SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

[CONTINUED FROM FIFTH PAGE.]

Prov. Sec. and Mrs. Mitchell, Miss Florrie and Miss Helen Grant have returned to their home in St. Stephen.
Mrs. J. Henry Phair has returned from Marysville, where she has been visiting her friend, Mrs.

Rowley.

Master Joe Mowatt, of Montreal, is visiting Master Charlie Weddall.

Mr. R. George is receiving the congratulations of his friends; it's a daughter.

Mr. A. N. Habberley is visiting at Mrs. D. M. Campbell's, King street.

The Misses Andrey and Amra Blair are visiting.

The Misses Andrey and Amra Blair are visiting at "Frogmore," the guests of their sister, Mrs. Robt. F. Randolph.

Miss Matherson, of St. John, is visiting her aunt,

The many triends of Mrs. and Miss Bradley, of Montreal, are pleased to welcome them to the city again. While here they will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. Henry Phair.

Rev. A. J. and Mrs. Mowatt, of Montreal, are in the city, the guests of Mrs. Beverly. Mr. Mowatt will occupy the pulpit of St. Paul's church on Sunday nort.

day next.
Miss Maggie Allen has returned home from a

pleasant visit to Toronto. Sheriff and Mrs. Sterling leave on Friday for a trip to Boston.

Miss Parsons, of Halifax, who has been visiting the past few weeks with Dr. and Mrs. McLeod, lett this morning to join a camping party at Parrsboro. She was accompanied as far as St. John by Miss

Ida McLeod who goes to Grand Manan for a few Miss Mabel Sterling has been visiting with her Miss Maser Sterning has been visiting with her friend, Miss Winnie Everitt.

Miss Alice Mowatt, of Montreal, is the guest of her friend, Miss Myra McLeod.

Miss Ethel Rainsford has returned home, after

a pleasant two weeks spent at Belmont, the guest of Mrs. H. Wilmot.
Mr. and Mrs. W. T. H. Fenety and family are spending a few weeks at Digby and St. John.
Dr. Cliff and family, who have been spending the summer here, returned to their home in Boston

today.

Mr. Frank Beverly, of New York, and Mr. George F. Beverly, of St. John, have been in the city this week, visiting their grandmother, Mrs. F.

A pleasant yachting party have been doing the celestial the past few days. Among them are Messrs. DeBury, Warner, Vroom and Parks, of St. John. Miss Aggie Simmonds returned to her home in

Boston today.

Miss Helen Everett is visiting at St. Andrews. Miss Bessie Sherman has been spending a few days with her friend, Miss Annie Tibbitts. Mr. George Thomoson is reported seriously ill in St. Louis. It is only a very short time since Mr. Thompson visited us, seemingly in the best of

health; his speedy recovery is hoped for.

Mrs. John Pitblado and Miss Lily, are in St.

Andrews, the guest of Mrs. C. W. Everitt.

The Misses Kelly, of Portland, Me., are visiting friends in the city.

Mrs. Bridges and the Misses Bridges have returned home after a pleasant three week's camping

Ars. Montgomery Campbell is very ill.

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Mrs. Porter, Mrs. E. Clark and Mrs. James

McNally left this morning for Bridgetown to attend
the annual convention of the baptist church now

The Misses Queenie and Gipsy Edgecombe are in St. John visiting their aunt, Mrs. Arthur Edge-The rumor that Miss Galt has resigned her position as teacher in the model school is without

Mrs. H. H. Pitts is enjoying the cool breezes of the Bay Shore.

Mrs. Luke Stewart leaves tomorrow for a two weeks visit to St. John.

Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Crawley are visiting Mrs. Crawley's old home in Berwick. Rev. Mr. Stewart of St. John officiated in the Baptist church on Sunday last in the absence of Mr. Crawley.

