SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

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The junitor branch of St. Panl's needle work clasty held its samual sale and tea hast fednesdy affermoon. The generous patron-po was a fitting reward for the inde-tighthe labors and the excellent work of he ladies. The pretilly arranged tables were pre-ded over by attractive waitresses who seemed to heroughly understand the art of disposing of the many goods, candles, flowers and witneshments def their care. The young asleswomen were: lower table, Miss Storen, Miss Scely; candy, the insee Boc; lemonade well, Louise Boe and Maur-lins Elec; lemonade well, Louise Boe and Maur-lins Miss; fruit, Miss Helen Thorton; fancy, Miss areards, Miss Grace Sch Aild, Miss Starker, Miss abour; iee cream, Miss M. Schofield, Miss Laura sner. The preident of the Society, Miss Scho Ma, and Miss Walker isoked after the tes. In the Barbour; ice cream, Miss M. Schofield, Miss Laura Hiszen. The president of the Society, Miss Scho-field, and Miss Walker looked after the tea. In the evening the following programme was rendered, these appearing therein doing thencelves much credit; plano solo, Master Burt Coupe; selection, mals quarticit; solo, Mrs. Carleton Lee; solo, Rev. Mr. Dicker; selection, male quartete; recitation, Master Burt Coupe; plano tolo, Miss Matthew; selection, male quartete.

Manter Euri Coupe; piano tolo, Miss Matthew; redection, male quartette. An early morning wedding was solemn-ized Wednesday in St. John's (stone) church when Miss Edith Gardner Cochran and Mr. John L. Sutherland were united in marriage by Rev. J. doSoyres. The bride who was unattended, wore a traveling costome of blue with hat to match and carried a beautiful be quet. After the ceremony Mr. and Mr.s. Sutherland leit for a trip through Nova Scotia, followed by the best winhes of a large circle of friends. Among the very handoome presents received was one from the em-ployres of Manchester, Robertson and Allison, in which firm Mr. Sutherland holds a responsible position.

The marriage of Miss Samborn and Mr. C. B. The marriage of Miss Sambora and Mr. C. B. Fideon, took place Wednesday morning at the residence of the bride's mother on Douglas Ave. Rev. J. A. Gordon performing the ceremony in the presence of only near relatives of both parties. Mr. and Mrs. Fidgeon are spending their homeymoon in Near Societ

And still another happy event which took place this week was the marriage of Miss Nina Titus, daughter of Mr. Benjumin Titus and Mr. J. Greene. staughter of Mr. Benjimin Titus and Mr. J. Greene. The bride and her attendant Miss May Titun were both prettily gowned and looked very graceful and dainty. Mr G. Armstrongsupported the groom and the coremony was performed by Rev. J. A. Gordon. Mr. and Mrs. Greene, after a wedding supper, served at the brides home, left on the Prince Rupert for a tour through Nova Scotia. Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Bishop of Hali'ax are here on a wisi.

m a visit. Mrs. E. L. Pettis, Miss Pettis and the Misser Mills of Pittsfield, Mass., are spending a short time

Mins of rationality Amass, are spending a more time in St. John. Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Remak of Philadelphia spent part of this week in the city. Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Davidson of Windsor, N. S., are spending their honeymoon in St. John. Miss May Carter of St. Stephen is the guest of her brother, Mr. E. S. Catter, Paddock street. Her pleasant mission to this city was to attend the mar-riage of her sister which she was unfortunately pre-trained for dister Wind here. Mr. J. W. Arnold spent Sanday with friends in Subteasy.

Rothessy. Mr. and Mrs. H. H. McLean left Wednesday for a few days stay in Montreal after which Mrs. Mc-Lean will go to Ottawa and North bay on a visit to

friends. Hon Peter Mitchell spent Wednesday in the city. Col. P. E. Murphy and family of Boston are in St. John for a few weck stay. Mrs. J. H. King of Smith's creek spent a few days in the city this week the guest of Mrs. E. L. Perkins Sidney street, while here she attended the marriage of her stater Miss Constance Carter and Mr. Catlin. JUSTITIA.

SACKVILLE.

[FROGRESS is for sale in Sackville at Wm. I. Goodwin's Bockstore. In Middle Sackville by E.

