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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

EVENTS OF THE WEEK IN NEW BRUNSWICK AND NOVA SCOTIA.

And the Happenings in Social Circles of Fredericton, Moncton, Woodstock, Dorchester, St. Stephen, Sussex, Amherst, Calais, Etc.

The three children of Mr. George F. Smith, who have been ill with scarlet fever, are recovering. The young son of Mr. Mont McDonald is also laid up with this dread disease.

Mr. Robert Briscoe, who has been spending his vacation in St. John, returned to Kingston on Wednesday.

Mrs. George Davenport is recovering from her late severe illness.

Rev. Mr. Bruce will be confined to the house for several weeks, in consequence of his late accident, having broken a small bone in the ankle through falling on the ice.

Mr. Herbert Clinch spent last week at Rothesay with his family.

Capt. J. W. Sears, of 8th Staffordshire Regiment, who has been spending his furlough with his relatives in the city, left by steamer Parisian, on Saturday last, to join his regiment at the Currah.

On Monday night the young ladies sewing club, who have also formed themselves into a whist club, had their second gathering at the residence of Mrs. Puddington, Germain street, when a very pleasant evening was spent.

A driving party of grown-ups was arranged to take place on Tuesday evening, but unlike their younger brothers and sisters, who ventured to a party at Rothesay, they were afraid to brave the cold, and it was postponed until Wednesday evening, when if anything, it was much colder.

The large, five-seated sleigh had been engaged by several gentlemen who called for the ladies at their several homes, and when all were well wrapped up with buffalo robes they started, leaving town about five o'clock. Rooms had been previously engaged at the Loch Lomond House, and on arriving there, the first thing to be done was to appease hunger.

Each lady present had provided a basket of good things, and a long table was spread and done ample justice to, after which, dancing was indulged in, until nearly twelve o'clock, when the merry party started for town. The drive was chaperoned by Mrs. W. L. Busby, Mrs. G. K. McLeod and Mrs. R. C. Grant.

Among the young people present were Miss Burpee, Miss Warner, Miss Lina MacLaren, Miss Ada Bayard, Miss Katie and Miss Edna Jones, Miss Gerrie Drury, Miss Florie McMillan, Mr. W. Adams, Mr. Arthur Adams, Dr. Esson, Mr. R. R. Ritchie, Mr. Kettie Jones, Mr. George Jones, Mr. C. C. Cosser, Mr. G. K. McLeod, Mr. R. C. Grant, Mr. W. L. Busby.

On Tuesday evening Miss Florence Snider entertained a few of her friends at a drive whist and donkey party. Part of the evening was spent very pleasantly in playing the former game and part, the latter, while prizes were awarded to the winners of each game. A nice little supper was provided during the evening.

Among those present were Misses Mabel and Ethel Smith, Miss Nellie Jarvis, Miss Edith Robertson, Miss Laura Esson, Miss Florence Boyd, Miss Rosa Campbell, Miss Grace McMillan, Miss Flossie DeVeber, Miss Annie Scamuel, Miss Jackey Hazen, Mr. Harry Robinson, Mr. C. Schofield, Mr. R. Moren (Halifax), Mr. Harold Smith, Mr. Bert Gordon, Mr. C. Kinneer, Mr. Guy Kinneer, Mr. W. Starr, Mr. Frank Kinneer, Mr. F. Starr, Mr. Kenneth Frith.

Sir Leonard and Lady Tilley gave a dinner party on Tuesday evening last at their residence, Germain street, to a few of their gentlemen and lady friends.

Invitations have been issued by Mrs. Charles Kinneer for a small party at her residence, Carleton street, on Monday evening next.

On Wednesday (New Year's eve) a very enjoyable party was given by Mrs. John Schofield, at her residence, Wright street, for the young friends of her daughter, who is spending her vacation in St. John. The first part of the evening was spent in playing games, after which dancing was kept up until the New Year was several hours old.

At twelve o'clock, the young people danced the old old year out and the new one in, joining hands and singing "Auld Lang Syne." A handsome supper was provided, and the evening was one of the most enjoyable. Among those present were: Miss Sweet, Miss Jackey Hazen, Miss Winnie Wright, Miss Lucy Beer, Miss Mollie Robinson, Miss Louise Holden, Miss H. Campbell, Miss Helen Sreley, Miss Cowan, Miss Esson, Miss Lucy Bridgman, Miss Schofield, Messrs. C. and A. Schofield, Messrs. J. and B. Robinson, Mr. B. Moren, Mr. A. Baxter, Mr. T. S. Hall, Messrs. Guy and Charles Kinneer, Mr. Harry Robinson, Mr. Harold Wright, and several others.

Miss Maggie MacLaren, who has been laid up for some weeks with low fever, is able to be out again.

Mr. H. Laurence Sturdee has been confined to his residence, Wright street, through illness, for the last week.

Mr. Chipman Drury has been quite ill for the last two days.

Miss Steeves, Bangor, is the guest of Mrs. Cutler, Mount Pleasant.

Mr. J. Macdonald, Bank of Montreal, is spending his holidays with his relatives in Halifax.

Mrs. Charles Merritt has been laid up with a severe cold, at her residence, Charlotte street, for the last few weeks.

Mr. Alfred Morrissey, who has been ill with the grippe, is able to be out again.