Miss Mamie McNally has goue to Berton, where she will take a school. Miss Fannie McNally has

Miss Mary Philips left Saturday for Florence-Miss Gunn of St. John is in the city, the guest of

Miss Mary Akerley has returned from a pleasant Mr. Chas. Burchill of Boston is here spending his vacation.
Miss Maggie Maxwell of St. John is visiting Friends in the city,
Prof. Hunton of Sackville academy and Mr. Geo.
Inch are camping at Grand Lake.
Mr. and Mrs.W. F. Sharp of Boston are the guests

of Mr. and Mrs. S. Owens.
Miss Myra Sherman has gone to Upper Queensbury to teach school. Rev. Wm. Ross of Prince William was in the city yesterday en route for Hopewell, being sum-

moned by the very serious illness of his two The new captain of the Salvation Army here is Miss Galt, daughter, of Sir Thomas Galt of Toronto, Mrs. Alonso Staples and family have returned from Flume Ridge, where they have been spending

Miss Hattie McGee, formally of Fredericton, now

Miss Hattie McGee, formally of Fredericton, now of Chicago, has presented the new baptist church Marysville with a fine organ, in memory of her father, who was once a minister at that place.

Mr. Wool, of Michigan, is in the city, having come to accompany Miss Wool home, they are the guests of their brother-in-law, Mr. Herbert Winter.

Miss Annie Williams has returned home from Antigonish N. S. Antigonish, N. S.
Miss Madge McLeod has gone to Penniac to take

One of the prettiest of summer weddings, took place last Wednesday at Penniac, at the residence of Mrs. Geo. Allen, when her daughter, Miss Irene, was united in marriage to Mr. William Donald. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. T. Parsons under the shade of a large elm tree on the lawn in front of Mrs. Allen's house, in the presence of nearly 100 guests. The bride was attired in a handsome gown of white henrietta cloth, trimmed with brocade satin and lace. She was attended by her sister, Miss Arabella Allen, and the groom was supported by Mr. Wm. Gilmour, of Stanley. The bride, who is a great favorite, was the recipient of many beautiful and costly presents. — CRICKET.

MONCTON.

[PROGRESS is for sale in Moncton at the book store of W. H. Murray, Main street, and on the streets by J. E. McCoy.]

Aug. 17 .- The garden party given last Wednesday evening by the ladies of St. John's Presbyterian church, on the grounds of Mr. A. E. Killam, was a very great success, nearly 300 people being present. The clerk of the weather had a lucid interval and even vouchsafed a little moonlight for the merry makers to walk home by. The cornet band discoursed music on the grounds, and the members of the choir sang sweetly in the drawing room, while Mr. and Mrs. Killam did all that kind hearts and willing hands could do, to make their large party of guests feel thoroughly at home. The grounds were beautifully decorated with Chinese lanterns and flags, and presented a very festive appearance. I believe the receipts were nearly \$40, and go towards

Miss Cooke returned on Thursday from a month's visit to Parrisboro.

Rev. Cecil F. Wiggins, rector of Sackville, preached in St. George's church on Sunday morning and evening. He was the guest of Mr. and Mrs.

the hotel.

Mrs. J. O'Gorman and her friend, Mrs. George Lavers, of St. John, are spending a few weeks at the hotel.

J. W. Binney during his stay in town.

Mr. J. B. Magee received news last week of the death of his mother, Mrs. John S. Magee, which took place at her home in St. Andrews, after only a tew days severe illness. Mrs. Magee had been in failing health for some months, but her last illness was very short. Mr. Magee has the sympathy of his numerous friends in his great loss.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Binney had their son and heir baptized on Sunday morning at St. George's

church, the officiating clergyman being the Rev. C. F. Wiggins of Sackville, who married them. Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Milner, of Sackville, stood spon-Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Killam are spending a

few days at Parrsboro. Mrs. John B. Forster, of Dorchester, and Miss Forster spent a few days in town last week, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. T. V. Cooke, of Steadman

street.
Mr. and Mrs. Gordon M. Blair left town on Tuesday to spend a fortnight in Nova Scotia and Prince

Edward Island.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Milner, of Sackville, spent
Monday in town visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Hewson, of Alma street.

