

SPRINGFIELD

Sept. 12 Miss Ora McNay is home from Melrose. Miss Myrtle Morrison has the North Springfield School. Mrs. Taylor, Amherst is visiting friends in this place. W. L. Saunders, Bridgewater, spent Saturday in this place. Miss Nellie Layte is home from Boston for a few weeks. Miss Gertrude Rook and Mrs. Ellis Rook spent Sunday at Mt. Hanley. Master Guy Durling spent Sunday with his Aunt at Bridgewater. Miss Eva Rook, Halifax is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Rook. Louis Lannigan and bride arrived on Friday evening. They will reside at Hastings. Quite a number from this place attended the Lutheran picnic on Thursday last. Mrs. Josiah Webb is visiting her daughters, Mrs. E. S. Freeman and Mrs. Johnson Crouse. Our teachers Miss Ritey and Miss Reinhardt, are back again after two months' vacation. Miss Hazel Durling returned to Kentville on Monday after spending a few days at her home. Mr. James McGregor who has been visiting at L. M. McNay's returned to Melrose, Mass. on Saturday. Miss Marie Morse, South Williamston, spent the week end guest of Miss Georgina Morrison. Harold Turner, New Germany, had the misfortune to have his arm taken off in the Davison Lumber Co's Mill at Hastings. Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Whynot have moved in I. B. Saunders' house, Lake Pleasant, where they intend living this winter. Lottie Mallan Lake Pleasant and J. Fenwick Robar, Hunter's Lodge were married at Lake Pleasant on Sept. 2, 1916. Rev. William Webb and bride (nee Mildred Harris, Margaretsville) are guests of the former's cousin, Mrs. Ernest Freeman. Rev. E. S. Mason spent a few days of last week in this place. When he returned home he was accompanied by his mother, Mrs. Louisa Mason. Miss Leila McNay, who has been spending the past three weeks at her home, returned to New York on Saturday. She was accompanied by Miss Leonora Durling.

FALKLAND RIDGE

Sept. 11 Miss Carrie Rook of Winnipeg was the guest of Annie Rook the 8th. Bernice Sprowle left on Monday to attend the Academy at Lunenburg. Miss A. C. Nichols of Barss' Corner was the guests of friends here this week. Miss Helen Mason and Mrs. Fay Hill are visiting Mrs. R. Tretheway at Riversdale. R. Feltus and son of Lawrencetown passed through here the 6th in their auto doing optical work. Foster Heffler of Toronto, spoke in the church here, in the interests of the British and Foreign Bible Society. Mr. and Mrs. Major Rook daughter Fannie and son Eugene, were the guests of Mrs. E. H. Marshall on the 6th. Mrs. Whynot of New Germany, who has been the guest of her son Harry, returned to Lake Pleasant on Thursday. Little Evelyn Sprowl had a birthday party on Sept. 4th, to which a number of her young friends were invited. The Mission Band held an ice cream sale in Kaulback's Hall, the evening of Sept. 8th, the sum of \$10.25 being realized. On Monday, as Percy Starratt was going to Springfield accompanied by Miss A. E. Nichols, the horse became frightened of an approaching auto. He signalled the driver of the auto to stop, but said driver kept on, with the result that the occupants of the carriage were thrown out and badly shaken up and the carriage and horse damaged.

NORTH WILLIAMSTON

Sept. 12 Miss Louise Woodward of Kingston is visiting Mrs. W. W. Whitman. Mrs. William Marriott of Halifax, is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Marriott. Mrs. J. W. Driver of Providence, R. I. is visiting her mother Mrs. A. C. Stevenson. Mrs. Jeffrey and daughter Beatrice of Malden, Mass., are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Moore. Mr. and Mrs. Oliver DeLaney spent the week end at Bridgetown, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Todd. Mrs. A. E. Bezanon and daughter Daisy are spending the week with Mrs. Arthur Bent of Paradise. Pte. McLane Stevenson of the 145th Batt. who has been visiting his parents returned on Tuesday to Valcartier. Mrs. W. Myles of Sussex, N. B., who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. John Moore, returned to her home on Monday. Ever Hopeful Division is in a flourishing condition; three new members were added on Wednesday evening last. Miss Mora Bent who has been visiting relatives at Mills Village returned on Wednesday accompanied by Miss Lottie Guest. Miss Clara Marshall of Aylesford is again in our community visiting her many friends. Miss Marshall is always a very welcome guest in our midst.

