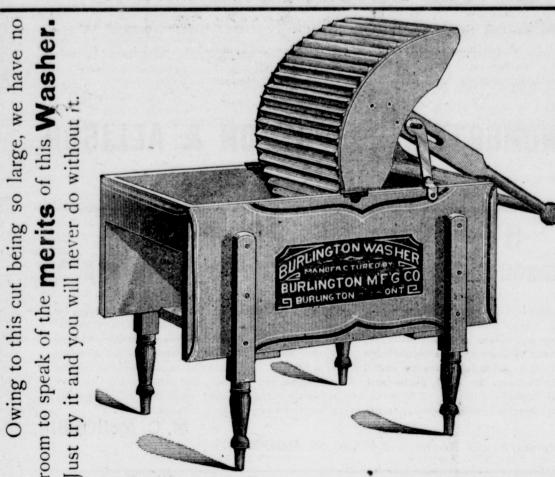
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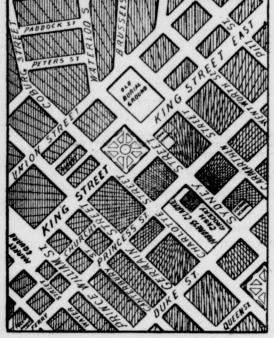
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At a meeting of the vestry of St. Luke's church a unanimous call was extended to Rev. E. W. Sibbald of Lloydtown, Ont., who is 34 years old

An oid and respected citizen, Mr. Geo. S. De Forest, died Tuesday morning, after a long and te

dious illness.

Rev. Howard Sprague was called to Hampton

the city this week.

The Woman's Mission Society, of Centenary church gave an entertainment Monday evening, when solos were given by Miss Maude Fairall and

Miss McKeown, as well as music by other ladies

and also by the children.

Mrs. Geo S. Deforest has been in very poor health for some time past.

The marriage of Miss Mary E. Melaney, eldest daughter of Michael Melaney, Esq., of this city, and Capt. reorge Dickson Dickie of Mount Rose, Scotland, was solemnized at the Cathedral of the Immachile the forcesping on Monday, morning at seven

ulate Conception on Monday morning at seven

o'clock. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. T. Casey. The bride entered the church on the arm

much gratification to his visiting parents.

Mr. Yeo Lovitt and Miss Lovitt, of Yarmouth are

Rev. L. G. Stevens has returned from a visit to the United States.

The marriage of Mr. Samuel Milligan and Miss

Eva Kerr was solemnized Wednesday evening at the residence of the bride's tather, Mr. Samuel Kerr, Waterloo street, in the presence of the imme-

diate friends and relatives of the bride and groom. The bride was attired in white sik brocade to immed

The bride was attired in white sik brocade thimmed with chiffon, and was attended by Miss Ethel Milligan, sister of the groom, who wore cream bengaline, and by Miss Effie McLean, of Eastport, who was gowned in pink challie. Both bride and bridesmaids carried beautiful bouquets of roses. Many beautiful gitts were received by Mr. and Mrs. Milligan, notably, a marble clock by the City Club, of which Mr. Milligan is a member.

Sheriff Harding died very suddenly, Thursday morning, at his residence, from an attack of con-

morning, at his resideuce, from an attack of Mrs. James McFarlane, King street east, is ill with pneumonia contracted this week.

Mr. Silas McDiarmid has also been very ill

Mr. Silas McDiarinio has also becovering the same malady but is slowly recovering.

Argus.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Dykeman have returned to

Mrs. A. L. Goodwin and Miss Bessie Clarke who

Miss Hoben of Fredericton is visiting Miss Kate

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St. John-West End.

Dame rumor has been hearing of a few engage

ments and matrimonial intentions, which will no

doubt interest the triends of those interested. Tie

marriages will take place, we believe, sometime

Mrs. C. T. Purdy of Moncton, has been visiting

Rev. Mr. Kempton has been in Moncton, where

Mr. and Mrs. Wardroper will move to the city,

Mrs. Charles Nelson will be at the Bay Shore

Dr. Joe Morrison with his parents and sister, will

Mrs. Shaw, who has been visiting Mrs. Mayes has

Miss Maudie Driscoll's friends were glad to wel-

come her home again after an absence of some

Miss Claire McFarlane of Fredericton, is expected this week to visit her friend, Miss Beatteay.

Mr. Edward Scammell left last week for Minnea-

HAMPTON.

APRIL 20 .- The death of Mrs. Sprague, wife of

Rev. S. W. Sprague, on Saturday was heard

with sadness by her friends. Mrs. Sprague was a most estimable lady-generous, loving, kind

Deceased was the mother of Rev. Dr. Howard Sprague, the pastor of Centenary church, St. John. The obsequies were conducted at her late residence

and the Methodist church by Rev. Samuel Howard

resident pastor, and Rev. William Tweedie, assisted

by Rev. Job Shenton, Rev. Geo. M. Campbell, Rev.

Chas. H. Paisley and Rev. Geo. Steel, of St. John.

H. Sprague, of St. John, Thomas F. Sprague, M. D.,

[Continued on eighth page.]