Rev. James Symonds, son of Rev. R. Symonds, St. John, was married in Halifax, N. S., last week, to Miss Anna Fraser. Both the young people have many friends in St. John who will wish them every happiness.

On New Year's evening a most enjoyable dance was given by Mr. and Mrs. Clarence DeForest at their residence, Horsfield street. Quite a large gathering was present, and all voted this, the first entertainment given by their young host and hostess, a great success. Dancing was kept up until a very late hour.

Very many in St. John, especially in musical circles, regret the departure from St. John of Miss M. My Bowden, whose marriage with Dr. Walter Babbitt, of Parrsboro, N. S., took place at her father's residence on Sydney street, on Wednesday last. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. Desoyres. Miss Flossie Bowden acted as bridesmaid, while the groom was supported by the Rev. Mr. Dell, of Parrsboro, N. S. The bride was the recipient of many handsome and valuable gifts.

Many of our society young men received the old custom of calling on their friends on new year's day. The day was bright and fine, and therefore there could be no excuse for gentlemen not to visit their friends and wish them a happy new year, and many houses were thronged with callers during the afternoon.

Mr. Hibbert Symonds spent the first of the week at Halifax, where he went to be present at the marriage of his brother.

On New Year's night Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Pagsley gave a family party at their residence Chipman's Hill. About 40 were present, and spent a most enjoyable evening.

Last evening (Friday) a dance was given by Senator and Mrs. Boyd, at their residence, Queen square, an account of which I will endeavor to give next week. TERSICHOE.

Miss Mary Knight, who has been quite ill at her home on King St., is able to be out again.

Dr. James St. John, who has been confined to his residence on Lancaster Heights with a severe attack of bronchitis during the past three weeks, is much better.

Now that the winter season has fairly set in, a great many of our residents are being confined to their homes from the effects of severe colds.

Mrs. Gregory, on Prince St., has been quite ill, as well as her two young sons.

Mrs. James Steeves and Miss Lottie Steeves left early on Tuesday morning for Hartford, where they purpose visiting Mrs. Ralph Haughton, nee Miss Minnie Steeves.

The many friends of the Rev. T. E. Dowling will be pleased to hear that he purposes visiting St. John next August. Mr. Dowling was for some years rector of St. George's church, at the West End, and since then has been visiting Athens, Corinth, Ephesus, Smyrna and many other cities of interest. Before he left Jerusalem he filled the position of chaplain to the bishop there.

Dowling is at present spending the holiday season in London, Eng., and intends leaving for Southern California about the middle of next month. He also purposes making a tour of the United States, after which he will return friends at the West End may look forward to welcoming him among them once more.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Coster are receiving the congratulations of their friends on the arrival of a little daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Reid, of the East End, spent Christmas with his father, Mr. James Reid, on Union street.

Dec. 30.—Miss Crisp intends returning to her home in Halifax, soon after New Year.

Mrs. H. J. Olive issued invitations, last week, for an "At Home" on Friday, in honor of her daughter and son, on Christmas day two or three members of the family were taken ill, and the invitations had to be cancelled, very much to the young peoples regret.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Wetmore returned from Boston sooner than they expected, on account of the death of their brother-in-law, Mr. T. Strick. Mr. Charles Strickhouse is home from Boston for a few weeks.

Master Charlie Hickson, son of E. J. Hickson, Jr., is able to be about the house again. He is a sufferer from hip disease.

Miss Julia Hamm spent a few days with her sister, Mrs. E. Hickson, Sr., recently.

Rev. W. G. Taylor will return to Boston next week to resume his studies at Harvard.

Dr. and Mrs. Musgrove sent photographs of themselves to their many friends at the West End for Christmas gifts. They are speaking likenesses of the doctor and his estimable lady.

Miss Emma Tilton has been quite poorly with a heavy cold.

Miss Minnie Thomas was at the West End last week for a short time, but left for Musquod, where she will take charge of the telegraph station, to allow Miss Knight to have a vacation.

Miss Lizzie Beatey will return to Fredericton the first of the week, to attend the Normal school, where she has been for the last three months.

The Rev. Mr. Ford's little daughter, who has been sick, has entirely recovered.

Miss Jennie McPeck, daughter of the superintendent of the Shore Line, who is attending the Convent of the Sacred Heart, spent her holidays at Beausoleil, West End. She will return to the convent next week.

There is a good deal of talk just now about a happy event, which we hear is to occur - it is the coming of a young lady well known in musical circles and a gentleman connected with the commission business.

Mr. Richards is spending a week with Mrs. David McLean, North End.

Mrs. and Miss Robertson are spending a few days with Mrs. Watson Allan.

Mrs. McWilliams left the West End on Friday for a visit to Chatham.

Mr. George Baker will leave for Wolfville next week, to resume his studies at Acadia College.

Mr. and Mrs. Henze returned to their home in Boston on Saturday, after a very pleasant visit in the West End.

Mrs. T. P. Beatey entertained company on Christmas day.

Mrs. I. Olive, Sr. is improving slowly.

Mr. Frank Knight, son of Mr. N. Knight, has left Denver, Col., and gone to San Francisco, to see a situation in that city.

Mr. R. and Mr. Williams, of Chatham, will move to St. John next month.

Mr. George Baskin's many friends will be pleased to know that his new home is completed, at McAdam, and that he now occupies it, but rumor says he will not be alone.

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