# FROM ALL OVER THE MARITIME PROVINCES

## HOPEWELL HILL

Hopewell Hill, July 25—The crops throughout the Shepody section have been growing splendidly the last few weeks and are now well advanced, with prospects of a bountiful harvest, if average conditions prevail from now on. The hay crop, both on upland and marsh, is probably much above that of last year, and grain and potatoes are looking fine. The gardens also are in fine condition. The rapid growth has been very noticeable, for the seed generally was planted quite late. A small quantity of upland hay has been gathered and the coming week will likely see haying operations in full blast.

Fletcher Peacock, of Fredericton, director of manual training, spent Sunday with Mrs. Peacock's parents, Captain and Mrs. Western Crocker at Albert. Mrs. Peacock has been at her old home for some weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Bliss A. Smith and family, of St. John, came by Saturday's train to spend some time at the home of the former's father, R. Chesley Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Stevens, of Campbellton, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Stevens, at the Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Adair and little daughter, of Sussex, came by yesterday's train to spend a few days at the home of Mrs. Adair's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William McGorman.

Roy Rommel, of Apple River, has been visiting his parents, Councillor and Mrs. Rommel, Alma, and made a trip to Moncton last week.

Miss Doherty, of Sussex, has been engaged for the primary department of the school here.

Friends here have received word that Mrs. Bradeen, of Seattle, daughter of Captain and Mrs. H. W. Robinson, formerly of this place, who was injured when her husband, Louis Bradley, was killed, in a recent railroad accident, was not as seriously hurt as at first feared. The car in which Mr. and Mrs. Bradeen were traveling, fell a distance of forty feet and was broken to pieces, so that the escape of Mrs. Bradeen from death was well nigh miraculous.

A young son of Alex. Hawkes, of Curryville, while playing with a cartridge yesterday, received quite a severe injury, the cartridge accidentally exploding and the bullet hitting him in the eye. Dr. Kirby, of Hillsboro, was summoned to attend to the injured lad.

Mrs. Arthur Stevens, of Hiram, Albert county, was operated upon on Monday for appendicitis, Dr. Lewis and Dr. Kirby officiating. The patient is reported as doing well.

Hopewell Hill, July 26—Capt. Herbert Peck, of Hopewell Cape, has sold his packet, the Aggie Curry, to Capt. Hatfield. Capt. Peck has also sold his fine residence at the shiretown to Amos Joyce, and with his mother and brother James, expects soon to remove to Portland (Me.), to take up his residence.

Capt. Judson Hamilton, who has been living in St. John for some years, has purchased the residence at the Cape owned by Collingwood Buck. Mrs. Hamilton is expected up this week.

Miss Almeda Edgett, professional nurse, is at Hopewell Cape, attending Mrs. J. F. Sith, who is suffering from a paralytic affection.

Henry Newcomb, of Moncton, spent Sunday at his old home here.

Charles Jones, of Moncton, visited his brother, James Jones, at the Hill this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar M. Wilband and daughter, of Amherst, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Tingley, at Hopewell Cape.

Mr. and Mrs. Brooks, of Fredericton, are visiting at the Cape, guests at the Albert house.

Miss Maud Jamieson and her niece, Miss Evelina Jamieson, of Worcester (Mass.), are visiting at the shiretown.

Mrs. Annie Coleman and son, Roy, of Moncton, are among the summer visitors at the Cape.

Misses Helen and Gladys Jamieson, of Moncton, are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Benson Jamieson.

The big picnic under the management of the Catholic church at Riverside, today, was a fine success. A large number were in attendance, the steamer Harbinger bringing a crowd of excursionists from The Joggins. The brass band from the latter place furnished music.

William Copp, of River Hebert, visited his brothers, E. C. and G. W. Copp, of Riverside, today.

The full staff of the Consolidated school for the coming year has been engaged as follows: Geore J. Marr, B.A., principal; Miss Weir, of Doaktown, vice-principal; R. J. McKenzie, Miss McIntyre, Miss Hayward. This is on teacher less than last year's staff.

Mr. Bailey, of Fredericton, mining engineer, who has been conducting prospecting operations at the old Freese copper mine at New Ireland, left for his home on Saturday, operations being held up for the present at least. There seems to be a possibility that the ore deposit is only a pocket, though this has not been determined conclusively.

Hopewell Hill, July 28—A. W. Oliver, of Albert, who has been conducting a factory for the manufacture of concrete building blocks for some time, is making plans to branch out into another line of cement work, which is unique in this part of the country. This is the manufacture, in fine cement or concrete, of exterior caskets or coffins. These proposed receptacles, in which the inner caskets are placed, will have a cover of concrete cemented on at interment and are supposed to be practically indestructible. Mr. Oliver, it is understood, is likely to form a connection with a Halifax concern for the carrying on of the business. Such caskets, it is said, are in use in some parts, but so far as known have never been introduced in the maritime provinces.

