

CORRESPONDENTS' CORNER

HOPEWELL

Hopewell Hill, July 31.—Rev. W. W. Duncan of New York motored to Hillsborough on Wednesday accompanied by his son and Mr. James of Ottawa. Mrs. Duncan is visiting her sister, Mrs. John L. Peck.

Mrs. Maud Jamieson of Hopewell Cape and her niece Miss Evelyn Jamieson of Worcester, Mass., spent Thursday with relatives here.

Capt. R. V. Bennett and Miss Bennett and party motored to Alma on Thursday.

The Hillsborough, Hopewell Cape and Curville Methodist Sunday schools held their annual picnic at the Rocks on Wednesday.

An "at home" was given last evening in the Baptist vestry at Albert by the young people. Proceeds were for Sunday school purposes.

Over six hundred dollars was cleared by the Roman Catholic denomination at their annual picnic held on Monday at Riverside.

Dowsey Bros. have finished their contract for hauling Robinson & Wright's deals from Mamel to Saw Mill Creek landing.

George Downey and family who have spent the summer here have returned to their home at Curville.

Frederic O'Regan returned last evening from Hillsborough where she has been for the past week visiting relatives.

Mrs. Howard Stevens and Mrs. Wm. Gowan went to St. John on Thursday for a few days.

While driving home from Riverside on Wednesday morning Mrs. Ella Newcomb met with an accident. It was supposed the bolt that holds the wheel to the axle, as suddenly she noticed the shafts were striking the horse and the carriage was swaying from side to side. During one of the jolts Mrs. Newcomb was thrown out of the carriage and injured.

The horse with the wagon attached ran nearly a mile when going down the cemetery hill it collided with a carriage going up, throwing out the occupant and bruising him on the head and legs. The horse, leaving the wagon behind it after the collision, ran for another half mile before being captured. It received no injuries. Mrs. Newcomb was driven to her home and medical aid summoned but beyond being badly shaken up no serious injuries were sustained.

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HARCOURT

Harcourt, Aug. 2.—Miss Jean Thurbur of Millerton spent the week at Watheena Cottage.

Dr. and Mrs. Fairbanks spent Tuesday in Moncton.

J. N. Wathen is spending a few days in the shiretown.

Miss Gertie and Master Frank Welland of Sydney, N. B., who have been visiting relatives in town left for Newcastle on Thursday.

Congratulations are being extended to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cormier on the arrival of a son. Mr. Cormier is at present at Shagville, England, with the 25th Battalion.

Mrs. Harry Miller of Campbellton and two children arrived on Wednesday to spend some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Macintosh.

Miss Trina Mathew gave a very delightful afternoon tea on Wednesday in honor of her guest, Miss Jean Thurbur, of Millerton. Tea was served on the lawn. Miss Thurbur will be one of the principals in a happy event in the near future.

Mrs. and Miss Dunn who have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Dunn, returned home on Saturday.

The first meeting of the Red Cross Sewing Club in connection with the Women's Institute, met at the home of the president on Thursday and the good work was begun by a goodly number of enthusiastic workers.

Mrs. H. G. Fairbanks was hostess at a very enjoyable little "porch party" on Friday when Miss Thurbur was the guest of honor.

Miss Dorothy Dunn left for Winnipeg on Saturday where she will visit her sister, Mrs. K. B. Wathen. Miss Dunn has accepted a position on the teaching staff of that city and will enter on her duties about the middle of August. Her many Harcourt friends wish her every success.

Mr. Gilchrist Allen of Moncton was the weekend guest of Mr. and Mrs. Dunn.

Mrs. F. Ward visited friends in Newcastle this week.

Mr. English and his mother drove to Richibucto this week and visited friends at intermediate points.

A very pleasant function was the "shower" given to Miss Jean Thurbur at the home of her hostess, Miss Wathen on Friday evening. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Dunn, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wathen, Mrs. B. Miller, Dr. and Mrs. Fairbanks, the Misses Saulnier, Miss Dunn (Dalhousie), the Misses Smallwood, Miss Doris Buckley, Miss Landry (Memramcook), Mrs. W. W. Cumming, the Misses Dunn and others.

