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Years such as the present, wonderful in a great event, always cause stagnation before and after that event. Everything is now the jubilee—only a month or more away. Halifax will indeed be gay. The military, helped by the militia, will take the heaviest part of the work upon their shoulders. A military tournament after the manner of that of Issington, held in the Exhibition rink, will run three nights. It will prove a wonderful attraction; the city will be full of visitors, provincial and American, and the exhibition given will be a novel one to them. The programme will consist of an attack on a fort held by Arabs or Matabeles, by representatives in an entire army corps; shifting heavy guns, a competition between the regulars and militia; musical drill and dumb bells, and the gymnastic exercises so popular at the naval fair. Tent pegging and lemon-cutting will also be included. On Jubilee day a grand review will be held on the common and a torchlight tattoo at night, probably on the common. This latter will be a novelty new in Halifax. The military tournament again the next night, and a grand ball at Government house on the night of the 24th which will be the only day that his excellency will be here, as he has to be in Montreal on Jubilee day. As all the ships will be in and Admiral and Mrs. Erskine preparing to say farewell, other entertainments will be given.

Eye-the-bye this is the first time within the memory of man that a change of flagships takes place here. It is usually in Bermuda. But I hear that Admiral Fisher and the Renown will arrive here soon after the Crescent and we shall have bombardment enough to satisfy anybody.

The marriage of Miss Beatrice Kinnear to Major Hamilton Smythe, military secretary to General Moore, will take place in London in the latter part of July. I hear that Major Smythe will not return again to this station.

For June Halifax will be without one fashionable marriage. The Berks will be the first regiment for many years that has left Halifax without taking away one of our fair daughters. This is rough on the Berks. Perhaps they yet have time to remedy the evil. Who knows?

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The death occurred last week at his residence, 95 Lockman street, of Daniel J. Smith at the age of 78 years. Mr. Smith was born in Windsor, but was quite young when the family removed to this city though he had more than once previously walked from Windsor to the city, and then it was a homely walk, there being no habitations on the road except inns. He was a very industrious lad and was not long in obtaining employment after coming to city, and all through life he exhibited the same traits of energy and uprightness which distinguished his early years.

When grown to manhood Mr. Smith took an active interest in matters pertaining to the community. He was one of the most intrepid members and officers of the old Union engine company. In 1871 he was a candidate for alderman in ward 5, being opposed by the late Sir John Thompson, the latter being elected by a majority of 25 out of about 600 votes.

LAWRENCE TOWN, N. S.

MAY 12.—Rev. J. L. Eaton spent a short time here on Monday.

Mrs. Clark is building a neat little house just west of the parsonage. We are glad to welcome her here.

Arbor day was not very generally observed here; it is a pity for there are few places but what it can be observed with much good results.

Miss Manning has already a large class in music; but has still room for a few more. In order to attract the best pupils Miss Manning has announced her intention of giving free to any pupil of exceptional ability and industry one half a double course

TURO.

[PROGRESS is for sale in Turo by Mr. G. O. Finton, and D. H. Smith and Co.]

MAY 12.—Rev. G. R. and Mrs. Martell Maitland, are guests of Mrs. A. H. Learment at the "Learment."

Dr. J. H. McKay entertained a number of his gentlemen friends last Friday night at a very sumptuous dinner, covers were laid for eighteen guests and with one or two exceptions who were unavoidably absent, they all responded in person. The guests sat down about nine P. M. and it was after twelve ere they rose from the hospitable board. The speech makers were all in a very happy and humorous vein. They all spent a most pleasant evening and thoroughly enjoyed their genial host's hospitality was evidenced by the very hearty manner in which all joined in singing "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow," ere final adieux were said.

Among the guests, were the following: Mayor Turner, Dr. D. H. Muir, W. D. Dimock, T. G. McMullen, M. P. P., Dr. J. B. Hall, G. A. Hall, R. G. Leckie (Torbrook), E. Walsh (Acadia Mines), W. B. Alley, W. E. Bligh, A. H. Learment, W. Fraser, W. A. McDonald, A. S. Murphy, J. J. Snook.

Miss Irvine, concluded her dancing class, last night, with an "At Home," which was a very pleasant evening. Besides the "class" there were a number of invited guests. Light refreshments were served, during the evening, among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. E. Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Porter, Mrs. Atkinson, Mrs. Gordon Waring, Mrs. E. A. Randall, Mrs. Geo. Henderson, Miss Sutherland, Miss Anna Sutherland, Miss

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BRIDGETOWN.

