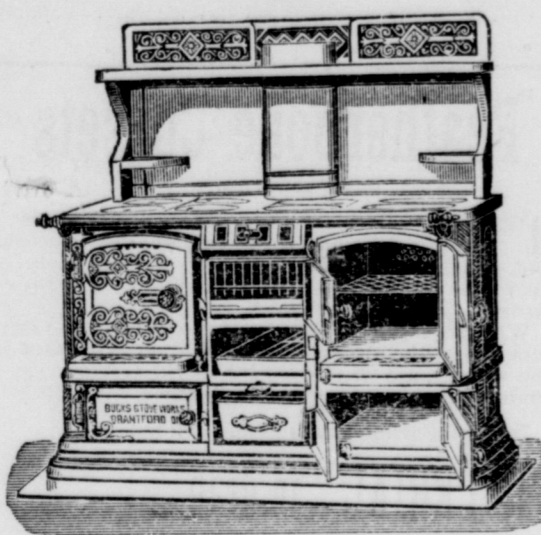




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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

St. John—South End.

On Thursday of last week an elegant "yellow lunch" was given by Mrs. George McAvity at her residence, Leinster street, at which about twelve or fifteen of her young lady friends were present. This was a very recherche affair in every respect, and also quite a novelty in St. John. The table was tastefully decorated with dandelions and daffodils in bunches placed in yellow rose bowls, while each guest had beside her dainty little yellow cards with her name and the day of the month inserted, and to which a flower of the same color was attached. In each finger bowl a slice of lemon was placed, and the doilies on which they stood were worked in yellow. Great taste was displayed in the decorating of many of the dishes with yellow ribbons, and the whole effect was very unique.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. James I. Fellows were glad to welcome them back to St. John. They, with their daughter, Miss Mary Fellows, arrived from England last week, and will make a stay of several weeks, the guests of their daughter, Mrs. T. S. Adams, Germantown street. It is seven or eight years since Mrs. Fellows has visited St. John. Miss Jane Robinson, Fredericton, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. William DeVeber, Carlton street. Bissop Kingdon, Mrs. Kingdon and Miss Maud Robinson spent this week in the city. They were registered at the Royal.

The Metropolitan was also in St. John for a day or two this week the guest of Canon and Mrs. DeVeber.

Mr. Fred Toller, of Ottawa, was in the city this week. The new engagement on the tapis is between a young banker who has very lately come to St. John and a young lady well known in society, the daughter of a retired merchant.

A number of ladies and gentlemen who through the winter have met together for a rubber of whist, were entertained by Judge and Mrs. Tuck on Tuesday evening at their residence, Elliot row, when a very pleasant hour or two was spent.

Mr. S. S. DeForest is laid up at his residence, German street, with an attack of la grippe. Two very old and respected citizens of St. John are, at the time I am writing, lying very ill. Mr. Charles Patton, it is feared, is passing away from old age, he being over 90 years of age. Mrs. McGrath was stricken with paralysis at her residence, Coburg street, on Wednesday last, and little hopes are entertained for her recovery.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gilbert heard with regret this week of the death of their infant daughter, aged 8 months, from congestion of the lungs.

What might have proved a very disastrous fire occurred on Monday evening, when Mr. T. H. Hall's residence, Orange street, was very badly damaged. Owing to the exertions of the firemen the building was saved, though the interior was so destroyed that it will be some months before the whole house is fit for occupation.

On Tuesday Mr. Simeon Jones and the Misses Jones gave a very elegant little lunch to a number of their friends, including Mr. and Mrs. James I. Fellows. Mr. Jones and his family will leave St. John next week for an extended tour.

On Tuesday evening a most enjoyable sleigh drive was given by Mrs. Fred Harding, assisted by her gentlemen friends. Starting from her residence, Wentworth street, at 7.30 o'clock the party drove to South Bay and finished the evening with a dance. The ladies present all contributed a basket of refreshments and a really good supper was enjoyed before their return to the city which they did not reach until 2 o'clock the next morning.

