



We are now in full swing of summer and have already had a foretaste of what his solar majesty has in store for us in the way of scorching days. The thermometer has been indulging in some pretty high jumps of late and so far our old friend the fog, has been decidedly conspicuous by its absence. Picnics to Bay Shore have commenced and the park is also a popular place this year for little outing parties, although the occurrence of last week, in which a local desperado figured, has been a severe rebuff to the popularity of Rockwood among women and children. But an example is to be made of the outrageous character captured by the police, and it is safe to state a repetition of this kind of actions will never happen. The Kennebecasis Chalet is fast becoming popular as a resort along the pleasantest of driving and wheeling roads, and this year it will undoubtedly receive continuous and liberal patronage. In fact now that the weather has settled down to its usual summer status a host of attractive spots have bobbed up in all the suburbs.

The river hotels are all about ready for the season's business and among most of them a number of improvements have been made. W. F. Ganong will open his popular "Cedars" in about a week, at least before the first of July, having already a list of engagements of rooms from St. John and Fredericton parties. Last year Mrs. Ganong ably superintended the workings of this pleasant resort, while Mr. Ganong was in St. Stephen, managing the Windsor hotel, but this season the genial "Billy" himself will also be on hand, as he is nearby now, in charge of the Barker house at Fredericton. Across the river from the "Cedars" is Belyea's new hotel, situated near Brown's Flats wharf. Mr. Belyea has one of the best houses on the river and last season it was full all the time. At Oak Point the Flewelling homestead is soon to have its usual quota of boarders, while further up and along the sweet-scented intervals John O. Vanwart's big hostelry "Evandale" is ready for city-worn returners. Mr. Vanwart's is the finest hotel on the building standpoint, on the banks of the St. John, and the grounds, boating, yachting and fishing facilities are excellent. Isaac Vanwart's hotel at Hamstead is the next public house in order, then follows the private boarding places at Wickham, Washademoak, Gagetown, Mungerville, Oromocto, all the way up to the capital. St. John and Fredericton people cannot say they have no home-like hotels to go to in the country, for its doubtful if any two cities enjoy such abundant privileges along this line. As soon as the public schools close family parties will rush toward these well known resorts and until the last of September almost, they will be delightful homes to weary urbanites.

So far this week has not been as productive of weddings as the second week in June generally is, a comparatively few having been solemnized within the city limits. Among them were the following:

Wednesday morning at the residence of Mr. Wm. Urquhart, Lancaster street, Carleton, his sister, Miss May Louise, and Mr. C. Fisher, of the Globe composing room, were married by Rev. G. O. Gates. Mr. and Mrs. Fisher left for Nova Scotia on their wedding tour. Both are well known and popular young people, having large circles of friends who wish them all that is happy and enjoyable in married life.

At 9 o'clock Wednesday evening at the home of the bride's father, Main street, a very pretty wedding took place when Miss Margaret St. Clair Shaw daughter of Mr. Arthur N. Shaw, was united in marriage to Mr. Rupert Olive, son Mr. I. J. Olive government inspector of hulls. The couple were unattended and Rev. George Steel, of the Portland Methodist Church, performed the ceremony. The bride was charmingly attired in a white organdie muslin over white silk and carried a large bouquet of white carnations and roses. The ceremony was performed in the presence of immediate friends and relatives and afterward the party sat down to a wedding supper. Mr. and Mrs. Olive are very popular young people and the bride was the recipient of many very beautiful and useful presents. From the steward's department of the D. A. R. steamer Prince Edward, of which steamer Mr. Olive is purser, was received a beautiful marble parlor clock and from the D. F. Brown Paper company, where the bride had for sometime been book-keeper, was received a handsome oak sideboard. The employees of the D. A. R. sent the bride a pretty oak hall rack. The groom's present to the bride was a pearl ring. Mr. and Mrs. Olive will spend their honeymoon in the States.

Mr. J. Herbert Barton and Miss Violet W. M. Lamb, daughter of Mr. Walter J. Lamb were married Tuesday morning by Rev. A. D. Dewdney at St. James church. The choir of which the bride was a member sang at the service. Mr. and Mrs. Barton left on the steamer Prince Rupert for Nova Scotia. Mr. Barton, who is the son of the well

known steamboat engineer, also his bride, are among the best known young people in St. John and can number their friends by the hundreds. The church was crowded with these friends when the marriage ceremony was being performed and pious rice and other well-wishing tokens were showered upon the happy couple as they left the church and boarded the steamer. Mr. and Mrs. Barton will be about a fortnight on their honeymoon.

There was a quiet wedding solemnized Tuesday evening at the Methodist parsonage, Carleton, when Rev. William Penna united in marriage Mr. John A. Pollock and Miss Ada H. Austin, daughter of Mr. Robert Austin, all residents of Carleton. The ceremony was at 8 o'clock. The bride was attended by Miss Jennie Long, and Mr. George Pollock was groomsmen.

On Monday evening Mr. James A. Adams of St. John and Miss Jennie Warren of St. Stephen were wedded by Rev. William Penna at the Carleton Methodist parsonage.

