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## FROM OUR REPORTERS.

Newsy Items from the Surrounding Villages  
Gathered by Our Corres-  
pondents.

### Tremont.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dolliver have  
returned from a pleasant trip to Queen's  
County.

Messrs. J. H. Ruggles and St. Clair  
Hatt left last week for Hants Co. on a  
hunting and trapping expedition for a  
few months.

Mrs. H. C. Marten and daughter,  
Melita, who have spent a few months  
with her mother, Mrs. Lavinia Baker,  
returned to their home in St. John,  
last week.

We are sorry to report the death of  
Mr. John Gordon, who has been  
suffering for some months with heart  
trouble.

Mrs. Downey, of Wilmot, visited  
last week at the home of her brother,  
Mr. T. T. Bowly.

We are pleased to notice that David  
Allen, of Springfield, who was so  
seriously hurt a few months ago is able  
to be here helping Mrs. J. Gordon to  
gather her crops.

### East Dalhousie.

Mr. Henry Jarvis of Bemis, Maine,  
returned home after an absence of  
twenty six years, and was the guest  
of Mr. and Mrs. John McGowan.

Mrs. Charles McGowan and daugh-  
ters, Merna and Myrtle spent a few  
days last week with Mrs. Jarvis' daugh-  
ter, Mrs. John McGowan.

The travelling representative for  
the Steel Briggs Seed Co. was a guest  
of C. E. Gaul's over Sunday.

Messrs. E. Rolston, Hamilton, and  
Taylor, of Halifax, spent Sunday with  
Mr. Martin Francis.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Taylor spent  
Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs.  
E. Charlton, of Falkland Ridge.

Mr. John Murphy, of New Ross,  
made a flying trip to this place on a  
moose hunting expedition. He was a  
guest at Brookside Cottage.

Collie Veinott has his new rotary  
saw in operation and is sawing shingles  
this week.

Messrs. A. J. Saunders and M. I.  
Wilson spent the 10th with friends in  
Springfield.

Messrs. Geo. Wilson, Rupert Weav-  
er, and Edward Ratuse spent the past  
week at E. H. Saunders, where they  
are fitting up a wood-house.

Mr. E. H. Marshall, of Falkland  
Ridge was here on Monday on busi-  
ness.

Mr. E. J. Smith has been suffering  
from a fall which resulted in some  
broken ribs.

Mrs. John McGowan and little son,  
Tommy, and sister, Merna were  
driving on Thursday, near the school-  
house when the carriage was run into  
by an ox team and the occupants were  
thrown out. Mrs. McGowan had her  
arm badly hurt, and the carriage was  
badly broken. It is reported that the  
driver of the ox team was intoxicated.

### McNelly's.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Trider have re-  
turned to U. S. A., after spending a

few months at their old home.

Mrs. Bryar Downey of Margaret-  
ville visited relatives here on Saturday.  
Mrs. Margaret Brown who has  
been ill is improving.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs.  
Calvin Keith on the arrival of a son.  
Mrs. Seleda McNelly has gone to  
Hillaton, Kings Co., to take care of  
an invalid.

Miss Mary Ramsey of Paradise,  
who has been the guest of Mrs. Trider  
returned to her home on Saturday,  
Oct. 11th.

Mr. Marshall McNeil who has been  
suffering intense pain with his leg, has  
gone to the Victoria General Hospital,  
Halifax, to have his limb amputated.

Mrs. Anna Knickerbocker, of Mass.,  
is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. W.  
Ward at the Sand Banks.

Our new mail driver, Mr. J. De-  
Veny entered upon his contract on  
Oct. 1st.

Mr. Keirstead of Melvern Square,  
has purchased some orchards in this  
community, and at present is busy  
picking and packing the apples.

### Greenwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Berry and son,  
of Annapolis, and Mrs. Kempton of  
Clementport, spent Sunday at Mrs.  
Howard Pierce's.

