

WEDDINGS

Thomas-Dezannon. An interesting nuptial event took place at the home of George Dezannon, 41 Marsh Road Tuesday afternoon, when his eldest daughter, Miss Kate E. Beazson, was married to Arthur Macfarlane Thomas of the I. C. R.

The ceremony which was performed by Rev. Dr. Raymond, rector of St. Mary's, was witnessed only by relatives and immediate friends of the contracting parties. The happy couple were unattended and the bride, who was given away by her father, wore a pretty tailor-made suit of brown Venetian cloth with hat to correspond.

Immediately after the ceremony a reception was held and wedding luncheon served. The newly married couple left by the evening train for ten days' tour of Quebec, Montreal and other cities in the upper provinces, and on their return will reside at No. 34 St. Patrick street. The happy couple have the recipients of numerous wedding gifts, including some very beautiful hand-painted china.

The fellow employees of the groom presented to him an address, accompanied by a substantial purse.

Slipp-Sherwood. A very pretty house-wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert M. Sherwood, Midland, Wednesday afternoon, September 11, when their only daughter, Cora Alberta, was married to Irving Hamilton Slipp, of Carpenter, Queens Co. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Abram Perry, of Norton, pastor of the United Baptist church, in the presence of sixty relatives and friends of the contracting parties.

The drawing-room was beautifully decorated for the occasion, quantities of white flowers being used, with green ferns and palms, exquisite banks of flowers. An aisle of white ribbon was formed for the bride and groom to enter the drawing room. As the bride entered with her father, Mendelsohn's wedding march was well rendered by Mrs. Stephen Golden of Wickham. The bride looked charming in a princess gown of white silk embroidered chiffon and hand-made trimmings. She carried a large bouquet of bridal roses and maiden hair ferns. She was preceded by little Miss Nita Golding, daintily dressed in white silk, who acted as flower girl and carried a basket of pink and white sweet peas. After the ceremony refreshments were served in the dining room, which was decorated with smilax and white aster.

The bride's going away gown was brown chiffon broadcloth, with a chic hat of brown to match. The bride received a large number of handsome and valuable presents, among which were a set of dishes and a complete furnishing for a bedroom from her parents. The groom's gift to the bride was a beautiful piano organ and to the little flower girl a gold locket and chain.

McMullin-Harper. An interesting event took place Wednesday at the residence of John Harper Chipman, when his daughter, Miss Mabelle H., was united in marriage to J. William McMullin, son of John McMullin, factory inspector, Rev. D. McD. Clark, of the Chipman Presbyterian church, performed the ceremony. The happy couple left by train for Upper Canada, and will visit Niagara, New York and Boston.

On their return they will reside at Upper Gagetown, where Rev. McD. Clark is extensively interested in the lumber business.

Simpson-Patton. The wedding of Miss Laura C. Patton, youngest daughter of Rev. J. W. Patton, Thomas E. Simpson, took place at 7 o'clock Wednesday in Trinity church. The ceremony was performed by Rev. E. A. Armstrong, rector of the church. The bride who was given away by her father, was married in a travelling costume of navy blue with Copenhagen blue, a last trimmed with Copenhagen blue. Only the immediate relatives and friends were present. After the ceremony the bride and groom went on a wedding tour, including Montreal, Toronto and Niagara. On their return they will reside in Summer street, Mr. Simpson who is a traveler for Hall & Fairweather, has received presents of silverware from his firm and out glass from the members of the staff. The bride was witnessed by a large number of many friends in Trinity church, where she is an active worker.

Carpenter-Sherwood. Tuesday morning at 8 o'clock, at 159 Leinster street, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. Sherwood, their youngest daughter, Blanche L., was united in marriage to Archie M. Carpenter, of 31 Carleton street, by Rev. T. W. Carpenter, uncle of the groom. Only the immediate relatives were present. The bride wore lavender santonny with cream trimmings and carried a large bouquet of white broadcloth, with black picture hat. After the ceremony a dainty breakfast was served. The bride received many pretty and useful presents.

