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.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Troop, Orange street, entertained a number of their friends, on Thursday of last week, to a whist party. Their handsome drawing-room, as well as the supper table, were tastefully decorated with cut flowers and plants from their own conservatory. Whist was played for some hours, and after a sumptuous supper, the guests departed, much pleased with the evening's pleasure. This entertainment prevented many from attending the first production of the *Elevator* at the Church of England Institute, but another opportunity was afforded them on Saturday evening, when all went off most satisfactorily. The nice little sum of $70 was realized for the flower mission.

Judge King, accompanied by Mrs. King and two daughters, left the first of the week for a few months' tour on the Continent. Their many friends wish them *bon voyage*.

Mr. and Mrs. John Boyd have returned from Ottawa.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Prescott are visiting Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. Wardroper have been away on a trip to Montreal and other Canadian cities.

Much interest was evinced by society people generally in the wedding (which took place in St. John's church on Wednesday morning) of Mr. R. Cameron Grant and Miss Florence Adams, both well known in St. John. Although the early hour of 7.30 a. m. was appointed for the ceremony, quite a large congregation assembled in the church. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. deSoyres, and the choir of the church, under the conductorship of Mr. Ford, rendered the musical portion of the service admirably.

The bride was given away by her brother, Mr. Arthur W. Adams, and she was attended by two bridesmaids, Miss Edith Burpee, and her niece, Miss Florence Boyd. The groomsman was Mr. Everett Morse, of Boston, and the ushers were Mr. J. Twining Hartt and Mr. Charles F. Harrison.

The bride wore a pretty travelling dress of grey cloth with hat to match, and carried an immense boquet of white roses, tied with wide ribbons.

Miss Burpee was attired in a costume of old gold trimmed with brown, hat to match and bouquet of yellow roses.

Miss Boyd wore a dress of grey cloth, hat almost entirely composed of violets, and also carried a boquet of yellow roses. On account of the recent bereavement of the family, the wedding was a very quiet one, and only the following ladies and gentlemen were present at the ceremony and attended the wedding breakfast at the residence of Mrs. W. H. Adams, Coburg street:

Mrs. W. H. Adams, Miss Adams, Mr. J. McG. Grant, Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Boyd, Mrs. Thomas S. Adams, Miss Fellows (England), Mr. and Mrs. George F. Smith, the Misses Nicholson. These with the addition of the wedding party and ushers made a pleasant gathering, and their congratulations and good wishes as the bride and groom drove to the station were hearty and sincere. Each bridesmaid received from the groom an initial gold pin, with enamelled shamrocks and diamond settings. The gift from him to the bride was a handsome gold watch.

I have not received a complete list of the wedding gifts, so I will refrain from mentioning any, but when the young couple return from their bridal tour to New York and other cities, they will find their new home on Wentworth street well stocked with handsome silver, ornaments and numerous useful gifts, with which to commence housekeeping.

This is only one of the weddings I spoke of some weeks ago, but there are several yet on the *tapis*, of which more anon.

On Wednesday evening a pleasant juvenile party was given by Mrs. John Thomson. The little ones were invited from 4 until 8 o'clock, during which time everything was thought of for their enjoyment. There were about 30 present.

On Thursday evening Mr. R. Peniston Starr entertained a few of his gentlemen friends to a whist party at his residence, Carleton street.

Mr. A. H. Beddome, of Moncton, was in town this week; also Mr. Alfred Street, of Fredericton.

I understand Mrs. George M. Armstrong has abandoned the idea of removing to Amherst, and has decided to remain in St. John, having taken a house in Wellington row, adjacent to her former residence.

Rev. Mr. Wilson, of Algoma, is visiting the city, and will preach in some of the churches tomorrow.

The Metropolitan and Coadjutor Bishop were in St. John this week, to attend the services in Trinity church on St. George's day.

Mrs. Hendershot is visiting friends at Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Street, of St. Andrews, arrived in St. John last week, to reside permanently.

Mrs. Osmoud, of Hillsboro, who has been visiting Mrs. John McMillan, returned home this week.

Mrs. Andrew Cowie and family left on Monday last for Liverpool, N. S., where she will reside.

