

Correspondents' Corner.

APOHAQUI

Apoahqui, Oct. 9.—Much evidence of the spirit of Thanksgiving was publicly shown on Sunday, when large congregations attended the Methodist, Presbyterian and Anglican services. The pastors of each church preached appropriate sermons, plainly setting forth the many reasons for thankfulness, even at this time of national stress, when the Empire is plunged in sorrow, we can still find much to be thankful for—bearing out the old saying: "It might be worse." The Methodist church was prettily decorated in keeping with the season. Appropriate music was rendered at each service.

Major H. S. Jones returned last week from England. B. L. Beck and friend, Mr. Veysse, of Amherst, motored to this village on Saturday and were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Urquhart. Mr. Wm. Snyder returned last week from an extended visit with her daughters, Mrs. Harold Wiedrick of Sackatchewan, and Mrs. John Wall of St. Stephen. Mrs. Wall and little son accompanied Mrs. Snyder home and will be the guests of Mrs. Wall's parents for some weeks.

Mrs. George H. Secord returned on Tuesday last from St. John where she had spent three weeks very pleasantly, as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. Theo. Shaw at their summer home, Glen Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Greer and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Long motored to Elgin, Albert Co., on Wednesday last to attend the fair.

Miss M. E. Curry, St. John, spent the week-end and holiday with her friend, Miss Muriel Jones.

H. J. Johnson spent Thanksgiving Day in St. John, where she was the guest of Miss Ethel Jones spent the week-end in Hampton, guest of her aunt, Mrs. M. H. Parlee.

Dr. S. W. Burgess, Mrs. Burgess, Miss Kathleen Burgess and C. A. Burgess motored from Moncton on Sunday and spent a short time with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Gambin and children were guests at Mrs. Gambin's old home, Pleasant Ridge, for the week-end and holiday.

Miss Annie Parlee was the guest of friends at Great Salmon River for the holiday period.

Miss Lena Fenwick, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. G. C. Vanwart, Fredericton, attended a meeting of the I. O. E. at Sackville this week.

Miss Vida Reid was a visitor to St. John Thanksgiving Day.

Miss Esther Apple, St. John, spent a few days of last week guest of her aunt, Mrs. M. P. Ogilvie. Edward Erb and Miss Evelyn Erb motored to St. John on Saturday.

Miss Ethel Wright, Sussex, spent the holiday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Wright, St. John.

Mrs. John Little is spending a few weeks with relatives at Cody's, Queens Co.

The many friends of Adam Murray will regret to hear of his serious illness. Mr. Murray has been in failing health for some months and owing to his advanced age little hope is held out for his recovery.

Miss Ethel Gilchrist, who teaches at Holdenville, spent the holiday period with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Murray Gilchrist.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cooper, of St. John, spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Connelly en route from Point Wolfe, where they had been summoned by the illness and death of Mr. Cooper's father, Isaac Cooper.

Geo. H. Jones, M. P. P., is spending a few days in St. John.

Capt. Arthur Owen, St. John, was a week-end guest of his niece, Miss Lena Fenwick.

T. E. Reid and Percy Bolton, Moncton, were visitors to this village on Thanksgiving Day.

Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Urquhart, accompanied by their guests, B. L. Beck and Mr. Veysse, of Amherst, motored to St. John on Sunday.

Forest fires have been quite prevalent. On Sunday afternoon a conflagration broke out at Harry Brook, Head of Millstream, which greatly endangered part of the extensive lumber lands of Jones Bros. With a crew of men, C. H. Jones motored to the scene and with the help of the neighboring residents the flames were extinguished.

CAMPOBELLO

Campobello, Oct. 9.—On Sept. 30th Mr. William Fitzsimmons and Miss Violet Henderson, were married by Rev. F. A. Currie. Also Sept. 28th, Rev. P. A. Currie officiating the marriage of Miss Bessie Fletcher and Mr. Howard Anthony took place at the home of the bride.

John Sprague, of Campobello, died on Oct. 6th of cancer at an advanced age. Interment took place at Eastport, Me., on Saturday.

Miss Mary Vannell, who has been visiting at her home here returned to Boston, Mass., on Friday.

Miss Madeline Bates, nurse in training, is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. William McLellan.

The young people met on Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Mitchell, the guest of honor being Edgar Mitchell, and the occasion being his nineteenth birthday. A very pleasant evening was spent, and a Bible was the company's present to the young man.

Robert Billings, of St. Andrews, made a business trip to the Island last week.

Mrs. Sylvanus Thurber and granddaughter, Miss Edith Corey, who have been visiting relatives at Waterville, Me., have returned home.