Grant-Corcoran. A pretty wedding took place this morning in St. Edmund's church, when Miss Florence Corcoran, daughter of John Corcoran, of the maritime penitentiary staff, was married to James Grant, of the marine department of Amherst. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Father Cormier in the presence of the immediate friends of the contracting parties. The church was prettily decorated for the occasion. The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, was becomingly gowned in white duchess satin with trimmings of Irish point lace, bridal veil and carried a white prayer book. She was attended by Miss Mabel Corcoran, while the groom was supported by Howard Kelly, of Halifax.

The wedding party left the church to the strains of Mendelsohn's wedding march, played by Miss Kelsie Manning of Moncton. After luncheon at the bride's home, Mr. and Mrs. Grant left for St. John, Montreal, Toronto and other points. The bride received many handsome presents. The groom's gift was a set of mink furs; to the bridesmaid a garnet and pearl ring and a locket to the bridesmaid, Mr. and Mrs. Grant will reside in Amherst. The bride is a sister of John H. Corcoran, of the I. C. R. passenger department, Moncton (N. B.), and is favorably known as a soprano soloist.

Fleetwood-Vanawar. One of the prettiest weddings that has taken place in the north end for many years, was solemnized at the home of Harzill Vanawar, Main street, at 4 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, when his only daughter, Miss Ella Margaret, became the wife of Edward Jewett Fleetwood, manager of the local branch of the Ames Holden Company. The officiating clergyman was Rev. David Hutchinson, pastor of Main street Baptist church and the ceremony, which was witnessed by a large number of relatives and guests, was performed in the parlor, which was banked

with ferns and beautiful autumn flowers, in pink and white. The bride, who entered the room with her father passed through an aisle of white satin ribbon, held by six of her young lady friends and the happy couple stood beneath an arch of autumn leaves, ferns, grapes and flowers surmounted by a bunch of bride's bouquet; the bride's place being directly under a large ball of white sweet peas.

The bride was gowned in a lovely creation of chiffon and cream silk with baby Irish insertion and long veil tulle with coronet of orange blossoms. She was attended by Mrs. W. H. Wilson, of Halifax, as matron of honor, wearing an artistic creation of green silk, with large picture hat.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. Immediately after the ceremony the newly married couple held a reception which was followed by a wedding luncheon, and Mr. and Mrs. Fleetwood left by the evening train for Montreal, Toronto, Ottawa and other Upper Canadian cities. On their return they will reside at 77 Mecklenburg street.

Park-Belyea. A quiet wedding took place at Taunton (Mass.) Sept. 18th, when Thomas Park, of Chicago, formerly of St. John, (N. B.), was married to Miss Annie Mae Belyea of Springfield, (N. B.), by the Rev. O. J. Whyte of the Windsor street Baptist church. The bride who was unattended wore a traveling suit of blue Panama cloth with hat to match. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Park left for Boston, on the evening of the bride's departure from the Taunton hospital where she had been training for a nurse, she was given by the staff a beautiful silver turban and address. Mr. and Mrs. Park have the best wishes of many friends in St. John.

Meagher-Monahan. A brilliant wedding was that solemnized in St. Ignace's church, Peterville, at 9 o'clock Wednesday morning, when Miss Anna Louise Monahan, daughter of Hugh Monahan, of Peterville, was united in marriage to William J. Meagher, of Worcester (Mass.), but formerly of Halifax, Mass. The ceremony was witnessed by a large number of the friends of the popular young couple from New Brunswick and Nova Scotia.

The bride entered the church leaning on the arm of her father, and carried a bouquet of white roses. Her dress was of white tulle with white tulle and chiffon trimmings and a bridal veil with orange blossoms. Miss Marion Meagher, of Halifax, sister of the groom, was bridesmaid and was becomingly gowned in white muslin silk over white silk, and white hat with plumes and pink roses. Matthew Monahan, brother of the groom, acting as best man, wearing a suit being a handsome tuxedo. The groom's present to the bride was a chased gold watch, and the bride gave her friends who wish them every success.

