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AN INDISCREET VICAR.

HIS THOUGHTS REGUIRED BY A PRETTY FACE.

What He Told a Representative of "Progress" - The Story of His Fancy and the Substance of His Relations With the Young Lady - The Cause of All the Talk.

Frederickton has a sensation and, as usual, there is a woman in it. Like all the affairs of a similar nature, this one has occasioned considerable talk and there is a great deal of the conversation very far from the truth. Still there is substance as well as shadow.

The Rev. Mr. McCully, vicar of the cathedral at the capital, is in trouble, and this trouble is closely connected with the woman in the case, and that woman is a Miss Grace Thompson.

About two years ago the Rev. Mr. McCully was appointed vicar of the cathedral and met with a good reception at the hands of the people of Frederickton. He brought a good reputation and more or less credit, and Bishop Kingdon and his parishioners believed that he secured a man who would be a support to the church and an ornament as well.

His ministry was such that could be desired and the cathedral always had more than an average congregation when Rev. Mr. McCully was in the pulpit.

But this has all changed. He did not assume his usual place behind the sacred desk last Sabbath; rather, he shut himself up in his room and condemned and self-condemned man.

His own version of the case, as told to a representative of PROGRESS and which is borne out by respectable and reputable men, both within and without the episcopal church, is as follows.

About four weeks since he became acquainted with Miss Thompson who was then a pupil in a portrait gallery at the lower end of the city. On his way to and from the post office daily, he bowed to "the sweet face at the window," and the courtesy being invariably returned, it became something he looked forward to. Then he met her on the street coming from the post office. Then they often met and walked out together, but they did not drive to New Maryland as has been stated, nor did they sit on the bank, "under the willow tree" at the Keely Institute, and imitate the famous Cuddling of Leary of North Shore fame. They did not visit the graveyard at the evening hour when ghosts from forth and striking give up their dead. They did not—but why harrow the feelings of the reader, it is sufficient to say they "did not," to most of the various statements made.

Mr. McCully says that he walked through the graveyard one evening on his way from the post office. The office had not been closed and it could not therefore have been later than nine o'clock. He was accompanied by Miss Thompson, who appeared to have a mania, so to speak, for going after the "male." This is the time mentioned in some of the papers when it is said, they were met by Caretaker Woodward. Mr. McCully says that he does not remember meeting Mr. Woodward, as stated, and he is certain that Mr. Woodward did not speak to him at any time in or near the burying ground. This is borne out by the caretaker, who has published his statement to the effect that he had never met the rev. gentleman as charged by the gossips.

On Saturday the town was "afire" with the story of the "mild and gentle flirtation," and the story came to Mr. McCully's ears, by a way that is not necessary the public should know.

He shut himself up from the public, he did not take his place in the church, and then the fire blazed, for this to the groups who were determined to pry on him was confirmed doubly confirmed.

How was he to meet Bishop Kingdon? that was the question, the solution of which was troubling him. His lordship, it will be remembered, had been away on a trip to the old country, and it was surely a difficult thing for the injudicious steward to meet his lord and master and detail to him how he had fallen in his trust. But Mr. McCully, firm in his opinion that he had been indiscreet but not criminal went to his lordship's house and met the "reliable party" there that as soon as the bishop arrived he wished to be notified so that he might, tell him the tale before his enemies had secured first advantage in the fight, by prejudicing the bishop against him. Then he went to his boarding place and waited to be notified. The bishop came home, yet the telephone bell failed to tell the vicar that he was wanted at the residence of the bishop. Then Sunday came and he could not, he says, go into the sacred desk with the stain upon him, so he remained at home, and another had to do his work.

Monday passed, and the telephone bell, whose ringing is not always welcome, but which would have been heard with almost ecstasy by the deeply humbled vicar, did not deign to ring, or rather the bishop failed to deign his wish to receive the erring churchman.

A STRANGE SAD STORY.

A MARRIED MAN INFATUATED WITH ANOTHER MAN'S WIFE.

A New Glasgow Englishwoman and Her Relations with a P. E. I. Physician - His Spent Days in Her Company on a Lone Island - His Wife Broken-hearted.

NEW GLASGOW, June 14.—A sad story is being quietly told in this town, which almost throws into the shade Robert Buchanan's drama "Alone in London," with its awful unfolding of a husband's cruelty and a wife's devotion. It concerns Dr. Ings, formerly of Charlottetown, then of New Glasgow, now of Honolulu, where he lives with a Mrs. Grant, while his wife is on the verge of want in New Glasgow.

Dr. Ings was the son of a wealthy Charlottetown merchant. He was educated at Edinburgh, and there married a daughter of one of the best families in the Scottish capital, accomplished and beautiful. The couple came out to Canada, and Dr. Ings practiced his profession in Prince Edward Island for some time. Three years ago he removed to New Glasgow. So far as known their married life was happy. They had a family of three. Dr. Ings was fairly successful in his practice and was a skillful surgeon. Some few years before this a little English girl—Miss Hudson—came out to this country. There was nothing attractive about her save that she had red cheeks and a doll-like baby face, but she became "the rage" with some young men, and finally she married Duncan Grant, the son of a well-known contractor and local politician. All seemed to go happy enough. Dr. Ings was the family physician. In due time Mrs. Grant became a mother. Grant declared the child was not his and that Ings was the father. This was about the beginning of a guilty attachment between the doctor and Mrs. Grant. Duncan Grant drove his wife out from his home. She took up her abode on Big Island, Merigonish. Dr. Ings seemed to become completely infatuated with the woman. He visited her frequently, often spending days with her on this lone island. He neglected his wife, children, practice, society and everything. The man was either insane or wholly given up to guilty passion. The following incident will show all too clearly that familiar passage about "casting the first stone."

Papa Thompson is away taking "bibles back" or selling papers and it is expected there will be some when he arrives.

Mr. McCully's statement as here given, has been substantiated so far as possible by others and by the sympathy of most of the citizens who believe that his lordship will not deal harshly with him. And in this case it could be as well for all to bear in mind that familiar passage about "casting the first stone."

A Halifax Man Wanted for His Principal and His Interest.

HALIFAX, June 14.—An interesting episode this week was the arrest of a well known society young man by an equally well known Halifax business man. Edward Seaton was captured by T. K. Jenkins, manager of the large dry goods firm of Murdoch's Nephews, for \$75 with six years interest, which ran the amount up to more than \$100. Six years ago, Mr. Seaton, who then was one of the bloods of the town, called on Mr. Jenkins and asked him for the loan of \$75, promising to return the amount in a few days. It was not repaid; the young man left for parts unknown, and Mr. Jenkins applied to the young man's father for the cash.

