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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

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MONCTON.

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APRIL 9.—Easter Sunday will long be remembered in Moncton as one of the saddest days in the history of the town. Every resident was shocked to hear on Saturday evening that Judge Botsford had met with a terrible accident, and received injuries which might result fatally. In a very short time it was ascertained that the judge had indeed fallen from one of the windows of the City club room, alighting on the hard sidewalk some sixteen feet below, and had been very severely injured, but how seriously it was impossible to tell at first.

Scores of people hurried to the scene of the accident, but a window with the centre piece of woodwork and all the glass gone from the lower sash was all that was to be seen.

Little information could be obtained with regard to the cause of the accident. Judge Botsford had just finished a game of whist and was going home to tea. He passed into the billiard room to put on his overcoat, and the rest of the members of the club remained in the card room, supposing the judge had gone home, till they were startled at hearing a crash of glass and people running and shouting on the sidewalk. Some passers by who witnessed the accident from the opposite side of the street say that Judge Botsford was in the act of putting his left arm into his coat when he fell suddenly against the window, which gave way and he crashed through, caught for an instant on the broad ledge outside the window and fell heavily to the sidewalk, falling almost on

He was taken up instantly and carried into Dr. Mc-Cully's office, near by, where an examination showed Cully's office, near by, where an examination showed that no bones were broken, and, strange to say, there was not a cut or scratch to be seen on his body. His glasses were not broken, and his pipe was in his pocket uninjured; even his watch, although it had stopped, was not broken. After being carried home and placed in bed, the Judge rallied and recovered consciousness, but was unable to give an account of his fall, further than that he telt a sensation of faintness, which he had suffered frequently from hately, creeping over him, and he remembered nothing more. He suffered a great deal, but after morphine was administered he became easier, and the last reports on Saturday night were rather encouraging. The fact that there were no external injuries, and that his head seemed quite unhurt, were eagerly seized upon as strong grounds unhurt, were eagerly seized upon as strong grounds upon which to base hopes, which proved only too fallacions, for it was learned early on Sunday morning that the Judge was rapidly passing away. He was quite conscious and perfectly resigned, suffering no pain, as death was resulting from paralysis, consequent on spinal shock. He was surrounded, like the patriarchs of old, by his children and grand

Shortly before the close of the morning service at St. Georges church the rector announced from the pulpit that he had just received tidings of the death of Bliss Botsford, senior, warden of the church, who had been lying at the point of death since the night before. It is almost impossible to describe the effect of the announcement, the church seemed effect of the announcement, the church seemed transformed into a house of mourning. I think there were few indeed in the edifice who did not feel as if they had lost a near and dear friend, and many were unable to restrain their feelings, the joyous Easter tide seemed shadowed for all by the terrible sorrow which and overtaken one family.

I do not think I am speaking too strongly when I say that Judge Botsford was the most popular man in Moneton: at least I know that among all the

man in Moncton; at least I know that among all the young people he was simply adored. He had none of the angularities of age, but seemed always like a young person himself, ever ready with some bright

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saying or amusing story, and so I fancy he must have been equally popular with older people.

All day long on Monday telegrams and messages of condolence poured in upon the bereaved family, who were almost stunned by the awful suddenness of their loss. Their grief seemed to be a common one, and shared by all, for there were few smiling force to be met with on the streets on Monday. one, and shared by all, for there were few smiling faces to be met with on the streets on Monday.

The floral tributes testified to some extent to the high esteem in which the dead Judge was held, the coffin was so covered with flowers that it was impossible to see anything but a great bank of bloom. Wreaths were laid even against the sides when there was no more room on the top. The masonic trophy, which was the offering of the Botsford Chapter of Royal Arch Masons, occupied the centre of the coffin, and was in the form of a triangle of white and tea roses and white carnations, mounted on ivy leaves with ferns and smilax.

leaves with ferns and smilax. The members of the City club, of which the Judge was president, sent a beautiful tribute of cross, crown and wreath, in roses and white carnations; and the congregation of St. George's church another and the congregation of St. George's church another very beautiful wreath of tea roses and carnations.