MT. HANLEY

Sept. 12 Mrs. Almira Sampson from Chelsea, Mass., has returned home. Miss Elva Slocumb is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Oswald Beals, for a few weeks. Miss Beatrice M. Miller from Lynn, has returned home to take charge of her school. Preaching service Sept. 17th at 11 o'clock. Prayer meeting Friday evening at 7 o'clock. Mr. Elmer J. Elliott had the misfortune to tear his hand in his mill. Dr. Messenger dressed the wound. Miss Emma Brown from Springfield, Mass., has returned home after spending a few days with relatives here. Mrs. Harry Hines from Mt. Rose, and Mrs. Weaver from Lynn, were the guests of Mrs. Frank Mosher one day this week. Mr. Stanley Mosher from Somerville, Mass., is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mosher, for the next two weeks. Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Poole from St. Croix Cove, spent Sunday with the latter's sister, Mrs. B. M. Armstrong of this place. Mrs. Fred Graffan and son Fred, from Somerville, Mass., have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Fritz the past week. Mrs. S. W. Armstrong from Somerville, Mass., who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Balsor, returned home last week. The Mission Band Concert which was given Aug. 27th, was a grand success. Fifteen dollars was realized for missionary purposes. Miss Gertrude Rook from Springfield and Mrs. Elias Rook and baby from Montreal, are the guests of their many relatives in this place. Mrs. Myrtle and daughter Gladys from Boston, are spending an indefinite period with her brother, Mr. B. Barteaux of this place. Miss Ruth Tingley from Brooklyn, was the guest of Miss Cella Hines over Sunday. Miss Tingley is the daughter of Rev. and Mrs. L. W. Tingley. Mrs. Andrew Canty and daughter Catherine, from Reading, Mass., Mrs. William Berry and four children from Cambridge, Mass., and Miss Dorothy Craig from Auburndale, Mass., who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Zealun Elliott, returned home last week.

CENTRE CLARENCE

Sept. 11 Mr. Harold Whitman has gone to Boston for a visit among his relatives. Mrs. Robinson, Round Hill, spent a few days recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Marshall. Miss Effie Ramsey, Danvers, Mass., is spending her vacation with her mother, Mrs. Josephine Rumsey. Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Wood and little son and Mrs. Harry Abbott, Bridgetown, spent Sunday the guests of Mrs. H. Viets. Mr. and Mrs. Ervin I. Pendleton, of Natick, Mass., spent a few days recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Williams. Miss Pauline Jackson left last Saturday for Boston. Before returning she will visit relatives in Providence, Brockton and Brookline. Recent guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Ward: Mr. Roy Roach, Miss Blanche Ramey, Kingston, and Miss Greta Schofield, Cambridge, Mass. Miss Florence Williams returned to Natick, Mass., to resume her duties, having spent a pleasant vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Williams. We regret to learn that Pte. William Creelman, of the 224th Canadian Forestry Battalion, Scotland, has been in the hospital for some weeks with a bad attack of bronchitis.

UPPER GRANVILLE

Sept. 11 Miss Claire Parker has returned to her duties at Providence, R. I. Mr. Wylie Poole will be a student at Acadia College for ensuing year. Mr. and Mrs. W. Anthony wife and daughters (town) are visiting relatives at Belleisle. Miss Susie Bent of Bell Isle, is continuing her course of study at Bridgetown High School. Mrs. Chas. Salter has spent part of the summer with her brother, Mr. Louis Walker at the old home. Miss McLellan is the guest of her sister Mrs. Max D. Newcombe. Also Mr. Newcomb of Boston for a brief period. Miss Gertrude Miller is leaving for Worcester, Mass., today where she has secured a position for an indefinite time. Rev. Mr. Knight of Sandy Cove, Digby County was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Walker during the district meeting recently held in the Methodist Church, Granville.

