

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

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Mrs. Biddington and Miss Bertie Biddington went to Halifax by the Prince Rupert on Thursday to meet Mr. Biddington and Miss Biddington on their return from Europe.

Rev. James Whiteside and Mrs. Whiteside of Woodstock are here on a short visit to friends.

Mrs. Coates and Miss Eva Coates of Parrisboro came to St. John this week with Mrs. Morrison of this city who has been visiting Mrs. Coates.

Mrs. M. Ryan of Faddock street in company with Mrs. (Capt.) Armstrong of Boston has gone on an extended tour and intends visiting Boston, New York, Philadelphia, Washington, Montreal, Ottawa, Toronto and Quebec.

Mrs. Helen Grimmer of St. Stephen is the guest of Mrs. James Harding.

Dr. Osborne went to St. Stephen this week, having been called there by the death of his mother.

Mrs. Walter May of Calais who spent a little while with city friends has returned to her home.

Mrs. M. A. Stoddard of Calais who was here visiting her daughter Miss Harmon has returned home.

Mrs. J. Clowes of Gagetown visited the city this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay and Miss Whitney of Lunenburg are here to remain until after the exhibition.

Miss Mary Reynolds in entertaining Miss Bessie Bixby of Calais this week.

Miss Lou McCallum of Windsor is visiting friends here.

Mr. John Steele spent a short time in Amherst lately as a guest of his father Rev. D. A. Steele.

Mrs. J. H. Hickman and her daughter Miss Daisy Hickman have spent the past week here.

Mr. and Mrs. Myton Davis arrived in the city this week and will make their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Leary of Richibucto were this week to see their two sons Will and Louis off to their respective colleges in Montreal and Boston.

Mrs. R. D. Beal of Sussex spent a day or two of last week here.

Mrs. C. D. Davis and Miss Ethel of Sussex are visiting city friends.

Miss Eli Ross of Sussex is spending a few days in the city.

Mrs. O. R. Arnold and sons, Mr. Reginald and Master Roswell are in town, and will remain until the close of the exhibition.

Mrs. T. A. Beckwith of Somerville, Mass., is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard White, side, Paradise Row.

Mrs. A. S. Foster and family have returned from Grand Manan where they have been spending the past two months.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Ogden and Mrs. Peacock of Eschville are visiting the city.

Mr. Frank Reynolds has returned to McGill college to resume his medical studies.

Mr. Simon Jones left yesterday for a trip to New York. In a week or two Mr. Jones and Miss Jones will leave for Scotland on a visit to Mrs. F. J. Usher.

Mr. George Fair is home from Butte city Mont., on a visit to his father, Mr. Robert Fair of Fairville.

Mr. James Robertson and family have returned from Rothsay.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mulane of Halifax paid a brief visit to the city this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Black of Sackville are here on a visit.

Mrs. P. A. Dykeman is enjoying a trip to Boston where she is guest of her daughter, Mrs. A. F. Traiton.

Mrs. W. B. Deacon of Shediac, who was a delegate to the W. M. S. which met in Centenary church this week, and is a guest of Miss Copp's Orange street, and will remain longer to take in the exhibition.



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Mr. S. DeWitt of Bridgetown spent a few days of last week with his aunt Miss Tupper.

Preparations are being made on an extensive scale to give a banquet to Mr. Copp, M. P., on the gentleman's return from Ottawa.

Mr. Chas. F. Burns came over from St. John Wednesday. His many friends are always glad to see him.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. M. Johnston—now of Maine, who often pay Digby a visit—will be pleased to hear that they intend taking up their residence here.

Mr. H. A. P. Smith in company with Lidian guides is absent on a moose hunting expedition.

Rev. Mr. Osborne occupied the pulpit of Holy Trinity Sunday morning.

Digby's company of Garrison Artillery go to Halifax to drill next week.

Mr. Geo. Peters has returned from a vacation trip to Boston.

