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CONCERT AT FAIRVILLE.

A very successful concert was held last evening in the Fairville Baptist church, and, despite the unpleasantness of the weather, a good audience was present. The programme consisted of readings by Miss M. Florence Rogers, piano solos by Professor Newton of Fredericton and piccolo solos by W. C. Ross, all of which were greatly enjoyed. Miss Rogers' work was up to its usual high standard, and though she was at her best in the graver sections, every number was a decided success and delighted her audience, who showed their appreciation by hearty applause.

DESTROYING THE TREES.

Over half a dozen of the young trees planted along the Marsh road have been practically destroyed. It is simply shameful that any of these trees, planted with so much care to beautify the road, should be ruined, whether by malicious persons or by cattle running at large.

TORONTO, June 3.—The rate of taxation for next year has been placed at 1½ mills on the dollar.

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STORE OPEN EVENINGS.

LOCAL NEWS.

Reverdy Steeves, the Brussels street boot and shoe dealer, offers women's shoes at specially reduced prices for tomorrow only. See advt.

A party of twenty-eight Italians came to the city last evening by the American steamer and left for Sydney, where they will work on the railway.

The steamer State of Maine brought one hundred and thirty-one passengers to this port last night, the largest list of the season.

The concert which was to be held by St. Paul's (Valley) church Sunday school on June 5 has been postponed for a week.

A diocesan conference of the Catholic clergy was held today at the parochial residence of Very Rev. Monsignor Connolly, Bishop street. His Lordship Bishop Casey and thirteen of the local priests were in attendance.

HARBOR IMPROVEMENTS.

A Civic Delegation to Leave for Ottawa Tomorrow.

Mayor White received this morning the following telegram from the minister of railways and canals in regard to the harbor improvement delegation: To His Worship Mayor White:—

Would suggest your delegation arrive here Friday evening, so as to meet committee of privy council Saturday morning. Important that minister of public works should be present and he will not be here before that day.

A. G. BLAIR.

The committee on harbor improvements was immediately summoned and it was decided to send a delegation to Ottawa, leaving tomorrow afternoon. The members will endeavor to urge on the government the need of their offering some assistance to the city in improving the harbor facilities and also to show the necessity for some action to be taken that will furnish some additional accommodation in time for next winter's trade.

His Worship Mayor White will head the delegation and it is expected that Ald. Christie and McMulkin will also go.

TODAY'S FUNERALS.

The funeral of the late Charles D. Shaw took place at half past two o'clock this afternoon from his former residence, Mount Pleasant avenue, to St. Paul's church. There service was held by Rev. A. G. H. Dicker and Rev. Canon DeVeber. The choir of which the deceased was a member, sang several selections. A large number of people were present and the members of the Neptune Rowing club attended in a body. Interment was at Fernhill.

Among the floral tributes were:—Emblem of roses with letters L. M. in violets from the L. M. club; wreath of pink and white roses, from Heber Vroom, Harry Schofield and Duncan Robertson; bouquet white roses, F. A. Pickett; cross, members of St. Paul's choir; wreaths, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Fisher; wreath, H. C. Tilley and wife; crescent, Tourist Association; crescent, Lady Tilley; crescent, L. P. D. Tilley; bouquet, Miss Brayley; wreath, Neptune Rowing Club.

The funeral of the late Francis A. Bowman took place this afternoon from 64 Orange street. Interment was at Fernhill. Rev. J. D. Freeman conducted the services. There were no pall bearers.

A SPECIAL SALE OF LADIES' TAILOR MADE SUITS, many at half price, is now going on at Dykeman's.

PERSONAL.

J. H. McRobbie and Mrs. McRobbie leave on Monday for Boston, from where they will sail on Wednesday for Europe. They will attend the coronation and afterwards visit friends in Scotland, returning home in about two months.

The trustees of Johns Hopkins University have appointed Roy Vanwart, a student of the medical faculty of McGill University, to a fellowship in the department of bacteriology and pathology. Mr. Vanwart is a son of ex-Judge Vanwart of Fredericton.

Mrs. Arthur Branscombe of City road, who was severely injured by an accident a short time ago, is still confined to her house.