The paternal relative, who is an esteemed citizen of Halifax, with ample means, advised Mr. Jenkins to get out a judgment against his son, for he would not pay the amount; he would see the wild youth "rot in jail" first. An uncle of young Seaton, it is said, of a different opinion, and offered to make good the amount, but Jenkins would not accept the \$75 from that source, holding that either son or father should pay it. Jenkins resolved to bide his time—to play the waiting game for cash and revenge.

The chance came this week. Seaton returned to Halifax after a six years' absence. Jenkins heard of it, and rubbed his hands with glee. He had not forgotten the little affair and determined to make the most of his opportunity. The question was how best to proceed. Mr. Jenkins thought nothing could give him so great pleasure as to arrest young Seaton personally—to lay his own hands upon his debtor. He asked Sheriff Archibald if this could not be arranged, but the sheriff did not know. A leading lawyer was applied to, and his opinion was that Mr. Jenkins could be made a deputy sheriff for the occasion and the work. The sheriff consented to allow this, if Mr. Jenkins would give a guarantee to use no violence in arresting Seaton. Mr. Jenkins agreed that he would use no violence unless Seaton resisted, when force would be necessary. This consent was not considered adequate and Jenkins was denied the distinction he wished. He got the next best thing, however, a capias was procured, and Jenkins dogged Seaton's steps. At last he saw him enter the C. P. R. ticket office on Hollis street. The signal was given, and the sheriff's officer followed in. Mr. Jenkins watched the proceedings from the Queen hotel steps on the opposite side of the street, and as Seaton was escorted by the officers of the law to the county court house, the business man's eyes fairly danced with joy. He had waited six years to catch his man, and now he was in his clutches.

The poor young man was poor indeed, with no more money than he had in the days of old, but this time he was more fortunate in his father, for that gentleman paid the claim in full, plus the interest.

WELLS BROUGHT TO BOOK

THE EMERGENCY BANKER GIVES HIS CUSTOMERS AWAY

In The Police Court—Fined \$8 and Costs for Assault—He Did Not Know Her Personally—A Shaver Who Wanted \$3 for Making Out a Note.

John P. Wells has been described in the columns of PROGRESS several times as an "emergency banker." He owns up to the title and rather prides himself upon the business that he does. It is generally understood that a man who is so unfortunate as to loan money from Wells has to pay for it pretty heavily. His regular charges are a quarter per cent a day. This may not seem large at the first glance but it really means 9 1/4 per cent a year—almost "cent per cent."

Wells has been before the public again, this time for assault growing out of his usurious charges, and the magistrate fined him three dollars and eight cents, and the costs.

It appears that some years ago Wells lent \$50 to Mrs. Murphy and charged her the usual rate of interest one quarter per cent a day. This meant 7 1/2 per cent a month or three dollars and fifty cents. This, it appears, Mrs. Murphy, paid month after month and year after year until Wells had three times the amount of his principal. Then the poor woman died and her husband took up the burden of the debt and paid the interest. But Martin Murphy grew tired and it was on account of his tardiness in paying up that Mr. Wells intervened and the charge of assault arose.

The evidence was racy but as most of it has appeared there is no need to repeat it. Some of it however did not appear. Wells did not hesitate to justify his business and the lines on which he runs it by stating who borrowed from him. He mentioned the names of business people who had and were paying him his exorbitant rate.

This was a crusher and will no doubt prevent many from patronizing this particular emergency banker in future.

Wells very seldom makes mistakes in his customers, though even he has exceptions. Not long ago, as the story is told, a lady in need of funds thought of applying to him since she had known him in connection with some work for the church. She thought consequently, that she should have no difficulty. But when she went in and found that Mr. Wells looked at her for a moment and then said "I don't know you madam." Her amazement got the better of her for a moment but she managed to remind him that they were acquainted through such and such work. Mr. Wells' reply is worth quoting. He said, "Spiritually I may be acquainted with you, madam; financially I don't know you."

A few other banks of emergency exist though not openly known as such. A lawyer who is known to lend money occasionally at good rates asked an applicant for \$5 for the use of \$50 for a month, and then wanted to charge him \$3 for drawing out the note. This was the last straw, and instead of signing the note the applicant tore it up.

THE LYRE OF APOLLO.

How the Representative of "Progress" Heard it in St. John's Groceries.

"Hark, hark, ye Dogs do bark, Ye Beggars are come to Town."

The beggars that sound the ear with their unlovely harmony, are come to town. You remember Long Morris, of the Morris, Pell, and Trowbridge Minstrels,—they were in St. John about twenty-five years ago, weren't they—do you remember that act of his called "Music on the Brain"?

Or was it Swayne Buckley, of old Dan Buckley's Minstrels, that were here about the same time? Come to think of it, it may have been Swayne who had music on the brain. No poetry intended. The PROGRESS musical critic can't remember which it was, but it was one of them.

What put the oldest inhabitants in loving remembrance of Long Morris and Swayne Buckley, was the son of sunny Italy who was in town this week, and played the flutina and clashed the cymbals, and tried the triangle, and whacked the bass drum, and ensnared the hearts of the maiden fayre by his rhapsodies on the snare drum, and worse than all, far, far worse than all, sang—all at once, just as Swayne Buckley—or was it Long Morris?—used to do ages ago. And as if that wasn't enough, this great Italian master had a great Italian missus, who sang also, in the rich and melodious voiceless consonant tongue of Italia. She also played the tamborine, and took up a collection. Times are hard in St. John not so hard as at other places, but still hard enough—yet many quarters were thrown into that tamborine. And there are many virtuous St. John poor folk, "who never sing, but die with all their music in them," that seldom see a quartet?

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The second chapter of recent Christ church history is now to be written, and again we record a victory for the Wilkins party. The Cunningham people, who they found themselves in a minority, decided to go out as soon as possible and build a new church in the wealthier and more aristocratic part of the town. They resolved the parish should be divided, and those satisfied with Christ church, as it is, could remain in it, with all the advantages of a fine church property; while the discontented ones would erect a new church home, where their surroundings would be more congenial. Bishop Courtney was asked to authorize the division of the parish. It was reasonable it should be divided, for, as pointed out, there are 2,200 adherents of the episcopal church in Dartmouth, a number the present church is utterly inadequate to accommodate, and far beyond the ability of one man to minister to. As a first step to secure the division a meeting of the parish was called for Monday night, the question being: Shall it be two churches in Dartmouth with its 2,200 episcopals or shall it remain one comparatively small church? The discussion was warm and personal. The issue of the late campaign were in a measure fought out again. Some fierce home-thrusts were made on both sides. Wardens Johnstone and Walker, who led the one-church party, made the speeches on that side, and on the other were such well-known men as C. H. Harvey, Dr. Milson, ex-Mayor Oland, W. R. Foster, C. E. Creighton, James Simmonds, A. E. Ellis and Dr. Smith.

