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A LITTLE AT VARIANCE.

MR. MACKAY AND THE EXHIBITION ASSOCIATION.

Mr. Mackay Can't Get in the Building and Propose to Erect a Tent—How "Progress" Daily for Exhibition is Coming On—What It Will Be Like.

Mr. Mackay and the exhibition association are a trifle at variance. They cannot come to any definite or indefinite arrangement about Mr. Mackay's exhibit that is favorable to the latter, and the result is that lawyers have been interviewed and both parties may, unless cooler counsel prevails, come to some understanding before a jury.

Mr. Mackay claims that he has been planning for the exhibit since it first began to take shape, and that he was told by one in authority that he could have so much space in the building. Relying upon this assurance he says he went to work and spent his time and money preparing for an extensive and attractive exhibit.

It was considerable of a bombshell therefore to him when the directors decided to allow no tea exhibit in the building. They went further and in the prohibitory edict included dry good houses and grocers and all things not manufactured by the exhibitors.

Mr. Mackay felt that after he had gone to such trouble and expense for decorations, etc., which had by this time arrived that such a decision was unjust and he threatens a suit at law for damages. The directors don't seem to care very well, but that is a habit of incorporated bodies.

Another result is the establishment of a rival show to the exhibition. As it will be a free show it will not lack crowds. Offsetting the refusal of the committee Mr. Mackay made arrangements with a Montreal concern for the largest tent to be had in Canada, measuring 100 by 30 feet which he proposes to erect on some suitable ground and run an opposition show.

The directors laugh good humoredly at this enterprise and say that the bigger crowd comes to the city the better for the bigger show—the exhibition. Mr. Mackay will no doubt make this attractive. He is bound to make a show and will find plenty of persons who will go in for very close opposition and help him out to the finish.

To this end he has 1000 Chinese lanterns and has arranged for other decorations that will make the interior of the tent a sight worth seeing. PROGRESS is rather inclined to think that the more shows the better. Every person who comes to town to see the exhibition will not stay away from it and from the very fact that he (Mackay) tent will be open to everyone they will be sure to go there too.

In the meantime the exhibition is moving forward to a success. It does not seem possible at this date to be anything else. The entries are more numerous than was hoped for, and just as varied as possible. Every committee is doing its work in the right fashion, quietly and without fuss, and the employees of the exhibition are working with well directed energy.

PROGRESS daily paper is making great strides and will be a feature of the exhibition. The majority of people have been thoroughly surprised to learn that a complete duplicate of the machinery in PROGRESS press room will be brought from the press manufacturers for the exhibition. Such is the case, however, and the exhibit is even now ready for shipment.

In addition to the press and folder, the stands, cases, imposing stones, and all necessary furniture of the printing office for a newspaper will be moved into PROGRESS' space, and printers, pressmen, and writers will be getting out a live afternoon and evening daily, one that will reflect the daily life of the exhibition, and be worth buying and reading.

This is PROGRESS plan. The advertising space is, even at this early day, being rapidly spoken for, and the chances are that the paper will be well filled with business announcements as well as reading matter.

THE WAYS OF THE FAKIR.

The Contortionist Departs and the "Sweet Singer" Goes It Alone.

Some weeks ago, two fakirs made their debut in St. John, on a stage, consisting of two packing cases and the sides of a coal cart, on the Market square. They claimed that New Brunswick owed them a living, and as they were badly in need of one at that time, their object in coming here was to make good the claim.

At each performance, after the contortionist had made himself blue in the face by doing an act "invented" by himself, and performed by no other man in the world, a collection was taken up by the pair, and they always made enough, and more, to get their breakfast the next morning.

These two, however, were in hard luck. The contortionist twisted himself once too often, and had to lay up for repairs. He left town. The "Sweet Singer" of St. Andrews stayed here, and started in business on his own account. He sang on the Haymarket square and other places to admiring audiences, the admiration running all the way from \$2 to \$6 a night.

Tuesday night the fakir was billed to give a concert in Portland near the police station. But during the day he lent his assistance in using up what was left of North End Scott act liquor, before selling began under the license law. He was very successful in this; so much so that his voice was affected, and the concert had to be postponed. He spent the night in a lengthy account, recited to a great many persons, of his abilities as a pugilist, as well as a singer, and in keeping out of the way of the police.

WHO THREW THE WATER.

The Question That Appears to Puzzle a Number of People.

One of the recent quiet jokes in circulation traces its origin back to the military dinner last week. They had a good time at that brilliant affair, and the guests were somewhat late returning home. Among the tardy ones was a group of four, including a pair of colonels, another high officer in the service, and a distinguished and worthy private citizen. They were recalling good times as they walked along Blank street and stood on the corner ere they parted for the night. They chatted and laughed in lively fashion, perhaps with little thought that the evening was with little that their fun might not lull other wakeful persons to the rest they were seeking.

However it happened there was a hush, a sudden swish—swish and ough! a deluge from a third story window soaked through the new and costly uniforms. The gaiety ceased. Blank took the place of smiles and there was blank talk on blank street. A hasty resolve to discover the sinner led to a rushing ascent on the corner house, and there was music in that domicile produced by the hall gong until the faithful and frightened servant appeared in the doorway. His objections, remonstrances and ejaculations were as unheeded as his resistance, and the quartette rushed up the stairs and along the hallways until they reached that part of the house where the deluge came from.

Then there was confusion. Peaceful sleepers were roused from innocent slumber and put through a categorical inquiry. Lawyers, merchants, bank clerks and others were called before the quizzical bench of four who were trying to solve the all important question of "Who threw the water?" They have not found out yet—for certain.

The Entries Close Monday.

The New Brunswick circuit races have good prospects for splendid meetings. The Fredericton entries close on Monday, the 8th inst. The tracks are in splendid condition and some fast time may be looked for.

Wait Until Next Saturday.

The press of work occasioned by the counting of the ballots in the base ball contest has forced PROGRESS to abandon the idea of giving the winner of the newsdealers prize this week. The successful dealer will be announced next week.

All the New Novels at McArthur's Book-store, 80 King St.

PUSHOR WINS With a Lead of over Nine Thousand.

OVER 47,000 VOTES CAST.

The Keen Contest between Two Newsdealers

SWELLED PUSHOR'S VOTE TO A GREAT EXTENT.

Over Seventy Letters From all over the Continent—How The Votes were Counted and How They Came In—A Great Finish of The Contest.

Pushor won! And by a large majority. Over nine thousand votes say that he is the most popular ball player in St. John, and many of them tell a great deal more than that ever was, or will be, read.

The polls closed Thursday at 4 o'clock, when all the ballot boxes were brought to PROGRESS office. There were eleven of them, and the majority had as many ballots in them as they could hold without raising the covers. The boxes presented a sight that was enough to make stronger men than the tellers tired, even before the counting began. It would have been a wonderful revelation to the score of people who called at the office late in the afternoon to learn how the count ended.

Here is The Finish. William Pushor.....25,905 William Donovan.....16,087 James Kennedy.....2,537 Frank White.....1,479 George Whitehead.....449 Charles Keams.....296 Sullivan (Joseph).....75 McGrath.....56 Priest.....55 How.....47 Sullivan (James).....47 Small.....42 O'Brien.....38 Parsons.....38 Lezotte.....31 Sexton.....5 Merritt.....5 Morris.....1

Everybody was interested in it, and wanted the latest news. But the latest always appears in PROGRESS, although the ballots were counted every Thursday night.

The contest had been so close all along that there was a good deal of speculation as to how it would end, but it was generally believed that the St. John's plucky little backstop would win. This was mere speculation, however, as the friends of either man had but little reliable information as to what their opponents were doing. Pushor's lead last week was looked upon as an indication of how the vote was going, but there were many who believed that Donovan had enough in reserve to bury a majority of three hundred very deep indeed, and so he had, but Pushor's friends had more, and increased the 300 majority away up into the thousands.

The greatest part of the hustling was done last week, but the vote shows that there were thousands of ballots printed and sold during the month of August that were not cut out and counted. Nearly all of these, however, are in the possession of PROGRESS subscribers outside of the city, as the vote from outside places does not by any means represent the number of papers mailed from PROGRESS office every week. Yet it is large enough to show the wonderful interest taken by people throughout the province, and by New Brunswickers in foreign lands, in the doings of their friends in the Commercial Metropolis of the provinces. It shows, further, that they are ready and willing to take a hand in any live enterprise that gives evidence of the life and activity of the city, and the vote is wide enough to make our people realize that they are not "bounded on the North by Fort Howe road, and on the South by the Partridge Island fog whistle and bell buoy, on the East by the alms house and old penitentiary, and on the West by the lunatic asylum and Martello tower" St. John is boundless.

When the tellers began counting the ballots Thursday evening they fully realized that they had a long job ahead of them, and they were not disappointed. Had the usual custom been followed, of one calling off the names while the others tallied, it is probable that four weary tellers would have been counting till the paper went to press. It was decided, however, to divide the boxes, and two tellers set to work in each room, one calling off the names and the other keeping tally. It was a long, tedious task, and some of the boxes seemed to resemble those possessed by magicians, inasmuch as no matter how many ballots were taken out, they were all full to the top. This was more especially the case with boxes from the stores of two city newsdealers. They were filled,

almost exclusively, with thousands of Pushor ballots, and it was quite evident that there had been some hustling. It was undoubtedly these boxes that gave Pushor his large majority; but they showed that there was another object in view—the newsdealer's prize. These two boxes were a whole contest in themselves, but had they been on opposite sides in the vote for the most popular player, there might have been a different story to tell.