Mr. J. McGregor Grant is the guest of his nieces, the Misses Nicholson.

Mr. T. W. Bell, since moving into his new residence, Germain street, has had a severe relapse of his late illness.

Mrs. James Straton arrived home from Boston on Wednesday last, where she has spent a week or two. TERPSICHORE.

Mrs. W. Clarke Gillibrand is visiting her mother, Mrs. Dever, at 5 Chipman hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Temple and family are at Mrs. Daniel's, King street east, for the summer. The report that they had moved to their residence on the Mahogany road, was incorrect.

Miss Harriet Eaton left on Monday last to visit her sister, Mrs. Robert C. Adams, at Kansas City, Mo.

At the close of the proceedings of Grand Lodge, Wednesday night, Dr. Walker entertained at his residence, Princess street, the special staff which had exemplified the work and a few other Masonic friends. It is quite unnecessary to say that the time was most enjoyably spent, and that the "grand honors" accorded to Mrs. Walker and the young ladies were given with a genuine enthusiasm. As was remarken by a distinguished member of the craft, the doctor is blessed with a wife who does not think that Masonry is largely made up of late hours and latch-keys, but who feels a genuine interest in the fraternity. If it were in the scope of Masonry to grant any woman an honorary rank for services rendered to the craft in the past, Mrs. Walker would undoubtedly receive it.

A very pleasant time was spent at Mrs. Fred R. Butcher's, Tuesday afternoon, when she held a reception for her sister, Mrs. L. G. Crosby, of Yarmouth. Between thirty and forty partook of the cup of tea, so dear to the ladies' heart, which was dispensed by Mrs. W. H. Merritt, assisted by Miss Barr and Miss Butcher. These afternoon teas are getting to be quite fashionable, and are very popular with the ladies.

St. John—North End.

Miss Cowie B. Jordan was ill a few days the first of the week, but has fully recovered.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rowan, who have been enjoying a few days' pleasant recreation in New York, returned home by the early train Monday.

I hear we are shortly to lose the Messrs. Carvill from North End, as they intend giving up their place at Gilbert lane and removing to the South or East Ends.

Mrs. J. Purdy has been confined to the house with a slight attack of rheumatism. Her sister, Mrs. Hall, of Hampton, was her guest last week.

Mr. Wm. Brown was confined to the house for some days, through illness, last week.

The Misses Gray entertained a large number of their friends last Thursday evening, at a whist and dancing party. There were about 50 ladies and gentlemen present, all of whom enjoyed themselves thoroughly and voted the party delightful in every respect.

News sent should be addressed "Peanuts," Portland post office; no attention is paid to anonymous letters.

As the river is opening, we are all expecting a visit from our country cousins before long.

PEANUTS.

St. John—West End.

In my last week's letter, I made mention of the marriage of Rev. Edward Hickson of the West End, to Miss Amelia Hamm of Grand Bay. This week I am able to give a fuller account of their nuptials. Rev. Mr. Hickson, who is a retired Baptist minister, was married at the residence of Dr. Putman, Chelsea, on Wednesday afternoon, to Miss Hamm, who has been visiting relatives in Boston, for some months. The knot was satisfactorily tied by Rev. W. S. McKenzie. A large number of invited guests were present at the ceremony, and many pretty and costly presents were received by the newly wedded couple. Mrs. Noble, formerly of St. John, but now a resident of Darien, Ga., was one of the guests; her present to the bride was a very handsome slumber quilt. Mrs. Ingalls, who for thirty-six years has been a missionary in India, gave a very valuable Burmese idol. On Wednesday afternoon Mr. Hickson and his bride left Boston amid the customary showers of rice and slippers, arriving at West End the afternoon of the following day. In the evening a very pleasant reception was held at their residence. The kind wishes for the future life of Mr. and Mrs. Hickson were many, and if one is to judge by these, theirs will be a very happy one.

Mr. Isaac Olive (senior), who has been ill for some weeks, is in a very low condition, and the doctor has little hope of his recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Russell, of Salmon River, have been visiting in St. John during the past few days. I believe that it is their intention to shortly begin housekeeping. I sincerely trust that they will decide to make their home at the West End, as Mr. Russell is a "Carleton laddie," but has been for some time a resident of Salmon River.

