

FREDERICTON.

(Progress is for sale in Fredericton by Messrs. W. T. H. Fenety and J. H. Hawthorne.)

Nov. 24.—The musical and literary club held their second meeting of the season last evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Flewelling. A very delightful musical evening was spent, the first number on the list being a vocal duet by Mrs. Flewelling and Mr. Bristowe, after which Mrs. Jaffrey gave a vocal solo which was much enjoyed. Miss Carman and Mr. Bristowe an instrumental duet, Mrs. W. T. H. Fenety and Miss Fenety both gave vocal solos, Miss Frankie Tibbitt a guitar solo with piano accompaniment by Mrs. Flewelling. Mrs. Risk and Mr. Flewelling both gave very interesting readings. Mrs. Tins of St. John sang very sweetly. Mrs. John Cameron was also one of the soloists of the evening.

After the musical part of the entertainment had been enjoyed a dainty supper was served. The next meeting will be held with Prof. and Mrs. Dixon.

Mme. Marie Harrison, will this evening delight the music loving public with her suburb singing in the Opera House.

This being Mrs. Harrison's first appearance here since her return from abroad, society is on the quiver with delightful anticipation of an enjoyable treat.

Mrs. Tins of St. John is here the guest of Mrs. Chas. Beckwith.

There is quite a feeling among our pleasure loving public that Mr. Ford would meet with a warm reception if he could be induced to produce The Pirates of Penzance, in Fredericton.

Premier Emmerson was at the capital for a few days last week and left for home on Saturday.

Mme. Marie Harrison is the guest of Hon. and Mrs. F. P. Thompson while here.

Miss Blanche Fraser has gone to Sussex to visit her friend Miss Morrison and will be absent several weeks.

Mrs. John Black and Mrs. F. P. Thompson have returned from St. John where they had been spending some days as delegates at the convention of Kings' daughters held in that city.

Miss Glendenning of Harvey station is in the city to-day.

Miss Francis Lowell of Calais who has been visiting Mrs. F. B. Edgcombe has returned home.

Miss Bessie Hagerman has returned from a visit to friends in Minneapolis.

Mr. James Gilmore of London, England has been spending a few days in the Celestial.

Miss Annie Reid of St. John is visiting her brother Mr. Walter Reid at Marysville.

Bishop Dunn of Quebec is in the city.

Mrs. J. W. Robertson of St. John is visiting friends in the city.

Mr. G. Mayes of St. John is spending a few days with friends here.

Mr. Jack McFarlane of St. John has been among the visitors to the celestial this week.

Miss Cooke of Calais Maine is spending Thanks' giving with Mrs. F. B. Edgcombe.

Miss Rainsford is here and will spend the winter with her brother Mr. H. B. Rainsford.

Miss Laura Wood of Boston is visiting friends in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Archibald Hale of Woodstock are here having come to attend the funeral of the late Mrs. Geo. Atherton. Mr. and Mrs. Hale return to Woodstock this week and will be accompanied by their sister Miss Maud Atherton who will make her home with them in Woodstock.

The members of the Social Horse-shoe club entertained Mr. W. Fred Jones of the Miles Stock Co. at dinner on Saturday evening last.

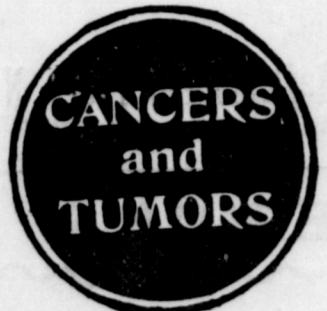
After an illness, extending over several months, Mr. Charles Hawthorne entered into rest on Thursday afternoon. Mr. Hawthorne came here from Lewiston Maine in August, and has since been at the residence of his brother Mr. John B. Hawthorne. His wife who was a Milltown lady, died last spring. Mr. Hawthorne left a little daughter about five years old who has been adopted by Mr. and Mrs. John B. Hawthorne. The funeral took place on Sunday afternoon and was largely attended. The floral offerings were beautiful. CRICKET.

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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.

Nov. 24.—A very pleasant event of last week was the presentation to Mr. P. S. Archibald the retiring chief engineer of the I. C. R., of a very elegant silver punch bowl, by the members of his former staff. The bowl was accompanied by the following farewell address signed by all the members of the engineering department who were serving under Mr. Archibald at the time of his retirement.