The funeral took place yesterday afternoon, with full Masonic honors, the coffin being borne from the Judge's late residence to St. George's church he by the pall-bearers, who were six masons of Botsford Chapter, Messrs. T. V. Cooke, J. L. Harris, J. W. Binney, E. L. Cowling, S. McKean and Rev. John Prince. The Barristers society and the Masons attended in gowns and regalia, but the church was unfortunately too small to admit both societies. The hymns sung were, "Just as I am" and the Judge's favorite hymn, "Lead kindly light."

After the service was concluded, the procession moved down to Main street, preceded by the Moncton cornet band, playing the "Dead March," the barristers and the Masons.

Directly following the hearse came the carriage containing the venerable Senator Botsford, brother of the deceased; his son, Dr. R. L. Botsford; his son-in-law, Mr. George L. Peters, and his grandson, Mr. B. B. Peters. The shops were closed and the blinds drawn down along almost the entire route; bells were tolled, and no token of deepest respect was lacking. The entire funeral was the

respect was lacking. The entire funeral was the most imposing, as well as the largest, ever seen in Moncton. And if anything could have comforted the stricken family, it would have been the deep grief and profound sympathy shown on all sides for their sorrow.

The services at the grave concluded with the Masonic burial service and grand honors by the

Masome burial service and grand honors by the brethren.

A large number of visitors were in town yesterday attendidg the funeral of the late Judge Botsford. Amongst others were Judge Wedderburn, Judge Wilkinson, of Chatham; Judge Morse, of Amherst; Mr. Edward Cogswell, of Sackville; Mr. S. Edgar Wilson, Mr. R. J. Gilbert and Mr. W. B. Chandler, and Mr. and Mrs. George W. Chandler, of Dorchester, and many others.

Mr. F. McDougall, manager of the Sackville brance of the Merchants' Bank of Halifax, spent Easter Monday in town.

Mr. James Mowatt, manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia in Moncton, and Mrs. Mowatt, spent the Easter holidays in St. John, where I believe Mrs. Mowatt intends remaining for two or three weeks.

A great many Moncton people spent their Easter out of town.

Mr. E. W. Jarvis, of the Bank of Montreal, spent Sunday and Monday at his home in St. John.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Hewson spent the holidays in Dorchester.

But in return for the exodus of Monctonians, a

number of folk from other places selected our town as the spot in which to spend their Easter festivel.

Mrs. Thomson, of Newcastle, accompanied by Miss Jean Thomson, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. ent season.

C. J. Butcher.

Miss Lefurgey, who is attending Sackville Ladies' Academy, is spending Easter week with her sister, Mrs. George McSweeeey, at Hotel Brunswick.

Mr. Murray, agent of the Halifax Banking company at Sackville, spent Monday in town.

Mrs. O. S. Weeks of Digby, is in town spending a few weeks with Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Hochen.

Mrs. George McSweeney, returned last week from her long visit to Boston. Her many friends are delighted to welcome her back, and to see her looking so much better for her trip.

Mrs. H. T. Stovens return trip.

The many friends that Mr. R. G. Wallace, of the Bank of Montreal, has made during his stay in Moncton, will be sorry to hear that he has been transferred to Halifax. But I fancy Mr. Wallace will scarcely share their sorrow, as Halifax is his home. He will be greatly missed in Moncton, where he was a great favorite not only in society, but also in husiness circles. but also in business circles.

Several entertainments which were to have taken place this week, have been postponed indefinitely on account of Judge Botsford's death. Amongst others, the St. George's Sunday school entertainment CECIL GWYNNE.

WOODSTOCK, N. B.

Progress is for sale in Woodstock at Everett's

APRIL 9.—The ball in the opera house on Monday vening under the auspices of the order of Railway Telegraphers, was a specially enjoyable affair. The committee had spared neither work nor expense in having the arrangements perfect. Mr. T. W. Murphy, of the superintendent's office here, justly deserves credit for what he did to have everything

as it should be.

Those in attendance represented all points on the N. B. R., making as gay a company as ever assembled in our town. The following is a description of some of the costumes: Mrs. Allan Dibblee, black silk, V neck, elbow sleeves, yellow feathers, diamend or property. mond ornaments.