Mrs. J. A. Clark, who has been confined to the house during the past week with a slight illness, is able to be out again.

Miss Maggie Stuart, sister of the Rev. W. Stuart, who has been spending the winter with him, has returned to Halifax.

Mrs. T. H. Barr is passing a few days with her mother, Mrs. George F. Harding.

Mr. John Olive, of Halifax, is home for a short vacation. He is visiting his father, Mr. Isaac Olive, on Prince street.

Mrs. McWilliams left a few days ago with her son, Mr. R. H. McWilliams, for her new home in Chatham, taking with her many little tokens of esteem from her many friends at the West End. The loss of Mrs. McWilliams as teacher of the young men's class in the Carleton Methodist Sunday school is much felt, and the young men, they say, are in despair as to who will be her successor. Mrs. McWilliams has the kindest wishes of the West End in her new home.

Miss Wetmore, of St. George, is passing a few days at the West End.

I hear that Rev. G. O. Dobbs, rector of St. George's church, has tendered his resignation to take effect early in June. Rev. Mr. Dobbs purposes removing to Brockville, Ont., where he has been called to preside over the church of which Rev. Dyson Hague has been the rector, but who will now preside over St. Paul's church, in Halifax, N. S. Mr. and Mrs. Dobbs's removal will be a sad loss, not only to St. George's church but to the West End in general, as they have during their residence with us made many friends, and have formed ties of friendship that will not easily be broken. I have not as yet heard who will fill Mr. Dobbs' place. Indeed, many advise the amalgamation of St. George's and St. Jude's churches, as the Episcopal element does not seem to be as strong as that of the other denominations.

It will be a bitter disappointment to Miss Ethel Peters' numerous friends to hear that she will not return this week from her visit to Woodstock, as was expected, having been persuaded by her friend, Miss Lu Smith to pass a fortnight with her.

Mrs. Joseph Clark will remove to the East End on the 1st of May, where she will reside on Orange street. She, with many others who will leave us in a few days, will be universally missed and regretted.

PETITS MOTS.

Mrs. I. G. Beatteay returned last week from a two weeks' visit at Gibson.

Mr. Ronald Clark, of St. George, is spending a few days at home.

One of the professional gentlemen whom I spoke of a few weeks ago, has been married, and returned to the West End with his bride, where they intend to reside.

Rumor says that a young M. D., formerly of the West End, now of the city, is preparing to be married.

One of the weddings that was to have taken place at an early date, has been postponed for an idefinite period.

A gentleman from the East Side is crossing the harbor quite frequently. A widow is receiving the visits of "a gentleman who crosses the harbor quite frequently."

The Misses Stewart leave West End very shortly, to join their father in New Jersey.

Miss Musgrove has returned from the country, where she has been spending the winter. She will leave on the 30th of this month for Tacoma with Mrs. Musgrove and family, but I believe she expects to return and make her home in New Brunswick.

Capt. Smith and family leave for Tacoma at the same time.

Miss Mary Baskin is the guest of her brother, Mr. W. D. Baskin.

Capt. and Mrs. Purdy are expected from Liverpool early in June to spend some time in West End.

Mr. Robert Stewart has moved into his house on King street.

Mrs. Balcombe expects to occupy Mr. James Brittain's house on Duke street.

Mrs. Currie has purchased from Mr. Walter Coram his book store on King street.

Miss Olivia Littlehale is quite ill at her home.

Master Arthur Taylor, son of Mr. J. K. Taylor, who has been ill all winter, is improving. Mr. Taylor is still unable to use his injured arm, and a sling is necessary.

I hear with deep regret of the death of Mrs. Sprague (nee Miss Bessie Barnes), of Hampton. Mrs. Sprague was well and favorably known at the West End, she having spent much time with Mrs. J. K. Taylor before she was married.

Master Harry McDuffee is able to be out again, having been housed nearly all winter.

I hear very favorable reports of our young men who have left the West End to mak their homes in the far West.

Mr. Frank Knight, son of Mr. R. N. Knight, is at Denyer, Col., in a drug store.

The Messrs. Harding—sons of Mr. G. F. Harding—are at Minneapolis, in the grain business.

