



A few October weddings and the usual Thanksgiving out of town fitting is about all there is to write about in a social way this week. The offers from Halifax made some stir when they arrived and proved quite an attraction at the docks Thursday afternoon.

St. John had the best of the play on the holiday and the match was to be continued yesterday. The weather was beautiful and the ladies and gentlemen from Halifax were much pleased with the links. The mixed foursomes were commenced at 10 o'clock and finished soon after 1 o'clock. In this match the St. John club secured a big lead. The scores were:

H. H. Hanson and Miss Purpee won from Miss Almon and Dr. Campbell, one hole up. Miss Thomson and E. F. Jones won from Miss Wallace and Mr. Archibald, seven holes up. Miss T. McLaren and E. A. Smith won from Mrs. Morrow and Mr. Taylor, eight holes up. Mrs. Stewart and Mr. Smith of Halifax won from Miss Muriel Robertson and J. D. Hazen, two holes up.

Capt. Barker and Mrs. G. W. Jones tied with Miss Gravely and Mr. Whappam. Mrs. Grace Skinner and Mr. R. Diamond won from Miss Caldwell and Mr. Evans, four holes up. Miss Abbott and Mr. Ferris defeated Miss McLaren and Mr. Hart, five holes up. Total: Halifax, 7; St. John, 23.

In the afternoon the gentlemen's and ladies' doubles were played, with the following result: Messrs. Hassard and Jones won from Messrs. Taylor and Campbell, Halifax, two holes up. Mrs. G. W. Jones and Miss Skinner won from Miss Abbott and Mrs. Gravely, Halifax, four holes up and three to play.

Miss B. McLaren and Miss L. Parks won from Mrs. Taylor and Miss Caldwell, Halifax, seven holes up and three to play. Messrs. J. D. Hazen and E. A. Smith tied with Messrs. Archibald and Whappam.

Messrs. Richmond and Fraser won from Messrs. Smith and Evans, Halifax, two holes up. Miss Thomson and Miss Purpee won from Miss Almon and Miss Morrow, Halifax, thirteen holes up.

Miss Tina McLaren and Miss Muriel Robertson won from Mrs. Howard and Miss Walker, Halifax, seven holes up.

The Psyche, the only war ship to visit us this year, sailed again the first of the week but while here Capt. Peely and his officers were given all possible attention and they went away with a very favorable impression of St. John and its people.

Miss Emily Blackin and Mr. Albert Jackson of St. Stephen, were married Wednesday at the residence of Mr. Charles F. Robinson. No one, except the inmediate relatives of the couple were present. The bride was attired in a handsome lawn colored broad cloth traveling suit. The happy couple left by steamer Prince Rupert for a trip through Nova Scotia. They will return in the course of a week and will reside in St. Stephen. The ceremony was performed by Rev. R. G. Fulton, assisted by Rev. Geo. Sellar.

There was also a pretty wedding the same morning at the new catholic church at Norton, in which many St. John people were interested, when Mr. John Alfred Kelly, of Derry, New Hampshire, formerly of Belleisle, and Miss Rosella Ryan, daughter of Mr. John E. Ryan, of Norton, were made man and wife. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Father Byrne in the presence of a large number of friends of the young couple, who had gathered to attend the nuptial. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Alice Ryan, and Mr. Clements Kelly, brother of the groom, was groomsmen. Mr. and Mrs. Kelly passed through St. John on the C. P. R. en route to their future home in Derry. They were met at the train by many St. John friends and hearty congratulations were extended.

Miss Jemima Belyes and Edward N. Harrington of Portland, Me. were married on Wednesday. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. David Long and took place at the home of the bride's father, Capt. J. M. Belyes, Adelaide street, a few relatives and friends being present. After wedding break-



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1st Mr. and Mrs. Harrington left by the C. P. R. for their future home in Portland, Me.