Mr. and Mrs. John Miller and son,  
of R. I., returned home after spending  
a few days at B. J. Feader's.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Griffin and son  
Lester, left on Saturday to visit friends  
in U. S.

Mrs. Chas. Pierce went to Annapolis,  
last week to attend the funeral of  
her sister, Mrs. Rice.

A number from here attended Exhi-  
bition at Halifax, this season.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Banks of Mass.,  
are visiting his brother, Mr. W. B.  
Banks.

Mrs. Z. Foster who has spent the  
summer with her sister in Mass., has  
returned home.

The officers of Evergreen Division  
for the issuing quarter are:—W. P.,  
Stanley Woodbury; W. A., Lola  
Nichols; F. S., George Spinney;  
Treas., Watson Nalley; Chap., Nina  
Spinney; R. S., Gladys Small; A. R. S.,  
Willie Balcom; Cond., Burpee  
Spinney; A. C., Leona Steele; I. S.,  
Owen Balcom; O. S. Everett Lightizer.

### McLaur Falls.

Mrs. Bessie Whitman and Miss  
Elizabeth Bartheaux having taken rooms  
at Mrs. A. M. Saunders' are prepared  
to do fashionable dressmaking.

Mr. Minard from Queens Co., has  
reopened the blacksmith shop formerly  
owned and occupied by the late James  
Bent, where he will be ready to do  
blacksmith work.

Miss Blanche Robinson made a busi-  
ness trip to St. John last week, in the  
interests of A. B. Balcom.

Miss Carrie Oakes spent a few days  
recently in Albany.

Mrs. Lavinia Merry has returned  
(Continued on page 4.)

## 800,000,000 TONS.

Practically Inexhaustible Supply of Excellent  
Coal Found and will be  
Worked.

Sydney, N. S. Oct. 14. The Do-  
minion Coal Company has let a contract  
for a branch railway from Grand Lake  
to Ligan.

This will open up the famous basin  
of that name, which it is estimated con-  
tains 800,000,000 tons of coal. The  
basin covers an area of eight miles  
wide, six miles long on land and one  
and a half miles out at sea.

The Dominion Steel Company has  
bonded areas beyond that line to the  
heart of the belt. The seam is nine  
feet thick and eight miles wide. It  
will be worked on the slope system, sev-

eral of which will be started. One  
was opened today.

The Steel Company has uncovered  
a seam 4 1/2 feet deep at the head of  
Ligan Bay. The coal is said to be  
excellent for metallurgical purposes.

The new mine will employ three  
thousand men. The Steel Company  
can cut through the Company's water  
area to get at their own coal. The  
Coal Company will put in a branch  
line from the new coal deposits to their  
plant. The water areas will not be  
worked at present as coal can be bought  
more cheaply than it can be mined.

### OBITUARY.

Mrs. Robert McMaster.

Mrs. Mary C. McMaster, wife of  
Robert McMaster, died at her home,  
10 Courtland St., at about 8 30 o'clock  
this morning as the result of a shock,  
aged 74 years 10 months and 24 days.

Mrs. McMaster was one of Nashua's  
well known residents. She came to  
this city with her husband, about 50  
years ago from Fitchburg, Mass.,  
where she was born on Oct 27th 1832.

She became a member of Olive Branch  
Rebekah Lodge and of the Woman's  
Relief corps of this city, in which  
organizations she was prominent.

She was also an active member of the  
Main Street Methodist Episcopal  
church and took great interest in all  
events held under its auspices.

Mrs. McMaster sustained a shock  
about six months ago. She was  
recovering from the effects of this  
shock when, about two weeks ago she  
had another. Since then she gradually  
failed until she passed away at 8.30  
o'clock this morning. The deceased  
was a kind and generous hearted  
woman and has many friends who will  
mourn her loss.

The deceased is survived by her  
husband, five children, Mrs. I. T. Bob-  
well, Mrs. D. C. Cheever and, F. A.  
McMaster, of West Acton, Mass.;  
Mrs. John Aldred, of Kington, N.S.;  
also by one sister, Mrs. John Hatch,  
of Rockland, Mass., and three brothers,  
Daniel and Frank Simonds, of Fitch-

burg, Mass., and Edward Simonds,  
of Pasadena, Cal.