Mr. Frank Clark, son of Mr. D. W. Clark, is at Helena, in a drug store.

Mr. Edward Noble, son of the late Mr. Isaac Noble, is in California on a cattle ranche.

Mr. Norris Allan, son of Mr. R. R. Allan, is at Seattle, and is an architect.

Mr. Frank Scammell, son of Mr. Joseph Scammell, is at Tacoma, in the lumber business.

Dr. McDonald is practising in California.

Mr. George Taylor is also doing business in California.

Mrs. Brown, of Halifax, is visiting her sister, Mrs. R. R. Allan, Prince street. Mrs. Anderson, of England, also Mrs. Allan's sister, is visiting her. They arrived Wednesday evening. Y.

FREDERICTON.

[For some reason, which we cannot explain at this moment, the Fredericton society letter has failed to reach this office. Our Fredericton readers will not regret this more than THE EDITOR.]

MONCTON.

APRIL 23.—The beautiful fountain which decorates the lawn of Mr. Oliver Jones serves as a sort of thermometer (or guide to the seasons) for Moncton people. When it retires from public view in the autumn and goes into sanctuary for the winter beneath its huge canvas overcoat, people say, "Oh, see the fountain!—it is covered up. That means winter."

And likewise when it discards its sheath, like a snake changing its skin, and shows its undraped glories of bronze and terra cotta, our thoughts turn naturally towards the flowers that ought to bloom in the spring.

Last week the fountain came out in its spring suit, and all nature seemed to follow its example and put on a cheerful expression. The clothes lines have budded forth into their hardy annual bloom of particolored mats and quilts, and the fences are gay with carpets. The melodious treble of the distant robin, mingles harmoniously with the mellow bass of the carpet club, as it descends in measured throbs upon its quivering victim. And all nature rejoices. There! PROGRESS will have no need of a spring poet after that!

"In the spring a young man's fancy lightly turns to thoughts of love." At last such is the popular belief, founded upon Lord Tennyson's statement, but somehow the young man, viewed collectively, does not seem to have been willing to fulfil his destiny and turn his thoughts into the proper channel this year, for I have not heard of a single wedding, engagement, or even love affair among our young folks. True, the most exciting topic of the hour in town is a wedding, but in this particular case it ie an elderly gentleman who has distanced all competitors in the matrimonial race.

Of course I refer to the Rev. John Prince, who was married yesterday afternoon at St. James' Methodist church, Montreal, to Mrs. Wood, widow of the late Mariner Wood, of Sackville, N. B. The bride, who has been spending the winter in California, only reached Montreal yesterday morning, and was met by Mr. Prince.

All lovers of true romance will be interested in learning that this is one of the rare cases where people in real life have married their first love. Mr. and Mrs. Prince were sweethearts in their early youth, and now, after each one has lived a long married life with another partner, the old love has reawakened, and they are united in the autumn of their days.

Mr. John McSweeney's many friends will rejoice to hear that he has rallied wonderfully, after his recent attack of hemorrhage of the lungs, and that there are good grounds for hope of his recovery, though of course he is very weak.

Mrs. R. A. Borden returned on Saturday from Sussex, where she had been spending a week with her mother, Mrs. William Smith.

Dr. Bliss, of Amherst, paid a short visit to Moncton last week, and was the guest of his sister, Mrs. John McSweeney.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Sangster, and Mrs. Harry Brown returned on Friday from Florida, where they have been spending the winter. Mr. Sangster returns today to the land of flowers, on a business trip. He will be absent some three weeks.

Mrs. W. B. McSweeney, of Halifax, is spending a few days at the Brunswick, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George McSweeney.

Miss Longfellow, of Boston, who has been visiting Mrs. P. S. Archibald, returned to her home last week, deeply regretted by the many friends she made during her stay in Moncton, who look forward hopefully to her return at some future date.

Mr. Will Harris, second son of Mr. C. P. Harris, who has been pursuing his medical studies in Philadelphia, is at home for his holidays. Mr. Harris is a universal favorite in Moncton, and his numerous friends are delighted to see him back again.

Mrs. R. S. Hocken continues to improve, and her friends hope that her recovery is not far distant.

