

The WHIRL of the TOWN

Soft as the down upon a young dove's breast,
Chaste as the silk fringe of a maiden's sash,
Faint as the twilight melting into rest
Is Tom's moustache.
Fuller of hope than dreams of love and war—
Dreams that no threat can ever quite abash—
Cultured with care, yet ever needing more,
Is Tom's moustache.
And should, some day, coy love his lips entreat
(Prediction surely ventures nothing rash),
That which will make the wooing still more sweet
Is Tom's moustache.

See notice of concert at Millerton.

The Chatham Free Public Library was opened last week.

Mr. Andrew Morrell picked a wild strawberry on his farm on Sunday.

A telegram received here on Saturday from Reading Mass. announced the death of Mrs. Otto Gjertz.

A young lad named Astles, living on the Nelson Reserve had his foot badly cut in the woods the other day while fooling with an axe.

Messrs. Weldon Robinson, and Freeman McDonald of Millerton, and Norman Edgar of Chatham went down river on a shooting trip last week.

Chatham expects two of her South African heroes on the Idaho, Ward and Monroe. It is time our sister town began preparations for their reception.

If subscribers will kindly examine the date on their address label and notify us if incorrect they would greatly oblige the publishers. The label bears the date to which your subscription is paid. If in arrears remit at once.

Mr. Schickel, Carl Pickhardt and Karl Buedz, New York returned from the woods last week with two moose and three caribou. They were at the North Pole on the Little South West with James Manderville and Son as guides.

At a meeting of the Board of Health held yesterday afternoon, it was decided to enforce the following section of The Public Health Act:—No person affected with any of the diseases in the last section named, and no person having access to any person affected with any of the said diseases shall mingle with the general public until such sanitary precautions as may be prescribed by the Local Board or attending physician shall have been complied with. The disease chiefly referred to is diphtheria.

A well known North Shore I. C. R. postal clerk was among the unfortunate ones stranded between St. John and Vancorbora last week as the result of the C. P. R. washouts. The postal clerk, however, was more unfortunate than many others, according to report. It happened to be his ill luck to be stranded on a lone island and while the privations during his isolation from civilization were not greater than those of Robinson Crusoe, yet he had an experience he does not care to have repeated. The friends of the gentleman in question are pleased to learn that he suffered no injury to his health from his exposure.—Moncton Times.

The following was taken from Private Ross' letter in this week's Campbellton Telephone:—

"In an account of the military sports held at Warrenton, a South African paper gives special mention to the prizes carried by the Canadians. Prizes were won by S. J. Morrison, Chatham; G. Gallia, T. Carroll, Geo. Russell, Newcastle; N. P. McLeod, James Tibbits, Fredericton; G. H. Johnston and J. G. Ross, Campbellton.

The exchange from which we get our report gives considerable space to a description of the galloping gun display, and favorably comments upon the agility and mobility of the winning riders, whom we are pleased to say were our friends, G. H. Johnston, J. G. Ross of Campbellton, and G. Russell of Newcastle.

Three cheers for the boys from the north shore of New Brunswick."

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The night school opens on Nov. 5th.

There are several cases of diphtheria at Blackville.

A year ago to-morrow the siege of Mafeking began.

We direct attention to Prof. Layton's ad in another column.

Lina Belle captured the Free-for-all at Sydney last week. Special Blend, second and Ferron third. Best time 2.23.

Martin Ericson, of the Round House staff here, was presented with a handsome walking stick and address by his fellow employees last week.

Patrick Kingston of the Chaplin Island Road was severely if not fatally injured, while working in a logging train in Pennsylvania last week.

Mr. John B. Holt, a well known and highly esteemed resident of Boiestown died last week. The funeral took place on Saturday and was largely attended.

The I. C. R. has arranged to have the chief ticket agents in the province notified as soon as the Idaho with the Canadian soldiers on board is signalled off Halifax.

After listening to statements in the witness box that stir the blood and flush the cheek, the jury in the McLean indecent assault case brought in a verdict of not guilty, and the prisoner was discharged.

Messrs. F. Pallister and B. Pallister of Lawrence Mass. were at the Union Hotel on Saturday enroute for the woods to hunt big game. They left for the happy hunting ground on Monday with Adam Hill as guide.

We are pleased to add to our exchange list, St. John Gazette, St. John Star, Yarmouth Times, Annapolis Spectator, Sackville Post, Sydney Daily Record, Amherst Gazette, Summerside Journal and Victoria County News.

Our Boys Under Fire of New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island volunteers in South Africa is a book that is being written by Miss Annie Mellish of Charlottetown, P. E. I. The work will tell of the departure of "Our Boys" and follow them throughout the campaign—concluding with their return home. Forty illustrations Price 50c.

"Social Progress," published in Toronto, is the name of a new monthly that has reached our office. It explains its mission thus: "It will explain principles that ought to become popular when understood. It will be a medium always, but never an organ." We trust it will receive the support that its title merits it.

