

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

EVENTS OF THE WEEK IN ST. JOHN AND HALIFAX

And the Happenings in Social Circles of Fredericton, Moncton, Richibucto, Dorchester, St. Stephen, Milltown, Bathurst, Sussex, Amherst, Truro, Calais, Etc.

St. John people seem this week to be arousing themselves slightly in giving entertainments of one kind or another, and it is to be hoped that it is a forerunner of good things to come, and that the coming summer will be a gay one.

On Tuesday last a large reception was held at the residence of Rev. Canon and Mrs. De'cher, Carleton street, in honor of Rev. Mr. Holbrook and Mrs. Holbrook (New York).

Mrs. Downey (Toronto) is the guest of Mr. Simeon Jones, and on Wednesday last a very enjoyable dance was held in her honor, at Mr. Jones' residence, Mecklenberg terrace.

Miss Belle Nicholson left on Friday for Halifax, where she intends spending a short time.

Mr. Gerard Ruel has returned from Harvard university, where he has passed very successful examinations with high honors.

Miss Minnie Smith, daughter of Mr. Wm. Smith, deputy minister of marine and fisheries, of Ottawa, and Mr. Thomson, of Halifax, are the guests of Mrs. Bayard, German street.

Mr. James I. Fellows arrived on Thursday morning from England, and will be in St. John about a week.

Mr. W. H. McLeod (Richibucto) is spending a short time here in St. John.

Mr. Geo. Dean, of the Bank of Montreal, and Mr. W. Lawton have taken apartments in Rothsay for the summer months.

Mr. Herbert Tilley left on Monday for St. Andrews, where he will remain a short time.

Miss Hattie Seaton (Halifax) spent a few days in St. John this week, the guest of the Misses Nicholson.

Mr. Geo. A. Thomson, who was formerly stationed here in the Halifax Banking company, spent a few days in St. John last week among his old friends, who all seemed pleased to see him again.

Miss L. Smith, of Boston, is visiting Mrs. Robert Jarline, Coburg street.

Miss Watters and Miss P. Robinson, of St. John, are paying a visit to Fredericton.

Rev. Edwin Daniel and Mrs. Daniel arrived last week and are the guests of her mother, Mrs. Charles Kinnear, Carleton street.

Mrs. Alison Bartlett (Prince Edward Island) is the guest of Mrs. F. T. C. Burpee, Orange street.

Miss Whitley who has been in New York for the past year, is spending the summer in St. John.

Dr. Holden accompanied by Mrs. Holden, went to Newport the first of this week to attend the medical conference held there.

Mr. Robert Tucker, Boston, is the guest of Judge Tuck, Elliott Row.

Dr. Bayard has returned from his trip to British Columbia looking much better for it and much pleased with the delightful climate and scenery of that part of the Dominion.

Late English papers describe most graphically the very brilliant wedding of Miss May Fellows, third daughter of James I. Fellows, Esq., late of St. John, of Saxon Hall, Palace Court, Kensington, London, to Mr. Ernest Arger Lambert, son of Mr. R. P. Lambert, of Kenmore, Streatham.

Mrs. W. H. Perley, of St. John, is the guest of Mrs. Dr. Ryan.

The rain, unfortunately, came a little too soon on Saturday and broke up Miss Etta Arnold's picnic on Kirk hill. However, the guests were sheltered by Col. Beer, who also, when the rain ceased, kindly drove them home.

Miss Kaye left Tuesday to spend a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. Dr. March, of Portland.

I am glad to hear such cheering accounts from Rev. Canon Medley. He has been very much benefited by the change to Fredericton, and is decidedly improving.

A fishing party on their way to and from Dick's lake, passed through Sussex, last week. Among them were Dr. and Mrs. March, Dr. and Mrs. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. R. Humphrey, Miss Baxter, Portland, and Miss McMonaghy.

Mrs. Charles Hazen and Mr. Bogart have returned from their trip to Beaver harbor.

Miss Edith Markham (Markhamville) and Miss Florence Arnold returned on Monday from the convent at Halifax.

Mrs. J. M. Kinnear gives a tennis party today. Another social event of this week will be the party at Mr. A. Robertson's on Thursday evening, an account of which I must leave till my next letter.

Wedding No. 2 takes place this evening at the residence of Capt. Barker, Brunswick street, when his daughter Miss Carrie Barker, will be married to Mr. Robert Colewell, also of this city.

