury arrived from Concord, N. H., on Monday, to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. Wesley Milbury. Rev. Howard Outerbridge, missionary to Japan, will occupy the Methodist pulpit on Sunday evening next. Died Tuesday morning, 9th inst., on the Indian Reserve, Abram Gload, in his 96th year. He leaves an aged wife.

Smith Cove. A concert in aid of the Campbellton fire sufferers was given in Colonial Arms hotel last Thursday evening. An excellent programme was furnished, and every member was heartily enjoyed. The sum of forty dollars was realized. Host Spurr came in for much commendation for his kind attention in every detail. The imposing appearance of his hotel was also very favorably commented upon. Dr. H. C. Vedder, instructor in church history in the Baptist theological seminary, Chester, Pa., is here with Mrs. Vedder for August and September. They are occupying their new cabin, recently built for them by Mr. Herbert Woodman. Rev. Henry Carter, pastor of the Baptist church, has been granted a well-earned vacation of three weeks. During his absence he will attend the convention in Woodstock, N. B. Dr. Vedder will supply the pulpit part of the time and other good men, who are summering here, will fill in till Mr. Carter returns. Miss Raymond, of Washington, D. C., who usually spends the summer in this city, started out in the direction of Boston this year. Arriving in the hub she heard Nova Scotia praised to the skies and decided to have a look in. At Yarmouth she read about Smiths Cove in the D.A.R. booklet and resolved to come here. She returned to Washington the other day, and as she said good-bye to Mr. Herbert Woodman, at whose home she stayed, she said she had found the promised land and would tell all her friends about it when she went home. She thinks Smiths Cove is about the most attractive spot in the whole wide world. Captain Spurr has a guest who has installed a wireless telegraph outfit in Colonial Arms, and he is in daily communication with the different wireless stations. Probably the next thing will be the publication of a small newspaper, giving the guests the latest telegraph news from all parts of the globe. We do things in style down this way. Mrs. Joseph Weir was awakened by a knock at her front door at two o'clock the other morning. She arose, went to the door and opened it without asking who was there. Two tramps, one of them intoxicated, stood on the steps and asked for lodgings for the rest of the night. Mrs. Weir admitted them, prepared them a tempting lunch and then stowed them away in a snug bed. The tramps say they were never so treated in their lives. Mrs. Weir's kindness impressed them so much that they resolved to try and become useful citizens. Mrs. Spurgeon Weir and family have been all down with the measles. Mrs. Weir's attack was complicated with a severe cold. Mr. C. Armstrong has purchased a building site near Mr. Poole's residence from the John W. O'Dell estate, and intends erecting a store and dwelling. Miss Hattie Chisholm, who has been spending her vacation at her home here, will return to Regina on the 16th instant to resume her school duties. The ministers in charge of the Digby and Bear River Methodist circuits are twin brothers, the Revs. Messrs. Daniel and they look so much alike and are so much alike that it is impossible to tell them apart. A lady met the Bear River incumbent here the other day, and taking him for his brother in Digby, asked him to make an announcement on the following Sunday. Explanations revealed her mistake, and the lady went away feeling glad that her best fellow was not a twin brother, because secrets of courtship might leak out. Fishing in the weir this summer is not a paying business. There seems to be very few fish running. Some are of the opinion that the presence of such a large number of motor boats in the Basin has had the effect of scaring the fish away. Miss Bessie Weir visited Digby this week and reports that business there is not so good as it was last year. In all probability a few years will see Smiths Cove a thriving city and Digby one of the small suburbs. Two new families have been connected with the Smiths Cove telephone exchange, viz. H. H. Woodman and Spurgeon Weir. They sound natural as life and are welcome in the happy circle. Rev. Mr. Lockward, rector of Clementsport, holds services in the temple here every Sunday for the benefit of the Episcopalians, who are visiting in our midst. The Misses Cornwall have arrived from Boston to visit their brother, Mr. Arthur Cornwall. Mr. James Winchester is not enjoying his usual robust health. His friends hope that he will soon be himself again. Mr. William Dunlavey, who has been a citizen of the Cove for upwards of a year, has gone to Montreal for the winter. Mrs. Dunlavey family will follow later.

North Williamston. Miss Jennie Corbitt and little niece, of Paradise, are guests of Mrs. D. M. Charlton. Miss Edith Moore entertained friends very pleasantly on Tuesday. Mrs. Abner Saunders, of Nictaux Falls, has been spending a few days with her niece, Mrs. H. C. Marshall. Several of our farmers have finished haying, and report excellent crops. Miss Mabel DeLancey, of New York is spending the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Uniacke DeLancey. The Sabbath School will hold its annual picnic at Margareville on Wednesday. Miss Bertie Long left last Friday for her home in West Newton, Mass. She was accompanied by her cousin, Miss Margaret Stevenson, of Bridgetown. We are sorry to report that Miss Ella Pierce is not improving in health. Miss Maud Axford, of Melrose, Mass., is visiting her aunt, Miss Agnes Pierce. Mrs. Eligh Hiltz and baby, of Dorchester, Mass., is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Hiltz. Mr. and Mrs. O. DeLancey visited friends at Bridgetown and Inglisville quite recently. Rev. Denton Nelly, of Massachusetts, is the guest of his brother, M. J. Nelly.