Miss Belle Ward left town last Wednesday to
spend a few weeks with friends in Truro and Hali-Mr. S. J. Plunkett, teller of the Bank of Montreal,

returned on Monday from a short visit to Halilax.

Mrs. A. M. McKay returned on Friday from Pictou where she has been spending a fortnight at her Mr. Henry O'Leary, formerly of the I. C. R. offices here, but now of New York, who has been

spending his summer vacation at his old home, re turned to New York yesterday afternoon. Mrs. R. A. Borden, and Miss Sadie Borden returned on Monday from Sussex, where they had been visiting Mrs. Borden's mother, Mrs. William

Rev. John Prince and Mrs. Prince left town on Thursday for Pugwash, N. S., where they will spend Miss Forster, and her friend, Miss Miller, of Weldford, left town on Monday for Weldford, where Miss Forster will spend the next few weeks.

Splint Seating; Duval, Union street.

The Misses Elliott, of Pugwash, are visiting Mr. Mrs. James Angus, of Lutz street.
Mrs. J. S. Marnie returned on Saturday from St.
John, where she has been visiting her mother, Mrs.
H. W. Thorne.

Mr. Murray Flemming left town on Monday for

Kansas City, to attend a session of the International Grand Lodge of Knights of Pythias.

Mrs. T. V. Cooke, after a brief rest, is once more foremost in good works. This time her efforts are directed towards helping the members of the Y. M. C. A. to pay the debt on Outing park, and thus secure the grounds which they have done so much towards heavificing and improving. The coming towards beautifying and improving. The coming entertainment for which Mrs. Cooke is working will take the form of a gipsy camp, which is to be established "for three nights only" at Outing park, early next month, and which will include many other attractive features, besides the one from which it takes its name. There could scarcely be a more worthy object, and I am sure we will all work heart and hand to assist 'the boys" in paying off the debt which has been such a heavy burden on their shoulders ever since the grounds were first taken over.

CECIL GWYNNE.

SUSSEX.

[PROGRESS is for sale in Sussex by R. D. Boal and Aug. 17 .- Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Gould returned last week from their wedding trip to Boston. Mrs. Gould is receiving her friends this week.

The schools reopened on Monday and brought Mr. Rupert Hanson and Mr. Charles Perry from their well earned vacations.

Mr. Charles Arnold, of Moncton, spent Sunday at the "Willows." It was with sorrow and regret that many Sussex people heard the sad news of the death of Mrs. Mc-Leod which took place this week at Penobsquis.

Miss Maud Cougle spent Fiday and Saturday in Mrs. Smithers and the Misses Smithers, of Halifax, are visiting the Rev. A. W. Smithers, of Water-

ford. Mr. Wilford Fenwick, of St. John, was in town Mrs. Frank McCully, of Moncton, and Mrs. Bennison, of Pictou, who have been visiting Mrs. James Ryan, left yesterday for Hampton where they will spend some days with Mrs. McCully's sister, Mrs. S. H. Hayward.

Mr. McCully was in town on Sunday, but returned to Moncton on Monday.
Dr. R. J. Robertson, of St. John, spent Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Allan Haillett, Miss Gorham, Miss Violet Kinnear, Mrs. Lamb and Mr. James Lamb went to Point du Chene on Thursday last.

Mr. Ernest Smith, of Baie Verte, was in town yesterder.

