

LOCAL AND GENERAL

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Saturday was the 25th anniversary of the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. George Balmain. A number of friends waited upon them in the evening and presented a suitable address and a beautiful floor lamp.

In Hospital for Operation
Mrs. C. H. Coll of Minto, arrived here yesterday by motor and registered at the Queen hotel. She entered Victoria Hospital here today for an operation.—Fredericton Mail.

Not in Woodstock
Robert McAnish, sub-inspector under the prohibition act, arrived in the city on the Boston train at noon today from Fredericton. He has been operating in the northern section of the province.—Times.

Two Able Sermons
Rev. Samuel Howard, pastor of Zion Methodist Church, St. John, occupied the pulpit of the Sussex Methodist Church at both services on Sunday. He is a very pleasing speaker, and the two able addresses delivered by him were much appreciated by large congregations.—Sussex Record.

Probably the Last
Stories of ripe raspberries do not appeal much to persons who are finding patches of strawberries near town picked a bowlful of strawberries on Tuesday of last week, which she used in a delicious short cake. As strawberries are an earlier fruit than raspberries, the stories about the ripe raspberries will have to take second place.

Licenses Expire
The licenses of wholesale and retail vendors of liquor throughout the province expired last night at midnight, and so far as could be learned, no arrangements have been made for the vendors to continue business. Local vendors expect that the chief inspector, W. D. Wilson, will enter into some agreement with them to permit them to do business until such time as they have received new licenses.

Eleven Dollars a Barrel
Hon. J. P. Tweeddale, Minister of Agriculture, has received information concerning the potato market in Cuba, which is calculated to give encouragement to producers in this province who have suffered from a depressed market. Hon. Mr. Tweeddale has been informed that the Nova Scotia Fruit Growers' Association, which ships potatoes in large quantities, has secured eleven dollars per barrel for them at Havana.

London Papers in Error
Canada, a London periodical published to give accurate Canadian news in England, sometimes falls down on the job. In its last issue Canada says Hon. P. J. Veniot was defeated in the recent general elections. This will be news to Bennett, Hachey and other opposition stalwarts, who had the misfortune to part with their deposits in Gloucester. The London Times also made the same blunder.

Not Guilty
Albert Robinson, charged with the murder of the infant of Mrs. Louisa Matthews was adjudged not guilty by the jury at St. Andrews Friday evening. During the afternoon Robinson went on the stand and was given a long cross examination. The coroner for the defendant addressed the jury and was followed by Hon. J. P. Byrne, K. C., attorney general of New Brunswick. The jury returned a verdict as given above.

Mrs. Matthews was acquitted several days ago on the charge of murdering her child.

Leaves Woodstock
Miss Dolcie M. Hughes left on Wednesday to make her home with her mother, Mrs. John E. Hughes, and her sister, Mrs. J. A. Brickett, who in recent years have moved to Flushing, N. Y. Miss Hughes has been a successful music teacher, and for twelve years or more has been organist and leader of the choir of St. Gertrude's Catholic church. Of late she has been a shareholder and stenographer in the Woodstock Steam Laundry. Before her departure she was presented by the choir with a finger ring.

Masquerade Ball
The High School held a masquerade ball in the Assembly room of the Fisher School Friday evening. Although the lights refused duty and candles had to be substituted it did not interfere with a jolly good time enjoyed by all. Splendid music was furnished by an orchestra consisting of Miss Thelma Blake, H. M. Bridges and Arthur Stone. The chaperones were: Mrs. P. H. J. Dibblee, who was dressed in a beautiful black velvet gown with thread lace; Mrs. T. C. L. Ketchum in black satin, and Miss Neales in black tulle.

HALLOWEEN MASQUERADE PARTY.

About 53 young people arrayed in conic masks and costumes of every kind and description met at the home of Mrs Jack Daye, Queen Street, on Monday evening last for a Halloween celebration. Needless to say the time was rapidly taken up with interesting games, guessing contests, and music. Fruit and dainty refreshments were served, the gathering breaking up at midnight, all voting Mrs Daye a delightful hostess.

Former Debec Pastor
Gourier, St. Stephen's, attended the services in St. Stephen's Roman Catholic church at Milltown on Sunday, to give a cordial welcome to their new pastor. Who comes to them with a record of good works and is already winning his way in the affections of his new parishioners.

