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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

(CONTINUED FROM FIFTH PAGE.)

AMHERST, N. S.

APRIL 16.—The news of the death of Mrs. Boileau, at Halifax last week, leaving an infant eleven days old, was heard with much sadness by her numerous circle of relatives and friends in her native town.

Mr. F. D. Laurie, brother of Major-General Laurie, was in town last week, the guest of Judge Moore.

Mr. J. Mariner McLeod is receiving congratulations upon the advent of a little stranger, a son.

Mrs. Henry Reid, of Bathurst, is in town this week, visiting her mother-in-law.

Mr. Allan Chapman, of Dorchester, was in town last week.

Mrs. John O'Brien, of Bridgeport, Conn., is at present staying with her daughter, Mrs. McLeod.

Mrs. Tilden has returned from St. Catherine's, Ont.

Mrs. W. H. Rogers accompanied by her son, Mr. Sherman Rogers, left last Monday for Fall River, Mass., where Mrs. Rogers expects to spend the summer with her daughter, Mrs. Phillips.

Mr. Fred Reid, of St. John, was in town this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Symmes and family have returned from St. Catharines, Ont., to spend the summer in town.

Miss Strickland returned on Monday from her trip to St. John.

Mr. T. R. Black, M. P. P., is in town for a day or so this week.

BATHURST.

APRIL 16.—Mr. and Mrs. T. Swayne DesBrisay have visiting them their sister, Miss Scovill, of Stratford, Ont.

Miss Gilchrist, of Chatham, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. W. Girvan.

Mr. Edward Hickson, American Consul, who has been in New York on official business, is expected home at the end of the week.

Mr. F. Gallagher, of the customs, is recovering from his recent illness.

There were no services in St. George's church on Sunday, owing to the absence of the rector, Rev. George J. D. Peters.

Mr. John Siveright, who is par excellence the most popular young gentleman in town, left yesterday morning for Philadelphia, and the wise ones to whom I am indebted for the rumors "quiefines" which fill the air at the present moment, will be sadly disappointed should he return alone.

Mr. Park, of Newcastle, was visiting his daughter, Mrs. W. P. Bishop, during the week.

Mrs. James Power, who has been spending some weeks with friends in Beresford, has returned.

Miss Bessie Alcorn is visiting her sister.

Mr. Harry J. Gammon, of Moncton, is in town today.

DORCHESTER.

APRIL 16.—Messrs. Lawrence, Wallace and Wilbur returned from their outing at Grand Digue, Saturday evening, with a goodly number of birds.

Mrs. William Campbell, who has been spending his vacation at home, returned to Windsor yesterday.

Mr. H. C. Hanington, of Moncton, spent Sunday in town.

Rev. George Peters, of Bathurst, spent a few days in town last week, the guest of Mrs. D. L. Hanington, and returned home Monday.

Miss Ada Williams, of Moncton, is in town, visiting her friend, Miss Sarah Godfrey.

Mr. H. W. Hanington is not expected home from Fredericton until next week.

LEPREAU.

APRIL 17.—Miss Emma Thomas, who has been visiting Mrs. G. Herbert Thomas, at the Point, returned to St. John last week.

A number of apartments from St. John, including Messrs. Geo. Saunders, G. Dean, Chas. Baker, W. Miller, B. Vauvart and T. Vauvart, spent several days of last week shooting on the ledge.

Mr. G. R. Hanson is in St. John for a few days, en route to his departure for San Diego, O. K.

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MONCTON.

[Progress is for sale in Moncton at the book-stores of W. W. Black and W. H. Murray, Main street.]

April 16.—Easter generally brings a week or two of gaiety in its train, but this year is an exception to the rule, for, as I said last week, several parties have been indefinitely postponed.

The one break in last week's monotony was a delightful little entertainment given on Thursday by Mrs. P. S. Archibald, who is always giving her friends some pleasant surprise or other. This took the form of a ladies' drive, whilst party, the hours were from half-past two in the afternoon till half-past five, when tea was served. As I said before, it was a ladies' party, so of course I was not there myself, but judging from the enthusiastic accounts I have heard, as well as by my own previous experience of Mrs. Archibald's hospitality, a most enjoyable afternoon was spent. I believe the guests numbered about 30, and the fortunate partners who carried off the prize were Miss Harris and Miss McKean.

Mrs. A. H. Beddome left town last week for St. John, called, I regret to say, by the illness of her mother, Mrs. King.

Miss Jean Thomson, of Newcastle, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. C. J. Butcher, during the Easter holidays, returned home on Saturday.