Mrs. J. E. Smith, handsome black satin and lace; Mrs. Julius Garden, white satin trimmed with white satin ribbons; gold ornaments.

Mrs. A. B Connell, black satin and fish net, square neck, elbow sleeves; ornaments, diamonds.

Mrs. Smith, black satin long train trimmed with silver and gold passamenterie; head dress cream ostrich tips; ornaments, diamonds.
Mrs. W. E. Skillen, green silk and yellow net;

Mrs. Wendall Jones, white satin trimmed with ribbon, V neck; gold ornaments.

Mrs. M. McManus, black lace over black silk, V neck, long heliotrope gloves; natural flowers.

Mrs. S. Morse, black satin and jet, court train; Mrs. George Ross (Vanceboro) black satin, elbow

leeyes; ornaments, diamonds. Mrs. W. Glidden, black silk, high neck, long sleeves; natural flowers. Mrs. H. Judge, white satin, long train; gold orna-

Mrs. Keith (Canterbury) white cashmere with white satin trimming; ornaments, diamonds.
Mrs. McKibbon, black silk with lace draperies, ribbon trimmings; diamond ornaments, natural

Miss Peters (Carleton) light blue satin, crystal Miss Murchie (Calais), white satin with yellow ribbon trimmings; ornaments, diamonds.
Miss Stevens (St. Stephen) black surah silk, low eck, short sleeves, pink surah sash; ornaments,

Miss Helen Connell, cream cashmere, with white lace, V neck and elbow sleeves; gold ornaments.

Miss Allie Bull, black lace, square neck, yellow

Miss Janie White, embroidered China silk, V neck, ong gloves; natural flowers.

Miss Sadie Cole, black satin, fish net covering, yellow ribbon, velvet trimmings; natural flowers.

Miss Florrie Smith, pink, satin and cream lace, square neck, long pink silk gloves.

Miss Cadman, handsome black satin with yellow China silk sash and trimmings. No ornaments, simply her own beauty to set off her dress, which was critical straight.

Miss Jennie Merritt, light blue satin, ribbon trimmings, low neck, and long bine silk gloves.

Miss A. Vanwart, fawn silk, covered with red fish net, low neck and short sleeves. Miss L. Smith, pink cashmere, covered with black lace, square neck, long pink siik gloves.

Miss C. Smith, pink nuns' veiling, made baby's waist, pink China silk sash. Miss Peabody, pale blue nuns' veiling, long blue

Miss B. Allerton, white Swiss muslin with lace, and blue ribbon trimmings, long silk gloves; natural Miss Owens (Fredericton), black satin and lace, handsome orange surah sash and trimmings; natural

Miss Thompson (Fredericton), black lace over black silk, V neck and elbow sleeves; gold beads. Miss Townsend, garnet and cream satin; gold or-Miss B. Morrow (Vanceboro), a young miss who

was one of the belles of the evening, looked charming in cream lace low neck and short sleeves, long pink gloves; white kid slippers.

Miss B. Thompson, handsome white satin, high neck, long sleeves; gold ornaments. Miss Sharp, old rose cashmere, trimmings of rich

fringe.
Miss Jess Munro, cream nun's veiling and lace, low neck and short sleeves. Miss Warner, pink satin, coverd with black fish net, large black sash.

Miss Mame Cole, cream surah silk, low neck, short sleeves, low bodice, beautiful corsage bouquet

of pink moss roses.

Miss DesBrisay. (Petit Rocher), pink nuns's veiling, square neck, short sleeves, long pink gloves.

Miss Stephenson, black silk covered with pink fish net, low neck, elbow sleeves; natural flowers.

Miss E. Gillman in a pretty pink nuns' veiling.

Miss Nell Wilbur in pure white with China silk sash (exquisite bouquet of cream roses) low neck, elbow sleeves. Miss Clark, handsome black lace with rich yellow Mrs. T. McKenna (Carleton), brown satin; gold Mrs. W. E. Scully (Carleton), white satin; gold

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Miss Hazen, in a pretty dress of old rose and

Miss Carman, cream nun's veiling and lace; gold

Miss M. Connel, pale blue satin and lace, low neek

nd short sleeves, long blue gloves.