PARADISE

Sept. 12 Rev. J. D. and Mrs. MacLeod, and little son, went to Canso on Tuesday. Pte. G. N. Banks of the 85th Overseas Battalion, spent Sunday at his home. Miss Marion Spurr of Deep Brook, is visiting at the home of her aunt, Mrs. I. M. Longley. Mrs. J. M. Gilliat of Plainfield, N. J. is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Morse. Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Bishop and family went to Karsdale on Wednesday to attend the marriage of their son, Reginald to Miss Maud Thorne.

FORT LORNE

Sept. 12 Mrs. Emma Brinton is visiting her daughter, Mrs. E. C. Hall. Rev. A. N. Marshall occupied the pulpit here on Sunday afternoon. Pte. Chester Brinton, spent Sunday with his parents, Capt. and Mrs. J. D. Brinton. Miss Lizzie Beardsley spent the week-end in Bridgetown, the guest of Mrs. E. C. Hall. Mr. Russell Brown and son Guy of Brockton, are visiting Mr. Brown's mother, Mrs. Euphemia Brown. A Harvest Supper will be given at the Bay View house on Friday evening of this week. If stormy Saturday evening. Proceeds for church purposes. Mr. Allen Schofield, who has spent some years in the West, is visiting his mother, Mrs. Albert Wilkins. Miss Harrison of St. John is also a guest of Mrs. Wilkins. Mrs. Reuben Wilkins and family who have been visiting friends here have returned to their home in St. John. Her brother, Archie Neaves, accompanied her home. Miss Elsie G. Teasdale of New Haven, Conn., Mr. John Rogers of Lynn, Mass., Miss Dulcie Pollard of Yokohama, Japan, have also been recent guests of Mrs. Hall's at Bay Side Cottage. We are glad to report Pte. Harold Anderson able to come home. He has spent the past week with his mother, Mrs. Charlotte Anderson. His nurse, Mrs. Dodge, is here with him. For several months he has been sick in Middleton. Miss Anastasia and Miss Margaret Nugent of Brooklyn, N. Y., have spent the last two weeks at Mrs. Isora Hall's. Mr. and Mrs. P. N. Beringer of San Francisco, California, have also spent the past week at Mrs. Hall's. Mrs. Beringer was Miss Maud Elliott, daughter of Isiah Elliott, and a niece of the late Mrs. J. M. Dunn, of Port Lorne.

WEST PARADISE

Sept. 11 Sergt. B. W. Saunders of the Composite Regiment, Halifax, spent a few days furlough at home. Mr. Aubrey Sprowl of Clarence is cutting the grain for the farmers of this locality with his reaper and binder. Mr. Angus Hirtle has purchased a new threshing out-fit and is doing the threshing for the farmers in this vicinity. Mrs. Angus Hirtle and son Gordon are visiting friends and relatives at Caledonia the former home of Mrs. Hirtle. The grain crop through this section of the valley is very heavy in some fields, oats standing as high as a man's shoulder. Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Nelly and two grand children, of Brooklyn, spent the week-end the guests of Mr. and Mrs. N. I. Daniels. Miss Leila B. Poole, who attended the Provincial examination at Bridgetown last June, was successful in obtaining her "D" certificate. The Rev. J. D. MacLeod preached his farewell sermon to the people of this section of his church on Sunday afternoon. We regret exceedingly his departure from our midst. Mr. Jesse B. Saunders, who has been very ill during the past few weeks, we are pleased to say is slowly convalescing under the skillful treatment of Dr. Dechman of Bridgetown.

DOUGLASSVILLE

Sept. 12 Mr. Geo. O. Brown of Bridgetown is around calling on his old friends. Mrs. Herman Rafuse of Moncton, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Rafuse. Mrs. O. H. Baltzer and children spent a few days last week at her old home at Lawrencetown. Mr. and Mrs. Parker Young of Brooklyn, spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Byron Fritz. Mrs. Charles Woodworth of Kingston Village has returned home after spending the summer at the home of her son A. B. Woodworth. Mr. and Mrs. Hallet Daniels and son Orland, accompanied Mr. Charles Daniels and family to Kentville by auto on Friday last. We are pleased to see Mr. John E. Balsor, who has been confined to the house most of the summer with a broken leg, able to be out again. Mrs. Fred Graffan and son Fred of Somerville, Mass., have returned home after spending their vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Fritz. Recent visitors at H. R. Daniels: Mrs. Watson Hutchison and son Lawrence of Morristown, Miss Bertha Doane, Yarmouth; Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Daniels, Spa Springs; Mr. and Mrs. Edward McKenzie, and family, Port George; Miss Minnie Elliott, Mt. Lodge; Miss Elsie Teasdale, Conn.; Mrs. Chas. Woodworth, Mrs. M. H. Slocumb Mt. Hanley.