Miss Landry of Memramcook was the guest of the Misses Saulnier on Friday.

Mr. S. Smallwood is spending a few days with friends in Newcastle.

BACK BAY

Back Bay, Char. Co., Aug. 2.—Mrs. F. Hatch and young son of Portland, Maine, are guests of Mrs. Valentine Hooper.

Miss Ethel Spinney who has been visiting friends in the village returned to St. George on Thursday.

Miss Hazel Stinson of St. Andrews is spending the summer with her aunt, Mrs. Sherburne French.

Miss Nellie Hickey arrived from Boston last week and is spending the summer with Mrs. Russell Hooper. Blake returned from Campbellton on Saturday last.

A party of seventeen motored from Eastport on Sunday and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Valentine Hooper returning late in the evening.

Mrs. Wentworth Quigley pleasantly entertained a number of friends on Thursday evening in honor of her niece, Miss Jessie Cogill of Eastport.

Mrs. Lee and daughter Mrs. Smith spent last week here, guests of Mrs. Even Leavitt. They returned on Saturday to their home in Lubec.

The Misses Elva Cooke and Mary McCleese are spending several weeks in St. John.

The class of Loyal Women were pleasantly entertained at the home of Mrs. Allan Sprague on Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Jennie Phinney is spending the summer months in Eastport.

GREAT SHERMOGUE

Great Shermogue, July 29.—The Misses Annie Tingley, Eva McMorris and Mrs. Arthur Reynolds spent Sunday in Port Elgin.

The Misses Alice and Ada Oulton are visiting friends at the Cape.

Mr. Harry Chaffeur of Amherst was in town a few days this week.

Miss Anna Ayard returned to her home in Shediac on Saturday after a pleasant visit with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Gould returned on Tuesday from Moncton where they spent a few days with relatives.

Mrs. and Mrs. Joseph Ayard of Brooklyn, N. Y., are guests of the former's sister, Mrs. James Cadman.

Miss Ethel Ames of Boston, Mass., is spending her vacation with her mother, Mrs. Jennie Ames.

Mr. Joseph Trenholm is visiting friends at the Cape.

Councillor Gould is at Dorchester for a few days.

Mr. Ogden, fish inspector of Halifax, made a business trip here on Tuesday.

Mr. Harold Cadman spent Sunday with friends at Chapman's.

Miss Myrtle Crawford of Sackville is visiting at the home of Mr. Ernest Tingley.

Mr. W. F. Donkin and Charles Donkin of Amherst motored here on Wednesday and are visiting Mr. and Mrs. James Cadman.

COAL BRANCH

Coal Branch, July 31.—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cassidy and children have returned to their home in Roxbury, Mass., after spending the past few weeks here with the former's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cassidy.

Mrs. Jonathan Hudson and Miss Minard Palmer, of Rexton, are guests of Mrs. Arthur Mills.

Mrs. Peter McKinnon, of Moncton, spent Friday with relatives here.

Masters Harold and Wendal Barton of Jacquet River, returned home yesterday.

Mr. Wellington Cassidy spent yesterday in Moncton.

Mr. Frank Page, of West Branch, spent a few days of this week here, the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Anthony Kenney.

Mrs. William Donnelly and daughter, Miss Rilla Page, returned home this week after visiting friends in Moncton, Jacquet River and Newcastle.

Mr. and Mrs. Elsie Cormier, of Richibucto Village, spent a couple of days of this week with friends in Adamsville.

Mr. Joseph Cormier, of Vancouver, B. C., arrived last Sunday here the guest of his former home in Adamsville.

Mr. Felix Borque, of Rogersville, who has, for the past six weeks been engaged here sawing logs for Mr. John Brown, has finished his cut here and has removed his mill to Clairville where Mr. Brown has another large cut of logs.