On Wednesday evening Dr. and Mrs. Murray MacLaren entertained a few friends at a whist party, when about twenty guests were present. After enjoying several rubbers an elegant little supper was partaken of.

Mrs. Byron Taylor gave a small but pleasant card party on Thursday evening to a few friends.

Mr. F. M. Maunsell is visiting his home at Fredericton.

Mr. Hibbert Symonds, who has been absent from the city some time, is in town again.

On Thursday, Mrs. George F. Smith entertained a few of her lady friends at luncheon, at her residence, Union street. An elegant repast, including all the delicacies of the season, was provided, and the table tastefully decorated with cut flowers. It was a very pleasant gathering, and was given principally for some lady friends who are visiting the city. Among those present were Lady Tilley, Mrs. James I. Fellows, Mrs. W. Z. Earle, Mrs. McLeod, Mrs. B. C. B. Boyd, Mrs. W. L. Busby, and several others.

I have heard rumors of another hockey match coming off next week, in which I have no doubt as much interest will be taken as the last. This will be between the bankers and some of the late students of Lennoxville college.

Miss Rosa Jack, of Fredericton, who has been visiting St. John, left for St. Andrews this week.

Messrs. J. F. Merritt and R. L. Smith entertained a number of their friends at the Ben Lomond house, Wednesday evening. A sumptuous supper was served by mine host Lawton, and enjoyed by all. Games and dancing were indulged in after supper until eleven o'clock, and all drove home delighted with the hosts of the evening. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Merritt, Mr. and Mrs. T. Armstrong, Mr. and Mrs. Butcher, Mr. and Mrs. Will Wheeler, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Philips, Mr. and Mrs. E. Golding, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Sancton, Misses Smith, Puddington, Fowler, Barbour, Hall, McDonald, Worrall (Bridgewater, Mass.), Messrs. Barbour, Hall, Puddington, Dr. Wetmore, and F. S. Merritt.

St. John—West End.

Mrs. Mary Thompson left on Saturday for St. Stephen, where she will be the guest of Mrs. Ganong.

Miss Kate Murphy is visiting friends at the east end.

Mrs. Thomas Reade of the east end is spending a few days on Lancaster heights, the guest of her sister, Mrs. Jas. Steeves.

On Tuesday, notwithstanding the unfavorable condition of the roads, a large sleighing party, chaperoned by Mrs. Fred Harding, drove out to the Boom house at South bay, where a very merry evening was spent, before returning home.

The funeral of the late Mr. John C. Littlehale, which took place on Wednesday afternoon at three o'clock, was largely attended by the residents of the west end.

Among the many rumors of weddings to be in the early spring, on dit, that the marriage of a young lady residing on the Manawagonish road to a gentleman on the other side of the water, will also be celebrated in the month of April.

PERRIS MORS.

Rev. William Allen went to Moncton last week on business, and was taken down with a severe cold. In consequence, he had to remain longer than he expected. Mrs. Allen is also very poorly.

We are glad to learn that the Messrs. Coster have decided to remain on this side. They have taken the Rev. J. O. Crisp's house.

Mr. J. Oltre has decided to move to the city on the first of May to Carmarthen street, corner of Orange. They will be much missed on this side of the harbor. I also heard that Mr. Charles Tilly contemplates going to the city south.

Miss Jennie Clark spent a few days in the city with her friend Miss Bertha White.

Miss Fulton, of Nova Scotia, who has been visiting with Mrs. Thompson, left for Boston last week.

Mr. E. J. Sheldon returned on Thursday from St. Martins, where he has been for several weeks on business. We congratulate Miss Jane Estey upon the suc-

cess she achieved at the concert in St. David's church, last Thursday evening, as a reader.

Miss Clark has so far recovered from her recent severe illness as to be able to go about the house.

Mr. Sampson, uncle of Rev. W. H. Sampson, is recovering from an attack of pneumonia.

Mr. I. B. Knight spent Sunday with his family at the West end.