The stranded barque Andvake was sold by auction on Friday last at Summer & Co.'s wharf Bathurst. Mr. F. Curran bid in the hull and standing rigging for \$552. Messrs. Lantaul and McGoldrick, of St. John; McFaldridge, Halifax; Cunningham, Chatham; Capt. Powell of Dalhousie; F. W. Summer and Captain Reid, were present. The bidding was spirited and good prices realized.—Globe.

Mr. Kelly lighthouse inspector, was in Chatham arranging to have the lighthouse taken off the shore of Bay du Vin Island, whither she drifted during the gale of the night of the 11th inst. The wind at that time was heavier than has been experienced by any of the pilots on the coast, and it is said attained a velocity of 84 miles an hour at the Escuminac light, where it blew down the signal mast and did other damage.

Among the tourists who come here from all parts of America and Europe are often men of great prominence. No less a personage than the world-famous artist and illustrator, Charles Dana Gibson of New York has been hunting in the Tobique woods and was a guest at Hotel Perth last week. Some years ago, before he was so famed, however, Rudyard Kipling spent a few days on the Tobique.—Victoria County News.

The Norwegian barque Brilliant, from Newcastle, landed at Falmouth Wednesday, eight seamen suffering from beri beri, and the body of one man who had died from that disease, all of whom had been taken from the Norwegian barque Homewood, which was spoken by the Brilliant October 8 in a waterlogged condition in latitude 48 N., longitude 25 W. Capt. Rotter and six of the crew of the Homewood refused to leave that vessel. The Homewood will proceed to Havre.

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Social & Personal

Mrs. Charles Call gave a very pleasant whist party in the Waverley, Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Fish were in Moncton last week.

Mr. Alexander Esson a former resident of Derby, but whose home is now on the Pacific Slope is visiting his old home. Mr. Esson has been away thirty five years.

Mr. William Sinclair, of California is here on a visit to his parents Mr. and Mrs. Edward Sinclair. He was warmly welcomed by his many friends.

Mrs. James Rundle, Mrs. James Troy, Mrs. John Clarke and Mrs. Simon McLeod attended the W. C. T. U. convention at Sackville.

Miss Annie Bell, Indiantown spent a few days in town last week.

Mr. John Morrissey has returned from his fall trip along the coast.

Mr. Barry, manager of the Merchants Bank of Halifax, Bathurst and children spent Thanksgiving Day in town.

Mrs. (Dr.) Bishop, Bathurst was the guest of Mrs. Park, Thanksgiving Day.

Miss Marks, Moncton spent Sunday with her friend Miss Fleming.

Miss Haviland, Chatham, is spending a few days in Newcastle.

Miss Mamie Fleming is visiting friends in Moncton.

Sergt. Stymest of the Newcastle 12th Field Battery left Saturday night for Kingston Ont., to enter the Military College.

Miss McKay, St. John is the guest of Mrs. John Robinson.

Mrs. (Rev.) John B. Gough is the guest of Mrs. Fred Gough.

Miss Shaw, St. John spent Sunday in Newcastle.

Mr. F. Curran Bathurst, was in town Saturday.

Mr. Robert Reid St. John spent Sunday with friends in Newcastle.

Mrs. Robert H. Armstrong, left for Boston and New York on Monday to visit friends.

Mrs. K. W. Hobart, Newton Mass. is visiting in Newcastle.

Mr. P. Morrissey of Newcastle was also in Bathurst renewing old acquaintances a few days ago.—Bathurst, Cor. Events.

Miss Agnes Phinney has returned from a pleasant visit to Sackville and Moncton.

Mr. Edward Sinclair was in Moncton on Saturday.

Mr. T. W. Crocker is in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Robertson Lingley, were in St. John last week.

Mr. Robert Jardine of Indiantown, is seriously ill.

Mrs. Parker and Miss Parker, were visiting friends in Derby last week.

Miss McEvoy and Master Hubert Rolan have gone to Boston to visit friends.

Mrs. Samuel Craig left Monday morning to visit her daughter Mrs. Harry Barker at Gibson.

Miss Russell of Bangor Me. was the guest of Miss Annie Hickey, Sunday.

Mr. Fred Keaton the popular representative of Baird Peters, St. John is in town.

RENOUS RIVER.

Most all the young men in this locality have gone to the woods.

Quite a snow storm prevailed here lately about 9 inches of the beautiful fell.

Misses Mahony and Hayes have gone to Boston Mass for the winter.

Mr. James Manierville and son have finished their season guiding sportsmen from different parts of States with good results.

Mr. John Donovan is operating for D. & J. Ritchie on Indiantown Brook.

Whooping cough is prevalent in this vicinity at present.

Andrew McCullum of Nelson paid Renous a flying visit lately.

Mr. George Hetherington came home from some lumber camp with his foot badly cut.

Mr. James Duffy who erected a rotary saw mill here lately intends shutting it down after this week.

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Chatham, N. B., Oct. 15th, 1900. Telephone 40.

John Sherman Dead.

Washington, Oct. 22.—Hon. John Sherman, who for a period of forty years occupied a prominent place in the legislative and administrative branches of public affairs in the United States, died here at 6.45 o'clock this morning.

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