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AUG. 24.—There has been an unusual quiet this week in the way of parties. Last Saturday Mrs. Remme gave a buckboard ride and dinner at De Monts, and the same afternoon Mrs. George J. Clarke gave a buckboard ride and supper at the same place. De Monts is a favorite place for outings. There are also a number of guests at the hotel the season having been quite a gay and successful one.

Madame Chipman on Thursday evening of last week entertained a party of friends at tea.

Mrs. David Brown entertained a few lady friends very pleasantly at her residence on Friday evening.

A theatre party chaperoned by Mrs. Frank Porter Woods, attended the performance of Condensed to Siberia given by the Joseph Greene Company in the St. Croix Hall on Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Black and family are expected to return from their cottage and open their town residence today.

The congregation of the Union Street Baptist church gave a reception at the parsonage on Tuesday evening in honor of their pastor Rev. W. C. Goucher to welcome him home from England, and to congratulate him upon his safe return, and his improvement in health. From eight until eleven the guests came and went; refreshments were served to all by Misses Janette Robinson, Mabel Smith and Sue Ganong and Mrs. Spence, while Mrs. Andrew De Wolfe, Mrs. C. B. Eaton and Mrs. W. H. Edwards looked after the entertainment of each guest. It was a most pleasant meeting of congregation and pastor, and in every way was an evening of delightful enjoyment.

The young ladies of Christ Church have arranged to give, tomorrow evening, one of their ice cream parties, that have been so successful this summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Mendonah nee Miss Helen Parks of Providence Rhode Island are spending a few days in Calais, as it is the first time they have visited the St. Croix since their marriage, they are most cordially greeted by their friends on both side of the river.

Master Herbert Bolt returned from a short visit to St. John on Monday.

Miss Rita Ross left on Monday afternoon for St. George, where she will meet a party of ladies and gentlemen and will go with them to Lake Umbagog, to camp for a week. The shores of this lake are a favorite camping ground, and it was in this lake the famous sea serpent was seen so many years ago, and the mystery of its appearance still lingers there, and entices tourists and campers who hope it may appear again.

Miss Belle Woodcock has returned from a pleasant visit in Machias.

Miss Nellie Hill is visiting friends in Lynn Mass.

Miss Helen Newton is the guest of her friend Miss Lillie Eaton.

Hon. George Hanson accompanied by Mrs. Hanson and Mr. W. C. H. Grier left on Friday for a visit to several western cities on business connected with the Knights of Pythias.

Mrs. Frederick H. Pitt is visiting the White Mountains and is registered at the Crawford House with Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Oadesley.

Mr. H. L. Russell of Chicago who has been visiting in St. George was in town for a brief visit during the past week.

Mrs. Frederick Baldwin of Boston is visiting her sister Mrs. William B. Carson.

Dr. Richard Collins left on Monday to visit friends in Machias. Dr. Collins has been spending a few days with his parents Captain and Mrs. C. B. Collins.

Mrs. W. A. Lamb is enjoying a vacation of two weeks.

Miss Emily Milliken has gone to Bangor for a short visit.

Mrs. Frank Nelson and Mrs. Martha Downes are guests of Mrs. C. H. Newton at Red Beach, this week.

Mr. James Murchie celebrated his eighty-fifth birthday on the evening of August sixteenth. There were a large party present, of his children's grand-children and great-grand-children, and a most delightful evening was spent.

Mr. and Mrs. Staples Potter and their children and Mrs. Croker who have been visiting Calais and who have received great hospitality and entertainment from their friends in the city, have returned to their home in Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Forbes Conant and Miss Helen MacNichol are expected to visit Calais about the first of September.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Neill entertained Prof. D. L. Whelpley while he was in Calais last week.

Dr. and Mrs. R. W. Greene and Mr. Whitney of Worcester, Mass. are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albion Eaton.

Mr. Purdy of Amherst is the guest of his friend Mr. Marks Mills.

Miss Blanche Boardman of Providence, Rhode Island, and Miss Annie King of St. John, are guests of Dr. A. E. Neill.

Dr. and Mrs. E. K. Ross and Miss Brewster Ross have returned from a visit to St. Andrews.

Mr. Bruno Kalish is visiting relatives in New York City.

Mrs. George Phillips of East Portage, after a pleasant visit with Mrs. Fredric Grier, has gone to Fredericton to visit friends.