Long before midnight, the tellers were seated in the midst of a sea of ballots, and there were still more in the boxes. With one short interval for refreshments, the four tellers had been steadily at work from half past seven until about twenty minutes after Trinity had given its midnight toll.

He had counted 25,132 ballots, and the contest was ended. The floor of PROGRESS office was heaped up with ballots. A recount was a horrible thing to imagine. Happily it was not necessary. If it had been, it is probable that the announcement of the vote would have been postponed indefinitely.

But Pushor ballots were in a large majority.

PRINTING THE EDITION.

How the Orders Came In and Kept the Press Going.

The last ballot! It meant a great deal in PROGRESS office. At times it seemed as though it would never be printed. Orders had been coming in all the week, and when the press started at noon, Thursday, it was hard to tell when it would stop. There was a steady run until midnight, then another start on Friday morning, and when the forms were taken off for the last time 24,000 copies of PROGRESS had been printed, and sold.

High water mark was reached Saturday. Tuesday night it was a very low water mark, but still more than high for some of PROGRESS' contemporaries. It was a great week in the history of the paper. But it was not only PROGRESS that benefited by the boom. Newsdealers, agents and newsboys all reaped a harvest, and at times the competition for the \$20 prize offered to the newsdealer selling the most papers, was almost as keen as that in the voting contest.

Friday afternoon the work of sending out the papers began. Nearly all the outside dealers had increased their orders, and a number of them had ordered hundreds and hundreds, and were always adding to their orders.

When all the mail had been sent out, there were still high stacks of papers in the office. The sales clerk had thousands more than its usual compliment awaiting the newsboys in the morning, and high piles of papers, done up in bundles of one hundred each, were put up for city delivery. They presented a very imposing appearance long before the press stopped for the night, and visitors were astonished and puzzled to know what was going to be done with them all. Every paper, outside of those set aside for the boys, was sold in advance. But there were not enough for the bright little hustlers who visit PROGRESS office every Saturday morning.

They were up bright and early, with a full realization of what was ahead of them, and they were bound to make the best of it. The majority of PROGRESS newsboys are quick to see a chance of doubling their usual earnings, and make the best of it when it comes. They are not timid in risking their capital, when there is anything special going on, and they seldom get left. At the same time they are aware that it is more by hustling than by waiting that they are to be gainers, and last Saturday worked like beavers. And they were richly rewarded.

When Trinity chimes struck five Saturday morning, there were a score of them anxiously waiting for the office to open, and all brought more money than usual, and "bought big." They could not get the papers last enough, and owing to the large numbers to be counted they had to wait longer than usual. Then more came and wanted to be served, and those who had arrived first asserted their claim to precedence in a very excited manner, even for small boys. And thus they came and went, and at seven o'clock all the papers laid aside for them were gone. But while there were papers in the office, the boys would not take no for an answer, nor would they be put off with a few, until the press started. So the bundles, which PROGRESS employees had been tying up until they were weary the night before, had to be taken down and opened again, and were no sooner opened than they were gone.

And they continued to go; with the result that when the newsdealers, who had large orders in ahead—and to whom as many papers had been delivered as it was possible to give them—came to the office for the remainder of their orders, they were obliged to wait until later on in the day. But the dealers did not seem to know how many they wanted, for they continued to

Umbrellas Repaired; Duval, 242 Union street.

add to their orders until the office closed.

There was no Saturday half-holiday with PROGRESS last week. The newsdealers and newsboys would not allow it, and the press had to be kept running long after the laborer's bell had ceased to ring, in order to give them enough papers to supply the demand until Monday morning.

The newsboys were continually coming back and forth. Their supply in the morning went much quicker than was probably expected, and they came back for more. The little hustlers were anxious to make as much as possible, but towards evening many of them became cautious and bought smaller quantities, but even then the sales ran up wonderfully. The newsboys were easily satisfied, when the demands of the newsdealers were taken into consideration. There were always orders ahead and more coming all the time, and when the office closed for the night every paper printed had been sold and delivered. But there were still orders to be filled.

It was decided that after ten o'clock, Tuesday morning, no more orders for papers would be taken, as it was necessary for the printers to have the forms for making up this week's paper.

There had been considerable hustling going on among the newsdealers for the prize offered to the one selling the most papers, and as ten o'clock, Tuesday morning, drew near, business was brisker than ever. There was considerable speculation as to who would come out ahead in this contest, and as one dealer had no means of learning what another was doing, or how large his orders were, all they could do was to hustle and say nothing. PROGRESS kept quiet on the subject, and attempts on the part of anybody to gain information were fruitless. The newsdealers are a wide awake lot, and saw that the advertisement they would receive was worth working for. Like most business men in St. John, they are firm believers in advertising in working up trade and knew that they would get few opportunities like the present one.

Indeed in many quarters there was almost as much interest taken in the newsdealer's contest as in the vote. One was usually coupled with the other, and a remarkably large number of people seemed to be deeply interested in the book and newspaper business. The dealers were all aware of this, and Tuesday morning at ten o'clock a number of them were on hand with more orders for thousands of papers. It was a grand ending for the wonderful work they had done. The last orders were taken, however, and the press had still a long run ahead of it—a run that lasted well on in the evening. Then the last ballot was printed.

HOW VOTES WERE LOST.

By People Who Did Not Cut Them Out Soon Enough.

There was great scurrying for ballots in all quarters last Saturday, and many people who bought papers and laid them down for a moment, found when they picked the paper up again, that the ballot had disappeared. In barber shops and such places, this was carried on to an unusual extent. And nobody seemed to know where the ballots went to.

Every paper sent out from the office had the ballot in it—except one, a "whiteside," which, in some unaccountable manner, got in among the edition. It came back to the office through the post with no remarks by the sender.

Complaints came to the office that the newsboys were selling papers with the ballots cut out, and there were rumors of all sorts of tricks played by them in this connection. It was alleged that they sold the ballots wholesale to people who did not want all the papers, and disposed of the mutilated copies at the regular price.

Papers delivered to subscribers, early in the morning, were found to be minus the ballot, yet the carriers say they did not tamper with them. Every effort was made to put a stop to this kind of work but it was fruitless. Keeping track of all copies of PROGRESS that left the office Saturday was no easy task.

THE VOTE BY MAIL.

Ballots and Letters that Arrived During The Week.

All over the provinces and in many far away corners of the United States and Canada where New Brunswickers are reached by PROGRESS, the greatest interest was manifested in the contest. Every mail brought heaps of letters containing votes, ranging in number from one up into the hundreds. The majority of the envelopes received contained nothing but votes, and it was only by the post mark that any idea of where they came from could be obtained. Some, however, had remarks written on the ballots, which gave an inkling of where they might have started from; and one envelope with a New Westminster B. C., postmark, contained ballots with Vancouver, New Westminster, and the

Long, Selected Chair Used in all Chair Seating by Duval, 242 Union street.

names of several other British Columbia towns written on them.

Aside from the votes sent to the office, many letters containing them were sent to friends in the city and to newsdealers. Pushor seems to be a great favorite with people who only see the games on paper, and the letters published today shows what a high opinion his friends outside the city have of him.

All the letters received could not be acknowledged, but from the large number sent, it is hard to believe that all did not get here. Those printed will furnish very interesting reading; but few of them show the enthusiasm of the one received by Ex-Captain Bell, of the St. Johns, from "the St. John Boys in Missoula." Most of these exiles are subscribers to PROGRESS, and are continually showing the interest they feel in their old home.

The Contribution of the Exiles. You will find enclosed draft on New York, for \$15.00 (fifteen dollars). With this amount you will buy copies of PROGRESS and sign ballots in favor of Frank White, if this number will give him the lead. If it is not enough to please him, send, and will give any other of the National or St. John B. C. Club members who are competing for the place of favorite in the rival teams of St. John the lead give it to the one you think has the best chance. In giving this your attention, you will be conferring a favor on old friends.

The St. John Boys in MISSOULA.

Eighty for Pushor.

Kindly hand these over to the vote tellers and oblige ONE OF BILL'S FRIENDS.

Amherst, Sept. 3.

A Moncton Admirer.

DEAR SIR: Enclosed find 5 ballots for Pushor, from A MONCTON ADMIRER.

Moncton, Sept. 3.

They Arrived All Right.

MR. EDITOR: Please hand to tellers these 31 votes for Mr. Pushor, collected by his friends, the Kranks. Please publish receipt of votes so we will know they arrived all right. THE KRANKS.

Moncton, Sept. 3.

From the Blueberry Patch.

TO THE EDITOR OF PROGRESS: We enclosed balance of votes for Pushor, 26. Sorry you did not call for blueberries instead, we would have sent you for him millions of 'em. Wonder if he could catch a blueberry, anyway. HAYSEED.

Welsford, Sept. 2.

The Gamest Little Backstop.

DEAR SIR: Please find enclosed ten ballots (10) for Billy Pushor, the gamest little backstop in the league. K. W. J.

Moncton, Sept. 2.

They were Marked "Pushor."

Kindly place these few ballots to Billy's credit and oblige THE BOYS.