Serr. 3.— The "at home" given by Rev. and Mrs. Brecken at "Elmherst" on Friday afternoon was horoughly erjoyed by those present, Mrs. Brecken cocived in a handsome gow of black satin. The nests were: Dr. and Mrs. Borden, Senator and ins. Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Bowel), Prof. and Mrs. Mrs. Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Fowell, Folden, Schator and Hunton, Froi and Mrs. Wooten, Rev. and Mrs. Howard, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Falmer, Mr. and Mrs. Free Brao, Rev. and Mrs. Vincent, Dr. and Mrs. Bowser, Dr. and Mrs. Allison, Rev. and Mrs. Hart, Dr. and Mrs. Calkin, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Fickard, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Ford. A delicious lunch was sevred on the lawn. red on the l

Mrs. Bell, (nce Pickard) of Hali'ax is visiting Mrs. Wood.

Mrs. Wood. Mrs. Norman of Montreal is visiting her mother Mrs. Norman of Montreal is visiting her mother Mrs. 6, B. Estabrook. Dr. and Mrs. Sitewart are taking a trip through P. E. Jaland. Mount Allison colleges open to day and large rumbers of students are arriving daily. Mrs H C Milner gave a delightful whist party on Thursday evening.

Thursday evening. The scose of temperance held their annual picnic at "Patton Point" on Friday. The atternoon was pleasantly spent in boating, games and etc. Ed. Allicon of Halfar has been visiting his par-sons Dr and Mrs. Allison. Motans.

WOODSTOCK.

[PROGRESS is for sale in Woodstock by Mrs. Sept 2,-Dr. C. M. Hay of Philadelphia spent part of this week in Woodstock the guest of has brother W. W. Hay. Mr. Walker returned to his home in the home

Hannah of Springhill spent Su pleasant evening was spent a d's On last Thursday evening Mr. C. Ha A very A very piessanis evening was spant at Mirs. A. L. McDonaldv on has Thursday evening at a "which party" gaven in honor of her guest Miss L. Reeds of Truro. Among those present ware. Miss Castle McLeod, Miss Minerrs McLiatoh, Oxford, Miss Barha MacAulay, Mirs. H. B. Waddell, Miss Lillian Daniel, Miss McCardy, Misses Trasse, Hopewell, Miss. Minufe Sorden, Miss Ettle MacAulay, Messars H. B. Vyaddell, Wan Canningham, F. M. Prown, G. Munreg, A. F. MacAuley. Mr. J. Jones d'G.Cambridge, Maas., spont a few days here last weakha guest of Eev. A. M. Bent. Miss Sprier of Enton is visiting her sister (Bev) Miss. A. D. McIngoh. . Messars. H. Borwish and G. Stevens spent Sunday here.

Mr. J. F. Willis of Stellarton was here this were Mr. J. Lambert of Springhill spent Sunday

Mesara. I. Stevens and C. Stevens spent Sunday here. Miss Thorence Tuttle of Beston is visiting her parents Mr. and Ms. Firsming Tuttle. On Wednesday, a picnic was held on Shea's 1s hard under the sampless of Acadia lodge, A. F. & A. M., given in honor of a visit from M. W. G. M., J. W. Rhuland, Erg, B. D. Bent, Esq., D. G. M., G. R. Smith, Freq. D. D. G. M. A large number was present from Wallace and Oxford lodges. The day two as pleasant one. Speeches from M. W. G. M. j. D. G. M., D. D. G. M., were listened to with great interest by the large attendance present. In the ovening the AF & A M formed is procession at their hall and marched through the principal streets and then back to the hall headed by the Pagwash brass band, which discoursed excellent masic. Miss L. Peers, who has been visiting Mrs. R. L. McDonald, returned to her home in Trure on Mon-

day. Mr. J W Rhuland, M W G M of A F & A M, of Mr. J. W. Bhuland, Mr. W. G. M. J. F. G. A. m., of Halifax was in town on Wednesday. Messres. B. D. Bent, D. G. M., C. R. Smith, D. D. G. M. of A. F. and A. M. of Amherst were in town on Wednesday. Mrs. Archibald of Antigonish spent a few days here this week the guest of her daughter, Mrs. S. P. Borden.

P. Borden. Miss Humph.les, who has been spending the summer months here, returned to her home in Sprinzhill on Monday. H. A. Hilloott of Amherst spent Tuesday here. E. E. Ebbets of New York was here on Tuesday. Mr. Geo. Battye of Wallace was here on Wednes

day. Miss Nettle Smith of Oxtord was the guest o Miss Hattie Dakin on Wednesday.