A large excursion party from Houlton, Maine, visited St. Andrews on Monday to enjoy a taste of Salt Sea air. A number of the excursionists came up river on the steamer Rose Standish spending the night in Calais and returning to Houlton via the C. P. R. on Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Ladd of Minneapolis is visiting her cousin Mrs. W. H. Foster.

Mrs. Howard Black is at home again after a pleasant visit in Brooklyn, New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Mungall and family are still enjoying an outing at Oak Bay.

Mrs. Agnes Clarke left this week for Revel-tok, B. C. to make an extended visit with relatives in that town.

Mr. Julius T. Whitlock went to St. John on Tuesday to attend the Masonic Grand lodge.

Miss Alma Gregory of St. John is visiting Mrs. Charles C. Grant at Morningdale cottage, Mr. and Mrs. Grants summer home some six miles below Calais on the river bank.

It will be heard with regret that Miss Alice Stevens the esteemed sister of Judge Stevens is very ill at Hawthorn Hall the home of the judge.

Miss Bessie Stevenson is spending several days with her friend, Miss Etta DeWolfe.

Mrs. O. S. Newham and Mrs. J. M. Deacon have gone to Nova Scotia to visit Mr. and Mrs. Fredric S. Newham.

Mrs. Lewis Dexter, Jr., issued cards of invitation to about fifty lady friends inviting them to enjoy luncheon with her at "Birch Craig" cottage tomorrow.

Miss Sara Keating has gone to St. Andrews to spend a fortnight.

Rev. W. C. Goucher's congregation and friends welcomed him home from Europe on Thursday. He returns much benefited in health. Mr. Edgar Robinson who was Mr. Goucher's travelling companion is also at home and was most cordially greeted by his family and friends.

Mr. Guy Murchie of Roosevelt's Rough Riders, who was in the thickest of the fight at Santiago has arrived at Montserrat Point. He writes he is in perfect health and expects to soon arrive in Calais. Mr. Murchie is a great favorite in society and has numerous friends who will most thankfully welcome him among them again.

Mrs. James N. Clarke and Miss Wright who were guests of Mr. Herbert Eaton last week at his villa Red Beach have returned home. Mrs. Clarke is much improved in health even from a short visit at the sea shore.

Mrs. William Gillespie and her sister Mrs. Baldwin have returned from a pleasant visit in Ashlands, Maine.

Mrs. Hazen Grier accompanied by her sister Mrs. G. H. Raymond, have gone to Digby Nova Scotia to spend a fortnight.

Mrs. Chapman of Ellsworth Maine, is the guest of her friend Miss Mabel Clarke.

Mrs. Campbell C. Whitlock and her family are spending a fortnight at Hotel De Monts.

Mr. and Mrs. John Prescott have been visiting Houlton for a day or two.

Mrs. E. P. Boutelle arrived from Bangor on Saturday and will visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George A. Lowell who have recently returned from Bangor.

Miss Linnie McKenzie has returned from a visit to relatives in St. George.

Mrs. Arthur M. Hill and her son Upton are spending this month at Campbellboro.

Mrs. M. V. McKechnie, Miss Alice Boardman, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Todd and daughters Bordie and Mildred are visiting Grand Manan.

Mr. Leo D. Lammond of the law firm of Mac Nichol and Lammond, Ellsford, was united in marriage on Monday to Miss Fidelia A. Best of Campbellboro. The happy pair arrived in Calais on Monday afternoon and are registered at the American house.

Mrs. Sarah Tarr arrived from Boston on Monday to attend the funeral services of her brother the late Mr. Ernest T. Lee.

Mrs. William Hall of Montreal is the guest of her aunt Mrs. Frank Todd.

A minstrel entertainment given by some young society ladies and gentlemen of Calais is a new feature of amusement that the St. Croix public will be invited to patronize at an early date. It is under the management of Miss Ella Harmon, and is given for the benefit of one of the Calais churches to increase a repair fund.

A very pleasant dance was enjoyed by a large party of young people in the grand army Hall, Calais last evening.