The funeral will be held Monday  
afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home, 10  
Courtland Street. Friends are invited.

John G. Foster Woman's Relief  
core will attend in a body, by request.  
—Nashua Telegraph.

### Mrs. H. F. Williams.

At Clarence, on Sunday, Oct. 8th,  
Adelaide, beloved wife of Herbert F.  
Williams, after a short illness, passed  
away to be with Jesus. She leaves a  
sorrowing husband, two sons, and  
three daughters, with other relatives  
and many friends to mourn their loss.

Our Sister was a member of the  
Baptist church and a true Christian, a  
devoted mother, an ideal companion  
and help-mate. She will be long and  
lovingly remembered her exemplary  
Christian character, and will be sadly  
missed in the home, the church, and  
community.

The funeral services were conducted  
by Rev. H. H. Saunders, and were  
attended by a large gathering of sym-  
pathetic friends.

The text was John 14; 14 15 verses.  
The floral tributes were many and  
beautiful.

The interment took place in the  
Paradise cemetery.

May God comfort the sorrowing  
ones in this their hour of sad bereave-  
ment.

We will meet, but we shall miss her,  
There will be one vacant chair,  
We shall linger to caress her,  
While we breathe our evening prayer.

### Against the Lords.

The British Cabinet is making a  
platform campaign against the House  
of Lords. This probably presages a  
policy of "filling the cup" when parlia-  
ment meets after the New Year, and  
an early dissolution on the curb-the-  
peers question. If the case be skillfully  
made up, the Liberals ought to be able  
to assemble a great many interests  
behind this program, for there are  
many sections of the people who have  
some desire in their hearts to which  
the peers block the way. The non-  
conformists want an education bill;  
the Irish want home rule; the Radicals  
want land and tax legislation; the  
Labor party want many things; even  
the Welsh want disestablishment. But  
the difficulty will lie in getting the

present Liberal Cabinet to take a suf-  
ficiently advanced stand in all these  
issues to arouse the enthusiasm of the  
people behind them. There is opposi-  
tion to many of these proposals right  
in the Liberal government without  
going to the Lords at all. Then there  
will be the unwillingness of the British  
people to give any party a "blank  
check" to reform the Lords until they  
have first proposed a popular and fea-  
sible plan of reform. —Montreal Star.

### Bubonic Plague.

San Francisco, Oct. 15th.—The  
Bubonic plague figures to date show  
verified cases, 68; deaths, 40; recovery,  
11; remaining under treatment, 17;  
suspects, 36; death rate 58 per cent.

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**Abandoning The Oil Wagon.**

THE IMPERIAL OIL CO. TO USE CANS AND METAL BARRELS.

From Mr. Parlee, representative of the Imperial Oil Co. at Middleton, we learn that a change is to be made in the manner of distributing oil in the Middleton district. Mr. Parlee has the territory from Bridgetown to Aylesford inclusive.

Several years ago an oil siding was built near the Middleton railway station by the company. A big oil tank was also placed which could be filled by the force of gravity from the oil tank cars as they stood on the siding. An oil tank wagon was also a part of the equipment. The latter could also be filled from the stationary tank by the force of gravity. The wagon could be filled with sufficient oil to supply customers from Middleton to Bridgetown or Aylesford.

But the wagon was very heavy, requiring always two, and often three of these heavy horses to pull it. Even this team on our city roads sometimes proved insufficient. This wagon is now to be abandoned and a single horse wagon will be used.

Twenty 40-gallon metal barrels and 30 five-gallon cans are to be used in place of the tank wagon. The trains will also be used. The oil will still be stored in the big tank at Middleton.

From this the barrels will be sent by rail to Aylesford, Bridgetown, and other points. Mr. Parlee will then take his wagon load of small cans to the nearest station and distribute the oil from the barrels.