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POLITICAL NOTES.

A Glance at the Leading Measures Carried in the House of Assembly of New Brunswick, from the Year 1854.

By G. E. FERRY, Fredericton, N. B.

No. 24. Debate on King's College—Conflicts of Opinion as to the Rights of the English Government and Dukes of a Governor—History of King's College—Its Past and Present Condition.



University of New Brunswick, formerly King's College.

which was virtually to close its doors, but the English Government disallowed the Act, on the ground of the Civil List provision made for its maintenance. Hence Mr. Steadman's action, which were tantamount to a vote of want of confidence in the local government, for its subservience to dictates against the principles of Responsible Government. Mr. Steadman made an elaborate speech, quoting largely from authorities upon the constitutional principles involved. He assumed that the Executive knew the terms of his Excellency's despatch, and should therefore be held responsible. The despatch was adverse to the interests of the people and rights of the Legislature, and the Executive should have resigned. He moved his Resolution, which Mr. M'Adam seconded. The Attorney General followed. The proposition of Mr. Steadman he declared to be an error. It was not established here in Canada or Nova Scotia, that the Executive should be embraced in our Constitution. He defended the Governor, who had followed the only constitutional course pointed out for him, and contended there was no principle involved on which to appeal to the country, and declared that this was the first time in which a Governor had been re-elected on resolution of the House. He concluded by moving an amendment a resolution affirming that the Executive should see all despatches transmitted by His Excellency, relating to any laws enacted, and that the Executive should use all constitutional means to obtain that right. Mr. Tilley explained that at a meeting of the College Council, soon after the Legislature had been prorogued, an Address was prepared for transmission to Her Majesty. The Hon. Attorney General and himself recorded their vote against this Address. Aware that the Address was to be sent home, they communicated the fact to their colleagues, a meeting of the Executive Council was called, and they asked His Excellency to furnish them with any remonstrances against the Act. His Excellency's reply was that in the history of the colony there was no instance of such a request having been made to the Lieutenant Governor; but he promised, to lay before the Colonial Secretary the memorandum of the Executive Council. The Government had been charged with allowing time to pass by without taking any further steps in the matter. Now, the fact was that the Government felt sure that if the decision of Her Majesty's Council was to be affected by these remonstrances, nothing definite would be done until copies of these remonstrances were first transmitted to the Executive Councils. But the decision of Her Majesty's Council was arrived at without reference to remonstrances at all; and it appeared from the Colonial Secretary's despatch of the 7th October, that if these were likely to have any influence upon the decision of the Colonial Secretary, they would have been forwarded by the Executive Council. But the matter was decided without any reference to these at all. Mr. Tilley went on to explain his views. The true reason of the rejection of the Bill was on account of the £1,100 in which the faith of the Crown was pledged. Mr. Lawrence said His Excellency's conduct in reference to the College had been perfectly constitutional, and it stood out in bold relief from the conduct of his advisers, commending itself to the favorable consideration of every right minded man in the country; he told his Council

that he had received remonstrances against the allowance of the Act, and he invited them to send Home counter remonstrances and giving their reasons why the Queen should give her assent to it. They failed to do so, and this was sufficient to deprive them of the confidence of the House and of the country. Mr. Lawrence here went over a history of the legislation that had taken place with reference to the College since 1854, down to last year, when the Act

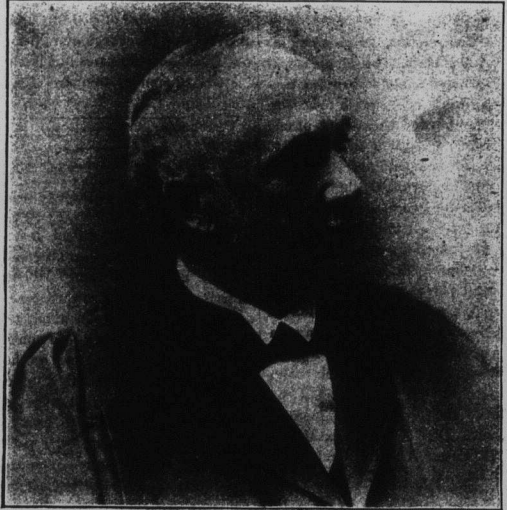
1858, when the Bill to suspend the grant was introduced into the House of Assembly; during that or some preceding year, there had only been three or four students belonging to the College; these persons, probably the children of rich parents, cost the Province for their education nearly £1,000 each. Now that was an unbecomingly state of things, and called loudly upon the country to improve the Institution or to pull it up by the roots. Upon the introduction of the Bill to suspend the grant an amendment had been moved, the

object of which was to renovate the Institution and put it on a more efficient footing. This amendment was lost by the casting vote of the Chairman only, but upon the question being taken upon the Bill, it was carried by a large majority. It received the concurrence of both branches of the Legislature. The Bill was passed on the 6th of April 1858; on the 14th, 15th and 16th of that month the College Council prepared a petition, and the Professors of the College wrote letters to the Colonial Secretary, urging reasons to Her Majesty against giving her assent to the Act. These were placed in the hands of His Excellency on the seventh of the same month for the purpose of being transmitted to the Colonial Secretary. On the same day the Executive addressed a Minute of Council to His Excellency, requesting copies of the petition and letters, which he refused to grant upon the ground that they had no constitutional right to make the demand. His Excellency soon afterwards transmitted the petition, letters and Minutes of Council to the Colonial Secretary. His Excellency on the 16th July wrote a long dispatch to the Colonial Secretary, setting forth in detail a great many objections to the passage of the Act. On the 7th of October the Colonial Secretary sent two despatches to His Excellency, in one of which he admitted the right of the Executive Government to be furnished with reasons for the passage of the law, and on any other occasion in which might arise when representations should be made against the Royal

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On the 13th April His Excellency closed the Session in a speech of a dozen lines, after giving his assent to a large number of Bills.