The friends of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Irvine—and they are numerous—found a pleasant way of remembering them the first of the week by reminding them that they had been married twenty five years. It would be difficult to imagine that this was a fact but when old recollections and pleasant memories began to be recalled it was little wonder that the years rolled by so quickly. Shortly after the party had taken possession, W. G. Kerr, who was Mr. Irvine's groomsmen a quarter of a century ago, on behalf of his old associates in church and Y. M. C. A. work presented Mr. and Mrs. Irvine with a set of silver side dishes, including a silver soup tureen. Mr. Irvine replied in a feeling manner, and after a few appropriate remarks by Joseph A. Likely, Hugh P. Kerr and Rev. Dr. Pope and others, the balance of the evening was given up to amusement.

Miss Morrow of Lynn, and the Misses Elliott and Gilmore of West Meaford, were entertained by a sail on the yacht Windward by their friends. Among those on board during the short cruise to Rothesay were Mr. and Mrs. Sid P. Kerr, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gilmore, Mrs. Leslie White, Master Gilmore, and Messrs. Robert Ritchie, Fred Nichol, and W. H. Golding.

Newcastle claims a St. John man as bridegroom Mr. Harry H. Baker was married to Miss Maggie Craig on October 11. The wedding, which was a quiet one took place at the residence of the bride's father, Rev. P. G. Snow was the officiating clergyman. The popular young couple received numerous presents from their many friends.

Mr. and Mrs. George Seely celebrated the 32nd anniversary of her marriage Monday evening and Mr. Robert White on behalf of those present read an address and presented Mr. and Mrs. Seely with two easy chairs and a pair of gold rimmed eye glasses. A very pleasant time was had by all.

Mr. J. E. Beattie's bridegroom to the West End and station master of the Shore Line at St. Stephen so when he arrived in the city this week with his bride who was Miss Bettison, also from the West End he then got a warm welcome. Mr. and Mrs. Beattie received many beautiful wedding gifts and are being showered with congratulations by their many friends. Mrs. Beattie will receive her friends at Mr. Hoyt Beattie's residence Union street, West End today and tomorrow.

Mr. Wm. Gunning came from Moncton last Thursday to take one of St. John's fair daughters to the city of railways. He was married to Miss Ida Storey by Rev. Mr. Traflet and the happy couple took the train the next day for their home.

Mrs. Silas Alward and her brother Mr. E. H. Tanshill have returned from New York where they spent several days.

The arrival of Mr. and Mrs. Kelpie at Southampton was called to their friends here. Mr. Kelpie has been here for some time in connection with the dry dock project and he and his wife made many friends during their stay.

Among the delegates to the Women's Council at Hamilton, Ont. were Mrs. J. V. Ellis and Mrs. W. H. Tuck.

Lady Tilley went to St. Stephen this week to visit Mrs. Chipman.

Mr. Frank R. Clark, son of Mr. Daniel Clarke of Carleton, is on his way home from the Klondike. His wife accompanies him.

Miss Nichols, who has been the guest of Mrs. D. D. Robertson, at Rothesay, went to Montreal this week. She will take passage on the Dominion for her home in England.

Mrs. Gibson who has been visiting Lady Tilley has returned to Toronto.

Mrs. T. D. Ordwick and Miss Muriel Ordwick of Truro, Ont., spent a few days in town this week.

Miss Nellie Dorn of Wallbridge is visiting friends in the Annapolis Valley.

Mr. Gilbert Turcotte has been on a trip to New York, returning home Monday.

Myra and Mrs. Shreve of Dixby were in the city this week.

Mr. M. K. O'Connell of Cape Breton passed through the city this week, on his way home from Montreal.

Mr. James MacIntosh was a passenger to Boston on Wednesday.

Mr. S. E. Vaughan and Miss Vaughan of St. Martins, are at the Clifton.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Tufts have returned from Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. A. deW. Howard left Wednesday, for Virginia, where they will take up their residence.

P. L. Connor of Brantford, Ont., who has been visiting relatives here, has returned home.

Mr. E. Hutchinson, Mrs. Hutchinson, Miss Hutchinson, Mrs. Wilkinson, Miss Wilkinson, Mrs. Sargent and the Misses Burchill of Miramichi were in the city this week.