OPERATED ON FOR APPENDICITIS

(Yesterday's Fredericton Herald.) Mrs. I. T. Fairweather of Weymouth, arrived at Victoria hospital last evening. Drs. Bridges and Harry McNally this morning operated on Mrs. Fairweather for appendicitis, and the outlook at this stage is favorable.

KILLED BY LIGHTNING.

During the thunder storm which passed over Harvey Station Monday evening, the house of Thomas Burrell of Manners Sutton was struck by lightning and set on fire, one of his children aged nine years old, was killed and the others were severely stunned.

HOUSE BURNED DOWN.

An unoccupied house known as the Harding property at Lakeside was burned to the ground at 10.30 tonight. The building was purchased by Dr. Ryan of Paris last year, and extensive improvements were about to be made on it. The fire was of incendiary origin. It was insured for \$500 in one of A. C. Fairweather's companies.

LADIES' WATERPROOF COATS in all the new shapes and colors are being sold at one third off the regular price at Dykeman's.

MONTREAL, June 3.—A rain storm this evening spoiled the parade of the Montreal brigade in honor of the conclusion of peace.

TORONTO, June 3.—Hon. S. H. Blake voted for the Whitney candidate in the recent election. The news has caused a sensation here.

PORT LAMBERTON, Ont., June 3.—An unknown steamer collided with the barge Gleniffer, in tow of the tug Seaman, off South East Bend last night. Mrs. C. Moore, the captain's wife, was drowned and Archie Wyner of Windsor is missing.

FAIR BRIDES.

St. John Contributes Its Share of Them Today.

Daughter of the Hon. A. G. Blair Married at the Capital.

WILSON-OLIVE.

A very pretty wedding took place in St. John (Stone) church this morning when William H. Wilson, of the firm of Longard Bros., Halifax, was united in marriage to Miss Bessie Olive, daughter of John L. Olive, formerly of Carleton, and now of Nova Scotia. The ceremony was performed at six o'clock by the Rev. John deBoys in the presence of a large number of friends and relatives of the parties. The church was prettily decorated and throughout the ceremony music was furnished by the organist. The bride wore a travelling suit of dark green cloth, with cream hat and carried a bouquet of cream roses. She was attended by her sister, Miss Louise Olive, who wore a grey cloth suit, and carried pink roses. The groom was supported by Allan Olive.

After the ceremony the bridal party drove direct to the depot where they took the C. P. R. for Boston. They will spend a few weeks in different parts of the United States and upon their return will reside in Halifax.

CHASE-McARTHUR.

At the residence of Joseph McArthur, 550 Main street, this morning, Miss Helen Maud McArthur was united in marriage to Walter W. Chase, of 53 Victoria street. The ceremony was performed at six o'clock by the Rev. Dr. Fraser in the presence of quite a number of the friends of the parties. The bride wore a going away gown of blue broadcloth, with fawn hat, and carried a bouquet of red roses. Both parties were unattended. After the ceremony, breakfast was served and Mr. and Mrs. Chase left by the seven o'clock train for a two weeks' trip to Boston and New York. Upon their return they will reside at 53 Victoria street. Miss McArthur received many beautiful presents. Among them was a carving set from Hall & Fairweather's employees; case of silver teaspoons from the members of the firm, silver tea service from Albert McArthur; purse of gold from George McArthur, a parlor mirror from Joseph McArthur, gold watch from Mrs. J. M. McArthur, dinner set from Douglas McArthur, tea set from Mrs. George McArthur, and from the groom a pearl brooch.

DALTON-ARMSTRONG.

At the residence of the bride's mother, Moore street, at six o'clock this morning, Miss Annie Armstrong was united in marriage to H. C. Dalton of this city, by Rev. Geo. Steel. A large number of friends and acquaintances were present. The bride and groom were unattended. They left on the Prince Edward for a honeymoon trip through the Annapolis Valley.

McKAY-RITCHIE.