Moncton Nov. 11, 1897.
(P. S. Archibald, C. E., Moncton, N. B.)

Dear Sir:—We the members of your late staff feel that we cannot allow your retirement from the position of chief engineer of the Intercolonial Railway to pass without some expression of our regret at the severance of a connection which has ever been harmonious and cordial as well as our appreciation of the long and distinguished service to the profession which have marked your career. We therefore ask you to accept the assurance of our warmest wishes for your future well being and prosperity, together with the accompanying slight token of the high esteem in which we hold you. With very best wishes for the future happiness of yourself and family we remain,

Yours very truly,

W. B. McKenzie, Geo. Ackman,
A. C. Selig, William Brown,
Alfred Stevens, R. W. Simpson,
A. R. Holmes, Fred Condon,
H. C. Williams, A. W. Cruise.

Mr. Archibald was taken by surprise and it is scarcely necessary to say that he was also extremely gratified as well by the kind feeling so warmly expressed as by the beautiful and valuable gift.

The many friends of Mr. A. C. Stead formerly of the Bank of Montreal here, but later of the head of the firm at Montreal, whose serious illness was noted some weeks ago—will be glad to hear that he has sufficiently recovered to be able to return to his home in St. John on sick leave. Mr. Stead has three months to recuperate, and his Moncton friends are hoping that his steps may be turned in the direction of the railway town for at least a few days till he resumes his duties in Montreal.

Rev. John Read of Centenary church, St. John, former pastor of Wesley memorial church here, preached the anniversary sermon in Wesley memorial last Sunday and was warmly welcomed by his old congregation. Mr. Read was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Marrie of St. George street, during his stay in town.

Mr. A. R. Holmes of the I. C. R. engineering staff who has spent the last two months on professional business in P. E. Island returned home on Monday.

Mrs. R. A. Borden returned last week from Sussex where she has been visiting her mother Mrs. William Smith.

Mrs. H. G. Hetherington of St. John is spending a few days in town, the guest of Mrs. George C. Palmer of Botsford street.

Mrs. H. G. C. Ketchum of Tidnish is spending a few days with her sister Mrs. L. W. Binney of Church street.

Mr. William Brown of the I. C. R. engineering department, left town on Friday evening for Quebec on a holiday trip he was accompanied by Mrs. Brown.

The many friends of Miss Edith Evans who is now a student at the training school for nurses in connection with Newport hospital are giving her a very warm welcome home. Miss Evans is spending a two weeks vacation with her parents in Moncton.

Judge Hanington of Dorchester paid a short visit to Moncton this week.

Mr. J. L. Harris' many friends will be glad to hear that he is recovering from a recent attack of illness, and able to be out again.

The members of the Junior Amateur Dramatic Club under the management of Mr. W. C. Paver are preparing a play which they hope to put upon the boards in the near future. The proceeds are to go towards the building fund of St. George's church the alterations and improvements of which are now so near completion that the congregation hope to be able to re-open the church next Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Eyer accompanied by the latter's niece Miss Wheaton returned home on Friday from a three months' trip through Upper Canada, having visited Niagara Falls, Ottawa, Toronto, Montreal, Hamilton and Quebec and spent a very delightful autumn.

Mr. I. W. Binney collector of customs, who has been suffering from a severe cold for the past ten days has recovered sufficiently to be able to attend to his duties.

The many friends of Mrs. George W. Daniel will be glad to hear that she is recovering from the effects of a very bad fall received some time ago and which for a time threatened serious consequences. Mrs. Daniel could ill be spared from our social circle and it is hard to imagine one so filled with life and energy condemned to lead the life of an invalid for any length of time.

The congregation of Central Methodist church met with a very severe loss yesterday their fine church taking fire it is supposed, from an overheated furnace pipe, and being so injured that it will have to be almost rebuilt before they will be able to worship in it again. The beautiful organ which was placed in the church only a few years ago at a cost of three thousand and three hundred dollars was totally destroyed, and although the loss is partially covered by insurance it is irreparable to the congregation in many ways. The firemen worked like heroes for over five hours fighting the fire before it was finally subdued and the main building saved. Several churches have already been placed at the disposal of the congregation until there can be repaired—Wesley Memorial, First Baptist and St. John's presbyterian.