Umbrellas Made. Re-covered, Repaired Duval, 17 Waterloo.

HE SUED HIS BENEFACTOR. A Mistake Which a Landlord Rectified When it Was Discovered.

The owner of the house was suing for unpaid rent, and the case was to come before a north side justice of the peace.

It appeared that the tenant had refused to pay the rent on the contention that the owner had failed to comply with certain terms of the lease in regard to keeping the premises in good repair.

The owner was not personally acquainted with the tenant, having rented the house through an agency. All the disputes as to the payment of rent and the improvement of the place had been carried on by correspondence. The tenant had written peppery letters, and had shown a disposition to stand up for what he regarded as his rights, and had sent defiant messages by the collector who called to see him.

For this reason the owner of the house was in a fighting temper, and determined to secure a judgement, and either compel immediate payment or have the tenant ejected.

While the owner was sitting in the justice court waiting for his case to be called he could not help looking at a young man who sat on the bench beside him.

It seemed to him that he had met this man before, but he could not recall the circumstances of their meeting. Finally during a lull in the court proceedings, he turned to his right hand neighbour and said:—

'It seems to me that I've seen you before.'

'Possibly,' said the other, 'your face is sort of familiar to me.'

'Oh, I know now. You ride a wheel, don't you?'

'Yes, nearly every day.'

'Weren't you out on the Sheridan drive one day, about two weeks ago?'

'I remember you now. Your the man that had the punctured tire.'

'That's right. I knew I'd met you somewhere. I don't know what I'd have done that day if you hadn't stopped to repair that tire for me. It's the first puncture I ever had.'

'Yes, so you said. Well, it's easy enough to repair the tire if you know how.'

'That may be, but I was getting ready to walk home when you came along. I want to tell you again that I appreciated your kindness very much. It isn't every man who'll stop and put in ten minutes tinkering at another man's wheel.'

'That was all right. It wasn't much trouble to me.'

'Do you live up this way?'

'I live over on Fullerton avenue. I'm being sued by my landlord for back rent. His agent promised that the house would be put in good shape, but there hasn't been a thing done to it yet, so I've been holding back the rent. Now they're suing me. I think I've got justice on my side, but I don't suppose I stand any chance in this court.'

The owner of the house had become as red as a rose. He attempted to speak, but his voice failed him. Finally, however, he tapped his neighbor on the shoulder and said:—

'Come outside.'

The younger man was surprised, but he arose and followed. The two stood on the sidewalk outside the justice shop and had a long conversation.

'I've been too hasty in his matter,' said the owner finally. 'You're entitled to those repairs.'

'It isn't your fault,' replied the other.

'You probably didn't know just what the agent promised me.' 'Well, we don't want to have any trouble about this.' 'If you'll just come out to the house and look around we can settle the whole thing in five minutes.' 'No, you just go ahead and have the place fixed up and I'll pay the bill.' The owner's lawyer was amazed when he received his hurried instructions to dismiss the suit at plaintiff's cost. He couldn't understand it at all until they were riding down town together, when the owner explained that he wasn't in business for the purpose of persecuting good Samaritans.—Chicago Record.

McArthur's for Dolls, Toys and Fancy Goods.

A Subject for Lentency

'You had a fortune a few years ago. What brings you here in such a plight, my man?'

'Your honor, it was the bargain counter. My wife—'

'Fine remitted. Poor fellow, you may go.'

'You don't call upon Miss Smarte as much as you did.' 'No. Fact is, I have reasons for suspecting that my company is not so agreeable as it might be. The last time I was there I suppose I did stay rather long, and when I got up to go Miss Smarte said: 'Must you go now? I was in hopes you would stop for breakfast.' Somehow I got the idea that perhaps it would be just as well for me not to waste any more time at that house.'

'Deacon, there certainly was water in that milk you sold us this morning.'

'Master been from that big yaller cow that fell inter th' creek. Forgot all about that.'

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