Mrs. John Beers and children are visiting friends in Harcourt.

Mr. John Brown, of Millis Melanson, of St. Paul, spent last Sunday here the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Leger.

Miss Mary Gallant spent Tuesday in Moncton.

Miss Sarah Allen spent last week in the village relative in Jolietville.

Mrs. Margaret Spencer is the guest of Mrs. A. Hudson.

Mrs. F. Allen, of Lakeville, spent Sunday with his parents here.

BENTON NEWS

Benton, July 31.—Misses Julia and Eva Griffin who have been visiting their mother have returned to their duties in the Bellevue Hospital, New York.

Misses Amber and Jean Teed of St. John are guests of the Misses Eva and Juanita Mills.

Mrs. Kenneth Richards is spending a holiday in St. Andrews.

Mrs. Fred Blair of Debec, Mrs. Douglas Gibson and Mrs. Alfred Howard of New York and Mrs. Byron Hunter of Vancouver, Me. are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Deakin.

Mrs. Verna Baird of Fredericton who has been the guest of Miss Estella Anderson returned to her home on Friday.

Miss Margaret Elliott has returned home after spending several months with her sister in Parry Sound, Ont.

Mr. and Mrs. George of Auburn, Me., are guests of Mrs. Margaret Sharp.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Deakin, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Deakin, Mrs. F. R. Blair, Mrs. D. Gibson, Mrs. A. W. Howard, Mrs. J. B. Hunter, Miss Estella Anderson and Mr. Frank Anderson have gone to Skiff Lake for a couple of weeks.

P. W. Oils of this place and George Oils of Meductic left on Wednesday on an automobile trip to Portland and Boston.

An ice cream social and entertainment will be held by the Women's Institute of this place in Oils' hall Thursday evening.

The proceeds to go towards purchasing a machine gun.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of J. C. Watson

A Contest for Boy Scouts and Girl Guides

All boy scouts and girl guides are expected to be able to draw a little at least. Now I am going to give you a chance to show how much you really do know. Make a careful drawing of an aeroplane, on a piece of paper not less than 10 inches by 8 inches. Use pen and ink, and if you wish colors. When completed attach the scouts' contest coupon, correctly filled in, to same, and forward to Scout Editor, The Standard, St. John, N. B. All sketches must reach this office by August 5th, 1915. A valuable book of interest to scouts will be awarded for the best drawing.

STANDARD COMPETITION
For Boy Scouts and Girl Guides

Full Name
Address
Name of Patrol.....
August 2nd.

KING'S COUNTY
MEMBERS GIVE \$1000
FOR MACHINE GUN

Messrs. Fowler, Jones, Murray and Dickson make generous contribution to the fund.

Apohequi, Aug. 2.—W. A. Jones has consented to act as collector for the machine gun fund, and is soliciting subscriptions in the parishes of Sussex and Stoddard.

Mrs. Jones has already booked an encouraging sum, \$1,000, which will furnish one gun, being given from four political gentlemen, viz. Geo. W. Fowler, M.P., Hon. J. A. Murray, M.L.A., Geo. B. Jones, M.L.A., and H. V. Dickson, M.L.A. A number of other substantial sums have also been received from residents of the village and surrounding country, though comparatively few in the parishes have as yet been appealed to.

Geo. B. Jones, M.L.A., went to Ottawa the early part of this week.

Dr. and Mrs. Burgess, Mrs. C. F. Avar and the Misses Kathleen Burgess and Mabel Hunter, all of Moncton, were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter T. Burgess.

Miss Muriel Jones is spending a few weeks at Salmon Creek, guest of her grandmother Mrs. Fowler.

Wm. E. Cooper and Miss Grace Lyons, St. John, were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Connelly.

Mrs. A. I. Second, Lowell, Mass., arrived this morning to make a visit with her mother Mrs. Nelson Second.

Miss Annie Parlee is enjoying a few weeks visit with friends at Great Salmon River.