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RICHIBUCTO.

Nov. 24.—Rev. Mr. McKim of St. John is holding a successful mission in St. Mary's church of England this week, while in town Mr. McKim is a guest of Rev. Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Meek at the rectory.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ferguson are spending this week in Dorchester.

Mr. R. Pratt of St. John was in town on Tuesday.

Mr. Allan Wheeler of Halifax spent Monday in town.

Mr. John Short of St. John is in town this week the guest of his son Mr. W. W. Short.

Mr. Prichard of St. John was here on Monday.

Mr. Andrew Loggie of Dalhousie spent Sunday in town.

Miss Dorothy Phinney returned from New York on Thursday last where she spent the past three months taking a post graduate course in a hospital in that city. Miss Phinney will remain home until January when she accepts a position as head nurse in a hospital in Lowell, Mass.

Mr. James McDougall left on Monday for Boston.

Mr. Geo. V. McInerney M. P. and Mr. Richard O'Leary spent last week in Campbellton.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Storer are receiving congratulations this week; a little stranger came to gladden their home on Monday.

AURORA

ANAGANCE.

Nov. 24.—Mr. Humphrey Davidson is in Sussex today on business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith spent Sunday in Pénobscis with Mr. and Mrs. Elkanah Hall.

Mrs. Kinnear of Sussex is spending a few weeks with her niece Mrs. Elias Kinnear here.

R. B. Colwell of St. John spent Sunday on Apple Hill.

Mr. Jas. Millican of St. John accompanied by his son Frank, was in the village last Wednesday.

Mrs. Edmund E. Stockton of Ottawa, who has been on Apple Hill visiting her mother Mrs. Emma Davidson for the last three months returned to her home in Ontario Monday.

Mrs. Willis Dunfield was in Sussex last week visiting at Mrs. Wm. McLeod's.

Miss Morton of Pénobscis was the guest of Mrs. Duncan McNaughton over Sunday.

Rev. Joseph Pascoe of Pénobscis was visiting at Mr. and Mrs. George Davidson's last week.

Mrs. A. O. Harper is visiting in Moncton this week.

Mrs. E. J. Harrington was visiting at her mother's in Truro last week.

Mosquito.

APPOHQVI.

Nov. 24.—Miss Jennet Fowler, Chipman, is visiting Mrs. G. B. Jones.

Mrs. George Ellison has returned from a pleasant visit to Rothesay.

Mr. M. Fenwick spent Wednesday in St. John.

Mr. R. H. McCready, Brownville Me., is spending a short vacation with his parents Mr. and Mrs. C. B. McCready.

Mrs. Will Campbell returned from Moncton on Saturday.

Mr. C. McCready of St. John spent Sunday at his home here.

Mr. Will McD. Campbell spent Sunday in Moncton.

Mrs. M. H. Parlee spent Friday with her sister Miss F. Burgess.

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There are so many unjust kicks made that when a man kicks with justice it doesn't receive the consideration that is due it.

Every man thinks he is something of a weather prophet.

As PARMELEE'S VEGETABLE PILLS contain Mandrake and Dandelion, they cure Liver and Kidney complaints with unerring certainty. They also contain Roots and Herbs which have specific virtues truly wonderful in their action on the stomach and bowels. Mr. E. A. Calcross, Shakespeare, writes: "I consider Parmelee's Pills a remedy for Biliousness and Derangement of the Liver, having used them myself for some time."

All the average man wants is an opportunity to make a fool of himself.

Each party to a marriage likes to have it said of him that he was 'caught' instead of that he 'made a catch'.

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Money is so hard to earn it is a wonder that people don't stop experimenting with it after they get it.

A man who is not married can make a change, but a married man can't.

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Poetry is popular for no other reason than that every person has written some.

PEOPLE OF THE COUNTRY.

Few of Them Have Learned Anything From Nature.

