

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

(CONTINUED FROM FIFTH PAGE.)

FREDERICTON.

[PROGRESS is for sale in Fredericton by W. T. H. Fenety and J. H. Hawley.]

Nov. 1.—The very sudden death on Friday last of Mrs. James Dever, after only a few hours illness, was a severe blow to her many friends and a great shock to the community. Mrs. Dever was a sister of Dr. Seery, and as Miss Seery will be well remembered. She leaves four children, one a daughter only a few hours old. The funeral service was said by Rev. J. C. McDevitt in St. Dunstan's church and the interment took place at the Hermitage cemetery. The floral offerings were beautiful and completely covered the casket. Mrs. Dever's employe sent a beautiful cross; the Sisters of Charity, cut flowers; Mrs. P. Dever, broken columns; Mr. and Mrs. T. Lynch, a pillow; Mrs. J. H. Barry, cut flowers; Mrs. McPeak, roses; Mrs. John Owens, bouquet; lilies and pansies from Miss Donnelly, cut flowers from brothers and sisters.

The death of Mr. Geo. Hatt, sr., removes from among us one of our oldest residents, he having lived a long and useful life. The funeral took place on Saturday from the Methodist church.

After a painful illness Mr. David Dunlap passed away on Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. and Miss Wark leave for Boston to-morrow, where they will spend several weeks.

Mrs. Chas. S. Everett returned home on Monday from St. Andrews, where she had gone to be present at the funeral of her brother, Mr. Willard Smith.

Mr. Linden Fenety returned home yesterday from the World's Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Fenety, Mrs. Wesley Vanwart and Mrs. James S. Neil have returned from their visit to Boston.

Miss Calder, of Campbellton, is the guest of Miss Black on Shore street.

Mrs. J. V. Ellis, of St. John, is visiting at her old home here.

The Bishop and Mrs. Kingston were at home on Saturday from a trip up the Miramichi and to the sister province.

Mr. E. Baxter left last week for Bathurst, where he will practise his profession.

Mrs. F. O. Thompson and Mr. Thompson's father, Mr. Hume, have returned home. Mr. Hume's friends will be sorry to learn that he still continues in a very precarious condition.

The marriage of Miss Louise Thompson to Mr. Harry Johnston, C. E., formerly of New Brunswick, took place at the residence of Mr. Johnston on Saturday evening at 8 o'clock.

After a short bridal trip they will return to Fredericton, where Mrs. Johnston will receive her bride.

Miss Frankie Tibbitts is taking a course of instruction at the art school in Boston, where she will probably remain during the winter months.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Whitehead entertained a large number of friends to a drive and whist party on Halloween. Mrs. Sherman and Mr. Albert Edgecombe were the winners of the first prizes and Mrs. W. Flowering and Mr. R. S. Barker captured the bonus prizes.

After an enjoyable trip to the World's Fair and as far south as Virginia, Mr. A. C. Murray returned home on Tuesday.

Mrs. Robt. Wiley, Mrs. I. C. Sharp and Miss Jeannette Beverly arrived home on Tuesday from Boston.

Mrs. Hayward Colburn and children have returned from Philadelphia, where they have been visiting at Mrs. Colburn's old home.

Miss Edith Hatt is visiting friends in St. John.

Miss L. Esty went to St. John on Monday.

Mrs. Kelly, who has been the guest of her aunt Mrs. Orr, returned to her home in Toronto on Monday.

Mr. Hedley Bond, of Toronto, is visiting friends in Fredericton.

Mr. and Mrs. Barnaby of St. John have been spending a few days here.

Mr. Allen Joubert has returned from the world's fair.

Miss Kilburn and Miss Smith have returned from visiting friends at Boston.

Mr. Barclay N. A. returned home from Boston on Tuesday.

One of the attractions for Thanksgiving evening is to be an entertainment in the form of amateur theatricals to be given in the city hall, the proceeds to go to the church of England funds. CHUCKER.

WOODSTOCK.

[PROGRESS is for sale in Woodstock by Mr. John Loane & Co.]