THE FLORAL BAY WINDOW.

Au Addition That Can be Made to Every Home at Small Expense.

Home at Sinall Experse. Some poetically inclined person has called a greenhouse "a trap in which to catch sunshine," says Eben E. Rextord in September Ladies' Journal and no doubt the origin of the bay window isattributable to a design on the part of the house and home builder to so construct window that could be obtained, as well as a better chance for outlook. That it was not chance for outlook. That it was not originally designed as a place in which to grow plants is evident, but so widespread has become the love for flowers that the bay window of to-day in nine cases out of ten is a miniature conservatory, and now-adays it is built more frequently for that has become then for gragement.

But he evolution of the bay window into a plant room has not been accompan-ied by so great a revolution in its style of construction as is necessary to adapt it in : the greatest possible degree to the success-ful culture of plants. The majority of these windows which are built each season

follow the old plan, which is not only ex-pensive to build, but which gives a window far inferior as homes for plants to a sim-pler one that might be built for half the

money, and still be quite as ornamental if a little judgement and good taste were but used in their construction. I am very glad to see that some of our

prominent architects and home builders are giving this matter their attention. They are beginning to recognize the use to which the n sjority of bay windows are put nowadays, and are simplifying them in order to better adapt them to the purpose of successful plant growing. A careful examination of results will convince anyone that this can

be, and is, done without sacrificing any-thing in the way of beauty. In fact, the modernized bay window can be made much more light and graceful in appearance than

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Third Pedal. MARRIED

Catlin of Brooklyn, New York, is son, second daughter of the inte sr, of Kingston, Kings Co , N. B. rds no less than 2250 year

M Taxet Nearly all pianos have three po dals. The third is called by differ ent names, but it is really nothing more than the old soft pedal of the square piano. which is practi ally useless. The third pedal in the Pratte Piano fills a need experienced by every artist. It is the Sostenuto pedal which enables the performer to make one or more notices sing (and those only) while his fingers are busy on another part of the keyboard. This is the eonly third pedal which artists will use. It costs 100 times more to make than the ordinary third pedal, but still you will fail it in every Pratte Piano. It would be a pleasure to explain this to you and ahow you how it worke, if you will call at our warerooms. other records no less than 2250 years farther than anything before known. Professor Hilprecht, who is in charge of the excavations, on behalf of the Univer-sity of Pennsylvanis, his just desiphered cuneiform records upon tablets of Baby-lonian hastory dating back at least seven thousand years before Christ. This is 2250 years earlier than any other record. He is confident that some of the tablets upon which he is still working date back still another thousand years or about ten thousand earlier than the present day. He is not ready to fully commit himself yet on this point. yet on this point. These latest discoveries came about in

an interesting way. His predecessor, Dr. Peters, worked down to s certain floor or platform which he and others had taken to phasician which he and others had taken to be the ground level of an ancient city. One of the party suggested that this level should be penetrated and the digging con-tinued until rock or vigin soil be reached. The suggestion was adopted and to the deliable of the suggestion was adopted and to the

The suggestion was adopted and to the delight of all concerned it was found that what was supposed to be the level of an ancient city was only the level of a com-paratively modern city, built over the ruins of an older one, or a succession of older ones. The excavations above the level had gone through thirty-six feet of debris. They ware then continued to a depth of thirty feet below. In the excavations above the platform were discovered remains which covered a period of 4000 years of Babylon-ian history. Below the platform, to virgin soil, was an accumulation of drains pre-served and broken pottery and various other objects of interest. Twenty-three feet below the platform Hainee came upon the most ancient key-stone arch known. The arch, which Professor Hilprecht thinks cannot be later than 6000 B. C., Hainee excavated in the lower part of a marvelous wall of a city. Its foundations were found sixteen the old, clumsy one ever was. The old one was made mostly of woodwork, inside and out. There were heavy frames be-tween the sections of glass, and a heavy cornice, and were it not for the fact that they projected in such a manner that some

light came in at the sides, they would be no better for plant growing than the ordi-The windows in which it is intended to later than 5000 B. C., Haines caunot be in the lower part of a marvelous wall of a city. Its foundations were found sixteen feet below the level of the desert. The wall itself is seventeen jeet high and forty-five wide. Upon the top of this wall was another of unknown heights. These walls are built of briot, twenty inches square, probably the largest brick ever used. The most valuable finds were the in-scriptions upon broken vases, bricks and tablets.