Mrs. Milton Batson and children, and Miss Estella Mitchell will leave on Tuesday for Lewiston, Me., for the winter.

SALISBURY

Salisbury, Oct. 9.—The whole community was shocked at the sad accident which occurred on Monday when Gurnie Douthright, grandchild of Aaron Douthright of Little River, was killed by a horse and afterwards died of the injuries received.

Mrs. V. E. Gowland spent Wednesday with friends in Petricodiac.

Pte. Leslie Kennedy of the 185th Battalion, Aldershot, who has been home on his last leave, returned on Friday.

Miss Hattie Duncan is visiting in Moncton, the guest of Mrs. Duncan Brown.

Miss Ina Parker left Saturday for Malden, Mass. She was accompanied by Master Billy Taylor, who has spent the summer with his aunt, Mrs. Elizabeth Parker.

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MARRIAGES.

Smith-Moody. The marriage of Ernest E. Smith and Miss Vera Gladys Moody, both of Passakeag, took place in St. John on Wednesday afternoon, Oct. 4th at 88 Duke street, the residence of the officiating clergyman, Rev. Mr. Dowling. The bride, who was unattended, was becomingly dressed in battleship grey silk with black and white hat and carried a bouquet of beautiful roses. The happy couple motored to St. John and were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Smith and son, Lorne, parents and brother of the groom; Mrs. Joseph Moody and son, Gordon, mother and brother of the bride. Immediately after the ceremony the bride party returned to their new home, where they found a number of friends awaiting them. Later in the evening they were the recipients of a good old-time charivari.

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BLOOMFIELD

Bloomfield Station, Oct. 6.—Miss Edna Raymond is the eldest of her aunt, Mrs. Edwin Peters, Elmhurst. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Burnett, who have been visiting relatives and friends in Bloomfield and vicinity for several weeks have returned to their home in Jamaica Plain, Mass.

Miss George Davis after spending the summer months with her mother, Mrs. George R. Davis, has returned to Newton, Mass., to assume her duties as nurse.

Miss Edna Burnett left a few days ago for Everett, Mass., where she expects to remain for some time, the guest of her sister, Mrs. George Holburn.

Mrs. Snow, Moncton, was a recent guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Titus.

Mrs. James Hoyt, Lower Norton, is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Raymond.

Mrs. Williams was the week-end guest of friends in St. John.

Mrs. George Elliott, Point du Chene, and sister, Miss Muriel Theall, are guests at the home of their mother Mrs. C. Theall.

The many friends of Lieut. N. H. Wetmore will be pleased to learn that he is getting along nicely, according to a note received from him by his parents a few days ago.

The Bloomfield Station and Central Norton branch of the Women's Institute met Friday afternoon, October 6th, in Central Norton hall. Quite a number were present. Mrs. Williams, president, was elected delegate to the convention to be held in St. John, November 1st, 2nd, 3rd, and Miss Helen Raymond as substitute. After the business of the meeting was finished two very interesting papers were read. "Having an Aim in Life," by Miss Helen Raymond, was thoroughly enjoyed by all present, and "The Little Worries of Life," by Mrs. James Floyd, showed conclusively how futile and useless are the hours spent by many in mooning over things that cannot be helped. The next meeting will be held at the home of the president, Mrs. B. C. Williams, the 10th of November.

Many friends of Mr. Ernest Smith and his bride (nee Miss Vera Moody) met at their home on Thursday evening and tendered to them a novelty shower. Between forty-five and fifty guests were present, and a most enjoyable evening was spent in games of different kinds, singing, speech-making, etc. The many handsome and useful gifts received, consisting of cash, linen, china, etc., testify to the popularity and high esteem in which both bride and groom are held.

Dainty refreshments were served during the evening and at a late hour.

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after singing the National Anthem, in which all joined, the guests took their departure amid congratulations and best wishes to bride and groom for a long and happy married life.

Gunner C. Brock Flewelling, of the 9th Siege Battery, spent a short time at his home in St. John.

Miss Bernetta Flemming, teacher of the advanced department in our school here, Miss Hazel Millican, of the primary department, also Miss Grace Wetmore, teacher at Passakeag, and Miss Esther Westford, of School District No. 6, attended the Teachers' Institute held at Sussex on Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Flewelling received a short note from their son, D. Bruce Flewelling, who left here with the 4th Universities. He was wounded in the chest and admitted to the hospital at Etaples on the 18th of September. They had heard nothing from him since receiving the word of his being wounded, and the few lines received yesterday are a great relief to his parents and their many friends, who hope soon to hear of his complete recovery.

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