Miss Mary Cougle left today to visit friends in St. John.
The Misses Russell, of St. John, are the guests of Mrs. Robert Keltie. Miss Josie Otty is visiting relatives in Hampton, Mr. Heber Dixon of Brooklyn spent a few days

terday, and was the guest of his mother, Mrs. Wm.

in town last week. Mrs. E. Hallett and family, who have been so-journing at "Squirrelcote" for some weeks, returned home on Monday. Mr. John Sinclair of St. John spent Sunday in

Mr. Colter White of Newton, Mass., supplied the oulpit of the Free Baptist church on Sunday, both mr. T. E. Arnold spent Saturday in St. John.
Miss Flora Hoar of Minneapolis is visiting her
aunt, Mrs. W. T. Pitfield-

aunt, Mrs. W. T. PitfieldMiss Bertie Chesley of St. John, has been visiting her friend, Mrs. Geo. Martin.
Miss Jessie Aitken, of Boston, who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. T. E. Arnold, left on Saturday to spend a few weeks with friends in St. John.
Mr. Hawksley Merritt and Mr. Wetmore Merritt, of St. John, spent Sunday at "the knoll."
Mrs. C. W. Wetmore is spending a few days in St. John.

Mrs. Raymond and Miss May Arnold are spending a week at Digby, the guests of Mrs. Harding.
Mrs. Moren and Miss Harriet Hazen, of St. John, Mrs. Wetmore Merritt and family are visiting in Mrs. Hawksley Merritt and children are spending | Net Flouncings,

HAMPTON VILLAGE.

Aug. 17 .- Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Melick and family of St. John, are the guests of Mrs. Charles McAvity for a few weeks Miss Hay, of St. John, is visiting Mrs. J. Ray-

The Misses Dibble, of St. John, are visiting their

sister, Mrs. H. J. Belding.
Mrs. Collins, of Boston, and Miss Cruikshank, of
Fredericton, are visiting Mrs. Wm. Otty.
The Misses Annie, Lydie and Jennie Wetmore, of Boston, are spending a few weeks with Mrs. C

Mrs. A. and Miss Harding, of Lowell, Mass., are visiting Mrs. Harris.

Miss Bertie Morton and Miss Freeze, of Penobsquis, spent Sunday with Mr. G. M. Freeze.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Carvell spent Sunday at Bothsay Rothesay. Miss Jennie Sinclair, of Carleton, is visiting her friend, Miss Mabel Mabee.

Mrs. B. Moore, who has been spending a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. J. D. Mabee, has re-

Mr. M. E. Harrington, who is attending the military school at Quebec, is expected home this Mr. H. R. Dixon of Brooklyn, N. Y., and Mr. Fred Wetmore of Boston spent their vacation at

Mr. E L. Wedderburn has secured a good posi-Miss Stephens of St. John is visiting triends here. Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Flewelling and family are spending a few weeks at St. Martins. Miss Minnie Hammond is confined to the house by

Miss S. Flewelling of Boston is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. C. Crawford.

Rev. Mr. Macdonald and Mrs. Earle of Fredericton and Miss Cook of Carleton are visiting Mrs. R.

Miss Daisy Vail of Sussex, who has been visiting Miss Wedderburn, has returned home.
Mr. and Mrs. Black, of Amherst, who have been visiting Mrs. M. Lawrence, returned hon

The baptist church have granted Rev. Mr. Howard a few weeks vacation, he expects to spend part in Woodstock and Nova Scotia.

Mr. Harry White, of Lynn, Mass., spent a day with Mrs. C. Dixon. The Thursday excursions on the steamer Clifton

are getting very popular. Excursionists should bear in mind that the young ladies of the church of England sewing circle provide light refreshments on the arrival of the steamer.

Messrs. Thos. H. Perkins, Frank B. Hayward and M. O. Atkinson, of St. John, H. H. Dryden, of Sussex, and Mr. Quinn and Mr. McClusky, of Salem, Mass., were here this week.

Judge Wedderburn, with the other representa-tives to the High Court of I. O. of F., leave on Monday for P. E. I.

MUSQUASH.

Aug. 17 .- Mr. R. Clark, of Carleton, and his friend, Mr. Skinner, of Halifax, spent Sunday at

Miss A. Robb, of St. John, has arrived to take Miss A. Robb, of St. John, has arrived to take charge of the school.

Mr. W. F. Roberts, Jr., the talented young musical essayist, spent Sunday at the hotel.

Mr. L. W. Pond, of Eau Claire, Wis., visited Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Balcom for a few days last Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Knight on the arrival of a little daughter.