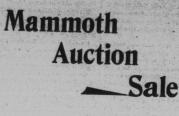
MIRRORS IN WARFARE. Reflections of a Barbor to Occupants of a Bomb Proof.

The latest adjunct to coast defences is a modernized form of the old camera obscura. Army officers are now considering its feastibility, and an effort is being made to secure the adoption of the system by the

planner and owner of the house, but I By an arrangement of lenses and small would advise him to make the window as irrors an image of the harbor is thrown upon a whitened table in a dark chamber,

chance shots, those who are directing the operations from the fort can directly see bushels of 1894 to over 19 000.000 hush

authorities that in the event of war the United States would be obliged to depend largely upon torpedoes for its coast defense, but it is also acknowledged that unless the movements of the hostile ships can be watched and the torpedoes exploded at the proper time there is a large element of chance in their effectiveness.



One of the attractions in this city during the Exhibition will be the mammoth auction sale of attractive Pictures, Fancy Goods, etc, to be held at the warerooms of the Ira Cornwall Co, Ltd, 68 King st. W. A. Lockhart, auctioneer.

> Watch this space for further an

FLAX GROWING IN CANADA.

Profitable Grop Even When Marketed in the United States After Paying Duty.

A little pamplet written by William saunders, the director of the Canadian experimental farms, and published by the Canadisn Department of Agriculture, gives some facts about the cultivation of flax, over the border, that will rpove of no little interest to the farmers of the United States says the New York Sun. It appears that flax growing suddenly be-came very popular in Manitoba: after the crop of 1894 was harvested. The crop of flaxeed that year in the United States was poor...7,500,000 bushels were produced, and the price at the Chicago market was and the price at the Chicago market rose as high as \$1 50 a bushel. So the Mani-

war department. The particular use and value of the sys-tem, as explained by E. Stiles Vinten, is that it shows the defenders of a fort the movements of the ships of the enemy, and at the same time does away with the neces-sity of any one exposing himself to a heatile fire. toba market rate was from \$1,15 to 1,25, the duty on flaxseed brought; over, the line to the United States being 20 cents a bushel. At \$1.15 the Manitoba farmers made a good profit, although the yield from 30,000 acres averaged but twelve bushels an acre. Next year the Manito-bushel are a set of a state and the model the difference of the set bans sowed 82,500 acres, and reaped not less than 15½ bushels to the acre-1,281,354 bushels all told. Meantime, 1,281,354 bushels all told. Meanine, however, dollar and a half flax-seed had stimulated the imagination of Yankee farmers also, and the Yankee pro-

bushels of 1894 to over 19,000,000 bushels in 1895. So the Chicago price (Chicago being the Manitoban market) fell to from

While flax was cultivated in Manitoba exclusively for the seed, the farmers of Datario devoted from 12,000 to 15,000
Contario devoted from 12,000 to 15,000
Sigre, or sour wine.
Vinegar is taken from the French, vin aigre, or sour wine.
Vilan was simply the name given to a laborer on the villa of a Roman country gentleman.
Domine, the old name used ror a preachers, is drived from Dominus.
Lord, in the old Anglo Saxon, was hia, ford, or loaf distributor.
Sir was originally the Latin senior.
Madame is 'ny lady.'
Slav was originally a person of noble lineage; not the shear an ow applied.
Jimmin reminiscence of the classical adjuration, Ogeninie, used by the ancient Romans when they called upon the twins
Castor and Pollux to assist them.

19 bushels and 26 pounds (56 pounds make

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19 bushels and 26 pounds (66 pounds make a bushel); with 70 pounds of seed the yield was 20 bushels, and with 90 pounds. The "It appears from the Manitobs reports production of good fibre. This might have been intered, perhaps, from the excellence of the fibre produced in the moist dimate of the plant that is cultivated for seed finds in demand, and at the paper mills that make writing paper. The Canadian farmer gots from \$2 60 to \$4 s ton for the drived bars is usually burned and the sales used as a fartilizer. The suppose it does. Thus, where any acre of land produced fifteen bushels of atta is uppose if does. Thus, where any acre of land produced fifteen bushels of atta is down 46 pounds of nitray and the ground 46 pounds of nitray and a store is a store of oots pook from the ground 46 pounds of nitray and a store of a straw, the crop and the ground a fibres no and 2,200 pounds of phosphoric acid, and 37.28 poun

Where They Came From O, dear ! is equivalent to 'Odio mio.' o Oh, My God.