A large cow moose arrived in the village a few days ago, and is not likely to make a similar visit soon, its sojourn being in some ways unpleasant. The most disagreeable experience was when the animal attempted to jump a wire fence, which it failed to clear. When citizens arrived the denizen of the forest was on its back with three feet hopelessly entangled in the wires. The men had to cut the wire strands away before the captured animal could get free. Then there was some fairly good travelling in the direction of the tall timber. Moose and deer are very plentiful, especially the latter, and farmers' gardens have suffered from their depredations.

Mrs. Rena Milton has been in a rather distressing condition of health for some time, and arrangements are being made to have her removed to the provincial hospital.

Rev. H. E. DeWolfe, pastor of the Baptist church, left yesterday on a short visit to his old home in St. Stephen. He was accompanied by his sister, who has been visiting him for some weeks at Albert. They motored as far as St. John with W. C. Cross and party.

Mrs. Alex. Brewster, of St. John, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. B. Dickson, at Hopewell Cape.

Miss Annie R. Peck visited Moncton this week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Peck, of St. John, are here on a short visit.

Miss Mary Reid, who has been visiting her old home in New Horton, has returned to Framington (Mass.)

## REXTON

Rexton, N. B., July 26—Thomas Bowser, of Montreal, is spending his vacation with his mother, Mrs. Edwin Bowser.

Miss Clora Palmer has been engaged to teach the intermediate department of the Superior school here.

Mrs. R. A. McGregor has returned from a visit to her sister, Mrs. A. Wood, Moncton. Her little son, Kenneth, is still with his aunt.

Fred. Girvan has returned to his home in St. John after visiting his brother, Dr. R. G. Girvan.

Miss Margaret McGregor is enjoying a visit with her friend, Miss Pugsley, in Amherst (N. S.)

A large number of our town's people were at Big Cove yesterday attending the St. Anne's celebration.

Mrs. Colesworthy, of Worcester (Mass.), is visiting her cousin, Mrs. H. M. Ferguson.

Harry and John Girvan are enjoying their vacation with friends in Amherst. They made the journey by auto.

Miss Alice Robertson, of Boston, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Robertson, at Main River.

Miss Tilley Roach, who recently returned from the west, has accepted the offer of the Main River school.

A very successful basket social was held at Bass River Wednesday evening in aid of the Roman Catholic church.

## WOODSTOCK

Woodstock, July 26—The harvesting of the hay crop has begun in this county and many men are engaged in the work. The crop is good but recent severe rain storms flooded the meadows, covering them with dirt which means the sharpening of machine knives more often than usual.

Theodore Bird is here rehearsing the play, Jack's Wife, which will be produced by local talent. The affair is in aid of the Red Cross and will be put on some time in August in the Hayden-Gibson Theatre.

At a tennis tournament here Saturday Woodstock players were defeated by Andover.

Officers Saturday destroyed several barrels of liquor, seized some time ago under Scott act proceedings.

Dr. I. W. W. Baker, eye specialist, expects to leave here for St. John about August 1 to take up the practice of his profession. His office will be in Waterloo street.

Saturday was the last day of discount on taxes. The town treasurer expects the collections to be about the same as last year, possibly more.

## HARVEY STATION

Harvey Station, July 27—Haying has begun on most farms. The crop is reported better than last year. Other crops are looking well except on low lands, where some damage has been done by the recent rains.

George Tracy, an old resident of Acton, is very seriously ill at his home there.

Miss Marjorie Tracy, who returned from St. Stephen a short time ago, where she underwent a very severe operation in the hospital there, is now well on the way of recovery.

Mrs. Andrew Daws, of Millenocket (Me.), is visiting relatives and friends here and at Acton.

W. D. Smith went to Portland (Me.) last week to visit relatives and friends for a few days. He and Mrs. Smith are expected home on Thursday.

Mrs. G. M. Poore, of Lawrence (Mass.) is making an extended visit among friends and relatives in this section.

Some imposters representing themselves as belonging to the army have recently been trying to collect money in this section pretending that it was for military purposes, but have met with little or no success.