Father Murphy, at all services on Sunday, made a deep impression on all who heard him. Nature has been very generous to him. He is tall and of a commanding appearance. His voice is as clear as a bell and he exercises control over it whether in chanting or preaching. Perhaps from the layman's way of measuring, Father Murphy's strength is in his gentleness, urbanity and deep sympathy for poor human nature. He won the admiration and the hearts of his people Sunday.

Meductic Hotel Changes Hands.
(Fredericton Mail.)
D. O. Orchard, local agent for the

PERSONAL

Hon. W. P. Jones was in Fredericton this week.

Mrs. J. Colas Vanwart is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. Lochart, at Moncton.

Mrs. W. B. Nicholson of St. John's, N.B., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Donald Nicholson.

Mr. and Mrs. Perley Marston of Woodstock, N. B., are in town for the day.—Houlton News (Friday).

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Wetmore, who have been spending several weeks here, returned to their home in Sydney, N. S., on Monday.

Rev. P. J. Quigg of Peel, will preach in the Advent Church, Woodstock, Nov. 7th, at 7 p.m.

Mrs. Frederick MacGrath of Lindsay, spent last week with her mother, Mrs. Michael Burke, at Newburg.

C. Farmer, the obliging agent at the C. P. R., has returned from his vacation and resumed his duties.

Miss Elva M. Stairs has been appointed superintendent of nurses at Victoria Public Hospital, Fredericton.

Miss Bessie Landon of Canterbury, was the guest for a few days last week of Mrs. H. W. Lowney.

Miss Kate Storm left on Saturday for Presque Isle, where she has accepted a very responsible position with a large mercantile concern.

Mr. O'Brady Jones was presented with a signet ring on Friday evening by the Knights of Pythias. Mr. and Mrs. Jones expect to leave for England in a few weeks.

A. B. Connell, K. C., chairman of the Public Utilities Board, who has been confined to his home for six weeks, is very much improved and able to attend to his professional duties.

Rev. W. J. Wiggins and Mrs. Wiggins returned Saturday evening from Fredericton, where they had been called owing to the serious illness of Mrs. Wiggins' sister, who had undergone a critical operation.

Mr. Wilfrid Broadfoot, who has been spending two weeks with friends here, returned to his home in Middleton, N. S., on Saturday.

Alphonso Niles, who was badly burned at the Hayden-Gibson fire last February, has returned from Boston, where he was receiving medical treatment. His condition is decidedly improved to the delight of his many friends.

On Friday evening last, Mrs. Ada Poole entertained the members of the Methodist choir at a Halloween party. Mrs. Alex Vanwart was summoned to Plaster Rock Saturday, owing to the serious illness of her sister, who resides there.

Mrs. T. S. Duncan of Woodstock, N. B., is the guest of her nephew, Col. Frank M. and Mrs. Hume, at their home on Military Street. From Houlton Mrs. Duncan will go to Boston, where she will visit her daughter, Mrs. Henry A. McKay.—Arroostook Daily News.

A large number of the friends of Mr. and Mrs. George Balmain met at their home on Saturday evening last, to celebrate the twenty-fifth anniversary of their wedding. The ladies went in costume appropriate to Halloween and a most enjoyable evening was spent. Mr. and Mrs. Balmain were given a very handsome mahogany piano lamp with rose silk shade.

Mrs. H. W. Lowney was hostess at an auction bridge party of four tables on Thursday evening last. The prizes were won by Miss Kathleen Lynott and Mrs. Gordon Bailey. The guests were Mrs. J. R. X. Cooke, Mrs. A. M. Fisher, Mrs. R. P. Hartley, Mrs. G. J. Jones, Mrs. Harold Deming, Mrs. George Lutz, Mrs. Frank Mitchell, Mrs. Guy McLaughlan, Mrs. W. J. Dibblee, Mrs. Gordon Bailey, Miss Bessie Landon, Miss Helen Hand, Miss Isabel Watts, Miss Kathleen Lynott, Miss Marion Lindsay and Mrs. A. E. Raymond.