**Londonderry Slag for Road Purposes.**

PREMIER N. S. SUGGESTS THAT IT BE TRIED IN THAT PROVINCE.  
The slag being shipped from Londonderry to Moncton is proving successful for the purposes for which it is being used—street making. So satisfactory is the experiment proving that Premier Robinson has suggested that a test be made of it on a portion of the rural district roads near Moncton. If the suggestion is acted on, no doubt the people of Nova Scotia will be deeply interested in the result, especially in view of the fact that the province is about to enter upon a new era in road making. If Londonderry slag proves successful for road making purposes in New Brunswick, it should prove equally successful in this province.  
—Clochester Star.

**The Weymouth Robbery.**

CHAS. ELDERKIN AND BASIL SAULNIER ARRESTED.

On Oct. 3 the Post Office at Weymouth was robbed, several hundred dollars being stolen besides a quantity of goods from the store in the same building. Detective H. Wright was sent to investigate.  
Suspicion fell on two men named Chas. Elderkin and Basil Saulnier, who a few days after the robbery, sailed from Plympton in a steamer for Boston. Word was sent to Boston, and on the arrival of the schooner the men were arrested.

**Beetle by Acclamation.**

A London despatch says that Beattie, Conservative is to be returned for the Federal House by acclamation. The feat was made vacant by the resignation of Hon. Mr. Hyman.

**Strike not Settled.**

The strike at Springhill is not settled after all. Some new dispute has arisen regarding the conditions which Manager Cowan demands of the men upon resuming work.

**Items of Interest.**

Parliament will meet on Nov. 28th. Oct 24 is to be Nova Scotia Day at the Jamestown Exposition.

On Oct. 19 there was a \$5000 fire in the Fawcett foundry at Sackville.

Four men were drowned by the upsetting of a gasoline boat at St. Louis.

The copper yield this year will probably exceed 200 millions of dollars worth.

Stephen Steeves, a deaf mute, was struck a train at Birch Ridge, N. B., and killed.

There is a rumor that Hon. A. B. Aylesworth will retire from the Laurier cabinet.

The St. John Exhibition for 1908 is to be held from Sept. 9th to 16th inclusive.

Marconi says he is now sending wireless messages across the Atlantic from Glace Bay.

The Lunenburg Foundry Co. has been reorganized and will reopen at Lunenburg.

The mineral product of the United States this year will probably exceed two billion.

It is reported that the schooner Alma was recently lost on the coast of Newfoundland.

On Oct. 18 three persons were killed and 19 injured in a railway collision at Greensboro, N. C.

Destructive floods have been caused in France by the overflow of the Rhone, Loire and Seine Rivers.

In a street car collision on Oct. 18, at Chattanooga, 6 persons were killed and 10 seriously injured.

Dr. J. W. Edwards has been nominated by the Conservatives of Frontenac for the Federal House.

Hon. A. Turgeon of Quebec has recovered \$400 damages against The Nationaleste in his libel suit.

The Danish steamer Alfred Eriandson was wrecked near Stobbs Head, Scotland and 20 of the crew drowned.

Col. H. H. McLean, of St. John, has been nominated by the Liberals of Queen's-Sunbury for the Federal House.

It is reported that McKenzie & Mann refused \$75,000,000, from J. J. Hill for their railway interests in Canada.

Jas. S. McDonald has confessed to stealing the bag containing \$3500 and several registered letters from the North Sydney post office.

Otto Heine & Co., stock speculators on Wall St., New York, have suspended payment of their liabilities having lost heavily in copper stocks.

Hon. Mr. Turgeon has resigned his seat in the Quebec Assembly on account of the attack of Bourassa and will appeal to the electors of Bellechasse.

A glycerine factory half a mile from Peterolas, Ont. was blown to match wood by an explosion of nitro-glycerine. Many buildings in the town were destroyed.