## GRAND FALLS.

Grand Falls, July 26—The sympathy of all goes out to Mr. and Mrs. George M. Taylor, both of whom have been bereft of their mothers during the past week. Mrs. Taylor's mother, Mrs. N. Willett, died at her old home in Lower Brighton, on Sunday, the 18th inst. She had been ill for some months, and a few days before her death, expressed a wish to leave Grand Falls, and go to her old home. She was taken there on Thursday, accompanied by her daughters, Mrs. Taylor and Mrs. Caldwell and her son-in-law, Mr. Frederick Warnock, and lived only a few days after reaching there. Besides her three daughters here, she leaves another daughter, living at Red Rapids, and a son in the West.

Mrs. Taylor, too, had been in poor health for some months, and was seventy-eight years old at the time of her death. Her husband, Mr. John Taylor, died about twenty years ago. Before her marriage she was Miss Margaret Warnock, of St. John. She has lived here for many years, and was well known and highly respected. She leaves four sons, John, in the West; Hugh, William, and George of this town. Her only daughter, Mrs. Wm. Alexander, of Houlton, died three years ago. The funeral on Saturday afternoon at the Presbyterian church was attended by Rev. Mm. Farley, and was very largely attended.

Wm. Alexander, of Houlton, was in town for Mrs. Taylor's funeral.

The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Institute was held on Wednesday evening at their room. It was the principal business meeting of the year, being the time for election of officers and delegates to the provincial convention in Fredericton in October. The following officers were elected: Mrs. W. S. McCluskey, president; Miss Reama Evans, vice-president; Mrs. J. L. White, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. G. M. Taylor, Mrs. F. W. Olmstead, Mrs. Albyn Burgess, Misses Bessie Fraser and Pearl Leslie, director; Miss Helen Costigan and Mrs. C. C. White, auditors. Mrs. McCluskey and Miss Costigan were elected delegates to the convention. The report of the committee in charge of the strawberry festival was received. Votes of thanks were passed to Mr. W. R. McLaren for advertising the festival in the pictures, to the band for their services, and to the Misses Fraser for the use of their house and lawn. It was voted to send $15 of the proceeds of the festival to Miss Winter toward the motor ambulance fund.

Tea was served at the new tennis court on Mr. Heckler's grounds on Wednesday afternoon by Mrs. Heckler, Misses Reama Evans and Leitha White. Mrs. Heckler very kindly invited the members to remain for the evening, which was very pleasantly spent with dancing and music. Among those invited were Mr. and Miss Campbell, of Boston, guests of Dr. and Mrs. Puddington, who added much to the pleasure of the guests by their delightful music.

Walter Powers returned from Fredericton on Wednesday. His many friends are glad to see him back.

Cecil Merritt, second son of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Merritt, had the misfortune to break his arm on Wednesday.

Gerald Olmstead was successfully operated on for appendicitic at the hospital on Saturday.

The Misses Fraser received a telegram from her brother, Sergt. G. Percy Fraser, telling her that he was sailing from Quebec for England on the 18th inst. He has been appointed on the Second Canadian Postal Unit, and will probably be stationed in England for the present.

Miss Bessie Fraser is visiting Mrs. Fraser in Sdmundston.

Mrs. James Brebner visited her sister, Mrs. Wm. Pirie during the week.

Misses Annie and Jennie Watson, of Andover, are visiting at the home of their brothers, Mr. James Watson.

## PETITCODIAC

Petitcodiac, July 27—A. Jones, station agent at Napan (N. S.), has returned home after spending a short vacation at his home here.

Miss Edith Parkin, graduate nurse at St. Stephen, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Minor Parkin.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Henry Cochran and family are the guests of the former's mother, Mrs. Thos. Cochran.

Miss Ella Lockhart is spending her vacation with her mother.

Mrs. Mel. Collpitts, who has been the guest of Mrs. Geo. McAnn, returned to her home in Grangville on Friday.

Miss Maud Mann, who has been the guest of relatives in Everett (Mass.), for the past few months, has returned home.

Mrs. Thos. Colpitts, Hartford (Conn.), is the guest of friends in town.

Miss Nellie Freeze, Sussex, is the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. Alice Lockhart.

W. H. Bickerton is visiting relatives in Sackville.

Miss Josie Godard is visiting her sister in the St. John hospital, where she recently underwent an operation.

Alonzo Keith was the guest of his son Everett, Sussex, for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Stockton spent Monday at Smith's Creek.

G. Fred Fowler spent Wednesday in Salisbury.

"The Circle Girls" of the Methodist church held a lown party on the grounds of Thos. Smith, on Monday. Twenty-five dollars was realized, which goes to missions. A very pleasing programme was carried out.

Mrs. Azor Jonah was the guest of Mrs. D. A. Jonah, Moncton, on Tuesday.