Frank Lawlor, who came home to attend the funeral of his mother on Monday last, has returned to Cardinal, Ontario, by the I. C. R.

Mrs. R. W. Stephen of Ottawa who has been visiting friends in St. John has returned home.

Mrs. J. I. Noble has returned home from a four week's visit to friends in Lynn, Mass.

Miss Anderson of Leith, G. B., who has been a visitor in St. John for some months, left by the C. P. R. for Montreal on Tuesday and will take the Allan steamer at Montreal. Her cousin, Miss Jessie Campbell, daughter of Peter Campbell, went with her and will probably spend some months in Scotland.

ST. ANDREWS.

Oct. 17.—Miss Otilie Smith returned to her duties in the Normal school, Truro, N. S., on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Forster returned from their bridal tour on Thursday night.

Mr. Matthew Bohan and bride, of Bath N. B., spent a portion of their honeymoon at St. Andrews. Mrs. Bohan is a daughter of the late Owen McGoldrick of Fredericton.

Among those in attendance at the Church of England S. S. conference in St. Andrews last week were Rev. O. S. Newham, Mr. Chas. N. Vroom, Miss Vroom, the Misses McBride and Miss Polley from St. Stephen; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Harvey and Miss Craig, from St. George; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dyer, from Elmsville.

Miss Bessie Key was a passenger to Boston by Monday's train.

Mrs. A. A. Rigby and Miss Ina Clarke returned from Boston last week.

Mrs. Fred A. Stevens is visiting at Old Ridge. Mr. W. H. Alexander, for twenty years a resident of Duluth, Minn., has been visiting his cousin, Mr. T. A. Hartt, lately.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hoar have closed up their summer residence and departed for their Massachusetts home.

ST. STEPHEN AND CALAIS.

[Passengers in for sale in St. Stephen at the bookstore of G. S. Wall, T. E. Atcheson and J. Vroom & Co. in Calais at O. P. Treat's.]

Oct. 17.—Sheriff Stuart of St. Andrews was in town on Monday. While his visit here was a busy one he took time to visit the nickel mines in the afternoon, and was much impressed with the work done, and the quality of the ore being obtained. The field day of the Knights of Pythias which was held in Calais last Thursday was a great suc-

cess. Visiting Knights were here in abundance. In the afternoon a grand parade was witnessed by hundreds of people. The St. Stephen Knights were also in attendance. In the evening a ball was held in the curling rink at which there were fully six hundred people.

The funeral of John Rose, an uncle of Mr. F. E. Rose, took place on Thursday. The remains arrived by the Washington county railway and were taken direct to the St. Stephen cemetery. The Masonic Lodge attended in a body.

Tuesday was the day the Sunday school convention met here, and the town was filled with ministers and teachers.

The whist club recently formed among the young society people meets to night with Mr. and Mrs. Percy Gilmore, in Calais.

Miss Vanwart and Miss Gertrude Skinner, who have been Miss Berta Smith's guests, left for their homes on Saturday.

Mrs. C. F. Beard, accompanied by her sister Miss Berta Smith, left yesterday for a days' hunting trip.

Judge Cockburn was in town on professional business on Monday.

A tennis court is being made by Robert Eizen on the lot situated on St. Croix street and owned by the Elizabeth Andrews estate. The court will be prepared this fall so that the game may be indulged in in the early spring.

PARBORO.