On Wednesday afternoon a quiet wedding was celebrated at the residence of Mr. Thomas Adams, Beaconsfield. Miss Lizzie Miller was united in marriage to Mr. Best of Stanley, York county, by the Rev. Robert Crisp. The newly wedded pair left immediately for their future home. The bride was the recipient of a great number of valuable and useful presents, among them a very handsome davenport and two dozen silver spoons, tea and desert, from her aunt in England.

Mrs. J. Wilnot entertained a number of her friends at a tea party last week.

Mrs. Thompson gave a delightful drive whist party last Thursday.

St. John—North End.

Hon. James Holly has been confined to the house some days past.

Dr. March returned home from New York last Thursday.

On Monday evening a pleasant gathering of relatives took place at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Connor, Main street, the occasion being the celebration of their wooden wedding. They were the recipients of many handsome presents.

Mr. W. H. Curry, of Windsor, N. S., who has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Sydney Welton, of Main street, left for home this morning.

On Wednesday last the lady members of St. Lukes congregation, united and formed themselves into a sewing circle, with the intention of holding a sale, high tea, concert, &c., two or three consecutive nights in cester week. This promises to be a great attraction, as it will be run on a grand scale.

Miss Maggie Lydell returned home on Saturday, after an enjoyable trip to Boston.

Miss Flewelling and Mrs. Bruce have issued invitations for a reception to take place at Mrs. Wm. Christie's residence, Main street, Friday evening. They entertain the friends of Master Louis Bruce at their home this evening.

Everyone who was fortunate enough to be present at the complimentary tendered Messrs. Holly and Armstrong at the institute on Friday evening, pronounce it the grandest success of the season. It is out of my province to describe it at length.

It is the intention of Messrs. Holly and Armstrong to wind up the series at the institute with a grand calico ball some time in April.

This morning Mr. C. B. Pidgeon was married at his residence to Miss Maggie Munroe, daughter of Mr. Donald Munroe. Rev. Sydney Walton performed the ceremony, assisted by Rev. W. J. Stewart. They leave today for a tour to Montreal and other cities.

I hear of a marriage to take place shortly which will prove a great surprise to many when it occurs.

FREDERICTON.

[Progress is for sale in Fredericton at the bookstore of W. T. H. Fenety and by James H. Hawthorne.]

FEB. 25.—The lecture delivered by Prof. Duff on India, Monday evening, was largely attended and much enjoyed by all present. The magic lantern views were excellent; these were managed by Mr. Farren of St. John. Before the lecture began Miss Johnstone played a very fine piano solo which received a hearty encore; this was followed by a solo sung by Mrs. C. H. B. Fisher in her usual sweet manner, "The Midship Mite," she then sang in response to a very hearty encore, "My ain countrie." Mr. Edward Jack was chairman. Prof. Duff will deliver the second of this series of lectures on the east a week from next Monday evening, the subject of this will be Egypt.

The meeting of the Bible society last Thursday evening was very largely attended. The president, Geo. E. Fenety, presided, and Sir Leonard Tilley who came from St. John to be present; Revs. Mr. Sention, Mr. Hartley, Mr. Payson, Chief Superintendent Crocket, and C. A. Sampson occupied seats on the platform. Miss Harrison sang a sacred solo which was very much appreciated.

Prof. Buell will give an entertainment in the city hall next Friday evening, in aid of the Victoria hospital. His entertainment will consist of very fine views of different parts of the maritime provinces.

Rev. Mr. Stewart, of Sussex, preached on Sunday in the presbyterian church. He returned to his home in Sussex yesterday. He was the guest of Capt. and Mrs. Loggie while here.

Rev. Mr. Parkinson, of St. Mary's, is delivering a lecture tonight this evening in the cathedral.

Everything is very quiet in social circles once more. I have not heard of a single party this week, even the bread and butter club have had no meetings since last came in. But I hear the fossils are going down to spend an evening with Mr. and Miss Glasier this week.

The snowshoeing seems to be about over for this season, the last few days have been very soft and tonight it is raining hard.

