

Children's Work.

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DEAR BOYS AND GIRLS.—You remember last month I promised you something about our little friend in Japan. Miss Riocli has written this little story about her and you will see from it that she is like our little Canadian girls in a great many things—she is fond of fun and playthings. Let us not forget to pray that she may grow like girls in this country in another way—by learning of the Saviour and coming to love him for all he has done for her.

Your loving friend,
MRS. D. A. MORRISON.
Supt. of Children's Work.
FROM MISS RIOCLI.

The others have all gone off to one place or the other and O Mitsu San and I are left all alone. It is lonesome all by oneself so I call her to bring her dolls and toys into my study. She comes in with her arms full, puts them down on the floor with rather a weary air and looks beseechingly up into my face as much as to say, "I don't want to play with dolls now, I want you to romp." But I am rather selfish this morning and I have a freshly-cut *Ladies' Home Journal* in my hands, so I pretend not to notice her and pretty soon I have forgotten O Mitsu San, dolls, romps and everything else but my story. Presently a little hand steals from behind my chair and gives a slight pull to a stray hair or two, but I take no notice, then my chair is tilted a little. At this I make a feint as if to catch hold of her, but keep on reading. After three or four vain attempts to get me to stop there is a lull, and I begin to think I am going to be let alone—vain thought—when lo! the little monkey has snatched away my book and is making off with it. She gives me quite a chase and a tussle before I get back my book. I pick her pretty new hair-pin out of her hair and make off with it to make up for her naughtiness. Then the racing from one room to another, upstairs and downstairs, commences again, till I squat down on the straw-mats panting, and beg for quarter. She really thinks I am tired this time or my book and she would be gone before one could say "Jack Robinson," so she lets me off with the promise of a story. After getting my breath a little, we go back to my study. I get into a rocking-chair with my little torment in my lap, and pretty soon I begin in the good old way that you all know so well—"Once upon a time—"

RECEIPTS.

Previously acknowledged,	\$20 90
West Gore, Golden Rule Band,	2 00
Leonardville, Happy Band,	2 00
Summerside, Sunbeam Band	90
Star card, two sisters,	1 00

\$26 80

SUSIE FORD STEVENS, *Treasurer.*
Pictou, N. S.

LEONARD-WHITE.

One of those events in which the ladies at all times take the deepest interest, took place at the handsome residence of C. T. White and Mrs. White on Church avenue, Sussex, at eight o'clock this evening, when their daughter, Mary A. White, was united in marriage to Rev. S. W. Leonard of Lawrenceburg, Kentucky, U. S. The ceremony was

performed by Rev. J. A. Gordon of St. John, in the presence of near relatives and a large number of invited friends, the Misses Alice White and Gertrude McDonald acting as bridesmaids. It would be next to impossible to give a list of the many costly, useful and handsome presents received by the happy bride, one being a cheque for \$500, in addition to many other valuable articles, useful in housekeeping, from her father; another from S. H. White of the firm of S. H. White and Co., Harley White, her brothers and Mrs. Andrew Price, her sister, of \$200.

The residence and grounds of Mr. White had been most splendidly illuminated by electric lights by the Norton Bros., electricians, of St. John. This with the music of the Citizens' Cornet Band, made the scene one of greatest beauty, and many assembled on the avenue to see and admire the pleasant event.

The happy couple will leave Sussex for their home in Kentucky on Monday next. Miss White will be much missed in the choir of Church Avenue Baptist Church, as well as in the community in which she has made many social events very pleasant by her rare musical talents. All, however, will wish her much joy and happiness.—*St. John Daily Sun, Nov. 25th.*

TENT FUND.

Previously acknowledged,	\$81 73
Somerville, Mass., D. T. Jardine,	2 00
Cornwallis, E. C. Ford,	5 00
" T. Lockwood, per E. C. Ford,	2 00
" D. McLean, per E. C. Ford,	1 00

\$91 73

J. S. FLAGLER, *Treasurer.*

Married.

BUCKMAN-HAYCOCK.—In Westport, N. S., on Nov. 15th, 1897, by J. W. Bolton, James E. Buckman and Alice Haycock, both of Westport, N. S.

MAKENNEY-CALHOUN.—In St. John, on Nov. 11th, 1897, by Henry W. Stewart, Israel V. Makenney of St. John, and Birdenia May Calhoun of Beaver Brook, Albert Co., N. B.