The members of Ivanhoe Lodge expect to have a picnic to St. George about September 8.

Miss Beard, of St. John, spent a few days with her friend, Miss Carrie Knight, last week. I hear rumors of weddings and invitations; of which more next week.

HARCOURT.

[PROGRESS is for sale at Mrs. S. J. Livingston's grocery store, Harcourt. Aug. 17 .- Mr. and Mrs. John Stevenson of Richibucto, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Brown. Rev. Fr. Morrissey was here yesterday on his way

Col. W. A. D. Steven of Richibucto was here yesterday en route south. Miss Lizzie Buckley returned from Boston on

Saturday morning.
Mr. M. T. Glenn spent Saturday in Moncton and returned home on Sunday morning.

Dr. Keith was summoned to Richibucto on Monday in consequence of the illness of Mrs. Keith at the residence of her mother, Mrs. J. F. Black. Mrs. J. McDermott, who has been visiting at Sydney the past four weeks, is expected home

Mrs. Richardson of Chipman, Queen's county, is visiting her brother, Mr. Andrew Dunn.
Mr. W. F. Brown, who has been ill for the past three weeks is slowly recovering.

Miss McPherson of St.John is visiting her cousin, Mrs. John Beattie.

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Mr. Thomas M. McKelvie of Rockland, Westmorand Co., was here on Saturday. Rev. Fr. Hebert of St. Paul was here on Saturday he guest of Mr. James Buckley. Miss Marion Wathen returned to Black Brook on Miss Lucy Chrystal left by train on Monday for

anaan. Mr. Robert Saulnier spent part of Wednesday and Thursday last at Kingston.
Mr. T. A. Peters of Hampton and Mr. J. H.Leonard of St. John, passed through here yesterday gong north on a fishing excursion. Mr. Robert Chalmers of the Dominion Geological Survey, was here yesterday going east.

Mrs. Mundy of the Ladies' college, Halifax, was here on Monday returning from Jacquet River.

Mr. Phinney, M. P. P., and Mr. W. A. Black, of Richibacto, arrived here late last night. The former

oceeded to St. John. RICHIBUCTO.

Aug. 17-Miss McRoberts, of the intermediate department, and Miss Caie, of the advanced department, returned from their vacations on Saturday. The former was visiting in Woodstock, the latter in

Miss Thompson, of Campbellton, is visiting in Miss Forster and Miss Maud Grierson returned to Dorchester last Saturday.

Messrs. Fred Pitou, of Montreal, and Walter
Rankine, of St. John, were in town last week. Miss Emma Amireaux has taken a school at Pine Ridge for the present term.
Col. W. A.D. Steven is visiting some southern

towns this week. Capt. Geo. Shand is in port with the bark Ossema n his second trip this season.

Miss Jessie White has returned from her trip to Point du Chene.

Mrs. T. H. Ramsay returned to her home in Red-

bank on Tuesday.

Mr. Geo. W. Robertson is confined to his house at present with a fractured limb. Kingston will be the scene of three weddings within the next few weeks. Miss Fannie Grierson has gone to Amherst where she will remain for some time

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Miner, formerly of this town, but now of Amherst, are visiting friends here. Mrs. J. W. Morton, of Kent Junction, is visiting AURORA.

JACQUET RIVER.

