

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

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Miss O'Brien returned on Monday to her home in Bridgeport, Conn.

WOODSTOCK WHISPERINGS.

WOODSTOCK, October 24.—Mr. Harry Smith, who has been visiting the Southern states for a few weeks, returned home last week much improved in health.

Rev. W. B. Wiggins, B. A., is in town. Mr. W. F. Glidden returned home from Prince Edward Island on Saturday.

Canon DeVeber, who has been visiting his sons here, preached in St. Luke's church Sunday.

Miss Murchie, Petit Rocher, is the guest of Mrs. Geo. Holyoke.

D. McLeod Vince, Esq., has returned from a week's visit to Blissville.

Rev. G. W. McDonald, of Sussex, has accepted the pastorate of the Holiness church in this town; he preached last Sunday.

The Misses Beardsley who have been here for a few months, left on Friday for their home in Arkansas.

Mr. William Fisher, Fredericton, is in town, the guest of Mrs. Charles Connell.

Mr. Harry McKeown, St. John, made a short visit to Woodstock last week.

Rev. Horace Dibble, Mangerville, formerly of Woodstock, paid a short visit to his friends here recently.

Mr. G. A. Saunders, a student of theology, left for Windsor Friday to resume his studies.

THE SHIRE TOWN OF KENT.

RICHMOND, Oct. 25.—Mr. John Miller, one of the most popular mail clerks on the northern division of the I. C. R., returned home Saturday for a few days' rest.

Mr. William McLeod has gone to Charlottetown, P. E. I., on business in connection with the Kent Lumber company.

Mrs. J. F. Brine returned home from Port Hill, P. E. I., on Saturday.

His Honor Judge Botsford is here, holding court.

Rupino D. Alloqui, M. D., of Kingston, has been appointed by the Dominion government to look after the bodily ailments of the poor Indian.

Mrs. George Robertson is visiting friends at Newcastle.

Rev. Mr. Crisp, of Chatham, lectured in the Methodist church, on Tuesday evening. Subject: Habits, or how we educate ourselves.

Mr. Andrew Walker left on Monday for Oregon, where he will remain the winter.

Edward J. Smith, merchant, Shediac, W. A. Russel, barrister, and Mr. R. K. Atkinson are here attending court held by Commissioner Bliss.

Mr. William is here visiting friends.

L. Brine returned from Shediac on Saturday. Dr. Brine has decided to remain here.

Mr. Hugh Dysart, of Colabaig, is here attending the county court.

The social event of the week was a quadrille party given by Mr. Ferguson and Mr. Arthur O'Leary in the Masonic hall on Tuesday evening.

Mr. Joseph Perry, of Tignish, P. E. I. is in town.

BORDER JOTTINGS.

ST. STEPHEN, Oct. 25.—It's all over town, said a friend to me the other day, "What?" I exclaimed, "Mud" was the fiendish reply.

The excursion from Houlton and Woodstock on Tuesday last brought about seven hundred visitors to the Border, part of whom enjoyed a short sail down the noble St. Croix, while the remainder spent the hours shopping and sight-seeing.

The excursion today to St. John, will carry a large number of visitors, for a trip to the city.

Last evening saw a quiet wedding at the residence of the bride's parents whereby Miss Grace Olive became Mrs. Parker Grimmer. Only the relatives of the interested parties were present.

Miss Olive looked very pretty in a goblin blue costume. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Goucher. Mr. and Mrs. Grimmer were the recipients of many valuable and ornamental gifts.

Our young ladies have found at last, a pleasant time-killer for these dull autumn days, in the painting classes which are being so enthusiastically attended. It is said that some remarkable talent, hitherto unsuspected, has been brought to light through the untiring efforts of Mr. Smith.

On Thursday evening last United States Consul, Mr. Willis Y. Patch, led to Hyman's altar Miss Fannie Foster, one of the fair daughters of Calais.

One of the most brilliant social events of the season was the party given last evening in the new house in Hawthorne street by Mr. and Mrs. Henry Todd for the young friends of their daughter. The rooms were tastefully draped with bunting and hung with Japanese lanterns, evincing no little skill on the part of the fair young hostess who directed the work.

Mr. C. N. Vroom has returned from Woodstock. Rev. Mr. Mowatt of Fredericton will occupy the pulpit of the newly finished brick and conduct the services on Sunday next.

CHATHAM, Oct. 25.—Miss Burns, of Bathurst, daughter of K. F. Burns, M. P., is visiting Miss Overton.

Mr. C. McLennan and Miss McLennan, of Summerside, P. E. I., who are visiting their sister, Mrs. W. A. Hickson, at Newcastle, paid Chatham a flying visit on Tuesday last.

I noticed Miss Jessie Fish, of Newcastle, in town Tuesday.

Mr. H. E. Bond, the popular traveller for Messrs. Lasky, Watson & Co., was spending a few days this week with his Chatham friends.

Mr. and Mrs. William Muirhead gave a very pleasant party to a number of their friends, young and old, on Saturday evening.