A. T. Stockton and son John, Cornhill, were the guests of friends on Tuesday.

## GAGETOWN.

Gagetown (N. B.), July 26—The fortnightly meeting of the Red Cross Society was held on Friday afternoon on the veranda and lawn of Mrs. J. A. Casswell's home, and was a very pleasant affair. The members worked busily at knitting socks and rolling bandages. Several simple and ingenious bandage rollers were made for the use of the Red Cross, by N. H. Otty. The president, Mrs. Wilkinson, announced that she had received a letter from the secretary of the Red Cross at Halifax, expressing appreciation for the work done by the Gagetown branch, and asking for continued support in the work which is so much needed. The usual afternoon tea was served, in which Mrs. Casswell was assisted by Miss Winifred Babbitt and Miss Molly Otty. The Misses Casswell and Miss Mary Scovil, served. $3.20 was thus added to the funds.

Miss S. Jessie Weyman, who is now feeling much improved, left on Friday for her home in Sussex.

Miss Nellie Bulyea accompanied Miss Weyman to St. John and will remain for a few days.

Miss Leora Simpson, who has been spending some months in Boston, with her brother, Dr. George Simpson, returned home on Friday, and was accompanied by Mrs. Simpson and Master Edward Simpson.

Miss Bessie McMulkin, of Lawfield, has been spending the week with her sister, Mrs. Harry Vail.

Miss Grace Cameron, of St. John, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Brodie.

Dr. and Mrs. Gandier, of Halifax, have been spending the past week visiting here.

Dr. J. A. Casswell returned on Friday from Digby (N. S.), where he was the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Edward Du Vernet.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard R. Reid and children, are spending the summer at their pleasant camp on Otnabog lake.

A party of young people enjoyed a motor boat trip to Macdonald's corner, on Saturday evening, where they were the guests of Miss Lillian Macdonald. A very pleasant evening was spent in dancing and other ammusements. Among those who enjoyed Miss Macdonald's hospitality were Mrs. E. S. Brodie, the Miss Greta Rubins, Frances Casswell, Marian Casswell, Greta Fox, Annie Dickie, Gladys Dickie, Ethel Weston, Hazel Estey, Mary Scovil; Messrs. Martin Fox, Frases Fox, Frank Fox, J. W. Hamilton, Roger Scovil, Edward Scovil, Frank DuVernet, Coburn Harrison, Bruce Pincombe.

Miss Pearl Peters, returned on Saturday from a visit in St. John and Rothesay while away. Miss Peters enjoyed a pleasant outing on Partridge Island, when Lieutenant-Colonel Beverly R. Armstrong and the officers stationed there entertained a number of friends at afternoon tea.

John H. Palmer, who is a member of


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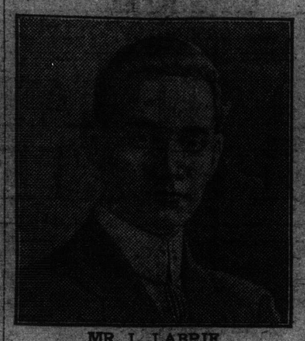

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the McGill Hospital staff and has been ill at Shorncliffe fore some weeks, is now quite well again, and will join the hospital at Boulogne in a short time. While in Shorncliffe, Mr. Palmer saw Allen Otty and Bert. Edwards, who are with the 12th Battalion Reserves.

Miss Edith Doherty, of St. John, is the guest of her cousins, the Misses Annie and Gladys Dickie.

Miss Greta Rubins left on Monday for Bathurst, where she will snend some weeks with Mr. and Mrs. McFadzen at their summer camp on the bay. Miss Rubins was accompanied to Fredericton by Mrs. Rubins.

Kenneth Smith, son of Rev. A. G. Smith, former rector of St. John's church, has given up a good position in Mattawa (Ont.), to enlist with an Ontario regiment.

Mrs. T. Sherman Peters is spending some time in Digby, where she is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Edward Du-Vernet.

Mr. and Mrs. Gabriel Deveber were visitors in Digby last week.

Mrs. F. L. Corey and Master Cecil Corey spent Saturday in Fredericton.

Donald A. Adamson is making extensive improvements in the saw mill pear the wharf. The old mill has been torn down, and a new one will be put up on much the same situation, but will be larger and show a number of improved features. The ground surrounding the mill is also being cleared up.

Miss Edith Jones and Master Wilmot Jones, of Boston, who have been spending some weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Archie McAllister have gone to Jerusalem (N. B.), for a visit.

## NEWCASTLE

Newcastle, July 23—Miss Inez Brown and Mrs. Johnson, of Brockton (Mass.), are spending the summer with their mother, Mrs. Grace Brown.

Lieutenant Cecil Smith, of the 55th battalion, Valcartier, is visiting friends in Newcastle and Chatham.