Nov. 1.—Rev. Canon and Mrs. Neales were tendered a genuine surprise party on Friday evening, in honor of the twenty-fifth anniversary of their marriage. An efficient committee of ladies of the congregation had the affair in hand, and made it very successful. After service, Mrs. Neales returned home to find her residence brilliantly illuminated, and a joyous company there. When Mr. Neales came in some time later, a presentation of a purse containing \$120 was made by Mr. W. F. Dibblee, in a few well chosen remarks conveying the best wishes of the congregation; after which two little boys on behalf of the Sunday school, presented Canon and Mrs. Neales with a silver sugar spoon and cream pitcher on a silver tray. Canon Neales made suitable replies to the presentations. Refreshments were provided by the ladies, and were heartily enjoyed, a bridal loaf prettily decorated, forming a conspicuous part of the feast. Canon and Mrs. Neales received many other gifts from friends in town, testifying to the great esteem in which they are held by all.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. H. Perkins returned from their bridal tour on Thursday.

Mr. Jas. Carr returned from Chicago on Saturday.

Mr. H. Paxton Baird returned from Chicago on Monday.

Mrs. MacRoberts arrived in Woodstock, Saturday, to spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. C. D. Jordan.

Mr. Julius T. Garden returned from Chicago on Saturday.

Miss Jennie Bransley is visiting in St. John.

Mr. Fred Kerr, of Presque Isle, spent a few days in town this week.

Miss Mina Fisher returned to Fredericton on Saturday.

MONCTON.

[PROGRESS is for sale in Moncton at the Moncton Book Store, Main street, A. H. Jones, and J. E. McCoy.]

Nov. 2.—Miss Emma Marks has returned from a four weeks' visit to friends in St. John.

Mr. Fred Blair is spending a few days at his home in Chatham.

On Wednesday evening Dr. and Mrs. Bradley entertained their young friends to a delightful *soiree d'amusante*. Following is a partial list of the invited guests: Dr. and Mrs. Purdy, Mr. and Mrs. George C. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Peters, Miss Mabel Peters, Miss Jean Thompson (Newcastle), Miss Harris, Miss Williams, the Messrs. Baird, Miss Verner (Campbellton), Miss Annie Cook, Miss Foster, Miss Holstead, Miss Howe (Dartmouth), Miss McEwen, Miss McLaren, Miss Wortman, Miss Marks, Miss Clara Marr, Miss Condon, Miss Sumner, Miss Taylor, the Messrs. Hamilton, Miss Maggie Taylor, Miss Nicholson, Miss Grace Thompson, Miss Bennett, the Messrs. Stronach, Miss Cooke, Miss Alice McEwen, Miss Campbell, Miss Hamilton; Dr. L. N. Bourque, Dr. Wm. Harris, Dr. Taylor, Judge Wiley, Messrs. Geo. B. J. McD. Cooke, A. E. Wilkinson, E. Harris, P. Dixon, C. McCulley, J. Harris, E. Thompson, A. E. Stead, F. Moore, J. Jones, W. Sumner, A. E. Holstead, C. Peters, H. Hamilton, T. Plunkett, F. Tennant, L. Read, F. P. Read, Geo. J. Robb and F. Thompson.

The betrothal was divided between Miss Ada Williams, who wore a charming gown of pale blue china silk, and Miss Emma Marks, who was prettily dressed in white satin.

Mrs. Bradley received in a pretty combination dress of gray and pink.

Mrs. Purdy, brown satin, yellow trimmings.

Mrs. Allen, electric blue silk, passamentarie trimmings, slippers and gloves to match.

Mrs. Peters, black silk, jet trimmings.

Miss Jean Thompson, a pale shade of gray cashmere, pink trimmings.

Miss Harris, pale blue crepe de chene, silver trimmings, natural flowers.

Miss Foster, maize silk, lace trimmings.

Miss McEwen, Nile green cashmere.

Miss Verner, cream and heliotrope chalice, cream slippers and gloves.

Miss Holstead, gray dress, gold passamentarie trimmings.

Miss Hamilton, black lace, yellow trimmings.

Miss Wortman, pale blue nun's veiling, natural flowers.