Miss Mabel Jack, of Fredericton, is visiting her sister, Mr. George B. Fraser. The readers of Progress are increasing here rapidly, and there were a great many disappointed ones, last week, when they found that the supply was run out almost as soon as they arrived.

I was lucky to get one early in the morning, and played the part of the "good Samaritan" by lending mine to no less than seven less fortunate friends. Let us have an extra supply after this.

Invitations are out for a grand social dance, in the Masonic hall, Newcastle, on Wednesday evening next (Hallowe'en night), under the auspices of the Masonic lodge of that place. This will no doubt be a very pleasant opening of the season of gaiety in the sister town, and I hope it will have the effect of waking up the "social lions" of Chatham.

Mr. Milton Mowatt left last week to seek his fortune in British Columbia.

Mr. W. G. Letson and Mr. R. H. Falconer have returned from their visit to Doaktown.

The Northumberland County Institute was held in Chatham last week, and the town was overflowed with teachers, the fair sex being decidedly in the majority.

I regret to learn that Mr. D. I. Johnston, our genial and popular "clerk of the weather," is shortly to move with his family to Charlottetown, P. E. I., as he has accepted a situation in that place. He takes with him the best wishes of everybody.

Dr. J. G. Sproul has returned from his trip to the Eastern States.

Rev. E. Wallace Waits is to preach his farewell sermon next Sunday, and leaves for Owen Sound on Monday next.

Mr. A. E. Holstead, of Moncton, was in town during the week, and was heartily welcomed by a host of old friends.

PERCY.

JOHN AT A WEDDING.

Some Things he Saw and What Bill Johnson Told Him.

Bill Johnson's sister got married last week. She married the tall fellow who looks like an angel with the indygestahun.

So that settles that. Ma told the women at the sewing circle what she thought she'd marry the short blondy fellow, but I guess she didn't know what we threw water out the windy at him one night, and he thought it was Mrs. Johnson. So he didn't come back after Josephine any more. Ma always gets left.

Bill says its another sorse of revenue gone, and I agree with Bill 'cause he wasn't greedy and youster let me have some of the spoils. We'd go in the parlor when Josephine and the tall fellar was there and we'd make out we was goin' to stay. Mr. Smith always give Bill a quarter to git candy. Bill he'd tell me to wait till he come back. Then Mr. Smith give me a quarter to buy candy too. One time he tried to beat us down to ten cents, so we went and bought peanuts and come back again and eat 'em in the parlor. He never tried to beat us fellars down again.

Bill invited me to the weddin'. I never saw sitch a gorgeous affair. Pa and ma were there with bran new suits on. I just imagine what pa said when ma asked fur that new dress. Bill's old uncle from the country was the principal feature, I think. He's got a bald head and a chin whisker like a goat, and always rests his feet on his toes when he's eatin'. Bill and me tied his feet to his chair when he was at supper, and when he got up he fell over on the table and upset all the tea and coffee and preserves and things onto the women's dresses and the men's black pants. Then he rolled under the table and said he's shot. Everybody would didn't get their clothes spoilt near did laughin'.

Bill says they wouldn't have invited the old rooster, only he had lots of money and 'twas worth while keepin' on the good side of him, 'cause Josephine was always his favorite, and Bill's mother didn't know what minute he'd drop off. Bill says he guesses he's spoiled all his prospects of gettin' any of the will.

The bride and groom was as red as lobsters and everybody supposed what Bill's sister Mag would be the next and made her blush. Tom Burns, her fellar, was there too. He's a daisy, and always fires up fellars out of the parlor when he's there. I like a fellar what's got too much gumption. I guess Tom got too much liquids in him when they's drinkin' every body's health, cause he begun singing He's going to Marry Yum Yum, in the hall and me and Bill took him up to Bill's room, and poured water on him, and sent him to sleep. We told Bill's mother what a messenger boy give Tom a dispatch and he was gone to answer it.

I guess Pa went to answer a dispatch too, cause he come home a good deal later than Ma, and couldn't find which was his room. He went to sleep under the kitchen table and Ma had a duce of a time tellin him where he was. JOHNNY MULCAHEY.

FOUR BOOKS, PAPERS, AND GOOD CASES AT McARTHUR'S.

PEN AND PRESS.

"Jack" Boden's friends hear from him once in a while through some native who has wandered through New York. Like all newspaper men Jack likes to write personal letters. He is doing well and has a first class position on the Press, the Republican organ of the city.

Mr. Hannay appears to be finding out that the path of the country editor is not strewn with roses. "Owing to some unknown cause the Leader did not make its appearance till Saturday," says the Parraboro correspondent of the Sackville Post.

The October number of the Argosy, the organ of Mount Allison university, begins Vol. XVIII. The Argosy has nine editors. With such a staff, it ought to be a brighter monthly. A very good portrait of President Inch is given in this issue, for the loan of which due credit is given to Progress. The Argosy looks well. Three of its pages are filled with engravings of the academical buildings—a good idea.

Mr. Thomas F. Anderson, a provincialist who has for some time been on the editorial staff of the Boston Traveller, has joined the force of the Globe, of that city.

