

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

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ST. STEPHEN. (Progress is for sale in St. Stephen at the book-stores of C. H. Smith & Co. and G. S. Wall.)

MAY 15.—The new hotel is a sure thing. Preparations are being made to remove the building on the bank side of the river, and the new hotel will begin to rise on the site of the old one. J. G. Stevens, J. E. Ganong and Alex. Murray are among those who will have new residences before winter is again with us.

Miss Susan Evans, of Fredericton, niece of Mrs. Medley, is again visiting at the rectory. I hope Sussex may long be brightened by her presence. Mr. Matthews, of Montreal, was in town on Sunday.

BATHURST.

(Progress is for sale in Bathurst at A. C. Smith & Co's store.) MAY 15.—Misses Emma and Lena Burns, who were called home by their mother's death, returned on Tuesday to resume their studies at Mount St. Vincent, Halifax. Their eldest sister, Miss Minnie Burns, accompanied them. She will remain a week at Halifax and then will go to Berenside, where she will probably spend the greater part of the summer.

Mr. S. Bishop has returned from his visit to Halifax, bringing with her Miss Clarke & that city, who will be her guest for some weeks. Mr. Archie Cowan, of your city, was in town during the week.

RICHIBUCTO.

MAY 15.—Mrs. Loggie left last week for Animoso, Iowa, her former home, where she will remain about four months. Mr. W. Carman Bliss left last week for Winnipeg. He was presented a few days before his departure with a very flattering address by the Richibucto division, S. of T.

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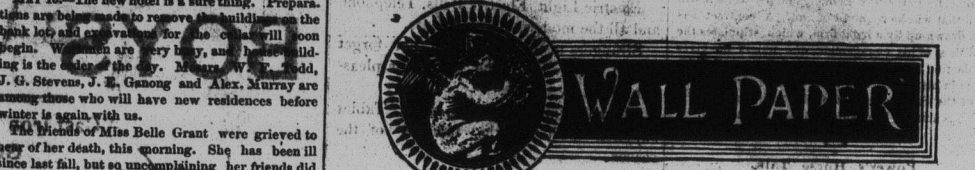
(Progress is for sale in Woodstock at Everett's book-store.) MAY 15.—Mrs. W. B. Belyea is spending a week in St. Stephen. Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Hay went to St. John on a short visit this week.

DORCHESTER.

(Progress is for sale in Dorchester at George M. Fairweather's store.) MAY 15.—Mr. Percy B. Chandler arrived home last Wednesday, from New York, where he has completed his first year at the College of Physicians and Surgeons. Judging from the number of cables he has received, it is probable that he has had a successful year.

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Mr. S. Edgar Wilson was called to St. John by business on Wednesday, returning the same day. Rev. J. Roy Campbell paid a short visit to Sackville, Friday, on church business.

There was considerable "excitement" in police circles, Wednesday, both in the city and Portland. Capt. Rawlings acted like a man who didn't know whether he was standing on his feet or his head, and soon had an excited and angry delegation waiting on Chief Marshall.

Who circulated the report? Detective Ring appears to be very busy these times. Portland has a peculiar charm for him, and he is over there very often. Perhaps he is the "official from the chief's office" who set the yarn going.

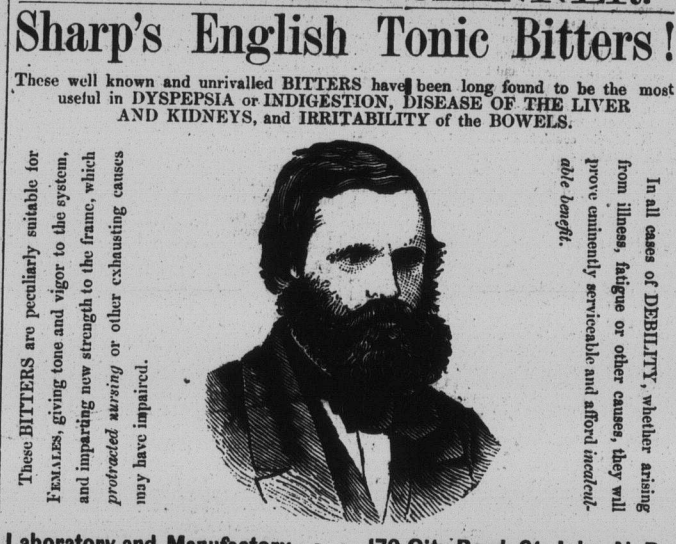
It Was Given Away to the First Man. A Lower-class liquor-dealer was paralyzed by an awful instance of ingratitude, one day last week. Bright and early in the morning an occasional customer came in with a pitiful tale of a large head, and asked for some liquor on the strength of it.

Quite a number of the friends of Miss Martha Devereux called at her home, Golding street, one evening last week, and presented her with an elegant dressing case. Mr. B. A. Stammers having previously read a very flattering address. The cause of all this is the intended departure of Miss Devereux for Wisconsin, on Monday next, to visit her brother, Mr. James Devereux, who is managing the business of the Shell Lake Lumber company, at Shell Lake, Wis.

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