Weldford, Sept. 2.

The "Greatest Little Man."

EDITOR PROGRESS: Enclosed you will find four ballots for Billy Pushor. I hope he will get them. He is without doubt the greatest little man in the league. Will try and send more. PROGRESS were very scarce. GOOD DAT.

Fredericton, Aug. 24.

Better Luck Next Time.

MR. EDITOR: Please give these (16) ballots for William Donovan. Sorry, couldn't get more. HAMPTON, SEPT. 2.

The Man That Says Nothing.

DEAR SIR: Please find enclosed five votes for W. Pushor, the man that says nothing while playing ball, and I hope these ballots will put him ahead. Let us know through the paper that you received them. SAM WINTER.

Fredericton, Sept. 3.

With His Best Wishes.

EDITOR PROGRESS: Please find enclosed six votes which you will please place to the credit of Billy Pushor, with best wishes that he may win the fifty dollars. BASE BALL CHAMP.

Fredericton, Sept. 3.

The Brush Makes to the Front.

EDITOR PROGRESS: Please find enclosed 179 votes which please place to Wm. Pushor's credit; hoping Friday will see him away on top. From his ADMIRERS IN SIMES & CO'S BRUSH FACTORY. St. John, Sept. 2.

It Was Base Ball Too.

We played a match game of base ball at Woodstock Tuesday, and beat them 41 to 25. I send four votes for Pushor. I think he is a good catcher and best all round player in the provinces. S. C.

Houlton, Me., Sept. 3.

To Swell a Majority.

TO THE EDITOR OF PROGRESS: Please drop those in the box for Billy Pushor and that they may, at least, put Billy three ahead, as I have the harn I wish him. MUSQUASH, SEPT. 4. P. S. C.

It Got Here In Time.

EDITOR OF PROGRESS: Please place enclosed (two) votes to the credit of William Pushor and oblige, yours in a hurry. FREDERICTON, SEPT. 4.

They Were Recorded.

Enclosed find five votes for Wm. Donovan, which please have recorded and oblige an ADMIRER.

Memramcook, Sept. 2.

He Stared It Out.

MR. PROGRESS: Here are 28 votes and please cast them for Capt. Billy Pushor. And when defeat stared him in the face he did not desert his men. I wish it was 2800 instead. AMHERST, AUG. 30. UMPIRE PICKERING & CO.

We Got Them.

DEAR SIR: I enclose you herein a few votes for Wm. Donovan. Please pass them in. MEMRAMCOOK, SEPT. 2. J. P. SHERBY.

Rough on Donovan.

EDITOR PROGRESS: Please add the enclosed ballot to the number for Billy Pushor. The disgraceful actions of Capt. Donovan at the last game (witnessed by myself) has, I hope, lost him the \$50. FREDERICTON, AUG. 30th. R. J. F.

Another View of the Same.

FRIEND PROGRESS: Your voting contest for the most popular base ball player was a great "hit," indeed, by an alive paper, and created some interest among base ballists in Woodstock. Personally Billy Pushor would be our favorite, as he has played behind the bat for us in former years, but, as it now is, the contest is between the St. Johns and Sham rocks, and some of us cannot possibly vote for the

"cry baby" mine, and will vote for the Shamrocks; others, as they cannot vote for Pushor, will abstain from voting. Enclosed please find seven for Billy Donovan, a fine backdrop, a great cap, a perfect gentleman. JOHN MALONEY. Woodstock, Sept. 1st.

The Best He Could Do. EDITOR PROGRESS: Enclosed you will find seven votes for Donovan. These were all I could get in the big rush for Progress here. Am sorry that I cannot count my votes by the hundreds. T. E. M. Woodstock, Sept. 1.

Eleven from St. George. PUBLISHER OF PROGRESS: Kindly hand these votes to the tellers for Billy Donovan (11) and oblige. A. S. GEORGE ADMIRER. St. George, Sept. 1.

"The Boy" in Fredericton. EDITOR PROGRESS: Enclosed you will please find a few ballots for Billy Pushor. He is the boy here, and I hope will get the money he is so deserving of. Fredericton, Aug. 30. S. J. A.

They Were Counted, Sure. DEAR PUSHOR: Enclosed you will find six votes for Pushor, which you will please to register; also one for Wilkie. Please let me know through your columns if you received them all right. Halifax, Aug. 29. PUSHOR MAN.

Not Bad at All. DEAR SIR: I enclose thirty-six (36) ballots for Wm. Pushor. Not bad for our little town. Yours truly, I. M. Weldford Station, Sept. 1.

Hampton Ballots for Donovan. EDITOR PROGRESS: You will please find enclosed 21 ballots for William Donovan, which you will please hand to the committee and oblige. E. GALLAGHER. Hampton, Sept. 1.

Chestnuts!!! EDITOR PROGRESS: Enclosed please find a few ballots to help Pushor along. Billy has no "off" days that we know of. J. M. McINTYRE. Sussex, Sept. 1.

Every Little Helps. PROGRESS: Enclosed please find three (3) votes for Billy Pushor, which I hope will help him to win that fifty. L. E. T. Yarmouth, Aug. 31.

The Most Votes Takes It. DEAR EDITOR: W. Pushor is the boy to get the \$50. Please hand these over to the committee, and oblige. L. H. S. Dorchester, Sept. 1.

A St. John Girl in Brooklyn. MR. EDITOR: Will you kindly deposit these four votes for Captain William Donovan, and I do hope he gets there. A ST. JOHN GIRL. Brooklyn, N. Y., Aug. 28.

This Man is Excited. EDITOR PROGRESS: Please hand these three ballots over to Pushor. I wish it was thirty, because there is no one deserves them any more than he does. And before you have another such contest you want to get an agency in Boston for your paper. So let her go. Three cheers for Pushor! and three groans for them that get left. A READER. Boston, Mass., Aug. 27.

Very Brief, But Sufficient. "Here's to Donovan" (31 ballots), from Dorchester, Sept. 1. A DORCHESTER CHANK.

From Far Away Durango. MR. EDITOR: Being a lover of base ball and having watched the many games between the St. Johns and Shamrocks for the last two seasons, I think gives a correct account of all games, my favorite is Billy Donovan and I am very sorry I did not get Progress in time of I would have had more votes for him. But enclosed find three votes, hoping that they will reach you in time to cast them for Billy. Durango, Colorado, Aug. 25. A FRIEND.

The Reason he Voted. PROGRESS: Count these few votes for Billy Pushor. Only four, but I hope they will help him on top of the other Billy at the finish. I don't know that I should have sent them, but I did not want to see Donovan carry off the fifty dollars after the way he acted in the last St. John Shamrock game. I am afraid base ball in St. John died last Thursday. A READER OF PROGRESS. Caribou, Me., Aug. 23.

An Admirer's Good Wishes. EDITOR PROGRESS: Please tally the enclosed for Pushor. May he win the \$50, and when won, may he enjoy it, is the wish of. D. L. (ONE OF HIS SUCCESS ADMIRERS). Sussex, Sept. 1st.

Ballots Came With This. EDITOR PROGRESS: From a few admirers of Kennedy and Pushor at Campbellton. Campbellton, Sept. 1.

Donovan Has Friends There, Too. EDITOR PROGRESS: Please accept five votes for Mr. Wm. Donovan, and oblige a reader and admirer. CAMPBELLTON. Campbellton, Sept. 1st.

Brief and Ambiguous. Two more for "Billy." This Came By Telegraph. EDITOR PROGRESS: Cut two hundred ballots out of Progress for William Pushor. Draw on me at sight. M. B. Halifax, Sept. 1st.

They Were Placed to His Credit. EDITOR PROGRESS: Enclosed find a number of ballots which you will kindly place to the credit of Pushor and oblige. A FRIEND OF PUSHOR AND PROGRESS. Chatham, Sept. 1.

From "A Few Cranks." DEAR PROGRESS: Here's success to Pushor to the extent of 214 ballots; from Fredericton, Sept. 1. A FEW CRANKS.

The Right Kind of Admirers. EDITOR PROGRESS: Be kind enough to hand to the tellers the enclosed 294 votes for Billy Pushor collected by his admirers in this place. Newcastle, Sept. 2.

Later from Weldford. EDITOR PROGRESS: Three more for Mr. Pushor. Weldford, Sept. 2. H. M.

A Yarmouth Man's Wish. TO THE EDITOR OF PROGRESS: Enclosed please find a few ballots (11) for Wm. Pushor. I trust he will have over 1000 majority. Please hand to the tellers or put in ballot box. J. A. CRAIG. Yarmouth, N. S., Aug. 30.

Sending Them Along. EDITOR PROGRESS: Enclosed you will find for Billy Pushor some more votes (22), which you will please hand to tellers and much oblige. Sackville, Sept. 3. G. S. Mc.

More From Hampton. MR. EDITOR: You will please find enclosed a small quantity of ballots for William Donovan which you will please hand to the committee and oblige Hampton, Sept. 3. A FRIEND.

Hopes he Will Win It. EDITOR PROGRESS: I enclose three ballots for Pushor. Hope he will win the \$50. J. SMITH. St. Stephen, Sept. 3.

K. D. C. is Guaranteed If your Druggist

The Tellers Got Them. EDITOR OF PROGRESS: Please place enclosed votes to the credit of William Pushor and oblige Calais, Me., Sept. 1st.

