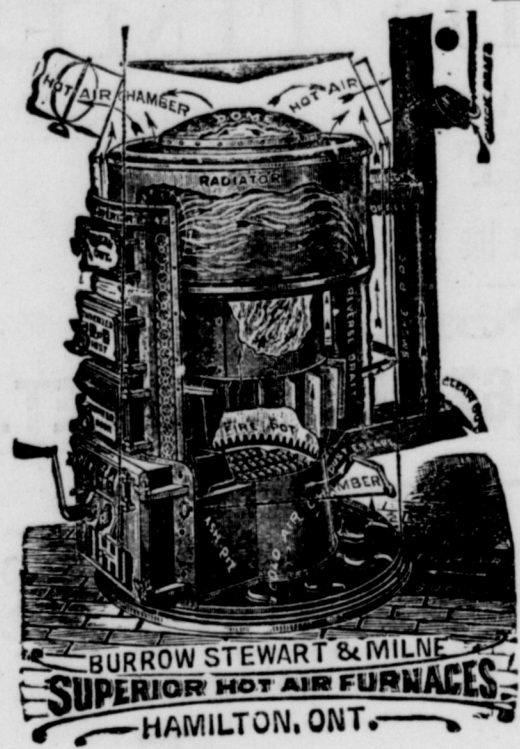




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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

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 Mr. Keltie Jones is still suffering from the accident he met with while playing football at Fredericton. Mr. John P. Vroom left on Thursday for Regina. He will probably be absent some time. Mr. T. Wm. Bell intends taking the C. P. R. trip around the world, leaving here next January. Mr. Harvey, the new manager of the Bank of British North America, has been joined by his wife and family, and is residing at the bank building. Mrs. Collier and family have removed to Queen street, near Charlotte. Mrs. Akery, sister of the late Mr. Collier, of Scotland, is in St. John, the guest of Mrs. Collier. Mr. Alfred Morrissey left for Boston and New York on a business trip on Monday. Dr. Albert Lockhart arrived from Edinburgh, by steamer Vancouver, this week. Mrs. Alex. Jardine, sr., who has been visiting her daughter in Scotland for some months, has returned to St. John. Her son, Mr. Herbert Jardine and family, will reside with her, at Craigie Leigh, for the winter. Mrs. Collins has returned home from a few weeks visit to Moncton. Mrs. Fred King, of Halifax, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Warren Fairweather, Hazen street. Capt. H. Montgomery Campbell, who is on a few months furlough, from his regiment, England, spent a few days in St. John last week, the guest of Compt. and Madame de Bury. Mrs. W. H. Adams, Miss Adams, Mrs. B. C. B. Boyd, and Miss Florence Boyd, are expected home from New York today. I heard of a novel entertainment, which took place this week, and which took the form of a Baby Show; the particulars of which I will try and get for next week. Mrs. H. C. Leigh left St. John last week for New York, from whence she sailed for England, last Saturday, on the Eurymia. Mrs. Leigh will spend the winter in London, and her address while there will be "Craven Hill," Hyde Park, London, W. On Thursday next, the sale annually given by the ladies of the Missionary Working Party at Trinity church takes place, and promises to be even on a more extensive scale than usual. Besides the high tea, there will be a table of fancy work, an apron table, a table of refreshments, where everything in the way of sweets, cakes, preserves, etc., ready for the table, will be sold. There will also be a doll's table and, what will be quite new at a St. John sale, an "industrial booth," where the ladies who reside at it will be found at work at their own special accomplishments, from the fine arts to candy making. TERSICHOFF. By 5.30 on Wednesday evening the steps of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church presented very much the appearance of a beehive at swarming-time; not only were the steps crowded but all the surrounding territory was thronged with a crowd of Mr. F. W. Murray, to Miss Rennie. It was a very bleak evening, and the stone steps were far from warm, but all the world loves a lover, and so expectation seemed to serve as a sort of foot muff for the disinterested folks who had come to see two people made happy, and able to keep them good natured, and patient, though not very quiet. They stamped their feet, and surged and wriggled, and nudged each other, and last when one of the central doors was opened, they shrieked and squealed and pushed and jiggled in a manner wonderful to behold. Considering it had been given out that admission would be only by ticket, one naturally expected to see the stalwart policeman, who took those little pieces of paste-board at the door, send many disappointed applicants back to the spot from whence they came, because they had no equivalent for a wedding garment, but no! everyone in that crowd had a ticket, and he without one, would have placed one on a haughty eminence of social distinction. As soon as the door was opened the guests began to arrive, and a brilliant galaxy of stars, could wear Medic collars which reached above their ears, and had a chevron de frise of pearls along the top; décollete dresses, and pretty little hats, at the same time, instead of being like most of us, compelled