Brookins-Wilson. A very pretty wedding took place Wednesday evening at the residence of Samuel Wilson, Metcalf street, when his daughter, Miss Fredricka Brookins, was married to Rev. B. H. Nobles, pastor of Victoria street United Baptist church. Only the immediate friends and relatives were present. The bride was attended by three little Misses Black as flower girls.

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St. John. Rev. H. G. Alder performed the ceremony. The happy couple were unattended. Many useful and costly presents were received. The newly married couple left on the evening train for a bridal trip to Nova Scotia.

Reed-McCarthy. John Reed of Fairville, was Thursday united in marriage to Miss Julia McCarthy in the Church of the Assumption, Carleton, by Rev. J. J. O'Donovan. There was a large number of friends of the contracting parties present at the ceremony. The bride, who was attended by her sister, Miss Bertha McCarthy, wore a becoming costume of brown cloth. Edward Dwyer supported the groom. Mr. and Mrs. Reed will reside in Fairville.

Wathen-Wilson. Harcourt, N. B., Sept. 18—On Wednesday, Sept. 18, the Methodist church was filled with guests and gay flowers, it being the wedding day of John A. L. Wathen and Miss Stella G. Wilson. At 11:30 then and Miss Stella G. Wilson, in a few minutes the strains of the Voice That Breathed O'er Eden, played by Miss Robina Dunn, resounded through the church, and the bride entered, leaning on the arm of her brother-in-law, Dr. H. G. Fairbank. The bride looked charming in a blue broadcloth traveling dress with a white hat to match. Rev. C. H. Manon performed the ceremony, after which Mr. and Mrs. Wathen left on the Maritime Express through the city. The bride was unattended, wearing a rare chiton, silver and linen, among other things, and a handsome Morris chair from Dr. and Mrs. Fairbank. The bride's going away suit was of blue chiffon broadcloth, with hat to match. The bride's maid was Miss Margaret, of Halifax, sister of the groom, wearing a white muslin silk over white silk, and white hat with plumes and pink roses. Matthew Monahan, brother of the groom, acting as best man, wearing a suit being a handsome tuxedo. The groom's present to the bride was a chased gold watch, and the bride gave her friends who wish them every success.

Cosman-Maryen. A quiet but pretty wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Marven, Springfield, (Mass.), on Wednesday, September 4, at nine a. m., when their youngest daughter, Julia Ernestine, was united in marriage to William Pennington Cosman. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Henry Penna (Methodist Episcopal), of the city. The bride was attended by three little Misses Black as flower girls.

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The order of the service was as follows: Hymn, "Rock of Ages," Main street Baptist church; reading of scripture, Rev. C. Jenkins; prayer, Rev. Gibson Swin; short address by Rev. D. Hutchinson and Rev. Dr. McIntyre; closing hymn, "It is Well With My Soul," prayer and benediction, Rev. A. B. Cobbe.

William Brown. Richibucto, Sept. 16—William Brown, who has been suffering for a long time from stomach trouble and two months ago thought to be dying, but who, later, rallied, died last night. Besides three half brothers, John C. David and Gilman, and a sister, Mrs. W. H. Brown, who was with him through his long illness; one daughter, Mrs. Robert Phinney, who also spent a part of each day with him, and the late Mrs. John Brown, both at home. He was 73 years of age.

Wm. McHarg. One of Fairville's best known residents, William McHarg, died at his home in England after an illness of only three days. He was born in St. John, and had lived for the earlier part of his life in Prince of Wales, Canada, but he resided in Fairville. He was sixty-five years of age. Seven children survive—three sons and four daughters—as does Mrs. McHarg. The daughters are Mrs. M. Cox, Carleton; Mrs. L. Craft, Fairville; Mrs. A. Le, Murray street, city, and Miss Ella McHarg. Albert McHarg is a son.