"Margaret" Drops Into Poetry. EDITOR OF PROGRESS: Enclosed please find ballots, four.

Invincible "Billy." DEAR EDITOR: Enclosed find ballots for the invincible "Billy" Pushor, as he is bound to win. Shediac, Sept. 1. F. H. GLASBY.

From A Fredericton Girl. TO THE EDITOR OF PROGRESS: Kindly deposit the enclosed for me (7) votes to be placed to the credit of Wm. Pushor with my best wishes that he may win. A FREDERICTON GIRL. Fredericton, Sept. 2.

They are Always Needed. EDITOR PROGRESS: Please deposit the fourteen enclosed ballots to the credit of Mr. Wm. Pushor with my best regards and the wish that he may be so far ahead that he will have no need of them. Marysville, Sept. 2nd. J. W. R.

Here's Your Letter. EDITOR PROGRESS: Put these down for Pushor, and give us account of them in next Progress. Hope he will win. GIBSON HICKEY. St. George, Sept. 2.

Digby's Contribution. FRIEND PROGRESS: Please place the enclosed ballots to the credit of Billy Pushor. Digby, Sept. 2. CONSTANT READER.

How his Feelings Ran. DEAR SIR: I enclose you three ballots to deposit to the credit of "Willie Pushor." I feel that he is the "Man for Galway." J. W. DYKEMAN. St. George, Sept. 3.

From a Lady in Musquash. TO THE EDITOR OF PROGRESS: Enclosed please find six ballots in favor of Mr. Pushor. Wishing him every success. I remain A LADY ADMIRER OF BASE BALL. Musquash, Sept. 2.

More Agencies Wanted. EDITOR PROGRESS: Enclosed find three more ballots for Pushor. May his lead increase this week. Would send more, but copies of New Brunswick's newsy paper are not very plentiful around here. Lynn, Mass., Sept. 2. A. K. T.

All the Way from British Columbia. DEAR PROGRESS: Enclosed please find one ballot for Pushor. I am one of I presume, the very few subscribers to Progress in British Columbia. Although a New Brunswicker I am not a native of St. John, and don't know any of the ball tossers. I choose my man as I like the name and consider it emblematical of St. John as the "Pushor" of the maritime provinces, and will I hope soon take its place as the leading city of the dominion, and all N. B. sons who now live in B. C., the Garden of Canada, are proud of St. John. I enclose \$1 to renew my subscription for Progress, as I cannot do without it. Hoping Mr. Pushor will push along and win the prize, truly yours, G. A. PEBLEY. Glacier Hotel, August 28.

All he Could Scrape Up. EDITOR PROGRESS: Enclosed find 23 votes for William Pushor, the popular little B. B. player. I would like to see him get that \$50, as I know he deserves it. I would send more if I had them, but this is all I can scrape up. W. H. M. Moncton, Sept. 3.

Later from Hampton. MR. EDITOR: Enclosed you will please find eleven votes for which you will please credit Mr. William Donovan. Yours & Co. Hampton, Sept. 4.

The Last Vote. EDITOR PROGRESS: Find enclosed for William Pushor, the last vote in the city of Calais. Calais, Me., Sept. 3.

A Just Complaint. MR. EDITOR: I enclose three ballots for William Pushor. I do not know the young man, neither do I take any interest in base ball. Being a constant reader of Progress from its first issue I felt a little annoyed of being deprived of my paper on the 23rd of August, or having to take it in a mutilated form, as a certain party bought them all and cut the ballots out and then sent the papers around to be sold. Hand these three ballots to the tellers and oblige. Woodstock, Sept. 3.

THE CHEEKY STRANGER. He Asked Questions of a Man on His Vacation.

"Where do you buy your pants, and do you pay for them or your neighbors?"

I was taking a holiday and enjoying myself. I had earned the vacation and was on my way to a forgiving aunt—I call her forgiving because I have been trespassing on her since I was in short clothes and she has had much to forgive—taking in the cool breezes from the deck of the Weston, when this sharp nasal voice said close to my ear,

"Where do you buy your pants, and do you pay for them or your neighbors?"

I was about to forget all about my Sunday school training, when I looked again at the stranger. He was bigger than I am and the river is deep, so I subsided, but I did not answer him.

"You must not get excited or offended, young man. I like your pants from their bottoms to the waistband, color and fit included, and I thought perhaps you might tell me where you got them. I know we can get clothes cheaper here than in Boston and I guess I can smuggle an extra pair of pants through on my legs, can't I?"

Amusement had got the better of my anger, and I began to think I might do my tailor a good turn. So I told him I got mine from Scovill, Fraser & Co.; that they always gave me an elegant fit and hard bottom prices since they sold for cash.

He drew out his note book and began to write. "What is the address again?"

"Scovill, Fraser & Co., corner of King and German streets, St. John, N. B."

"They will do," said the stranger. "I beg your pardon for asking if you paid for your pants. Half of the young men I meet don't do it—somebody else does, though, for the tailor does not get stuck. I want to go to the firm who make you pay for your own clothes only."

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TO SPEND THE EVENING.

A NUMBER OF WAYS TO ENTERTAIN PEOPLE.

The "Cobweb Party" is a Curious Mingling—The Conversation Party Cannot Fail to Entertain—The Blind Auction Depends Upon the Auctioneer.

Some time ago one of the many questions sent to PROGRESS inquired the best way to spend an evening. The writer did not believe in dancing or card playing, and objected to some of the old games, many of the older people look back at with so much pleasure now.

The question was a difficult one to answer off hand and was not. Since then PROGRESS has in that excellent exchange, Wide Awake, found the answer and gives them for their worth.

According to it there are a number of new ways to spend an evening. The first is called a "Cobweb Party." To present this entertainment successfully requires some little expenditure of time on the part of the hostess, but she may easily find willing aids at this season of leisure. Let her first request a dozen or more of her friends to prepare some simple, inexpensive article of fancy work, or a small gift which may be purchased in a small country store, and let this be wrapped up carefully in a paper parcel or box. The only other requisite of the game is a supply of rather strong cord in long pieces. Several balls of cord or twine may doubtless be found at the village store. Tie one of the prize packages firmly to one end of the cord, and, having secured a room which need not be opened until the entertainment begins, conceal the parcel in some easily found nook, perhaps behind a picture or under the table, or underneath the chair seat, taking care to fasten it well in its place of hiding. Now, as your ball of cord slowly unrolls, wind it about chair legs, door knobs, to the chandelier, the tops of picture frames, to curtain corners and lamprequis, anywhere at all, but let it extend to all parts of the room and when the line is of good length, fasten the end to the door-knob, for convenience, until the others are arranged. If you have several colors of cord, so much the better. Treat each package, whether full or empty, in the same way. A half-dozen ladies will arrange the cords together, and when you have prepared as many cords as you have invited guests, twining and intertwining them in every possible and impossible way, the room will look like a labyrinth of strong cobwebs. Very great care must be taken to secure the cord to the package and to tie or otherwise safely confine it in its hiding-place, otherwise your labor and the pleasure of your guests will be lost.

When a number of cords, twenty five or thirty, we will say, have been arranged, they may be kept together in a variety of ways until needed. The room may suggest the best arrangement for each hostess. If each is, in turn, wound around a reel or large spool, or if all be wound together on one ball, they may be easily unrolled. When the door is opened for the guests, to each in turn is given the end of a cord, and he is directed to follow the line, winding as he goes, until he reaches the end. When twenty or thirty people are thus engaged in disentangling and uncrossing so many cords the room presents a lively appearance. Each is intent on finding his own prize, and all sorts of amusing mishaps occur. When a package is found, all the seekers are allowed to pause in their task to inspect it and congratulate the finder. A player who has finished his own cobweb, is at liberty to pick up any other which may have been dropped inadvertently. Rules are flexible and may be greatly varied to suit the occasion, and the age of the participants. Any one may intimate to the hostess to whom the cord leading to her prize may be given. When the room has been arranged by skillful fingers, the disentangling may occupy two or even three hours.

A Conversation Party is not such a formal affair as the name might seem to imply. The properties are a number of cards of any convenient size, correspondence or visiting cards will answer; a small pencil attached to each by a bit of narrow ribbon, if convenient, otherwise a basket full of pencils may be passed around; any convenient little tokens, equal in number to the number of participants in the game, such as small tassels, tiny bells, decorated cards, etc., and two pretty prizes. If an equal number of gentlemen and ladies are to take part in the game, those representing the gentlemen may be distinct. The company is divided into two sections, one consisting of ladies the other of gentlemen. If there is a sufficient number of each, to each side is distributed a set of the cards, tied with red and with blue ribbons, or any two contrasting colors may be used to designate the opposite parties. On each card is written a time-table corresponding with the hour decided upon for the beginning of the game; for instance, 8, 8.05, 8.10, 8.15, 8.20, 8.25, 8.30, 8.35, etc.; as many numbers being given as there are couples in the room.

When the cards and pencils have been passed in a be-ribboned or otherwise ornamented basket, the gentlemen, or those who are so designated, solicit from the ladies engagements to spend five minutes in conversation, and each writes the other's name against the time agreed upon on the

card. When the cards are filled, the hostess, watch in hand, takes her place at a small table at the head of the room, and when she strikes the call-bell, each gentleman yields his place to the next talker. The game continues until the allotted time is exhausted.