This forenoon St. David's church was the scene of a very pretty wedding, when Edwin K. McKay, of the Anglo-American Fire Insurance Co., was united in marriage to Miss Maud Campbell Ritchie, daughter of Francis Ritchie. The church was beautifully decorated and the service was musical throughout. The ceremony was performed at half past eleven o'clock by the Rev. Dr. Fraser, of St. Stephen's church, and although the marriage was informal, the church was crowded with the many friends of the bride and groom. Miss Ritchie wore a navy blue and white cloth travelling suit, with hat to match, and carried a shower bouquet of white roses. There was no bridesmaid, but the bride was attended by little Miss Gladys Fowler as maid of honor.

The choir of St. David's church was present and during the ceremony sang "The voice that breathed o'er Eden," and "Oh, God of Bethel," while during the whole service the organist, Mrs. Barnes, played appropriate music. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. McKay drove to the depot where they took the noon train for the east. They will spend a few weeks visiting in P. E. Island and Nova Scotia, and upon returning will reside at 155 King street east.

Miss Ritchie was the recipient of many beautiful presents, among them being a handsome picture from the members of St. David's choir, and a clock from No. 1 Salvage Corps.

McKAY-McROBBIE.

A quiet home wedding took place at the residence of J. H. McRobbie, Queen square, this morning, when his daughter, Miss Jeanette Willett McRobbie, was united in marriage to John A. McKay of the McKay Shoe Company. The marriage was a very quiet one, only the immediate relatives of the parties being present.

Rev. L. G. Macneil performed the ceremony and the parties were unattended.

Miss McRobbie wore a travelling suit of navy blue broadcloth with black moiré bands, and a fawn hat trimmed with blue and green.

After the ceremony breakfast was served and Mr. and Mrs. McKay left by the steamer Prince Edward for Boston via Yarmouth.

Miss McRobbie received a large number of presents from her numerous friends. Among them were a handsome silver service from the season and congregation of St. Andrew's church and a silver chocolate pitcher from the members of the choir.

TEAKLES-FREDERICKSON.

Among the numerous weddings of today was a charming one at the bride's home, 161 Germain street, when Miss Edith S. Frederickson, only daughter of John Frederickson, was united in marriage to William Herbert Teakles of the N. S. Furnishing Co. of Sydney, C. B. The ceremony was performed at 2.30 p. m. by the Rev. G. M. Campbell, and was a very quiet affair, with only the relatives of the contracting parties present. The bride, who was unattended, wore a brown travelling suit with hat to match. The wedding presents were many and

beautiful, among them being a silver set on silver from the boarders in the house. After the ceremony, luncheon was served at the house and Mr. and Mrs. Teakles left by the I. C. R. on the 5.06 train for Sydney, where they will reside.

STURDEVANT-ELLIOTT.

This afternoon at four o'clock Frederic E. Sturdevant, of the staff of the New York World, was united in marriage to Miss Edythe Elliott, daughter of Mrs. Elizabeth and the late Edward Elliott.

The ceremony was performed at the home of the bride, 57 High street, by the Rev. R. B. Morson, in the presence of only the immediate relatives of the contracting parties.

The bride wore pale grey etienne cloth, trimmed with white Irish crochet lace, and a hat of the same lace trimmed with white ostrich feather pom-pom. She carried a bouquet of lilies of the valley and maidenhair ferns. She was unattended.

After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Sturdevant drove to the station and left by the C. P. R. for New York. The bride received many handsome presents, the gift from the groom being a diamond crescent.

KING-THOMPSON.

This afternoon at 3.30 p. m., at 75 Hasen street, Miss Margaret Thompson, daughter of the late William Thompson, was married to Arthur King, formerly of Norton, N. B., and now of Hartford, Conn. The bride was gown in white tulle and carried bride's roses; she was attended by her sister, Miss Annie M. Thompson, who wore pink silk and carried a bouquet of pink roses. Edgar King was groomsmen, and the ceremony was performed by Rev. T. J. Delnstadt in the presence of only the relatives of the parties. The bride's going away gown was of navy blue broadcloth, with blue and mauve hat. After luncheon had been served the bride and groom left on the C. P. R. for a two weeks' trip to the United States. They will live at Hartford.

CHRISTOPHER-LAMB.