RECAPITULATION AND EXPLANATION. It may be here remarked that even up to this time the principles of Constitutional Responsibility had not been settled. In sending the College Act to the Colonial office, the Lieutenant Governor accompanied it by an address from the College Council, in opposition to the action of the Legislature, and assigning reasons why Her Majesty's assent should be withheld. This address His Excellency refused to submit to his Council. Therefore it was contented, even by supporters of the Government, that as the Executive Council were responsible for the acts of the Governor, they should have insisted upon seeing the letter, or resigning their offices. The effect of the discussion was the settlement of this proposition, and that in future all despatches, sent forward, should first be examined by the Ministry. Although Mr. Steadman's resolution failed to carry, the Attorney General's amendment affirmed



DR. HARRISON, Chancellor of the University of N. B. The main points of contention, and therefore, it was a virtual triumph for Steadman. With regard to the Institution itself, a short sketch of its history may prove to be interesting to those who have since graduated and all others who take an interest in the higher education. It has certainly run through several vicissitudes at the hands of the Legislators. Today (1894), however, it stands upon a far higher basis than it did formerly, and is doing good work under able Professors and management. A Bill had been brought into the House to suspend the grant to this Institution in the year 1858. The College was founded in the year 1800, and in 1829 it enjoyed from the Crown a grant of £1,000 per annum, and from the Province £1,100 per annum; it was clearly a Church of England establishment, and although it enjoyed a large revenue, amounting to between £3,000 and £4,000 per annum, its usefulness was extremely limited; it did not possess the affections of the people; it was considered to be of an exclusive, sectarian character; the friends of the College finding public opinion to be hostile to it, procured an Act of Assembly in 1845 to be passed, removing all religious tests, but the remedy came too late; it languished along in the state of the Church of Laodicea, neither hot nor cold, but lukewarm, until

passage of the Bill, but on the contrary put forth strong arguments why it should not pass. His Excellency stood in a very anomalous position; he was in the first place the representative of the Sovereign, and he had declared that independently of this relation he was her Minister. It was certainly a question of grave importance. In Canada and Nova Scotia, both colonies, alive to their rights, had not yet decided that they were entitled of right to see the despatches of the Governor to the Colonial Secretary. In matters affecting the passage of Provincial Acts, it was highly desirable that the Executive should have that power. [No such things can happen at the present day—the ground has all been cleared away by the old Reformers, in which the Press at the time played no unimportant part, although its services are scarcely remembered by the present generation.] At the present day the University of New Brunswick is fast becoming most popular and useful. On the reopening next fall it is expected the whole number of students will be about sixty; and although it may not be all that it is desirable, it is fast working up into such a state of efficiency as will in a few years make it one of the leading Colleges in the Dominion. I here append the names of the Chancellors and the Professors all, men of the highest classical attainments and capable of teaching in any College known.

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Musical and Dramatic.

IN MUSICAL CIRCLES.

The concert of the 62nd Fusiliers at the Opera House last week showed a distinct improvement in the work of the Band, which has obtained some useful additions. The entertainment differed from that given by the Band a short time ago in the presentation of some thrilling tableaux in connection with an event that will be read and talked about while English history lasts, viz., the death of the Prince Imperial of France, in Zululand. The tableaux, so far as they related to some of the incidents of that event and the pose of the individuals, were very well conceived, but it should be said they gave an exaggerated, an entirely erroneous idea in fact, of the weapons of the Zulus. The Zulu weapon is the assegai, and it bears no resemblance to a fish knife at the end of a long stick.

The vocal contributions by Miss Masse and the Rev. J. M. Davenport were special features of the programme and merited all the praise bestowed. I had not heard Miss Masse sing for some time previously, and think her voice and method show marked improvement.

The cantata of "The Ten Virgins" by Gaul, at St. John's stone church last Tuesday evening was the particular musical event of the week, as anticipated. I regret not being present throughout the concert, but so much of the production as I did hear satisfied me, at all events, and quite apart from the question of the company's merits, another instance was furnished of the satisfactory results that will always attend careful practice and frequent general rehearsal. There is a smoothness, a balance, a fusion, as it were, of the voices that can be in no other way acquired, while there were spots weak spots no doubt. As the work of amateurs the production so far as St. John was concerned, was a distinct success and reflects credit upon all concerned. The soloists, Mrs. Carter, Mrs. Gilchrist, Rev. Mr. Dickey, and Mrs. G. C. Coster were of the best in the city, and while special remark may not be required, yet it is but just to say that I think Rev. Mr. Dickey never sang better since he came here than he did on that evening. The Cantata itself is a little classic, full of odd, weird combinations and tuneful to a degree.

On Thursday and Friday evenings, at Mechanics' institute, were given military concerts as they were called, by the boys of Roxbury college, the Bands of the Artillery and the 62nd Regiment assisting; the former Band playing on Thursday evening and the latter on Friday evening. It is impossible to furnish further notice this week, as this part of the paper goes to press on Thursday.

Next week all lovers of music will have opportunities given them to avail themselves of musical treats of rare merit and excellence in the concerts of the St. John oratorio society. These will take place at the Opera house, on next Wednesday and Thursday evenings. On Wednesday evening will be given "The Creation," and on Thursday evening there will be a miscellaneous programme. The soloists secured for these occasions are Miss Tarbox, whose singing has delighted audiences in St. John, before with Messrs. Clarke and Johnson, of Boston, respectively, basso and tenor. These gentlemen have not previously sung in the city, but there are not a few musical people here who have heard both of them singing in their home city, and I have yet to hear a single word other than that of the highest praise of the work of these gentlemen.

They come here recommended most highly and there is no doubt they will justify every favorable remark made concerning them. As this department has already observed, the Oratorio Society is designed to effect good work musically among every denomination in the city, to cultivate an improved musical taste, to advance a knowledge of the works of the best composers, all of which redounds to general as well as individual benefit, and as our people as a rule are not slow to reciprocate, there is more than a strong probability that every seat in the Opera House will be filled on the occasions of these concerts. The determination of the management of the society seems to be to make the forthcoming concerts mark an era in the history of the society, by scoring an unequalled success. I regret to hear that Mr. Carl Walther, the well known violinist, is seriously indisposed.

Tones and Undertones.

Emma Eames and her husband have sailed for Europe.

"Robin Hood" a three act opera by Dietrich, has been brought out at Leipsic with fair success.

Camille d'Arville will star in a new comic opera, next season, the music being written by Julian Edwards.