Indeed, the bright weather seems to have had a good effect upon all of our invalids. Mrs. Whitney, who has been a prisoner to her room for over eighteen months, is able to move about a little, with the aid of crutches, and hopes to be out again soon. Mrs. Whitney has been a most heroic sufferer, and the friends who have missed her bright society for so long will rejoice to see her restored to health and activity once more.

Mr. R. B. Jack still lingers in Moncton, greatly to the satisfaction of his large circle of friends. I have heard a rumor that he is likely to be back again on the I. C. R., for a time at least, and I hope it may prove true, for we should all be glad to have him with us again.

Dr. James McAllister, of Fredericton, is expected in town this week, to pay a visit to his parents, *en route* for Southern California, where he intends making his home in future. Dr. McAllister has been in rather failing health for a year or two and hopes to regain his strength in the beautiful climate of California.

Miss Murray, of Chatham, is spending a few weeks with Mr. and Mrs. George C. Peters, Alma street.

Miss Bessie Backhouse, of Dorchester, is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Forbes.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Cole gave a very delightful little dance last evening, at their home, on Church street. The guests numbered some 60 of Moncton's fairest and bravest youth. The music was perfect, the host and hostess charming, and the ladies lovely. So it goes without saying, that the party was a grand success in every respect.

Mr. F. A. McCully returned on Saturday from a trip to Fredericton.

Mr. George F. Fair, whose clever letters, on the wing, to the daily *Times* have afforded its readers so much enjoyment, returned on Monday from his transcontinental tour. Mr. Fair had a most enjoyable trip, and is looking all the better for his outing.

Rev. A. M. Hubly, of Sussex, paid a short visit to Moncton on Monday.

Mrs. Bliss, wife of the Rev. Donald Bliss, of Westmorland, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. John McSweeney.

Mr. H. R. Emmerson lectures tonight in the opera house, his subject being "A Politician's Soliloquy." CECIL GWYNNE.

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HAMPTON.

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APRIL 23.—Colonel and Mrs. Spry have left Mount Pleasant, where they have for the past fortnight been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Pope Barnes, for Norton Villa, Hampton, where they propose making a long stay with Mrs. J. W. Barnes.

It will be remembered that Colonel Spry visited St. John some years ago, and so impressed is he and Mrs. Spry with the picturesque beauty of this province that it is not improbable that they may be induced to purchase a lot and settle in our midst.

The Colonel has travelled extensively over nearly all the important countries in the world, and recently on his retirement from active service, has been visiting friends in the principal cities of the Dominion. All he has seen of Montreal, Toronto, Quebec and Halifax, has deeply impressed him with the marvellous advance that has taken place since his former visit. Of the cordiality, hospitality and warmheartedness of the Canadians he speaks in the highest terms especially of those he had the pleasure of meeting during his stay in St. John.

APRIL 24.—I have to record the death of a most estimable lady, Mrs. Samuel W. Sprague jr., which occurred at her home near the station on Tuesday evening, after a short illness. Mrs. Sprague was the daughter of the late Mr. T. G. Barnes, and her death at so early an age is much regretted. She will be greatly missed not only by her numerous circle of friends, but by the church, in which she took an active interest.

Miss Bartlett, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Harding in St. John, returned yesterday.

Dr. Taylor, M. P. P., came down from Fredericton a few days ago.

Mrs. A. O. Skinner paid a visit to Hampton on Monday.

Mr. G. S. Magee, of West End, St. John, was in town on Thursday, and took part in the closing concert of the course. Much credit is due Mr. and Mrs. S. Hayward for the interest they have taken during the winter in these entertainments for so worthy an object. A large amount has been secured and the much needed sidewalk between the station and village will no doubt be constructed during the summer. Mr. Hayes also contributed a generous donation to the fund. X.

BATHURST.

[PROGRESS is for sale in Bathurst at A. C. Smith & Co's store.]

APRIL 23.—Miss Nellie Carman is visiting friends here. Miss Carman is a Bathurst girl whose home, since the death of her aunt, Miss Hartt, has been in Montreal. We are delighted to see her among us once more, and sincerely hope she has come to stay some time.