Geo. Kenel, foreman of the public works department of the Yukon, was arrested charged with stealing \$40,000. He committed suicide. Other arrests have been made, causing a sensation.

The United Baptist Young Peoples' League for New Brunswick, was formed at Tracy Station, by the amalgamation of the Baptist and Free Baptist young peoples' organizations formerly existing.

The Massachusetts Ballot Law Commissioners decided that H. M. Whitney was the only democratic candidate for governor, and that the Gen. Bartlett ticket will be known as the anti-merger ticket.

A lobster hatchery is to be started in Chester, Lunenburg Co., N. S. The site has been selected near one of the wharves in the town and preparations for building are afoot. It will be the first hatchery of the kind in the western division of the province.

Chas. Devlin, M. P. for Nicolet, is to enter the Gouin cabinet as Minister of Mines, and L. A. Taschereau, M. P. for Montgomery will take the Public Works Department, Hon. W. A. War being transferred from Minister of Public Works to the position of Provincial Treasurer.

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Europe. His friends deplore his absorption in material enterprises, as he pays but little attention to the calling in which he became famous.

**The Paper Makers' Threats.**

The paper makers in the United States and in the Dominion are just now holding up the newspapers in both countries. In another column will be found an article from the Toronto Globe on the subject. In the meeting in Yarmouth, last week, of the Nova Scotia Press Association, a resolution was passed requesting the Government to lower the duty on news print and other paper on the ground that there is a combine of the paper makers of Canada and that this combine had very materially raised the price of paper to the consumer. At this meeting a publisher stated that a manager of a paper manufacturing had informed him that the price of paper would be increased still further and that the proper thing for newspaper publishers to do, is, to enter into a combine to raise the price of newspapers to subscribers. What do you think of that? What we know is that this year of 1907 has, on account of the advance of the price of paper, the printer's raw material, and the enormously increased cost of postage, been a losing and unfortunate year for publishers. They have been up against it hard. What can the publishers do as against the Postmaster General and the paper combine? Are they to join in the mad rush for big prices against the consuming public? Either that, unless the power that he get a move on, or go under, is the present outlook.—Eastern Chronicle.

**DIED.**

At Halifax, Oct. 20, 1907, the wife of I. E. Sanford.

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H. B. WILLETT  
Newcastle, Oct. 12, '07.

**NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.**

T. Rice, F. A. Northup, S. C. Mulhall & Co. All changes for Advertisements must be in the office by Saturday.

**LOCALS.**

Fresh Chocolates and Taffy at MULLHALL'S Grocery. St. Francis Xavier defeated Dalhousie football team at Antigonish on Oct. 18th. Nothing like it, our fancy Barbados Mince at 20 cts. gallon. S. C. MULHALL & Co. The Kenville Board of Trade is taking steps to secure the Valley Exhibition for 1908. A surplus is expected when the finances of the Valley Exhibition at Windsor are arranged.

There has been a strong demand for help to gather the apples and vegetables the past fortnight.

One estimate places the apple shipments from the Valley this year at 750,000 barrels worth two million of dollars.

It is reported that Dr. Fred Beckwith of Annapolis, has purchased the dentistry business of Dr. Lawrence in Wolfville.

Yesterday's snow storm was the first of the season in the Valley, but there was a very light fall of the beautiful snow on the Mountains on Saturday.

It is reported that M. H. Nickerson, M. P., is to retire from journalism and politics and devote his whole time to organizing fishermen's unions.

The Rev. W. I. Croft will preach in the Union church, Farmington, on Sunday afternoon next, Oct. 27th at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, not at 7.30 in the evening as is usual.

The business card of Mr. T. Rice of Bear River, will be found in this issue.

Mr. Rice is doing an extensive business at his stone works, using almost exclusively the popular Niagara granite.

On Sunday next the Rev. W. H. Herzog, D. D., president of the Nova Scotia Conference of the Methodist Church, will preach in the Middleton Methodist church at 11 a. m. and at Victoria Falls at 2 p. m.