to content ourselves with either a hat or a low-necked dress, but not both at the same time. Punctual at 6.30 the bridegroom emerged from the seclusion of the vestry, supported by his groomsmen, and took up an easy position before the communion rail, and almost immediately afterwards, the bride appeared leaning on the arm of her father, and heralded by the ushers, and followed by three bridesmaids and a little maid of honor. The Rev. Mr. Macneil at once began the service, which consisted of the first part of the beautiful marriage ritual of the Church of England, followed by an extempore exchange of vows and troth plight, with prayers and benediction; and concluding with the matchless Church of England wedding hymn, "The Voice that Breathed o'er Eden." The moment the ceremony was concluded, the triumphant strains of the "Wedding March" pealed forth, the clergyman congratulated the newly wedded couple, and the party proceeded to the vestry, while the spectators hung around for another look at the bridal party. They had entered by the left aisle, and passed out by the right. The bride wore a very beautiful dress of ivory tulle, trimmed with feather trimmings, long tulle veil and white ostrich feathers in her hair, and carried a beautiful sheaf of cream, roses and lilies. The bridesmaids wore costumes of cream colored cashmere and satin, short tulle veils and all wore white ostrich feathers in their hair, and carried bouquets of pink roses. The three ushers supported the groom and groomsmen during the ceremony, and formed part of an imposing procession as they led the bridesmaids out at the conclusion of the ceremony. St. John—West End. Mrs. Murray, of Chatham, who has been visiting Mrs. Peters on Union St., has returned home. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Allan have returned from their trip to New York. Mr. and Mrs. George Coster left a few days since for New York, where they purpose passing the winter months. Mrs. Mary Thompson has resigned her position as organist of the West End Methodist church. Mrs. J. Beattay kindly filled the vacancy on Sunday last. Miss Minnie Beattay has returned from her visit to Gibson, N. B. Miss Helen Morrison has also returned home. Miss Helen Parks, of Mount Pleasant, has been spending a few days this week at River View, the guest of Miss Pauline Clark. Rev. John A. Clark's little daughter, Jean, who hurt her knee so severely, has been confined to the house during the past week. One of the most delightful parties of the season was given by Miss Monahan at her father's residence, Fairville, on Thanksgiving evening. About 40 young persons were present. The early part of the evening was very pleasantly spent playing whist, after which the party engaged in the light fantastic. The music was splendid, by piano, violin, and cornet, while the supper table was loaded with all the delicacies of the season, to which the party did full justice. On Thursday evening week, a very pleasant at home was held in the basement of the West End Baptist church. The room presented a very homelike and sociable appearance. Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Ford received the guests as they came, and the programme was a very choice one, at the close of which suitable refreshments were served. I believe that Mr. Ford has consented to remain another year in our midst, much to the delight of his congregation. If rumors speak truly, we are soon to have another wedding at the West End, but more of this anon. Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Dunn, who were spending a few days last week at Moncton, returned home on Thursday. PETERS MORS. St. John—North End. Miss Constance de Bury left, on Wednesday, for Nova Scotia, where she will pass the winter. Messrs. Holly and Armstrong have engaged the Temple of Honor hall for their assemblies. The first assembly will be on Friday, Dec. 5th, and will probably take the form of a grand ball. On Tuesday evening last, a very enjoyable dance was given by Mrs. Rowan at her residence, Mount Pleasant. About thirty of the young friends of Messrs. Geo. F. Adams, Thos. H. Baker, received invitations. During the evening a delicious supper was served.