MAY 12.—Mrs. Lewis Bath is home from Moncton on a visit. Mr. B. H. Calkin of Kentville was in town Tuesday. Mr. O. F. Ruffee spent a couple of days at Nicotax Falls last week. Miss Georgie Bath spent a day in Annapolis lately. Dr. L. S. Saunders of Kentville was in Bridgetown last week. Miss Leavitt of Annapolis spent a few hours lately with friends here. Miss Maide Hayes of Halifax is visiting her sister Mrs. W. F. Gibbon. Rev. A. Lund spent Sunday in Annapolis and vicinity. Conductor Williams of the D. A. R. is enjoying a short visit to New York. Rev. A. Coloon of Wolfville presided in the baptist church last Sunday morning. Miss Nettie Arnaud and the Messrs. Harry and Guy Arnaud made a short visit to Bridgetown last Saturday. They came on their wheels. Mr. J. H. Auston of Halifax who has been visiting Granville friends returned to the city on Tuesday.

Capt. C. P. Raymond and family who are in Brooklyns are expected to return to Digby shortly to reside. Capt. Raymond has been under a surgeons treatment in the hospital for some months. His health is completely shattered and his retirement to the country has been ordered by his physician. The 69th band played some excellent music in the open air last Wednesday evening. It was their first night out for the season and they gave a splendid performance. Dr. S. Primrose of Laurencetown gave the boys a generous donation upon this occasion.

Mr. Fullerton of Digby was in town last Friday and Saturday and was the victim of a cycling accident. Friday evening he and Mr. Ernest Howse collided on Queen street and both were thrown from their wheels. Both received slight injuries. Rev. F. M. Young will start on his trip through the Northwest, about the 25th, if Mrs. Young's health will permit.

SPRINGFIELD, N. S.

MAY 13.—Mr. Arthur A. Marshall continues still very ill. Mr. Bartlett Starratt is very much improved in health and most of the other invalids are in a convalescent condition.

Mrs. McGill who has been visiting friends in the Annapolis valley for several weeks returned home last Saturday.

The sacred concert held on a Sunday evening recently, was exceptionally good and was greatly appreciated.

Rev. J. W. Gardner of Guysboro was here last week the guest of Rev. J. Webb. On Sunday he preached twice in the baptist church.

Little Miss Nora Grimm went on a little fishing trip last week with one or two young friends and returned with a trout weighing two pounds and measuring seventeen inches.

RICHIBUCTO.

[PROGRESS is for sale in Richibucto by Theodore P. Graham.]

MAY 10.—Mrs. White wife of Mr. Walter White of Shediac died last week at the age of fifty years, leaving a husband and three children. The remains were brought to Kingston for burial, interment taking place in the presbyterian cemetery.

Quite a number of persons have purchased bicycles this spring among them being several ladies. The fair riders are Mrs. W. E. Forbes, Mrs. A. E. O'Leary, the Misses Ella and Nessie Ferguson, and Miss Sylvia Black.

Capt. Thomas Haines has arrived from Cape Breton with the schooner he lately purchased there. Rev. Mr. McCurdy of Dartmouth N. S. supplied the pulpit of St. Andrew's church for two weeks.

Mr. William Robinson has been appointed by the Miramichi presbytery to labor in Kouchibouguac again this summer, making it his third year in this field.

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MONCTON.

PROGRESS is for sale in Moncton at the Moncton Bookstore, by W. G. Stanfield and at M. B. Jones' Bookstore.

MAY 12.—The uneasiness caused by the diphtheria cases in the city is probably accountable for the extreme quietude in social circles. The injunction to avoid public gatherings as much as possible, seems to have been applied almost literally and there have been no gatherings of any kind lately. However, the churches were opened again last Sunday, and the white placards are beginning to disappear by degrees from the different houses; so it is to be hoped that there will soon be something of a social nature to record.

In looking over my notes for last week, I see that in the press of a rather heavy budget of news I forgot to mention the departure of Mrs. Allston Cushing and family for their home in St. John. Mr. and Mrs. Cushing were residents of Moncton for some years, and when they removed to St. John they left many warm friends who sincerely regretted their departure. It is scarcely necessary to say that they met with a warm welcome when they returned last autumn to spend the winter, and their friends bade them a regretful farewell when they left us once more at the beginning of the month. It is to be hoped that Moncton will prove sufficiently attractive to lure Mrs. Cushing and her bright and winning daughter back again next winter, as they will be greatly missed in society.