Mrs. Hector McLean has sold her farm at Belleisle to Mr. Geo. Satter of Parrsboro for \$10,000. We understand that Mrs. McLean has been looking over properties at both Bridgetown and Middleton with a view to purchase.

The Nova Scotia Telephone Co. are making extensive improvements to their system. The line to being rebuilt through to Middleton, and a complete metallic circuit added. A switchboard has been installed in the Central here.—New Germany Cor. to Gold Hunter.

We have received a copy of a very pretty song entitled "Under the Maples." It was composed by Miss Della MacLean of Margareville, N. S. It is published in next issue by the North American Music Co., of New York. This song can be obtained at Fisher's Book Store.

This week, "The People," Nova Scotia's latest addition to news paperdom, made its bow to the public. This is a six column four-page weekly paper, published by F. E. Cox of The Outlook, Middleton, and quoting his own words is to be devoted to the moral and material interests of the public. We welcome it among our exchanges and wish it a long and prosperous career.—Bear River Telephone.

At a meeting of the M. A. A. held on Friday evening, a resolution was passed that the Association pay nothing on expenses of advertising the Boston meeting, and that the \$150 taken at the gate, less the meeting, and refreshment booths, \$150 be paid on the mortgage on Athletic Grounds, reducing it to \$250; the interest be paid up to Oct. 1st, 1907, and the balance of about seven dollars remain in the treasury.

A delegation of the R. T. operators on the D. A. Ry. line waited upon Manager Giffins at Kenville on Friday last. They asked for a minimum salary of \$85 per month, and a certain schedule of wages for the different stations. They also complained that the men were not being allowed for overtime. Mr. Giffins promised full allowance of overtime and some advance in salaries.

The Methodist Sunday School had a large attendance on Sunday morning, last at Torbrook Mines. The Sunday School Forward Movement for Missions Daily Day was well observed in this Sunday School, and on that day it was agreed that the Sunday School take up the Forward Missionary work. The first collection for this object was taken yesterday morning with very encouraging results. On Sunday evening next the Rev. W. H. Herzog, president of the Methodist Conference, is expected at Torbrook Mines Methodist church at 7.30.

**PERSONALS.**  
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Mrs. Parlee went on Saturday to New Tasket for a few days.  
Mr. A. L. Davison returned on Saturday, after spending the week in Halifax.  
Mrs. H. L. Gates left on Saturday for Boston to see her mother, who is ill.  
Mr. John Buchanan of Berwick, has gone to Scotland to spend the winter.  
Misses May and Josie Schofield of Aylesford, went to Boston on Saturday.  
Mr. A. J. Morrison is confined to the home, suffering from indigestion.  
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Miss Annie Wymer left Middleton yesterday for Picton to spend a couple of weeks.  
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Mrs. C. I. Margeson and son of Hantsport, spent Sunday in town, guests at Mr. W. J. Mulhall's.  
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The many friends of Dr. A. P. Reid will be sorry to hear that he is laid up, as the result of a fall from a tree a few days ago.  
Mr. Outhit Potter, who spent Sunday at home returned to Digby, where he is pushing the business of Mr. J. H. Potter.  
Dr. Edward Blockadar has moved from Westport to Halifax, where he will join the editorial staff of the Acadia Recorder.  
Mr. S. C. Mulhall is the delegate from the Middleton Methodist Sunday School, to the Provincial S. S. Convention at Windsor.  
Rev. Jos. Gaetz spent Sunday in Yarmouth, and preached in the evening at the reopening of Wesley church, which has recently been re-modeled.  
Mrs. E. A. Bean of Boston, who has been visiting the past four weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Schofield of Aylesford, and her sister, Mrs. C. E. Willett left on Saturday for Boston.  
Auction at Mr. C. I. Bowly's this afternoon at 2 o'clock.  
Leader Bishop of Parrsboro, suffering from ill health, shot himself.  
The D. I. & S. Co. has leased the Leagues Inn at Nictaux West for 30 years, paying 25 cents a ton royalty.  
Acadia and the Wanderers football teams, played a game on the Wanderers grounds in Halifax on Saturday.  
There will be a meeting on Tuesday, Oct. 29 at 3.30 p. m. in the Presbyterian church, to consider the question of purchasing an organ for the church.  
Rev. J. A. Ramsay, treasurer, will be pleased to receive contributions toward the funds of the Middleton branch of the Lord's Day Alliance. There is still \$10 short of the \$30 assigned to Middleton.  
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**Lawrencetown News.**

