

OUR COUNTRY CORRESPONDENCE.

ST. ANDREWS.

St. Andrews, Aug. 28.—Though other summer resorts in other climes have suffered from lack of tourist travel, owing to the bad weather this season, St. Andrews has been exempt from that complaint. Never in the history of the town as a summer resort has it been so congested as during the past fortnight. Hotels and boarding houses have been crowded and many private houses have been invaded for rooms. It is the prevailing opinion that further hotel accommodation is required. This view is shared in by no less an influential personage than Sir Thomas Shaughnessy, manager of the C. P. R., who says that one of the chief requirements of St. Andrews is a large hotel with rates a little lower than those prevailing at the Algonquin.

Sir Thomas's summer cottage is rapidly approaching completion. It is a commodious summer house—conveniently large, yet not very costly. During the three months that it has been in course of construction \$2000 has been distributed in wages to the workmen. Mr. O'Leary, the contractor, early adopted the policy of giving employment to all the local men that he could. It was only when he found he could not get sufficient hands here that he imported them from Montreal and St. John.

Golf is the great game at St. Andrews, among the summer visitors. The man or woman who does not play golf, is simply not in it. Among the most enthusiastic golfers are the Misses MacLaren and Hazen, of St. John. Miss T. MacLaren carried off a handsome cup last week in the mixed foursome, the winning gentleman being Bruce M. McLeod, manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia, Woodstock.

Capt. Pitt, of Antigonish, who has been held for a week past negotiating for the steamer Marguerite. The deal is about closed.

Yacht Maple Leaf, which was hired in St. John by Mr. McColl, a wealthy New York gentleman, has been showing some of the "boats about here" what she can do in the way of sailing. On other days she showed a clean pair of heels to Van Horne's fast life-built boat.

Many of the John people are to be seen about St. Andrews' streets this summer. Mrs. George F. Smith and her three daughters are at Mrs. Fred G. Andrews' cottage. Mrs. John H. Thomson and Miss Thomson are at the Algonquin and their team may often be seen driving about. Mr. John H. Thomson spent Sunday here.

D. W. Newcomb, of Woodstock, and W. F. Noble, of St. John, two C. P. R. men, ran into St. Andrews on the former's gasoline motor Monday afternoon, and drove down pretty lively, covering some of the stretches at 25 miles an hour.

Rev. J. de Soyres occupied All Saints' church pulpit Sunday last, preaching two eloquent sermons.

St. Mark's Lodge, A. F. & A. M., held a very successful affair at home this evening. George B. Williams, of New York, gave dramatic readings; there was some excellent singing by local talent and some very choice confectaries were served. Together it was a most enjoyable evening, and reflects much credit upon the Masons of St. Andrews.

The work of the public works department, which was suspended August 15, was resumed today. Mr. Armstrong's having been successful in obtaining a sufficient sum from the public works department to complete the undertaking.

Several of the sardine weirs in this vicinity (notably at Chamcook) have yielded good returns this summer, but for the most part the season has been dull for the fishermen. Haddock and line fish are also scarce.

The Algonquin Hotel will close Sept. 10. It is not yet known under whose auspices it will open next season.

Miss Kelly, head landress at the Algonquin, had one of her hands badly crushed in the mangle Saturday. She has gone to the general hospital, St. John, for treatment.

Rev. D. J. Fraser, of St. John, is here and will occupy Rev. A. W. Mahon's pulpit Sunday, the latter going to St. John for the day.

Sunday next will be Hospital Sunday in St. Andrews.

A drove of handsome Southdown sheep from the Chamcook farm, has been sent to the Ottawa exhibition. They will take in the other Canadian shows. The farm will also be represented at the St. John exhibition.

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Congratulations are being extended to Mr. and Mrs. Audrey D. Northrup upon the arrival of a daughter on Thursday, the 21st inst.

The farmers are having a very serious time in getting their hay crop this season as the prolonged wet weather makes it a difficult task.

Miss Muriel Wainwright returned home last week after spending some weeks in Nova Scotia.

Mr. and Mrs. Wainwright gave a party last Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Northrup and baby returned to St. John last Friday after spending a week at Mr. Northrup's old home in Kingston.

HOPEWELL HILL.

Hopewell Hill, Aug. 28.—Edward Palmer is dangerously ill with typhoid fever at Albert. Dr. S. C. Murray is in attendance. Considerable sickness at Albert is reported.

J. M. Tingley commenced operations at Albert, five days ago. He reports an exceptionally good yield of grain.

As a result of the special religious services at Albert, five candidates were baptized yesterday morning by Rev. F. D. Davidson, of the Baptist church. One was baptized at the evening service.

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Alderman W. K. Gross, of Moncton, is in the village.

Rutia Wright, of Moncton, visited his parents at Albert yesterday.

H. H. Stuart, principal of the Superior School here, came today from his home at Fredericton Junction, accompanied by Mrs. Stuart.

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JURY SAYS LYNCHING WAS PROPER THING.

Deal With Southern Case and Exonerate Those Who Shot Negro.

Raleigh, N. C., 27.—With their faces blackened as a disguise, a party of men broke into a barn in which Tom Jones, colored, was temporarily detained yesterday, took him out and shot him to death near Spring, Wayne County. Jones was being detained for assault on a white woman. In the afternoon the coroner's jury returned a verdict that the members of the mob were unknown to them, adding that the deed was done "obviously by an outraged public, acting in defence of their homes, wives, daughters and children. In view of the enormity of the crime we think they would have been reluctant to find their duty as citizens had they acted otherwise."

BUSINESS FOR CANADA.

Representative in South Africa Predicts Large Sales of Furniture and Boots and Shoes.

Toronto, Aug. 27.—(Special)—The Telegram's special cable from London says: "Mr. Jardine, the Canadian trade commissioner in South Africa, interviewed at Johannesburg, predicts large sales of Canadian furniture and boots and shoes, especially miners' boots."

OTTAWA'S EXHIBITION.

Fifteen Thousand Visitors to Capital Yesterday.—The R. C. R.'s at Halifax.

Ottawa, Aug. 27.—(Special)—Fifteen thousand people arrived in the city of Ottawa by the different railways today to attend the fair. This was the best day in the history of the exhibition.

One of the most fashionable weddings of the season took place this afternoon at St. Bartholomew's church. The contracting parties were James Fudge Crowley,

CLAUS SPRECKLES FOR CANADIAN SUGAR COMPANY.

New Yorker in Montreal With His Counsel—Papers Sent to Ottawa.

Montreal, Aug. 27.—(Special)—Claus Spreckles, of New York, president of the Federal Sugar Refining Company, accompanied by his counsel, W. W. Cook, of New York, arrived here today. It is understood they contemplate the organization of a Canadian company with a capital of \$5,000,000 to exploit the new process of sugar refining, invented by Mr. Spreckles, now in successful operation in the United States. Messrs. Spreckles and Cook were in consultation with Mr. McGibbon, K. C., during the day, but beyond the fact that the papers for the incorporation of a Canadian company were signed and forwarded to Ottawa no further details could be learned.

PREMIER LAURIER

Inspects Exposition at Lille and is Banquetted.

Lille, France, Aug. 27.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier, prime minister of Canada, inspected the exposition here today.

A banquet was given him this evening and in responding to a toast by his health, Sir Wilfrid referred to the sympathies existing between France and Canada.

Deep breathing in the open air with the mouth closed will oxygenate the blood, expand the chest and clear the head. Some persons find it a sovereign remedy for headache.

Genuine Castoria always bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fricker.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria. When she became teething, we gave her Castoria. When she had Colic, she gave them Castoria.