Mrs. T. W. Baker and Miss Julia Neales entertained very enjoyably at a bridge of five tables on Thursday evening. The prizes were won by Mrs. Godfrey Newnam and Mrs. T. C. L. Ketchum. The guests were: Mrs. G. L. S. Raymond, Mrs. Charles Peabody, Mrs. N. W. Winslow, Mrs. J. S. Creighton, Mrs. A. B. Connell, Mrs. Godfrey Newnam, Mrs. Durling, Mrs. D. A. Haviland, Mrs. Ketchum, Mrs. J. A. F. Garden, Mrs. A. G. Bailey, Mrs. J. R. Brown, Mrs. T. M. Jones, Mrs. W. D. Rankin, Mrs. W. S. Sutton, Mrs. A. C. Shaw, Miss Purvis, Miss Shaw, Miss Inch, Mrs. I. B. Merriman, Mrs. H. L. Seeley, Mrs. D. Stewart.

Mrs. Baker and Miss Neales were again hostesses, on Saturday at the tea hour. They were assisted in serving by Miss Rheta Inch and Miss Alice Jones. The guests included Mrs. G. Balmain, Mrs. R. E. Holyoke, Mrs. G. F. Clark, Mrs. G. Keefe, Mrs. E. W. Mair, Mrs. J. Watt, Mrs. Woolverton, Mrs. F. Carson, Mrs. J. T. Montgomery, Mrs. A. C. Shaw, Mrs. Gilliland, Mrs. Mavor, Mrs. Howard Stevens, Mrs. A. Benn, Mrs. Dibblee, Mrs. W. Gibson, Mrs. F. H. J. Dibblee, Mrs. George Gibson, Mrs. Sunder, Mrs. A. E. Stewart, Mrs. F. Foster, Mrs. Rigby, Mrs. P. McLean, Mrs. C. Bull, Miss Rankin, Miss M. Clark, Miss Appony, Mrs. A. R. Currie and Mrs. E. Raymond.

Singer Sewing Machine Company for the past three years, has purchased the Meductic Hotel at Meductic, York Co., from Mrs. Annie Langston. The price is about \$3,500. Mr. Orchard expects to leave for Meductic in about a month to take over the management of the hotel.

C. B. Williams, of St. John, who has been employed by the Singer Company there for some time will succeed Mr. Orchard in Fredericton. Mr. Williams has had extensive experience in the sewing machine business.

Last night a number of friends, waited upon Mr. and Mrs. Orchard at their home, Argyle St., and presented them with a casserole as a token of friendship.

Mrs. Grover Campbell gave an auction party of five tables on Monday evening. The prizes were won by Mrs. George Lutz and Mrs. George Filliter. The guests were Mrs. C. J. Jones, Mrs. George Lutz, Mrs. A. M. Fisher, Mrs. George Filliter, Mrs. H. W. Lowney, Mrs. Harold Deming, Mrs. R. P. Hartley, Mrs. W. J. Dibblee, Mrs. George Dibblee, Mrs. B. Craig, Mrs. A. D. Nicholson, Mrs. George Gibson, Mrs. F. C. Squires, Mrs. George Gabel, Miss Edith Dalling, Miss Kathleen Lynott, Miss Gretchen Smith, Miss V. Urel Smith, Miss Madeline Griffin, Miss Helen Hand and Mrs. Godfrey Newnam. Mrs. Campbell was assisted in serving by Mrs. Raymond Gabel.

MARRIED.

YOUNG-MCINTOSH—At the United Baptist Parsonage, Woodstock, Nov. 3rd, by Rev. L. E. Ackland, John B. Young and Isabel R. McIntosh, both of Fort Fairfield, Maine.

The Women's Institute of Woodstock held its monthly meeting Thursday evening, Oct. 28th. This was something out of the ordinary, as the regular meeting has always been held the last Wednesday afternoon in every month.

The President being absent the Vice-President, Mrs. Frank Foster, presided.

After the regular business was concluded, Mrs. J. H. Cluff, who represented the institute at the yearly meeting held in Moncton, read her report. This report was wonderfully well written and showed the writer had listened intelligently to the different subjects presented. This was followed by a solo by Mrs. Clark, and a reading by Mrs. Plummer, dressed in Witch's costume.

A lunch was served, consisting of pumpkin pie, cheese, doughnuts and coffee.

The following unique invitation was sent to the members of the Institute:

Dear Member:

We send you a greeting most hearty.

And invite you to come to our Halloween Party.

A nice entertainment we offer to you with refreshments free gratis and lots of fun too.

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A SECOND JOHN MCCORMACK.

Woodstock to Hear Irish Songs Nov. 30th, as the Great Irish Tenor Sings Them.