Edouard Remenyi, the violinist, will be heard at Bar Harbor during the summer. His daughter Adrienne and the Marquis de Riva will be in his company.

It is noticeable that nearly all of the great operatic artists of the day sing in Italian or French, rather than in German or English, if permitted a choice.

Walter Damrosch, who is in Berlin collecting material for his Wagner season next year, sends word that he has engaged Max Alvary and Rothmeil, the Berlin tenor.

English opera is still being given at the Grand Opera House, New York. "Carmen" with Mlle. Sigrid Wolf and "Faust," with Mme. Tavy, being given during the week.

Patti has been singing Wagner's compositions. Last month in London she sang, and did it well too, the study on "Tristan and Isolde," No. 5, composed by Wagner, and showed that his music is as singable as Mozart's.

"The Pirates of Penzance" is on at the Tremont theatre, Boston, this week with Camille d'Arville in the role of "Mabel." Miss d'Arville scored a veritable triumph. Her work is said to have been "worthy of the world's great artists."

"The Passing Show" is one of the hits of the season in New York. Adele Ritchie, the prima donna of the company, has been replaced by Miss Jessie Carlisle, a chorus girl. She was born in Washington in 1874, and has only been on the stage three years.

Mr. Layton, tenor, Miss Lily Moody, contralto, Mr. Norman Solomon, baritone, and Mr. Franklin Cleve, will assist Madame Patti in the forthcoming production of Pizetti's one act opera, "Gabriella," in London, July 2. The opera was written specially for Madame Patti.

TALK OF THE THEATRE.

Dumas' play, "The Road to Thebes," will be produced in Paris next fall.

James O'N has made Julia Arthur an offer to join him as co-star next fall.

Joseph Haworth is ill at the City Hospital Boston, suffering from appendicitis.

Students at Yale College have been forbidden to make up and dance as women.

Max Walter, the tenor of the "Lilliputians," will shortly appear on the variety stage.

The name of the new play being written for W. H. Crane is "A Member from Mississippi."

Next season "Superba" will be the largest and best spectacular show the Hanlons have ever sent out.

Rumor has it that Mary E. Wilkins, assisted by E. E. Rose, is dramatizing her novel "Jane Field."

Mrs. Annie Yeamans will go with her daughter Jennie next season in a new play which has been written for them.

Lilian Lewis will make her debut in Shakespearean drama next season. She will appear in "Antony and Cleopatra."

Lottie Collins, of Tava-ra fame, is still compelled to use crutches on account of the injuries received in the United States.

Augustin Daly has six new comedies taken from French and German sources which he will try in New York next season.

Bessie Taylor has played Louise in "The Two Orphans" over 700 times in this country. She is the only rival of Kate Claxton.

The "living pictures" have reached Boston. Every one goes to see them in order to see how his or her morals are affected by them. The pictures in which the nude did not enter were the most applauded.

The dramatic critic of the New York Herald in a recent issue of that paper scores the new play by Scott Marble entitled "Tennessee's Pardner." He calls it "a dramatic monstrosity," "an amorphous heap of rubbish."

Of Miss Cora Van Tassel, who plays the leading role in "Tennessee's Pardner," the Herald critic says: "Miss Van Tassel, not to put too fine a point on it, has nothing whatever to fear from Mr. Gerry. Yet she burst upon us in a frock such as a child of eight would be ashamed to wear—a frock that did not nearly reach to the knees, and which was held up behind with a huge infantile sort of bow. The contrast between the actress' personality and her apparel was not amusing, but sad and depressing, for hers was rather a pathetic and sympathetic role; yet, the actress did nothing all the evening but try to 'cute' by sitting about on tables, by winking and simpering and playing the kitten generally, until you felt most dreadfully unhappy."

A PLEASURE TO INFORM HIM.

But the Demand For Information Greatly Exceeded the Supply.

"Papa," said Willie, as he and his father roamed over the fields together, "I like to go walking with you. You know so much about everything, don't you?"

"Yes, Willie, I know a great deal," returned Mr. Bronson, complacently. "And it is a great pleasure to me, my son, to be able to impart to you the information I have acquired."

Willie looked as if he didn't exactly know what "acquired," and "impart" and "information" meant, but he took it for granted that his father understood what he was saying, and for a minute he was silent.

Then he asked, catching sight of cattle grazing in the next field: "Papa, what is cows?"

"Cows," returned Mr. Bronson, after a moment's thought, "cows—are animals with horns, that give milk and eat grass."

"Do cows like grass better than they do apple-pie and custard?" asked Willie.

"Very much better," said Mr. Bronson. "Why do they papa?" asked the boy.

"Oh, because they were born that way," said Mr. Bronson.

"Why do cows give milk, papa? Can't they sell it?"

"No cows don't know anything about money, you know; and even if they did, they wouldn't know where to keep it."

"Couldn't they keep it in their horns?"

"Oh, my, no!"

"What good are cows' horns? Do they make that tummy 'moo' sound with their horns?"

"What an idea. No, indeed. They do that with their throats."

"Why don't they do it with their horns?"

"They can't."

"Can't anybody blow horns?"

"Oh, yes. Tin horns, and—er—brass horns, but not cows' horns."

"Papa, why don't cows have tin horns?"

"Oh nonsense! Oh—er—because they are cows, I suppose."

And then he regretted that he had promised to impart information.

A FARMER'S TALE OF WOE.

THE INTERESTING NARRATIVE OF A GRENVILLE CO. MAN.

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Recently a reporter of the Recorder was informed by Mr. John A. Barr, the well known druggist, that the particulars of a case quite as striking as many that have been published could be learned from Mr. Samuel Sargeant, of Augusta township, who had been benefited most remarkably by the Pink Pills treatment. The reporter determined to interview Mr. Sargeant, and accordingly drove to his home in Augusta, about the reporter's mission.

Mr. Sargeant said he could not say too much in favor of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and expressed his willingness to give the facts in connection with his restoration to health. "Two years ago," said Mr. Sargeant, "I went over to New York state to work in the lumber region for the winter. One day while drawing logs one slipped and rolled on me, injuring my spine. The pain was very severe, and as I could no longer work I was brought back to my home, and was laid up for about six months. I suffered a great deal and seemed to be growing weaker all the time. I had not been taking any medicine, but as a result piles developed, which added to my misery. The various treatments did not appear to do me any good, and one of my neighbors advised me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. My wife went to town and procured a supply, and I had not been taking them long when I found myself growing stronger and the pain leaving me. The pills made my bowels regular again and the piles disappeared, and by the time I had taken six boxes I found myself as well as I ever was, and able, as you see, to do a good day's work."

