

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, Calais, Etc.

I regret to hear that Miss Agnes Warner, daughter of Gen. Warner, has been seriously ill for the last week.

Mrs. Douglas Smith, of Cape Breton, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Brittain, Queen street.

Miss Elsie Chandler, of Dorchester, is in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen McAvity returned home last week from their bridal trip and received their friends this week at their residence, Wentworth street.

I hear that Mrs. Samuel Thomson and family intend leaving St. John to spend the winter in Montreal. Mrs. Thomson's sister, Miss Macdonell, will accompany them.

I understand the "Alcot club," a club of very young ladies which, since its formation, has done some very good work, intends having some tableaux very shortly for a worthy object. As Mr. Fred Fairweather is to give his assistance, as well as his own rooms, in which they are to be held, there is no doubt but what they will be got up in a finished manner.

Miss Elsie Chandler has returned home from Dorchester.

All the church workers belonging to the Church of England have been very busy this week preparing and decorating their churches for the Harvest festival tomorrow, when special services are to be held in all the churches.

Mrs. Wickwire and family, and Mrs. Thomas and family, who have been visiting their mother, Mrs. Lawton, Germain street, returned home early this week.

I am glad to see that Mr. Charles Lee has sufficiently recovered from his late illness to be able to be out again.

Mrs. Cook, with her daughter, Mrs. Fry, who have been in lodgings for the last year, have gone into housekeeping again, and are residing on Charlotte street, near Harding.

Mrs. Henry Berryman, sister-in-law of Dr. Berryman, returned to her home in San Francisco on Tuesday last. Miss Berryman accompanied her to Boston.

Mrs. Godard, who has, with her two children, been visiting her mother, Mrs. Disbrow, Mecklenburg street, returned to New York early this morning.

Lieut.-Col. Munnell and Miss Munnell (Fredericton) were registered at the Royal this week.

Rev. George Armstrong, who has been a great invalid for some time, was seized with a paralytic stroke on Monday last, and is now lying very ill. His two sons, Mr. J. Simoon and Mr. W. Armstrong, are in the city.

Mrs. McCullough, of Bathurst, is in the city.

Mr. C. J. R. Kerr went on a shooting expedition on Wednesday last.

Mr. W. Forrester, of the Bank of British North America, Halifax, was in the city for a few days this week, having been granted leave of absence from the bank on account of ill health.

Mr. George Y. Crookshank, of Ottawa, is in the city.

Judge and Mrs. Watters entertained a few of their daughter's young friends one evening last week, at their residence, Princess street.

The Misses Drury entertained a few of their friends on Friday evening last. Though quite an informal affair it was much enjoyed by the young people present.

Miss Florence J. Grover, who is so well known by music loving people of St. John, was married at Rotteasy church, on Wednesday morning, to Mr. H. F. Hall, son of Mr. S. S. Hall, of that place. Miss May Hall acted as bridesmaid, while Mr. Wm. L. Avery was best man. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Symonds in the presence of a number of the friends of the bride and groom, after which the happy couple took the C. P. R. train on their honeymoon. They will visit Chicago and other places.

I hear that one of the latest things in fashion is an umbrella fitted with a peep-hole of glass by which, while protecting the face from driving rain, you can see your way.

The English papers tell us of a wonderful piece of brocade, which has just been made for the Duchess of Fife, at Bethnal Green. A few of the old silk looms still remain there, and on one of them this silk (which is said to be the finest ever made in England) was woven. The piece of 30 yards has cost, it is said, £120.

Mr. Newberry, who was formerly a resident of this city, spent last week in St. John, and delighted many of his old friends with his beautiful violin playing. Quite a number of ladies and gentlemen met at Mr. Flood's rooms, on King street, one day last week, and listened with pleasure to his exquisite performance.

Mrs. W. Macaulay returned home on Thursday from her trip to Andover.

Miss Sarah and Miss Ida Nicholson have returned home, after an absence of some months, having spent part of the summer in Halifax, and the last few weeks in Boston.

I understand that Miss Macaulay, the efficient organist of St. John's church, has resigned her position. Her successor has not yet been decided on.