Miss A Brown, pink satin covered with fish net,

Miss Smallwood, cream Satin and lace, square

Miss Hastings, white china silk, square neck and

short sleeves, long white gloves.

Miss Emery, cream Indian muslin with black silk ribbon, velvet trimmings.

Miss Emma Dawson, in an elegant black satin costume, low bodice and short sleeves; gold orna-

Miss Neals, white embroidery, low neck and short sleeves; natural flowers.

Miss Pennington (Houlton) black lace, orange satin ribbons, low bodice under the lace thort

sleeves, long gloves.
Miss Yerxa (Houlton) cream nun's veiling;

Miss Ferguson, pink nuns' veiling, high neck and

Miss Munro, black satin; gold ornaments.

natural flowers.

neck, garnet poppies; ornaments, pearls.

Miss Jordan, pink satin covered with fish net, low

eck and short sleeves, long pink gloves.

ST. STEPHEN.

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Miss L. Lawson (Canterbury), white cashmere stores of C. H. Smith & Co. and G. S. Wall.]

APRIL 9 .- A more delightful day for the close of the Lenten season could not be desired than Easter Sunday. It was so bright and sunny that the streets were filled with people enjoying the spring weather. Yet the wind savored rather too strongly of winter to admit of many spring costumes. I observed several spring bonnets, each of which was a "thing of beauty" if not a joy forever."

The services at the churches that especially make

a festival of the day were interesting and hearty. At Christ church the floral decorations were in keeping with the day. Easter and calla lilies were used in profusion and were arranged most tastefully by Miss Beatrice Vroom. The church was presented with several Easter gifts. Among them were a set of white silk bookmarkers and a pulpit cloth to match. The singing was excellent and at both services the

The Methodist church was exquisitely decorated with flowers and potted plants. Mrs. Deinstadt and Mrs. Teed assisted by Mrs. W. H. Todd, superintended the arrangement of the flowers. The singing, as usual, was extremely good and appropriate to the

The Baptist church was also trimmed, cut flowers were used, and the work done by the young ladies of the congregation. The singing and the sermon long sleeves; natural flowers.

Miss McKinley, orange cashmere covered with black fish net, low neck, short sleeves, long lace At the church of the Holy Rosary, the altar was decked with flowers and foliage, and never looked so finely. The singing here was exceptionally good, and the church was thronged all day with an atten-

The other churches in town were not decorated.
To the regret of her many friends, Mrs. Maria
Porter, one of our oldest and most respected ladies,

died at her residence on Monday morning, and was Mrs. Springate arrived from Chatham on Friday last, and will visit her sister, Miss Grant, during Mrs. Jesse Dustin is spending a week in St. An-

Mrs. Charles Whidden, of Calais, left on Monday to visit friends at Bar Harbour, Me. Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Reed, of St. John, have been here during the past week, and are the guests of Mrs. Waterbury. Miss Flora Brown, of Calais, is visiting friends in

Providence, R. I. Mr. W. W. Grahame returned from Ottawa on Miss Mary Newton, of Calais, who has accepted a position as organist in a church in Westfield, Mass., left here on Friday last, to begin her duties

on Easter Sunday. The concert given in the St. Croix hall, Calais, last evening, was the finest we have had this season. The splendid voice and finished singing of Mrs. A. T. Lincoln was a delight to the ear, Miss Lena Met-T. Lincoln was a delight to the ear, Miss Lena Met-calf, a talented elocutionist, enchanted the audience, Miss Cora Maxwell also sang very prettily, Carrie Herrich, a pretty little girl of four years, sang Little Annie Rooney so charmingly that the appiause was deafening. The Thrlmore quartette accquitted themselves as they always do—well. The concert was a brilliant success in every way. The proceeds go towards the soldier's monument fund. Mrs. Bolton returned from Palatka, Florida, on

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Saturday afternoon, after an absence of several

Mr. A. W. Mathews is preparing to move to his old home in Lincoln, Me.