A very enjoyable dance was held in Hogan's new Opera House tonight and a large number attended from Chatham and Nelson.

Newcastle, July 27—While working with the painters on the I. C. R. bridge west of Campbellton yesterday morning, Frank Barton, of Chatham, lost his balance and fell to the water below. He was stunned by the fall and drowned immediately. The body will be brought to Chatham for interment.

At a citizens' meeting held in the town hall last night, J. R. Lawlor presiding, it was decided to have a speaker here and hold a recruiting meeting and collect money for the purchase of machine guns on August 4. A committee composed of the town council, an a delegation from the board of trade and patriotic committee will hold a meeting on Thursday night to arrange a suitable programme. Judge M. Latchey, of Campbellton, was present at last night's meeting and delivered a stirring address on the duties we owe the empire.

## RICHIBUCTO

Richibucto, July 26—The Swedish Canadian Lumber Company lumber mill at the north end of the town stopped over a week ago.

Henry O'Leary, who passed the examination for lieutenant a few weeks ago, and, who had again been in Halifax receiving further military training, returned on Friday to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. O'Leary. He will be in the 64th Battalion, now mobilizing at Sussex.

The following shipment was made last week by our Red Cross Society: 13 surgical shirts; 8 day shirts; 14 night shirts; 1 pair of pajamas; 1 pair of bed socks; 2 dressing gowns; 3 pounds of castile soap; 1 box of chewing gum; old linen and magazines. The society will meet during vacation at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

Mrs. F. W. McBacon returned on Wednesday from a short visit to St. John.

Mrs. W. H. McLeod and daughter, Miss Edith, of Fredericton are visiting Dr. and Mrs. T. J. Bourque, Mrs. McLeod's sister.

Miss Fraser, of Sackville, has been a guest of Mrs. Jasper G. Pine.

William Powell, of Moncton spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. Hutchinson, his daughter.

Miss Reid and Miss Moore, of Port Elgin, are visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Moore.

W. L. Moore and Leo. Moore are also visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. David A. Moore.

Many friends are glad to greet Mrs. Ephraim Pine, who for about two years has been with her children in Bay View, Nova Scotia. Mrs. Pine and her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Alfred Pine, are guests of Mrs. Jasper G. Pine.

The death of Olin E. Bennett, of Ossipee (N. H.), which took place in the hospital at Portland (Me.), was learned here with regret and much sympathy is felt for his wife and two little daughters, who were here four years ago, visiting Mrs. Bennett's father, James A. Jardine.

Mrs. Bowen Smith, formerly of Shediac, recently in th West, is making a lengthy visit to Mrs. J. Rankine MacKinnon.

Dudley Collier, of Loggieville, has been spending a week's vacation with friends in town.

Miss Gertrude Amiraux is visiting friends in Moncton.

Thomas Kingston, son of John Kingston, of Kouchibouguac was last Tuesday united in marriage to Miss Janet Tweedie, of Kouchibouguac. The ceremony was performed at the rectory of Rev. F. W. M. Bacon.

Mrs. Robert Patterson, who spent most of the winter and the spring with her youngest daughter at Waltham (Mass.) arrived home last week.

Mrs. Shortis and children, of St. John, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Fitzpatrick.

William Robertson, of St. John, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roderick Robertson.

Mrs. Cronk and two sons, of Ontario, have joined Mr. Cronk, who is here on business connected with the Kent Northern Railway.

Mrs. R. Robertson and Mrs. James Clark and baby daughter spent Sunday with relatives at Kouchibouguac.

## ANDOVER

Andover, N. B., July 26—Mrs. Charles Henderson, of St. Stephen, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. H. L. Alcorn.

Miss Susie Watson has gone to St. John to visit her cousins, the Misses Duffy, for a month.

Malcolm Macdonald and Herbert Baird spent a few days salmon fishing on the Tobique last week.

Mr. Murchie and Miss Esme Stewart returned from Presque Isle on Saturday, where they had spent a week visiting Miss Chandler.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Alcorn, Miss Mary Henderson and Harry Wade spent three days last week salmon fishing at Gulquas pools. Mr. Alcorn was successful in landing a fifteen pound salmon.

Mrs. James Tibbits and Mrs. C. Armstrong served ice cream and cake at the Red Cross meeting on Wednesday. The sum of $6.90 was realized for Red Cross work.

Mrs. Alfred Stevens entertained a few friends at a tea party Thursday afternoon.

Dr. and Mrs. Dickison and Mrs. Ward spent the day fishing at Munjac Thursday.

The Kincardine Red Cross Society held a garden party on the lawn of Andrew Davidson on Thursday, which was a great success. The sum of $62 was realized.