Mr. Sargeant further said that he had been troubled with hernia for fourteen years, during all which time he was forced to wear a truss. To his surprise that trouble left him and in April last he threw away his truss and has had no occasion for it since. Mr. Sargeant declares his full belief that this too was due to the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, but whether this is the case, or whether his release from the rupture is due to his prolonged rest as a result of other trouble, the reporter does not pretend to say—he simply tells the story as Mr. Sargeant gave it to him. One thing is certain, Mr. Sargeant and his wife are very enthusiastic as to the merits of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Incidentally Mrs. Sargeant told the reporter of the great benefit Pink Pills had been to her sister Mrs. Wm. Taylor, who lives in Essex Co., England, and who was a sufferer from paralysis and unable to move hand or foot. The trouble affected her stomach to such an extent that she was unable to retain food, and to stimulants alone she owed her existence for a considerable period. Mrs. Sargeant sent her sister a supply of Pink Pills, which soon showed that she had secured the right medicine. The treatment was continued and a further supply of the pills procured after the company opened its London house, and when Mrs. Sargeant last heard from her sister she had regained almost all her strength after having been prostrated for several years.

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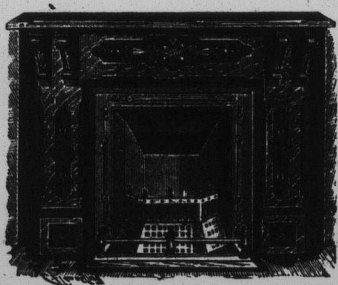
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Social and Personal.

At the early hour of seven o'clock on Wednesday morning the marriage of Miss Florence Boyd, only daughter of Mr. B. C. Boyd and Mr. William S. Starr, son of the late Mr. W. F. Starr, was solemnized in St. Paul's (Valley) church. In consequence of the recent death of Mr. Starr's father, the wedding was a very quiet one, only the relatives of the two families being present. The bride, who was attended by Miss Ethel Smith, looked very handsome in a pretty travelling dress of electric blue trimmed with golden brown, with hat to match. She carried a large bouquet of white roses. Mr. Wm. H. Robinson of the Bank of Nova Scotia was best man. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Canon DeVeber, assisted by Rev. Mr. Decker. The choir of the church of which Mr. Starr is a prominent member sang the chant responses and hymns.

Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Boyd, Mr. Arthur Boyd, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Grant, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Harrison, Miss Wheeler, Miss George W. W. Boyd, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Adams, Miss Adams, Mr. Arthur Adams. The church was very prettily decorated for the occasion. Immediately after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Starr left by the Halifax Express for a trip to Prince Edward Island and Cape Breton. The bride, who is a special favorite with a large circle of friends, was presented with a number of beautiful gifts. Mr. Starr was presented with a very handsome piano lamp by the Rector, Vestry and Choir of St. Paul's church. Mr. and Mrs. Starr will reside on Dorchester street, where Mr. Starr has fitted up a pretty residence for his bride.

Mr. E. S. Simonds has returned from Nova Scotia. Mr. Simonds was on Queen's Quay, Halifax, when he was last seen. Mr. Starr has built a country residence on Sand Point Road, where he and his family will reside for the summer. The engagement is announced between Miss Lizette DuVerre and Mr. Barclay Scott, formerly of this city. Miss Louise Symonds is visiting Mrs. Fred Allison at Shelburne. Mrs. Augustus Robinson and Miss Gladys Robinson, Annapolis, are the guests of Mrs. J. R. Armstrong, Wellington street. Mr. and Mrs. Heber Arnold have removed to their residence at Westford for the summer. Dr. Beverly O. Kinsler, of New York, arrived in St. John this week.

Robert Crookshank arrived in St. John this week. Mr. Blair of Ottawa. Their son, Mr. George Y. Crookshank, is very seriously ill here, and small hopes are entertained for his recovery. Mr. Collier, formerly of this city, is expected in St. John shortly to visit his sister, Mrs. McAvaney. Miss Ida Tarbot of Portland, Me., who is to take the supreme sole in the "Creation" on Wednesday next, will be the guest of Mr. Joshua Clawson, during her stay in St. John. A marriage which is of interest to many in St. John was solemnized at Montreal last week when Mr. Wm. Frith and Miss Bertha Langley, daughter of Mr. L. Langley, of Westfield, Rev. W. O. Raymond performed the ceremony. After partaking of the wedding breakfast, Mr. and Mrs. Seely left by the Monticello for a trip to Nova Scotia. They will reside at Woodstock. The death of Mr. Charles H. Fairweather occurred at his residence, Orange street, on Tuesday evening after a long and tedious illness. Mr. Fairweather was an active business man, and for some thirty years a member of the firm of Hall & Fairweather. He was always deeply interested in any matters pertaining to the welfare of the city, and at different times has filled important positions. He was also connected with several religious and charitable institutions. He had been married twice, and left two daughters and a son to regret his death. The funeral took place on Thursday afternoon, the service being held at St. Charles church. Miss Evelyn Saunders and Miss Gertrude Stuckey, of St. Andrews, are the guests of Mrs. T. Saunders, Charlotte street. Mrs. James Saunders and Miss Greta Watson, of Southsea, England, are in the city, the guests of Mrs. J. J. Kaye, Peel street. Mrs. F. Frith and daughter, Mrs. Edmonson, who have been visiting friends in this city and Sussex, have returned to their home at Calgary, N. W. T. Mrs. F. S. Scammell is visiting friends at Bar Harbor. Mr. J. D. Fowler, of New York, accompanied by the Misses Fowler, is in the city this week on route for his summer residence at Rochester. Mr. Simon Jones and the Misses Jones arrived on Monday from England, where they have been for some months. They came by way of New York. Dr. Harrison, of the University, left on Monday for Edmonton, Alberta, where he will visit his son, Dr. J. D. Harrison. He expects to be absent about two months. Mr. T. S. Simms, accompanied by his son, and Miss Florence Rutherford, left this week for a trip to Boston and New York. Rev. Dr. Hagan, who was in the city on Sunday and occupied the pulpit at St. James' church, left on Monday for his home in Halifax. A very pretty but quiet wedding took place on Wednesday evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. McE. Morrison, Celebration street, when their daughter Tillie, and Mr. George D. D. Hart, of Kerrie Mill, Scotland, were united in the holy bonds of matrimony, by Rev. G. M. W. Carey.