Among the strangers in town this week were Rev.

move to the city, May 1st, and occupy a house o

May 1st, much to the regret of their friends on this side of the water. Mr. and Mrs. coster will occupy

St. John and are boarding at Rev. J. E. Hopper's,

have been visiting triends in Boston, returned hom

Leinster street.

during the summer.

her mother, Mrs. Montgomery.

the cottage vacated by them.

returned to her home in Chatham.

House for the summer.

months in Montreal.

he performed an interesting ceremony.

Mr. Joseph E. Scott left a few days ago for Pitts. burg, Pennsylvania where he intends spending some weeks, and rumor says that he will not return alone. Miss Maud and Miss Hattie Hanington, of Dorchester, are now visiting friends in this city-Mr. Clement Burns, of Halifax, who has been

spending some days here has returned home. last week in consequence of his mother's death.
The funeral took place at Hamptos, when many
friends of the family were present
Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Killam, of Yarmouth, were in Lient. V. Williams, R. A., of Bristol, England, and Mr. E. M. Williams, of Manitoba, have been in

Mrs. A. H. Beddome, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. John C. Allison here, has returned to

last Sunday night for Chicago, on business connected with the World's Fair.

Miss L. B. Olive has returned home from Boston, where she has been for some time attending the Conservatory of Music.

Mr. Frank Gallagher who recently went to a hospital in New York for medical treatment, has sent a telegram to his friends here, saying that he

T. Casey. The bride entered the church on the arm of her father and looked very charming in a dress of fawn amazon cloth, with bonnet to match and carried a shower bouquet. Sne was followed by her sister Miss Minnie Melaney her bridesmaid. The groom was supported by Mr. Sinney Melaney brother of the bride. After the ceremony the bridal party drove to the residence of the bride's father where breakfast was partaken of. The happy couple left on the eleven train on an extended tour through the United States. The bri e was the recipient of many handsome presents, the groom's gift to the bride was a handsome gold watch and pendant.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Connell returned Wednesday from a short visit to Worce ter, Mass, where their son is attending the Holy Cross coll ge. His success while there had been marked which was a source of much gratification to his visiting parents. A very pleasant German re-union was held on Tuesday evening at the residence of Mrs. Patterson, Waterloo street
Mr. George Kirkpatrick of Boston arrived here last week, to enjoy a short vacation with his parents,

Mr. A. W. Macrae is spending this week in

Coburg street. Miss Marion Hazen, who is at present staying with Mrs. Turner Wilson in Toronto, intends before her return to St. John to proceed to Chicago, where she will visit Dr and Mrs. Franklin Coleman, (formerly of this city) and be their guest during the progress of The World's Fair.

Mr. Harry Dunn, arrived here on Tuesday, from Wolfville Academy, N. S.
Mr. Alexander C. Jardine, returned home last week, from a trip to Fredericton, and left again on Sunday night for Monireal. Mr. Arthur I. Trueman, has been confined to his Letters received here, from Mr. John A. Ewing, who is at present in Brazil, state that he intends visiting London. England, before returning to St

Secretary McLeod, of the Y. M. C. A., has been spending some days in Moncton.

Mr. E R. Burpee of Bangor was in town on Tues-

day.
Mr James H. Hamilton returned home on Sat-Professor Stockley of Fredericton spent some days in St. John last week, he was the guest while here of

Rev. John deSovres.

Mr. Kennedy F. Burns M. P. P. for Glocester accompanied by Miss Burns and Miss K. Burns, has been in the city this week, en route to their home in Bathurst from an extended European tour.

Mr. William D. Mathew has been fortunate enough
to win a scholarship of five hundred dollars, tenable for two years, at Columbia college New York, where he is studying at the school of music, Mr. Mathew is a son of Mr. George F. Mathew of this city and a

graduate of the University of New Brunswick.
Dr. and Mrs. Allan M. Ring. and their son, Mr. Arthur Ring, who have been visiting relatives here, returned on Monday to their home at Arlington Heights, Mass.

Mr. Walter White son of Mr. John White, arrived at home today by the C. P R. from Montreal, where he has been attending McGili College.

Miss Marion Shaw left on Monday morning for

Captain Maunsell, of Fredericton, spent Tuesday Sir Leonard and Lady Tilley have returned to Carleton House, from Fredericton.

Mrs. Robert Miller who arrived here on Saturday,

having accompanied her husband's remains from Pasadena, California, lett on Wednesday for Am-Judge Sedgewick, who was the guest here for some days of Dr F. E. Barker, Mount Pleasant, left on Saturday for Halifax.

Miss Jones, of Weymouth, who has been visiting

relatives in this place, returned home on Monday.

Mr. Thomas Killam and his wife, of Yarmouth,
N. S., have been in town this week.

Captain and Mrs. Akerley who has been spending the past winter in our city left on Saturday for Fredericton. Mr. David Lynch of Paradise Row, has returned home from a visit to Halifax. Mrs. N. D. Hooper and her children have been

visiting relatives at Fredericton for the past week. Mr. E. R. Moore returned last Saturday from his trip to Montreal.
Mr. George Troop, has returned from a trip that

he has been enjoying to St. Stephen and Frederic-Mr. Charles Spencer, of Moncton, has been visit-

ing his mother here this week.