Miss Kathleen Dickie and Miss Jean Henderson are visiting the Misses Kilburn.

Mrs. William Curry and Miss Margaret Curry attended the Red Crose garden party at Kincardine on Thursday.

Mrs. Benjamin Beveridge and daughter Edith left on Friday for St. Andrews. Before returning they will visit Deer Island.

Mrs. Robert Kelly and children left on Friday for a visit to Mrs. Kelly's old home in Albert county.

Alexander Stevenson and John Niles spent Thursday and Friday fishing on the Dead Water of Bear Brook.

James Magill returned from Fort Fairfield on Friday, where he had been visiting his son, James Magill, jr.

Miss Rosa F. Hoyt went to Woodstock Friday for a short visit.

Archie Dickson is spending his vacation at Henry Baird's.

The Andover Tennis Club went to Woodstocy on Friday to play a tournament with the Woodstock club on their courts on Saturday. The players were Misses Janet Curry, Kathleen Beveridge, Emma Wootten, Millicent Carter and T. J. Carter, N. J. Wootten, H. L. Alcorn, Claude Knappe, G. Birmingham and James Porter. The tournament resulted in ten events for Andover and six events for Woodstock. All report a very pleasant day.

Mrs. S. P. Waite and Mrs. Barbour spent the day Saturday in Limestone.

Rev. Gordon Pringle, of Kincardine, was in the village Saturday.

The Kilburn Red Cross Society held their regular meeting at Mrs. James Stewart's on Thursday last. Tea was served on the lawn by Mrs. R. H. Inman, Mrs. Murray Grant, and Mrs. Kilburn. The sum of $4 was realized.

Robert Curry and Jack Lynch spent the day at Upper Kent Sunday.

## GRAND HARBOR

Grand Harbor, July 24—Ross Cronk, seventeen-year-old son of Albert Cronk, of Grand Harbor, was severely injured last Sunday evening by being thrown from a bicycle which he was riding. He sustained an injury about the head which rendered him unconscious for about forty-eight hours. He is slowly improving, and it is thought that he will recover. Both Dr. Johnson and Dr. Macaulay were in attendance at the time of the accident. An operation will not be necessary as at first supposed.

Mrs. Small and daughter Emma, of North Head, were violently thrown from their carriage while driving a few days ago. Mrs. Small received injuries about the face and was severely shaken up. Miss Emma escaped unhurt. The horse became frightened of a passing automobile, which caused the accident.

Samuel J. Naves and daughter, Mrs. A. B. Richardson, and Mrs. McNulty, left here on Wednesday morning for Lubec (Me.), where Mrs. Richardson resides. Mrs. McNulty will return to her home in Exeter (Mass.) in a few days. Mr. Naves, who has been a resident of the island for a number of years, has sold his residence at North Head, and will reside in Lubec in the future. Owing to ill health he was forced to retire from his business as blacksmith. He is well known about the island and his many friends will sincerely regret his departure, while it is hoped by all that his health will be speedily restored. His residence was purchased by the members of the North Head Reformed Baptist church, to be used as a parsonage.

Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gaskill returned to their home at Waterford (N. B.) last week, after spending a few weeks with Mr. Gaskill's sister, Miss Arvilla Gaskill.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sinclair, of Castalia, left on Monday last for a trip through different parts of Nova Scotia.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Johnston, of Woodward's Cove, returned to their home last Tuesday after a short visit to St. John.

Mrs. Sarah Ellingwood and grandson, Herbert, of Eastport (Me.), are visiting relatives and friends at North Head, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ossian Burnham.

R. S. Lahey, of St. John, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George A. Lahey.

Eugene Dunbar arrived here from Boston last week, and will spend his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dunbar, of North Head.

Mrs. Allan Munroe and son Colin, of Lubec (Me.), are visiting Mrs. Munroe's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Urquhart, of Castalia.

Miss Jessie Fowler and sister, Mrs. Wiley, of Welsford, returned to their home on Friday, after spending a few days at North Head, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ossian Burnham.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Johnson returned to their home last Friday, after spending a few weeks at Grand Harbor, visiting their son, Dr. B. F. Johnson.

Harold Watt returned to Ottawa last week, after spending his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Watt, of Castalia.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Moses, of Yarmouth (N. S.), are visiting relatives and friends at North Head, the guest of Mr. Moses' brother, John R. Moses.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gilmore, of Rumford Falls, are spending a few weeks at North Head, visiting relatives.

Mrs. John Morrison, of North Head, is now convalescent after a long and serious illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Eben Gaskill returned to their home at North Head last week, from Boston, where Mrs. Gaskill has been undergoing operations for severe head trouble. Her condition is greatly improved.