Mr. D. W. Brown, C. E., is visiting Franklin Falls, New Hampshire. Rev. O. S. Newnham is visiting St. John. Mr. Melville Cockburn, of St. Andrews, was in Mr. W. F. Todd left yesterday morning for Bos-

ton, where he intends to spend a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin B. Todd have returned from Kingston, Kent Co.
Mr. and Mrs. John K. McKenzie have arrived from Dexter, and will now make St. Stephen their home for the future.

Mrs. Howard Grimmer, of St. Andrews, accompanied by her sister, Miss Mary Gove, spent Thursday in town, the guest of Mrs. W. C. H. Grimmer.

Miss Hattie Grant has returned from a short visit

miss Hattle Grant has returned from a substitute in Houlton, Me.

Miss Lizzie McNichol, a prominent society belle of Calais, and an accomplished singer, lately enjoyed the pleasure of attending a reception given in Boston

by Madame Patti.

The Easter concert given in the Union church, Calais, under the direction and patronage of Mrs. Vincent was a great success. The singing of the Thrimore quartette was extremely fine.

Mr. Thomas Hutchinson, who has been in Florida since last November, arrived home on Friday.

Rev. Mr. Ross, of Woodstock, spent Sunday in town.

The ladies whist club meets this evening at the residence of Mrs. F. E. Rose.

The musicale given in the parlors of Mrs. W. H. Clarke was a very pleasant affair. The singing of Mrs. Kerr was excellent, and Miss Belle McElroy read a difficult piece in a most charming manner. After the concert, Mr. and Mrs. Clarke kindly invited all those who took part to remain and partake of refreshments. These parlor entertainments are very fashionable, and please our music loving people far more than a concert given in a hall.

Mr. W. P. McCormick is visiting friends in town. Mr. W. P. McCormick is visiting friends in town.
Mr. C. C. Whitlock has been seriously ill and is
still confined to his residence in Calais.
The Calais Drive Whist Club, enjoyed a delightful evening at Miss Nellie Smith's, on Thursday.
Miss Carrie Washburne, and Mr. W. F. Todd
secured the first prize, while the booby prize fell to
Miss Myra Trivett and Mr. John Stevens.
Miss Margaret Todd gave a progressive angling
party to a number of her young friends on Monday
evening.

evening.

Mrs. A. E. Niell entertains a party of lady friends
this afternoon with drive whist, in aid of the

Mr. Henry Todd is visiting Boston this week.
Miss Johnson, of New York, is the guest of her
cousin, Dr. S. Whitney.

HAMPTON VILLAGE.

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APRIL 9 .- Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Fairweather, of Rothesay, who have been visiting Mrs. Caldwell, returned home the first of the week.

Miss Otty, of St. John, who has been spending a few days with Mrs. William Otty, returned home the last of the week, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Waterbury and children Mrs. Waterbury and children.

Mrs. Earl and Miss Earle, of St. John, are spending a few days with Mrs. W. Otty.

Miss Minnie Hammond is visiting friends in the

eity. Mr. T. H. Carvell, of St. John, spent Tuesday in

Mr. I. H. Carvell, of St. John, spent Tuesday in the village.

The Misses Caldwell spent Wednesday in the city.

Mrs. Fred L. Gorham, of Havelock, who has been spending a tew days with her mother at the village, returned home on Wednesday.

Mr. Mel Scott, of Penobsquis, spent Tuesday at the village.

Poverty Well Protected.

Lady of the House-I don't need any of your burglar alarms. Agent-That's just what the lady next door said.

Lady of the House (on the alert) - Said

Agent-That it was no use of me calling here, as you wouldn't need any, because you had nothing to steal, but I thought I— Lady of the House (grinding her teeth) -Give me three. - The Racket.

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ful there. How much more do you require? Guest-Well, I have three shirts and a pair of socks to wash yet.—Ex.

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Guest (in country hotel)—Say, there were bugs in the bed I slept in last night. Proprietor—Is that so?
Guest—Yes, sir, but I can tell you how to get rid of them. Proprietor-Go ahead.

Guest-Charge them the same price for a night's lodging as you have me.—Ex.

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