Miss Katie Burpee gave a most enjoyable dance, on Tuesday evening last, for her young friends, at her father's residence, Orange street. Between 40 and 50 were present and everything was done to make the evening pass off pleasantly. The rooms were emptied of furniture and a linen stretched for dancing, which was kept up by the young people with much spirit to the music of violin and piano.

Among some of the guests present were the Misses Burpee, Miss Newberry (P. E. L.), Miss Adams, Miss Lucy Macaulay, Miss Hatheway, the Misses Snider, Mr. F. H. J. Ruel, Mr. A. Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Barnes, Miss Dever, Mr. Gerard Ruel, Mr. Kirkwood, Miss McMillan, Mr. R. C. Grant, Mr. G. L. McLeod, Mr. Thorne, the Misses Truck, Miss King, Mr. C. Harrison, Miss Ada Bayard, Miss Neale Robinson, Mr. Bauld (Halifax), Miss B. Hatheway, Mr. Drury and others.

I am sorry to hear that Miss Gilmore is confined to the house through illness.

Dr. and Mrs. George Stewart, Jr., of Quebec, are visiting their relatives in St. John.

Miss S. M. Killam, who has been visiting at Mrs. Robert Blair's, Orange street, has returned to her home in Yarmouth.

Judge Peters (P. E. L.) accompanied by his daughter, Miss Peters, spent a few days in St. John this week on their way home from Gagetown, where they have been visiting Mr. T. Sherman Peters.

TEBISCHORE.  
FROM OTHER CORRESPONDENTS.  
Mr. C. Babbitt is visiting in New York.

Mrs. Thomas P. Raymond has returned from New York.

Mr. and Mrs. James McAvity are visiting Boston.

FREDERICTON.  
[ADDRESS is for sale in Fredericton at the bookstore of W. T. H. Fenerty and by James H. Haworth.]

Oct. 9.—Society still remains in a perfectly tranquil state, with no gaiety or excitement of any kind whatever to water it.

Mr. W. K. Allen returned home last evening from a short visit to New York.

Miss Coburn, from Sackville has been spending a week with Mr. Wark, at Salamanca.

Capt. Campbell, of England, is here, the guest of Mrs. Montgomery Campbell, on Queen street. Mr. Henry Campbell, from Sussex, also spent Saturday here with his mother.

Miss Mary K. Tibbits, of Fredericton, is taking a

post graduate course at Bryn Mawr college, Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Forrester are here from Halifax, visiting Mrs. Forrester's parents, on Queen street.

Mrs. Beverly and her daughter, Miss Janet, are visiting their friends in St. John.

Mrs. Spurden, senr., is visiting friends in St. John. Miss Lugin and her sister, Miss Mary, returned to Boston on Saturday. They have been spending the summer with their friends in this city and in St. John.

Rev. J. W. Wadman, well known in this city, has been appointed to the staff of the Anglo-Japanese college at Aiyama, Japan.

Miss Kerr, from Campbelltown, will spend the winter here, with her cousin, Mrs. Crockett, on St. John street.

The friends of Mrs. Hilton Green were pleased to see her out again on Sunday, after her long illness. At a meeting of the Barristers society, Friday night, Mr. Geo. W. Allen was appointed secretary, in place of the late Mr. W. W. Street.

Mrs. Geo. Y. Dibblee has returned home, after a month's rousting in the country.

Mrs. Burton, of St. John, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Fox, of Tennessee, spent Sunday in this city, the guests of Mrs. Segee, on George street.

Mrs. Wilson, from St. John, is here, the guest of Miss Segee.

Mr. A. M. Smith, of St. John, is spending his vacation here and at the Grand Falls.

Miss Ida Phillips left this morning for Boston, where she will spend a few weeks.

Miss Kendall, of Boston, is here visiting friends. She is the guest of Mrs. Charles Biggs, St. John street.

Miss O'Malley has returned home from her visit in St. Stephen.

Mrs. Tibbits and her daughter, Miss Blanche, have returned home.

Mrs. Fred Edgecombe has returned home from Milltown, where she has been visiting her parents.

