

HANTSPORT NEWS

Mrs. Fred Smith

The community was saddened on Saturday evening to learn of the passing away of Mrs. Fred Smith, at the age of 59 years, after a short illness of pneumonia. The deceased was well known and highly esteemed, having a wide circle of friends in Hantsport and vicinity. She will be missed in the community and in the home, being a most devoted wife and mother. Besides a sorrowing husband, she leaves to mourn their loss two sons and two daughters, Hazel at home, Maurice and Annie (Mrs. M. Fritenburg) of Hantsport, and Frank of Truro. The funeral services were held from her late residence on Tuesday, conducted by the Rev. Mr. Mellick, assisted by Rev. Dr. Dickie and Rev. J. C. Spurr. Interment in River Bank Cemetery.

The "St. Patrick's Day" Fair at the Empire Theatre on Saturday evening was an unqualified success from every standpoint. Mere words are quite inadequate to describe the brilliant scene witnessed there, but most certainly those who were fortunate enough to be present will have reason to remember this most pleasant evening. The Fair was undertaken and successfully carried out by the Hantsport Tennis Club, who are trying to complete paying off the big construction bill of their splendid courts. Much praise and credit is due the lady members of the club, who so untiringly laboured at the booth decorations, as well as those who were responsible for the success of the "Fairy Dance". Though the Candy, Flower, Fortune, and Post Office Booths did a thriving business, without a doubt the "Fairy Dance" and Shooting Gallery were the leading attractions. The Fair was followed by an informal dance.

Mrs. (Capt.) Burton Davison, who returned recently, via Yarmouth, from Boston where she spent the winter, had quite a thrilling experience. Leaving Yarmouth Friday morning on the Eastern bound express they found on reaching Bridgetown that it was impossible to proceed further as there was a train bound west stalled in a snowbank. They arrived in Bridgetown at 1:30 o'clock, where they were compelled to remain for ten hours, during which time a terrific gale was sweeping over the Province. While there a steeple was blown from a church, and the cars rocked to such an extent that they almost appeared in danger of being overturned. At 11:30, the track once more being free, the train proceeded on its way, only to have another delay at Kentville. On reaching that town a message was flashed over the wires that an engine was imbedded in a snowbank on the track at the "Sugar Loaf" about one mile and a half west of Hantsport and men with their shovels from Kentville, Windsor and Hantsport were trying to extricate it, which they succeeded in doing after many hours of strenuous labour. The express reached Hantsport at 5 o'clock Saturday morning.

Through the zealous efforts of Principal Jacques, a gramophone has been installed in the Hantsport School. Music in the School is steadily becoming a more important feature of public education. Music is a potent aid in the most important point of education. In observing measure and tone in music, one grows refined in speech and action. Everywhere human life stands in need of accurate measure and concordant harmony.

Mr. Donald Card, who has been on an Evangelistic tour with the Rev. Dr. Sidney, in Guysboro County, was a recent guest of his sister Mrs. Sidney, Avon Street. Mr. Card, who possesses a rich Baritone and a graduate in vocal at Acadia, has been conducting the song part of the services, but on account of throat troubles is obliged to take a rest. He left on Saturday for his home in Burlington, Hants County.

Porter Bros. have entered upon a new enterprise, having purchased room the Government, the Paint Mines at Ardoise, Hants County, which they expect to operate the coming summer.

Mr. Ernest Frizzle is visiting friends in Greenwich.

Mrs. (Capt.) Albert Lawrence left on Tuesday for Pictou where she will be the guest of her daughter Mrs. (D.) Sutherland.

Mrs. Chas. Dunbar, who spent a part of the winter visiting friends in St. John and Moncton, returned home last week.

Mrs. E. R. Gertridge is a guest at the home of the Misses Smith, Windsor.

Mr. W. Coalfleet of New York, visited his family here recently.

Mrs. C. J. Yeaton entertained a number of her friends very pleasantly on Thursday evening.

Miss Nita Parker, of Newport, Hants County, spent the week end with friends in town.

Mr. Harold McKinnon, of Springhill, is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Murray.

Mr. Jackson, Veterinary Surgeon of Kentville, was in town on Monday.

Miss Marguerite Lawrence is visiting her sister, Mrs. Jack Redden, Halifax.

Miss Ethel Rockefeller, of Hantsport, who has been the guest of her sister Mrs. Ruggles Dodge, Montreal, has accepted a position in Toronto.

Mayor D. W. Murray was in attendance at the Board of Trade conference held in Kentville March 19th.