Mr. Edward Hickson is home from New York, and looks much improved by his trip.

Mr A. J. H. Stewart is visiting St. John.

Miss Stewart arrived on Monday from Campbellton, where she has been paying a visit to her relations.

Mr. George Allan, of Newcastle, is in town.

Rev. J. A. Babineau passed through town last Thursday on his way to Madawaska. TOM BROWN.

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Wm. Clark, baggage master, W. & A. Railway, Annapolis, N. S., writes: Please send me another bottle of Nasal Balm as my first bottle is gone, and I believe, had I used it according to instructions, it would have cured me; as it is I am very much better, in fact feel like another person.

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D. S. McDonald, Mabou, C. B., writes: Nasal Balm has helped my Catarrh very much. It is the best remedy I ever used.

Abram Grant, Grant P. O., Westmorland, N. B., writes: My daughter has used one bottle of Nasal Balm, and it has helped her Catarrh wonderfully. It gives general satisfaction in this neighborhood.

Wm. Chas. Hanley, postmaster, Spry Bay, N. S., says:—I submit the following to the public that any one who may be afflicted may be benefitted by the same remedy. Two bottles of your Nasal Balm has restored to perfect health a four year old child of ours suffering from Catarrh.

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Cashmere Bouquet	80c.	"
Corinne "	60c.	"
Balmoral "	50c.	"
Winona "	40c.	"
Lotus of the Ganges	50c.	"
Olive Blossom	40c.	"
White Rose	40c.	"

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PRIVATE BOARDING.

MRS. McINNIS begs to announce that she taken the very centrally located house, ***No. 78 Sidney street,*** and that after May 1st, she will be able to provide a few permanent boarders with large and pleasant rooms. Persons visiting the city for a few days, and desiring quiet and central quarters, can be accommodated at moderate rates.

ASSESSORS' NOTICE.

THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS OF TAXES for the City of Saint John, in the present year, hereby require all persons liable to be rated, forthwith to furnish to the Assessors,

True Statements of all their Real Estate, Personal Estate and Income,

and hereby give notice that Blank Forms, on which statements may be furnished under the City Assessment Law, can be obtained at the office of the Assessors, and that such statements must be perfected under oath, and filed in the office of the Assessors within THIRTY DAYS from the date of this notice.

Dated this first day of April, A. D., 1890.

WM. F. BUNTING, Chairman.
JOHN WILSON,
URIAH DRAKE,
RICHARD FARMER,
} Assessors of Taxes.

Extracts from "The St. John City Assessment Act of 1889."

SEC. 118.—"The Assessors shall ascertain, as nearly "as possible, the particulars of the real estate, the "personal estate and the income of any person who "has not brought in a statement in accordance with "their notice and as required by this law, and shall "make an estimate thereof, at the true value and "amount to the best of their information and belief; "and such estimate shall be conclusive upon all persons who have not filed their statements in due "time, unless they can show a reasonable excuse "for the omission."

SEC. 138.—"No person shall have an abatement "unless he has filed with the Assessors the statement, under oath, within the time hereinbefore "required; nor shall the Common Council in any "such case sustain an appeal from the judgment of "the Assessors unless they shall be satisfied that "there was good cause why the statement was not "filed in due time, as herein provided." 4—5—1m.

FOR SALE.

BICYCLE FOR SALE—RUDGE LIGHT Roadster in perfect condition. Apply to GEO. F. CALKIN, Room 2, Pugsley's building, cor. Princess and Prince William streets. 4-12 tf

TO LET.

OFFICES IN PALMER'S CHAMBERS, with separate vaults, and steam heated. Apply for particulars to THE LIQUIDATORS OF THE MARITIME BANK OF THE D. OF C., Bayard's Building, Prince William street. 3-8 8i

RESIDENCE 66 GARDEN STREET, at present occupied by A. I. Trueman, Esq., barrister. Premises may be seen Friday afternoons. G. J. COULTER WHITE, Hampton. 2, 8—tf.

TO RENT—TWO STORES in Masonic Hall, at present in possession of Arthur Everitt. Possession 1st May next. W. WATSON ALLEN, Pugsley's Building, cor. Prince Wm. and Princess streets. 1,25—tf