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Why have I been selected as your choice? Please choose me. Duvall, 19 Waterloo St. St. John-North End. Miss Agnes Livingstone has been confined to the house for the past three weeks, through illness. Mr. and Mrs. John Eagles, of Douglas Avenue, are receiving congratulations, the occasion being the advent of a little daughter, Annie Parry, and Miss Maude Churchhill, Miss Annie Parry, and Miss Maude Sprague, have been spending a week in St. Martina. Mr. Vermer McLellan is again able to be about after a severe attack of rheumatism. Mrs. Hobbit and Mrs. Mason, of New York, are making a visit to friends here. Mrs. S. Holly and the Misses Holly have gone to their summer residence at Woodman's point. The residence of Mr. and Mrs. John Eagles, on Bridge street, was the scene of a very pretty and quiet wedding on Wednesday morning, when their only daughter, Miss Bessie, was married to Mr. Ernest Hunt. The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. O. Raymond and was most impressive. After the service the party partook of breakfast and left on the morning train for a few weeks' trip through Nova Scotia. The young couple are extremely popular and their friends exhibited their concern by many useful and costly presents. Mr. and Mrs. Belliveau will reside on Mutual street. Another quiet wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Robins, on Wednesday morning. The contracting parties were Mr. Thomas Robins and Miss Jennie, both daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Robins. The bride was escorted by Mr. Albert McArthur supported the groom. Rev. Canon DeVeber tied the knot, and after breakfast the party left by the boat for St. John, followed by the well wishes of many friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodman, of Westfield, have returned home after a visit of some length in Chicago. Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Wilson and Miss Louise Wilson, of Halifax, were in the city last week. They attended the wedding of Mr. Alexander Wilson, and returned home on Friday. Dr. P. W. and Mrs. Reynolds, of Bristol, arrived in the city last week, and will spend the summer with Judge King. Mrs. Reynolds will be accompanied by her mother, Mrs. E. J. Thorne, at Digby, N. S. Father Bertrando, of Denver, Col., were in the city last week en route for Truro, where the reverend gentleman will visit his son. Miss Lovell, daughter of Mr. George Lovell, of Calais, will leave shortly for England, where she will reside at Oxford. Mr. Stewart Milligan, of New York, is in the city, the guest of his brother, Mr. C. J. Milligan. Miss Frances Scudder, of Halifax, who has been visiting her friend, Miss Emma McLean, and other St. John friends, has gone to Kentville, where she will spend a few weeks with Mrs. Russell Chapman. A young lady who resides in a central portion of the city was so heartily and enjoyably embraced and cared for by her affianced in the parlor of her home a few days ago, that it is passed by who, by reason of their forgetfulness in not drawing the curtains, were permitted the pleasurable sight, were amused and delighted. It is not often that the monotony of a return to business after luncheon is varied by such an unrestrained and wholesome bit of sentiment. Mr. J. B. Roberts returned to New York on Tuesday after a short visit. Mrs. Roberts prolonging her sojourn in the city, and will spend the summer with her mother, Mrs. Bessie Schofield left this week for a visit to friends in Halifax. Miss Grace Seely, who has been at the Newport hospital studying nursing, is home on a vacation. Her many friends are glad to see her. Mr. George Blair, son of Hon. A. G. Blair, is expected home today from Virginia. Mr. Blair has successfully passed his final law examinations. Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Randall, of New York, were in the city this week, visiting Mr. Randall's father. It is understood that the marriage of Mr. James Ford to Miss Nettie Haldy will take place this month. An agreeable surprise was tendered Mr. and Mrs. Fred Livingston, at their residence, Charlotte St., on Tuesday evening, when a number of their friends assembled to assist in celebrating the tenth anniversary of their wedding, taking with them many useful and appropriate gifts. A pleasant evening was spent by all. Mr. J. J. McLaughlin and her daughters, the Misses Ella and Annie McLaughlin, have gone to their summer home at Tracadie to spend the summer. Mr. George A. Freese, G. P. Agent, of Cumberland Mills, Maine, is here on a visit to his family. The many friends of Miss Edith Boscher regret that she is unable, owing to illness, to return to St. John this summer, and will spend the summer with her sister, Mrs. Feller, Harbord, Conn. Mr. and Mrs. E. L. T. T. were in the city on Thursday, on their return from Boston, where they have been on their wedding tour. They will reside at Hampton. Rev. E. D. Miller, of Yarmouth, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Foster, Acadia street, North End. Mr. Joseph Reed, of Bain Verte, is the guest of Mrs. J. F. Crowe street. Miss Florence Jarvis, who has been visiting her aunt in Strongton, Mass., returned on Thursday.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

HALIFAX NOTES.

Persons for sale in Halifax at the following places: Knowles' Book Store, 24 George street; ...

June 14—A quiet and pretty wedding took place at St. Luke's church at an early hour on Saturday morning of last week. The principals were Captain Carey, R. E., and Miss Kate McMillan, daughter of the late Wakefield Moran.

The death of Mr. Augustus West, of the firm of J. T. and A. W. West, occurred at his residence, Morris street, on Monday morning, after a somewhat lengthy illness.

Mr. W. H. Tomblin, of Kettering, England, and Miss Lillie E. Herlie, of Lunenburg, were married at East Boston, on the evening of Monday, the 4th instant, Rev. Frederick Wood officiating.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Archibald, of Cow Bay, C. B., have taken a house on Tower road, with the intention of residing in the city in future.

Sergeant-Captain and Mrs. Fowler, who left this city a short time ago, are now stationed at Cansham, N. B., where they have been visiting friends.

It is understood that a reception will be held in honor of Lord and Lady Aberdeen upon their arrival here.

Mrs. Tweedie, of this city, is the guest of her daughter in Moncton.

A pretty wedding took place at St. Alban's church, Tower road, on Wednesday evening, the principals being Mr. J. J. Stanhope and Miss Mary Allison, daughter of the late Edward Allison.

Mr. H. R. Silver, who has been in the West Indies for the past six months, returned home on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Johnson, of Boston, are visiting Mr. Gibson, Creighton street.

Mrs. Hamilton, wife of Captain Hamilton of H. M. S. Buick, and Mrs. Tower, wife of Lieut. Tower, arrived in the city on Monday.

Persons for sale at Amherst by Charles Hillcoat and at the music store of H. A. Hillcoat.

June 13—Considerable speculation has been going on for some time past regarding the movements of the band, whether they were to favor the public at heretofore with the ever welcome series of concerts on the square.