Mrs. C. Beckwith had a very small snowshoe party last Thursday evening.

Mrs. James Vanwart is having a child's party this evening for the young son, Master Chester.

Miss Mabel Gregory left for Halifax this morning.

Mr. G. F. Gregory returned from Ottawa on Monday.

Mr. Wallace, of Halifax, is here visiting his friends. The celestial city seems to have a strong attraction for Mr. Wallace.

The High school boys had their annual drive last Friday evening.

Miss Warren is visiting Mrs. John Morrison, jr.

Mr. Turnen will leave for his home in Halifax tomorrow. Mr. Turnen has made many friends here, and will be much missed.

Col. and Mrs. Maunsell have returned from their visit to St. John.

FAIRVILLE.

FEB. 25.—Mrs. Hatheway's many friends will regret to hear of her recent bereavement in the death of her father, Mr. J. Littlehale, Carleton. Everyone who has enjoyed the liberal hospitality of Hillside will remember Mrs. Hatheway as a kind and genial hostess, and much sympathy is felt for her in this affliction.

Mr. George Morrison, who has suffered much from failing health for more than a year, is now confined to his bed.

The extraction of teeth has proved to Mr. William Barnhill not a very trifling matter. About ten days ago he visited a dentist in the afternoon, and at nine o'clock, feeling weakened and alarmed by loss of blood, called in Dr. Gray who remained with him till nearly morning before the hemorrhage could be stopped. He is still suffering considerable pain and discomfort.

Mrs. Pheasant has been for a few days the guest of Mr. and Mrs. James Manchester. Miss Manchester returned with her to visit friends in the city.

Mrs. George Barnhill is recovering, but slowly from a severe and very tedious attack of bronchitis.

The arrival of a little stranger in the home of Prof. and Mrs. Williams has brought them showers of congratulations, especially as the important little person is a girl.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Baker, after a pleasant trip of several weeks length to Boston and New York, returned to their home at Randolph last Friday evening.

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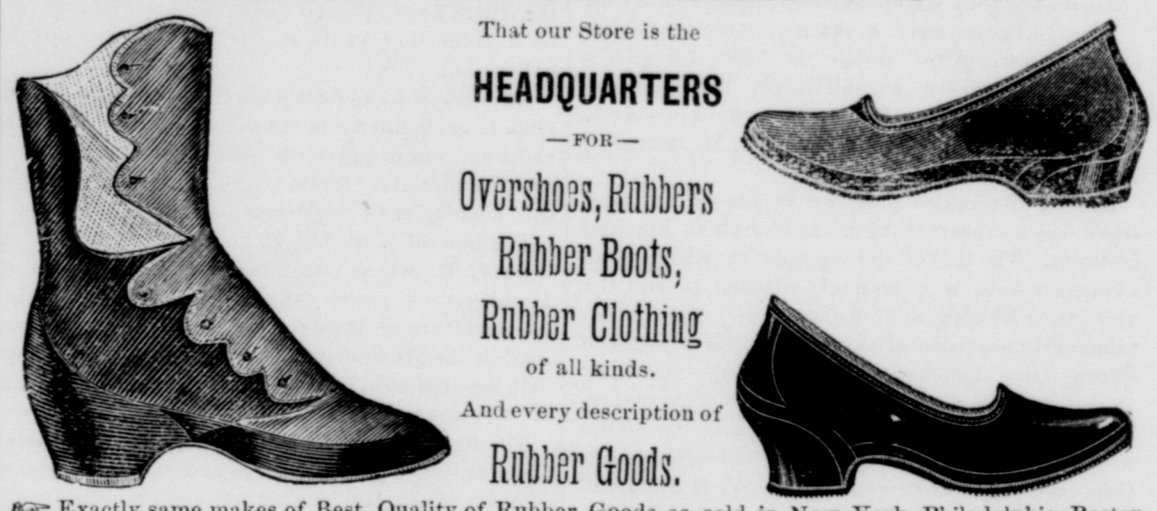
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