The U. N. B. Debating society was reorganized on Saturday evening. The officers elected for the ensuing term are as follows: President, Mr. D. L. Mitchell; vice president, Mr. Yerston; secretary, Mr. H. A. Porter.

All but one of the young men applying for admission as students-at-law in the recent examination passed successfully. Of the local applicants A. G. Blair, jr., has begun study in his father's office, and Hugh Neale occupies a desk with Mr. John Black.

From the Melbourne, Australia, Argus, I learn that Mr. G. B. Parkin, of Fredericton, the Canadian lecturer on national unity, prior to his departure from that city, was presented with a souvenir of his visit to the colony by the council of the Victorian branch of the Imperial Federation league. The souvenir consisted of a massive gold watch chain and a locket, and pen and pencil case, the latter bearing a suitable inscription—attached along with a purse of sovereigns.

General Sir Fred Middleton arrived here Thursday afternoon, and on Friday made his annual inspection of the Royal School of Infantry.

Friday evening the general was dined at the officers' mess and Saturday he took his departure. He was accompanied here by his A. D. C., Capt. Wise, and during his stay was the guest of Col. Munnell, at the barracks.

STELLA.

MONCTON.  
[Progress is for sale in Moncton at the bookstores of W. W. Black and W. H. Murray, Main street.]

Oct. 9.—We had a fair young bride in town for a few days in the beginning of the week, and though brides have been anything but a novelty in Moncton this summer, this charming little lady's welcome was especially cordial, as well for her husband's sake as her own. The happy man who has now that title is Mr. James Taylor, C. E., of the Short Line railway, and formerly of the general offices here, and his many friends congratulate him on his good fortune. Mr. and Mrs. Taylor were the guests of the bridegroom's father, Mr. George Taylor, of the I. C. R., during their stay. The couple appeared in St. George's church on Sunday, and Mrs. Taylor received a number of visitors on Monday. They left on Tuesday afternoon for their future home in Fredericton.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Hewson have not yet returned from their bridal tour, but are expected early next week.

Mrs. W. F. Mitchell, of Charlottetown, P. E. I., who has been so ill at the Brunswick for the past six weeks, is so far restored to health as to be able to drive out, and intends returning to her home this week.

Mr. J. H. Beedome, manager of the Moncton branch of the Bank of Montreal, left town last week for a month's holiday. Mr. Beedome intends visiting his home in London, Ont., and spending some time among friends in the upper Canadian cities.

Miss Dustan, of Halifax, is in town, visiting her friend Miss Harris.

Mr. E. C. Jarvis, inspector of the Merchants' Bank of Halifax, paid a short visit to Moncton on Saturday.

The dog-poisoning reptile has been abroad in Moncton lately, and among his most recent victims is numbered a valuable cocker spaniel, belonging to Mr. E. W. Jarvis, of the bank of Montreal. "Paddy" was as well known in town as his master, and although his career on this earth was very short—I do not think he was six months old—he numbered his friends by the score, and if the wretch who poisoned him possessed half the intelligence or half the nobility that his silky black coat covered, "Paddy" would be alive today. Why should so many biped curs be permitted to live and compass the death of so many noble quadrupeds? "Paddy's" death is generally believed to be the result of a plot against the peace of a lady, who is rather well known in town as a cat fancier, on so extensive a scale that she might almost be termed the owner of a cat ranch. The innocent must ever suffer with the guilty, and not only did three or four of the furry fellows succumb to the assassin's wiles, but poor "Paddy" was a sinless sacrifice, too. Should the author of the fivefold murder ever be discovered, I fancy he will have ample reason to wish himself in "the lush darkness of the elsewhere."

Mrs. Francis, of Sussex, is in town, spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Borden.

Prof. Barwash paid a short visit to Moncton on Friday.

Rev. J. M. Robinson, pastor of St. John's Presbyterian church, left last week to attend the meeting of the Presbyterian synod, at Pictou, his pulpit being filled during his absence by Rev. John Prince. Mr. Robinson intends remaining in Pictou until the end of the week.

Rev. Mr. Atkinson, of Pictou, is in town, the guest of Dr. Baxter.