Not for a long while has Woodstock had the privilege of listening to a great singer, but on the evening of Nov. 30th Redferne Hollinshead, the great English Tenor, who in his singing of Irish songs, greatly resembles it, is said John McCormack, will be heard in the recital of Irish, Scotch and other numbers. Those who have enthused over McCormack's "I hear you calling me," are said to be even better pleased with the way Redferne Hollinshead sings it. Mr. Hollinshead's Woodstock appearance will be only one of several that have been arranged in the Maritime Provinces by F. G. Spencer of St. John, and it has also been announced by the management of the Vogue that the Hollinshead concert is only one of a series of entertainments which will be held during the season.



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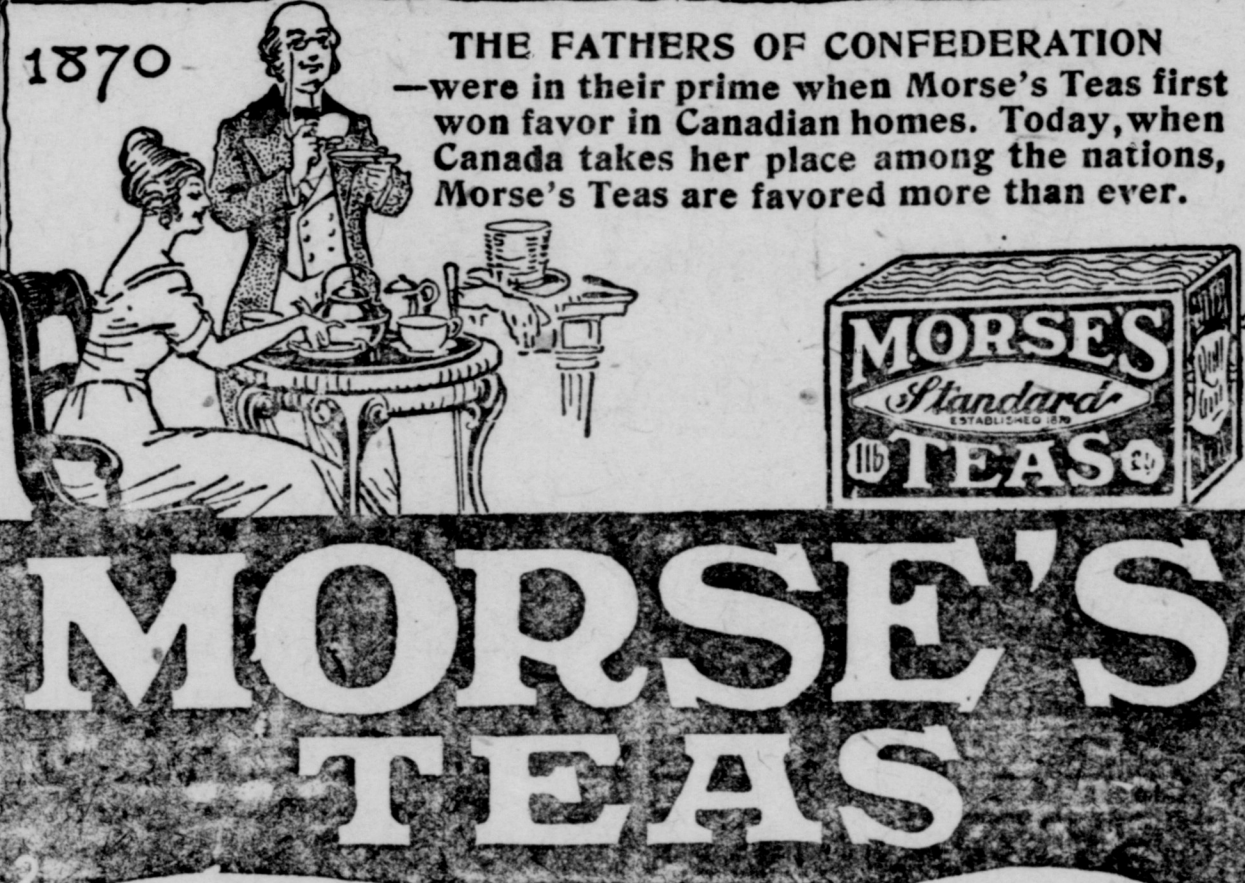
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