Mrs. C. F. Hanington and Miss Trixie Hanington who remained in town for a few days after breaking up housekeeping, to the great satisfaction of their numerous friends, departed last week for their summer home at Shediac Cape.

Mr. F. H. Blair organist of St. John's presbyterian church, returned on Saturday from a week's visit to his home in Chatham.

Miss Stevenson of Manchester N. H. hospital is spending a few weeks in town visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Stevenson of Cameron street.

I made brief mention last week of the death of Mrs. H. A. Whitney which took place at Valdosta Georgia, yesterday week, and spoke of the shock the news had given her friends who imagined her in her usual health, and were looking forward to welcoming her home next month, greatly benefitted, as she was last year by her sojourn in the south. It would be scarcely possible to express the feelings of those who knew and loved her, but they were numbered amongst all classes, when all that was left of one of the best, the kindest and most warm hearted of women, was brought home last Saturday for interment, nor the heartfelt sympathy expressed on all sides for the bereaved husband and daughters. Mrs. Whitney had been an invalid for nearly nine years having suffered from an injury to her knee which practically laid her up for that length of time; but her individuality was so strong, and her disposition so bright and happy that even prolonged illness and almost constant suffering could not change her, or make her other than a sympathetic friend always ready to listen to the troubles of others, and a charming companion, with an unceasing flow of spirits and the keenest sense of humor. Mrs. Whitney was ever a kind and helpful friend to the poor and her death will leave a void in the hearts of many humble friends, as well as in those of her own personal friends.

The deceased lady was a daughter of the late John Elliot, a well known merchant of this city, who died some years ago. Two daughters survive her Mrs. John H. Harris, and Miss Hattie Whitney at present a student at Rothesay College for girls.

The funeral took place on Monday afternoon from the family residence on Church street, to the rural cemetery, and was very largely attended by citizens of all classes and denominations. A short service was held at the house by Rev. J. E. Brown of St. Paul's R. E. church assisted by Rev. W. W. Brewer pastor of Central Methodist church. The casket was completely covered with rare and beautiful floral tributes last tokens of esteem and affection from sorrowing friends. The pall bearers were Messrs. Thomas Williams, C. D. Thomson, I. W. Binney, C. P. Harris and E. T. Trites. Mrs. Whitney's death was caused by a sudden attack of peritonitis.

The many friends of Miss Mary Flanagan who was so severely burned some months ago will be glad to hear that she has sufficiently recovered to be up about the house and will shortly be able to get out for a drive.

Messrs. Walter Colpitts, and George McCarthy who recently passed brilliant examinations at McGill college returned to Moncton last week, to pass the summer months at their respective homes in this city.

Mrs. Blair Botsford who has spent the past year in Salt Lake City, Utah, visiting relatives, returned to Moncton on Saturday and will make her home in future with her daughter Mrs. J. H. Nickenson of St. George street.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. McLaren of Digby are spending a few days in town visiting Mrs. McLaren's father Mr. C. D. Thompson of Botsford street.

Moncton people were greatly shocked yesterday to hear that Mr. George Logan of the I. C. R. engineering department, an old and highly respected resident of the city, had been found lying dead at the side of the road leading out to the Gorge about three miles from Moncton. Mr. Logan left his home immediately after tea on Monday evening intending to walk to the school house at Babbit Brook on the Mountain road where Rev. Mr. Patterson was holding a religious service. He had almost reached his destination when he evidently succumbed to heart failure, as he had been warned by his physician against over-exertion on account of a weak heart. Mr. Logan was about sixty years of age and very well known in railway circles having been connected with the I. C. R. for many years. He leaves a widow and six children all of whom live in Moncton. The Misses Helen and Ina Logan, and Messrs. George, Chipman, Frank, and Jack Logan. The bereaved family will have the deepest sympathy of their numerous friends in their sad and sudden affliction.

The many friends of Dr. A. H. Chandler formerly of this city but lately of Boston were glad to see him in town again last week.

Dr. Chandler is spending a few days with friends. Mrs. J. A. Flett of Halifax formerly Miss Mabel Hillson of this city, who has been spending a few days with her parents Mr. and Mrs. A. Hillson, left town last week for Boston, to visit friends. Mrs. Flett was accompanied by her little sister Miss Winnie Hillson.

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