REV. AND MRS. BROWN HAVE RETURNED HOME.—MISS IDA NEWCOMB STARTED FOR INDIA.

Rev. and Mrs. Brown returned from Cumberland Co. on Saturday.

Mrs. McArthur and little daughter, Freda, of Halifax, are guests of her parents, Rev. and Mrs. Brown.

Miss Annie Phinney returned home on Monday, after a month's visit in Mass.

Mrs. S. C. Hall and son, Clyde, have gone to Halifax to spend a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Vance.

Miss Ida Newcomb left on Thursday en route to India to again resume her duties as missionary, after a furlough of seventeen months.

Mr. A. E. Ernst, of Blockhouse, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Balcom, over Sunday.

Miss Bertha Newcomb was the guest of her parents, over Sunday.

Church services—Episcopal 3 p. m., Methodist 7.30 p. m.

**Kingston.**

MR. HOLMES CASSEY GOES TO THE HOSPITAL—OTHER PERSONAL NEWS.

Mr. C. C. Neily arrived home on Monday, having spent a few weeks in Boston and vicinity visiting friends and relatives.

Mr. Holmes Cassy went to Boston a few weeks ago for his health but we are sorry to hear that he had to go to the Hospital and the latest account was not improving.

Rev. Parlee and wife of Auburn, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J.

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L. O. L. CELEBRATION—TOWN IMPROVEMENT—ANOTHER STEAMER MAY BE BUILT.

(From an occasional correspondent.)  
Protestant Defenders L. O. L., No. 1314 intend holding their annual celebration in Orange Hall, Margaretville, on the evening of the 5th of Nov.

J. A. Aldred is doing a rushing business this fall thrashing and making cider.

The appearance of the town has been greatly improved by the sand and gravel taken from the dock.

The Packets are ready to sail for St. John at the first chance.

There is a strong talk of another steamer being built at this place next season.

Great credit is given to the ladies of the True Blue Lodge for the new and attractive flag which may be seen floating on the breeze.

**Springfield.**

DAMAGE BY THE RECENT GALE—INTERESTING PERSONAL ITEMS.

Mrs. Drew of New Germany, and Mrs. Daniels of Lawrencetown, were guests of Mrs. J. E. Bent recently.

Those that attended the Bridgewater Exhibition from here were Messrs. J. C. and Wm. Roop, Everett Roop, Wylie Grimm, Gifford Grimm, Atwood Bent, Will Durling and Misses Grace and Flora Grimm.

Mrs. J. E. Morrison is visiting friends at Torbrook.

Miss Simmons of Berwick, made a flying visit here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall have moved from Hastings to Halifax, the 17th.

The sum of \$12.75 was made at the pie social last week.

M. C. Roop and Fannie spent a few days at Bridgewater, this week.

Leslie Freeman and Mr. Videto of Nictaux, are on a moose hunting trip.

Mr. Leskie of Maine, is the guest of his daughter, Mrs. C. S. Grimes.

Mrs. Wm. Sproule and children, returned from a short visit to Middleton, on Thursday.

During the heavy gale of the 8th, the smoke stack and roof were blown off the Springfield Mig. Co's mill.

Rev. E. H. Howe spent a few days in the Valley this week.

Miss Estella Roop who has been spending her vacation with her parents, left on Thursday for Bridgetown, where she has accepted the position as clerk, at Strong and Whitman's.

The Taylor Concert Co., will give a performance here this Saturday evening—Oct. 19th, '07.