Aug. 16 .- Mrs. John Barclay entertained the visitors at the hotel to a social last Friday. Among the guests were: Miss Sara Harris (Montreal), Miss Kean, (Campbellton), the Misses Richmond, Miss Read, (St. John), Mrs. J. P. Burchill, Mrs. Geo. Burchill, Mrs. Sargent, Miss O'Brien, Miss Gorman Nelson, Mrs. Sargent, Miss O'Brien, Miss Gorman Nelson, Mrs. A. Ritchie (Newcastle), Mr. and Mrs. J. Harris, (Montreal), Mr. and Mrs. Yerxa, (St. Paul) and Messrs. Fred Meagher, principal St. Dunstan's school (Fredericton), J. L. Sharkey, (Fredericton), A. Duncan, (Belfast, Ireland), Mr. Hamilton, (Galt, Ont.), Mr. Melanson Mr. Claude Brown, Mr. J. Jardine, of Campbellton, and others. Dancing was kept up until the wee small hours and Dancing was kept up until the wee small hours and all had an enjoyable time. Miss Pride and Miss Durkey leave shortly for Miss Sara Barclay is expected home on a visit from Vermont, where she has been nursing for the Miss Amanda Doyle has returned from normal school, carrying with her first class honors. B. T.

SPRINGHILL.

[PROGRESS is on sale at J. S. McDonald's bookstore and by Daniel A. Fraser]. Aug. 18.-Springhill never witnessed a more brilliant or fashionable wedding than was celebrated in St. Andrews church today at 5 30 p. m., when Laura, daughter of Mr. John Anderson, was united in marriage to Mr. D. Irvine Forbes of the Halifax Banking Co., Lunenburg, by the Rev. D. W. Wright. The bride, who was one of Springhill's most popular young ladies, was elegantly attired in ivory brocaded satin en train, with trimmings of rich cream lace, veil and orange blossoms and carried a bouquet of lilies of the valley; she looked sur-passingly lovely. Miss Minnie Anderson attended her sister and looked charming in lavender brocaded satin with white chiffon trimmings; she carried a bouquet of white roses. Miss Bessie McLeod, a little niece of the bride was maid of honor and filled her important position in a most graceful manner. Her dress was white with lavender trimmings. The groom who was formerly with the Halifax Banking Co. here and most popular with all classes, was ably supported by Mr. R. O. Christie.

The church was beautifully decorated with cut flowers and potted plants, and was crowded to over-flowing long before the time appointed for the ceremony. Miss Christie Fraser presided at the organ and played the wedding march as the bridal party entered the church, the bride leaning on her fathers arm. The ushers were Messrs. John Murray, jr., and A. A. M'Kinnon. After the ceremony a reception was held at the residence of the bride's parents, at which only intimate friends of the family parents, at which only intimate friends of the family were present Refreshments were served after which Mr. and Mrs. Forbes left on the seven o'clock train for a wedding trip, going first to Cape Breton and from there to the United States, after which they will reside in Lunenburg. The bride's going away gown was steel gray, plainly made and with reefer of the same material. Mr. and Mrs. Forbes were the recipients of many costly and magnificent presents and the best wishes of a very large circle. presents and the best wishes of a very large circle of friends for a long and happy life follow them to

A large number of friends accompanied the party to the Junction, and the C. P. R. parlor car was de-luged with rice. After the ceremony and the wedding party returned to the house, Mr. and Mrs. Forbes received a large number of congratulations from riends in Scotland and elsewhere.

friends in Scotland and elsewhere.

The following were invited guests: Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Cove, Dr. and Mrs. Jos. Hayes, Mr. A. E. Fraser, Mrs. A. E. Fraser, Mrs. A. E. Fraser, Mrs. A. E. Fraser, Mrs. J. S. Macdonald, Mrs. J. S. Macdonald, Mrs. J. S. Macdonald, Mrs. H. H. Archibald, Mrs. Muirhead, Mrs. D. McKay, Mrs. A. H. McLeod, Mrs. A. H. McLeod, Mr. A. H. McLeod, Mr. Daniel McLeod, Mrs. Daniel McLeod, Miss M. Dick, Miss S. Murray, Miss M. Alloway, Miss D. Alloway, Miss Lillie Taylor, Miss M. Robbins, Miss C. Fraser, Miss Hall, Miss Laura Hall, Miss I. Alexander, Mr. A. A. McKinnon, Mr. R. O. Christie, Mr. E. Laflamme, Mr. John Murray, jr., Mr. Wm. Murray, Mr. Hugh Murray, Mr. Robert Murray, jr., Mr. F. Hefferman, Mr. Colin McLeod, Mr. Arthur Alloway and Mr. Clifford Black.