On Sunday afternoon the friends of Mr. Ernest T. Lee were horrified to hear that he had been suddenly hurt at a fire while trying to extinguish the blaze with a chemical fire extinguisher. Mr. Lee was assistant fire engineer of the city of Calais, and was always most energetic at the time of fire, and when the alarm was sounded by some mismanagement, or defect in the extinguisher, it exploded, and fatally injured him in the head; he was conveyed home but only lived until four o'clock the next morning. Mr. Lee was one of the most prominent business and society men in Calais, he was popular with all classes and had held many positions of trust both in public and private affairs. He married Miss Annie Washburn whom he leaves with his mother Mrs. Lee to mourn his loss. The funeral services were held from his late residence on Swan street, yesterday afternoon at two o'clock and was largely attended, several secret societies of which he was a member walked in the procession. Rev. Dr. Fiedorf of the Baptist church conducted the funeral services. The floral tributes were beautiful and appropriate sent by sympathizing and grief-stricken friends, and to Mrs. Lee and her family there is a out from all a most spontaneous and sincere feeling of sympathy in their sorrow.

FREDERICTON.

AUG. 24.—Miss Maggie Dever has issued invitations for a party for Friday evening in honor of Miss Hudson of New York.

Miss Burpee is visiting her cousin Miss Wark.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Creed have gone to Toronto on a two week trip. Mr. Creed has spent the past month visiting his old home in Nova Scotia.

Senator and Mrs. King of Carleton Co. are visiting friends in the city.

Mr. Percy Powys has returned from his trip to England and is receiving the congratulations of friends upon his recent accession to quite a large fortune left him by a relative in England.

Miss Tootie Fairall, of St. John is visiting Miss Bessie Murray.

Mr. Jasper Winslow is receiving many warm welcomes from his many friends; (every body is his friend), who are glad to see him home only for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Carleton Allen and family, Mayor and Mrs. T. G. Loggie and family and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Babbitt are camping at "Camp Comfort."

Mrs. Henry Chesnut and family and some friends among whom are Miss Babbitt, Miss Ella Thorne and Mr. Ellis are rusting at "Pine Bluff Camp."

Mr. and Mrs. Stevenson of Baltimore Md. are visiting here.

Miss Skinner of St. John is visiting Mrs. Merritt

Dr. and Mrs. Torrens are entertaining a large house party of friends from the domains of "Uncle Sam." Among whom are the doctors' sister, Mrs. Wagsitt, and son Dr. Wagsitt Jr. of Bangor, her daughter Mrs. Whitbridge of Lawrence Mass. Miss Smith, of Boston, and Mr. Roland Sawyer of Bangor Me.

Mr. and Mrs. Harding and Mrs. Blinn of New York have been spending several days here and are delighted with the scenic charms of the celestial.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. D. Fowler, are having a pleasant trip and visit to Indianapolis Ind.

Miss Blanche Parker of Boston is enjoying a pleasant visit with Mrs. Patten.

Miss Thompson of St. John, is visiting her aunt Mrs. Lemont.

Mrs. Chas. Hathway, is visiting Mrs. E. B. Winslow.

Mr. S. Wood of Toronto is spending a few weeks among friends here.

Miss Alice Hos and Miss Mago of St. John are visiting friends here.

The Misses Bessie and Margaret Holstead, of Moncton have been spending a few days here.

Mr. Moses Elmer of Boston is enjoying a week's visit in the Celestial.

Mrs. H. C. Coburn and children have returned from a month's visit to Mrs. Coburn's mother at Philadelphia.

Miss Wilbur of Moncton is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Elijah Yerra.

Prof. C. G. D. Roberts is enjoying a vacation and rest with his family here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Reid of San Francisco, are visiting old friends in the city. Mrs. Reid will be remembered as Mrs. Isaac Tower formerly of Fredericton.

The friends of Miss Jane Rainford will be pleased to know, though still very ill, she is so far improved as to be considered out of danger, her sister Miss Harriet Rainford, who has been recuperating at the seashore, returned home on Tuesday as to be with her.

Mr. Harry Chestnut is being welcomed back to active life after his recent illness.

Mrs. Thomas A. Sharkey of New York, formerly of this city visiting friends here and is a guest at "The Queen."

Miss Pauline Baird is the guest of Miss Fannie Richards.

The Misses Grace and Emma Porter have returned from a pleasant vacation trip through Nova Scotia.

Mrs. Stewart and son of Chelsea, Mass., is visiting Mrs. Stewart's sister, Mrs. Mason.