Miss Cooke, cream chalice, heliotrope trimmings.

Miss Condon, black velvet.

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SACKVILLE.

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Nov. 1.—Mrs. Arthur Casey, of Amherst, was in town on Friday.

Miss Marie Tennant, of St. John, was the guest of her friend, Miss Carrie Outhouse, last week.

Mrs. B. A. Trites, of Pettediac, spent last Wednesday with Mrs. John Humphrey.

Mr. H. A. Powell is moving into his pretty new house on Professor street, Rev. Mr. Hart going into the one vacated by Mr. Powell. Dr. Coleman takes the house Mr. Hart formerly occupied, and Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Bennett are beginning their housekeeping in their new house on York street.

Dr. J. O. Calkins and wife are expected home from his trip to New York this week.

Mr. C. C. Richards was in St. John last week.

Mrs. Wm. Short and Mrs. W. L. Belyea are expected to return this week from Boston and Providence.

Miss Jennie Holder has been engaged to teach the school at Brown's Flat this winter. G. R.

ELGIN, A. C.

Nov. 1.—Mr. and Mrs. S. Steeves are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a son.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Goggin from "The Willows" were here on Sunday.

Mr. W. B. Jones, of Sackville, spent a few days here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Stevens, and Miss Gascon of Goshen, were here this week, the guests of Mrs. W. P. Robinson.

Mrs. Beck, and Miss Minnie Webster, drove to Salisbury, on Saturday.

Mrs. Kane, who has been spending the summer with her sister, Mrs. King, leaves next week, for home in Halifax.

Mr. Frank Steeves and Miss Clara Steeves, drove to Pleasant Vale, on Saturday.

The special event of the week, was the celebration of the china wedding of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Horsman.

Rev. G. Seely, of Pettediac, read a history of the first baptist church in Elgin, on Sunday morning.

Mr. S. J. Baker, of Montreal, arrived this week, and will remain a few days at "The Willows," the guest of Mr. R. H. Goggin.

Mr. Frank Steeves and Miss Clara Steeves, of "Eggs Heights," were here on Monday evening.

Mr. Moore and Mr. Church were elected councillors on Tuesday.

Rumor says that one of our young men, one a dry goods merchant, the other an M. D., are to take part in an important event in the near future.

Mrs. King left Wednesday, for Forest Glen, Pettediac and Havelock.

Mrs. T. R. Constantine and two children, returned from Truro on Tuesday.

ANAGANCE.

Nov. 2.—Mrs. William Campbell and Miss Florence Campbell, of Buffalo, N. J., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Davidson.

Mr. Chas. Price, of Havelock, was visiting friends on Apple Hill last week.

Miss Beatrice Steeves, of Albert, has taken charge of the school here.

Mrs. C. E. Arnold, of St. John, and Mr. George Kinnear, of South Boston, are visiting their mother, Mrs. Susie Kinnear, at Portage.

Mrs. Bertha Mowatt and little daughter, of New Westminster, B. C., were visiting her cousin, Mrs. F. W. Davidson, at Waterside villa last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Dunfield, of Malden, Mass., formerly of this village, have returned to spend the winter with Mrs. Dunfield's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Smith, on Pine avenue.

Rev. E. B. Hooper, of St. John, and Miss Campbell, of this place, spent Sunday last with Mrs. Fred Emerson, at Pettediac.

Mr. Douglas Snider, an old and respected citizen, passed peacefully to rest at his home in Portage, on Monday morning, Oct. 23. Mr. Snider was esteemed by all with whom he came in contact. Mr. Snider was 67 years of age and leaves a widow, two sons and a daughter.

Miss Bertie Davidson, of Apple Hill, spent Monday last at Pettediac.

Mrs. F. W. Emerson, Miss Birdie Emerson and Mrs. Claude Price, of Pettediac, were visiting Mrs. Davidson at the I. C. R. depot last week.

MEMRAMOON.

Oct. 31.—Miss Carey Jones, who has been the guest of Mrs. S. C. Charters, sr., has returned to her home at Truro.