To each lady is then given a small souvenir of any sort easily procurable, and to each gentleman, if possible, a tiny bell. The ladies are directed to bestow their token on the gentleman whose conversation has been most entertaining, and, similarly, the bells are given by each gentleman to the lady by whom he was most agreeably entertained. The lady who receives the greatest number of tokens is called the belle of the evening, and is awarded the ladies' prize; the fortunate gentleman also receives a prize. Of course the conclusion must be kept a secret until the conversations are finished. The game is an exceedingly entertaining one, whether the participants are brilliant or not. Sometimes only three minutes are allowed for each engagement. If desired, a general topic for conversation may be selected at the beginning of the game, or one may be placed against each hour on the cards.

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Then with no sense of As when we leave the No lingering content But reckoning our gain We turn the leaf of our And, oceans, drift on Not such is prayer we And if our lagging see So in soft silence let Nor try with words to Longing is prayer; To where the breath

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WHEN LOVE IS AT ITS BEST.

As tired children go to candle light,

The glow in their young eyes quenched with the sun,

Almost too languid now that play is done

To seek their father's knee, and say "Good night!"

So to our great Father out of sight,

When the brief gamut of the day is run

Defeat endured, and petty triumphs won,

We kneel, and listlessly His care invite.

Then with no sense of gain, no tender thrill,

As when we leave the presence of a friend,

No lingering content our souls to steep.

But reckoning our gains and losses still,

We turn the leaf upon the dull day's end,

And, careless, drift out to the sea of sleep.

Not such a prayer when love is at its best,

And if our lagging soul do not outsoar

The words we utter, though our chamber floor

Be hallowed by our knees, 'twere vainly pressed,

Nay, be each prayer with our soul's real impress,

And let us send no courier to heaven's door,

To speak our thanks, and further girls inspire,

In any sort of mask or ivory dressed.

Rather, as friends sit sometimes hand-in-hand,

Nor mar with words the sweet speech of their eyes;

So in soft silence let us often bow,

Nor try with words to make God understand.

Lounging in prayer; upon its wings we rise

To where the breath of heaven beats upon our brow!

—Congregationalist.

CHARITY THINKETH NO EVIL

Pretty Mrs. Blank had a very unpleasant

experience in Bay Grove, N. J., and it was

all due to a mistake.

When she moved herself and her baby

and her pug, and other household gods to

Jersey, along in the spring, the villagers

seemed to be ready to take their arms

and their hearts. They gave her teas,

they showed her all the show sights of the

neighborhood, they posted her on the

proper church to attend and the proper

people to know. They almost gave a dinner

in her honor, and that is something that

had not even been dreamed of since an un-

fortunate affair of several years back, when

a heartless detective had appeared at a

feast and had carried away with him one

who for a brief month had all Bay Grove

at his feet. It was the remembrance of

that touching incident that made people

hesitate, and by their hesitating Mrs. Blank

lost the dinner.

She was bright, her maid's caps were

irreproachable, and what flirting she did was

artistic enough to be a pleasure to look

upon. But it was seldom that Mrs. Blank

was artistic in that way, and therefore she

was popular with matrons and maids. The

men liked her, too, and all went merry as

a marriage bell for nearly a day and until

somebody ill-naturedly asked a question.

"Where is Mr. Blank and who is he?"

queried this busybody.

Nobody but Mrs. Blank could answer

this, and she didn't volunteer any informa-

tion on the subject. So gossip, having

nothing to feed upon, grew rapidly, and

generally the way, and in a week Bay

Grove began to believe that something

must be very wrong somewhere. Now, it

happened that Mrs. Blank had brought

one letter of introduction to Bay Grove.

This epistle had been hurriedly penned by

a young woman about to take a flight to

Europe, and, under the scrutiny of a female

committee of investigation, it appeared to

lack satisfactory details about the nominal

head of the Blank family.

"I do so hope you will like Mrs. B.,"

it ran. "She can see so little of her hus-

band, you know, that it will be very dull

for her out there unless you look after her

a bit. I think she frets over husband

sometimes, but how can it be helped now?

But then she has—"

And there the writer drifted into matters

that were never intended for the public

eye. When the letter was received the

sentences about the husband had attracted

LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S

FALL and WINTER

UNDERWEAR

—IN—

Merino Finish,

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A full assorted stock now on hand in

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"My dear," she said, without parley,

"where is your husband?"

"Why, he has gone to Sing Sing,"

replied the hostess, wondering at her caller's

manner. She was still more surprised at

what she heard next.

"When I was a girl we were taught to

be truthful above all things. You are

younger than I, and perhaps times have

changed; but I prefer that my daughter

should not meet you after this."

And then she swept away, full of dignity,

to lay before Bay Grove the problem how

any one man, no matter how wicked he

might be, could be in Auburn, Elmira and

Sing Sing within a month. As for Mrs.

Blank she was very indignant, and then

she wept, and then she was indignant again.

Then she wrote a letter.

The letter brought an answer in the

shape of a young man in a slouch hat, who

came down by a late train and went direct

to the Blank cottage. He sat with Mrs.

Blank on the piazza, and they talked ear-

nestly for a long time. It was nearly mid-

night when the conference ended. Then

the young man started for the gate. Mrs.

Blank followed him, and they stood talking

together by the posts for two or three

minutes. It was a beautiful clear moon-

light night, and anybody in the neighbor-

hood could have seen the young man kiss

Mrs. Blank when he went away. He

caught a very late train for the city.

Now, nobody in Bay Grove would will-

ingly play the eavesdropper or the spy.

That goes without saying. But, as a mat-

ter of fact, several pairs of eyes saw the

parting in the moonlight, and as many

pairs of ears heard the man say: "Well,

dear, I'll be down here in a week, and then

it won't matter what these people say or

do."

A pretty woman, with a husband in three

jails in a month and a mysterious midnight

visitor! Bay Grove was scandalized. There

could be no doubt after that that nobody

in the village knew the offender. She

seemed to have gained invisibility. No-

body saw her when she went out; at least,

nobody gave any sign of seeing her. Even

the scoundrels gave her up—which meant

a great deal, for he believed that he had

only his wickedness to pride himself upon.

Six days passed and a caller again rang

the door bell at the cottage. He noticed

with a shudder that the wire seemed to

be getting rusty for want of use. That touched

him, for he was the landlord and he hated

to see the property depreciate. He had

come to tell his pretty tenant that she must

seek other quarters. She paid the rent

regularly, but pressure had been brought

to bear upon him—and his family had social

aspirations, and he couldn't afford to dis-

regard pressure.

He stammered, but was firm. Mrs.

Blank was amazed, but loquacious. He

explained that the cottage was vacated

at once. She declared that such a pro-

ceeding was unheard of. She tried to

prison life in New York. To see them I

had to study the prisons carefully, and

it has taken six weeks of hard work. In

the first two I had just time enough to spend

one evening at home and then hurry back

to work. And now I come down here for

a rest and find that you people have gone

mad and treated my wife disgracefully.

Somebody is going to smart for this."

As a matter of fact, a good many per-

sons did smart, but only mentally, and

therefore they survived and were anxious

to make amends. The landlord withdrew

his demand and agreed to put in a new

curb. Those who knew him say he suffered

enough over this to atone for all he had

done. Then came flocks of hemline

visitors to the cottage, full of tears and ex-

planation and contrition. The Blanks

had determined to go away, but these

good people wouldn't hear of it. They

showered the cottagers with attentions,

and then they did something that settled

it that the Blanks would continue in Bay

Grove. They prepared their trap cars and

they gave Mr. Blank a dinner, and Mr.

Blank's determination to depart gave way.

He and his wife are the pride of Bay

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The edition of Progress is now so large that it is necessary to put the inside pages to press on Thursday, and no changes of advertisements will be received later than 10 a. m. of that day.

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ST. JOHN, N. B., SATURDAY, SEPT. 6. NUMBER OF COPIES PRINTED AND SOLD LAST WEEK, 24,000.

THIS PAPER GOES TO PRESS EVERY FRIDAY AT TWELVE O'CLOCK.

IT IS TIME TO UNITE.

This is not the time for any difference of moment to step in between the exhibition and success.

It is possible that some merchants will be disappointed and their plans disarranged by decisions which they did not contemplate.

As for my own church, we resolved some time ago upon a plan of conducting the music by a precursor.

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HOW SHALL WE SING IN CHURCH.

Will the Congregation do for the Members of a Choir.

There are many different opinions upon singing in the church. Some think the congregation should do the singing and that there should be no choir.

Talmage talks of choir singing in his monthly chats in the Journal in the following fashion:

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BLIGHTED AFFECTIONS.

A Citizen Who Will Answer for Deserting His Lady Love.

There are certain well defined rules that prevent men from doing certain things. For example a man and his grandmother are not permitted to marry.

That is a woman's privilege. A woman may change her mind as often as the breeze turn the weatherward; but if a man does the same he is apt to hear about it.

That is just what a good citizen is getting used to now—he has changed his mind and he is hearing about it.

When the disappointment and surprise had worn off, the deserted lady began to think of revenge, and satisfying it, if possible, out of the goodly store of his wealth.

To this end, she has begun a breach of promise suit. It is not probable that, even in court, the public will be regaled with any effusive engagement letters, for he is not of the "cuddlin O'Leary" kind, and would rather sign a check than write a love letter.