It does not look very promising as yet for a big celebration over Pretoria's fall on Dominion Day, or at least the 23rd of July, for the first falls on Sunday. When the news came announcing the capture of the Boer capital, it was said by the authorities a formal demonstration would take place on Canada's natal day, but so far nothing much has been done toward that end. In fact it has been stated His Worship Mayor Daniel is not very sanguine as to the chances for a popular outburst on that day. Several parties contemplating the holding of excursions on the holiday interviewed the Mayor relative to a demonstration with an eye to business, knowing that if attractions were offered in town that their ventures would naturally come out second best, and it is said Mayor Daniel told them in all probability there would be no popular demonstrations. These excursions of course are now booked and are being advertised. However the polymorphians are organizing again and will be ready whenever the big day is set apart to put on a real good show. Nothing would please the working people better than to know that Dominion Day is not to be used in celebration of the capture of Pretoria, for that is looked upon, and really is, a calendar holiday and a fixture. What the people want is a separate holiday and not to be robbed of their regular breathing spells.

The Harrison home on Germain St. is cast into darkest gloom by the news of the death of its paternal head in far-off South Africa. Capt. Harrison had been reported by cable as suffering from enteric fever, and as the messages were not very reassuring it was thought here that he would not overcome his illness. Nevertheless his death came as a great shock to the grief-stricken family and friends. As a citizen, socially and in many other ways the deceased was much thought of and will be greatly missed.

Capt. Charles F. Harrison, transport officer of the Mounted Rifles, second Canadian South African contingent, was a son of W. F. Harrison of St. John. Mrs. Harrison is a daughter of the late James I. Fellows. He joined "F" Company of the Queen's Own Rifles of Toronto under Major Magee, in 1884 and served through the Northwest rebellion in the Battleford column commanded by Col. Otter. He has the medal of that campaign which was presented to him in St. John, October 8, 1885, by Lt. Col. Maunsell. Capt. Harrison after serving in the Northwest campaign was appointed second lieutenant provisionally in No. 3 company, 3rd Regiment C. A., on the 16th of July, 1886. He attended the Royal School of Artillery at Quebec, and received a first class certificate on 10 September, 1889, and on the 29th of that month was promoted to the lieutenantancy of the company.

On 22nd January, 1892, he became captain of No. 3 Company, from which he retired, with the rank, on 18th May, 1894. He joined the 8th Princess Louise Hussars as provisional second lieutenant, and was appointed quartermaster in June, 1895.

Shortly before leaving for South Africa, Capt. Harrison resigned his position as quartermaster of the 8 Hussars and became a combatant officer with the rank of second lieutenant, having taken the necessary course of instruction at the Royal School of Cavalry at Toronto.

He was beloved by all his brother officers his kindness of heart and genial disposition making him a great favorite in the regiment, and his absence will be keenly felt when the Hussars meet this year at Camp Sussex.

The late Capt. Harrison was a prominent member of the masonic order. He was a past master of The Union Lodge of Portland, F. & A. M.; a member of Carleton Royal Arch Chapter; a member of St. John Council, Royal and Select Masters; member of the Encampment of St. John, Knights Templars of McLeod-Moore Conclave Knights of the Red Cross of Rome and Constantine; and in the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite he had attained the thirty-second degree.

Capt. Harrison was also a member of Court Martello, Independent Order of Foresters.

The sad death of William Wheeler, Jr., son of Mr. William Wheeler of Brookville, in New York this week is deeply regretted by a large number of people in this city, who enjoyed the geniality and warm heartedness of the deceased during his stays in this city. When last here a few years ago "Billy" was quite prominent in musical circles and was the musical conductor of the last burnt-cork minstrel show the St. John Amateur Minstrel Club put on. He certainly was a very clever and original musician and it was ever his delight to preside over the piano for the amusement of his friends. Socially he was greatly liked and it pains those who knew him to hear of his untimely end.

Next Tuesday evening the Ladies Association of the Natural History Society will hold a high tea and sale in the rooms of the society, Market Building and ample preparations are already being made

to ensure its success. Several hundred menu cards have been beautifully hand-painted and adorned for presentation to each guest, and will be rare souvenirs of the occasion. The subjects dealt with in the art work are varied, some grand, some amusing. Already a large number of tickets have been sold for the tea, and on the night of its being held, the museum and curio room of the Society will be thrown open for inspection, a splendid opportunity to view the valuable collection.

Miss Fannie Hurdley of Stewiacke, N. S., who is visiting her sister Mrs. Charles McMullin, Duke street, is quite ill.

Miss O. B. Golding, Union street, is visiting at Wickham, Queens county, and as Hampstead.

Misses Gertrude Hersey and Lillian Whelpley of North End, are spending the week near the "Cedars" on the river.

The daughter of a South End Alderman is to be wedded to a Boston young man in a few days. The groom in prospect is an engineer on a steamer running out of that port.

Mrs. G. E. Pagsley and family have taken a cottage at Rothesay for the summer.

Miss McLeod of Sussex is the guest of Miss Gertrude McDonald.

