

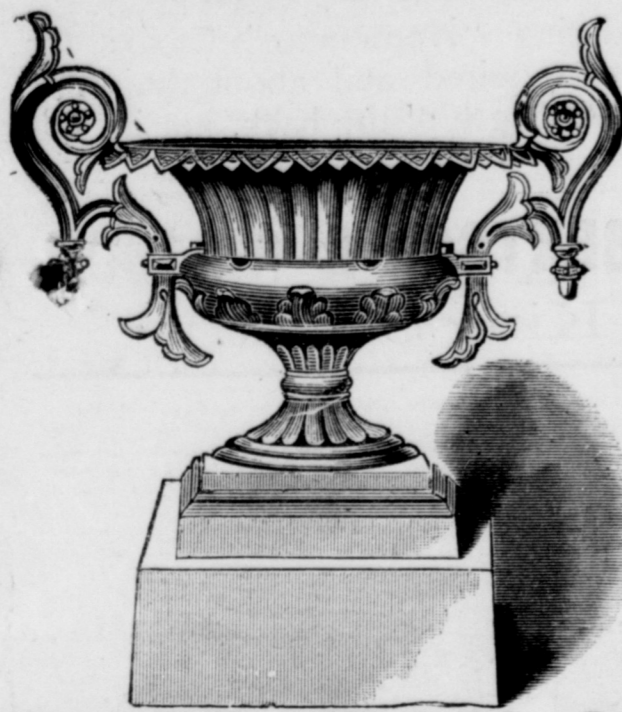
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St. John—South End.

The death occurred on Saturday last of a well known old resident of this city, Mr. J. Albert Vening, who formerly in partnership with Mr. Walter Beard, carried on a large dry goods business in St. John, but who for the past seven years has resided at Upper Sheffield where he died after a short illness of congestion of the lungs. His remains were brought to the city for interment.

Mrs. Collier and family left on Friday last for Scotland where they will in future make their home.

Mrs. L. J. Almon went to Halifax this week in consequence of the death of her niece Miss Laleah Almon which occurred there on Monday last after a long illness.

Miss Agnes Warner returned this week from Montreal where she has been attending McGill college coming off in her exams with very high honors. Mrs. Isaac Burpee is visiting friends at Bangor and Boston.

Miss Susan Murphy of Halifax, is visiting her sister Mrs. Byron G. Taylor, Queen's square.

Miss Wilson who has been visiting Mrs. MacLaren, was called to Toronto this week in consequence of the illness of her brother, Mr. Turner Wilson.

Mrs. Keator largely contributed to the enjoyment of the young people this week by giving two delightful dances on Wednesday and one on Friday evening; her residence, Princess street, not being sufficiently roomy to accommodate all her friends at one time. There were upwards of 50 guests at each dance. A few married people were present on Wednesday, but young people predominated on Friday.

Mrs. Charles F. Harrison was at home this week to receive her friends at her residence, Germain street, when numbers called to offer their congratulations. She was becomingly attired in a tea gown of blue green and black china silk with green lace trimmings.

Mrs. George Dean is, this week, the guest of Mrs. Fred Harding, Wentworth street. She leaves the first of next week for Belleville, Ont., to spend the summer with her mother.

Mr. W. A. MacLachlan's illness of last week has, I hear, developed into typhoid fever.

Miss Amy Carman has returned from Fredericton. Mr. G. Clowes Carman has removed from Sumner street to Wright street.

Mr. and Mrs. James Mowat and family are residing at Mrs. Snider's, Wellington row.

Miss Isabel Jarvis, who has spent the last few months with friends in Philadelphia, returned home on Wednesday.

Mrs. J. H. Geare arrived from Boston this week, she is the guest of Mrs. George Schofield, Wright street.

Misses Katie and Edna Jones are visiting New York.

Mr. Shattford and his son, Mr. Wellesley Shattford, (Hubbards Cove) spent this week in the city.

Mrs. Traque, who has been visiting her parents, Senator and Mrs. Derry, Colong, Cliff, and is greatly interested in church work. Mrs. Mitchell was a sister of Hon. J. S. Carvell, Lieut. Governor of Prince Edward Island.

Mr. Arthur Wright has removed from his late residence to another house in Gooderich street.

Rev. Willard Macdonald, of Fredericton is in the city.

Mr. E. J. Wetmore has been confined to his house through illness this week.

Mrs. John A. Kaddock, who has been for the last few days in Boston, has returned to St. John, and is stopping at the Victoria hotel.

Rev. Mr. Howell, of St. John's church, has gone to spend a short vacation at Chatham.

Mr. J. B. Dixon left for New York on Monday night, en route for a trip for the benefit of his health, as he has been suffering for some time from the effects of a severe cold.

Bishop Sweeney left on Tuesday night for Boston and New York, on a trip for the benefit of his health, as he has been suffering for some time from the effects of a severe cold.

Mr. T. H. Hall has been visiting Fredericton.

Mr. F. H. Hayes, school superintendent, who has been ill for some time, is now able to be about again.

Mr. J. M. Johnson left this week for Boston and New York.

Mr. Len Saunders, so well known here, was married last Thursday morning in New York, to Miss Ella Benjamin of that city. Quite a number of St. John people, who now reside in Brooklyn and New York, were present on this occasion. Mr. Saunders is engaged, I hear, in the brokerage business there.

Mrs. Isaac Burpee, who has been visiting Mrs. E. R. Burpee at Bangor, has gone on to Boston.

Rev. John deSoyres is visiting Halifax this week.

Mrs. R. E. Somers is visiting friends at Springfield, Kings county.