There is fun in the air for the lawyers.

Ready For Another Year's Work.

The Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor of St. John Presbyterian Church held their annual business meeting in the parlor of the Church on Monday evening, 1st Sept.

The usual reports of committees were read. The President Mr. W. J. Parks gave a short retiring address, in which he spoke of the magnitude of the work to be done and the individual responsibility of the members.

The secretary's report showed a roll of 44 active and 15 associate members. The treasurer reported a favorable financial balance on hand.

The following officers and committees were elected for ensuing term: President, Mr. D. McLean; Vice-President, Miss J. Parks; Secretary, Mr. T. S. Hill; Treasurer, Miss E. Tremble; Corresponding Secretary, Rev. T. F. Gilmour.

Lookout committee—Mr. Parks, chairman; Mr. D. Brown, Mrs. Parks, Miss Crawford, Miss Jamieson.

Prayer meeting committee—Mr. F. W. Storms, chairman; Mr. McLean, Miss Henderson, Miss Gilmour.

Social committee—Mr. J. McDaid, chairman; Miss A. McConaghey, Miss A. Blair, Miss Ida McKenzie, Miss J. Smith, Miss Cummings.

Temperance committee—Mr. C. H. Doid, chairman; Mr. S. McKinnon, Mr. G. Corbett.

Missionary committee—Miss Henderson; Miss G. Tremble, Miss M. E. Smith, Miss B. Drury.

Mr. McLean, on taking the chair thanked the members for the honor bestowed on him and requested their hearty co-operation in the good cause.

Meeting then closed with singing and benediction by the pastor.

PEN AND PRESS.

According to the schedule of advertising rates adopted by the maritime province members of the press association, viz: \$6 for the first thousand and \$3 for every subsequent thousand of circulation.

THE RED-HEADED GIRL. Oh, give me the girl with the auburn hair! The lass with the peach-blow curls;

Oh, give me the girl whose cranial's hue, With Harvard's selected shade; The tint of neckties worn by the dude,

Oh, give me the girl with gold-fish crimps; With ringlets like beefsteak rare; The one with the locks of fricasseed shrimps—

Oh, give me the maid whose canopy's down Is rouge, like a toy balloon; Whose capola's capped with a scarlet crown

Oh, give me the girl with the raw meat hair— The red-headed girl for a wife! —New York Clipper.

He Was Too Fastidious.

Mr. N. Peck—I wish, my dear, that you would be careful to sweep the carpet under the bed.

Mrs. N. Peck—Why? "Because every time you drive me under there with a broomstick I get my clothes covered with dust."—Lawrence American.

School Books of all kinds; lowest prices. McArthur's Bookstore, 80 King St.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

MONCTON.

[Progress is for sale in Moncton at the book-stores of W. W. Black and W. H. Murray, Main street.

Sept. 3.—There is no disguising the fact that September means autumn, and means it very forcibly this year. Our visitors seem to realize the unpleasant certainty and they are taking flight long before the swallows have settled their winter plumes.

Miss Hildie, of Truro, who has also been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Cook, left on Thursday morning.

Miss Cogle, of Washington, who has been visiting Miss Harris, departed for the land of her adoption on Friday evening.

Before these young ladies left town, Mr. and Mrs. Harris gave a very pleasant little dance in their honor on Wednesday evening. There were about thirty guests present, who, it is needless to say, thoroughly enjoyed themselves.

Mrs. Fothergill, of Nova Scotia, is in town visiting her brother, Mr. Busby.

Miss Wellon's many friends are delighted to see her bright eyes sparkle in the land of her adoption.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Borden, of Mount Allison, Sackville, spent a day or two in Moncton last week, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Borden, of Bedford street.

Mr. G. B. Trites left town on Thursday for the United States, where he intends spending several weeks travelling.

The many friends that Miss Jean Thomson has made during her visits to Moncton are glad to see her again.

Mr. G. A. Nye left town on Friday for New Glasgow, to take charge of the construction of the Andromeda water works.

Congratulations are in order to Mr. and Mrs. K. Thomson Taylor on an important event which has happened in their family, which has hitherto been limited to two.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Borden and their two little daughters left town on Friday to spend a few days with relatives in Sackville.

The friends of Mrs. C. A. Stevens, who has been so ill for the past two months, were rejoiced to see her arrive in town on Saturday.

I can glad to say that Miss Crosskill, the brilliant young musician, who has also been very ill, has taken a turn for the better and is recovering slowly.

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Advertisement for HAROLD GILBERT, CARPETS AND FURNITURE, 54 KING STREET. Features a large illustration of a bedroom suite and text: 'If you intend furnishing an Extra Bedroom for Exhibition Week here is an opportunity; the following outfit for \$39.50 CASH. 7 Piece Hardwood Bedroom Suite, imitation walnut finish, same as above

retired from Nova Scotia or three months. In the vicinity of the past few weeks, he has been attending the visit to St. John. Buctouche attending the Richibucto Review, has been in the past few weeks of Spring Hill, N. S. from on visiting at the Central proprietor of the Eureka on Friday evening last. travelling public, as his popular resorts, and his de- mortal regret. Mortimer, who has been absent. Mrs. R. Cumming left for on, was in town on Friday, of the D. G. survey, went fax, and Messrs. Wm. and e city, were in town today. Richibucto, was in town ded to Moncton, to take stone of the Y. M. C. A. of Chatham, is in town. Brown, Richibucto, and Miss Glen- visiting Mrs. Dr. Keith. was taken suddenly ill on is somewhat better. been visiting her brother, turned to Quebec. also been sitting at Rev. ed home. REX.

IDEAL SOAP advertisement featuring an illustration of a woman washing clothes and text: 'Bong, Bong, Bell, The Bells have a story to tell, That Cherub pulls hard on his rope. And loud voices they raise, While singing the praise of LOGANS IDEAL SOAP. MADE ONLY BY W. LOGAN ST. JOHN, N.S.'

EVERY 5lb. BOX is stamped with an EAGLE standing on a rocky summit. Buy no other Tea.

BERTRAM'S Oil Polish advertisement with an illustration of a woman and text: 'This Polish has a wide reputation for the ease and QUICKNESS with which it CLEANS and POLISHES all kinds of BRASS, COPPER, TINWARE, &c., &c. It quickly removes all Dirt, Grease, or Stains, and produces a glossy mirror-like surface. It is a true economiser of time, labor, and expense.'

SYDNEY STREET CASH GROCERY. ALWAYS selling Groceries—good groceries. Always selling them for cash and cash prices. Bargains in dry goods are picked up quickly. Groceries sold for cash should be a greater bargain to you. You must buy them: then why not come to the Store with a fresh stock where cash prices are the unvarying rule. Try it, and you will find great satisfaction. We keep all groceries as good as the market affords.

Caligraph Typing Machine advertisement with an illustration of the machine and text: 'The Simplest, Most Durable, Cheapest and Most Rapid Type Writer IN THE WORLD. What SCHEFFIELD & CO. say: We have much pleasure in stating that the Caligraph purchased from you has been in constant use in our office for several years, and is still in good order. Consider it invaluable as a time-saver.'

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STANDARD RUBBER CO. Ladies' Rubber Cloaks. Best Qualities.

ESTEY & CO., Selling Agents, ST. JOHN. Advertisement for rubber cloaks with an illustration of a woman in a long coat.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

EVENTS OF THE WEEK IN NEW BRUNSWICK AND NOVA SCOTIA.

And the Happenings in Social Circles of Fredericton, Moncton, Woodstock, Dorchester, St. Stephen, Sussex, Amherst, Canada, Etc. On Monday last, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Jardine gave a very pleasant picnic to a few of their friends. It was held at Mr. Jardine's country residence, Craigie Sea. Miss Katie Smith entertained a few of her friends at a cheerful party on Saturday last, and not to a picnic which I stated last week. There were only ten or twelve present. Mr. and Mrs. Charles McDonald and family and Mrs. John MacLaren and child, have returned home from Sussex. Miss Nellie Robinson returned home from Dorchester, on Monday last. Miss P. Robinson, who has spent the summer with friends at Woodstock, has also returned. Miss Mello Vroom has returned home from Nova Scotia, where she has spent some weeks. Mrs. Warner gave a most enjoyable tennis party to about 20 of her friends, on Friday last. The day was all that could be desired for such an entertainment, and those who did not join in the game remained on the grounds. A table, with many delicacies, was laid upon the lawn, and after finishing themselves, the guests walked home in the cool of the evening. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. George MacLeod, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Misses Nicholson, Mr. Murray Warner, Miss Gertrude Dever, Miss L. DeVeber, Miss Katie Burpee, Mr. F. H. J. Ruel, the Misses Drury, Mr. M. Drury, Miss Furlong.