James T. Stewart. James T. Stewart, brother of Charles W. Stewart, of this city, died under tragic circumstances on Saturday morning about 10 o'clock, at the residence of his father, James Stewart, grain elevator on the Boston & Maine Railroad, situated in Chelsea, where he was employed as foreman, and with another son, Charles Stewart, who was smothered in the grain, at least that is the supposition, as full particulars of the occurrence are not given.

The death occurred on Friday, the 14th inst., at the residence of the late Mr. John W. Page, at the age of seventy-two years. Mr. Page enjoyed his usual good health to within two days of his death, and was suffering with pleurisy. Even then his physician thought there was no cause for alarm, but a sudden change to heart failure resulted fatally. The cause of the death was quite a shock to the community where he has lived his life, and all who respected and honored him by his sterling qualities and his cheerful and good citizenship.

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Henry Piers. Hampton, Sept. 18 (Special)—Henry Piers, an old resident of Hampton, died at his residence here on Tuesday afternoon, September 17, at the age of 80. He was for many years a justice of the peace and carried the mails to Midland up to a few months ago. His health has been failing since the first of the year. He was confined to his bed for two weeks and passed away, aged eighty-four years. He was twice married, his first wife being Miss Trevelyan, of Amherst, who died in 1850. His second wife was Miss Emma Jones, of Kars, who died in June 1905. He leaves one son, George T., and one daughter, Mrs. R. C. Both of whom reside at home, also two brothers, Grant Piers of Hampton, and William Piers of Springfield, and three sisters, Mrs. S. E. B. and Mrs. Charles Scribner, of Springfield, and Mrs. James Brawley of Passages. The funeral will take place on Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The service will be at the residence of the late Mr. Piers, which was in Hampton cemetery.

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at the residence of her son-in-law, Prof. John Hammond of Mount Allison University. The deceased had been ill for about two months. She is survived by four daughters, Miss Alice, of Waltham, Mass., Mrs. Field and Mrs. Hays, of New York, and Mrs. John Hammond, of Sackville. She was 71 years old. The remains will be taken to Waltham for interment. A short funeral service will be held here at 12 o'clock tomorrow.

Frank Gorham. Hampton, Sept. 18—Frank Gorham, formerly of Hampton, died a few days ago at Waltham (Mass.), of cancer of the stomach, aged fifty-two years. He was married. His sisters, Mrs. Howard D. Fowler and Miss Jennie Gorham, brought the body to Hampton today, and accompanied by Edwin Arnold, of Sussex, were driven to Kingston, where interment will be made. Mr. Gorham was the only surviving son of Mrs. Raymond Gorham, who died in Waltham, Mass., in 1880. His wife, Mrs. Edwin Arnold, with whom also his eldest sister, Miss Annie Gorham. Another sister, Georgianna, is also a resident of Waltham.

Wm. O. Prince. Hampton, Kings county, Sept. 18—The death of William O. Prince, aged 49 years, a native of Darling's Island, where his father, mother, and brother, Elias H. Prince, still reside, has cast a gloom over the home of the deceased. Mr. Prince died on Monday, Sept. 17th, after a long illness, which consisted of Mrs. Prince and their twelve year old son, removed to New London (Conn.), where they had resided for some time. Mr. Prince, the husband and father was destined to never enter his new home, his duties leaving him on the road here on Wednesday, the 11th. About midnight of the latter date he was running an extra stage on the central New England road, and had reached the town of Lloyd, about five miles west of Poughkeepsie (N. Y.), when his engine and six cars were derailed, and after plowing up the road bed for some hundred and fifty yards, turned over on their sides, and the engineer was crushed to death under the locomotive.

As the engine was in the act of turning over he shouted to his fireman to jump, which he did and saved his life, getting only a few bruises, while Mr. Prince was so horribly crushed and disfigured that it was deemed unwise to allow the remains to be viewed by his wife and child. His death was the result of an accident which occurred on the morning of Sept. 12th, service being conducted by the Rev. Henry McBelb, rector of St. Thomas' church, and John H. Barlow, of the Grand Lodge Masons. Interment was in Spring Grove cemetery, where the exercises were in charge of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, of which he was a member.