Mrs. Wellington Griffin, of Eastport (Me.), is visiting relatives and friends at Castalia.

Miss Erma Boyd returned to her home in Eastport (Me.), last week after spending a few days at North Head, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Brooks Winchester.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pelton, who have been visiting Mrs. Pelton's mother, Mrs. Jane Bell, returned to their home last Wednesday.

Miss Lucy Irwin returned to her home in St. Andrews last week, after spending a few weeks at Castalia, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George E. Dalzell.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Bigelow, of Cambridge (Mass.), registered at the Marathon Hotel last week.

The Young Men's Bible class of the Castalia Baptist church, left here last Monday for Bear River, where they spent a few days gathering cherries returning home on Friday. The prevailing good weather made the trip very enjoyable.

Mrs. George E. Dalzell, accompanied by her Sunday school class spent Saturday in St. Andrews.

The schooner James L. Maloy of Boston, which was dismasted in the recent storm, while laying at anchor off North Head, was towed to Boston last week by the tugboat Cumberland, Rockland (Me.) The vessel was loaded with lumber and bound for Boston.

Mrs. Clarence Richardson returned to her home at Castalia last week, after spending several days visiting relatives and friends in Letite and Back Bay.

Mrs. Murray and daughter, Helen, of Sussex, are visiting at Castalia, and during their stay will occupy the residence owned by L. C. Graham.

J. M. Flewelling, of St. Stephen, is a guest at the Marathon Hotel.

Winslow Cronk and son, Arthur, of Haverhill (Mass.), are visiting relatives in North Head, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Flagg.

Miss Laura Winters visited the island last week in the interests of the Women's Institute, of which there is a branch at Grand Harbor.

Miss Alice Given, of Boston, is spending the summer months at North Head.

Miss Meyers, of Lubec, is visiting her friend Miss Ona Tatton, of Castalia.

Mrs. Bernard Smith and family are visiting Mrs. Smith's father, John Zwicker, of Castalia.

C. Richardson, of Milville (N. B.), is visiting his parents at Castalia, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Richardson.

Grand Harbor was the scene of a very interesting and enjoyable afternoon on July 22, when through the efforts of the Pythian Knights, arrangements were made for different sports, such as baseball, running races, tub races and greased pole walking. A baseball game played between Grand Harbor and Seal Cove teams, proved evenly contested at the end of nine innings, but in the next two innigs Seal Cove gained two scores which gave them the victory. Immediately after the ball game, tub racing and greased pole walking began which afforded a great deal of amusement. Refreshments were served on the ball grounds and a supper given in the Knight's hall. The band supported by the lodge was in attendance and good music was furnished. The proceeds will be devoted to enlarging the K. P. hall.

Sardines are reported very scarce around the island. The price here has dropped from $15 to $4 and it is thought that the demand will be very small, owing to existing conditions caused by the war. American sardine companies across the border are said to have a supply on hand, which cannot be disposed of. Rumors have been current that factories will close early this season. The hake fishing still holds good, with prices remaining as usual, 80 cents per cwt. Cod and pollock fishing is reported as only fair, and have to be disposed of at Campobello, as local buyers cannot handle them.

## OAK POINT

Oak Point, July 28—The garden party held at Mrs. Francomb's residence on Saturday evening, July 24, in aid of Red Cross work was a success. Home cooking, ice cream, lemonade, strawberries and cream were sold, and the net proceeds amounted to $41.

A party of fourteen young ladies from St. John are camping on the Point. The Boy Scouts of St. James church, St. John, are also under canvas there.

Mrs. James Reid and son, of Toronto, are guests of Mrs. J. N. Inch.

Miss Elizabeth Dodge and Miss Grace Coster are spending their vacation here.

Miss Gertrude Hamilton, who has been teaching at Hainsville, is spending her holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Hamilton.

Miss Millie Carpenter, of Wickham, is visiting Mrs. O. A. Flewelling.

## SALISBURY.

Salisbury, N. B., July 26—The Salisbury branch of the Red Cross Society, of which Mrs. A. E. Trites is the president, raised $45 at their sale of ice cream and strawberries on Saturday evening. Among the visitors who received a warm welcome were Mrs. A. E. Killam, Moncton; Mrs. David Hudson, Glace Bay (N. S.), and Mrs. G. A. Dodge, Moneton, all former Salisbury girls. Mrs. Dodge was accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. A. R. McGowan, of Moncton. On Wednesday evening last the members of the Red Cross Society were waited upon at their work room by Rev. A. D. McCully and James McWilliams, who, on behalf of the Salisbury Orange Lodge, presented the society with $10.50, amount of collection received at the Orangemen's annual church service in the Methodist church on Sunday evening, 18th inst.

Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Gowland and Miss Helen Barnes enjoyed a visit with friends in St. John last week.

Mrs. Messenger, of Bridgetown (N. S.), is the guest here of Rev. and Mrs. N. A. MacNeill.

Mrs. Stephen Weldon, of Penobsquis, is spending a few days in Salisbury with Mr. and Mrs. J. Wallace Taylor.

Arthur Foster, who has been enjoying a visit here with his cousin, Judson E. Foster, returned to his home in St. John last week.

Mrs. Rainsford Keith and Miss Jones, who have been visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jones, returned to Havelock on Sunday evening.

The large encampment of Gypsies who have been at the Wright farm here for the past few days moved along to Moncton Sunday afternoon.

Salisbury, July 28—Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Carter are spending a few days this week with friends at Dorchester, the former attending the summer session of the Municipal Council.

V. Burnham, who has been conducting a grocery business here for some years, is going out of business and has his stock about all disposed of.

A baseball game with a close finish took place here Tuesday evening between a team from Moncton and the Salisbury boys, the latter winning, the scores being 11 to 10.

The majority of farmers in this locality have started haymaking this week. The crops are reported good.

## CARTER'S POINT.

Carter's Point, July 28—A most enjoyable time was spent at the Point on Saturday evening when a masquerade dance was participated in by the young people on Mr. Whelpley's lawn.

The grounds were beautifully decorated with chinese lanterns and torches, the soft glow of which when mingled with the rays of the rising moon made the scene one of splendor. About thirty-five were present and some very fantastic costumes were worn. Most conspicious was that worn by the hostess, who, wearing a shawl lace tunic of rare old lace and ropes of oriental beads, represented a "Queen receiving her subjects."

The Misses Gussies Wood, attired as a witch, Fannie Whelpley, as Red Riding Hood, Myrtle Wright as maid of 1830, won special mention. There were also costumes as worn by Japanese, Red Cross nurse, Queen of Hearts, milkmaid each contributing much to the novelty of the occasion.

Messrs. Paul Whelpley as Mr. Jiggs; Ernest Wright, as Sambo; Charles Morgan, as Miss Ophelia, and Sydney Collins, as Harry Lauder, created much merriment.

Mr. Frodsham who was present kindly furnished music for the dancing.

Refreshments were served at 11 and after singing Auld Lang Syne our much beloved National Anthem and three cheers for the King and hostess the gathering dispersed all having expressed their pleasure at being present.

Mr. Livingstone and family are expected to arrive this week to open their beautiful home; also Mr. Weatherly, of Boston.

Miss McAdoo, of St. John, is spending the week with Miss Myrtle Wright at "Happy Days."

Thomas Brown and family are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Whelpley. Their daughter, Mrs. Fowler, of Vancouver, is also here.

### Life Saved By New Testament.

"If God be for us who then can against us."—Romans 8-31, was the appropriate text against which a bullet, which otherwise would have pierced his heart, was stopped in a New Testament in the pocket of Sergeant A. Ellis, of St. John. The sergeant, who was residing in St. John with his wife and four children and working in the sugar refinery at the outbreak of war, was called home to take his place as a reservist in the ranks of the British Army Service Corps and has been in France ever since.

Early in this month Sergeant Ellis was struck by a bullet which almost ended his career. Fortunately for him he had in his breast pocket the Testament given to him by his pastor, Rev. R. J. Haughton before his departure and the bullet and the book have been sent to Mr. Haughton. The bullet struck the book piercing the leather cover and breaking away an entire section of the volume. A military man who has examined the bullet says that it must have been fired from either a heavy revolver at close range or from a rifle of much greater calibre than the usual military weapon.

The sergeant's letter follows:

Dear Mr. Haughton,—Before I left St. John you were kind enough to give me a little Testament. Little did either of us think that that little book would one day save my life, but such is the case. Last Tuesday night we were engaged on an intricate job—I am not allowed to tell you the nature of the job—the enemy had been busy with his big guns, but as his range was rather long, his shells went screaming well over our heads. I was quite pleased to see all those big shells going to waste, in fact, I was shaking hands with myself, but my little bit of pleasure did not last long, for a moment I thought I was in the air service and was taking my first flight. They opened my coat and shirt, but with the exception of an ugly looking bruise and a little stiffness I was quite all right. I looked around trying to find out what had struck me, but could find nothing. Taking out my note book about half an hour later I found the little thing that had caused the commotion, a soft nosed bullet; it had struck the little book first and lodged itself in my note book. I am sending you both books, you will see for yourself what a close