Upper Granville. Mr. and Mrs. Sears with little daughter, of Woods Harbor, Shelburne Co., have been spending a few weeks with relatives and friends in different parts of the Valley. Miss Louise Fulton, of Truro, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Fellows. Miss Enola Chute, of Whitman, Mass., has been with her aunt, Mrs. Adan Clarke a few days. Miss Mina Chute, who has been an invalid for several months, is much pleased in health and accompanied her niece, Miss Enola, to her old home in Nictaux on the 5th. Mr. McEllan and young son, of Luokfeld, Queens Co., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Newcomby. Mrs. Mary Harris has returned from a visit to friends at Annapolis, and has been engaged to teach school at North Williamston. Mrs. Burns and niece, Alice Withers, are visiting Mrs. J. A. & Harris. Mrs. Core Longley after a visit with friends in Clarence will teach the school at Parkers Cove during the next school year. Mrs. Bert Ray and sister Miss Pauline, from New York, have been guests at Mr. Roger Ray's. Miss May Walker with Miss Lola Woodward enjoyed an outing at Parkers Cove recently. Miss Helen Schurman from Sydney, is visiting her friends, Reta and Evelyn McGilvary. Mr. Spurr, from Torbrook Mines, spent Sunday at Mr. R. J. Woodward's. Miss Reta MacGilvary entertained a few of her friends very pleasantly on Monday evening. Miss Grace Woodward has returned from a visit to Nat'ck, Mass. A meeting of the W. A. was held at the residence of Mrs. Shaw, on the 4th. Miss Clara Parker is among the successful candidates for Grade B.

Mrs. F. W. Bishop and son, Reginald spent Sunday in Lower Granville. Mrs. Wm. Dent, a former resident of Paradise, now of the United States, was visiting Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Pearson last week and calling on old friends. Mrs. A. B. MacPherson and daughter, Irene, of Leominster, Mass., are visiting relatives in Paradise and vicinity. Mr. J. A. MacPherson has sold his farm to his son-in-law, Fred I. Durling, of Leominster, Mass., who will take possession in the spring of 1911. Mrs. Whitmarsh, of Bermuda, are at "Ellenhurst." Mrs. Edward Brooks, of Massachusetts, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Brooks. Miss Jean Baird, of Amherst, is a guest of her aunt, Mrs. C. Goodspeed. Mr. and Mrs. Ritson Marshall spent a few days last week at Port Lorne. Mr. Howard Corbitt and bride returned home on Thursday and were serenaded by the boys in the evening. Miss Lillie Layte, of the United States, is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Layte. Miss Claire Goodspeed is to teach at Albany the coming year. The members of Regina Division gave an open night on Friday evening. A splendid program was given. Rev. W. B. Wallace, of New York, preached in the church on Sunday afternoon to a large audience. Miss Young, of Bridgetown, gave a solo very acceptably. Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Porter and children of Yarmouth, have made their annual visit with Mr. and Mrs. Carey Phipney. They returned to Yarmouth last Friday. Mrs. J. C. Phipney, Miss Francis Ruggles and Miss Caboon, of Wolfville, spent part of last week at Port Lorne.

MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES DISTEMPER. Boston Advertiser: That Waltham woman who was killed by lightning in New Brunswick while standing in front of an open window watching the storm was footlhardy courageous. The storm might have been enjoyed from the same spot with absolute immunity if she had simply pulled down the window shade and looked through the glass which deflects rather than attracts lightning.

Hampton. Mrs. Frank Messenger was taken sick very suddenly last week. Her husband in New York was telegraphed for. He arrived on Saturday. At the time of writing Mrs. Messenger is some better, and will probably get around again. Our aged friend and neighbor Mr. Samuel Slocumb passed away on Friday last, aged eighty-five. The funeral took place on Sunday afternoon and was attended by our Pastor, Rev. W. A. Smith, who gave a very fine discourse. The deceased was of a very kind and genial disposition, ever ready to give a helping hand to a neighbor. He leaves a widow. Mrs. Adoniram Foster, of Lynn, is visiting friends here for a short time before going to New Germany to visit her daughter. Foye Templeman has returned to Lynn. Mrs. Bernard Mitchell has returned from St. John. Harry Foster has shipped in the Sch. Francis.

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