Mrs. Robt Smith of St. John is visiting the Misses Block Bros street.

After a pleasant vacation spent at her home here, Miss Daisy Hanson has returned to St. Stephen.

Miss Louise Lingley of St. John is the guest of Miss Maxwell.

Mr. A. Massie is visiting his home here.

Miss Sadie Sterling, returned home from the vacation trip today.

Mrs. Tompkins is visiting friends in the city.

Mrs. Geo. Hodge and children have returned from their outing at Campbell.

Mr. R. L. Black has returned from a month's vacation spent at St. Andrews and at Campbell.

Mrs. Chas. Black of Buffalo, New York is visiting her mother Mrs. R. Thorne.

Miss Nellie Lipsett returned home today from a pleasant visit to friends in Annapolis.

Rev. and Mrs. Whiteside lately of Woodstock who have been spending the last two weeks here leave on Friday for Hampton to visit Mrs. Whitelids old home there.

Mr. W. Jones of Woodstock is in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Templeton of New York are visiting the city.

Messrs. Drury, Thompson and Robertson of Halifax are doing the city.

ST. GEORGE.

AUG. 24.—Mr. H. L. Russell who has been spending several months in town left on Wednesday via St. John for Onoko to join Mrs. Russell and daughter.

The friends of Mrs. Samuel Johnston who has been seriously ill are glad to hear she is improving.

Mrs. Fred Greason of East Barrie is visiting her mother Mrs. McAdam.

Mrs. Charles Johnston and Mrs. Wyma spent last week in St. Stephen the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ladd.

Mrs. Stewart wife of Rev. William Stewart was in town the first of the week calling on friends.

Mr. Arthur Clark of Boston and Rev. Mr. Taylor of Brooklyn are the guests of their brother Dr. Taylor at Park's hotel.

Mrs. Frank Hibbard left on Wednesday to visit friends in the United States.

Miss Alexander is visiting her brother Dr. Alexander at the Arden.

Miss Mary McCaw has returned to St. Stephen having spent a week very pleasantly with St. George friends.

The Messrs. Gillespie's Sussex have been recent guests of their aunt Mrs. James McKay.

Miss George Watson of Boston were among the arrivals on Tuesday.

Miss Bessie O'Brien returned this week from a pleasant visit in Woodstock.

ANAGANAS.

AUG. 24.—Mrs. Davidson attended the musicale and dance in Sussex last Thursday evening.

Mr. Jas. Dunfield left for St. John today whither he was called to his son George O. Dunfield who is seriously ill with throat trouble.

Mrs. Sarah Davidson, Mrs. Helen Marshall, and Mr. Edgar Davidson spent last Friday in Havelock with relatives.

M. B. Keith and daughter Miss Julia spent Monday with friends on Apple Hill.

R. B. Colwell of St. John spent Sunday on Apple Hill with his wife and family who are spending the summer here.

My German Maid.

We crossed the seas from Fatherland, My German maid and I, Queuing to me climb the vine, That grows beside our native Rhine. Her look was holy, pure, divine, As taught beneath the sky.

For me she left her childhood's home, My gentle German bride, And ever while Bertha's arm can stay The tide of sorrow from her way, Shall Hildegarde regret the day, That bore us o'er the tide.

Right well I mind that happy day, When first her love I knew, We roamed to either hand in hand, The vine-clad hills of Fatherland, And while their purple summits stand, To her I will be true.

Husband and friend, and lover too, The three in one am I, To her who claims my fondest care, Who all my burdens fair would share, For her is breathed my warmest prayer To Him who reigns on high.

And when our days on earth are past, May we together rest Where love's undimmed by sorrow's tear, And hope can smile without a fear, Our vanished souls once more appear, In the City of the Blest.

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Man may love only once, but he's a great experimenter.

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Marriage in Spain takes place by day or at night, according to the fortune of the young people or their station in life. If well-to-do, the ceremony is in the early part of the morning.

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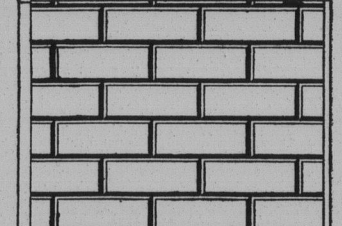
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