Mrs. B. R. Keith of San Francisco was in town for a few days this week. She was accompanied by her brother, Mr. Fowles of Havelock.

Mrs. Wetmore, Winter street, is visiting friends in Westfield this week.

Mr. N. W. Brennan and family are at Westfield where they have taken a cottage for the summer.

Mr. H. Booth of Boston spent a few days here this week.

Dr. F. L. Kenny of the west end, is being congratulated on the arrival of a young daughter.

Mr. James R. Warner returned to Montreal Wednesday, after a visit to his father, General Warner.

Dr. Edward Murphy, son of Mr. Geo. Murphy of this city, now house physician in the Royal Victoria hospital, Montreal, intends to enter practice of his profession at Roxbury, Mass., in the fall.

Mr. Alex. Wilson has retired from the position of assistant manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia, to enter mercantile life.

Mr. W. G. McFarlane of this city, intends starting a publishing business in Toronto. "Billy" has a host of well-wishing friends in town here.

Miss Isabel Mowatt left on Saturday for Montreal.

Mrs. A. Cooper received her friends Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday afternoon, Duke street, west end.

P. O. Inspector Bennett of Ottawa and Coltes of New Brunswick, and Postmaster Hanington, were fishing at Shediac this week.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Strang, of Carleton, congratulated them on their 25th wedding anniversary, Monday, and presented them with an oak table and chair.

There was a delighted audience at the Mechanics Institute Tuesday evening when the 24th public recital of the St. John Conservatory of Music was given. The young ladies and gentlemen acquitted themselves admirably and showed practical results of their studies. Those who took part were Marian Barnes, Lillian Sterling, Maggie Koele, Esie Eastabrooks, Eva Smith, Ruby Eiderkin, Bessie Duval, Ethel Reid, Arthur Hopkins, Charles Brown, Chas. Reid, Pearl Smith, Hazel Smith, Martha Robertson, Lyle Kennedy, Christie Ryan, Ida Piercy, Alice Mahoney, Mr. W. C. Boden, Jennie Belle, Josephine Gorman, Miss Alberta Fowler, Mr. George Price, Alice Morgan, Miss Annie Knott, Agnes Donovan, Jessie Wilson, Millie Isaacs. During the evening graduation certificates were presented Misses Jessie Wilson and Agnes Donovan.

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JUNE 13—Christ church was yesterday the scene of one of the prettiest of June weddings when at 2:30 o'clock Miss Mary Hamlin Crookshank, youngest daughter of Mr. City Crookshank, and granddaughter of the late Hon. John Partelow was united in marriage to Mr. Walter Pierson Fenety youngest son of the late Mr. Geo. E. Fenety. The choir sang "The Voice that breathed o'er Eden" as the bridal party entered the church. The bride on the arm of her father, who gave her in marriage, proceeded up the aisle followed by her bridesmaid, Miss May Clerk of Woodstock. The bride looked lovely in an exquisite gown of white English satin with ruffles of tulle on the skirt, a bolero waist and heavily trimmed with Irish point. A bridal veil with wreath of orange blossoms. The veil pinned with a star of pearls. The whole outfit the gift of her godmother. She carried a beautiful bouquet of white bridal roses. The bridesmaid, Miss May Clark of Woodstock, wore pink silk grenadine with hat to match and carried a bouquet of pink carnations. The groom had the support of Mr. Bruce Scovill of St. John.

The church was very prettily trimmed with white flowers, lilacs and greenery the work of the girl friends of the bride. The bride passing under two floral arches as she went down the aisle the arches separating the guests from the spectators. Nearly half a hundred guests were present and the church was literally packed with spectators. The bride's mother wore a gown of black henrietta cloth with steel passementerie trimmings, Mrs. C. Clifton Tabor aunt of the bride wore a handsome gown of black net covered with sequins of butterflies over black satin and a pretty bonnet to match. All the costumes worn by the young girls were pretty light summer silks and white predominating. The ushers were Mr. Douglas Tabor, Mr. R. M. Fowler of New York and Mr. Andrew Crookshank.

As the party left the church the wedding march was sounded from the organ and such the chime of bells sent forth a right merry peal announcing to the listening world that Mr. and Mrs. Walter Fenety were wedded. The party and guests drove to the home of the bride's father where a reception was held and luncheon served.

The dining room was beautifully decorated, festoons of pink carnations and smilax hung from over the centre of the table to the corners. The table decorations were all in white the bride's cake profusely trimmed with lilies of the valley.

The bride was the recipient of a large number of beautiful presents in cut glass silver and bric-a-brac. The grooms present was a fine high grade bicycle and to the brides maid he gave a ring of twin opals.

Mr. and Mrs. Fenety left in the 4:30 train for Boston and other American cities. The bride's going away gown was of blue ladies cloth with blouse of blue silk trimmed with valenciennes lace and hat of black sequins and plumes. When they return from their bridal journey they will reside in Fredericton.

A large party of interested friends arose with the lark this morning and hid them to the early train to wish bon voyage to a very happy couple who

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