Mr. W. B. Chandler, of Dorchester, was in town last Wednesday.

Miss Thompson, of Sussex, is visiting her friend Miss Holstead, at her home on Botsford street.

Dr. L. G. DeBertram, of New York, spent two or three days in town last week.

On Monday evening there was a sound of revelry by night on the Mountain Road, which emanated from the residence of Mr. Crossdale, C. E. The sounds were caused by the fact that Mr. and Mrs. Crossdale having been married for twenty years, a number of their friends decided to surprise them with a china wedding on the anniversary. Mrs. Judge Botsford, mother of the bride, and a few near relatives were let into the secret, so the surprise should not be too great, and shortly before 8 o'clock the guests began to arrive, each bearing a parcel which he or she carried with tender care. By nine o'clock between 40 and 50 had assembled, the rooms were cleared for dancing, card tables were arranged and the impromptu party was at its height.

Judge and Mrs. Botsford were understood to be the host and hostess, and the only drawback to the success of the evening was a wedding party was the absence of the bridegroom—Hamlet without the

here—Mrs. Crossdale who was absent on professional business in Nova Scotia, being unable to reach home in time to assist his bride of twenty years in celebrating the occasion. The presents were so well chosen and so numerous that but for the fact of their being all china, one might easily have imagined it was a real wedding instead of an anniversary. Dancing was kept up without interruption—except for supper—until 12.30, when the company turned their attention to music, and after singing a number of choruses and giving with great spirit the party separated shortly before one o'clock, and thus brought a very delightful evening to a close.

One very noticeable thing at this party was the unusual number of fair, youthful looking matrons, surrounded by daughters looking scarcely younger than themselves.

Mrs. William Elliott, formerly Mrs. Holstead, was there, with two daughters, who might easily have been mistaken for her younger sisters.

Mrs. George C. Peters chaperoned three blooming maidens and a grown up son—that is, if a grown up son can be chaperoned—and looked as young as any of the four.

Mrs. Crossdale claimed as her own two more of the grown up young ladies, as well as the undisputed belle of the ball, Miss Media Crossdale, aged three years.

Last, though not least, it was impossible to realize, that Mrs. Botsford could possibly be the grandmother of all the grown up young folks. Surely our Canadian climate must be responsible for the wonderful youthfulness which our ladies preserve until late into middle age.

Mr. W. Cowling was reported very ill indeed, last week, having suffered a relapse, but I am glad to say that he is so much better again as to be able to sit up for a short time each day. Cecil Gwynne.

ST. STEPHEN.  
[Progress is for sale in St. Stephen at the bookstores of C. H. Smith & Co. and G. S. Wall.]

Oct. 9.—Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Grant arrived home from their wedding tour on Thursday last. Mrs. Grant is receiving her friends at her mother's residence during this week.

Hon. James Mitchell has been confined to the house with a severe cold.

Messrs. L. C. Bailey, W. H. Cole and Mrs. Cole, with several other ladies and gentlemen of Calais, have gone to Washington, and will also visit other cities of note in the southern states.

Mrs. Horace Murchie, who has been visiting her father, Mr. F. H. Eaton, of Milltown, has returned to her home in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. James G. Stevens are preparing to

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Dr. and Mrs. R. K. Ross are preparing to occupy their cottage on Union street.

Mr. Fredrie Thorming, of Montreal, is visiting here, the guest of Mrs. E. Broad.

Our popular dentist, Dr. John Nason, has gone west to spend a few weeks vacation.

Miss Addie Bailey, of St. John, is visiting her friend, Mrs. Clarke.

Dr. C. E. Swan, of Calais, who has been taking a trip west, has returned home.

Miss Maud Maxwell, daughter of Mr. David Maxwell, C. E., has written a pretty fairy tale, called "Jeanette's Visit to Fairyland. It has been printed in the St. Croix Courier, and has created quite an interest among her friends. It is remarkably well written, and shows a brightness and ability far beyond her years, the young authoress being of the age of ten only.

The deanery of St. Andrews met in Trinity church, on Wednesday and Thursday last. The visiting

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