The many friends of Mrs. R. S. Hoeken, who has been very ill for some weeks past, will be glad to learn that she has improved wonderfully during the last few days, and is really much better now.

Miss Maggie McKean departed last week for St. John, where she will spend a fortnight visiting relatives. Indeed, so many of our ladies are away at present that the town seems to have lost its brightness. Miss Adèle McKean has been away for more weeks than one likes to count, and Miss Weldon seems to have deserted us altogether.

Mrs. W. G. Lawton, of Shediac, spent a few days in town last week, the guest of her friend, Mrs. David Dickson.

Moncton people have been very much excited lately over the question of the value of the judgment. Of course "Le Docteur" does not "must" always sound like a heartless motto, but somehow the world has been so arranged that no place can remain untroubled long. It is nature's inflexible rule that the breaks must be repaired, and no sooner was the lamented Judge Botsford laid in his grave than the question of his successor became the interest of the day in the country. We of the railway Hub were naturally anxious that the mantle should fall upon the eminently suitable shoulders of Mr. R. A. Borden, whose chances were considered very good for the appointment. Next to Mr. Borden, I think we should have preferred the stately form of Mr. Wells graced by the silk gown. So our congratulations to Judge Landry will be tempered by a feeling of disappointment that we are not to have the justice in Moncton, as we are accustomed to that honor our just due.

Mr. S. J. Huston, of the I. C. R., has been appointed private secretary to Mr. H. A. Whitney, in place of Mr. Paver, who has been made secretary of the I. C. R. Relief and Insurance association.

Prof. Charles G. D. Roberts, of King's college, Windsor, spent a day or two in town last week, visiting friends.

Miss Purdy, of Nova Scotia, is in town, visiting her friend, Mrs. W. J. Weldon. Miss Purdy has made hosts of friends in our town, and is always a welcome guest when she honors us with her presence.

The girls' sewing circle of St. Paul's R. E. church, under the direction of Mrs. J. E. Masters, held a sale of useful and fancy articles, last Friday evening, and realized the sum of \$51, in aid of the Sunday school. The young folks deserve great credit for the excellent manner in which the work was done, and the variety of the articles displayed, and Mrs. Masters should be proud of her pupils.

Rev. John Prince left town this morning, or is to leave tonight, I am not sure which, on a mission of which many a younger man might be proud, even to bring home the first love of his heart to be his forevermore. "Until the angels call us home to rest," I believe the ceremony is to take place in Montreal, but I shall be able to give more particulars next week.

Mr. George Taylor, general freight agent of the I. C. R., accompanied by his secretary, Mr. J. H. Wran, returned on Monday from Ottawa, where they have spent some weeks on business connected with the freight tariff.

Mr. F. G. Donah, of the engineer office, left town on Monday night for St. Louis, where he has accepted a position. His many friends join in wishing him all possible success.

Moncton people will be sorry to hear that Mr. J. R. Foster, formerly of Moncton, but now of Vancouver, B. C., has been very ill all winter. I am glad to hear that he is now convalescent, however.

Rev. J. D. Murray, of Redbank, Miramichi, was in town yesterday, on his return from Pictou.

The work of finishing St. Bernard's new church is pushing rapidly forward, and it is building the interior is to be commenced shortly, and in a special collection which was taken up last Sunday in aid of the building fund, \$200 were realized.

The many Moncton friends of Rev. Cathbert Willis, of Pictou, will be sorry to hear that he has been compelled through ill health, to resign his rectoryship. His place will be filled for the present by Rev. W. Etouge.

Mr. W. C. Paver, general secretary of the I. C. R. Relief and Insurance association, returned on Sunday from Montreal, where he has been on business connected with his office.

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NEWCASTLE.

APRIL 15.—I noticed Mr. and Miss Hutchins and Mrs. Stewart, wife of the editor of the Halifax Herald, in town last week. The were the guests of Mrs. Yeoman. Miss Hutchins, who, on previous visits, proved herself such a favorite, was gladly welcomed.

Miss McCurdy entertained a few of her friends on Saturday evening. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Street, Mr. and Mrs. Davidson, Mrs. Stewart, Mrs. Yeoman, Miss Hutchins, Miss Wheeler, Miss Thomson, Miss Street, and Messrs. Hutchins, Call, Fish and Thompson.

There was a dance at the Waverley on the same evening, at which a very enjoyable time was spent. Sickens, in the form of mumps, has again robbed us of another dancer. Miss Sargent has our sympathy in her affliction.

Miss A. Adams and her friends from Halifax spent last Friday in Moncton. I was sorry to hear that, going up, they were unceremoniously tossed out.