Personal and Social

Mr. C. S. Fitch is visiting friends at Halifax.

Mayor H. W. Phinney is on a business trip to Sydney.

Mrs. L. F. Blenkhorn, of Canning, was a visitor in town this week, a guest at the home of her brother, Mr. C. A. Patriquin.

Dr. F. W. Patterson spent Sunday at Halifax, where he addressed the Y. M. C. A. on the subject, "The Sacrifice of the Mountains".

Mr. B. H. Hooper, of Moncton, manager of the Crown Life Assurance Co. for the Maritime Provinces, was a guest this week of Mr. W. C. Bleak ey.

Mr. J. W. Smith returned last week from an extended business trip during which he visited a number of southern cities including New Orleans, and had a most interesting and enjoyable time.

DEATH OF FORMER WOLFVILLE RESIDENT

The funeral took place here yesterday of Mrs. E. H. Beattie, who passed away at Halifax on Tuesday evening. Services were conducted here by Rev. Dr. Manning, a long time friend of the deceased and of her late husband, Rev. Frank Beattie. Interment was made in the family lot in Willow Bank Cemetery, where her remains were laid beside those of her husband who predeceased her eleven years ago. The pall bearers were Dr. A. J. McKenna, Messrs. J. E. Hales, H. A. Peck, David Thompson, Harry Brown and Ernest Wickwire. Dr. Manning paid a most beautiful and touching tribute to the many good qualities of the deceased and to her valuable work as a co-laborer with her husband during his work of over forty years in the Christian ministry.

Mrs. Beattie was a native of Hammond, N. B., and a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Charles Howe, her father being a first cousin of the late Honorable Joseph Howe. At the age of sixteen she secured a teacher's first class license and taught in various schools in New Brunswick with signal success. In 1871 she was united in marriage to the Rev. Francis Beattie and played worthily her part with him as a co-laborer in the Lord's Vinyard in a number of different churches including Hopewell, N. B., Kingston, Parrsboro, Granville, N. S., Galt and Glamis, Ont. In all these places she entered enthusiastically into the work of the church with a special interest in the Sunday School and Missions. In 1900 Mr. and Mrs. Beattie retired to Lower Wolfville and he gave up regular pastoral charges. Here she lived up till the past few years. One son survives, Frank Beattie, editor of the Bridgetown Monitor. Rev. E. H. Howe, of Kingston, N. S., is a nephew of the deceased. The late Mrs. Beattie was in the eighty-eighth year of her age and enjoyed the esteem and respect of a very large circle now of course almost entirely broken by death.

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Miss Hilda Fullerton returned on Saturday from a visit of several days with friends in Wolfville.

Mrs. Coldwell, of Waterville, Kings County, was a recent guest of her sister Mrs. N. E. Coldwell, Hants Border.

Messrs. W. Perry and G. Newcombe, of the United Fruit Co. Steamer, "The San Bruno", visited at their respective homes here recently.

Miss Aileen Yeaton purposes leaving in the near future for an extended visit at the home of her aunt Mrs. B. Newcombe, Grand Rapids, Mich.

Mr. "Dod" Burns, of Falmouth, spent Sunday at his home here.

OUT IN FRONT

(By the Pioneer Sergeant)

YOU KNOW

ITS a funny world,

PERSONALLY

WE'VE never been

IN A FUNNIER.

WE are a lot

FUNNY people, too—

NOW don't get sore.

WE believe everything

WE are told.

WE like it.

GRANDMA believes she's

YOUNG

GRANDPA thinks he's as

SKITTISH as a colt.

IT'S human nature;

FUNNY isn't it.

IF we were told

IT was going to be

A HARD winter—

WE'D believe it.

IF we were told that

SPRING is coming—

WELL—of course—

WE just can't

BELIEVE everything.

WE should educate ourselves

TO doubt some things.

IT'S bad business

TO believe them all.

NOW

WE DIDN'T mention incomes

IT didn't enter

OUR head at all;

BUT we do hope

THAT none of our

INTELLIGENT citizens

WILL so far forget themselves

AS to believe

ALL the rash tales

WE hear about this

VERY elastic commodity.

AS we used to say

IN the good old days

OF mud and blood,

"OH, oh, its a lovely wag."

A. C. A. HOLDS ANNUAL

RECEPTION

The annual reception of the Acadia Collegiate and Business Academy was held Saturday evening in Memorial Gymnasium. This reception is usually one of the outstanding social events of the term and this year proved no exception to the rule. The gymnasium was beautifully decorated with college colors as well as showing a predominating note of green in honor of St. Patrick.

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