



HALIFAX NOTES.

Progress is for sale in Halifax by the publishers...

Sept 24—June and September are rival months in the matrimonial market...

The bride was accompanied by Miss Annie Davison as bridesmaid...

The bride was charmingly attired in a tailor-made travelling gown...

The bridesmaid wore a pretty pale blue silk voile costume...

Immediately after the ceremony Mr and Mrs Clarke were conveyed to North St Station...

St Joseph's church, Russell street, was the scene of a very pretty wedding...

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Dr and Mrs A C Hawkins left yesterday morning for Boston and other American cities.

Hon Senator Ferguson of Charlottetown is in the city.

Hon Dr McN Parker and wife Miss Parker, and Miss Nora McKay, Dartmouth, are visiting St John.

Mr H C L Fennerty and his sister, Miss E A Fennerty of Halifax, who have been the guests of Miss Elsie Dawson, Amherst...

The marriage takes place on Oct 7 of Miss Ethel Halls and Mr R R Kennedy...

William G Foley and Arthur P Healy left on the flying Bluebonnet this morning for Boston...

Mr Jacob Lingay, Major of Yarmouth, and Mr W A Chase, Secretary of the Yarmouth Steamship Co are in the city...

John W Mahon and wife left for England today, where they intend residing.

Sept 25, Charles M Murray of the insurance firm of Murray & Son, Toronto, and Jessie B Campbell daughter of Ald Campbell...

The engagement is announced of Miss Edna E Shaford and Mr Edward S Fraser...

In the Methodist church at Windsor today, the marriage took place of G Mitchell, son of George Mitchell, M P of Halifax...

The bride was accompanied by Miss Annie Davison as bridesmaid...

Truro. Mrs Charles Nichols, of Guysboro, is the guest of Mrs William Snook, Queen street.

Mrs B F Pearson returned last Friday to her home in Halifax, much improved in health after her sojourn in Truro.

Mr Sidney Crowe spent a few days in Truro last week.

Miss Clara Doyle, Malden, Mass, is visiting her brother, Mr Rupert Doyle, Leyman street.

Mrs Robert Chambers and Miss Isabelle Chambers have returned from a delightful trip to Newfoundland.

Miss Ervin and Miss Minna Ervin of Bridgetown are the guests of Miss Fletcher, Willow street.

Mr Charles McCully, of New York, is visiting friends in Truro.

Mrs White, of Sydney, is the guest of Mrs Somerville, Robie street.

Great sympathy is felt for Mr L R Kettle and Mrs Kettle on the death of their little boy.

Mrs Johnson Elliott has returned home after a delightful visit in Truro, the guest of Mrs James Reid.

Miss O'Neil is visiting friends in Fredericton.

Mrs Martin Diekie and eldest son have gone to Boston, where they will remain for several weeks.

Miss Beatrice Blanchard is visiting friends in Bridgetown.

The many friends in Truro of Rev H F Waring and Mrs Waring, of St John, were very sorry to learn of the death of their only child.

Mrs William F McCurdy, of Baddeck, is visiting her mother, Mrs Allan Longhead, Church street.

Miss Ethel Fulton, of Great Village, spent a few days in Truro last week on her way home from Sydney, where she has spent a delightful summer.

Mrs Harry Crowe gave an "at home" to her many friends on Friday last at her handsome residence on Pleasant street.

Mrs Peary, wife of Lieutenant Peary, of northern exploration fame, and little daughter were in Truro lately en route to New York from North Sydney where they left the steamer Erik of Greenland.

Invitations are out for the marriage, to take place today of F C Cotton, of the Charlottetown Patriot, and Miss Ethel S Robbins, daughter of Mrs Byron Robbins, of this town.

H Huestis, a prominent jeweller, of Providence, R I, a nephew of the venerable G O Huestis, and Mrs Huestis, have been in town with their cousin, G O Fulton.

John F Whitman and Jim How were guests of Arthur H Whitman in Halifax, and took in the exhibition.

Rev Bruce Mackay, of Bermuda, was in town lately and brought son to St Andrew's school.

Mrs F Leavitt left on Saturday last for Halifax, where she is visiting her daughter Miss Margaret Leavitt.

Rev H H Roach, for the past few years pastor of the Baptist church here, has accepted the call tendered him by the Haymarket Square Baptist church of St John, and will leave to accept his new charge in about three weeks.

Miss Esther Remson of Boston was visiting friends in Annapolis last week.

Valentine E McFadden and bride were in town recently.

Miss Manning came down from Falmouth on Saturday, and is visiting at A M King's.

Jas Moody, of Boston, is here on a visit to his brother, W H Moody.

Ralph Creighton, formerly of the Union Bank staff here, but now of the same institution in North Sydney, was visiting friends here last week.

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TITLE OF KINGS.

Changes Since the Saxon Style was "King of the English."

The new title which is to be bestowed upon Edward VII. in tardy recognition of his sovereignty over Canada, Australia and the other self governing colonies of Britain, adds another to the already long list of terms by which our monarchs have been called.

Edward the Confessor in the Saxon style was 'King of the English.' On assuming this after Hastings William I. added the 'Patron of the Normans,' also adding the pious Dei Gratia omitted by his father.

The ascension of John brought two changes. He was the first to style himself 'King of England' instead of King of the English.

When Edward III. reigned, came the title 'King of France.' Not until eighty years ago did this cease to be part of the British royal title.

The ordinary form of address was 'Your Grace.' Henry IV. became 'His Most Excellent Grace,' while Edward IV. was 'High and Mighty Prince,' and Henry VII. 'His Grace' or 'His Highness.'

Henry VIII. increased the royal dignity. He was the first 'King of Ireland, and also to add the distinguishing numerals to his name.

It was Henry VIII., too, who first bore the title 'Defender of the Faith.' The Pope bestowed it upon him for his attack on Luther.

In addition to these alterations, Henry also changed the usual form of address and reference. Until 1527 he was contented to be called 'His Highness,' but thereafter he was 'His Majesty.'

Elizabeth was frequently styled 'the Most High, Mighty, and Magnificent Empress Elizabeth, by the grace of God Queen of England, France, Ireland, and of Virginia, Defender of the Faith.'

Thus the title remained for a century when the Act of Union made Anne 'Queen of Great Britain, France, and Ireland, Defender of the Faith,' with the general address of 'Her Most Gracious Majesty.'

Just a hundred years ago the Irish union made George III. 'King of the United Kingdom of Great Britain Ireland, and France, Defender of Faith,' with the address of 'His Most Gracious Majesty.'

So the style remained until 1876 tardy recognition was made of the Queen's sovereignty over India by the conferment of the title 'Empress of India.'

With this gallant and unanswerable argument all debate ceases.

A Ten-Thousand-Dollar Joke.

A witty remark does not always result so satisfactorily to the perpetrator as in the case of the young curate who obtained a valuable living in the west of England by means of a pun.

The rector who held the living had died, and there were many applications for the place, which was worth ten thousand dollars a year.

'Naturally they should feel a proper amount of grief, but I cannot understand why they should weep so frenziedly for the dead.'

The young man instantly replied: 'You are mistaken my lord; it is not for the dead they weep; it is for the living.'

Thereupon the earl was so pleased with the keenness of the remark that he presented the living to the curate.

An amusing controversy has sprung up in Paris over the gender of the 'automobile,' which the French Academy has solemnly declared to be masculine.

One disputation writer would like to know how 'automobile' can be masculine, while 'Jocombie' is feminine.

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All persons having desirable farms to dispose of will please communicate with the undersigned, when blank forms will be sent, to be filled in with the necessary particulars as to location, price, terms of sale, etc.

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