ST. CROIX COVE

Sept. 11 Miss Mabel Simms, Lynn., is visiting her aunt Mrs. Bradford Poole. School opened Wednesday with Miss Eva Whitman, North Williamston, as teacher. Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Banks, Brickton, and Mrs. Wallace Marshall, Mt. Rose, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stark yesterday. Mr. Robert Marshall returned last Monday after a very pleasant visit with relatives in Massachusetts. He was accompanied home by Mr. Frank Morse of Brockton, Mass.

HAMPTON

Sept. 11 Rev. A. N. Marshall occupied the pulpit Sunday morning. Mr. Allan Bezanon went to Halifax today to attend the exhibition. Miss Belle Foster from Lynn, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Foster. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hall from Lynn, are visiting his mother, Mrs. George Gaskill. Mr. Ervin Milbury and friend from Boston are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Milbury. Miss Mabel Risteen from Boston, is spending her vacation with her mother Mrs. Elijah Risteen. Mr. Elijah Risteen who has been home for a short time returned to Boston again on Saturday last. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Brown and son from Wolfville, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Lenley Banks. Mrs. Loring Elliott and son Roy from Everett, Mass., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Mitchell, and her sister, Mrs. Edgar Titus.

ARLINGTON

Sept. 12 Mr. Willis Brown left for Keene, N. H., Saturday, Sept. 2nd. Mr. Howard Sabean has again started threshing for the public with his gasoline threshing outfit. Miss Grace Milbury of Lowell, Mass. is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. David Milbury, Sr., and other relatives. Messrs David and Webb Milbury have purchased a new reaper and are doing good work reaping grain for farmers in this community. Mr. Herbert Marshall of Roslindale, Mass., is visiting his brother, Mr. Edward Marshall. He is accompanied by his nephew, Mr. Morse of Brockton. Recent guests of Mrs. Harry Hines were Miss Grace Smith and Miss Georgie Hall of Port Lorne, accompanied by two friends from New York. Also Mrs. Florence Weaver and Miss Keene of Lynn, Mass.

CLARENCE

Sept. 11 Mrs. E. R. Webster spent Sunday at Berwick. Miss Ruth Ward returned to Wolfville on Monday. The annual "Harvest Supper" will be held at the house of Mrs. N. B. Foster on Friday evening next. We noticed among our audience on Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Balcom and daughter, and Capt. Baker of Margaretsville, and H. D. Woodbury of Kingston. L. W. Elliott has been appointed Fruit Inspector. As Mr. Elliott has had a long experience in the apple business, we are looking for fair treatment from him. Rev. J. D. MacLeod preached his farewell sermon on Sunday, after two years pastorate. It is expected that Rev. J. B. Hogan of Lockport, will take charge of the service on Sunday next.

ARLINGTON WEST

Sept. 11 Mr. L. J. Strong purchased a very fine pair of oxen from R. E. Williams recently. Mr. Howard Sabean has his thrashing machine set up and is doing excellent work. Miss Lillian Banks of East Arlington, is at present the guest of her sister Mrs. L. J. Strong. Mr. Samuel Williams, Sr. of Clarence, is stopping at Mr. Wallis Marshall's for a indefinite time. Pte. Leverett Taylor and brother Ralph of the 246th regt. Kentville, spent Sunday at their homes here. Recent visitors at J. E. Stirks were: Mrs. Clifford Messenger from Halifax; Mrs. Stirk, Port Lorne; Mr. Adelbert Johnson and son Borden, Mount Rose. Mr. Herbert Marshall of Roxbury, Mass., accompanied by his mother, Mrs. Amanda Marshall of Mount Rose spent a few days last week the guest of his sister, Mrs. John Taylor.