Rev. R. Mathers will take charge of the Sunday services at the Mission chapel until a successor is found for Rev. J. H. Geare.

Rev. O. S. Newham, St. Stephen, was in town last week.

Miss Wickwire, N. S., is the guest of Mrs. Joe Stone, Germain street.

Miss May Titus is visiting friends in St. Martins.

Mr. Robert Murray has returned from Halifax.

Rev. J. W. Manning of Halifax, will occupy the pulpit of the Germain street Baptist, on Sunday.

Miss Burrell has returned to Yarmouth, N. S.

Capt. and Mrs. Lane (nee Miss Robinson) are receiving congratulations this week. The stranger is a son.

Mrs. W. E. Collier and family, who intend making their future home in Scotland, were passengers by the Allan line steamer from Halifax on Saturday.

Mr. LeB. McBeath left on Wednesday last for Boston, where a position awaits him.

Miss Blanche Jones, who has been enjoying a few days' vacation at her home on Elliot row, returned on Saturday to the Mount Pleasant convent.

Miss Lillie Brock went to Rothesay on Monday.

Mrs. Woods and Miss Derbyshire, who have been the guests of Mr. H. P. Timmerman, Hazen street, left this week for their home in Montreal.

Mrs. G. Hoyt, who has been confined to the house the past week, is now better.

The pupils of the Academy of the Sacred Heart, Mount Pleasant, held a very successful fancy sale on Wednesday afternoon.

Invitations were out on Thursday for a ball to be given in the Pusey building on Wednesday next.

Mr. A. J. Baxter spent a day or two in Musquash last week.

Mrs. J. Aubrey, wife of the late Capt. Thomas, Aubrey, has returned from Charlottetown, Mass., where she has been visiting for the last few months. Her friends are glad to see her looking so well after her trip.

Mrs. J. Street and Mr. John B. Gries, of Fredericton, were in the city last week attending the masonic gathering.

Miss Harrington, of Dorchester, arrived in the city Saturday, and is stopping at the Berton house.

St. John—North.

Mrs. Wisely has been spending the past week with her mother, Mrs. McLean.

Mr. and Mrs. George Travis have given up their house on Cedar street and will leave shortly for British Columbia where they will reside in future.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Keltie have given up house-keeping and are boarding with Mrs. Stevenson, Douglas avenue.

Master Lou Bruce who left recently for Bar Harbor is occupying a good position there.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Keele and family moved on Friday to Richmond street.

Mr. James Seely has taken up his residence in Kentville, N. S.

Miss Beatty of West End, is visiting Mrs. Jordan this week.

Mr. James Gilchrist of Sheffield, is visiting his father Dr. Gilchrist.

Dr. J. Smith and Mr. Ed. Armstrong leave on Friday evening for a pleasure and business trip to Boston.

On Thursday evening a pleasant surprise party was held at the residence of the Misses Dalton, Bridge street, Indian town, at which the usual amusements were participated in, after which a supper and refreshment was served. The following ladies and gentlemen were present: Misses Dalton, Betts, Cunningham, Logan, Fanoj, Hazzell, Berry, Coles, Nelson, Bonnell, Donald, Williams, Patzek; and Messrs. Adams, Williams, McConnell, Gillen, Nelson, Cunningham, Logan, Dalton, Mahony, Dinsmore, Fanoj. The party broke up at an early hour, well pleased with the way in which they were entertained.

Mrs. Robert Armstrong, of St. Andrews, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Patterson, Rockland road.

Mr. B. A. Scott left last week for a trip to Coleraine.

Mrs. Pickles, wife of Rev. F. H. W. Pickles, former pastor of Portland Methodist church, was visiting here this week on her return from Boston. While here she was the guest of Mrs. Harris, Paradise row.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Daye have returned from their wedding trip and have gone to house-keeping on Douglas avenue.

Mr. Leonard Holder and family, of Yarmouth, have removed to St. John. They will occupy half of Miss Ruddock's house on High street. Rev. Mr. Tippet taking the other half.

Mr. W. George Watson left on Tuesday evening last for his home at Montreal.

Miss Alice Hayden, of Bangor, is visiting relatives here.

I hear of a wedding that is to take place the first of June, the happy couple will reside on High street.

Mr. Harry Simpson left last Sunday evening for a two weeks trip to Boston and New York.

Rev. James McConnell, who came down from Gibson to see his brother previous to his departure for Minneapolis, returned home on Saturday last.

The Misses Thompson left on Tuesday last to visit friends in Boston.

Mrs. George Murray of Truro, N. S., is visiting friends on Douglas avenue.

Mrs. M. McLeod who have been visiting relatives here, have returned to their home in Prince Edward Island.

Mrs. J. McKel of Moncton, is visiting here, she is the guest of her aunt Mrs. T. Kenney.

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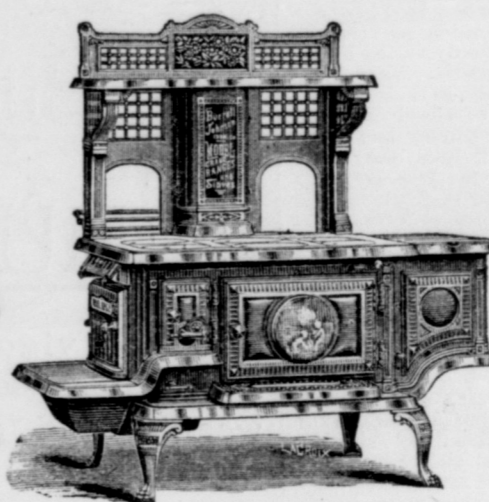
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