Mr. W. R. Pendleton, left on Sunday night for Mr T. Partelow Mott, returned from Boston on

Saturday.

Judge Hodgson, of Charlottetown, P. E. I., has been in St. John this week.

Mr. J. C. Robertson, returned home on Saturday, from Montreal.

Ald. and Mrs. Johr Connor, have returned home from their visit to Montreal.

Mr. M. Pearce, left on Sunday night for Denver, Colorado.

Hon. H. R. Emerson, of Dorchester, was in the city this week, the guest of Mr. J. DeWolf Spurr,

Germain street.
Conductors Robert Dalton and Bev. White of the C. P. R, of Medecine Hat, ? ssa., are now here and intend taking their families with them when they return to the Northwest.

Mr. J. A. S. Mott, of the customs department, re-ceived intelligence last Tuesday of the death of his brother Mr. Amos S. Mott at Lower Prince William, where for the last six weeks he had been under the care of his brother, Dr. Mott, having returned from Denver, Colorado, in consequence of a malady which he knew must terminate fatally.

Senator Snowball, of Chatham, spent Wednesday in St. John.

Delta.

Mr. Stewart Macauley, of Halifax, was here this

week and it is said will soon be the principal in an interesting contract. Another old resident died this week, Mr. James L.

Dunn who expired Tuesday evening after ten days' illness, though for many years Mr. Dunn had suffour daughters. One son James, is in California, Liverpool, N. S. and Mr. Jeune Sprague, of Liverpool, N. S. the other, Harry, is a student at Wol.ville, while one daughter is the wife of Mr. John P. McIntyre of this city, the others being unmarried.

Many friends who knew Mr. Robert Sheraton, formerly of this city, will learn with regret that his demise occurred in Halifax on Tuesday evening at the age of 80. He was in business in this city for many years before his removal to Halifax. He leaves four sons, Rev. J. P. Sheraton, of Ontario, Mr. A. B. Sheraton, of Halifax, and one in this city, Mr. Sydney Sheraton, of the firm of Sheraton & Kinnear, and Mr. T. R. Sheraton, and one daughter, Miss Jessie Sheraton.

Mrs. George A. Day, gave an "at home," to a large number of friends, on Thursday evening, April 3rd., at her residence, Elliot Row. Among those present were, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Murray, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Crabe, Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Anderson, Mayor and Mrs. Peters, Mr. and Mrs. G. Tapley, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fowler, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Purchase, Mrs. Thos. Perkins, Mrs. Will Jones, Miss Maude Russell, Miss N. Howorth, Miss Lowerison, (Amherst) Miss McKee, (St. Andrews,) Miss May Cole, Mrs. Parker, The Misses Day, Miss Harper, (Shedrac), Mr. Henry Cole, Mr. O. Morrell, Mr. W. McIntyre, Mr. Oscar White, Mr. Frank Pitfield, Mr. W. Cain, Mr. Harry Page, Dr. Hetherington.

Page, Dr. Hetherington.

The friends of Wm. J. Fraser gave him a surprise party Tuesday evening on the occasion of his birthday. Drive whist and dancing were the amusements of the evening. Mrs. Geo E. May, won the first prize; Mrs. J. S. Hovt the booby prize; R. S. Edgecombe gentleman's first, A. R. Campbell, the booby. Dr. Hetherington behalf of the friends assembled presented Mr. Fraser with a gold mounted riding whip and a magnificent carriage rug.

Mrs Susan Robertson while walking on Prince William street Monday fell, injuring herself very much. She was assisted to a coach and taken to her

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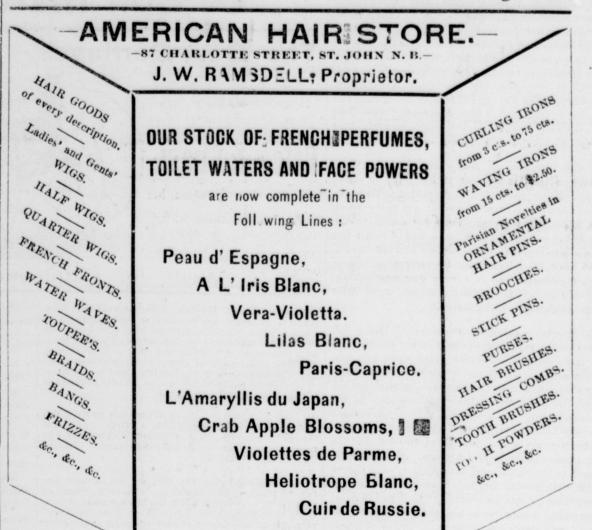
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Mr. Kimball Scammell passed a very successful examination at McGili, as civil engineer. Mr. Scammel has accepted a position in Chicago. Mrs. Frank Daniel, has been visiting her mother, Mrs. R. R. Alian. I believe Mr. and Mrs. Daniel intend leaving Campbeliton and settling in the West, going as far as Chicago just now to the World's Fair. C. B. Allan,

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