Rotten Row, the famous drive in Lonkotten kow, the famous drive in Lon-don, was originally called la route du roi, or the King's passageway. 'Pope 'was originally 'papa' and 'Czar' and 'Kaiser' are both Cacear. 'Thumble,' was originally 'thumb-bell,' as the thimble was first worn on the thumb. 'Dandelion,' was dent de leon, or the lion's toch.

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nary window.

that is not considered sufficiently ornament-al. If the window is a high one, and care is taken to avoid a heavy, projecting corn-ice, a glass root may be dispensed with, but where it can be used, would by all neans, advise it. There is no possibility

of having too much light.

war department.

Of course it is not in the province of this article to lay down rules as to size. That

is a matter that must be decided by the

well protected by bomb-proof shields. Seated about the table, secure from any

planner and owner of the house, but I
planner and owner of the house, but I
a large as possible without allowing it to get out of harmony with the general design of the house and, his pocketbook. The womn who loves flowers almost always sighs for more room tor she is constantly collection. If you can afford a window so collection. If you make no mistake in g'owing bh ns, "an' bright with bloom, n' you will see th you make no mistake in m king it large and yoomy. In such a place you can grow more than ons yood-sized specimens, but in the ordinary bay window one plant of medium size a such y can get, which will generally be very litcle. A wint dow that extends the whole width of the living room will make that room from which it opens. If this is done, you can shut the plants in by themselves without shutting them out of sight. Its other advantage claimed by asing to heating and dusting seperately from the living room being the chief. Provision thou be made to allow the

There are from forty-five scutching mills-that is mills to take the linen fibre shutting them out of sight. Its other at vantages, too, are numerous, those relations the stating and duning seperately from the sitting and outing seperately from the sitting and outing seperately from the sitting and think or allow the surface of the seal inset of the set of the se mills-that is mills to take the linen fibre from the flax stalk-in western Ontario, scho of which can handle the product of between 300 and 600 acres. The yield of fax straw usually runs from 3,000 to 3,500 pounds to the acre, but many good farmers sobtain from two to three tons to the acre. They receive \$10 per ton for the dried straw, selling the seed with the straw. But the scene to the flax plant, when har-vested for the flax, fax plant, when har-stead of eat. Men, women and children work at the pulling in Canada, the men earning from \$125 to \$1,500 a day, the

Monday. The Misses Bull returned from Newport R. I. last week, to be pretent at the wedding of their sister which takes piace on Thursday of this week Mr. Scovil Nesies and Mrs. Nesles of Andover speat part of this week in Woodstock. Mrs. H. V. Dalling emertained a large party of children very picasanily on Tuesday afternoon at her residence Connell street. Mrs. Mitter of New York anent part of this week

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Miss Jennie Hall returned to her home in St.

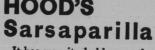
John Tuesday. Mis. Hand and children returned from their visit in Maine on Tuesday. ELAINE,

PUGWADH.

Miss Mattie Jones of Truro spent a few days in own last week, the guest of Rev. Mis. A. M. Bent. Mrs. Fluwelling, who spint a few days with her mother Mrs. Wm. Bennett returned to her home at Cambridgeport, Mass., on last Thurnday. Miss Morrison of Thempson is visiting Rev. Mrs. A. Bent.

Miss Gordon left for Boston last Thursday. Mr. HaddellorSpring hill was in town this week Mrs. Wm. Clarke returned on Tuesday to her hom in Boston Mass.

Chairs Re-seated, Cane, plint, 1 orforated



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vania Scientists. The American expedition under the auspices of the University of Pennsyl-vania, which visited the ancient mound at Nippur, has made wonderful discoveries, throwing a flood of light upon the history of Babylon. The most astonishing of all is the ineathing of ancient incoriptions and

'Dobby tells me that he can carry im-mente sums in his head.' 'Perhaps so, but he never carries over 50 cents in his pockets.'-Detrois Free Parts 50 cent Press.