'For the stability and righteousness of our government we are accustomed to think we must pin our faith on the country people who live 'near to nature's heart,' writes Mrs. Lynam Abbott in the Ladies' Home Journal, the first of a series of 'Peaceful Valley' papers which picture life in an ideal rural community. 'But how many of them,' she says, 'seem to have learned anything noble from her? Her beauty does not refine them, her honesty does not incite them to thoroughness, her free handedness does not inspire them to generosity—they become narrow and sordid in the midst of grandeur and liberality. They imagine there can be nothing in life but work or play, toil, or rest, and they feel a contempt for those who play and rest. They have never learned to mingle work and play, toil and rest in due proportion, and they cease to find any pleasure in life unless they abandon work altogether. Like the tired woman who wrote her own epitaph, they fancy heaven a place where they can do nothing forever and ever.'

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THE KILLING OF THE WHALE

The Great Excitement Attendant upon this Employment.

Dr. Conan Doyle, the well known story teller, enjoyed seventeen years ago the experience of going to the Arctic seas as surgeon of the Hope, bound for the Greenland fishing grounds, and in a recent article in McClure's Magazine he has related his adventures on the ship. His description of the harpooning a whale is exceptionally vivid and graphic.

'It is exciting work,' he says, pulling on a whale. Your own back is turned to him, and all you know about him is what you read upon the face of the boat-steerer. He is staring out over your head, watching the creature as it swims slowly through the water raising his hand now and again as a signal to stop rowing when he sees that the eye is coming round, and then resuming the stealthy approach when the whale is end on.

'There are so many floating pieces of ice that as long as the oars are quiet the boat alone will not cause the creature to dive. So you creep slowly up, and at last you are so near that the boat steerer knows that you can get there before the creature has time to dive—for it takes some little time to get that huge body in to motion.

You see a sudden gleam in his eyes and a flush in his cheeks, and it's 'Give way, boys! Give way, all! Hard!' Click goes the trigger of the big harpoon-gun, and the foam flies from your oars. Six strokes, perhaps, and then with a dull, greasy squelch the bows run upon something soft, and you and your oars are sent flying in every direction. But little you care for that, for as you touched the whale you heard the crash of the gun, and you know that the harpoon has been fired pointblank into the huge, lead colored curve of its side.

'The creature sinks like a stone, the bows of the boat splash down into the water again, but there is the little red Jack flying from the centre thwart to show that you are fast, and there is the line whizzing swiftly under the seats and over the bows between your outstretched feet.'

So fast and so furiously does this line pay out that if it has anywhere a kink which catches the clothes or limb of any unfortunate member of the boat's crew, he is whirled overboard to his death, many fathoms deep, almost before his comrades realize that he is gone. After the harpooning of the whale the crew of that boat have no more to do. But another boat's crew are eagerly waiting for their turn.

'The lancing, when the weary fish is killed with the cold steel, is a more exciting, because a more prolonged, experience says Doctor Doyle. 'You may be for half an hour so near to the creature that you can lay your hand upon its slimy side. The whale appears to have but little sensibility to pain, for it never winces when the long lances are passed through its body. But its instinct urges it to get its tail to work on the bows, and you are urged you to keep poling and boat-hooking along its side so as to retain your safe position near its shoulder.

'Even there, however, we found upon this occasion that we were not quite out of danger's way, for the creature in its hurry raised its huge side flapper and poised it over the boat. One flap would have sent us to the bottom of the sea, and I can never forget how, as we pushed our way from under, each of us held one hand up to stave off that great, threatening fin—as if any strength of ours could have availed if the whale had meant it to descend! But it was spent with loss of blood, and instead of coming down, the fin rolled over the other way—and we knew that the whale was dead.'

A man never cuts much of a figure in history until after he shuffles off his mortal coil.

An Historical Desk.

Charles Loeffler, the veteran door-keeper to the President's room, has a new desk. The old one had served him over twenty-eight years. It was an old desk when it was first turned over to Loeffler. It had been an intimate acquaintance of President Lincoln, and in stirring times would have absorbed many things had it been human. At the old desk thousands of prominent men have set to write cards to send in to the President. Cabinet members have sat at the desk and written their names for autograph seekers. Great men have congregated around it and talked over matters of the highest importance. It is an old flat top desk, with a single row of pigeon-holes the lower part containing drawers. It is probable that the desk will be preserved. Loeffler would like to keep it for himself as a companion which has served him faithfully so many years.—New York Tribune.

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