On Saturday evening, Dr. and Mrs. Doherty gave a most enjoyable card party to a large number of their intimate friends, in honor of their guest and relative, Miss Ella McVey.

Mrs. P. McSweeney, the guest of Mrs. T. Landry, has returned to Boston.

Madame Philip T. Bourgeois gave a five o'clock tea on Monday.

Miss Ella McVey left for Sydney, C. B., on Monday.

Mr. Frank McManus is on a visit to St. John.

The chief event of the week was a goose supper, held on Halloween. It was prepared under the auspices of Madame Bourgeois, Mrs. D. McGowan, and Miss Casey Sherry, and served at the home of Mrs. Bourgeois. A large number of guests were present, among whom were Miss Carey Sherry, Miss Lizzie Doherty, Miss Nellie Sherry and Miss Henrietta Charters; Messrs. James Sherry, John Doherty, James McSweeney, Thos. Bazley, Edward McGowan, W. J. McGowan and many others.

(FROM ANOTHER CORRESPONDENT.)

Nov. 1.—Mr. J. W. McManus has recovered from his recent illness.

A very enjoyable dance was held at the residence of Mr. T. Landry on Tuesday evening.

Miss Sherry who has been visiting her friend Miss Hamilton of Moncton returned home on Thursday.

Mrs. Patrick was called to Macan this week by the death of her mother-in-law, Mrs. Wm. Patrick.

Miss Doherty of Metegan, S. S., and Miss McVey of Sydney spent Sunday with the Misses Sherry. PANSY.

BATHURST.

Nov. 1.—Mr. Tabor has returned from his visit to Fredericton.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. H. Stewart were absent for a few days last week. I understand they visited Quebec.

His Lordship Bishop Kingston administered the rite of confirmation to twenty candidates in St. George's church on last Friday night.

A welcome is extended to Mr. B. G. Baxter, of Fredericton, who has decided to reside and practice law in Bathurst.

Mrs. J. C. Meahan has returned from a lengthy visit to Newcastle. BARNABY RUDGE.

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No one exactly knows where the American Indians came from, and there are many theories on the subject. Man lived on this continent earlier than, or at least, as early as, he lived on the European continent, but it is not believed that the Indians are descended from such early people. The latest theory seems to be that the so-called American Indians are descended from Chinese, who in some way reached the western coast thousands of years ago. The parallels between the customs of the Chinese and the ancient Peruvians are often very striking; the systems of government of the two peoples were similar; the Emperor and the Inca both claimed descent from heaven; both countries had irrigating canals, and in both countries taxes were paid in kind and stored in public warehouses; both countries maintained public roads; both countries had the same ceremonies and built houses much in the same style. Humboldt found in the Mexican calendar strong resemblances to the ancient calendar used in Tartary, India and Thibet. The skull of the American, except in its greater length, greatly resembled that of the Chinese. For a number of years many good people believed that the American Indians were the descendants of the "Ten Lost Tribes of the House of Israel;" some persons believe so still, but they have not been taught by recent scientific discoveries.

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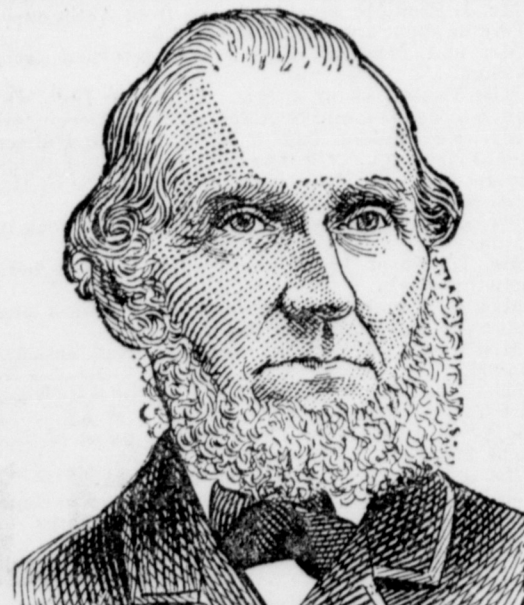
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