Clifford Black.
Mrs. R. D. G. Beebe, of Wentworth, was in town this week attending her sister's, Miss Laura Anderson's wedding.

The Misses McKay, of Pictou, are the guests of Miss Susie Murray this week.

Miss Lily Hennessey is spending the summer in Arichat, where she is the guest of Miss May Fuller, daughter of Chas. Fuller.

Master Bertie Fuller returned from a visit to Halifax last week. He was accompanied by Master Clarie Leahy. Miss Maggie Fuller is still in Halifax.

Mrs. Alloway and Mr. Arthur Alloway have returned from a brief visit to Pugwash.

The Misses Proctor and others who were spending their vacation in Pugwash have returned to town.

Mars II.

EXPERT KITE FLYING.

Four Chinese Show their Skill to the Amazement of Americans.

There were four Chinamen down in the Monument grounds recently, evidently out for a trolic, says the Washington Post, and for about an hour they were the centre of a wondering crowd of Americans who enjoyed the most fantastic piece of kite flying that it is often the lot of a good Yankee

Two of the Celestials were attired in faultless tailor-made clothes, but the other two still clung to the flowing costume of the East, though their light silk tunics and embroidered shoes were of richer material than one often sees aside from the members of the legation. Their kite was of the famous dragon pattern, and from the ground looked the exact counterpart of a hungered and white lizard 20 or 30 feet long, with a staring head, blue whiskers, and a waving tail of flaming red cloth that lashed about in an excited way.

The monster cut all sorts of strange antics. For a while it would lie still, straigh and rigid except for the ceaseless movement of the red tail. Then it would begin to undulate like a great water snake, and darting about the sky strain at its tether, threatening to crawl down the chimney of the Bureau of Engraving and Printing, and then, changing its mind, mount away heavenward with a snaky quiver through-

out its whole length. The little Chinaman in a lilac silk shirt, who was engineering the ground end of the Umbrella Fittings New; Duval, Union St. kite string, seemed to have some occult

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understanding with this strange pet, in virtue of which it obeyed his slightest motion. A slight turn of his slender brown wrist would send the creature mounting upward into space, and at a sweep of his arm it would go through a whole aerial circus act. It pulled like a demon too, and after capering around on his feet with it for half an hour in the stiff breeze, its master was glad enough to sit down on the big ball of string on the ground and let his arm

But the most remarkable part of the performance came when one of the kite-flyers produced a light bamboo frame covered with rice paper which unfolded in the shape of a butterfly. A pack of firecrackers was attached to it, and when it was hung on the string of the kite, it crawled steadily upward till within a few feet of the dragon's head, when the crackers went off, and the framework folded up and slid back down

the string. When finally tired of their sport, the Orientals hauled in the monster, and as it lay on the ground its construction could be clearly noted. It had a grotesque face with a gaping mouth and windmill eyes that blinked with a rotary motion. The body was made up of twenty or thirty of the lightest discs of rice paper, varying from ten to three inches in diameter and stretched on delicate bamboo hoops and hitched tandem a foot or more apart. The whole was wonderfully light, but when extended presented a surface to the air that

made it float like'a bird. Its owners said that this was not their feast of kites. That came on Sept. 9, and there would be probably many more dragons aloft in the sky. They were out merely for a good time, and, as one of them remarked with a grin. "This mlakee lil'e flun, anyhow."

A Tablet to Beecher.

The tablet to be placed in Plymouth church, Brooklyn, as a memorial of Mr. Beecher, has been completed, and will be unveiled in October. It is 5x4 feet, made of brass, with a bronze medallion portrait of Mr. Beecher in the center. The inscription is: "In Memoriam-Henry Ward Beecher, First Pastor of Plymouth Church, 1847-1887. 'I have not concealed Thy loving kindness and Thy truth from the great congregation."



Mr. L. B. Hamlen,

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