The railroad commission of New York state decided to hold an investigation and dropped the case on the afternoon of Sept. 12th, until their work was done. It is said that the heavy rails at the point of the wreck were improperly spiked only over the top of the rails, and this is attributed to the spreading of the rails, and the accompanying catastrophe.

This family has a valuable connection and the utmost sympathy is felt in this community for the bereaved.

Herbert Irving. Moncton, N. B., Sept. 19—The death at Buctouche this morning of Herbert Irving, removes one of the best known figures in Kent county, prominent Liberal, and well known as a valuable employer of the boys of the Buctouche and Maine Railroad since that time.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL WORK IS WELL FORWARDED

Successful Meeting of St. John City and County Convention

A. H. CHIPMAN IS CHOSEN PRESIDENT

Encouraging Reports on Membership and Interest Received; Addresses by Rev. Messrs. Moore, Lean and Ganong at Evening Session.

The annual meeting of the St. John County Sunday School Association opened at 2:30 Thursday afternoon in the Queen square Methodist church. The president, J. N. Harvey, presided, and the devotional exercises were led by Rev. E. C. Jenkins, pastor of the Ludlow street Baptist church.

The following committees were then appointed: Nominating committee—Robt. Reid, chairman; Rev. W. Camp, H. White, W. J. Parks, L. H. Thorne. Credentials committee—D. R. Usher, Miss L. Carson, R. J. Cameron, A. E. Hamilton, Mrs. M. D. Austin.

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President Harvey then delivered his annual address, after which the reports of the secretary and treasurer were read and the reports from the superintendents of departments. A discussion on the reports was led by Rev. A. A. Graham and Rev. Wellington Camp gave an interesting address on Teacher Training.

President's Address. In his annual address President Harvey said he trusted that the weaker schools would receive more encouragement during the year and new schools organized where none exist.

During the past year a new school had been organized at Missep with Samuel J. Thomas as superintendent, and organized including the Bible school of the Boys' Industrial Home, which was visited in company with the mayor on invitation of Rev. P. Fritchard. This school is under the auspices of the Evangelical Alliance and a tribute was paid to those who have the work in hand.

Speaking of membership of the schools Mr. Harvey said it figures about 11,000, about one-quarter the Protestant population of St. John figured on the census basis.

Meetings held by the executive were told of and an encouraging report of the adult Bible class work given, and the reports from the superintendents of the churches this year, realizing the great importance of Sunday school work, are devoting their evenings and part of the afternoons of an entire week to Sunday school work, getting together the various departments for a social time, so that the officers and teachers may get better acquainted with the entire school.

The following recommendations were made: Recommendations—(1) I would strongly recommend that the county president visit as many of the schools as possible during his term of office, especially the weaker schools, encouraging and assisting them in the work. (2) That the vice-presidents of the various parishes, churches and societies, in addition to their regular duties, should visit the schools in their respective parishes, and keep the county president informed as to their condition, so that when a school needs assistance it will receive it at the proper time. (3) That superintendents and teachers' conferences be held from time to time during the year, to discuss ways and means of coping with the problems so common to all Sunday schools.

I would appeal to the schools to be more prompt in filling out their reports and handing the same to the secretary, as this will very naturally assist her in the arduous duties attending her office.

Statistics. The report of the secretary, Miss Alice Eaton, showed sixty-one schools in the county besides the new one at Missep; fifty-eight are open the year round. There are 1,170 officers and teachers, 9,547 scholars, 6,616 members and the average attendance is 6,547. There are twenty-one cradle rolls with 763 members, twenty-seven primary classes report 1,415 members. There are sixteen home departments with 67 members and 139 scholars taken into the church. There are four teacher training classes with eighty members. There are eleven I. B. R. A. branches with 893 members. The temperance army reports 622 members.

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