[Progress in for sale at the Parrsboro Book Store] Oct. 20.—The nuptials of Miss Davina Howard and Mr. Rolford Tucker were solemnized in Grace Methodist church on Wednesday morning by Rev. W. G. Lane assisted by Revs. H. A. McLean, J. L. Batty and Robt. McArthur, the platform and pulpit being prettily adorned with potted plants. Frequently at eight o'clock the bridal party entered to the strains of Mendelssohn's wedding march played by Mr. Chas. Hillcoat. The bride wore white satin en train with pearl and chiffon trimming veil and orange blossoms and carried a bouquet of white roses and maidenhair fern, was given away by her father. The bridesmaids were Miss Laura Tucker, Miss Sarah Lozan and Miss Grace Vernon their crowns, white organdie over blue, pink and green respectively, with large hats to match and bouquets respectively pink, green and crimson roses. Mr. J. Adams Baird supported the groom. The ushers were, Mrs. M. D. McKenzie and McArthur and Messrs. P. F. Lawson, and Clifford McMurray. The ceremony was followed by a sumptuous breakfast at Capt. Howard's and then the happy couple left for their wedding tour, the bride's traveling dress being of blue cloth, tailcoats with a blue and white hat. The guests were relatives only and the presents were valuable—including various sums in gold.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Muir have just moved into their pretty new home.

Rev. Murell Couran arrived on Wednesday to hold a ten day's mission in St. George's church.

Miss Maud Corbett has been visiting friends at Truro.

Mr. C. R. Smith and family who have spent the summer in their cottage here returned to Amherst on Friday.

Mrs. Sterling of Massachusetts is paying a visit to her brother Dr. Murdoch McKenzie.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. McLeod returned last week from Toronto where Mr. McLeod was very ill in the hospital. He is much improved and able to be out every day.

Mr. H. E. Mosher of the Commercial bank is spending part of his vacation here, greatly to the pleasure of many friends.

Mrs. Bicelew who spent the summer at Hotel Alpha, left her departure on Monday.

Miss Aik, an Irish girl, returned for Germany where she will remain some time.

Mrs. Ferguson has returned from a visit to St. Stephen.

Miss Leitch who has made a long visit with her mother, Mrs. B. L. Tucker, has gone home to Truro.

Mrs. Morse of Oxford has been the guest of Mrs. White.

Mrs. G. Gillespie and Mrs. Josephine Gillespie are back from a visit to friends in Moncton.

Rev. J. C. M. White and his family have gone to Calais where Mr. White will take charge of St. John's church for a year or longer.

The Silent Way-How.

Today when the birches are yellow,
And red is the wayfaring tree,
Sit down in the sun, my soul,
And talk of yourself to me!

Here where the old blue rocks
Bask in the forest shade,
Dappled with shade and light
In their reverent divine.

How goodly and sage they are!
Priests of the taciturn smile,
Rebuke our babble and haste,
Yet loving us all the while.

In the asters the wild gold bees
Make a warm busy drone,
Where our Mother at Autumn's door
Sits warming her through the bone.

What is your afterthought
When a red leaf rusts a down,
Or the chickadees from the hush
Challenge a brief renew?

When silence falls again
Asleep on hill-side and crest,
Resuming her ancient mood,
Do you still say, "Life is best?"

We have been friends so long,
And yet not a single word
Of yourself, your kin or kin,
Or home, have I ever heard.

Nightly we sup and part,
Daily you come to my door;
Strange we should be such mates,
Yet never have talked before.

A cousin to downy-feather,
And brother to shining-fern,
Am I, of the bread of earth,
And yet of an alien kin.

Made from the dust of the road,
And a measure of silver rain,
To how you brave and glad,
Unmindful of pain or pain.

Dear to the mighty heart,
Born of her finest mood,
Great with the impulse of joy,
With the rapture of love imbued

Radiant moments are yours,
Glimmering over the verge,
Of a country where one day
Our forest trail shall emerge.

When the road winds under a ledge,
You keep the trudging pace,
Till it mounts a shoulder of hill,
To the open sun and space.

Ah, then you dance and go,
Illumined spirit again,
Child of the foreign tongue,
And the dark wilding strain!

Through the long winter dark,
When slumber is at my side,
Will you leave me dreamfast there,
For your journey over the hill?

To-night when the forest trees
Gleam in the frosty air,
And over the roofs of men
Billows is everywhere,

By the cold hunter's moon,
What trail will you take alone,
Through the white realm of sleep,
To your native land unknown?

Here while the birches are yellow,
And red is the wayfaring tree,
Sit down in the sun, my soul,
And talk of yourself to me.

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