Miss Malby, has returned from Montreal, where, I understand, she spent a very pleasant winter. Dr. Sinclair has been home from McGill for the past fortnight. He returned on Monday for the summer season.

Mr. W. R. Robinson has gone to work again with Mr. Morrison.

Mrs. Will Mitchell spent last week in Nelson.

It is rumored that we are shortly to part with Mr. John Malby and family. That is to be regretted, as we will lose two of the most popular young ladies in town.

Rev. William Aitken visited St. John last week. The curlers' ball, which took place last night, was very largely attended, there being about 75 couples present. There were many elegant costumes, but the one spoken of as being particularly handsome was worn by Miss Benson, who was, all will agree, the belle of the ball.

MARVILLE.

APRIL 16.—Mr. and Mrs. James Gibson gave a large party last evening. Music was furnished during the evening by the host and hostess, and Prof. Cadwallader and Miss Alice and Alma Gibson, on violin and piano. I found it a difficult matter to decide who the belle was, as all the ladies looked exceedingly well.

Mrs. Gibson received her guests in black silk and moire; ornaments, pearls.

Mrs. C. H. Hart wore black silk and lace, natural flowers; gold ornaments.

Mrs. Tutts, black satin and lace.

Mrs. Sprague, handsome combination green and silver; gold ornaments.

Mrs. Sprague looked lovely in tawn satin, beautiful corsage; bouquet of carnations and roses; ornaments, diamonds.

Mrs. A. G. Robinson, black moire and lace; natural flowers.

Mrs. Wm. Alexander, black lace and jet.

Mrs. Walter Reed, goblin blue silk, steel trimmings; white roses.

Mrs. Cadwallader, fawn cashmere and plush; natural flowers.

Miss Alice Gibson, black satin and lace, V neck; scarlet poppies.

Miss S. Gibson, pale green china silk; white flowers, with scarlet ribbons.

Mrs. Harold Gilbert (St. John), black dress, silver trimmings.

Mrs. George Payson (Fredericton) and Mrs. Powell (Sackville) were in town on Friday, the guests of Mrs. Alex. Gibson.

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APRIL 16.—Mrs. John Black, accompanied by two of her children, left on Monday morning for Moncton, where she will visit friends for a fortnight.

Mr. W. F. Todd has returned from a short visit in Boston.

The ladies' social club meets this evening at the residence of Mrs. Frank A. Gummer.

Rev. Mr. Howe, of Nova Scotia, who is here in the interest of King's college, Windsor, is at Christ church rectory, the guest of Rev. O. S. Newnam.

Ex-Mayor Gummer went to Fredericton on Monday.

Mrs. Charles King (Calais) entertains a number of lady friends this afternoon with drive whist.

Mrs. C. H. Clarke and Mrs. Waterbury are visiting St. John.

Mr. Benjamin Young, who has spent the winter in Jacksonville, Florida, has returned to his home in Calais.

Mr. F. W. Andrews arrived home from New York city on Thursday.

Miss Maud Marchie, of Calais, is visiting Miss Falconer in Canterbury.

Mr. Bradley Eaton, of Mott Haven, N. Y., is spending a few days in Calais.

Mr. A. P. Tippet, of St. John, was in town on Thursday.

Mr. Wilnot Brown returned from Boston on Friday morning.

Mrs. Ethel Waterbury is spending a few days in St. Andrews, with her aunt, Mrs. G. D. Gummer.

Miss Annie Harvey, of Calais, has returned from Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Eaton have arrived home, after a short but pleasant visit in Boston.

Mrs. J. A. Gummer has returned from St. Andrews.

Miss Alice Grahame has arrived home, after a long and delightful visit in Fredericton.

Mr. Frederic Stranville, of Moncton, who has just returned from England, has been spending a few days here, the guest of Mr. John Black.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Reed returned to their home in St. John on Thursday morning.

Mr. Herbert C. Grant who has spent the winter in New York city studying music, is shortly expected home.

Dr. H. B. Mason is again at home, having spent several weeks in the hospitals in Boston and New York.

The new Episcopal church at Milltown is to be opened tomorrow evening for the first time.

The bachelors of the Calais whist club gave a very brilliant party to the members of the club on Thursday evening last, at the Border City Hotel.

Drive whist occupied the first part of the evening. At eleven o'clock dancing began and continued until a late hour. The ladies were in full dress and looked very charming. The young men are to be congratulated on the success of this party, and the admirable way it was managed.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Broad gave invitations today to the marriage of their daughter, Miss Ella Broad, to Mr. Otto Thomson, of Montreal, at 8 o'clock next Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Harkins, of Calais, entertained a number of their St. Stephen friends last evening.

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