Prof. Sterne has decided to put the opera "Fina" on some time in July. The practices are well attended, and no pains will be spared to have it first class in every appointment.

The young ladies of the Baptist congregation purpose having a strawberry festival in the coming month in aid of their new church.

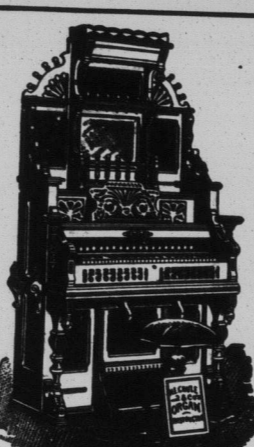
The Misses O'Leary, of Oxford, are in town visiting Miss Edna Moffat, Church street.

Mrs. Stoppard, of Truro, who has been visiting friends in Fredericton, is at present with her sister, Mrs. H. G. C. Ketchum.

Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Wiggins, of Sackville, visited friends in town on Tuesday.

Mrs. Moffat, Mr. Fride and Mr. H. Purdy arrived home on Thursday evening from Wolfville to spend the summer vacation.

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June 12—Miss Shand and Miss Ethel Shand are home from Acadia Seminary, Wolfville, for the summer vacation.

MOUNT PLEASANT, ST. JOHN, N. B. CARROLL RYAN, Manager. Miss Jean McDougall has been visiting relatives in Truro. She returned to town on Monday.

Quite a number of people from Windsor attended the closing exercises and concert of Acadia attended Wolfville on Thursday. Among those who went were Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Shand, and Miss Nora Shand.

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NORTH SIDNEY.

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June 12—On Saturday there was a cricket match between Sydney and North Sydney, in which the former were victorious.

For some reason or other the Sackville golf club did not fulfil their engagement for last Thursday evening, but we are anticipating the pleasure of hearing them soon.

The marriage of Miss Laura Nisbet, youngest daughter of Mr. Andrew Nisbet, of this town, to Mr. Hopper, was celebrated this evening in the Catholic church.

The Sydney concert band gave a concert in the hall this evening, which their audience enjoyed exceedingly.

Mr. and Mrs. Green are staying in Sydney. Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Baker were here last week and returned Saturday.

Miss Blanche Tremaine, who came in the "Harlow" from Baddeck, is staying with her aunt, Mrs. B. J. MacKenzie.

Mr. and Mrs. Synnott returned to Halifax yesterday. Mrs. and Miss Sutherland are visiting in Baddeck.

St. John's church of England, in connection with the sale on the 28 of the month, I hear there are some very pretty articles for sale—table cloths and napkins, dolls and other dainty and fashionable trifles.

Mrs. Donkin and Mr. Frank Donkin were down from Sydney for the concert this evening.

Mr. G. Bishop was here from Glace Bay, this evening.

Persons for sale at Parrsboro Book Store. June 13—Among the clergymen who attended the deacons' meeting lately held at Port Greenville, were Ven. Archdeacon Kasulach, Rev. V. E. Harris, Rev. W. Hayes and Rev. H. Almou.

Mr. White, of Shelburne, has been here for a while staying with his son, Rev. Chas. D. W. White.

Judge Peters, of St. John, spent Sunday at the Grand Central hotel.

Miss Blanche Wotton and Miss Gertrude Spicer have finished their studies at St. Allison, both having taken the degree of M. L. A. Mr. E. Everett Young was also graduated in the commercial department, and is now at home in his father's office.

A newly married couple, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kilham, of Yarmouth, have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Corbett since Saturday.

Mr. C. C. Muir left yesterday for Boston. Rev. Mr. Fowler, of Miramichi, is conducting the Presbyterian services here at present.

Mr. Stuart M. son returned from St. John on Friday, accompanied by Mrs. Stuart Mason, nee Stephens. The bride is receiving her visitors this week, and wears a cream dress with pale pink trimmings.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Graves and daughter, who have been visiting Mrs. Graves' parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Reed, left last week for their home in Framingham, Mass.

Miss Eva Mowbray of Kentville, paid a short visit lately to her uncle, Mr. E. Woodworth's.

Mr. Cecil Townsend has gone to Sackville, to take possession of the Halifax Banking Co. Mr. T. J. Seaman has returned from the States.

Miss Hattie Spencer has been home from Halifax for a visit.

Mr. J. M. Townsend, Q. C., of Amherst, was in town yesterday.

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DIGBY.

[Procession for sale in Digby by Mrs. Morse.] June 12.—Mr. Frank M. Bacon is spending a few days in St. John.

FREDERICTON.

[Procession for sale in Fredericton by W. T. H. Pomeroy and J. H. Havelock.] June 12.—St. John's Episcopal church, Oranmore, was, on Wednesday last, packed to its utmost capacity to witness the marriage of Miss Agnes,

NEW BRUNSWICK.

the guest of her father, Dr. Inch, for several weeks past, has returned home. Miss Wilfrida Johnston left on Friday last for New Brunswick.

WHARF.

Thursday, and no danger was apprehended. The funeral took place this afternoon, the services being conducted by the Rev. A. P. Cherry.

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PICOU.

[Procession for sale in Picou by James McLean.] June 12.—Miss McGill, of New Glasgow, was in town on Monday.

ANNAPOLIS.

[Procession for sale in Annapolis by Geo. K. Thompson & Co., and A. E. Alee, at the Royal Drug Store.] June 13.—Miss Lillie Harris has gone to Wolfville for a short visit.

CAMPBELLTON.

[Procession for sale in Campbellton at the store of A. E. Alexander, wholesale and retail dealer in dry goods, groceries, boots and shoes, furniture, school books, stationery, furniture, carriages and machinery.] June 12.—Sherrill and Mrs. Stewart, of Dalhousie, spent Monday in town.

CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I.

[Procession for sale in Charlottetown at S. Grey's, Bazaar Co., and at Carter's Bookstore.] June 12.—Mrs. Louis H. Davies returned home from Ottawa on Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Longworth left town on Tuesday morning. Mrs. Alex. Anderson arrived on Wednesday evening; she is the guest of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Beer.

The entertainment held at St. James' school room was so largely attended as these entertainments usually are, owing of course to the stormy night, but those who did show up were most pleased with their evening. The programme was a long one, although it was decidedly good.

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Thomas has begun at the park. This makes one feel that summer is really here. The commencement exercises of Prince of Wales college were held in the opera house on Friday evening. Quite a large audience greeted the students, who made a very creditable showing.

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