Mr. Wm. O. McInerney was the guest of his brother, Dr. McInerney, last week. He left on Friday for New York, where he intends engaging in literary work. Mrs. Samuel Vaughan returned home from Boston on Saturday. PETERS.

FREDERICTON. [PROGRESS is for sale in Fredericton at the book store of W. T. H. Feney and by James H. Hawthorne.] Nov. 12.—Mr. and Mrs. John Black entertained about sixty of their friends by a donkey party last Friday evening. Mrs. Forrester, I understand, was the successful winner of the first prize. After 10 o'clock dancing was indulged in and kept up until a late hour. A delicious supper was served at the usual hour, and a delightful evening was enjoyed by all present. There may be readers of PROGRESS who do not know what a donkey party is, so for their benefit I will try and explain—a picture of a donkey, minus the tail, is drawn on a sheet, and the guests then form a procession two and two each being blindfolded, and as they march toward the room where the donkey is they sing the donkey song. Then they in turn try to pin a tail on the donkey in the right place. The one, who comes the nearest, wins the prize, usually these tails are pinned in all parts of the room, sometimes very far away from the donkey, this is when the fun comes in. Mrs. John Black gave a children's party for her little son, Master Douglas, on Monday evening. Miss Nellie Blair gave a luncheon party to eight of her young lady friends, on Saturday. The table was very prettily decorated with flowers. In the centre was a large bouquet of yellow chrysanthemums, and at each plate was a small bunch of yellow roses, on a pretty card bearing the initials of the young lady for whom it was intended. The eight young ladies were: Miss Bailey, Miss Campbell, Miss Hooper, Miss Maggie Allen, Miss Mira Randolph, Miss Lelia Botsford, Miss Jeannie Logan, Miss Blair making the eighth. Miss Blair is going to give a course of these luncheons to her young lady friends. She gave another last evening. Major and Mrs. Gordon gave a dinner party last Friday evening. The Bread and Butter club met with Miss May Whitley last Friday evening. The Eclectic Reading club met on Monday evening with Mrs. Jack, at her home on Waterloo row. The young ladies of the Mission Band intend having a peanut party in the church hall, next Tuesday evening. What this peanut party really is is to be kept a secret until the time comes. There is a rumor that the bachelors are to give a large party soon, and there are rumors floating around of several other large parties to take place near Xmas. Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Beckwith returned home from New York on Thursday last. While in New York they celebrated the 25th anniversary, and their friends there gave them a silver wedding, at which they received a number of handsome presents. Mrs. Mansell left home today for St. John, to spend a few days. Mr. Morley McLaughlin, of St. John, came up on Monday and took his cousin, Mr. Keltie Jones, who was injured at the football match, home with him. Mr. Jones was the guest of his cousin, Mrs. Lee Babbitt, while in Fredericton. Mrs. McLaughlin spent Thanksgiving day here with her daughter, Mrs. Babbitt, she and Miss Jeannie McLaughlin returned home on Friday. Miss Fanny Clemens, is going out West very soon, to keep house for her brothers. Mr. Jack Ruel left home last week for the Northwest, to try his fortune. Mrs. Douglas Hazen and her children returned to their home in St. John, yesterday. Miss Laura Wetmore is expected home tomorrow. She has been visiting Mrs. Capt. Young for the last few weeks, at London, Ont. Her many friends will be pleased to welcome her home again, after her long absence. Mr. Hyde, of the University, visited St. John last Saturday, and was quite pleased with the commercial city of New Brunswick. Prof. Hyde returned from his trip to St. Stephen on Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Edward Smith have been visiting Mrs. Smith's sister, Mrs. Everett. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fisher have gone to St. John for a short visit. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Beckwith went to St. John today. Miss Carruthers, who has been visiting Mrs. Bailey, returned home yesterday. Mrs. George Miller is expected here, next week, to visit her friends. Major and Mrs. O'Malley and family, left this morning for New York, where they intend to make their home. Their removal is very much regretted by a large circle of friends. Mrs. John Richards and her daughter, Mrs. Girvan, of St. John, left today for Florida, where they will spend the winter for Mrs. Girvan's health. STELLA.

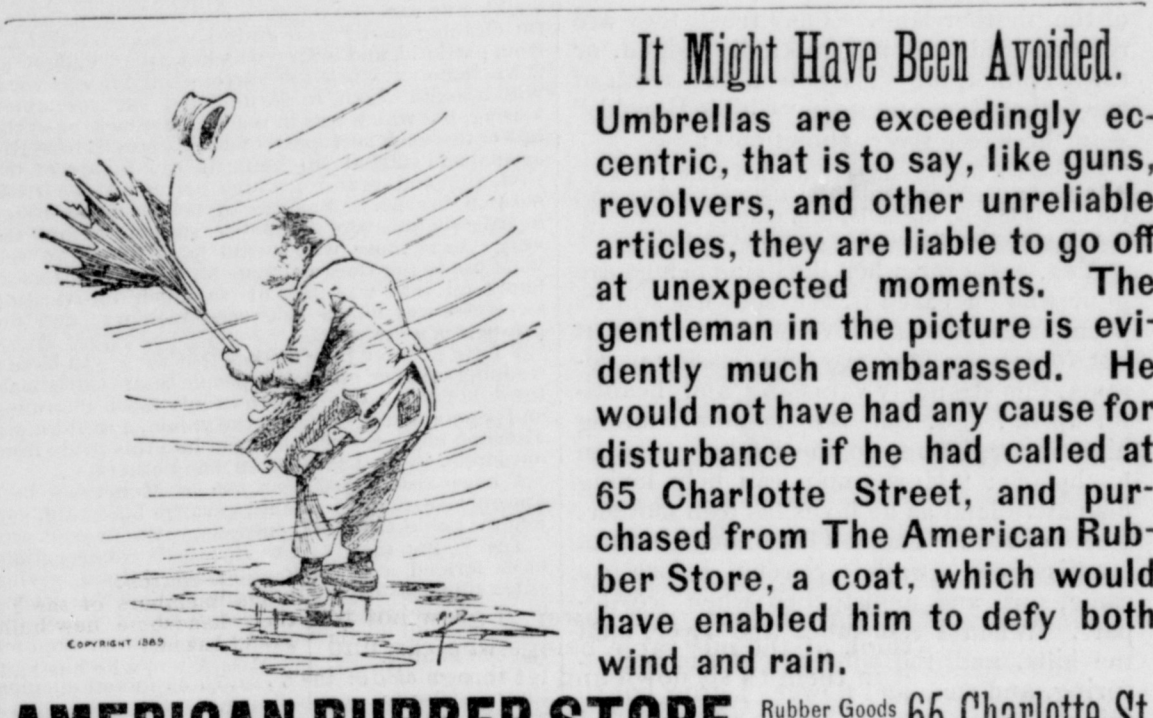
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