

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

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Mr. Vanwart has been enjoying the pleasures of a fishing trip.

Dr. Edward March paid a short visit to friends in Hampton.

During Lent a large number of young ladies of St. Luke's Sunday school have been proving that hearsis having been conducted under Mr. Cooper and Mr. F. Frazer, Miss C. Holly and Miss C. Tapley.

Mr. Will Harding, Wright street, who has been so very ill in Nova Scotia, was during the week able to return home.

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HILLSBORO.

APRIL 6.—The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Calkin heard with deep regret of the loss of their comfortable and pleasant home by fire at Covendale, a few days ago.

Mr. H. Bishop of Moncton, spent Sunday with friends here.

Miss Clara Barnes, now a resident of Boston, has been visiting her old friends in Albert county.

LADIES' AND GENTLEMEN'S VISITING CARDS PRINTED AT "PROGRESS" OFFICE.

SPRINGHILL.

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Mr. A. E. Fraser was in Windsor this week, attending the funeral of Mrs. Cochrane.

Mr. R. O. Christie was in town this week. Dr. and Mrs. Hayes are receiving congratulations on the birth of another son.

Miss Susie Murray and Christine Fraser, who have been attending the Ladies' college at Halifax, returned home last week.

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HE IDENTIFIED THE TROUSERS.

A Woodboat Man Who Was Not Half So Green as He Seemed to Be.

When a woodboat from somewhere or another arrived at Indiantown the other day, and one of the crew declared his intention of going to the city to buy a pair of trousers.

"Let me alone for that," he replied. "If he fools me you can send me adrift on the fore-skysail hatch with the main-top-gallant marlinespike for an anchor."

The proprietor still smiled while he assured his customer that there could not be any mistake. It was only the pair he had looked at, etc. The jolly tar cast his eye to another part of the counter and said:

"There is the pair I bought, and I am sure of it."

"Impossible, you did not look at that pair," was the reply.

"Let me see them," said the jolly tar. They were brought, and then the jolly tar did a curious thing.

"There," said he. "I put that in the leg of the trousers I bought, and here it is to identify them."

When he went back to Indiantown, he carried the trousers he had purchased.

THEIR ACCOUNTS DID NOT AGREE.

It must be generally admitted that the members of the recent delegation to Fredericton fully deserve their pay and that their expense bills are light enough.

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Welsh, Hunter and Hamilton, 97 King St.

OVERCOATINGS, WORSTED TROUSERINGS, TWEED SUITS, W. H. McINNIS, Tailor.

A RARE POEM. It Was Written by a Poet Who Has Since Won Fame.

Leonie—Angels named her And they took the light Of the laughing stars, and framed her In a suit of white.

BOYHOOD OF ROBERT BURNS.

Robert Burns was born January 25, 1759, in a cottage about two miles from Ayr, Scotland.

The family moved from one unfortunate farm to another. From Alloway, where he was taught to read, he went to Mount Oliphant and then to Lochlea, where he learned the rudiments of geometry.

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small volumes in his pocket to study in spare moments in the fields. He loved "The Collection of Songs," poring over them verse by verse when he was driving his cart at labor.

A Former New Brunswicker.

Rev. Joseph Rushton, recently appointed by the bishop city missionary of the episcopal church in Chicago, was born July 6, 1848, at Colne, Lancashire, England.

Mr. Rushton married Miss Catharine Smith, of Colne, nineteen years ago. They have had seven children, of whom three are living—Joseph Augustine, Winifred Muriel and William Cyril.

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There is no better for horses than beans. They contain more nourishment than oats; and in Spain, Italy and in some parts of Austria horses are fed on beans regularly, as we feed our stock on corn.

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"I derived very much benefit from Hood's Sarsaparilla, which I took for general debility. It built me right up, and gave me an excellent appetite."

Fagged Out.

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Worn Out.

"Hood's Sarsaparilla restored me to good health. Indeed, I might say truthfully it saved my life. To one feeling tired and worn out I would earnestly recommend a trial of Hood's Sarsaparilla."

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