MARSHALL ELLIS.—In St. John, on Nov. 24th, 1897, by Henry W. Stewart, Robert Marshall and Mary Emma Ellis, both of St. John.

LEONARD-WHITE.—In Sussex, on Nov. 25th, by J. A. Gordon, Sylvester W. Leonard of Leonardville, Deer Island, and Mary A., daughter of Chas. White, Sussex.

PEAKS-MATHEWS.—At Summerside, P. E. I., on Nov. 1st, by H. E. Cooke, Mr. John Peaks of Malpeque, P. E. I., to Mrs. Jane Mathews of Alberton, P. E. I.

SEAMAN-JEWELL.—By D. Crawford, at Clyde College, New Glasgow, on Nov. 10th, Mr. Ernest Seaman and Miss Caroline Jewell, both of Hunter River, P. E. I.

Died.

WATSON.—At Summerside, Oct. 22nd, Gertrude, beloved and eldest daughter of Bro. and Sister Nicholas Watson. The name of Nicholas Watson stands revered by all who knew him. As is said by many of his friends, "To know him was to love him." His daughter Gertrude, the next to follow her loving father, was a young lady of estimable character, beloved by all who knew her. She passed away from earthly sorrows in her 19th year. She suffered long and patiently the ravages of the dreaded disease consumption, until the end came and passed peacefully away. Sister Watson and the remaining members of the family have the deep sympathy of the church and community. The esteem in which Gertrude was held by a general community was clearly manifested by the large number of friends that assembled to see her remains laid to rest.
H. E. COOKE.

COSSABOOM.—Thomas A., infant son of Bro. and Sister James E. Cossaboom, died in Tiverton Nov. 3rd, aged 5 months and 7 days. Funeral services were conducted by Bro. H. A. Devoe.

PETERS.—Alma L., daughter of Bro. and Sister Clarence Peters, passed away in Westport, Nov. 3rd. She was a bright little girl aged 11 years, 8 months and 22 days. She is missed very much in the Sunday school and Mission Land. The funeral services were conducted by the pastor assisted by Bro. C. E. Pinco, Baptist.
J. W. BOLTON.

OURHOUSE.—Weldon Goodwin, son of Bro. and Sister Allen Ourhouse, aged 19 years, 1 month, 23 days. Weldon was cabin boy on the revenue cutter "Curlew." While off duty he was accidentally drowned. It was a great blow to the people of Tiverton as well as to the parents, as Weldon was a general favorite and was a promising young man. A special sermon was preached by the pastor, assisted by Bro. H. A. Devoe.
J. W. BOLTON.

WOOD.—Died at his home, Port Williams, N. S., Oct. 29th, 1897, after a long and painful illness which he bore with Christian resignation. Bro. Joseph N. Wood, aged 60 years, leaving a wife, two sons and two daughters to mourn the loss of a kind and devoted husband and father, and the church one of its most useful members. Bro. Wood united with the Church of Christ in Cornwallis twenty-nine years ago last June. For years he held the office of a deacon of the church, being at the same time the clerk. About ten years ago he was called to be an elder of the church, which office he held until his death of his worthy father James A. Wood, who, for many years was the efficient elder and leader of the church in this place. Bro. Wood filled this office to the best of his ability more as a duty than with a disposition to lead. Being of a modest and retiring disposition he was not naturally a leader of men. But he was blessed with a fine mind, and had excellent judgment (being perhaps a little too cautious to be progressive) and was a good counsellor. His earnest and practical words, to which we have so often listened when he would be presiding at the Lord's table, will not soon be forgotten. We shall miss him when we go to the house of God and see his vacant seat. We shall miss him when we go to his late home and see his vacant chair and the sad faces of his wife and children who loved him so dearly. But we will not miss him when we get home over the river where there is no death, nor crying, nor pain, but where friends long parted shall meet again, and with God and the Lamb enjoy the bliss of life and immortality. The time of his departure came and he was ready, yes, anxious to go where he could be at rest from his great sufferings, and where he could enjoy those promises, the hope of which had sustained him through all his sore trials. May the God of all grace comfort the mourners and sustain them by his grace, is our prayer.
E. C. FORD.

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