Mr. Kinross, of the Bank of B. N. A., is absent from the city on a fortnight's holiday. Two brilliant weddings have taken place in St. John this week, and it is reported says true there are many to follow as I hear of three new engagements on the tapis. One of the grooms is a young professional man, the other is a widower, one residing in the city, the other in New York. The three happy young ladies are all society favorites. Great interest has been manifested in the tennis tournament at the C. and A. grounds, which opened on Thursday last. Not only those who understood the game attended it, but everyone who wished to pass the afternoon and meet their friends flocked to the grounds and King street has been quite deserted this week. Rev. Mr. Walters and Mrs. Walters returned home this week from a delightful trip to Washington and the White Mountains. Mr. J. Ritchie and Mr. Fuller, of Halifax returned home on Monday last. Mr. H. S. Jones, M. P., Prof. Harvard Jones and Mr. Henry Jones, of Vermont, are the guests of Senator and Mrs. Boyd, having come to the city to attend the wedding of their relative, Miss Craik-stark. Mrs. L. J. Almon, who has been visiting relatives in England, arrived home last week. Mr. and Mrs. Silas Alward left by the C. P. R. on Monday last to visit Montreal and other cities. They will be absent about a business trip. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Drury, wife of Capt. Drury, II. M. S. Bellefleur, is in the city, the guest of Mrs. Chipman Drury, Colburn Cliff. Mr. and Mrs. Hendershot are visiting Cape Breton. Mr. C. F. Kinross, accompanied by his son, Mr. Frank Kinross, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Edwin Daniel, at Toronto. Miss Bessie Scovill returned to her home in Strathroy, Ont., on Monday last. Mrs. Jennie Taylor left this week to join Mr. Taylor on a trip to England, he having been granted three months leave of absence. The Misses Graham, of Ottawa, are the guests of Mrs. Gardiner Taylor, Queen street. Mrs. Bailey and Miss Bailey, of Boston, are the guests of Mrs. D. J. Seely, Dorchester street. Mrs. Herbert Lee and children are visiting Sussex. Mrs. DeSoyes and her daughter, Miss Carr, who have spent the summer at Weymouth, N.S., returned home on Saturday. Miss Bessie Tilley, daughter of the late Rev. Harrison Tilley, of London, Ont., is in the city, the guest of her uncle, Mr. Geo. F. Matthew, Summer street. Mr. E. E. Gubb, who has been spending his vacation in St. John, returned to the week, having accepted the position of organist and choirmaster at St. Matthew's church, New Haven, Conn. Prof. Roberts, of Windsor, arrived in the city on Tuesday, to take part in the tournament at the Athletic grounds, which opened on Thursday. The friends of Mr. Leonard Tilley assembled at the station, and gave him a good send off, on Tuesday evening, when he left for Halifax, where he enters the Law College. Mr. E. T. Sturkie, left by C. P. R. this week, for Montreal on a business trip. Mr. Cyril Myrkle, of Digby, N. S., is the guest of Mrs. Vroom, Queen street. Mrs. E. J. Symonds and family, and Mrs. D. J. Shattford and family, have returned home from Digby, where they have spent the summer. Mrs. H. A. Scovill, Sheliac, spent this week in St. John, en route for St. Stephen. Rev. Canon Brigstocke and Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Corey left on Wednesday evening for British Columbia. Mrs. Brigstocke accompanied them as far as Sault Ste. Marie, where she will be the guest of Rev. Mr. Wilson at the Shingwauk home. Rev. Albert Stevens, of Quebec, arrived in St. John this week to do duty in Trinity church during the pastor's absence. Mr. Dibble, who has been absent from the city for some time, arrived this week from New York, and is the guest of Mrs. Morris Robinson, Broad street. The immediate relatives and some hundreds of the friends of Mr. J. G. Knowlton and Miss Letitia Stewart assembled in St. James church Tuesday morning to see them start on life's journey together. Rev. Mr. James officiated and the service was unusually impressive and beautiful. The idea of a yellow and white wedding was happily carried out, the bride wearing albatross cloth, veil and orange blossoms and the maid cream nuns veiling trimmed with yellow velvet flowers to match. The two tiny bridesmaids were dressed in Kate Greenway costumes and carried baskets of golden rool. Mr. and Mrs. Knowlton went to New York on their wedding tour. A large and fashionable gathering assembled in St. David's church at 8:30 Thursday evening to witness the marriage of Mr. J. B. Cuthill, son of the late John W. Cuthill, of this city, to Miss Georgina, daughter of Mr. Robert Cruikshank, of this city. Rev. Mr. Bruce performed the ceremony. There was a large number of guests which included the elite of the city. The dress of the bride and maids was beautiful and called forth much admiration. Miss Seely, Miss Jones and Miss Cruikshank were the maids of honor and Mr. R. C. Cruikshank supported the groom. The bride wore white Bengallie with tulle and orange blossoms and carried a bouquet of white roses. Misses Seely and Cruikshank were in pink cashmere and Miss Jones in white and yellow. Mrs. Chas. Cuthill went to New York and other American cities by the evening train. (The list of guests, presents and dresses of the guests were received at 100 late as hour for publication. Mrs. Isaac Burpee, with her daughters, Mrs. G. K. McLeod and Miss Burpee are visiting Bangor. Mrs. Marcell Carr, who has been visiting her grandfather, Mr. Carr at Compton, returned home on Tuesday. Miss Edith Fielders left by C. P. R. on Monday last for Calgary to visit her sister. Mrs. D. J. Driscoll and son have gone to Boston for a brief visit to friends. Mr. Moran of the Military College, Kingston, who has been visiting St. John, returned there on Monday night. (Continued on Eighth Page.)

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Little Miss Edna Golding had a large picnic on Saturday. She and her little friends drove out into the country in hay-carts and judging from the sounds of mirth which proceeded from the depths of the hay-carts on their return to the city in the evening, they had a very time.

Mrs. Will Lewis and grand child, her sister, Mrs. Bennett and child, of New York, who have been visiting Mrs. John Pickard, a sister of Mrs. Lewis, left for St. John on Saturday. After spending a few days with friends in that city they will return home.

Dr. and Mrs. Atherton have returned to their home in Toronto.

Mrs. W. E. Crossop, of Short Hills, N.J., have returned home from Nova Scotia, and are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Hall, on George street.

Miss Emily Laforest has entered the nunnery of the Order of St. John, at St. John, has been spending a week with her brothers at Springhill.

Mrs. Vasson and Miss Maria Murray will go to Sheffield on Saturday to spend a few weeks.

Mr. Stacey Hooper and Mrs. Hooper have returned home from their western trip.

Mrs. and Miss Campbell have returned home after spending some weeks at Bathurst.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Allen and children have returned from Antigonish. Mrs. Allen has been spending some weeks with her mother there, Mrs. Gregory.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Inches have returned from their visit at Bathurst.

Dr. and Mrs. Cliff, of Boston, are visiting friends in this city.

Mr. D. R. Forgan, of the Bank of Nova Scotia, will remove his family very soon to Minneapolis.

Sir Leonard Tilley arrived here from St. Stephen on Thursday, and went to St. John on Friday.

Mrs. Cornwall, of St. John, spent Sunday in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Jones, of Woodstock, were visiting friends in this city last week.

Mr. W. H. Reay, who has been in charge of the Woodstock branch of the Merchants' Bank, assumed control of the Fredericton branch on Monday, and Mr. H. B. Schofield, late of the Bank of New Brunswick, St. John, takes the place of Mr. Holms as accountant. Mr. Holms has gone to Truro, N. S.

Mr. and Mrs. Loggie have returned from their visit in Nova Scotia.

Mrs. W. E. Galloway, of Cambridge, Mass., is visiting her friends in this city.

Mrs. F. B. Edgewood has gone to Lennoxville, Mass., with her mother, Mrs. Eaton, who has been visiting her in this city.

Miss Mary Johnston left home yesterday for Toronto, where she will spend the winter.

Mrs. Segee and her daughter have returned home from Gagetown, where they have been spending some weeks.

Mrs. Jackson and her daughter, of Boston, who have been visiting friends here, left for their home on Monday.

Miss Buck, of Eastport, who has been the guest of Mrs. Black, on Shore street, returned to her home on Monday.

Mr. Charles Turner of New York, is here visiting his mother on George street.

Miss Sheaton will return to Sackville seminary tomorrow to resume her position as teacher.

Miss Gertrude Lugin and Miss Crissy Fairley, came to Fredericton on Monday for the purpose of attending the seminary.

Mr. C. C. Turner and two daughters, of Truro, came to Fredericton on Saturday. The Misses Turner will attend the Normal school.

Mr. T. P. French, of Ottawa, is visiting Fredericton.

Hon. Mr. Adams, of Newcastle, is in the city.

Mr. F. H. Donoghue, of the Province American, and Messrs. E. L. Arundel and W. J. Bradley, of Lawrence, Mass., are staying at the Barker House for a few days. The party seem very much pleased with our little city.

Judge and Mrs. Steelman with Mrs. Etta Feney's children have gone to Cambridge, Mass., to be present at a social event to take place there this week.

Mrs. T. B. Winslow and Miss Winslow have returned from a visit to St. John, where they were the guests of Hon. D. McLellan and Mrs. McLellan.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Hainet, of New York, are visiting their old friends in Fredericton.

Miss Ida Phillips leaves next Monday for Montreal, where she will spend the winter with friends.

Miss Gardner, of Boston, is here visiting her friend, Mrs. Hillyard.

Capt. and Mrs. Hemming have returned from their very pleasant trip in the upper provinces.

Dr. Coburn has taken a holiday trip to Philadelphia and other points. He accompanied by his little daughter Edna.

Mrs. A. G. Blair and her children have returned from St. Martin's, where they have been spending the summer.

The Misses Beverly have returned from St. John with their mother, who is still very poorly.