SPA SPRINGS

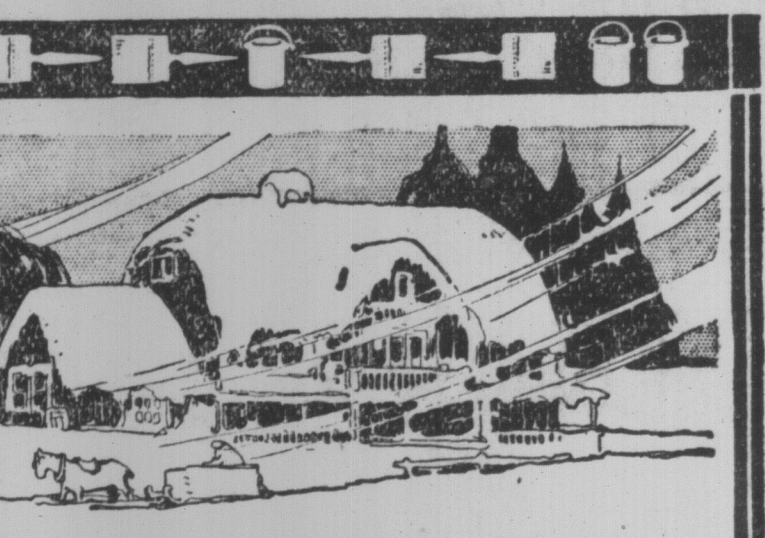
Sept. 12 Mrs. Milledge Bowlby spent Friday with Mrs. Frank Pales of Victoria. Mr. George Palmer of 243rd Battalion, spent over Sunday with his family. Mr. and Mrs. Burpee Fitz Randolph of Williamston, were recent visitors of Mrs. Mary Harris. Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Foster of North Kingston, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. James Woodbury. Mrs. B. W. Woodbury spent the week end with Miss Lottie Van Buskirk of Melfern Square. Mr. and Mrs. George O'Neal were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Elliott of Clarence last Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. William Porter and son Perlie, and Mr. and Mrs. Cahm of Pembroke, Yarmouth County, spent part of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Daniels.

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APPLES FOR THE AMERICAN MARKET

(Yarmouth Times) The Times recently published an address delivered by F. G. J. Comeau, General Freight Agent of the D. A. Railway, before the United Fruit Companies of Nova Scotia. This organization is entirely Nova Scotian. Its membership includes 2000 of the most progressive fruit growers of the famous Annapolis Valley. It is, as its name implies, a co-operative company comprised of 43 subsidiary fruit companies under management, thereby enabling the dealer and consumer to get the best from the fruit lands of Nova Scotia at the minimum cost. Mr. MacMahon, the General Manager of this company accompanied by F. G. J. Comeau of the D. A. R., proceeded to Boston and New York, as guests of the Boston and Yarmouth S. S. Company. At Boston these gentlemen were met by John F. Masters of the latter company. Large dealers in fruit, especially in apples, were visited and it was found that there is a large place for Nova Scotia apples in the American fruit markets. The way has been prepared in the New England and other markets for the placing of shipments from Nova Scotia. A list containing the names of 42000 residents of New England and who are natives or former residents of the Maritime Provinces, has been obtained. Circulars and letters are being sent to them telling them of the new scheme to boom Annapolis Valley apples, and requesting them to assist in the establishment of a New England market by purchasing and booming the purchase by others of Nova Scotia fruit. The Yarmouth route makes the shipment of farm products from Maritime ports to Boston cheap and quick, and there is no doubt but that a tremendous business will be done over this route in the near future. Everything possible is being done at present to influence the farmers of the Maritime provinces to improve their farming methods and increase their crops. A great effort is also being made to create a market in Boston for the products of these Maritime farms, and there is no doubt but that the cost of living in New England will be lowered by the shipment of Maritime products into Boston. It is the purpose of those behind the campaign to create markets in New England for Maritime products establish distributing centres in the principal cities of the East. The products will be shipped to Boston and distributed from that port. Throughout the Maritime Provinces a mailing service has been established by which the farmers receive charts and literature showing them how and when to best box and ship their products. The farmers are kept advised as to market quotations and they are furnished charts and show clearly the cost of freighting their products from all points. Import duty is also clearly shown in these charts. Every indication of a fair crop of good gravensteins this fall. Speaking of the prospects he says: "Climate conditions are such that there is every reason to hope that the Graven-



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