At the residence of Miles Christopher, Victoria street, at eight o'clock this evening, Frank Christopher of the St. John Railway Company will be married to Miss Rebecca Lamb. Rev. Alex. White will perform the ceremony. The newly married couple will reside on Victoria street.

LEWIN-BLAIR.

(Special to the Star.)

OTTAWA, June 4.—Rev. F. H. Lewin of Brighton, England, and Miss Amy Blair, daughter of Hon. A. G. Blair, minister of railways and canals, were united in marriage this morning. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Henry Kitson, in Christ Church cathedral, before a large assemblage of friends, including Sir Wilfrid and Lady Laurier. Mr. and Mrs. Lewin will spend a brief holiday in Toronto before sailing for England.

CASSELLS-GRANT.

Miss Gwen D. Grant, youngest daughter of Sir Jas. Grant, was married this morning to Harry Cassells of Montreal. The ceremony was quiet on account of the recent death of the groom's father. Rev. Dr. Herdridge of St. Andrew's church officiated, the ceremony taking place at the bride's home. Mr. and Mrs. Cassells left this afternoon for New York.

McDONALD-TABOR.

(Special to the Star.)

FREDERICTON, N. B., June 4.—St. Ann's parish church was at one o'clock the scene of a brilliant nuptial event, when Lilla, third daughter of the late Capt. Charles Clifford Tabor, and Rev. G. R. Edward McDonald, curate of Trinity church, St. John, were wedded. The ceremony was performed by Canon Roberts L.L.D., assisted by Rev. T. W. Street, in presence of a large and fashionable assemblage of guests. The bride was gown in white silk muslin de sole over white silk, with bridal veil and bouquet of white roses and maidenhair fern. She was attended by three bridesmaids, her sister Agnes, Miss Klyne McDonald, sister of the groom, and Miss Gertrude Dibblee of Woodstock. Miss Tabor wore white silk chiffon, with hat of white trimmed with lilies of the valley. Misses McDonald and Dibblee wore white orsande muslin. Jack H. L. Fairweather of Bathurst supported the groom. The full choir rendered The Voice That Breathed O'er Eden and other appropriate music. After the ceremony the guests, to the number of one hundred, repaired to the residence of the bride's mother, where a recherche luncheon was served. Mr. and Mrs. McDonald left upon the Canada Eastern train at three o'clock upon a brief bridal tour through Nova Scotia. The presents were very numerous and exceptionally handsome and valuable.

MOONEY-BARRY.

Miss Nellie Barry, daughter of the late James Barry, and Edward Mooney of St. John, were married Monday evening in the Roman Catholic church at Nelson by Rev. Father Power. They were unattended. The bride wore a handsome gown of rose brocade silk, trimmed with black applique and cut steel and hat to match. After the ceremony they drove to the home of the bride's mother in Chatham, where supper was served. Mr. and Mrs. Mooney came to St. John yesterday.

STEVENSON-MAGINNIS.

At the residence of the bride's father, 238 North Broadway, Lexington, Kentucky, Rev. R. Everett Stevenson, brother of Rev. G. Nelson Stevenson of this city, was united in marriage to Miss Linda Maginnis, eldest daughter of Asa Maginnis. The ceremony was performed at eight o'clock by the Rev. Dr. Herbert Martin, formerly of P. E. Island, in the presence of quite a large number of relatives and friends of the parties. The bride was attended by her cousin, Miss Jennie Sharp of Knoxville, Tenn., and the groom was supported by the Rev. Bushford Stafford. After the ceremony luncheon was served and a reception held. Mr. and Mrs. Stevenson left this morning for Halifax.

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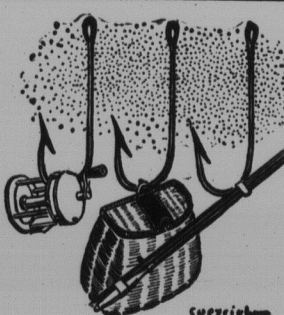
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NEW BRAND.

"Say," called the hardware drummer to the proprietor of the railway restaurant, "there is something wrong with this sandwich." "Oh, I guess not," replied the boss. "Well, I guess yes," said the traveler. "Why, the blamed thing is so soft I can actually bite a piece out of it without breaking my teeth."