Miss Mamie Vanwart was married this morning to Mr. Richard Coe Alger, Mr. J. Wiley's local salesman. The ceremony was celebrated at her father's residence, 1011 Eliza street, by the Rev. Mr. Brewer. Mr. and Mrs. George left immediately for a trip to Boston followed by the good wishes of hosts of friends. Miss Vanwart is the first member of the Chautauqua class who has been married during the seven years it has been in existence in this city.

Mr. Sison Thompson, of Chicago, is here for a short visit, the guest of his mother, Mrs. George Thompson, Brunswick street.

Miss Mary Brown is in St. John.

Miss Jane Eastwood is visiting Mrs. Stratton, at Kingsclear.

Mr. O'Brien, M. P. F., from the North Shore, was in the city last week. Rumor says Mr. O'Brien will take one of Fredericton's fairest maidens to grace his home on the North Shore either this week or next.

ST. STEPHEN.

[Progress is for sale in St. Stephen at the bookstore of G. H. Smith & Co., G. S. Wall and H. M. Webber.]

SEPT. 3.—Mr. F. W. Murchie entertained a number of friends with a white last evening. About 200 guests were present. Mr. C. Maxwell and Mr. Will Thibault were fortunate enough to win the prize, while Miss Coe Alger, Mr. E. M. Murchie were made happy with the "booby" prize.

Mr. W. F. Vroom is spending a week at Beaver Harbor.

Rev. O. S. Newham left in the train last night for a visit to Moncton.

Miss Nellie Smith's friends are pleased to see her among them, after a month's absence in Portland, Me., and in Orchard Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Thorning, of Montreal, arrived here yesterday on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. E. Broad, Mrs. Thorning's parents.

Miss Maria Bassford, of Minneapolis, is in Calais, visiting her grandmother, Mrs. F. Bassford.

Mrs. George J. Clarke is visiting Mrs. Nelson Clarke in St. Andrews.

Mrs. W. H. Osborne, of St. Andrews, has been spending a few days among his friends in Calais.

Mr. Walter Graham left on Saturday night for Missoula, Montana, where he will enter into a new business and make his future home. He has many friends here who wish him every success and sincerely regret his departure.

Mr. C. N. Vroom has returned from his trip to Winnipeg.

Mr. Bradley Eaton, of New York, is spending a few weeks in Calais.

Mrs. Waterbury, accompanied by her children, returned home on Monday, after two weeks pleasantly in St. Andrew's.

Miss Jane Keating left on Monday for her home in Boston.

Mr. W. B. Torrance, of Halifax, spent a day here last week, the guest of Judge Stevens.

Mr. Henry Graham returned to Phillips, Me., on Thursday.

Mrs. John D. Chipman and her children have returned from St. Andrews.

Miss Julia Kelley has been making a short visit to friends in St. John, returning on Saturday.

Miss Beatrice Vroom, went to Fredericton on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Coster and Mr. Arthur Coster, of St. John, returned to Phillips, Me., on Wednesday and returned on Friday, spending a day in town.

Mr. John D. Chipman left last week for Ottawa.

Mr. J. L. Thompson, of Calais, left this morning for a short visit among relatives in Boston and New York.

Miss Kate Washburne arrived home yesterday, after several weeks spent in Portland and Boston, where she has been visiting friends.

Mr. A. R. Bradford, of Eastport, has been visiting Calais this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cameron are the guests of their brother, Mr. Augustus Cameron.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Magee, of St. Andrews, and Miss Bessie Magee spent Sunday in town.

Dr. Holden, of St. John, made a flying visit here this morning, to visit, professionally, Mr. Gilbert Gagnon, who is confined to his residence with a serious illness.

The many friends of Mrs. John Veasey were pained on Thursday to hear of her sudden death. Mrs. Veasey was a most estimable lady, and greatly beloved in her family and church, to both of which she was most devoted. She leaves her husband and a family of five daughters. The funeral ceremonies were on Saturday. The floral offerings were very beautiful and appropriate.

The first tennis tournament ever given in Calais was held at the grounds of Mr. Frank Nelson last week. Miss Kate Nelson as hostess. The trial lasted all day, and at sun-down was not finished, so Monday of this week was appointed to finish the contest. The prize was a handsome racket, but I was unable to hear who was the fortunate winner. Luncheon was served on the grounds at noon, and refreshments were served several times during the day.

On Tuesday last a very happy party from St. Stephen and Calais drove to Haven's Head, five miles down river, and enjoyed their annual outing. The party consisted of Messrs. C. N. Vroom, T. H. Mitchell, Bruce Stevenson, Sedie Webber, W. H. Edwards, Dr. Harry McKinley (of Philadelphia), and Mr. H. M. Webber. Mrs. T. R. Mitchell, Mrs. Sedie Webber, Miss Minnie Millan (Bayside), Miss Berie Markee, Miss Agnes McDermid and Misses Kate, Ada and Lottie Halliday. With but slight changes, from year to year this party has had an annual outing during the past eight or nine years, and no picnic party out of St. Stephen enjoys a better time, the day being kept forward to with eager anticipation, and remembered with fond recollections.

WOODSTOCK.

[Progress is for sale in Woodstock at Everett's Bookstore.]

SEPT. 3.—Miss Gertrude Jones has gone to Fredericton for a few days.

Miss Annie Jordan, of St. John, is the guest of Mrs. Wendall Jones.

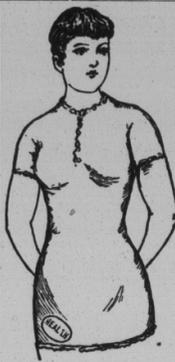
Miss Susie Williams is visiting friends in Fredericton.

Mrs. J. Brayley, of Montreal, is the guest of Mrs. Stephen Smith.

Mr. Racy has gone to Fredericton to take charge of the Merchants' Bank. Mr. Trauer, of Fredericton is taking Mr. Racy's place.

Dr. W. D. Rankin has returned from Edinburgh.

Dr. C. M. Hay, is spending his vacation at home. Prof. Adney, of New York, is spending a few weeks in town.



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Miss Paula, a very pretty dress of black velvet. Miss Fannie Dibblee, a dress of fawn silk and velvet. Miss Annie Jordan, a dress of black silk and cream cloth dress with ribbons.

Miss Clara Carr looked beautiful in white muslin tulle. Miss Lillian Burt, a very pretty dress of cream and white williams, a very pretty dress of cream and white veiling and yellow ribbons.

Miss Annie Jordan, a dress of black silk and lace with pink roses. Miss Mather, of St. John, a dress of black silk and scarlet spotted net.

Miss Cora Smith looked charming in pale pink silk. Miss Helen Connell, black fish net and yellow trimmings. Miss Bailey, black silk and lace.

SEPT. 3.—A social dance was given in the hall on Friday evening in which the youth and vigor of the town was well represented. The music and the tables were all that could be desired, and the company broke up with the happiest results.

Miss Alice Bull, a lovely dress of blue silk and lace. Miss Jessie Munro looked very pretty in a dress of cream lace and pink China silk.

Miss Annie Sharp, an elegant dress of yellow silk and cream gauze. Miss Jennie Sharpe looked sweet in pink nun's veiling and Nile green tulle and ribbon.

Miss Walker, of New York, a dress of black silk and tulle cardinal flowers. Miss Louis Bull, a cream nun's veiling and blue silk sash.

Miss Bertha Peabody, blue China silk and white net. Miss Bertha Neale looked lovely in black net. Miss Lou Smith, black lace and yellow roses.

BATHURST.

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SEPT. 4.—Judge and Mrs. Allan, Hon. A. G. Blair (Fredericton), Hon. D. L. Hanington (Dorchester), Messrs. F. H. Fries, W. A. Lawlor (Newcastle), Mr. McLatchey and W. A. Mott (Campbellton), were guests at the Keary House during the week.

Miss Papper, of St. John, left for home on Monday, after spending a very pleasant fortnight and making lots of friends in Bathurst. The hope she will repeat her visit at an early date and make a much longer stay with us.

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The races at Bathurst during park, Tuesday, were a feature of this week—amateurs and professionals a large number of visitors from Campbellton, Dalhousie and Newcastle, making town quite lively for the day.

Mr. Allan J. Wheeler's (Newcastle) many friends here were pleased to have him visit in town, the guest of Mr. A. N. Fogg.

A large number of young people and a few older ones were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Don A. H. Powers on Saturday evening. Cards, music and dancing were in order, and the party a very enjoyable one.

Right Rev. Bishop Healy, of Maine diocese, held confirmation at St. Mary's church on Tuesday, and is the guest of Mrs. Madigan.

ROXBURGO.

SEPT. 3.—Mr. Geo. V. and Mrs. McInerney returned from their visit to Campbellton a few days ago.

Miss Bessie Clarke, of Mill Creek, is in town visiting friends.

Miss Hunt, of the Kouchibouguie school staff, spent Sunday in town, guest of the Misses Grierson.

Rev. Robert Lang, of Halifax, preached in St. Mary's church last Sunday evening, to a large and appreciative audience.

Mr. Fred Black left this week for Philadelphia to pursue his studies in dentistry.

Mr. Henry and Mrs. O'Leary left on Tuesday for Campbellton to visit friends.

Miss Viner, formerly left on Tuesday to visit friends in Moncton.

Mr. Arthur O'Leary returned to St. Joseph's college, Memramcook, on Tuesday.



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