The New York Evening Sun illustrates its leading editorials. There are me papers nearer home whose editorial utterances would be a good deal more intelligible if accompanied by a diagram.

The funny man of the New York Sun, who speaks of codfish as "acaly in the extreme," would do well to study ichthyology.

Royal M. Pulsifer, whose name was for so many years identified with the Boston Herald, is dead. He died so suddenly that some were of the impression that he committed suicide, but it is said that such is not the case. Col. Pulsifer was a very prominent citizen of Newton, and was very well known to the public. He was not so well known to his employees. There used to be men actively engaged on the Herald who did not even know Pulsifer by sight, and as for his knowing the rank and file of his establishment, it was not to be thought of for a moment. A man who had been a reporter on the Herald for more than a year, as day and night "local," actually interviewed Pulsifer on behalf of the New York World. Pulsifer treated his caller with great politeness and never dreamed that he was one of his own employees.

Improving Canterbury Street.

The Sun Publishing company has decided at last to give its crowded editorial, mechanical and business staffs a little more room. They need it. Another storey is being added to the building which, when it is completed, will compare more favorably with the substantial structures of the street. The latest improvement is an asphalt crossing—something never dreamed of by the cranks who frequent the locality. Canterbury street mud no longer invades the editorial sanctum.

The Blood-and-Fire Soldiers.

Fifteen soldiers were sworn into the Salvation army, last week. The army in this city has now about 150 members.

The famous band of the "Household troops," London, numbering 27 players, has begun a Canadian tour and will reach St. John sometime next month.

The new barracks project still hangs fire. The building fund is constantly growing, but owners of desirable sites "want the earth" and want it "battered on both sides"—with bank bills.

Fun at the Institute.

Arthur Rehan's company is coming to St. John next week. It opens in the Mechanics' institute Tuesday evening for a season of five nights and a matinee. Rehan has always drawn great houses on his provincial tours. The company hitherto has been first class and the plays very amusing. Remembrances of his former visit to St. John ought to insure large audiences.

Just What is Wanted.

Merchants quite frequently find themselves wanting circular letters printed in type writer style. In another column will be found Mr. Geo. A. Knodell's announcement printed in type-writer type. It speaks for itself, and merchants will, without doubt, be glad to avail themselves of the chance to get their work well done in this style.

Amen!

"Is there a meeting of the Opera House management to-night?" said a wife to her hubby one evening lately.

"Yes, dear," he replied.

"I do wish they would get that Opera House built," she pouted, "so that I could have you home with me in the evening once in a while."

Some People Want the Earth.

A lady complains to Progress that a prominent citizen who attends St. Paul's (Valley) church, makes himself conspicuous by standing in the aisle during the singing, thus shutting out the view of the chancel, etc. She wishes to know why he can't stay in his pew like other folks.

For an Idle Hour.

The Strange Manuscript Found in a Copper Cylinder, the book said to have been written by James DeMille, and appropriated by Harper Brothers, is for sale, in the Canadian edition, at McMillan's. Price 30 cents.

The Eccentric Club.

The Eccentric Club, which has for some years been one of the pleasure resorts of the city is about to be closed. At its organization the members were all bachelors, but now a large number are benefitted, and the others with one or two exceptions, it is rumored are about taking the "Leap for life." Several have left the city and are residing in the United States and Canada.

The property of the club will be sold at public auction, the particulars of which is announced elsewhere.

Those who have been on the Eccentric club's drives will regret that now they are pleasures of the past.

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Card Room Furniture, Four Leather and 1 felt covered tables; 5 pictures, 1 large Mirror, plate glass, 1 feet x 2 1/2; walnut shelf and brackets; 1 writing desk, 1 Berkeley Franklin Stove, 1 Eight Day Clock, showing days and months; Paper Files, Tapestry Carpet, 1 Window blind, patent rollers; 1 Four Light Brass Gasolier, with cut glass shades; 2 Oil Cloth Mats, 4 Case Bottom Chairs.

Billiard Room, One Sideboard, 1 large Tidy Stove, 1 Fire Screen, 1 Iron Umbrella and Case Rack, 2 Patent Roller Blinds, 1 Large Water Cooler, 1 Four Light Gasolier with Patent Gas Fixtures; 18 Ash Chairs, Linoleum, 1 Two-Bracket and 1 Single Gasolier, 1 Linoleum, 1 Pin Pool Board with balls and pins complete.

Billiard Table, One Large Brunswick Balke with monarch cushions, lately covered. Legs of Lion pattern, with new set of Balls, Cues, Rack and Marker, complete.

Miscellaneous, One large Iron Ash Barrel, Scullies, Patent Carpet Sweepers and a variety of odds and ends. All to be had at 16 Charlotte Street, (Jack Bullin's) T. B. HANINGTON, Auctioneer.

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CLASSES IN FREE-HAND DRAWING, Mechanical Drawing and Designing, under the direction of Mr. F. H. C. MILLS and assistants, will open at the Institute on TUESDAY EVENING, October 30th, at 8 o'clock, and be continued each Friday and Tuesday evening the season, at the same hour.

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