A very pleasant social event in the form of a surprise party, took place Monday evening at the residence of Mr. Wm. Turner, George street, it being the 20th anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Turner's wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. B. Fisher have returned from a very pleasant visit to their friends in New York.

An immense crowd of people were out to the depot, yesterday morning, to bid adieu to the Royal School of Infantry and 71st Batt., who took a special train, at 9 o'clock, for camp at St. Andrews.

Among the ladies who went to St. Andrews with the camp, are Mrs. A. G. Beckwith, Mrs. M. Jack, Miss Mary Brown, Mrs. Major Gordon and Miss Jennie Winslow.

Mr. R. D. Wilson, of the Bank of British North America at St. John, and Mrs. Wilson have been spending their holidays here, the guests of Mrs. Black, Brunswick street.

Miss Susie Robinson, of St. John, has been visiting friends in this city.

Hon. James Mitchell, Mrs. Mitchell and Miss Noe Clerk, of St. Stephen, are here. They are boarding at Mrs. Barker's, Brunswick street.

Mr. H. A. Drury, Mr. Charles Troop, Mr. H. Hazen and Mr. H. Fairweather, of St. John, visited Fredericton last week in a pretty little yacht.

Mr. L. C. McNutt, of the Farmer, has had a visit from his father, who lives in Truro, N. S.

Miss Mabel Shives, St. John, has been visiting Mrs. Lavinia Gregory, on George street.

Mrs. G. F. Gregory and Miss Mabel are visiting friends in St. John. They are the guests of Mrs. Whittaker.

Miss Belle Everett left home a week ago for Halifax, where she will spend the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett and Miss Winnie spent a few days in Digby, N. S.

Mr. George Markwald has returned to his home in New York.

Rev. Mr. Pierce, of Hillsboro, officiated in the evening. Rev. Mr. Dobson, accompanied by Mrs. Dobson, is attending the conference.

A complimentary dinner is to be tendered to Ex Mayor Hazen on Friday evening, at the Barker House. The affair is in charge of a committee, of which Mr. D. R. Forgan is secretary.

Miss Agnes Tabor, daughter of the late Capt. C. Tabor, of this city, is the winner of the Montreal Witness prize for an essay on the March of the 104th Regiment from Fredericton to Quebec.

Mrs. F. B. Edgecomb will spend two months at the Algonquin hotel, St. Andrews, this summer.

Mr. William Robinson, of the Bank of Nova Scotia in St. John, spent Sunday with his mother and sisters, in this city.

Dr. Hetherington, of St. John, spent last week here, at the military school. He had his young daughter, Mary, with him, she being the guest of Mrs. Frank Risteen.

Miss Howie and her brother, Mr. Rob Howie, are going to St. Andrews for a few weeks.

Ex-Mayor Hazen was entertained at the barracks, Friday evening.

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A large tent on the lawn offered a cozy retreat for those of the sterner sex who were sufficiently carnal minded to feel like smoking, and I regret to say, that a great many did feel that way, but as the evening was very warm and dancing rather an exertion except to the youngest and gayest of the throng, there was some little excuse for them, though, for my own part, with such music and such delightful, springy floors, I cannot imagine anyone who could possibly secure a partner among all the lovely matrons and maids present, doing anything but dance. There were a great many new and beautiful dresses. A lady friend informed me that the prevailing style of dress that evening was the "Directoire," and if that was the case, let me take the liberty of remarking, that it is a style I do not particularly admire; the very short waist and wide sash seems to me very trying. To begin with, the fair hostess herself, Mrs. Archibald, wore a perfectly plain dress of heliotrope cashmere, unrelieved by any trimming; it was cut low and had short sleeves, and beyond a waist knot of clover, no ornaments were worn. But I never saw Mrs. Archibald look better. Her dress was most eminently becoming, and she has sufficient charms of her own to be able to wear a plain style of dress.

Mrs. Edward McSweeney, sister of Mr. Archibald a very handsome dress of black lace over black

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JUNE 26.—Mrs. Fred Jones has returned to St. John. She will be very much missed by all her friends.

Miss Bessie Melick (St. John) is spending a few days at Mr. H. Arnold's.

Mrs. J. W. Kaye and children returned on Monday from their visit to St. John. They were accompanied by Mrs. Kaye's sister, Miss Alice Steadman, who will spend a few weeks in Sussex.

Mr. T. Perkins, of St. John, was in town on Saturday.

Children's hoots done up equal to new, at Ungar's Steam Laundry.